

Morning Daily Herald

THE RAILROAD COMMISSION.

The Narrow Gauge Road in a Bad Condition—The Session Adjourned.

The railroad commissioners have sent the following letter to Charles N. Scott, receiver of the Oregonian Railway Company, Portland, Oregon:

Sir: Complaint having been made to the board of railroad commissioners for Oregon on the line of the Oregonian Railway Company's road between Brownsville and Coburg was in a dangerous condition, the commissioners have made an examination of the line of said road from Woodburn to Coburg, and find the same in a very bad condition.

The foregoing is the result of the recent examination of the road by the commissioners, Senator Slater going from Woodburn to Coburg, and Mr. Waggoner crossing over from Harrisburg to Coburg, where the two commissioners met Wednesday night.

Commissioners Slater and Waggoner returned to Harrisburg on Wednesday morning, and on Friday morning the liverman called their attention to some part of the vehicle which appeared to be broken, and while the three were engaged in discussing the probable cause, the O. & C. tannarried and went on through the town, leaving the commissioners to wait for another twenty-four hours in Harrisburg.

But they finally got away, Commissioner Waggoner getting off at Albany and going to his home in Corvallis, and Commissioner Slater going on to Salem, arriving there on yesterday morning's delayed train. He took the afternoon train for his home in LaGrande.

POSTOFFICE REGULATIONS.

The following section of the U. S. Postal Laws and Regulations, has been handed us for publication by Postmaster Rufus Thompson:

SECTION 478.—Lounge or disorderly persons not permitted in a postoffice.—A postmaster must not allow his postoffice to become the resort for loungers or disorderly persons, or the scene of dispute or controversy, and whenever necessary he should invoke the aid of the civil authorities to expel violators of the rule.

An Actual Occurrence.—A small-sized future statesman, aged about twelve years, accosted a business man yesterday with the question, "Did you ever think of the indignity to which the youth of this country is subjected?"

Teachers Institute.—The annual county teachers institute for Linn county Oregon will be held at Albany commencing on Wednesday afternoon, March 14th 1888, and continuing during the 15th and 16th.

Supper and Social.—The ladies of the M. E. church and congregation will give a supper and social at the W. C. T. U. hall on Tuesday evening, February 14th.

No Humbug About This.—It is a straight business proposition, easily comprehended and worth giving attention to, that the entire stock of boots and shoes at A. B. McIlwain's is now offered at twenty-five per cent. discount.

Teachers Examination.—Notice is hereby given that the regular public quarterly examination of teachers will be held at the court house in Albany, Linn Co., Or., commencing at noon on Wednesday, Feb. 29, 1888.

At the congregational church this morning the subject of the sermon will be "The rich man and Lazarus." The Y. P. S. C. E. meets at 6 o'clock.

Preaching services to-day at the Presbyterian church at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor.

COUNTY COURT.

Proceedings of the February Term—A Formidable Array of Bills.

The application of T. L. Dugger for reduction of taxes was allowed as to county levy only.

The application of John Leedy and fifty others for county road was read, and J. E. Knox, George Geisendorfer and F. Propst were appointed viewers to meet E. T. F. Fisher, surveyor, on Feb. 20th.

Application of Walter A. McGhee for reduction of taxes, was granted.

Application of G. W. Klum for implements for road district 28 was granted.

In the matter of changing the boundary between road districts No. 8 and 47, change ordered.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

