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## BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

### Regular January Term of the County Board.

J. R. Morton, John Lewellen and T. B. Killin, Commissioners.

(Continued from last week.)

In the matter of Godfred Smalley asking for aid from the county. Now comes Mr. Smalley and represents and shows to the board that Godfred Smalley is a man upwards of 70 years of age and wholly without means of support and the board being fully advised, it is ordered that said Godfred Smalley have \$8 per month until further ordered.

In the matter of the taxes of Katie Kueckenberg. This matter coming upon petition and the board being fully advised, it is ordered that Katie Kueckenberg be and is hereby allowed to pay taxes upon 80 acres of land of section 13, T 4 S, R 4 E, in the amounts and for the years as follows, to-wit: For the year 1893, \$11.20; 1895, \$5.34; 1896, \$5.31; 1898, \$4.28; 1899, \$4.90; total, \$31.53.

In the matter of the tax rebate of J. S. Smith. The matter coming upon the petition of J. S. Smith for a rebate upon delinquent taxes bought at tax sale by him and assessed and erroneously sold by the sheriff, and the board being fully advised, it is ordered that said petition be granted in the sum of \$5 only and the clerk draw a warrant for said amount.

Board now adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Friday, January 11, 1901.

The board now met pursuant to adjournment, the commissioners and officers present.

In the matter of the acceptance of the franchise of the Oregon City and Southern Railway Company by G. C. Fields, president.

"The Oregon City & Southern Railway Company, a corporation, pursuant to a resolution of its board of directors, directing its president, the undersigned, so to do, hereby accepts the franchise granted by the board of commissioners of Clackamas county, state of Oregon, by order of said board, dated January 10th, 1901, and which order is recorded in journal 19 on page 317, 319 and 320. Dated this January 11, 1901.

"The Oregon City & Southern Railway Company, by G. C. Fields, president.

In the matter of bonds for petitioning and opening roads. It is ordered that the board will exact a good and sufficient bond upon all petitions for location or re-location of roads and in case said road or roads are not allowed or located the bondmen will be required to pay all costs.

In the matter of the contingent fund appearing to the board that the contingent fund has become depleted, therefore, it is ordered that the treasurer set apart \$100 from the general fund into the contingent fund.

In matter of the E. Wehslein private road. Now at this time this matter coming on to be heard in open court there being present J. R. Morton, chairman of the board of county commissioners, John Lewellen, and Thomas B. Killin, county commissioners, and it appearing to the said board of commissioners from the sworn petition of Mrs. E. Wehslein that he is the owner of and has a residence upon the following described real estate to-wit: Beginning at a point 11:33 chains west of the south east corner of the Hugh Currin D. L. C. No. 40, being of the land sold to John Atkins in T 3 S, R 4 E, of the Willamette Meridian; running thence west 3.35 chains; thence south 89 degrees 30 minutes west 13 chains; thence north 19 degrees 30 minutes east 2.45 chains; thence north 19 degrees 30 minutes east 13.74 chains; thence south 16 degrees east 19.53 chains to place of beginning. That her said residence and property is not reached by any public road heretofore provided by law and that it is necessary that the public and herself should have ingress and egress to and from her said premises and residence. It is therefore ordered that A. W. Cooke, Willard Boring and Ed Siefert, three disinterested free holders of Clackamas county, Oregon, be appointed as viewers to meet at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. on the 22nd day of January, 1901, on the said premises to view and locate a road 30 feet in width from premises and residence of the said Mrs. E. Wehslein to some other county road across property of Nancy E. Shankland and Geo. J. Currin, or the property of either or both of them, so as to do the least damage therefor.

In the matter of bills for road district No. 8:  
F. J. Walkley.....\$2.00  
C. U. Barlow & Co.....2.40  
Geo. B. Rate & Co.....9.75

In the matter of estate of Benjamin Hendrickson, deceased. Now comes Albina Hendrickson, the administratrix of the estate of Benjamin Hendrickson, deceased, and asks the board for a rebate of \$2.50, upon the probate fee in probating said estate and it appearing to the board that the fee paid for probating said estate was \$7.50, the lawful fee for an estate in the amount of \$1000, but that the inventory of said estate shows said estate to be worth the sum of \$850 and that the lawful fees for same would only be \$5, therefore it is ordered that Albina Hendrickson, administratrix of the estate of Benjamin Hendrickson have a rebate of \$2.50 on said matter and that the clerk issue a warrant for same.

In the petition of R. H. Long and E. C. Shultz for cancellation of tax. This matter coming on the applicants appearing by G. B. Dimick, their attorney, and the board being fully advised, it is ordered that the delinquent tax of R. H. Long and E. C. Shultz as appears on delinquent roll, volume 1, page 28, be and hereby is cancelled.

In the matter of the petition of E. E. Charman for tax rebate from school district No. 48. This matter coming upon petition of E. E. Charman filed herein and the board being fully advised, it is ordered that said petition be granted in the sum of \$17.33 and that the clerk issue a warrant for said amount.

In the matter of James Wilson, an indigent person and a non-resident of Clackamas county. This matter coming on for consideration and it appearing to the board that James Wilson while passing through Oregon City, Clackamas county Oregon, on a train of the Southern Pacific Co.'s line during the month of August, 1900, was thrown or fell from the car and seriously injured and being in destitute circumstances, it became necessary that he should have surgical treatment and hospital care and that such surgical and hospital care was furnished by Clackamas county and that the bills for same paid by Clackamas county up to January 7, 1901, amount to \$121. Therefore it is ordered that the clerk of the board forward a bill for the sum of \$121 to the secretary of state for surgical treatment and hospital care for said James Wilson as provided for in section 3950 of the laws of Oregon.

