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January Term of the County Court

A regular term of the county court convened at the courthouse in Prineville, Oregon, on January 7th, 1914, at 10 o'clock a. m. Present—G. Springer, judge, presiding; R. H. Bayley, Willis W. Brown, commissioners; Frank Elkins, sheriff; Warren Brown, county clerk.

Whereupon the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

In the matter of the petition for pensions for certain widows, the following were allowed: Jennie Crain, two children, \$17.50; Jessie Viola Jones, one child, \$10.

In the matter of the petition of W. C. Buckner et al for a county road. The same was referred to the county attorney and the viewers were ordered out.

In the matter of the L. A. Hunt et al county road. The viewers' report presented and read first time.

In the matter of the S. E. Santeson et al county road. The viewers' report presented and read first time.

In the matter of the petition of W. M. Ogg et al, and G. W. Wells et al for forty foot roads. Petitions presented and granted.

In the matter of the vacation of South Addition to Madras, Oregon. Petition presented and it appearing that the petitioner is the only owner in said addition, ordered that the said petition be granted when the taxes have been fully paid.

The report of Guy Lafollette as fruit inspector presented, approved and ordered published under the court proceedings.

The report of W. H. Lucy as county sealer, presented and approved.

In the matter of the petition of the J. H. Windom estate for a refund in taxes. Whereas, a receipt is presented showing a second payment for the year 1911, amounting to the sum of \$12.75, it is ordered that the same be rebated.

In the matter of an error in tax receipt. It appearing that the sheriff paid to the treasurer \$3 more than collected on the taxes of J. H. Overturf on 1912 taxes, it is ordered that the sheriff be credited with said \$3.

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In the matter of the assessment of the nw 1/4 of sec. 14, nw 1/4 23-9-17, petition of F. M. Ryan et al for a correction granted.

In the matter of widow's pensions. Melissa E. White, one child, allowed \$10.

In the matter of the change in the Wm. Brownhill road. Surveyor's report presented and approved and all that portion of the old Dalles-Ochoco road covered by plat submitted by surveyor in said report, is declared to be a county road.

In the matter of tax collector's bond. Ordered that the sheriff's bond as tax collector be reduced from \$20,000 to \$5,000, and that the treasurer, as tax collector, furnish bond of \$40,000.

In the matter of the change in the Don P. Rea road, surveyor's report presented and approved.

In the matter of the Geo. F. Euston et al county road. Viewers' report presented and read first time.

John Millhorn appointed road supervisor for road district No. 17.

In the matter of the L. A. Hunt et al county road. Viewers' report read second time and approved.

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In the matter of the S. E. West et al road. Surveyor's report presented and action therein continued.

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In the matter of the J. O. Vosberg et al, Dan Catlow et al, A. W. Miller et al petitions for county roads. Viewers' reports presented and read first time.

Ashwood road Surveyor's report presented, approved and survey ordered.

In the matter of the J. O. McKinney et al road. Viewers' report presented and read first time.

In the matter of the care of Mrs. Robinson. Report of H. C. Ellis with statement to January 7, 1914, presented showing a balance on hand of \$41.10, approved.

In the matter of petition for voting precinct and road district at Opal City. Petition presented and granted.

The Centralo and Millcan road districts were also created voting precincts as per petitions for same.

In the matter of Lower Bridge voting precinct and road district. Ordered that the surveyor correct error in boundary as petitioned for, and said petition granted.

Voting precincts and road districts were created at Imperial and Hampton as petitioned for and clerk ordered to enter record of all voting precincts and road districts according to petitions as corrected by county surveyor.

In the matter of the petition for North and South precincts at Bend, Oregon. Petition presented and granted and Lara's Hall designated as voting place for North Bend precinct and the Bend Hose House voting place for South Bend precinct.

All south of Oregon street to be known as South Bend precinct and all north of said street to be known as North Bend precinct.

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In the matter of the change in the M. M. Davenport road. Matter referred to the district attorney and continued for want of date of posting notices.

In the matter of ballot punches. Matter continued for investigation by county clerk.

In the matter of a change in Metollus voting precinct. Petition presented and granted.

In the matter of a justice of the peace for Metollus precinct. A. J. McKenzie appointed to serve until the next election.

In the matter of preparing court proceedings for publication the following charges were made: Crook County Journal \$10, Madras Pioneer \$15, and Bend Bulletin, \$15, and said amounts were ordered deducted from the said papers' respective bills.

In the matter of the division of Prineville into two voting precincts. Petition presented and granted and said precinct divided into East and West Prineville precincts as set forth in order.

