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CROOK COUNTY BEATS 'EM ALL

Didn't Leave Enough to Flag Bread Wagon

AT SPOKANE DRY FARMING

Congress—Tillman Reuter Got
12 First Prizes, 4 Second,
2 Third Prizes.

Spokane Dry Farming Congress.

What's the matter with Crook County? It's all right. Tillman Reuter came nearly being the whole show. He got twelve first prizes, four second prizes and two third prizes. Better than all he captured the silver cup given for the best individual display against the world. Colorado felt sure of capturing this trophy, but the man from Crook county had to be second with—Tillman got it.

Tillman Reuter writes The

Journal from Spokane, under date of October 7, regarding the awarding of exhibits at the National Dry Farming Congress which just closed there.

Mr. Reuter captured the first prize on the best individual exhibit grown on his dry farm seven miles north of Lamonta.

Mr. Reuter was placed first on the list of committeemen for the national committee. He was also given an important place on the executive committee for the coming year.

The prizes won by Mr. Reuter, where the contest was open to the world, were as follows: Best individual display, best in wheat grain best in wheat grain forage and roots, best exhibit of potatoes, best exhibit of corn grown on summer fallowed land, best individual exhibit by an Oregon farmer, best individual display for the Colorado cup, open to the world.

The following is the list of prizes received by Mr. Reuter: First prize—Six stalks flint corn; long white oats sheaf, winter rye, white onion, red onion, summer squash.

Second prizes captured were: Collection sheaf exhibit, corn display, flint corn ears, stock carrot. Third prizes—White dent corn ears; different varieties wheat.

A total of twelve first prizes, four second prizes and two third prizes were brought home by the Crook county man.

An exact duplicate of this display, with a few added features, will be shown at the Prineville fair next week. See it.

CROOK COUNTY ANNUAL FAIR

Opens Next Tuesday Morning.

BIG ATTENDANCE EXPECTED

Good Racing—Good Agricultural Display—School Day Friday.

Tuesday morning—Opening of fair and final entering and placing of exhibits. Last chance 12 noon.

Tuesday afternoon—1:30 o'clock 100 yard foot race open to all residents of Central Oregon; 2:30 half-mile horse race; three furlong horse race for two-year-olds; 220-yard foot race. (Entries for all races close the night before the race.)

Wednesday forenoon—9:30, judging of livestock; 11, one-mile foot race.

Wednesday afternoon—1:30 stock parade; 2:30 three-furlong horse race; six-furlong horse race; 440-yard foot race.

Thursday forenoon—9:30 five-mile marathon; 10:30, basket ball.

Thursday afternoon—2:30 half-mile horse race; mile horse race; trotting race for three-year-olds. Friday forenoon—9:30, school parade, 10:30, athletic sports for the juniors; 10, address by President Campbell of the State University.

Friday afternoon—1:30, baby show; 2:30, 34-furlong race; trotting race for Crook county horses. Saturday forenoon—9:30, athletic sports for senior pupils; 10:30 basket ball tournament.

Saturday afternoon—Public sale of livestock and produce; 2:30, five-furlong handicap horse race; trotting race for two-year-olds.

Next Tuesday morning the regular annual Crook County Fair will open at the association grounds in Prineville.

Work on the preparation of the grounds and buildings has been going on for several weeks, and many new features will now be possible that have been crowded out before for want of room.

The school exhibits from all over Crook county will be housed in a separate room that has just been completed for the purpose and this will give much more room in the regular pavilion for the general exhibits.

Besides the usual attraction of prizes offered on the premium lists made up by the fair board, there will be the J. J. Hill awards which

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CIRCUIT COURT TRIAL DOCKET

An Extra Long Civil Calendar.

NINE DISSATISFIED COUPLES

The Criminal Docket Will Be
Made Up by the
Grand Jury.

The trial calendar for circuit court which convenes next Monday morning is almost complete so far as the civil cases are concerned.

There is but one criminal case on the docket so far and that is the case of the state of Oregon vs. C. Sam Smith, which is on mandate from the Supreme Court and was to have been tried at the May term, but continuance was allowed by Judge Bradshaw on the grounds that some of the witnesses were not to be found and others were unable to attend.

