

# COOS BAY TIMES

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## TUT, TUT, MR. BAKER

"Public ownership of public utilities," says Mayor Baker of Cleveland, "has been proved efficient and economic in our city, but the large corporations have twisted the figures and facts in such a way as to prove their own arguments."

**T**H TUT, tut! How can Mayor Baker say anything so harsh as that? Doesn't he know that the public utilities live only to prevent the people from going broke by attempting foolishly to own their own utilities?

## HATING THE PRESIDENCY

**T**HE man who seeks the presidency is a fool for his pains," President Wilson remarked last week. Other Presidents have felt the same way. When John Quincy Adams was elected President, his father, John Adams, Washington's successor, said: "No man who ever held the office of President would congratulate a friend on obtaining it. He will make one man ungrateful and a hundred men his enemies for every office he can bestow."

## COLUMBIA HIGHWAY.

Great Scenic Route from Pendleton to Astoria is Assured.

ASTORIA, Or., Nov. 25.—That the Columbia Highway will be opened from Pendleton to Astoria July 1, 1915, is asserted by State Engineer Howley, who is preparing his annual report. Figures show that a vast amount of work was done under the supervision of the state highway commission during the past year. This work was done in the counties of Jackson, Clatsop, Columbia, Multnomah, Hood River, Wasco, Sherman and Washington.

A total of \$920,000 was spent this year on the Columbia Highway between Wasco and Seaside, and there will be available to be spent before July 1 next year \$670,000. There will be provided by July 1, 97 miles of newly located and constructed graded road of a maximum grade of five per cent; width of roadbed, 24 feet, and curves with a minimum radius of 200 feet. The work in Clatsop county is eighty per cent completed and that in Columbia is 75 per cent completed.

## WEYERHAUSERS SEEK MILL.

All-Water Outlet for White Pine of Clearwater Belt in Prospect.

ASTORIA, Or., Nov. 26.—The Weyerhaeuser interests, owning 20 billion feet of fine white pine timber in the Clearwater district of Idaho, are looking for a mill site either at the mouth of the Snake River in Washington or on the Clearwater River in Idaho, now that all year transportation facilities on the Snake and Columbia Rivers is assured by the work of the Columbia and Snake River Waterways Association.

These facts were made known in a letter received by Wallace R. Struble, secretary and treasurer of the association, written by S. V. Winslow, captain of the dredge Umallia, which is engaged in blasting obstructions from the Columbia and Snake rivers. Captain Winslow also stated that the special good roads and docks committee of the association, with Samuel Hill as chairman, was considering a warehouse site at Biggs, near the Celilo Canal, as a center from which to begin the construction of a trunk highway into the rich wheat country of the interior.

## FERGUSON IS FREED

Gardiner Man Suspected of Getting Loom Lake Money Freed.

The Roseburg News says: "James Ferguson, who was accused by Ray Dunch of having received the money he stole from Frank Khuen, was released by the local officers Sunday evening, although Sheriff Quinn was very reluctant about doing so, as he was firmly convinced of the fact that Ferguson has the money. Arrangements had been made for his release Saturday night and he was so informed but he declined to leave the jail until Sunday night. The blame lies with the committing magistrate at Gardiner who knew of the reputation of Ferguson and should never have placed him in charge of Bunch."

## BLOODED GOATS BOUGHT.

Tuesday J. W. Ford, Jr., received two fine blooded Angora goats which he will take to Tillamook Lake, where he now has a herd of goats. These goats took blue ribbons at the Lane County Fair this fall.—Florence Pilot.

# PROCEEDINGS OF COUNTY COURT

Continued from Wednesday.

