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COUNTY COURT.

In the county court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Morrow, court met in regular session at the court house in Heppner on Wednesday, May 9. It being the third judicial day of said term and the first day of the honorable commissioners' sitting, when were present: The Hon. A. G. Bartholomew, County Judge; Hon. J. W. Becket, Commissioner; Vawter Crawford, Clerk; A. Andrews, Sheriff.

After due proclamation of opening court having been made by the proper officer, the following proceedings were had: Miscellaneous bills against Morrow county were presented, considered and ordered paid as follows: A Andrews, sheriff, salary \$400 00; E H Andrews, deputy sheriff, 77 78; Mat Lichtenthal, treasurer, 83 33; Vawter Crawford, clerk, 400 00; A G Bartholomew, county judge, 150 00; H Scherzinger, stock inspector, 46 00; E R Hunlock, county physician, 8 00; W L Smith, deputy clerk, 166 66; A Andrews, criminal acct circuit court, 51 15; J W Matlock, county expense, 20 50; Wm Barton, pauper acct, 72 50; E M Willingham, court house and jail acct, 7 50; W J Davis, road and bridge acct, 9 00; J A McLaughlin, same, 57 85; Heppner Light & Water Co., court house and jail, 18 00; Glass & Prudhomme, stationery, 20 03; Mat Lichtenthal, Co. expense, 4 00; Sarah Basey, pauper acct, 3 00; M L Chamberlain, Co. expense, 1 00; Wm Miller, same, 2 70; J R Simons & Son, road and bridge acct, 33 00; Dr Alex Reed, witness fee, insane acct, 2 00; J R Simons, witness fee, circuit court, 2 20; Fred Moore, same, justice court, 3 00; Justus Miller, same, 3 20; Chas Ham, pauper acct, 40 00; W T McNabb, insane acct, 2 00; A J Cook, road and bridge acct, 30 00.

Coroner's bill in case of S. Lalande, deceased, ordered paid: Jgrors and witnesses, \$15.00; coroner, \$3.35. H M Hagewood, drawing precinct jury, 3 00; P G Balsiger, asst same, 2 00; Bert Mason, same, 2 00. Appointment of E. H. Andrews as deputy sheriff was approved and confirmed. Rhea & Welch, pauper acct, 25 80; C A Johnson, assessment acct, 26 00; J W Matlock, deputy sheriff acct, 88 88; J F Willis, assessor, 108 00; W L Salling, acct and Co expense, 96 00; State of Oregon vs. Geo. Smith, cost bill in justice court, 16 50; State of Oregon vs. L Heinz, cost bill in justice court, 45 55; State of Oregon vs. Alva Handby, cost bill justice court, 9 35; State of Oregon vs. Andrew and Geo Cummings, cost bill justice court, 27 90; State of Oregon vs. Wash Thompson, cost bill, justice court, 36 90; State of Oregon vs. John Doe, cost bill justice court, 8 00; State of Oregon vs. Jesse Duncan, cost bill justice court, 34 70.

THURSDAY, May 10. Petition of J. D. Ball and others for relocation of county road, granted, and C. J. Anderson, J. K. Stanley and A. Peterson appointed viewers, J. Keithley surveyor, to meet May 24, 10 A. M. Petition of J. D. Ball and others to locate a county road, granted, and same viewers as above appointed to meet same day at 1 P. M. Petition of R. W. Robinson to change portion of road 25, granted, and F. M. Courter, O. Pearson and D. S. Barlow appointed viewers, to meet May 23, at 10 a. m., at R. W. Robinson's. Petition of John Allstott and others to locate a county road, granted, John Olden, S. Wright and George Holmes appointed viewers, to meet May 23, at 1 p. m. Complaint filed against Robt Sawyer for obstruction of county road 49, ordered clerk be directed to notify Mr. Sawyer that he be required to open up said road within 10 days from this date. Ordered that G W Wells be reimbursed in \$37.96, paid for land erroneously sold for taxes. Ordered that the assignment of tax certificates to W B McAllister for lots in Lexington be confirmed, and sheriff issue deed. Ordered that rebates of taxes be made to C Reeder \$2.30, and R McElligitt \$4.00. On the petition of B F DeVore, an appropriation of \$80 was made to repair road between Hardman and Wagner.

