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## HIGH SCHOOL LAW

### Law in Detail as to How Located and When.

### Vote for This Measure.

The Measure is a Good One and Should Preval on the Ballot in This County.

Below we give the law as applicable to the matter of a county high school. As this matter will be before the people of this county at the next general election in June it is well that all should be informed on the subject. There is little doubt but the measure will pass in this county by a large majority, as it should, thus saving to the people of this county the large sums spent in sending students to the so-called free schools of the state, where incidentals and board cut a large figure in the total cost of an education, such as can be had in the high school.

Section 88—If the majority of all votes cast on the proposition to establish a county high school are in the affirmative it shall be the duty of the county court, within thirty days after canvassing said vote, to locate said school in some suitable and convenient place in said county.

The county court shall also estimate the cost of purchasing a suitable lot, erecting a building and furnishing the same for the accommodation of such school, with the cost of conducting such school for the next twelve months; provided, that the county court or the high school board, as herein constituted, may rent suitable rooms for the accommodation of the school.

If rooms can be obtained in the public school buildings in the place in which said school shall be located, they shall be given the preference; provided further, that said board may contract with the board of directors of any district in the county that now maintains, or may hereafter maintain, a school of high school grade to teach all county high school pupils at such rate per capita or in the aggregate as they may deem right and just, and shall pay for the same out of the high school fund.

#### COUNTY COURT SHALL LEVY TAX.

Section 89—When such estimate shall have been made, the county court shall thereupon proceed to levy a special tax upon all the assessable property of the county sufficient to raise the amount estimated as necessary for purchasing a lot, procuring plans and specifications, erecting a building and furnishing the same, fencing and ornamenting the grounds, and the cost of running the said school for the next twelve months, or if in their judgment not expedient to buy or build, they shall levy for a sum sufficient to cover the cost of conducting the county high school in connection with some contracting public school, as hereinbefore provided, said tax shall be computed, entered upon the tax roll, and collected in the same manner as other taxes are computed, entered and collected, and the amount so collected shall be known and designated as the county high school fund, and shall be deposited in the

county treasury, and shall be drawn therefrom as hereinafter provided.

#### Tongue Will Appoint Cadets.

A dispatch from Washington says that Representative Tongue will this year be called upon to appoint cadets to both the Naval and Military Academy. He is making arrangements to have all candidates for appointment examined at Salem on or about June 1. Mr. Tongue announces that he will make his selection on the basis of the average made by the candidates in this competitive examination, which will probably be conducted by some of the well-known citizens of Salem. His definite plans will be announced later. Meanwhile, those who desire particular information as to qualification and requirements, can secure a full statement by writing to Mr. Tongue.

#### A. B. Morris, Dead.

A. B. Morris died suddenly at his home on the Marshall farm near Knox Butte Monday evening aged 70 years. Deceased was a pioneer of 1852 and had always been a rugged, hearty man. He had resided in this city and vicinity since coming to Oregon and had many friends. He was an Indian War veteran, and a consistent member of the Christian church. He leaves besides a wife, nine children to mourn his loss. They are, R. N. Morris of Clackamas county, W. D., Ira, Eva and Mrs. F. T. Blunt of this city, Miss Jane Morris, and Mrs. Minnie Hinckley of Seattle. Mrs. Nichols of Lebanon and Mrs. Geo. W. Harris of Pendleton. The funeral services will be held at the Christian church this afternoon at 2 o'clock.—Albany Herald.

#### Post Items.

Miss Lulu Anderson spent this week in Prineville.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Clark have returned from Paulina.

R. P. Miller is confined to his room with Manila itch.

George Knox, a prosperous young sheepman of this place, has moved his sheep in from the Desert.

George Wiley was looking after business matters in the County seat the first part of the week.

Hiram Gibson, of Cold Springs, was here Tuesday receiving a bunch of cattle which he bought of J. H. Gray.

#### "PAT."

The recognition of Eastern Oregon at the republican State convention, by placing at the head of the ticket, W. J. Furnish, is an honor that will be appreciated. It was a choice where merit won out, and justice and fairness prevailed. The republican forces are strongly united and will carry the banner of progress triumphantly to victory next June. W. J. Furnish will make a good governor and will represent the whole people. In conducting the affairs of the chief executive of the state, he will use the same good judgment and able methods that have brought success to him in private life.—Heppner Gazette.