Martha Randle allowed \$10 per month, also allowed a wood bill of \$5.

The following road supervisors' reports were presented and approved:

R V Jenkins, district 6.
Roy Newell " 8.
P T Monro " 10.
S E Sears " 11.
Paul Werner " 19.
C R Henry " 20.
W A Carson " 21.
H M Gardner " 23.

Allen W Wilcoxen, district 25.
W E Claypool " 27.
H M Farrell, district 30.
Geo Hamilton " 34.
A O Walker " 39.

All supervisors ordered to make report showing amount of money received during the year, amount on hand, list of tools, where located, also that guide boards are erected at cross roads and on all roads where more than \$100 was expended, show the exact amount of expenditures.

In the matter of county health officer. Clerk instructed to advertise for sealed proposals for handling the work of said office.

In the matter of voting precincts the county surveyor instructed to prepare a tracing showing distinctly the name, number, polling place and boundaries of each of the several election precincts throughout the county and that he furnish the county clerk a blue print of such tracing to be mailed to each registration officer designated by the county clerk.

In the matter of the settlement in the Wm. Brownhill road. Mrs. Beasley refusing to accept the amount



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TWO NOTABLE PIECES OF STATUARY AT THE PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION, SAN FRANCISCO, 1915.

STRIKING examples of the decorative sculpture at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition are shown in these two illustrations. At the left is "Rain," by Albert Jaegers, a figure that will be a companion to "Sunshine," by the same sculptor, ornamenting the Court of the Four Seasons in the main group of exhibit palaces. The camel with its Mohammedan rider is by Frederick G. R. Roth.



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"NATIONS OF THE EAST" AT THE PANAMA-PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION, SAN FRANCISCO, 1915.

THIS superb group of statuary is a model of the "Nations of the East," which will surmount the Arch of the Rising Sun in the Court of the Sun and Stars at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco in 1915. Reading from left to right, the figures are as follows: 1, Arab Sheik; 2 and 3, Negro Servitors; 4 and 5, Mohammedans; 6, Arab Falconer; 7 (the elephant), India; 8, Tibetan Lama; 9, Mongolian Horseman. The four pedestrian figures are by A. Stirling Calder, the equestrians by Leo Lentell and the elephant and camel and their riders by Frederick G. R. Roth.

agreed upon in the settlement of the said matter, the warrant for \$300 drawn in favor of said Mrs. Beasley in said matter, is hereby ordered cancelled.

In the matter of county printing. Clerk instructed to call for bids in the usual manner, same to be awarded at the March term.

In the matter of the following roads the viewers' reports were read the second time and approved and same ordered opened when sufficient funds are available for that purpose: Geo. F. Euston, Dan Catlow, A. W. Miller and D. Frank.

Whereas, bills for equipment for various offices are presented amounting to several hundred dollars, it is ordered all officers shall in future obtain a requisition from the county court if in session and if not convenient to make request to the county court, the same must be obtained from the county judge.

In the matter of the S. E. Santeson et al county road. Viewers' report read second time and approved. S. E. Santeson appointed to look after the working out of the subscription work.

Thereupon court adjourned subject to call.

Cockerels for Sale
A few thoroughbred Rhode Island Red cockerels for sale at reasonable prices. 1-15-2t CAREY FOSTER.

Business Building Burns in Bend

Bend, Ore., January 12.—The building on Wall street occupied by the Vienna Cafe and Shuey's grocery was destroyed by fire Monday morning, but a portion of the grocery stock was saved. The blaze started about 2 o'clock in the restaurant and spread rapidly under the influence of a strong wind. Plate glass in windows across the street was broken by the intense heat, and only the fact that the adjoining building was of brick saved the town. This building belonging to E. A. Sather, was only slightly damaged.

Shuey's loss is about \$3,000, fully insured. The Vienna Cafe had only about \$500 insurance, and lost everything. The building was owned by W. F. Farris, of Portland, who it is understood, carried about \$2,000 insurance.

For Sale
My violin and two bows and case at one-quarter of its value. CARL R. ZINK, director of Prineville Band. 1-15

Commercial Club Meetings Full of Interest

At the meeting of the Business Men's Club of the Prineville Commercial Club Monday night a number of matters of particular interest to Prineville were discussed.

One was that of getting the county court to spend twenty-five thousand dollars on roads in the vicinity of Prineville and eastern Crook county and the appointment of a competent man to have charge of the expenditure of that money. Mr. King reported that a delegation had called on the court and while nothing definite was done, it was understood that this amount of money would be appropriated for the roads of eastern Crook county and that D. F. Stewart would likely be the man who would have charge of the expenditure of the funds.

