



### Called Session of the Court Court

A called session of the county court of Crook county convened at 10:35 a. m. on Monday, June 1st, 1914, at the courthouse at Prineville, Crook county, Oregon. Present—Judge Springer, presiding; Willis W. Brown, commissioner. When the following business was transacted:

Ordered that a warrant in the sum of \$10 be issued in favor of John Stam for clothes, etc.

Ordered that a warrant in the sum of \$9.75 be issued in favor of G. Springer to reimburse him for money advanced for \$8 fare for Ellen Easton and \$1.75 for medicine for John Stam.

Ordered that warrant in the sum of \$24 be issued to the Redmond Spokesman for printing pamphlets and programs of declamation contest and track meet, and also \$3.30 additional for printing teachers' programs.

Ordered that the sum of \$320 be set apart from the general fund to the library fund.

In the matter of the Baldwin Sheep Company county road. Viewers report presented to the court and read the first time.

Ordered that the bill of H. R. Welch in the sum of \$121.19 for work on Gulch road be allowed and warrant issued.

Ordered that Crook county accept all the provisions of the workmen's compensation law of the state of Oregon.

Ordered that a warrant in the sum of \$2000 on the road fund be issued in favor of Roy Newell, supervisor at Haycreek, for work to be done on the Baldwin Sheep Company road.

Ordered that a warrant in the sum of \$588 be issued in favor of Dave Grimes to be used in road districts 13 and 14. Approved G. Springer, Willis W. Brown.

Court re-convened at 7 a. m. on June 2nd, 1914. Present same officers as yesterday.

In the matter of the Baldwin Sheep Company's county road. Viewers' report read second time and approved and road ordered to be opened.

In the matter of a change in the Beaver creek road. County surveyor ordered to survey proposed change in Beaver creek road from Post east, and if free right of way is found over most direct route on the south side of the river, ordered that work begin immediately after the completion of the survey.

In the matter of the bridge over Trout creek at Cross Keys. The Coast Bridge Company requested to take the construction crew from their present work at Deep Canyon and Wilhoit's and erect the bridge now on the ground at Cross Keys over Trout creek.

Ordered that a warrant in the sum of \$600 on the Crook County Fair fund be issued in favor of J. F. Blanchard, president of the Fair board. Approved, G. Springer, Willis W. Brown.

**Teachers' Examinations**

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Crook county, Oregon, will hold the regular examination of applicants for State Certificates at Prineville, as follows:

Commencing Wednesday, June 17, 1914, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, June 20, 1914, at 4 o'clock p. m.

**Wednesday Forenoon**  
Writing, U. S. History, Physiology.

**Wednesday Afternoon**  
Physical Geography, Reading, Composition, Methods in Reading, Methods in Arithmetic.

**Thursday Forenoon**  
Arithmetic, History of Education, Psychology, Methods in Geography.

**Thursday Afternoon**  
Grammar, Geography, American Literature, Physics, Methods in Language, Thesis for Primary Certificate.

**Friday Forenoon**  
Theory and Practice, Orthography, English Literature, Chemistry.

**Friday Afternoon**  
School Law, Geometry, Algebra, Civil Government.

**Saturday Forenoon**  
Geometry, Botany.

**Saturday Afternoon**  
General History, Bookkeeping.

J. E. MYERS,  
County Superintendent.

To County Superintendents:  
For some time we have been unable to furnish copies of the elementary course of study to teachers who are preparing for the examination. For this reason, we have asked the members of the State Board of Examiners not to take any questions from the course of study for the June examination. Yours very truly,  
J. A. CHURCHILL,  
Supt. Public Instruction.

### Powell Butte

A. H. Rohde bought some brood sows from Earl Saunders last week.

Harry Spear is putting in a crop on the land east of the Montgomery place.

Miss Mabel Allen was a visitor to Prineville Tuesday.

J. E. Warner had his sheep sheared last week, an unusually heavy yield of wool being procured, several of the sheep shearing 18 pounds.

Frank Splinting came in from Deep Park, Wash., last week and is looking after his land interests here.

