

**NOV 1920**  
SUNDAY TUE WED THUR FRID SAT  
1 2 3 4 5 6  
7 8 9 10 11 12 13  
14 15 16 17 18 19 20  
21 22 23 24 25 26 27  
28 29 30

**The most successful men in the United States are the Largest Advertisers. Think it over and call 611. "Everybody Reads the Journal Ads."**

**CROOK COUNTY JOURNAL**

**ROY LAFOLLETTE,**  
Editor and Publisher

**MARTHA GILLET, Society Editor.**

Entered at the postoffice at Prineville, Oregon as second-class matter.

**PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY**

Price \$2.00 per year, payable strictly in advance. In case of change of address please notify us at once, giving both old and new address.

Foreign Advertising Representative  
**THE AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION**

**OUT OF ORDER**

The Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company this week filed with the public service commission of Oregon an application for increased rates for the telephones throughout the state.

In their application they state that they are not making money, that the increase of thirty percent, which in this locality appears to be almost double the present rates, would net them an increase of more than a million dollars, which they deem necessary for their business, and would allow the extension of the service in many ways.

They estimate the present value of their properties in the state at something more than thirteen million dollars, and following the example of the railroads are asking for a "fair" return on their estimated valuation.

Not one man in twenty today in business would protest against a guaranteed net return of 8 percent on his investment, and the average man would like to have the state or federal government get behind their earnings to that extent.

The entire move is out of tune with the present trend of things. A readjustment is on, and salaries, materials and all other commodities that these people buy will no doubt be greatly reduced during the next three or four months.

Of course the entire matter is up to the public service commission, and their decision will be satisfactory to the people, but it is not probable that they will give the proposition serious consideration.

The proposed increase on country telephones in this district would be from \$1.50 per month to \$2.50, and on business lines, single party lines, from \$3.75 per month to \$4.25 per month.

A few months ago the people might have been agreeable to such an increase without much protest, but today it seems that the move is out of keeping with the trend of things, and one that the telephone people would do well to forget.

**EVERY AUTOMOBILIST KNOWS**

That the people with him on the trip are going to let him pay for the means.

That if he acquires a punctured tire, nobody but himself will fix it.

That the people with him will tell of perfectly lovely trips they have had in expensive cars and how easy they ride.

That the most nervous lady in the party will insist upon sitting in the front seat with him to call his attention to obstacles in the road.

That the squeaks and rattles in the car will be mentioned first by the guests and somebody will say: "That's the way with these cheap cars."

That he will be allowed to carry the baskets to the picnicking place and go two miles for the water.

That if he suffers a break twenty-seven miles from home his guests will catch the trolley for two and leave him stand guard over his automobile until the mechanic comes.

That nobody will make a motion toward the pocket book when he has to stop at a filling station for gas-oil.

**COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS**

At the regular November term of the County Court of Crook County, the following officers were present, to-wit: N. G. Wallace, Judge; Hugh Lister, Commissioner, E. T. Luthy, Commissioner, and Asa W. Battles, County Clerk.

The following proceedings were had, to-wit: Budget Estimate for 1921: Tentative Budget prepared and ordered published. Final Hearing to be had at the December Term.

License for Dance Hall: A License for Public Dance Hall was issued to the Powell Butte Cooperative Improvement Association. Same expires December 31, 1920.

In the Matter of Transfer of General Funds to High School Fund: Clerk was ordered to draw warrant to cover Crook County's share of Expense in building Community Pump Plant.

The following bills were allowed:

H. E. Stewart, Juror, (Oct.)	\$17.00
J. E. Roberts, same	10.00
Joe Bryson, same	15.00
A. T. Bogue, same	9.80
Anton Carlson same	12.50
J. R. Post, same	12.10
C. C. Dunham same	19.00
S. D. Mustard, same	8.00
A. W. Bayn, same	13.80
Lee Blevins, same	19.40
Price Coshow, same	7.00
Clarence A. Baker same	6.00
Ellis McKinnon, same	10.80
J. A. McClun, same	7.20
A. B. Carey, same	15.80
Norris Morgan, same	11.20
P. A. Munro, same	10.00
Orrin C. Mills, same	25.00
L. M. Hodges, same	12.70
L. W. Bennett, same	18.00
Selwin Montgomery, same	12.60
E. R. Agee, same	8.80
J. W. Demaris, same	11.40
Roy H. McCord, same	10.40
Wm. Fleming, same	16.40
E. P. Luthy, same	16.40
G. P. Reams, same	6.00
Roas R. Robinson, same	6.00
H. W. Howard, same	6.00
Olvin Thompson, Grand Jury witness, Oct. Term	\$32.00
Ruby Switzler, same	18.40
Edna Smith, same	19.40
Thomas Wainawit, same	29.50
J. C. Houston, same	17.60
Sumner Houston, same	15.60
Fred Liskey, same	15.00
G. A. Nichols, same	56.00
W. E. Clarno, same	29.00
Clarence Mertsching, work in Clerk's Office	18.25
Tum-A-Lum Lumber Co., lumber for machine shed	141.40
H. A. Kelley, Surveyor's fees, etc.	171.32
Willard H. Wirtz, stamped envelopes, etc.	22.01
Henry Pickett, Inquest, Elias Fowler	5.90
G. M. Meyer, Juror, Fowler Inq.	1.00
E. L. Rose, same	1.00
Chas. A. Sherman, same	1.10
Effie Sherman, same	1.10
Calvin Sherman, same	1.10
Robert Short, same	1.10
F. D. Scammon, witness Fowler Inquest	1.50
F. H. Watson, same	1.50
J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co., Floor brushes	24.42
Glass & Prudhomme Co., supplies for officers	80.68
J. H. Rosenberg, cash advanced pauper	10.00
The Call, ballots	173.11
Deschutes Power Co., lights	