Table listing various claims allowed, including J. N. Williamson, deputy sheriff's fees, M. H. Ellis, examining insane person, J. P. Wallace, same, L. J. Montgomery, same, Andrews & Hackleman, misc. for poor, T. A. Eddle & H. H. Harkin, repairing court house, D. V. S. Reed, postage, Same, salary, E. W. Whipple & Bro., lumber, R. Glass & Son, misc. for poor, John Leedy, lumber, G. L. Blackman, kerosene, Same, misc. for poor, N. H. Allen, misc., C. Clark & Sons, lumber, Stewart & Sox, misc., J. P. Galorath, clerk fees, D. S. Smith, sheriff fees, W. E. Cull, treas. salary, J. S. Grony, keeping poor, Mrs. C. Hook, keeping poor, Stewart & Sox, misc., Frank Baker, printing, Geo. W. Bell, atty. fees, Marion county, one-half of repairs of Jefferson bridge, Wm. Brenner, constable fees, J. M. Dorrance, lumber, G. L. Smith, misc., Fees, inquest Wm. Chustain, F. A. Watt, fees in Crabb case, Jesse Baker, same, Fees, state vs J. C. Queen, Dr. D. M. Jones, attending poor, A. C. King, Mary E. Davis, keeping poor, Fees, state vs F. Mack, Chas. Ryan, same, R. S. Stahan, legal services mortgage tax case, J. F. Groves, sheriff fees in Saunders case, J. F. Groves, sundry fees, P. W. Spink, lumber, Fees, state vs Geo. Bradley Koontz & Lane, misc. for poor, J. P. Polton, misc. for poor, Fees, state vs G. Layton, Fees, state vs J. Fitzwater, A. B. Woodin, coffin, etc., for A. A. Munshell, L. C. Marshall, gravel, John Geisendorfer, gravel, W. B. Donaca, misc., J. J. Dorris, keeping poor, A. Crabtree, digging grave, Green Morris, keeping poor, Dr. J. S. Courtney, medical aid, S. W. Grimes, coffin for poor, J. B. Roberts, lumber, John Leedy, misc., Fees, state vs S. Boyd, Fees, state vs B. Deakins, Fees, state vs L. Wheeler, Fees in mine salvation army cases, G. W. Hunsaker, road supplies, J. B. Fitzwater, keeping poor, C. G. Burkhardt, constable fees, Geo. Humphrey, justice fees, Train & Whitney, printing, A. Berry, lumber, ROAD SUPERVISORS APPOINTED.

The following road supervisors were appointed, the reports of their successors being adopted and their claims for expenses ordered paid:

Table listing road supervisors appointed, including Dist. No. 6, A. T. Powell, D. T. Ritchford, Jerome Froman, Isaac Ohling, Richard Cheadle, R. A. Bamford, James Pugh, Thos. Nichols, Wm. Warmouth, Paul Betts, Leonard Tyler, R. H. Pierce, R. M. Fletcher, C. S. Mullan.

A Good Showing.—During the past quarter 55,000 two-cent stamps have been consumed at the Albany postoffice.

An Excellent Medicine.—My wife and myself were in bad health for some fifteen years. I changed to looking over one of Simmons Liver Regulator Almanacs and saw A. H. Stevens' and Bishop Pierce's names to testimonials.

NEW TO-DAY.—THOSE DESIRING TILING CAN OBTAIN THE SAME BY CALLING AT WILL BROS. GUN STORE.

Practical Tailoring.—CHRIST WYSS, ONE DOOR EAST OF Democrat office on Second street, is prepared to make suits, and all kinds of clothing. Men's or boys' clothing repaired and cleaned at reasonable rates.

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Sewed calf boots \$12. Lewis & Hughes.

FROM THE STATE CAPITAL.

A Crazy Prisoner Attacks the Guard at the Penitentiary—Murderer Landreth.

Special to the Herald.—SALEM, Feb. 11.—Thomas McClellan a convict serving a sentence of ten years in the penitentiary, from Benton county, for attacking a boy with a pitch fork last year, this morning attacked the guard in the finishing shop of the foundry at the prison with a hammer, striking him a severe blow behind the ear.

The other convicts seized him and he was locked up in a cell. It had been evident for some time that McClellan was out of his right mind, and this afternoon he was examined and ordered committed to the asylum.

RESOLUTION TO OBEY.

Sheriff Graves, of Polk county, came over this afternoon and took to Dallas a prisoner named Bennewitz, who was confined here, the court having ordered him taken to Dallas all Polk county prisoners in the Marion county jail. This would include Landreth, the murderer, but Mr. Graves positively refuses to obey the instructions of the court.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS.