DEMOCRATIC RALLIES.

The Democratic candidates are now holding rallies all over the county. T. G. Hailey, their nominee for district attorney, and A. D. Stillman their candidate for judge, accompanied them, also Senator Smith, their candidate for congress. Their meeting at Lone Wednesday was well attended, and was presided over by Senator J. W. Morrow in his usual graceful way, which made everybody feel at ease. Judge Bartholomew, W. L. Salling, J. W. Shipley, J. W. Becket and other representative Republicans went down to attend the meeting, and listened with respectful attention. Senator Smith spoke for 1 1/2 hours, and one Republican who heard him said it was a calamity, anti-expansion speech. Heppner is a good, live, liberal-minded town and so, many republicans swelled the audience at the Democratic rally last night. Broad-minded Democrats are always ready to do the same for a Republican rally. No meeting of either party must be allowed to be a failure. There was no band last night, but there should have been. The only music was made by the jovial A. M. Bunce and Henry Scherzinger, who had 2 dozen of Bunce's big sheep-bells bunched on a piece of scantling and shook them with a will. They brought down the house, and the cheers called for by Senator Morrow for Bunce of Wyoming, were given with a will. Senator Smith spoke for 1 1/2 hours, and Tom Hailey then had him indicted for libel by the audience. Mr. Stillman made a judicial speech, and Mr. Stratton of Lone sketched out his own career. Hon. Henry Blackman presided, and made some neat little speeches for the county candidates present.

WET DRIED APPLES.

A popular drink in Paris is made from dried apples, raisins and water, with a little sugar, which is warranted not to intoxicate. It is called "piqueette." In 1898 about fifty million gallons were consumed, and the consumption is on the increase. The bourgeois prefer it to wine because it is cheaper. Piqueette drinkers generally make the excuse that wine is adulterated with harmful substances. However this may be, the wine consumption has fallen off greatly. At first cider began to take its place, and in 1895 ten million gallons were consumed. Then there were poor apple crops for two years, and as a very high duty prevented the importation of American cider, the scheme for using dried apples, which are largely imported from this country, was invented.

Some stay away. All will not go. But the royal nabobs who decline invitations to the Paris exposition will write like this: "The Czar will say: 'I regret my absence from your show-off, but an compelled to decline your invitations you so kindly sent because my new spring-steel suit has not come from the tailor yet.'"

The King of Italy: "Shall not be able to be presents. Verra sorry, but Longa Toma in South Africa has unsettled my nerves." The Emperor of Germany: "Mein grandmutter von bad insult received has and I stay der heim at, to think it over, don't it."

A Rich Man's Project. A rich man's statement that he intends to devote almost his entire fortune to charitable works has aroused much discussion. This is because it will accomplish much good. It is a praiseworthy endeavor, but there are many other agencies which accomplish just as much good. Take Hostetter's Stomach Bitters for instance—the great American remedy. For fifty years it has cured constipation, dyspepsia and all the ills which arise from weak digestion. This medicine will keep the stomach in good shape and the bowels regular. It is a wonderful restorative tonic and health builder. It is also a preventative for malaria, fever and ague. Ask for it, and insist upon having it. See that the Private Revenue Stamp covers the neck of the bottle. Secure cards on which you can keep tally on all kinds of games are now kept on sale at the Heppner Gazette office.

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CONSECRATED.

The new Episcopal Church was consecrated Sunday morning with services appropriate to the occasion, and the singing was very fine. There was a large audience present, and the neat and tasteful workmanship of the new structure was much admired. It is the handiwork of John Nelson, the carpenter, and most of the material was furnished by Wills & Patterson, of the Heppner Lumber Co.