In the matter of the mileage and per diem of the county commissioners. It is ordered by the board that the per diem and mileage for the commissioners be allowed as follows:  
J. R. Morton, 6 days and 20 miles \$20.00  
John Lewellen, 8 days " 2 " 24.20  
T. B. Killin, 6 " 42 " 22.20

In the matter of the officers reports for the month of December 1900. The officers having made their reports and the board having examined their books and being fully advised, it is ordered that the same be in all respects accepted and approved. They show collection as follows:  
County clerk.....\$172.75  
County recorder.....202.15

In the matter of the deed of Catherine O. Forbes and L. A. Forbes to Clackamas county. This matter coming on and it appearing to the board that Catherine O. Forbes and L. A. Forbes have a strip of land to Clackamas county for a public highway it is ordered that said deed be accepted and recorded.

In the matter of the petition of Polly Ann Davis to pay delinquent taxes. This matter coming upon petition of Polly Ann Davis, by A. S. Dresser, her attorney, and the court being fully advised said petition is her by granted and the same petitioners allowed to pay said delinquent taxes as follows: 1893 tax in the amount of \$16.15, 1885 tax \$404; 1890 tax \$3.61, total \$23.80.

The board now adjourned to meet Wednesday, January 23, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Wednesday, January 23.

The board now convenes pursuant to adjournment, the commissioners and officers present as of yesterday, when the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

In the matter of the claims presented:  
J. C. Haines, J. P. court.....\$3.00  
Archie Coon.....2.00  
J. C. Haines, Jr.....2.00  
Louis Funk.....3.00  
Geo. Heinbothem.....2.00  
Aug. Funk.....1.80  
Moran & Henkle, r and b.....13.00  
Shank & Bissell, pauper.....1.55  
Glas & Prudhomme, stationary.....2.50  
Harling Grange, election.....145.00  
J. U. Bramhall, r and b.....58.00  
Ina M. Chase, clerk.....15.18

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Dan Harleby.....4.87  
Thos. Dunn.....4.50  
Paul Dunn.....5.80  
Stillman Andrews.....3.37  
F. A. Shetterly.....1.12  
Fred Wagner.....15.18

In the matter of the petition of W. R. Ellis for payment of taxes for 1899. It appearing to the court from the records that the assessment of W. R. Ellis, page 58, volume 2, of assessment roll, 1899, is vague and likely would be held void in a contest and the full tax \$60.91 being tendered, it is ordered that the same be accepted in full payment of said tax and the cost and penalty is hereby remitted. The clerk is authorized to accept said sum and issue a redemption certificate to W. R. Ellis.

Thursday, January 24.

In the matter of the jury list for the year 1901. It is ordered by the board that the following named citizens and tax payers of Clackamas county, state of Oregon, be and they are hereby selected as the jury list for the year 1901:

NAME.	OCCUPATION.	PRECINCT.
G. H. Oldenburg, farmer.....		Abernethy
W. H. Smith, farmer.....		"
P. Harris, farmer.....		"
L. Hackett, farmer.....		"
John Straight, farmer.....		"
Charles Dauchy, carpenter.....		"
Wm. Ranch, merchant.....		"
John Meldrum, farmer.....		"
George Waldron, farmer.....		"
George Hess, farmer.....		"
J. C. Frye, farmer.....		Barlow
Henry Zeigler, farmer.....		"
Ohris Kocher, farmer.....		"
John C. Mark, farmer.....		"
Henry Hornshuh, farmer.....		Beaver Crk
Henry Hughes, farmer.....		"
Ohas. E. Spencer, farmer.....		"
Thomas Duffy, farmer.....		"
James Greyham, farmer.....		"
Frank Jagger, farmer.....		"
John Richie, farmer.....		Boring
Wm. Boring, farmer.....		"
John Wright, farmer.....		Canyon Crk
U. S. Dix, millman.....		"
Herman Burns, farmer.....		Cascade
John Dunan, farmer.....		"
John Kevente, farmer.....		"
Raul Dunn, farmer.....		"
S. T. Fisher, farmer.....		Canby
Adam Enright, farmer.....		"
Halay Phelps, farmer.....		"
G. W. Shank, farmer.....		"
Herman Lee, farmer.....		"
D. R. Dimick, liveryman.....		"
J. S. Dix, farmer.....		"
John Evans, farmer.....		"
Wm. Phillips, farmer.....		Clackamas
Marion Johnson, farmer.....		"
E. F. Capps, farmer.....		"
John M. Harting, farmer.....		"
A. Mather, merchant.....		"
F. W. Younner, farmer.....		"
G. H. Webster, farmer.....		"
Pleasant Deshields, farmer.....		"
Silas Hedges, farmer.....		Cherryville
C. C. Williams, farmer.....		Canemah
George Lazells, farmer.....		"
R. W. Porter, blacksmith.....		"
Chas. E. Midlam, millright.....		"
Frank Bates, farmer.....		Damascus
Wm. Ulrich, farmer.....		"
F. W. Osburn, farmer.....		"
S. C. Young, farmer.....		"
Ed Seifer, farmer.....		"
Fred Wellman, farmer.....		"
Fred Weis, farmer.....		"
Henry Breithaupt, farmer.....		"
Wm. Johnson, farmer.....		"
A. E. Alepauch, miller.....		Eagle Crk
Hugh Githens, farmer.....		"
H. F. Gibson, farmer.....		"
G. B. Linn, farmer.....		"
D. M. Marshall, farmer.....		Garfield
Thomas Yokum, millman.....		"
John Tracy, farmer.....		"
Hans Paulsen, farmer.....		George
J. O. Spague, farmer.....		Harding
I. L. Clark, farmer.....		"
James M. Tracy, farmer.....		"
Wm. H. Tompkins, farmer.....		"

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