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## EXPERTING OF BOOKS EXPENSIVE

County Commissioners Believe Experting too expensive. Money Would be Better Spent on Roads.

The commissioner's court refused to appropriate money to have the country books experted, believing that the money could be used to better advantage on the roads.

Expert Williams estimated that the expense would be about \$5000. This sum could be used very nicely on the roads it is true, but the books should be experted. The system of bookkeeping should be changed especially in the assessor's office.

The people do not doubt the honesty of past officials, but they want to know what is going on at the court house. Although this was not made an issue of the campaign, but it was promise that if the people so desired, Judge Neil would bring the matter before the commissioners and do what he could to have them experted. Judge Neil has lived up to his promise. Commissioners Owens and Patterson voted against the proposition.

## PRESIDENT HAS CLOSE CALL

Last Saturday night, a bullet, supposed to have been fired by some parities who were shooting at a target on the Emlin Roosevelt farm, passed pretty close to the president while he was out riding with Major Wadsworth. It was thought that an attempt was made on the president's life, but the president places little importance in the story.

## POST OPERATED BY ELECTRICITY

The mechanical department of the Post has an addit on in the form of an electric motor to operate the presses. The motor is at present temporarily installed and only connected with the large press.

## WILL ARRIVE MONDAY AT 3

The Red Special, carrying Eugene V. Debs, Socialistic candidate for president will arrive in Medford at 3 p. m., Sunday and will leave at 3:30. During the stop Mr. Debs will speak on Socialism, and will explain his system of government.

## NORMAL OPENS NEXT MONDAY

The State Normal School at Ashland, will open its doors Monday, September 8, with a good attendance. The opening day will be devoted to enrollment and Tuesday regular classes will meet.

## Subscribers Must Pay For Newspapers Taken

A newspaper man recently brought suit against 45 men who would not pay their subscription and obtained judgment in each claim. Twenty-eight of them made affidavit that they owned no more than the law allowed, thus preventing the attachment. Then under the decision of the supreme court they were arrested for petty larceny and bound over in the sum of \$300. All but six gave bail, and the six went to jail. The new postal law makes it larceny to take a paper and then refuse to pay for it. Tribune.

## The Weather.

Following is the report of U. S. Volunteer Cooperative Observer, E. Britt; for Jacksonville, for month of August; Latitude 42 deg. 18. min. north; longitude 123 deg. 5 min. west.

DATE	MAXIMUM	MINIMUM	PRECIPITATION	CH. R. C. T. R. OF DAY
1	96	62		Clear
2	89	68		"
3	101	70		"
4	95	59		"
5	95	55		"
6	101	55		"
7	100	59		"
8	99	71		"
9	95	60		"
10	94	57		"
11	90	48		"
12	80	48		"
13	78	58	trace	Cloudy
14	89	59		Cloudy
15	92	52		Clear
16	99	59		"
17	101	59	.01	"
18	109	61	.03	"
19	95	60		"
20	96	59		"
21	93	56		"
22	93	54		"
23	88	53		"
24	76	34		"
25	78	41		"
26	80	42		"
27	78	47		Clear
28	75	53		"
29	86	42	trace	"
30	81	36		"
31	91	43		"

Temperature—mean max. 90.51; mean min. 54.03; mean 72.23. Max. 101 on 3d, min. 41, on 25; greatest range 51.

Precipitation—Total for month, .04 inches. Greatest in 24 hours, .03 inches on 18th.

The mean maximum, mean minimum and monthly mean temperatures for July and August are slightly less than for the same months in 1906, which makes that summer the hottest on record.

Read our want ads. on page 4.

## PLENTY OF WATER FOR JACKSONVILLE

Engineer Rountree Made Estimate on Cost for The Post—Figures Correspond With Those of Portland Engineer.

Yesterday morning H. O. Rountree went over the proposed route of the city water system and found that the pipe line would be about 7300. The pipe would cost \$4891 in San Francisco, although the same grade of pipe can be had for about one-half this figure in Chicago.

At the place selected for the dam it will take 300 feet of concrete on the face 25 feet high. With a system of this kind we will have a tank with 15,000,000 gallon capacity. With the present stream feeding the tank there will be \$25,000 flowing in the tank daily.

The estimated cost of construction will not exceed \$30,000.

The POST will suggest that a commission be appointed and an engineer appointed to attend to the work until the same is completed. An engineer can be secured for \$5 a day to do the surveying and inspect the work as it progresses.

No town could ask for a cheaper or better system. There will no after except the repairs now and then which will not amount to very much if the plant is properly installed.