Road Supervisor Wilcoxen and crew finished grading the quarter mile of road fronting the Truesdale place Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bussett and Miss Fay arrived from Hood River Thursday, having made the trip overland in their autos. Their many friends are delighted to welcome them among us again. For the present they will be located at the "Jim" Green place.

Clark Morse was a visitor to Deschutes Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilcoxen and daughter Harriett and Reeves Wilcoxen enjoyed a feed of ice cream at the J. A. Riggs home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. P. C. McNelly, of Prineville, has moved out to the Powell Butte ranch for the summer.

Herman Meyer returned to his home in Tacoma Friday, after a short sojourn here with his brother.

Misses Gladys and Hazel Bayn visited the week end with home folks, returning to Prineville Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Hall left for Portland Saturday morning, where she will visit numerous relatives and take in the rose show.

Geo. Hobbs was a visitor to Prineville Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Smith accompanied him for a Sunday visit.

E. N. Hall and Merton Shtrum spent Friday on the Deschutes fishing.

Mrs. Mary Broom and Wm. Broom were guests at the Ross Bussett home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Twest and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Mustard and family made a fishing picnic party to the Crooked river Sunday.

J. P. Doherty was a dinner guest at the Wilcoxen home Sunday.

Geo. Kennard, who has been employed by Earl Saunders on the farm, left for Portland Monday, where he will attend the Northern Pacific Automobile School.

Mr. Lindquist went to Prineville Sunday for a brief visit with his daughter, Miss Ebba, who is attending summer school at that place.

Earl Saunders, who has been extensively bandaged in support of several broken ribs received when he was thrown from his horse recently, had his bandages removed Monday. Mrs. Saunders says that for noise the performance had a wild west show bent to a frazzle.

G. T. Truesdale was a business visitor to Prineville Monday. So also were Mr. and Mrs. Twest and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Mustard.

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**2 Plus 2=3 No? Well, Read**

By MOSS.

**SOPHISTRY**

Sophists wasn't wiped off the map of reasoning over 2,000 years ago, although it certainly deserved to be.

The Sophists in ancient Greece, you remember, taught a false philosophy of life and things, their premises being based on fallacy. They tried to make two plus two equal three.

The Sophists are not all dead. A few thrive today. They argue of newspaper advertising:

"Oh, I never buy anything widely advertised or patronize merchants who make a splash in the newspapers. Their articles are either inferior or more costly because they have to include the cost of advertising."

BOSH!

As a matter of fact, advertising enables you to buy BETTER things at CHEAPER prices. Through advertising the sales are INCREASED ten, twenty, fifty fold. The manufacturer or merchant is thus able to sell BETTER and CHEAPER goods and still pay for his advertising.

This recognized BUSINESS FACT is backed up by the experience of successful business men of this community and by wise home providers who closely watch the ads. in this paper.

**KEEP EWES HEALTHY.**

**Bowels Must Be Looked After Before Lambs Begin to Come.**

This is a critical time of the year as regards the health and welfare of the ewes, which soon will be dropping their lambs and indeed have commenced to lamb in some parts of the country, says Dr. A. S. Alexander in the Farm Journal.

It must now be the aim of the shepherd to counteract the tendency to constipation, which is shown by every animal well along in pregnancy. Plenty of fresh water should be supplied and bran and oilmeal added to the other ration, for corn, if used, does not open the bowels, nor does it lead to a full flow of milk at lambing time. Salt should be used for pregnant ewes in small quantities and not in the shape of salted hay.

When the lambs commence to arrive the ewes may be brought into a comfortable, sheltered place where there are a number of small pens in which to put each ewe in turn as soon as she drops her lambs. On taking her into the small pen she should be turned up and the locks of wool removed from her udder, so that the lambs will be able to suck without getting wool into their mouths. This done, the ewe may be left for awhile to lick her lambs dry, and when this has been done they should be assisted to stand and take their first drink, if weak, after which they will usually get along all right.

