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COMMISSIONERS' COURT.

List of Business Transacted at the Special Term.

TOLEDO, Or., Nov. 7, 1903.

Commissioners' Court for Lincoln County met in special session. Present Hon. C. M. Brown, Judge; Hon. F. M. Stanton and Hon. George King, Commissioners; Ira Wade, County Clerk; H. Ross, Sheriff.

In the matter of the leasing of the Salmon River road. The only bid submitted to the Court, as by law required, was that of Dr. W. Tyler Smith and E. E. Goucher, which bid was duly read and accompanied by an undertaking, as by law provided. In said bid the said W. Tyler Smith and E. E. Goucher offered to lease said road and convert the same into a toll road, as by law provided, and to charge toll thereon, on the basis of unit of toll 2 1/2 cents per hog, and according to Bellinger's and Stanton's Annotated Laws of Oregon. And legal notice of the time and place when and where said sealed bids should be opened and passed upon have been given in the LINCOLN COUNTY LEADER, a newspaper of weekly publication and general circulation in Lincoln County, Oregon. All the requirements of the law having been complied with in regard to leasing of said road, and the Court being fully advised in the premises, it is ordered and adjudged that the lease for the leasing of said road be and the same is hereby awarded to the said W. Tyler Smith and E. E. Goucher, their bid being the lowest and best bid offered or filed in the Court; and it is further ordered that the said W. Tyler Smith and E. E. Goucher enter into a lease with said Lincoln County for the leasing of said road and make and file an undertaking with the clerk of this Court for the faithful performance of the lease or contract in relation to said road and compliance with the provisions of chapter XI of Bellinger's and Cotton's Code of Oregon; and it is further ordered that the county Surveyor re-survey that portion of said Salmon River road leased to W. Tyler Smith and E. E. Goucher, and file in said Lincoln County.

C. M. BROWN, County Judge, F. M. STANTON, Commissioner, GEORGE KING, Commissioner.

In the matter of the semi-annual report of Sheriff, Clerk and Treasurer. Approved.

In the matter of the report of H. S. Carter on fill near Curry's place. Accepted.

In the matter of the work on north end of Toledo-Beaver Creek road. Ordered that County appropriate an equal amount with the citizens who donate cash work on said road, and in proportion work progresses. Commissioner King ordered "No."

In the matter of the Chitwood bridge. Ordered that the Commissioners secure modifications and advertise for bids.

BILLS ALLOWED.

Toledo Livery Stable, wood for stall and team 3 1/2 days.....\$11.50

M. Brown, constable fees State vs. Larkey Logan..... 5.00

August Bobell, witness fees State vs. Dole..... 1.50

T. Peterson, plow for Alex Catfish, supervisor district 15..... 15.00

M. Muszynski, services waiting on Wesolowski family..... 20.00

F. Soule, printing for County..... 31.80

Rosebrook, supplies for County..... 10.65

T. M. Dandon, road work..... 4.50

R. Ellsworth et al, fees State vs. Butterfield..... 6.20

M. Brown, Judge, salary for October..... 33.35

George King, Commissioner, per diem and mileage..... 4.40

F. M. Stanton, Commissioner, per diem and mileage..... 7.10

BILLS CONTINUED.

M. Carter, services and mileage on Coroner's inquest of U S Grant..... 8.60

M. Carter, team and rig, going to Siletz to hold inquest of U S Grant..... 3.00

Do D Wood et al, witness fees on inquest of U S Grant..... 19.50

R. Altire, lumber for County..... 9.60

Court adjourned until the regular term in December, 1903.

Approved: C. M. BROWN, Judge, F. M. STANTON, Commissioner, GEORGE KING, Commissioner.

Good evening. Does your roof leak?

Captain Henry Nice of Lutjens was in the city Wednesday.

I. J. Pepin of Chitwood camped in the city last Friday night.

Ike Derrick of Eddyville had business in the city last Saturday.

George Gaby of Elk City was in Toledo Tuesday morning after lumber.

Dr. M. M. Davis of Newport had business in the county seat Tuesday.

Ed Sullivan of Newport was a homebound passenger Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Stewart returned Monday evening from a visit at Portland.

Louie Southwick of Waldport passed through Wednesday morning on a business trip to Corvallis.

Ches Morrison of Morrison was in the city Monday. See his shooting-match invitation in another column.