#### Cattle for Sale.

Sixty head of stock cattle, including one thoroughbred roan Durham and one half-blood roan Durham bull. For particulars call at my farm or address me at Culver, Oregon.

T. F. McCallister.

## NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

### Items of Interest Gathered Here and There

### Some Stolen, Others Not

### Outlings From Our Exchanges

#### News Notes of the Week

#### Timely Topics

The list of honors to be conferred upon the occasion of King Edward's coronation will include a Dukedom for Lord Salisbury and peerages for Sir Edward J. Poyner, the artist, and William E. H. Lecky, the historian.

P. G. Morris, the defaulting treasurer of Linn County, Oregon, was pardoned April 8 by the Governor. He had embezzled \$3,100 county funds, and was serving a four-year's sentence, beginning March 21, 1900. His time, on account of "trusty" earnings, would have expired July 1.

Three thousand Chinese troops and a number of Krupp guns have been dispatched to Southern Mongolia, where the people are in revolt against the severe indemnity taxation. Several villages have been strongly fortified and their inhabitants are determined to fight. They say they are assured of the assistance of 30,000 disaffected persons.

Rev. T. Dewit Talmage, the noted Presbyterian clergyman, died at Washington, April 12. It has been evident for some days that there was no hope of his recovery and the attending physicians so informed the family. The patient gradually grew weaker, until life passed away so quietly that even the members of the family, all of whom were watching at his bedside, hardly knew that he had gone. The immediate cause of death was inflammation of the brain.

From a recent article in the Heppner Times it is learned that Lawrence Shutt, son of editor Shutt of the Times, is hopelessly blind. Everything possible has been done, but without avail and it is the intention of the parents to place their son in the school for the blind. However an operation will be performed on one of his eyes in the faint hope that there may possibly be a chance for his sight being restored. We extend fraternal sympathy to our brother in his sad affliction.

### Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold.

Laxative Brown Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price, 25 cents.

#### It's Easy To Feel Good.

Countless thousands have found a blessing to the body in Dr. King's New Life Pills, which positively cure Constipation, Sick Headache, Dizziness, Jaundice, Malaria, Fever and Ague and all Liver and Stomach troubles. Purely vegetable; never gripe or weaken. Only 25c at Adanson & Winick Co.'s drug store.

#### Notice.

All parties having horses in the E. Davis pasture on Crooked river, are notified to take them away at once, as we have sold out and will remove by April 10th.

MAREN & VAUGHN.

## Additional Locals.

C. A. Gilchrist came down from Fife Tuesday and went to Shaniko Wednesday to meet his wife, who is returning from a visit to her old home in Indiana.

Sam Hamilton, John Campbell and Peter Sager will commence sinking a shaft on a claim near the Red Jacket, this week.—Ashwood Prospector.

S. B. Claypool, the well-known farmer who was recently nominated for the legislature on the Democratic ticket, is quite sick with la grippe.—Lebanon Ex.

Dr. Rosenberg was called to Portland the latter part of last week to be present at an operation to be performed on his mother who has been in ill health for some time past.

Dr. Rosenberg returned from Portland Monday evening and reports his mother as much improved, she having stood the operation well and is getting along well considering her advanced age.

C. L. Salomon contemplates some important improvements in his store building in the near future. He has remodeled the interior until he now has one of the best lighted buildings in the city.

Henry Huston has secured a lot and will erect a building at once and open a blacksmith shop in Sisters. It will only be a matter of time when our sister town will be a lively competitor of the county seat.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Faulkner and the Misses Foster, of Paulina, were in our city the first of the week, visiting with friends and doing their spring shopping. Mr. Faulkner reports everything in fine condition up that way.

Rennie Booth has purchased a half interest in the Hamilton stables and the firm will hereafter be known as Booth & Cornett. We bespeak for the new firm a lot of business as Rennie is a first-class man with horses and the stables will be under his personal management.