The irrigation committee, consisting of Messrs. Pollard, Bell and Peoples, explained the proposition of the Central Oregon Irrigation Company to turn over the North Canal Project to the state for the sum of \$300,000, there having been something over that amount spent on actual construction to date.

This project includes about 34,000 acres of irrigable land, a considerable portion of it tributary to Prineville, and Mr. Redfield, the Irrigation Company's engineer, and the state engineer practically agree in their estimate of \$24.50 per acre for the completion of the project for a total of \$500,000 above the \$300,000 to be paid the Irrigation Company. The land of this North Canal Project lies between the Cen-

tral Oregon canal and the Pilot Butte canal to the north and west of Powell Butte.

The club recommended that as large a delegation as possible be sent to Redmond the 17th of this month to urge upon Governor West and the state land board the taking over of this project by either the state reclamation service or by both in conjunction.

Efforts are also being made by the club in behalf of the passage of the bill now before congress providing for the free delivery of mail in towns of 1,000 population and over.

Mr. Jordan and Mr. Brink, as members of the educational committee, reported that every effort is being made to get the Oregon Agricultural College to hold a farmers' short course in Prineville from February 23d to 28th. They had not received a definite reply from the college at that time, but expected a definite answer within the next week.

A number of interesting discussions were listened to during the evening, among them, "Land Values in Central Oregon," by Judge Brink, "Dairying," by S. R. Cooper, "Roads and Their Improvement," by Judge Springer, "Prineville, Today and Tomorrow," by W. F. King, and "Water Rights in Crook County" by Watermaster Brewster.

The business meetings are held every Monday night and are snappy and enthusiastic, and should be of interest to every business man and farmer in the community.

Report of County Fruit Inspector

Report of county fruit inspector for December, 1913. To the honorable county court of Crook county:

During the month of December I inspected approximately 2000 fruit trees in the county orchards and a part of the inspection was made in company with Mr. R. H. Weber of The Dalles who is commissioner for the Fourth Horticultural district of which this county is a part.

The greater part of the trees inspected were free from disease, but in many of the old orchards apple trees were found to be infected with anthracnose which is perhaps the most dangerous disease to apple culture that is to be found in this part of the state. Two orchards were found that are infected with fire blight. San Jose scale was found in but one instance while red spider and numerous deposits of aphid larvae and other minor pests were more abundant.

The spread of anthracnose and fire blight is so rapid and hard to control that it will necessitate rapid and thorough pruning and spraying to destroy these diseases and hearty co-operation on the part of the growers only will prevent the spread of these diseases that will if unmolested, wipe out every orchard in this part of the state. The prunings from the infested trees must be burned to prevent the infection of growing trees in the community.

The growers seem to appreciate the effort that is being made by the county to protect the fruit industry and have indicated a willingness to assist in every way to eradicate the different pests.

The original source of these infections is shipments into the county of winter-apples and nursery stock from infested districts. The state law protects every community alike, and shipments of diseased or infested fruits are absolutely forbidden, yet up to the time of the creation of the office of county fruit inspector, this county was made the dumping ground for some of the well known apple growing sections of the state. The dealers throughout the county realize this condition better than

the people themselves, and all are pleased that there is a way now to absolutely prevent the shipment of this quality of fruit into the county.

Apples in storage in Prineville, Bend, Redmond, Deschutes and Laddlaw have been inspected by me during the month and many boxes of badly infested apples have been condemned.

A special request was made by Gov. West to inspect the apples in Laddlaw which I found to contain enough infection to eventually destroy every tree in that community. The objectional fruit was condemned and the matter adjusted.

The largest quantity of bad fruit was found in Bend where a car of apples had just been received, a great many boxes of which were infested almost beyond belief, and in whole boxes less than a half dozen salable apples were to be found.

I have not as yet been over enough of the county to make any statement as to the general conditions in the orchards but at this time it is sufficient to state that fruit trees are subjected to the same pests here as in other localities, and the same vigilant pruning and spraying will be necessary to produce first quality fruit as in other communities. The best fruit found during the inspections I have made was grown on Crook county orchards.

(Signed) GUY LAFOLLETTE.

You Should Join the Association

In order to create a greater interest in the Parent-Teacher Associations throughout the state, Superintendent Churchill has mailed pamphlets giving suggestions for organizing these associations to all parts of the state. Prineville organized her Parent-Teachers' Association last spring and it is now in good working order. This organization meets in the public school assembly room on the second Friday of each month at 3 p. m. While these meetings have been well attended there are many parents who have not yet become members and it is hoped they will attend and help in this good work.