The holiday season is upon us. Toys, games, dolls, books and appropriate holiday presents at Krogstad's.

W. E. Wann of the Yachats was a passenger homeward Tuesday evening from a business trip to valley points.

U. S. Holgate of Lutjens was in the city Monday night and departed next morning on a business trip to Portland.

Albin Olson of Roots returned last Saturday night from Marysville, Wash., where he has been employed in a logging camp.

August Fischer of Corvallis, the genial editor of the Holy Roller Flouring Mills, was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Commissioner of Labor O. P. Hoff of Salem was in the city Monday night enjoying himself among his brethren of the local Masonic lodge.

The incoming train was delayed about an hour and a half Wednesday evening by a rock slide one mile above Elk City, which broke a rail.

Miss Minnie O'ram, having returned to her home in Toledo, is now prepared to receive orders for crayon and pastel work, fish scale jewelry, etc.

Fred Ross departed Wednesday morning for a tour of inspection of southern Oregon and California and a search for an opportunity. He'll surely find it.

Grit, granulated bone, bone meal, nest eggs and Pratt's Poultry Food are what everybody uses now-a-days who are in the poultry business for the money there is in it. All for sale by Krogstad.

Mrs. C. L. Litchfield came up from Yaquina Wednesday morning, accompanied by her brother, George McCluskey. She will visit at the parental home while Mr. Litchfield is putting a few more improvements on his farm on Devil's Lake.

Merchant George McCaulou and Ed Wade returned last Saturday night from Albany, where the former was united in the unbreakable bonds of sociability with the Elks. Along with his kind he may be legally killed during the month of September, 1904.

The Wade boys have just completed the slashing on a 25 1/2 acre tract on their ranch northeast of Toledo. Ed bossed the job by wireless telephoning, while the lighter work was done by Dye, Jimmie Winskill and other experts. Surveyor Wygant measured the tract and certified to the acreage, lest there be some doubt as to the performance. Improvements of this kind count. The energetic slashers of Lincoln County are setting a good example.

Dr. F. M. Carter of Yaquina returned Monday evening from Philomath, where his family is located for the winter. Mrs. Carter sustained a broken arm last Friday, the result of a fall, and the Doctor was summoned to repair the damage. He reports that the fracture is not very serious.

There is more or less discussion going on relative to the Salmon River toll road. So far as THE LEADER has been able to learn the citizens in the vicinity of the road are in favor of the proposition, and their wishes are certainly entitled to consideration. While all would undoubtedly prefer a good road to Toledo, the county seat, where all have more or less business during the course of a year, the cost of such a highway seems to render it impracticable—or impossible. The commissioners' court has evidently done the best thing possible under the circumstances.

As We Were Saying

Why is it that some writers, who have nothing much to say, can't be content to give it vent in the good old fashioned way? Why can't they deal in choice prose instead of crippled verse that jumps and curves and jars the nerves and breeds a smothered curse? Perhaps no one is kind enough to tell them that their time is thrown away from day to day in making senseless rhyme. Perhaps that when these lines they read 'twill break their dream of bliss, and when their air ideas rare they'll jot them down like this.

Thirteen is an unlucky number all right enough. According to the Portland weather bureau it has been thirteen years since Oregon got such a juicy storm period as that of the past week. It was almost enough to satisfy a man from western Kansas or Nebraska, and more than enough for the natives, who are inclined to grumble if they get less than twelve months of sunshine every year.

Miss May Goelet of New York, the richest girl in America, was married Tuesday to the Duke of Roxburgh of England, who is said to be a bully fellow in spite of his title. We don't blame the Duke, but the loss of such a fine girl and such a wad of money doesn't speak well for the attractiveness and getherativeness of the eligible young men of our great and glorious country.

In desiring to confine the work of a special session to the tax levy law Governor Chamberlain has the correct idea. There is no other business of importance which cannot be deferred until the regular session. Meanwhile our state lawmakers can probably find sufficient legitimate employment to keep them in bread and out of deviltry.

A writer in an English paper declares that many ills to which human flesh is heir are the result of the too constant and liberal use of soap. He does not, however, advocate the abolition of water—a fact which should be noted by all who may decide to cut toilet soap from the list of necessities.

The "Splashes" man on the Portland Telegram can grind out poetry of as good quality as that sent out on fatigue duty by the poet laureate of England. And the readers of the Telegram are just as kind and forgiving as "our kindred beyond the seas."