## OREGON'S OCTOGEN-ERIAN CHAMPION

(Special Correspondence)

Hillsboro, the prosperous and growing capital of Washington County, is celebrating its second rail connection with Portland, the last being an electric line.

The Oregon State Fair opens next Monday, September 14th, and continues through the week. The showing of all kinds of products, as well as the livestock and industrial display and a great race program without pool selling, insures one of the best Fairs Oregon has ever held.

Immediately following the Oregon State Fair is the Portland Country Club and Livestock Show, and it is certain that those two weeks, during which livestock will be foremost in the minds of the people of Oregon, will have much

to do with the more rapid development of that important industry.

Mr. J. H. McMillan, now past eighty-five years of age and temporarily residing at Coshocton, Ohio, writes: "Having lived in Oregon sixty years and believing it to be the best country in the United States, I take pleasure in sending people there who are looking for a home. Rheumatism has a firm grip on me, and I am unable to labor, but I can talk of Oregon and spread Oregon literature and will be glad to receive same from all parts of the state. I have been able to send many people to Oregon, and they have written that they were glad they made the change." Oregonians should remember that there are thousands more to come on the colonist rates of September and October.

Oregon horses are winning first honors at the Seattle Horse Show.

A special train of Shriners went to Eugene Saturday.

The hurry up and build movement throughout the United States, because building material and labor are about thirty per cent. cheaper than they were a year ago, is the cause of some spectacular happenings in Portland. Down in the business center they are digging basements by electric light, working three shifts of eight hours each.

Mr. E. H. Harriman will be entertained informally at the Portland Commercial Club Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Keegan who have been spending their summer vacation at Dead Indian have returned to their home in this city.

Miss Mary Peter spent Wednesday in Medford.

H. F. Meader and wife of the Kiser orchard near Medford attended court on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Andrews of Medford visited at the home of Dr. R. T. Burnett Wednesday. Mr. Andrews came over in the interest of the county fair, which will be held in Medford.

W. C. Kitto and daughter and Miss and Mrs. Maegley of Portland returned from Cinneber springs Friday evening.

Chas Dunford delivered a load of freight to the Blue Lodge Wednesday and returned Friday. He says that everything looks fine at mine and there is work for all. Several Jacksonville boys are working at the mine.

## Funeral of Mrs. Berry

The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Berry, who died in Delphi, Indiana, September 3, will take place at the cemetery in this city at 2p. m. Sunday. Mrs. Berry is a pioneer of this city and was well known in Southern Oregon.

## S. P. GRANTS SPECIAL RATES

Reduced Rates to State Fair at Salem Oregon.

The Southern Pacific Co. will sell round trip tickets to Salem at the rate of one fare and a third for round trip on account of the Oregon State Fair to be held at Salem September 14 to 19.

Tickets will be on sale September 13 to 19, inclusion. Continuous passage in both directions. Further particulars at depot.

## COUNTY COURT

Items of Interest to Jackson County Tax Payers

The Court house is a lively scene this week and many strangers re-visit the streets. The circuit court docket is the largest in the history of the county.

The grand jury is composed of H. H. Goddard, foreman; J. Wyer, S. J. Meyer, G. L. Schermerhorn, T. A. Knott, Clinton Cook and Thomas Riley.

The list of cases disposed of up to the time of going to press follows:

## CIRCUIT COURT

Alonzo Ord vs. George Ura; dismissed.

John Walters vs. A. D. Walters; dismissed.

John E. Hart vs. Susan Hart; dismissed. Costs taxed to plaintiff.

H. M. Coss vs. J. A. McIntosh; dismissed.

Horace Pelton vs. the Gold Hill Canal Co. dismissed.

W. W. Kirk vs. J. F. McKay; dismissed.

J. A. Bothwell vs. Realty Bond Syndicate of Oregon a corporation; action to recover \$3000 due on promissory note, W. I. Vawter and Reams & Reams attorneys for plaintiff.

Laban Thompson vs. Rosa A. Fine; suit in partition. W. I. Vawter and M. Purdin attorneys for plaintiff.

J. F. Reddy as receiver of the Medford & Crater Lake Railroad Co. vs. J. A. McCall et al. suit in equity. Reams & Reams attorneys for plaintiff.

State of Oregon vs. Zera Dahack charged with assault with a dangerous weapon.

A. J. Stevens et al. vs. C. W. Walters et al. suit for appointment of receiver. G. W. Trefren attorney for plaintiff.

J. A. Bothwell vs. W. H. Stalker and Ed Andrews; action to recover money. W. I. Vawter and M. Purdin, attorneys for plaintiff.