Subpoenas have been issued for some of the witnesses and this case will come up for consideration at this term.

The regular criminal docket, of course, will be made up as the grand jury turns out the indictments and these will not be available until the grand jury is called. Two men are in the county jail awaiting the action of the grand jury, and many others are under bonds to appear at the request of that body.

On the civil docket, which to date contains some sixty cases, more than 5 per cent of the cases are for the collection of notes or accounts or actions for judgment. Nine of them are suits for divorce and four are for damages—one for \$5000 and another brought by C. M. Zell for \$1000 against the People's Irrigation Co. for non-supply of water for irrigation on his place during the past summer. These cases as they appear on the docket are as follows:

T. H. Brennan vs. John Davin et al; suit to establish water right. C. J. Stubling vs. Chambers and Danley; suit to collect bill. J. B. Palmer vs. Jacob N. Quiberg; suit for \$2875 damages. A. R. Eastwood vs. B. E. Jones & Co; suit for mechanics' lien. F. A. Powell and R. M. Powell vs. Lettie Miller; suit to collect note. H. P. Belknap, J. W. Horigan and others vs. City of Prineville; suit to set aside petition for referendum election.

C. M. Elkins vs. Omer Cyrus; suit to establish water right. Deschutes Railroad company vs. Anton Birkensfield; action for right-of-way.

Deschutes Railway company vs. W. A. X. Ellis; action to establish right-of-way.

W. F. King vs. Rolla N. Doty; suit to collect account. Mary McMeekin vs. James H. Hawkins; suit for judgment.

C. C. McNeely vs. Crook County; suit to collect balance on courthouse basement contract.

A. M. Drake vs. Bend Water Light & Power Co.; suit to collect note.

Fred Fisher vs. F. M. Loveland; suit to collect note.

Samuel H. Fuber vs. Carl N. Ehret; action for deed to land on option.

John Steidel vs. A. D. Morrell; action on option.

Constance M. Eaton vs. Stephen I. Frazer, et al; suit to nullify deed.

J. H. Douthit vs. Sanford Schultz; suit to establish water right.

School District No. 73 vs. John D. Wilcox, et al; action to procure site for school building.

J. F. Taylor vs. J. I. West; appeal from decision of the county court of action to collect note.

J. L. Windom and others vs. Walter Helfrich; suit for judgment.

Morria Reilly vs. Wesley Sum-

ner; action to collect note.

Oregon Trunk Ry. vs. J. H. Barber; suit to establish right-of-way.

Dan W. Tarpley vs. Frank P. Talkington; suit to collect lien on lands.

L. S. Bristol, trustee, vs. Samuel L. Marshall; suit for judgment.

J. W. Rutherford vs. W. Wheatley; suit for judgment.

T. A. Block vs. J. H. Barkley; action to collect note.

Stewart & Carlson vs. Wallace Post and others; action to determine water rights on Crooked river and tributaries.

Mary S. Elliott vs. C. A. Graves; appeal from justice court on suit to collect for killing a porker valued at \$50.

T. J. Ludlow vs. Richard King (both of Bend); action for \$5000 damages because of arrest of plaintiff on warrant of defendant in April of this year.

J. H. Watts vs. Julia E. Dean; action to collect \$85 for tombstone erected in Hay Creek cemetery.

Rock Island Plow Company vs. O. G. Collier; suit for judgment.

F. C. Rowles vs. Z. T. McClay, et al; suit for deed to property in Redmond.

Peter Pelkurk vs. Matt Kulesch; suit for judgment.

C. M. Zell vs. People's Irrigation company; suit for \$1000 damages, charging non-supply of water during irrigating season just closed.

F. C. Sexton vs. Fred Fisher; suit for judgment.

S. S. Brown writ of review regarding establishment of road.

Jennie Fuller vs. Deschutes Realty company; suit for judgment.

Henry Linster vs. H. J. Overturn; suit for damages on grounds of misrepresentation in sale of real estate.