**WINTERING THE HORSE.**

**Idle Animals Need Exercise and a Fair Amount of Feed.**

The horse in winter should not be stabled all day, but should have plenty of exercise. Turned into the well fenced paddock, the horse's exercise will take care of itself. He should be fed and watered at regular times. The feed need not be large. It is worse to founder a horse than to underfeed him. Oats, corn and hay, an occasional bran mash and the horse should winter in excellent shape. The currying should not be forgotten. The proverb says that it is worth good oats to curry. When hitched in the cold they should be blanketed. Horses are susceptible to colds and pneumonia and veterinarian's bills, but they may all be prevented if the proper precautions are taken.

If one has work for his horses in winter, so much the better. The most common mistake is underfeeding them at this season and a consequent resumption of hard work in spring in ill conditions. It does not pay to have dull tools nor inefficient horses. One cannot afford to put up with either. Just exercise a little horse sense in feeding and caring for the horses this winter and see if it does not pay both in efficiency of the horses and satisfaction of the owner.

The princess who snubbed Colonel Goethals chose a novel way of announcing her presence on earth.

### Sunnyside.

Sunnyside, May 30.

William Brown was in this neighborhood with a crew of men discharging headgates this week.

The Leverenz flume has been completed and will now carry a good supply of water.

Mrs. J. L. Couch entertained her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mitt Couch Tuesday.

F. E. Dayton has a crew of men working on his ranch.

J. H. Barclay of Madras was a Sunnyside visitor Monday.

Mrs. Lou Pulliam of Plainview made a business trip to Laidlaw Friday.

Messames Hatch and Pinkstaff spent Thursday at the home of Mrs. Bart Nichols.

A branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union was organized at Plainview recently with the following officers: Treasurer, Mrs. Louisa Chalfan; vice-president, Mrs. L. Pulliam; treasurer, Mrs. Margaret Gillet; secretary, Miss Myrtle Scoggin; cor. secretary, Mrs. Bertha Gibson; reporter, Mrs. Della Nichols. The Union meets in connection with the Sunday School at that place and will present several interesting programs in the future meetings.

**SHEPHERD AND FLOCK.**

Be sure that the flock is not exposed to storms. Exposure means a poor ewe, a light fleece and a weak lamb.

Keep the sheep quarters well littered with dry straw. Scatter land plaster over the pen to absorb the ammonia and keep the odors down.

Ewes that are successful breeders should be kept as long as possible.

Do not let the sheep drink from a trough half full of ice. Give water regularly and keep the trough clean.

If you want strong lambs give the ewes wheat bran in the grain ration.

If a lamb is chilled dip it in water as hot as you can bear your hand in and wrap it in a warm blanket until it is dry.

"A little farm, well tilled," should contain a few sheep well taken care of.

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# Important Statement

## To the Public:

In order that there may be no questions raised later on, we wish to announce that no person connected with our store, or any member of their families will be allowed one piano vote. We positively will not sell these votes. One single vote cannot be purchased from us at any price. We are going to give the beautiful \$400 Parlor Grand Piano now on exhibition at our store to the person presenting to us the greatest number of piano votes, absolutely free. For every cent of your purchase of anything in our store you are entitled to one piano vote. Yours faithfully,

# Prineville Merc. Co.

### Dry Land Alfalfa.

The Journal is glad to note that the dry land alfalfa story published several weeks ago has awakened interest in other parts of Crook county.

The Madras Pioneer says: "A couple of weeks since there appeared in the Prineville Journal an article to the effect that some one had brought in a sample of dry land alfalfa that measured 13 inches in length for the first year.

"Mr. Newell of Haycreek, having read the article, immediately proceeded to his field of dry land alfalfa and found that he could easily beat that figure, and the first time he came into Madras he brought to this office a sample of Turkestan dry land alfalfa that he had sown from the seed that he had gathered on his own place, and only one year old, that measured 26 inches in length. He also brought in a sample of three-year-old alfalfa that measured at this time 33 inches, the latter being from the seed raised in Colorado.

Mr. Newell's method of growing dry land alfalfa is to sow the seed in rows of about two feet apart and during the first season it may be cultivated with a cultivator like corn, and the next spring after harrowing up the ground in good shape, he sows another row in between the first two rows, making the plants in the row a foot apart. In this way it is his opinion that much better results will be had than if the seeds were sown broadcast on the land and perhaps harrowed into the ground. We understand that several other people in this section are experimenting along this same line, and their experiments are being watched with a great deal of interest, as it is thought that in this way the seed industry may be developed into a paying proposition in Central Oregon."