Sarah J. Erdman vs. Adolph Erdman; suit for divorce. W. I. Vawter and M. Purdin attorneys for plaintiff.

Charles E. Tull respondent and F. W. Lesmeister appellant; appeal from decision of justice court.

A. J. Stevens vs. C. W. Walters; motion to appoint receiver overruled and case dismissed.

John E. Hart vs. Susan E. Hart; suit for divorce; dismissed and plaintiff taxed with costs.

Thomas Hopkins vs. Martha Hopkins; suit for divorce; dismissed.

John Walters vs. A. D. Walters; action to recover money; dismissed.

Horace Pelton vs. Gold Hill Canal company; action to recover money; dismissed.

W. W. Kirk vs. J. F. McKay; action to recover money; dismissed.

## NEW CASES

A. J. Stevens vs. C. W. Walters; suit to appoint receiver.

J. A. Bothwell vs. W. H. Stalker et al. action to recover money.

Charles E. Tull vs. F. W. Lesmeister; notice of appeal filed.

Ed Andrews vs. J. A. Bothwell; action to recover \$900 alleged to be due for services rendered as real estate broker. Attorneys for plaintiff are Withington & Kelley.

State of Oregon vs. Bert Illingsworth; transcript from justice court (continued on page six)

## OREGON'S ADVERTISING UNEQUALLED

Says New York Authority, Lawyers Linger In Northwest City—Elaborate Book for Oregon.

"Advertising Oregon" is the title of a page in "Printers' Ink" of July 8th, one of the most widely known of advertising journals. And it is no wonder that the state's work along these lines has attracted this attention, for no portion of America is circulating the attractive literature that burden the mails of Oregon every day in the year. Now that the colonist rates are to be in effect—and they begin tomorrow)—every citizen of the state should feel it his duty to advertise the fact in his personal correspondence, to send information about his community to eastern acquaintances and to aid in every possible way the commercial organizations which are working to increase the state's population. Portland will act as host to the American Bar Association today, and delegates who attended the convention at Seattle this past week say that many members of the Association plan trips through Oregon before returning to their eastern home.

The Chambers of Commerce of Japan have extended an invitation to the representative business men of the cities along the Pacific Coast to participate in an excursion which will leave San Francisco on September 25th. Those preferring to go by another route, however, will join the party in Japan—the entire trip will consume about three months, and the visitors will see the famous chrysanthemums at their best.

There is every indication of a most cordial co-operation on the part of the commercial bodies of Oregon and Washington in advancing the interests of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, and in every other movement having for its purpose the upbuilding of the North Pacific Coast. An evidence of this is a recent interchange of visits by the active officers of commercial bodies in Portland, Seattle, Tacoma and other Northwestern cities. Co-operation of the same character exists between livestock association of the different sections, and through their working in harmony there is assurance that, beginning with the first meeting this fall, the finest horses from the best stables of the entire country will participate in the events planned for Oregon, Washington and Idaho.

The most elaborate book ever published on Oregon is in process of preparation by a firm whose books on other parts of America are in a class by themselves. They have enlisted the service of Benj. A. Gifford, of The Dalles, in securing hundreds of choicest views for this use. Mr. Gifford's collection of Columbia River photographs which adorn the Convention hall of the Portland Commercial Club have been responsible for many tourists taking this River trip.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Andrew J. McCallen and Maud M. Enders.

Claud H. Hurst and Laura Geer.

A. W. Keizur and Fena Dresser.

Stephen J. Kelley and Maybell Bonner.

E. E. Robinson and Lottie Gridley.

George Richardson and Retha Bewert.

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\$4,500.	200 acres, grain and timber.
6,000.	55 acres, fruit, alfalfa, grain.
5,000.	30 acres, 10 acres in grapes.
1,200.	80 acres, 15 acres cleared, balance timber.
8,200.	275 acres, 100 acres meadow, stock ranch.
2,500.	25 acres, alfalfa, good ditch.
8,000.	40 acres, in young orchard.
3,000.	60 acres, good orchard land.
8,000.	32 acres, alfalfa or orchard land.
2,700.	26 acres, 10 acres in trees, balance timber.
23,750.	95 acres, orchard, alfalfa, grain.
4,000.	12 1/2 acres, orchard and alfalfa.
3,200.	160 acres, orchard land.
10,500.	35 acres, orchard and alfalfa.
8,000.	20 acres, orchard and grapes.
1,625.	13 acres, good orchard land.

We have a large list of other property not herein specified. Improved and unimproved at reasonable prices. Stock ranches, farming and fruit land in the best location. A crop failure in the vicinity is unknown.

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ADOLF SCHULZ, Manager