Matt Clark vs. Albert W. Woodward; suit for fees.

C. Sam Smith and Champ Smith vs. E. B. Maddux, et al; suit for deed.

A. H. Horn vs. Fred A. Hunnell; suit for judgment.

Bolton Mercantile Co. vs. Dan Cowley; action to collect note.

J. W. Henderson, et al, vs. Fred Stuart; suit to collect commission on option.

Geo. W. Noble vs. James A. Ragner et al; suit for deed.

Carl J. Queiberg vs. W. J. Griffith; suit to collect four notes of \$1000 each.

A. Patterson vs. Clarence Cox and Oscar Cox, suit for judgment on note.

J. L. McCulloch vs. Augustus Walker; suit on foreclosure of mortgage.

C. C. Triplett vs. Oregon Trunk railway; action to prevent railway from building in parts of townsite of Lytle.

Ehret Bros. vs. F. C. Rowles; suit to collect account.

W. A. Patterson vs. S. L. Gulliford; suit to collect account.

State of Oregon vs. C. Sam Smith; mandate from State Supreme court filed March 11, 1910, continued from May term of court.

The divorce cases that will be considered are:

C. A. Graves vs. Remonia Graves; charged with desertion.

Elizabeth Woodward vs. Albert W. Woodward; non-support, asks for division of property and costs.

Pearl Osborn vs. F. C. Osborn; desertion and non-support.

James A. Mitchell vs. Nora Mitchell; desertion.

Ida Millering vs. Edmund C. Millering; non-support, cruelty, failure to supply medicine, adultery, etc.; asks for custody of two children and costs.

Emily Pierson vs. J. J. Pierson; desertion and non support; asks for costs.

J. H. Wenandy vs. Sadie E. Wenandy; charged with desertion, adultery and drunkenness; asks for division of property and payment of costs. Reply charges non-support, cruelty and asks for division of property.

Alice Davis vs. Victor Davis; cruelty and jealousy; asks for costs of suit.

W. F. King vs. Jennie King; desertion. Reply asks for more

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THE LAMONTA WHEAT BELT

A Wonderfully Productive Section.

THE DISTRICT SETTLING UP

Other Crops than Wheat Thrive
in that Part of Crook
County.

One of the best grain producing sections in the state and one that will produce as much grain to the acre as any other part of the state as soon as railway transportation is effected, which will be during the coming winter, is that territory commonly called the Haystack country.

This district is located north and west of Prineville, and lies east of lower Crooked river and the Deschutes.

Ten years ago there were a few farms in the territory, but most of the land that was deeded lay in the low hills surrounding the plain. The industry was cattle, sheep and horses.

When people started to take homesteads it was considered a joke by the residents of the older settled part of the county. Now this is all changed. Many of the dry farmers, notably such men as Tillman Reuter, who is mentioned in another column in this issue, Joe Wiegand, Hale, Hammer, C. F. Smith and many others, are giving bottom land farmers an object lesson.

This year the grain crops were a little better than average. C. F. Smith's place yielded over 10,000 bushels, Rodman 10,000, Wiegand a like amount and the Windom's a little less. Other farmers by the dozen report like yields, and much of the land is yet in waving bunch grass, and is being broken more and more each year. In the newer sections of this area, that on the north slope of Grizzly and on the north to the west of Hay Creek, are some two dozen new homesteads. Of this number about fifteen of them have been settled during the current year.

These men will be able to farm from twenty-five to sixty acres under plow, free from rock. When one of them was asked how deep it was to water said: "I don't know, but it is far enough."

In this vicinity Morrow & Keenan own a large tract of land. In one stackyard was counted 16 bundle stacks of wheat.

All kinds of garden produce is grown very successfully.

Lamonta is already claiming fame as a potato producing country and residents of that district say that they can equal the Powell Butte country in both quality and quantity of that crop.

Fruit is grown successfully in almost every part of the district. J. L. Breeding, who has a ranch three miles west of Lamonta, had a good crop of apples, pears and other fruit from his young orchard.

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The C. W. Elkins Co.



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