ON TO NOME.

The hotels and streets of the seaboard cities of the Pacific Coast are at this time alive with men from all parts of the world waiting for the sailing of the first ships bound for the gold coast of Alaska. Both wholesale and retail stores are busy packing supplies for miners and outfits of stocks for merchants. All the shops and shipyards are busy, such is the demand, to supply the various forms of gold-saving apparatus, dredging machines, boats, and even steel steamships, to meet the requirements of the situation. The different articles of manufacture run from a rocker to be worked by hand, at a cost of \$20, to a steam dredge, at \$60,000—from a \$20 dory to a \$200,000 steamship.

UGHT TO ADVERTISE.

A Heppner duck which had faithfully stuck to business during the season and had laid several dozen of large fawn colored eggs, complained the other day that she was not appreciated. "See that hen over there?" said the duck: "she hasn't laid as many eggs as I have nor as big ones, but she has books written about her, and verses composed in her honor, while nobody is saying a thing about me." "The trouble with you is," said a rooster who was standing near, "that you don't tell the public what you have done or can do. You lay an egg and waddle off without saying a word, but that sister of mine never lays one without letting everybody in the neighborhood know it. If you want to cut any ice in any community, why, you must advertise."

"Look out for that live wire!"

shouted the workman on the roof of a Portland building. His assistant looked at him calmly, and said: "Don't you worry, I've been to see every French farce that came to town. A little thing like a live wire couldn't shock me."

LATEST WAR NEWS.

Pierce Fighting. A dispatch says: There was desperate fighting at Making Saturday, but it is thought to have gone in favor of the garrison. The Boers attacked the town—soon the Kaffir position was in flames—fighting at close quarters became general; Boers captured Kaffir position and brought guns to bear on town at near range; garrison succeeded in surrounding Boers; that condition continues. London, May 14.—"The war is practically over," says the Daily Chronicle's Kroomstad correspondent, and in less definite terms, this is the view to be gathered from all the correspondents. They picture the Boers as utterly demoralized and disheartened by Lord Roberts' unexpected rapid advances, and by his facile turning of the carefully prepared positions of the Boers. There was practically no fighting, and there are no further details to give respecting the occupation of Kroomstad. The Boers Retreat. It appears that the Boers at Kroomstad had been reinforced by 2000 men last Friday, and that altogether 10,000, with 20 guns, trekked from Kroomstad on the approach of Lord Roberts. The Boers made an ineffectual stand at Boschrand, and had elaborate entrenchments in front of Kroomstad, which offered great facilities for a rear-guard action. Their only anxiety, however, appears to have been to get away safely with all their guns and convoys, which again they have successfully accomplished. The few stores they were unable to carry away, they burned. President Steyn is represented as having been frantic with rage, and as having kicked and cursed the buglers, after vainly imploring them to continue the fight. The Times says: "The signs point to military breakdown on the part of the Boers, but after experiences of the past, we cannot accept the reports of demoralization without reserve. The game of war must be strictly played out to the end."

Drafting Men.

The Lourenco Marques correspondent of the Times, telegraphing Sunday, says: "It is rumored that the Transvaal Raad, in secret session, has resolved to order all residents, irrespective of nationality, to assist in the defense of the Republic, in accordance with the terms of the amended military laws. The Boers recognize that they are now in the last extremity, and all sorts and conditions of men are being commanded. The merchants here have protested against the stoppage of a consignment of clothing and corned beef, of which the latter was purchased in America. United States Consul Hollis, whose sympathies are notorious, is said to have remonstrated against what he called 'interference with American trade.'"

LOAN WANTED.

A man who owns 900 acres of good land and much other property wants to borrow \$3000 on 2 years' time at 8 per cent. Anybody who wants to make such a loan, send word to the Gazette office.

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