The Oregonian is the defendant in a \$10,000 libel suit. It will be cheap advertising, even should the Oregonian get stuck for the full amount, but it does seem that a man with a \$10,000 reputation is out of his element on the Portland police force.

Rev. Irl R. Hicks, the famous weathercock of St. Louis, forecast the November weather up to date to a dot, from coast to coast. He has promised us some nice weather before the month is over, and also in December. Wait for it.

While western Oregon has been getting an abnormal amount of wind and rain, the highly favored states to the eastward have been getting blizzards. Pay your money and take your choice.

The Portland Telegram displays the pictures of Abe Logan and Albert Martin, but gets the names crossed. Here is cause for a double-barreled damage suit.

Tillamook county will soon have a 900-foot railroad in operation, and that is enough to tickle the Tillamookers more than a little.

How to Advertise.

To insure the greatest results one must advertise right. The methods, mediums, spaces, etc., must be correct in every detail, or the largest results will not be obtained. It is, therefore, false economy to use poor careless methods, improper mediums, insufficient or superfluous space, inferior circulars or other printed matter.

Even if read, the cheap circular creates in the mind of the reader a feeling of distrust toward the house which attempts to economize by the use of such literature.

Another kind of false economy is the irregular, intermittent advertising—practiced so much by a certain proportion of retailers—and others.

You place an ad in the paper. A

reader sees it—reads it through—is favorably impressed—thinks he will send for the article advertised—or he decides to "call in and get one the next time I'm down town."—but not just then, perhaps he forgets about it and if he never sees your name in the paper again, chances are he will never be reminded about it again.

Advertising, to be successful, must be continuous. One big ad inserted once or only occasionally, will not take the place of an ordinary ad, published regularly. Might as well think of eating one huge meal a week instead of three regulars every day. You'd feel starved most of the time, and so business which is represented by an occasional large ad, or even an occasional small one, is simply starved in between times.

A small ad appearing regularly is worth much more than the same amount of space concentrated into one big ad for one issue. The public has a short memory for things advertised—there are so many of them. It is soon forgotten and its usefulness gone. The smaller ad may not attract so much attention at first but if persisted in day after day, the more permanent results will follow. The name of the firm and character of the store and its offerings, becomes well fixed in the minds of the public, and the result will finally come. Successful advertising means persistent advertising.—Canadian Grocer.

O. L. Holgate of South Beach was in the city Wednesday.

Mayor Roddy of Winant had business in the county seat Wednesday.

St. John's Church—Services next Sunday at 11 a. m. F. O. Jones, Pastor.

L. F. Pepin of Chitwood was among the county seat visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rite Dedrick returned yesterday from a protracted sojourn in Newport.

Ira Reeder of Yaquina passed through Monday morning on a business trip to Portland.

Emmet Gaar, son of E. F. Gaar, and a former resident of Toledo, was among the arrivals Monday night.

C. C. Kubler of Newport was in the city last Saturday shaking hands with old comrades and other friends.

Doc Wakefield, the big apple man of Little Elk, arrived last night and sold a cargo of his best fruit before going to bed.

O. F. Jacobson, one of Newport's handsomest citizens, passed through yesterday morning on a business trip to Portland.

The Reporter has changed hands again, George McCluskey retiring and the Reporter Publishing Co. assuming the management.

The horse sidewalk on Hill street from Fourth to Second was cleared of mud and stuff Monday by the use of the fire hose. It was a good job, quickly performed, and demonstrated the value of the waterworks.

Eggs away up in price, and here your hens are moping about, sickly and non-productive, all for the want of some of Pratt's world renowned poultry powder which will start hens laying in a week's time. For sale by Krogstad.

Mrs. Adam Rae returned Wednesday evening from Portland, where she has been receiving treatment for several weeks at the Sanitarium. She withstood a surgical operation nicely and it is hoped and believed her health will be restored.

James McDonald of Chitwood was in the city the first half of the week. He has been compelled to abandon his proposed trip to California. He had leased his ranch at Chitwood, but the renter reconsidered, and Mr. McDonald will stay with the farm, temporarily, at least.

Shooting Match.

There will be a shooting match at Morrison on Monday, November 23, 1903. I will have a choice beef, to be shot for in quarters; also plenty of turkeys and chickens. All the riflemen in the county are cordially invited to be present. C. L. MORANSON.

