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OUR COUNTY COURT

Regular Session for the Month of July.

New Officers in Charge

The Following Bills Were Allowed and Ordered Paid.
Court Adjourns.

The following bills were allowed and warrants ordered drawn for the respective amounts.

E. E. Orton, clerk of election, (extra)	\$3.00
H. A. Belknap, judge of election (extra)	\$3.00
A. Lippman, election books etc.	\$21.00
G. W. Barnes judge of election (extra time)	3.00
B. F. Zell, juror's fees	10.00
C. O. Bethel	8.00
J. H. Zevely	10.00
J. G. Bolter	14.40
J. H. Grant	9.00
S. S. Black	13.20
J. A. Moffitt	8.00
I. H. Hamilton	10.00
E. B. Knox	12.00
J. L. Smith	22.00
G. B. Ray	13.00
I. W. Ward	6.00
J. H. Kelly	13.00
R. Dean Hindman	15.40
E. Lister	10.20
J. W. Stanton	10.30
W. E. Helfrich	12.00
Marion Morgan	21.00
W. H. Millison	14.40
W. J. Johnson	10.20
T. W. Carl	15.00
E. E. Hille	13.00
W. T. Wilson	16.00
J. H. Hawkins	10.20
E. A. P. Lafollette	9.00
J. N. Quiberg, witness fees	10.00
C. W. Foster	10.00
M. J. Will	10.00
J. H. Claypool	10.00
Wm. J. Wood	10.00
J. R. Brock	15.00
Walter Vandervert	19.20
Geo. Hobbs	20.00
Sadie Vandervert	20.00
G. L. Cobb	74.40
S. M. W. Hindman	10.00
M. C. Ashbry	8.40
J. Y. Todd	2.00
Chas. Hindman	10.00
W. N. Cobb	2.10
A. J. Pickard	74.20
Mrs. M. A. Cobb	7.00
C. B. Allen	12.00
W. W. Collins	7.00
Jack Kitching	9.00
David Hall	11.40
S. P. Donkel	14.20
Frank Malone Jr.	20.20
J. T. Carter	11.20
E. O. Hyde	4.00
Rena West	11.20
G. W. Jones	5.00
Joseph C. Carter	11.20
G. G. Reese	16.40
Cleve Donkel	14.20
John Atkinson	18.00
Mrs. John Atkinson	18.00
James Black	13.00
A. H. Lippman mds used on road	18.95
W. C. Congleton cash paid sheriff, Land Co.	4.00
same, Wasco county	1.85
same, for telephoning	.50
Irwin Hodson Co election blanks	2.50
A. H. Grant registering voters	10.49
Irwin Hodson Co registers supplies	7.50
J. E. Fuller gatekeeper at election	3.00
Elkins & King mds for road glass & Prudhomme scalp warrants	17.00
W. R. McFarland canvassing returns	3.00
M. H. Bell canvassing returns	3.00

J. J. Smith cash to assistant registering voters	34.00
F. W. Smith registering voters	2.40
Wm. S. Criswell clerk of election	3.00
J. H. Douthitt	3.00
J. T. Disney	3.00
Chas. Brock	3.00
F. H. Strong	3.00
D. F. Steffa	3.00
J. H. Kelly	3.00
E. Z. Wakefield	3.00
E. B. Knox	3.00
L. E. Morgan	3.00
J. W. Fogle	3.00
A. J. Noble	3.00
Thos. Arnold	6.00
Alex. Smith	6.00
O. D. Allingham	6.00
T. J. Ferguson	3.00
David Haner	3.00
J. E. Roberts	3.00
H. J. Lister	3.00
C. A. Laelling	3.00
C. L. Roberts	3.00
Ed. Merritt	3.00
W. J. Schmidt	3.00
J. A. Stitt	3.00
Joseph Whitfield	3.00
David Hill	3.00
Dick Vandervert	3.00
V. Shrum	3.00
David Weaver	3.00
J. H. Masbager	3.00
D. A. McDowell	3.00
E. T. Slayton	3.00
J. W. Elliott	3.00
Wardwell C. Ann	3.00
Geo. Lytle	3.00
J. S. Allen	3.00
C. A. Gierke	3.00
W. C. Jacobs	3.00
J. D. Landetta	3.00
J. E. Calayan	3.00
F. F. Bulman	3.00
T. J. Leach	3.00
M. D. Powell	3.00
Chas. McKinnin	3.00
V. B. Moore	3.00
Frank W. Smith	3.00
C. C. Hou	3.00
E. F. Alcott	3.00
W. J. Weiler	3.00
A. R. Lytle	3.00
S. G. Douthitt	3.00
P. T. Monroe	3.00
R. W. Brown	3.00
P. A. Helms	3.00
J. E. Newell	3.00
L. Hamilton	3.00
H. Montgomery	3.00
Wm. Buehl	3.00
B. E. Willard	3.00
E. E. Orton	3.00
W. F. Elliott	3.00
Irwin Chubb	3.00
W. J. Johnson	3.00
Dan Evans	3.00
Joe Wood	3.00
C. E. McCorkle	3.00
H. C. Grater, Judge of election	3.00
Reese Lewis	3.00
James Wood	3.00
E. G. Bolter	3.00
H. L. Friday	3.00
J. H. Garrett	3.00
W. H. Caudle	3.00
Chas. Lister	3.00
R. C. Kinler	3.00
T. M. Baldwin	3.00
G. W. Barnes	3.00
H. A. Belknap	3.00
M. Wheeler	3.00
J. Archibald	3.00
N. A. Newell	3.00
Wm. Adams	3.00
C. Feuerhelm	3.00
Otto Radloff	3.00
E. G. Butler	3.00
H. L. Friday	3.00
J. H. Garrett	3.00
W. F. Keedy	3.00
P. Liggins	3.00
A. C. Knighten	3.00
E. A. Park	3.00
Richard Hurley	3.00
C. T. Miller	3.00
P. W. Spear	3.00
B. M. Templeton	3.00
C. W. Circle	3.00
D. W. Barnett	3.00
F. H. Gilchrist	3.00
Randolph Gibson	3.00
Joseph Street	3.00
J. P. VanHouten	3.00
H. Parrish	3.00
A. C. Lucas	3.00
A. Zell	3.00
J. M. Muller	3.00
J. W. Elliott	3.00
I. L. Ketchum	3.00
F. Forrest	3.00
James Connolly	3.00
W. H. Shrum	3.00
D. P. Shrum	3.00
G. G. Reese	3.00
G. Sny	3.00
W. J. Vandervert	3.00
L. Connel	3.00
L. Parrish	3.00