[A word of explanation is due Mr. Reynolds, the Powell Butte dry land alfalfa experimenter. No doubt the difference in time of taking the measurements is accountable for the difference in height. Mr. Reynolds' alfalfa now measures 32 inches in height and is just coming into bloom. Mr. Newell's method of cultivation seems to be a good one and well worthy of consideration. Let us hear from others who are doing experimental work with this new alfalfa. Its cultivation is a great thing for this country and should be encouraged in every way.—Ed]

**Live Stock Profitable.**

Live stock raising in connection with general farming conserves fertility elements and makes it possible to produce more food on a given area of land. Growing crops and breeding animals should be practiced on every farm of any considerable size if possible, as this kind of farming is surer as a general plan and it saves the farm for future crops.

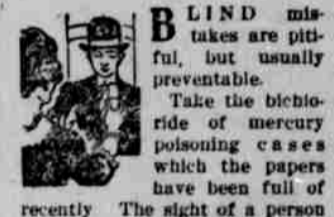
**The Ailing Cow.**

Empty stomachs will make "hollow horns." If a cow's coat loses its gloss and is rough and staring give her from one-half to one pound of epsom salts, a cupful of molasses and a tablespoonful of ginger dissolved in a quart of water. Keep her warm and increase her feed, adding roots and linseed meal.

**Chick Food, Oyster Shell, Grit, all Poultry Supplies at J. E. Stewart & Co. 4-30**

## None So Blind As He Who Will Not See

By MOSS.



**BLIND** mistakes are pitiful, but usually preventable. Take the bicchle-ride of mercury poisoning cases which the papers have been full of recently. The sight of a person facing sure death within a week and arranging his earthly affairs calmly and coolly arouses one's pity. At the same time one usually thinks that the victim should have known better.

Blind mistakes in buying are also pitiful and also usually preventable.

Blind buying leads to **DIS-SATISFACTION AND WASTE.** Blind buying increases your **COST OF LIVING.**

It isn't pleasant to have your pocketbook sagged and get little for your money.

Avoid making blind mistakes in buying. Don't rely on the man who is in business for a day. Rely on the man who advertises **REGULARLY AND HONESTLY** in this paper.

### ALFALFA.

- What makes the landscape look so fair?
- What blossoms bright perfume the air?
- What plant repays the farmer's toil, And will enrich the wornout soil?
- Alfalfa!
- What is the crop that always pays, Which may be cut each forty days, Resisting drought, the frost and heat?
- Whose roots reach down full twenty feet?
- Alfalfa!
- What grows in loam and clay and sand?
- What lifts the mortgage off the land?
- What crop is cut three times a year, And of never a failure do you hear?
- Alfalfa!
- What makes the swine so healthy feed, And never raise a hungry squeal?
- The wholesome food that never fails To put three curts into their tails?
- Alfalfa!
- What makes all other stock look nice, And brings the highest market price?
- What fills the milk pails, feeds the calf, And makes the old cow almost laugh?
- Alfalfa!

An Ohio man complains that his wife has left him thirteen times. No details as to the trouble are given, but we suspect that he plays the accordion.

Spring is on its way unless the wild ducks have made a mistake, which, however, is an instance where the "quacks" are to be regarded as authorities.

Women are now to be admitted to the Moslem university. Coeducation in Turkey! When they finally become militant, consider the man with seven wives!

An estimate is printed that \$175,000,000 is invested in Swiss hotels. American tourists can easily figure from this what interest they are supposed to pay.

**Cultivator for Sale Cheap**

John Deere 2 horse cultivator for sale cheap or would exchange for double disc plow. Bran new. Never been used. Inquire at this office.