N. B.—Shooting for the beef will be at 200 yards, offhand, open sights.

Thanksgiving Dinner?

I will have some fine dressed turkeys and chickens for Thanksgiving. Better call at once and leave your order for one. HENRY LEWIS.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Record of Recent Exchanges in Lincoln County.

Nov. 6—State Land Board to Katie L. Erdner, 1/2 of sw 1/4 section 36, tp 13 south, range 10 west. \$100.

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C. O. Krogstad and Nino B. Krogstad and Otto O. Krogstad and Annette Krogstad to K. C. Molver, lots 6 and 8, in block 17, Graham's 5th addition to Toledo. \$150.

Nov. 7—Charles A. Benson and Mary J. Benson to Frank Fisher, nw 1/4 section 14, tp 10 south, range 8 west. \$950.

Nov. 5—Burt Twombly and Minda Twombly to J. F. Snyder, e 1/2 of se 1/4, nw 1/4 of se 1/4, sw 1/4 of ne 1/4 section 5, tp 13 south, range 11 west. \$700.

Nov. 6—G. E. Davis and Sada M. Davis to J. S. Copeland, se 1/2 of sw 1/4, n 1/2 of sw 1/4, sw 1/4 of nw 1/4 section 34, tp 11 south, range 9 west. \$2000.

Nov. 4—John A. Olsson and Anna Olsson to G. DeMerritt, lot 10, block 36, Fredericksburg. \$25.

Nov. 9—John W. Robertson to Martin J. Thompson, 20 acres in ne 1/4 of se 1/4 section 8, tp 11 south, range 10 west. \$250.

Nov. 9—K. C. Molver and Randy Molver to Burt Twombly, six acres in sw 1/4 of nw 1/4 section 9, tp 13 south, range 11 west. \$300.

Nov. 9—Mort Lollis and May Lollis to Lee W. Williams, e 1/2 of ne 1/4 section 23, tp 11 south, range 11 west, and s 1/2 of nw 1/4 section 24, tp 11 south, range 11 west, also lot 4 in block 9, Newport. \$750.

PATENTS

Nov. 7—United States to Charles A. Benson, nw 1/4 section 14, tp 10 south, range 8 west.

Nov. 7—United States to Rawzewed Ward, se 1/2 of se 1/4 section 34, tp 8 south, lot 1 and s 1/2 of ne 1/4 section 3, tp 9 south, range 11 west.

Taken Up.

One grade Jersey heifer, about 18 months old; point-side clip in left ear; white star in face; lower half of tail white. Owner may have same by paying for pasturage and this notice. A. T. PETERSON.

For Sale.

Good goats—mostly does. Chas. Day, 4 miles north of Toledo.

Marriage Licenses.

Nov. 3—To C. A. Jones and Ethel Henderson.

Nov. 4—To W. H. Huntsucker and Dora Emerson.

Mrs. William Scarth returned last Saturday from a visit in California.

The basket social given by the Ladies' Aid Society at Woodmen Hall last Saturday night was well attended and a pronounced success. Ausin Rosebrook and Mrs. Fred Stanton furnished a generous supply of choice music with violin and piano. The vocal music, however, was absent. All the local singers had such a very bad cold or something. But really, they were not missed, for Mrs. C. H. Young filled in the gap with a recitation—an original poem, which contained some poetry and a whole lot of truth. It was a vivid picture of the village gossip, overdrawn, perhaps, only at one point. We do not believe any woman would slander the editor of THE LEADER. The principal number on the program was the sale of the baskets. Landlord Ellsworth of the Commercial appeared in the role of auctioneer and filled the position with credit. A large number of beautiful baskets, with choice contents, had been prepared by the ladies and lassies, and the bidding was spirited, the proceeds from this source being \$43.75. Dr. J. D. Wetmore and Henry Gannon were the heaviest buyers. The latter paid the top figure, but the doctor bought most baskets, because, no doubt, of his greater capacity. The sales of ice cream and coffee brought the total proceeds up to \$56.50, all but about \$10 of which has been disbursed for repairs on the M. E. church and parsonage. The Society thoroughly appreciates the liberality of the citizens who contributed to the success of the social; also the enthusiasm and staying qualities manifested by those who resurrected Bingo.