J. T. Dudley, Judge of election	3.00
Joe Lister	3.00
J. N. Benn	3.00
I. B. Mess	3.00
George Milliron	3.00
W. H. Milliron	3.00
C. H. Deady	3.00
J. B. Claypool	3.00
J. B. Fryrear	3.00
C. E. Person	3.00
F. M. Smith	3.00
G. W. Seide	3.00
H. L. Stewart	3.00
J. H. Gray	3.00
A. J. Miller	3.00
Wallace Post	3.00
Ovid Biley	3.00
W. H. Staats	3.00
L. D. West	3.00
Ed. Kutcher	3.00
John Palmesh	3.00
T. B. Tucker	3.00
J. H. Gray, carrying poll books	4.80
E. A. Parker	10.00
C. A. Lucas	5.00
J. E. Roberts	5.20
Randolph Gibson	10.00
N. A. Newell	3.00
Joseph Whitfield	10.80
Alex. Smith	8.00
Wm. Adams	2.50
L. L. Ketchum	1.00
Henry Caudle	2.00
J. W. Hoffman	.40
E. S. Spear	4.99
R. T. Slayton	.30
G. W. Seide	13.30
L. C. Cobb	8.00
E. Kauter	6.00
D. V. Shrum	13.00
Dan Evans	6.50
W. H. Staats	6.50
E. G. Bolter	8.40
W. J. Wright	.44
J. D. LaFollette, assessor fees	200.00
G. L. Southland, relate, liberatory fees	10.00
Mary Tooth board and holding work	20.00
Bostery	20.00
P. L. & W. Co, light and water	30.00
J. M. Minkler, relate of dist. app. fees	10.00
Mrs. J. G. Sumner, care of 2 children	40.00
Simpson & Wilson, miles for work	4.00
W. C. Conditon, mileage	4.00
C. W. Elkins, miles for roads	10.00
M. E. Smith, register, outcom.	3.50
W. H. Pease, work of day	24.00
Adams & Wimerk, Constabulary and expenses	6.30
M. E. Smith, relate dist. app. fees	20.00
Rena Harford, do do	10.00
Nellie Pruitt, do do	10.00
R. V. Jenkins, damages	175.50
D. W. Shattell, repairing election booths	1.00
F. Michel, Stationery	3.50
R. P. Harrington, repairing sidewalk	1.00
J. J. Smith, postage stamps	5.00
W. T. Dayquest, road work	5.00
C. E. McDowell, meals for jury	6.00
Wm. Bough, postage stamps	3.50

Belt Line For Coos Bay.

Articles of incorporation of the Belt Line Railway Company, Coos Bay, Or., were filed in County Clerk's office yesterday by W. L. Green, John W. Cronk and John K. Kollock, with authorized capital \$1,000,000, says the Oregonian. The objects announced are to construct and operate railway, telephone and telegraph lines, with any and all convenient spurs and branches, between some point on north shore of Coos Bay, or from some point on the coast of the Pacific Ocean in the vicinity of the north shore of Coos Bay, along and around the shore of Coos Bay to some point on the south shore thereof, or to some point on the Pacific Ocean in the vicinity of the south shore thereof. This is another corporation connected with the enterprise of building a railroad between Salt Lake City and Coos Bay, and it is understood to serve the purpose of a terminal company for the main line. It will deal with the question of harbor sites and facilities and provide transportation within a limited zone about Coos Bay. This arrangement will leave the main line free of any hazard on account of marine connections. The incorporators are all connected with the Great Central Railroad Corporation. Organization of the project makes it unnecessary for the main railroad company to select its Coos Bay terminus immediately.