J. R. Benham, labor	1.25	O. J. Huff, Labor	20.00
J. R. Benham, team	1.25	W. C. Ramsey, Labor	45.00
W. M. Laird, labor	2.50	W. H. Huff, Labor	50.00
James DeVault, labor	5.00	Frazer Hoffman, Labor	51.25
J. H. Laird, labor	5.00	J. F. Strong, Labor	36.00
E. N. Harry, labor	7.50	H. Barklow, Labor	35.00
M. C. Miller, labor	28.75	L. E. Ross, Labor	2.50
L. Oland, labor	26.25	G. A. Huff, Labor	2.50
E. P. S. Abernathy, labor	17.50	A. Hoyt, Labor	6.25
M. C. Miller, team	2.50	Clarence Strong, Labor	10.00
L. E. Oland, labor	7.50	Thomas Knight, Labor	12.50
Ed Marcy, labor	1.25	T. M. Stover, Labor	6.25
Ed Marcy, team	1.25		
O. L. Harry, team	1.25		
Road District No. 24.			
C. J. Haugensen, Road Plank	6.70		
Bandon Hardware Co., Supplies	20.05		
R. R. Davis, Supvr.	62.50		
H. Davis, Labor	26.25		
W. B. Haynes, Labor	26.25		
J. F. Alumbaugh, Labor	3.75		
Road District No. 25.			
Isaac Barklow, Hauling gravel	51.25		
W. J. Hammond, Shoveling gravel	14.37		
Leander Barklow, Shoveling gravel	10.00		
E. W. Jones, Shoveling gravel	3.75		
J. E. Stone, Shoveling gravel	16.25		
John Barklow, Shoveling gravel	7.50		
A. M. Snyder, Hauling gravel	20.00		
Road District No. 27.			
Huling, Lundy & Sons, Hardware	4.75		
P. L. Phelan, Lumber	50.25		
E. E. Johnson, Lumber	51.17		
Geo. Houghton, Team Work	41.85		
W. R. Houghton, Labor	23.12		
R. W. Houghton, Labor	23.12		
W. S. Riley, Labor	6.25		
R. O. Green, Labor	29.65		
A. J. Radabaugh, Labor	30.90		
A. J. Radabaugh, Team	22.20		
W. R. Houghton, Team	12.50		
Road District No. 28.			
L. Strong, Supplies	4.30		
G. T. Hermann, Team	72.50		
F. G. Hermann, Labor	25.00		
Alvin Billings, Labor	36.25		
W. T. Dement, Team	47.50		
Wm. Dye, Team	27.50		
Henry Fisher, Team	67.50		
Clarence Huff, Labor	33.75		
O. Parry, Labor	35.00		
John Hensley, Labor	23.75		
Patrick Geaney, Labor	31.25		
G. T. Hermann, Labor	52.50		
W. B. Anderson, Labor	52.50		
Ed Phillips, Labor	10.00		
Road District No. 29.			
A. R. Mercer, Labor	5.00		
C. C. Johnson, Supvr.	37.50		
B. F. Stage, Labor	19.00		
C. S. Stage, Labor	16.00		
Carl W. Johnson, Labor	16.00		
John Manfolk, Labor	16.00		
Road District No. 30.			
Coquille Hardware Co., Hardware	8.10		
W. T. Culbertson, Labor	53.10		
P. L. Lasswell, Labor	56.25		
T. N. Boone, Labor	29.00		
J. C. Frye, Labor	36.25		
L. D. Johnson, Labor	7.50		
A. L. Jackson, Labor	49.35		
A. L. Brown, Labor	6.25		
Sam Stout, Supvr.	111.25		
Mason Wilcox, Labor	2.50		
Road District No. 31.			
Coquille Hardware Co., Hardware	1.25		
Claud Waters, Hauling Rock	35.00		
Roy Stout, Shoveling	10.00		
C. Waters, Spreading rock	32.50		
I. Chandler, Hauling rock	30.00		
Walter Myers, Hauling rock	5.00		
J. S. Clinton, Shoveling	11.25		
Clay Byers, Shoveling	15.00		
Frank Byers, Shoveling	11.25		
Robert Byers, Shoveling	10.00		
Cleve Sumnerlin, Shoveling	10.00		
Carl Burger, Shoveling	5.00		
East Marshfield Ferry.			
Alex Hall, Master	75.00		
E. C. Steckel, Engineer	75.00		
George Rhoda, Deckhand	45.00		
Frank L. Lowe, Material	2.15		
M. L. Curry, Repairs	6.75		
Union Oil Co. of Calif., Oil and Dist.	21.75		
Pioneer Hardware Co., Hardware	10.72		
Ben Wright, Labor	1.00		
S. S. Shields, Bullards Ferryman	90.00		
R. J. Holzerstott, Automobile Hire for Rd. Master	14.00		
John F. Hall, Viewing Roads and exp.	4.95		
Henty Freudenzen, Axman with Co. Surveyor	17.50		
Roy R. Wiggins, Axman with Co. Surveyor	13.75		
Albert S. Wyman, Axman with Co. Surveyor	13.75		
The Western World, Pub. Notices of Com.	5.52		
C. A. Smith Timber Co., Lbr., etc., changing road through Baker place	326.34		
R. R. Davis, Labor	20.00		
S. J. Wilson, Labor	10.00		
D. E. Wilson, Labor	8.75		
G. W. Willoughby, Labor	10.60		
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Donation Work, R. D. No. 24.			
B. Willoughby, Labor	6.25		
W. W. Cox, Labor	17.50		
Geo. W. Moore Lbr. Co., Lumber, R. D. No. 19	87.16		
Hazer & Son, Hdw. R. D. No. 3	42.85		
Herman Joseph, Labor	49.25		
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