Quite a number of our people have been in the relentless toils of the grip, during the past week. J. G. Poindexter was confined to his bed for several days, but is now greatly improved. Two of Jim Robinson's children, Grace and Roy, have also been ill.—Ashwood Prospector.

A letter received from Edward Everett Young announces the demise of the Baker City Republican. We are sorry to hear this as Mr. Young was running a good paper and the business men of that place should have given their support to their home paper in preference to that of a temporary one.

R. M. Morris was in town Tuesday with a load of fine potatoes. He reports farming operations moving along rapidly in the Culver country and says that he is through for the season. He would have finished sooner, but had the misfortune to lose one of his work-horses which fell dead in the harness while plowing.

W. S. Hyde returned from Lawton last week and says that the mines there have incorporated electric power and thus thrown out of employment a large force of men that were heretofore engaged in furnishing wood and in other work about the mills. The Red Boy has also put in a stock of goods and will cut quite a figure in the business of Stewart & Co., at that place.

The United Artisans will give a social entertainment at their hall on Monday night May 5. This is a post-

poned entertainment in lieu of the one intended for next Monday night, but as they want to have something elaborate it was thought best to postpone the matter another two weeks in order to give time for preparation. Arrangements will be perfected next Monday night. All good artisans are expected to be present.

#### Special Excursion to The Dalles.

On account of the 83rd anniversary of Odd Fellowship to be celebrated at The Dalles, Wednesday, April 23rd., the Columbia Southern Railway will run a special excursion train from Shaniko to The Dalles and return. Schedule for Special Train as follows:

Round Trip Fare		
Leave Shaniko, 1:00 p. m.		\$3.10
" Kent, 1:33 "		3.00
" Grass Valley 2:01 "		2.60
" Moro, 2:30 "		2.10
" Wasco, 3:10 "		1.35

Special Train will leave The Dalles, at 4:00 a. m., Thursday.

C. E. LITTLE,  
G. P. A.

#### Shingles For Sale.

I have for sale at my shingle mill on McKay creek 100,000 shingles and will manufacture over 400,000 more during the season. All from the choicest timber. Price, at the mill \$2.25, delivered in Prineville \$2.50.

J. W. RUTHER.

#### DIED.

ROBERTS—At the Poindexter hotel in this city Friday morning from blood poison, A. A. Roberts, aged 44 years.

A. A. Roberts was born in Grayson county Va., April 9, 1858. He came to Linn county with his parents in 1873 and from there to what is now Crook county in 1885 where he has since been engaged in stock raising and farming on Upper Crooked river. Mr. Roberts was always known as a steady, sober and industrious man and a good citizen. His surviving relatives are C. L. and J. E. Roberts of this county, Mrs. Betty Warmouth and Ann Edwards, of Brownsville and Mrs. Kate Cundiff, of Albany Oregon, Mrs. Fanny Bayliss, of Tenn., Mrs. Thomas Cox, of Carroll county Va. and John Roberts, of Meade county Kansas.

He was buried in the family cemetery at Alkali Flat, the remains being taken charge of here by the Knights of Pythias, of which order he was an honored member.

SUMNER—At her residence in North Prineville on Saturday, April 12 1902, of heart failure, Mrs. W. H. Sumner.

Elizabeth E. Swalley was born in Macon county Mo., February 26 1870. With her parents she came to Los Angeles, California in 1874, and from there to Crook county, Oregon in September 1884. She was married to Wm. H. Sumner May 22, 1887. She united with the Christian church of Prineville in 1894 and was a member at the time of her death. She was laid to rest in the Union cemetery, services being held at the home, on Monday at 3 o'clock p. m., Rev. B. F. Harper officiating. She leaves a husband, six children, mother, two brothers and four sisters to mourn their loss. The heartfelt sympathy of the community is extended to the sorrowing husband and family in their sad bereavement.

ALDRICH—At his home in this city Monday, April 14, 1902, G. W. Aldrich, aged 67 years.

Mr. Aldrich was born in Michigan, October 13, 1835. He came to Prineville in 1894 and has since resided here. He was a very quiet man and was universally respected by his acquaintances. He was married Nov. 11, 1895, to Mrs. S. M. Getz, who survives him.