and Water	55.00
Ireland's Transfer, Express for Clerk and Supt.	4.03
Howard Drug Co., Mdse for Supt.	1.25
G. W. Lippincott, Meals for Prisoners	42.50
S. B. Ellis, water master	94.76
Prineville Drug Co., Mdse. for poor	9.00
John Zeek, special dep. sheriff	21.00
Joseph Geil, car hire large party case	10.00
John Hoover, spec. dep. sheriff	15.00
John Combs, Official expense	42.50
Otto Sontag, Lunches	4.10
A. W. Bayn, Clothing for Juvenile ward	54.02
N. G. Wallace, Official Expense	\$1.95
Multnomah County, Care of Tonar, Gordon and Bush	94.50
Newell Motor Sales Co., Car hire for Sheriff	10.00
Asa W. Battles, Stamps and Phone	17.95
J. E. Myers, office exp.	29.50
Crook County Journal, Publishing Proceedings, etc.	192.45
Clyde Hoover, carpenter work machinery shed	194.75
John Bostwick, same	131.75
H. J. Lister, Commissioner's fees	49.00
Permanent Road Fund	
A. Guthrie & Co., Inc. Fencing Crooked River Highway	619.14
Herbert Hamilton, driving truck	3.00
General Road Fund	
J. E. Stewart, nails	2.50
Tum-A-Lum Lumber Co. lumber by Truesdale	19.60
D. W. Grimes, work on Coshow culvert	20.00
D. E. Hobwood, building crossing	50.00
H. W. Howard, Gas	11.80
Inland Auto Co., Gas, Repairs, etc.	71.78
Motor Inn, repairing truck	12.90
Farrands Repair Shop, Lace leather for tractor belt	2.65
(County Court Proceedings Cont)	
Howard-Cooper Corp., Scarifier, etc.	131.68
Standard Oil Co., Gas	253.58
Frank Mertsching, Road work	54.90
D. H. Matthews, driving tractor	91.83
Tum-A-Lum Lumber Co., lumber	36.70
Market Road Fund	
Alex Boyd, road work	134.90
O. A. Summers, road work	27.45
Frank Mertsching, road work	79.27
Steve Green, road work	44.85
D. H. Mathews, driving tractor	64.82
Oregon State Highway Commission, repairs for tractor	30.08
Standard Oil Co., gas and oil	263.41
High School Fund	
Lakin Hardware, supplies	51.20
Prineville Drug Co., supplies	2.10
Orville E. Shultz, janitor work	4.00
J. K. Gill Co., books	7.00
F. S. Grant, janitor work	22.00
Chester McKinzie, janitor work	9.60
Tum-A-Lum Lumber Co., lumber	65.05
Deschutes Power Co., light and water	13.35
T. J. Minger, labor	5.75
Michel Grocery Co., supplies	
Dom. Sc.	29.76
Crook County, Wiring pump house	29.05
Cornett & Co., supplies	3.31
Gray's Dairy, milk	3.25
V. C. Shippee, stencilling and kalsomining	43.25

Explained.  
"Pa, what is a dead letter?" "A letter that died at its post, my son."

**Cornett Stage Co.**  
Stages leave Prineville and Paulina Daily  
except Sunday  
Office with Ochoco Creamery

**It's a cinch to figure why Camels sell!**

**Camel CIGARETTES**

You should know why Camels are so unusual, so refreshing, so satisfying *First, quality—second, Camels*—a part blend of choice Turkish and choice Domestic tobaccos which you'll certainly prefer to either kind smoked straight!

Camels blend makes possible that wonderful mellow mildness—yet all the desirable body is there! And, Camels never tire your taste!

You'll appreciate Camels freedom from any unpleasant cigarette after-taste or unpleasant cigarette odor!

For your own satisfaction compare Camels puff by puff with any cigarette in the world at any price!

Camels are sold everywhere in scientifically sealed packages of 20 cigarettes for 20 cents; or ten packages 100 cigarettes in a glass-paned cigarette case. We strongly recommend this case for the home or office supply or when you travel.

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO CO., Winston-Salem, N. C.

<p><b>Wealth and Happiness.</b> "A man who says wealth doesn't bring happiness," said Jud Tunkin, "never saw a small boy who found a quarter in the street just as he was passing a candy store."</p>	<p><b>One-Foot Oyster in Australia.</b> The largest oyster in the world are found in Australia. They measure sometimes more than a foot across the shell.</p>	<p><b>Chess vs. Education.</b> There is also the Moslem savage (in Egypt) who, in spite of his being totally illiterate, will take on the more thoughtful type of Cambridge-bred subaltern at chess and beat him.—London Spectator.</p>
<p><b>Gladstone and Homer.</b> Gladstone firmly believed that Homer was a real man describing historical events.</p>	<p><b>Paper Devoted to Rheumatism.</b> One of the oldest periodicals in the world is a monthly paper devoted entirely to the interests of rheumatic sufferers.</p>	<p><b>Plain Truth.</b> One of the sublimest things in this world is plain truth.—Coleridge.</p>

**TRADE DEPENDS ON BANKING**

Where would the modern commercial world be without it? Every enterprise, every forward step has to be financed by commercial banks. We can help you finance your own business. Give us the opportunity to do so.

**CROOK COUNTY BANK**