At the musical concert last night the following resolutions were adopted: The second musical concert conducted by Prof. George, having come to a close after a most successful term, the members of the same desire to take this opportunity of offering the following:

Resolved, That we the members of this musical convention extend our hearty thanks to Prof. George for his able, efficient and instructive leadership; also to his assistants Mrs. George and Miss Kingman. We have been greatly benefited by the instructions imparted, and believe that the interest awakened in musical education will be of permanent value to ourselves and the community, and assure Prof. George a warm welcome should he again return to our town.

Stint in Trouble.

East Portland Packet: A Stint brought suit before Justice Bullock to recover \$200 from Paul Knier, Gratton, Vernon and Webber. He claimed to have lost \$100 at their gambling house in Portland. Justice Bullock rendered a decision giving the plaintiff \$20. Defendants produced in the trial a receipt for \$10, signed by Stint. It was also stated in the receipt that he (Stint) had lost \$5 in gambling at the place of defendants. Justice Bullock, therefore, decided the plaintiff was entitled to \$20, double the amount called for by the receipt. It seems now that gamblers make every one who gambles at their place sign just such a receipt, with the amount blank, which is filled out before they leave.

Arrested.

Prof. Milliken, the dancing master, who contracted to give lessons in Eugene and through the Willamette valley, and after receiving his pay in advance invariably skipped, was arrested in Astoria one day this week on a warrant from Justice Kinsey's court, charging him with larceny by bailie. He was tried Thursday, Walton and Fenton appearing for the state, and Dorris for defendant, before a jury and discharged. The only way to get even with such a bilk would be to clothe him with feathers held on by a coat of tar.—Eugene Guard.

The Reading Room.

At the last meeting of the W. C. T. U., a committee was appointed to submit a plan for conducting the reading room. As soon as this plan has been agreed upon, the room will be opened to the public. There are a number of books belonging to this library that cannot be found, and it is supposed that books may have been taken out, and as the reading room closed without notification, there was no convenient opportunity for returning them. Any person having a book belonging to this library, or knowing of the whereabouts of any, will confer a favor upon the ladies by making it known.

Albany Musical Convention.

At the R. B. George concert yesterday afternoon a permanent convention known as the Albany Musical convention was organized. A committee consisting of Dr. G. W. Gray, Mrs. L. A. McConnell, A. W. Thompson, Mrs. H. Flint, Mrs. W. S. Thompson, Rev. H. P. Webb and Rev. H. V. Rominger was appointed on organization. The following list of officers was elected: President, Dr. G. W. Gray; vice-president, Rev. E. R. Prichard; secretary, Miss Clara Read; treasurer, Miss Ada Simpson.

Fined Fifty Dollars.

In the case of the city vs. H. Backesto for violating the ordinance prohibiting minors from frequenting saloons, the defendant was found guilty and a fine of \$50 was imposed by Recorder Henton. The case will be appealed to the circuit court.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

Dissolution of Partnership.—THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between John Ison, E. J. Lanning and Edward Goins, under the firm name of Ison, Lanning & Co., is hereby dissolved by mutual consent, Edward Goins retiring.

Real Estate and Employment Agency.—PARTIES HAVING FARMS FOR SALE of about 100 acres, or those having larger tracts which they would be willing to divide up into 50 or 100-acre lots, are invited to call at our office, as we have a few customers for that class of farms. We can also furnish parties wanting help, either male or female, for the city or country, with such help as they desire on short notice; and we also have a few situations for both male and female in the city and country. Call at our office if you want to or are interested. We can get either for you. Office No. 413 First street, adjoining W. C. Tweed's tin store.

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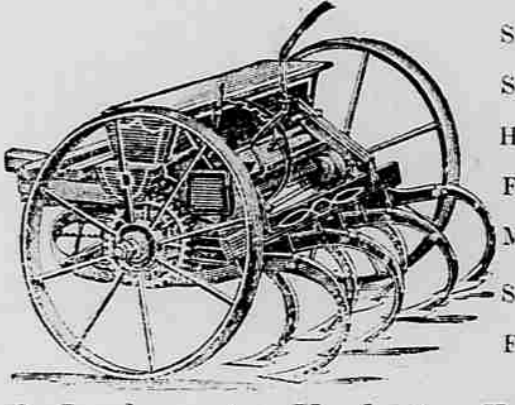
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