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There

Some Stolen, Others Not

Cullings From Our Exchanges
News Notes of the Week
Timely Topics

The steamer Albany, owned by Captain John McIntire and others, has been sold to the Oregonian Publishing Company, and will be used in carrying paper from the La Camas mills to Portland. Captain McIntire will retain his position. The purchase price is said to have been about \$24,000.

Weather Official Beals, of Portland, received a bunch of wheat, which was picked at random in Umatilla county, after the recent gale. The wheat shows one to five kernels shelled from each head. If this loss covers a wide extent of territory there will be a big decrease in yields, perhaps amounting to five or more bushels to the acre.

Through the kindness of President E. E. Lytle of the Columbia Southern Railroad, a voluntary observation station will be established at Grass Valley, Sherman county, Oregon. This will be the only meteorological station in operation in that county, and will fill a long-felt want. The station agent of the Columbia Southern will have charge of the observatory.

A Salem man has been making observations on nickels. He has watched very closely for several months, and he has found only three or four nickels, and those new ones, that did not show the marks of the nickel-in-the-slot machines. The marks of these machines are very plain to be seen. The nickels that pass from hand to hand pay all sorts of bills and go into all kinds of company.

The Southern Pacific Company proposes sending immigration agents East from a number of valley counties, paying the agents a stated annual salary. These men will be provided with abundant literature descriptive of each county from which agents came. With good men in the field the natives will shortly be surprised at the tide of immigration that will come pouring into the valley.

A party of Corvallisites is to leave tomorrow or next day for the Blue Mountains, Eastern Oregon. They go to locate on timberland, and will be 20 or 25 people in the party. They are to be conducted by Harry Clodfelter, who during an absence of a few weeks from which he returned Friday, has become associated with others in the timber land business. Among others who are expected to go on the trip are Mr. and Mrs. Wrege, Miss May Gerhard and Miss Anna Thompson.—Corvallis Times.

The government has asked for bids for furnishing 420,000 feet of Oregon pine for use at the navy station at Cavite. Specifications have been received by the Chamber of Commerce at Portland, where

interested parties may obtain copies. Proposals are to be opened at Washington on the 9th of next month. Some of the important items in the specifications are: 420,000 feet Oregon pine, 100,000 feet sugar pine, 65,000 feet white ash, 4000 feet hickory, 4000 feet mahogany, 28,000 feet white oak, 10,000 feet spruce, 55,000 feet Port Orford cedar, 200 spruce spars, 1000 white oak staves.

All Want Pension Money.

T. A. Wood, Commander of the Indian War Veterans, and the father of the pension bill just passed by Congress is deluged by letters daily from old Indian fighters from all over Oregon and Washington. They want to be enrolled on Uncle Sam's pay list, at the prevailing rate \$8 per month. Mr. Wood says that out of 50 letters received daily, from eight to ten are from persons who draw pension money.

In Oregon and Washington there are probably 1000 persons eligible for the pension list. The widows of the pensioners are entitled to receive the full share, but at their death the allowance does not descend to the heirs.

The government will not pay back money. The bill took effect from the date of its passage, and all the years of expecting and privation in some instances, will not be rewarded. Mr. Wood says that had he known before what he does now, he could have had the retroactive clause inserted. Since the measure passed he discovered that under the army rules the Indian fighters who co-operated with the regulars in suppressing rebellions, are entitled to the same consideration as the United States troops. Mr. Wood was well satisfied to get the bill through in any shape. For the past seven years he has been hammering away at the Senators and Representatives in Congress, and made a special trip to Washington at the last session in the interest of the measure.—Portland Journal.

Progress of Alaskan Exploration.

Word has just been received from Mr. Alfred H. Brooks, geologist in charge of the work of exploring which the United States Geological Survey is conducting in Alaska, that his party has successfully crossed the Selkuk River. This party recently landed in southern Alaska, and expects to penetrate the region in the vicinity of Mount McKinley as far as the Tanana River, whence they will proceed to Circle City and the Footymile district, if the season is not so far advanced, or will descend the Yukon River, of which the Tanana is the principal tributary on the south, if it is too late to go farther north. Much of the region through which they will pass is entirely unknown, and the Selkuk River is supposed to be the greatest obstacle to progress. Mr. Brooks reports that with the aid of a boat he safely swam his entire outfit over this stream. He also reports that their first views of Mount McKinley was had from Mount Sushitna, a distance of 125 miles. Mount McKinley is the highest mountain on the North American continent—20,000 feet above the sea level—and lies in the midst of an extremely rugged region which has never been explored.