**Horses for Sale**

Forty head of good work horses, 4 and 5 years old, for sale; weight from 1050 to 1300 pounds. Will be sold at right prices. G. H. Russell, Prineville, Or. 3-5

**For your Fishing Tackle go to J. E. Stewart & Co.**

### Standing of Contestants in the \$400 Piano Contest

For Week Ending May 6, 1914

No.	Vote	No.	Vote
5	858 695	90	40 560
6	479 110	100	7 890
11	10 280	102	37 330
12	130 885	118	154 485
13	656 670	124	116 550
18	4 690	127	37 045
23	200 865	138	32 320
24	12 920	140	122 140
25	473 010	143	73 760
26	50 885	144	1 482 440
27	190 010	158	135 405
28	178 950	159	6 800
29	291 265	160	18 240
27	13 690	162	173 890
78	166 960	163	3 150
79	292 555	164	7 845
89	45 985	165	491 425

### Summons

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Crook county.

George Summers, plaintiff,

vs.

Mary Connolly, Katherine Hastings, Dan Hastings, William Hastings, Pat Hastings and all heirs at law of John Hastings, deceased, and all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, interest, estate or lien in the real estate described herein, defendants.

To Mary Connolly, Katherine Hastings, Dan Hastings, William Hastings, Pat Hastings, deceased, and all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, interest, estate or lien in the real estate described herein, the above named defendants:

In the name of the state of Oregon, You are hereby notified that George Summers, the holder of Certificate of Delinquency numbered 1 issued on the 4th day of October, 1914, by the tax collector of the county of Crook, state of Oregon, for the amount of Eighteen and sixty hundredths (\$18.60) dollars, the same being the amount then due and delinquent for taxes for the year 1910, together with penalty, interest and costs thereon upon the real property assessed to you, of which you are the owner as appears of record, situated in said county and state, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

The northwest quarter -1/4- of the southwest quarter -1/4- of the southwest quarter -1/4- of section one-1-, the north half -1/2- of the northwest quarter -1/2- and the northeast quarter -1/4- of the northwest quarter -1/4- of section twelve -12-, all in township eleven -11- south, range fourteen -14- E. W. M.

You are further notified that said George Summers has paid taxes on said premises for prior or subsequent years with the rate of interest on said amounts as follows:

Tax for year 1909, paid May 2, 1910, tax receipt No. 3776, amount \$12.87, rate of interest 15 per cent.

Tax for year 1910, date paid Oct. 14, 1911, tax receipt No. 3948, amount \$18.00, rate of interest 15 per cent.

Tax for year 1911, paid Jan. 5, 1913, tax receipt No. 4744, amount \$85.75, rate of interest 15 per cent.

Tax for year 1912, paid Sept. 20, 1913, tax receipt No. 3842, amount paid \$24. rate of interest 15 per cent.

Tax for year 1913, paid March 20th, 1914, tax receipt No. 2389, amount \$21.11, rate of interest 15 per cent.

Said Mary Connolly, Katherine Hastings, Dan Hastings, William Hastings, Pat Hastings, and all heirs at law of John Hastings, deceased, and all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, interest, estate or lien in the real estate described herein, defendants, as the owner of the legal title of the above described property as the same appears of record, and each of the other persons above named are hereby further notified that George Summers will apply to the circuit court of the county and state aforesaid for a decree foreclosing the lien against the property above described and mentioned in said certificate. And you are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the first publication of the summons exclusive of the day of said first publication, and defend this action or pay the amount due as above shown together with costs and accrued interest and in case of your failure to do so, a decree will be rendered foreclosing the lien of said taxes and costs against the land and premises above named.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable G. Springer, judge of the county court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Crook, and said order was made and dated this 3rd day of June, 1914, and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 4th day of June, 1914.

All process and papers in this proceeding may be served upon the undersigned residing within the state of Oregon, at the address hereafter mentioned.

Date of the first publication hereof is the 6th day of August, 1914.

WILLARD H. WIRTZ,  
District Attorney and Attorney for the Plaintiff. Address: Prineville, Oregon.

**Gasoline Engine Cheap**

2 1/2 h.p. Fairbanks-Morse. For sale cheap for cash. Inquire at Journal Office.

**Mrs. Wright's Confectionery Store**

Fresh home-made candies always in stock. Soft drinks of all kinds Ice cream. Agent for American Lady Tailoring Co. Prices lower than ever.

**Mrs. J. N. Wright, Prop.**