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CITY OFFICIAL PAPER

Wants

MONEY TO LOAN State Funds loaned, 6 per cent, John P. Rusk, Atty. State Land B'd. Joseph... FOR SALE: Team, harness and 2 1/2 inch spring wagon \$250. Enquire at this office. Juniper fence posts, Inquire of or address, Roe & Calvin, Enterprise, Oregon. 531f Almost new, black coat; misses or small lady's size. Will sell for \$9. Inquire at this office. Home on West Greenwood street, \$500. Large lot and new house. Clarence E. Vest. 504tf Two Jersey bulls. Call on H. C. Chenoweth, Alder Slope, Enterprise, Oregon. 11cm 160 acres timber land and good mill site in Wallowa County, Oregon. Communicate with J. E. Houtchens & Co. Waitsburg, Wash. 50btf WANTED. Man with team to work in exchange for wood. Roe & Calvin, Enterprise. Lumber. Anyone having lumber of any grade in any amount for sale, or who has timber he intends to saw soon, and wishes to contract the lumber, call on or address W. F. Rankin at Haney planer in Enterprise, Agent for W. R. Kivette. 26b4 FOR TRADE. For Wallowa county land: 120 acres fine blue grass and timothy land in Adair county, Missouri; well watered. Fenced, half cleared; 25 acres in timothy, balance in blue grass; about 50 acres in post oak, partly underlaid with coal; 1 mi. from mining town. \$25 per acre. C. C. Brown, Joseph, Oregon. 49b4 LOST OR STRAYED. Sheep dog—all black, except from lower joint of right front leg down, toes of left front foot, and strip down neck, of white. Answers to name of "Coole." \$25.00 reward for return. Jess Fareid, at J. H. Dobbin's.

TRIAL OF TUCKER ON RIOT CHARGE

JURY SECURED TUESDAY AFTER NOON—TWO LIQUOR INDICTMENTS RETURNED.

The trial of Tom Tucker for participating in a riot at the Baydon shearing plant over two years ago, began Monday at 4 p. m., the jury being secured at 3 p. m. Tuesday, after the regular panel had been exhausted and a special venire of 12 summoned. In all 14 men were excused or rejected, the following 12 being accepted by both sides: Peter Goebel, J. M. Silver, E. W. Sandy, J. W. Bright, W. E. Fields, Dan Ralls, Floyd Hammack, M. O. Courtney, J. M. Thompson, R. B. Knappier, S. L. Magill, S. T. Combs. Tucker is defended by a most formidable array of legal talent, including John L. Rand of Baker City, J. A. Fee of Pendleton, Burleigh & Boyd of this city and J. P. Rusk of Joseph. District Attorney Ivanhoe appears for the state, and A. F. Lee of Joseph is private prosecutor. Tom and George Tucker, who with Ben Tucker, Norfleet Bogan and George Logan were jointly indicted, demanded separate trials, the court granting the demand. The attorneys for Tom then moved for a continuance until the next term but this motion was denied. Only three witnesses were examined up to Tuesday night—T. N. Estes, J. F. Struble and W. T. Estes, the prosecuting witness. Their stories were substantially the same given at the trial of Logan and are familiar to readers of his paper. The trial is attracting much interest and the court room is crowded daily. The date of George Tucker's trial is not yet set.

Another trial of much interest set for this term is that of W. B. Hunter, charged with being concerned in the Lostine horse stealing affair. W. F. Euster, the Portland preacher, and Jack Huston, the Pendleton printer, indicted for carelessness in setting out a camp fire in the National forest, changed their pleas to guilty and were fined \$25. The grand jury returned two indictments Tuesday, one against James Fisk of Wallowa, for selling intoxicating liquor, and the other against J. A. Barnette of Wallowa for giving away intoxicating liquor to one Willard Cramer. Fisk was arraigned and pleaded not guilty. Barnette's attorney has filed a demurrer to the indictment.

Two Routes Are Being Surveyed

Milton and Walla Walla Give Different Reports of North Coast Survey. The Milton Eagle says the North Coast surveyors are working up the South Fork of the Walla Walla river with the avowed intention of locating a feasible tunnel route through the Blue Mountains if it takes all winter, according to E. S. Clark, consulting engineer for President R. E. Strahorn of the North Coast. The Eagle quotes Mr. Clark as saying in his opinion the south fork route would be the one picked on instead of the one up Mill creek. The Walla Walla Version. Although surveyors of the North Coast railroad have been working for some time past on the south fork of the Walla Walla river and run lines as far as Roberts ranch, presumably with the idea of constructing the proposed line through this city in that

NOVEMBER TERM OF CIRCUIT COURT

OPENED MONDAY MORNING—LIST OF NON-JURY CASES ADJUDICATED SO FAR.

The November term of the circuit court opened Monday morning, Judge J. W. Knowles on the bench. The roll of jurors was called, five were excused for various reasons and the following were assigned to grand jury duty: George Hendrickson, J. J. Kooch, Geo. C. Russell, N. M. De In, L. Lloyd, N. C. Longfellow and N. C. Straley. Bailiffs appointed: Court bailiff, O. W. Pagin; grand jury, J. B. Ready; jury, H. C. Cramer. Judge Knowles came over last week and held court several days, clearing the docket of non-jury cases and getting other suits at issue. Aside from the criminal cases an account of which is given in another column, the decisions so far are as follows: A. C. Miller vs. Wallowa county; for the Piff. Wm. J. Knight and Mary A. Knight vs. Chas. A. Ritch; decree for Piffs. Edwin Marvin vs. Hattie Merrill, J. E. Martin, and Augustus Walker; decree for Piff, and \$75 Atty's fees. E. M. & M. Co. vs. J. M. Stubblefield, J. C. and Elsie Maxwell; default. Judgt. for Piff, for \$85.20 and \$35 Atty's fees. J. W. Cook vs. A. D. Hulse, W. B. Hunter and D. H. Harris; demurrer by Harris sustained. A. Lane vs. Taylor and Nellie Bishop; Judgt. and decree for Piff. A. Levy vs. Calvin and Jessie Smith; default. Judgt. for Piff, for \$1280.55 and \$150 Atty's fees. Eisenbeis and Welch vs. T. R. Akins; settled and dismissed. Cases for Trial. The trial of the case of C. R. Elliott vs. Wallowa county will follow the Tucker case, then the suit of E. R. Bowby vs. John McDonald, then the case of W. J. Funk & Co. vs. T. M. Butler et al.

ters were born to them all of whom survive: Alton R., Leonard B. Charles D. and George M. Emmons of this city or vicinity, William P. Emmons of La Grande, Mrs. Jessie Homan of Enterprise, and Mrs. Lilly J. Davis of Nebraska. All were at the funeral but Mrs. Davis and the husband who is in Oklahoma. Two nephews, F. A. and L. P. Day of La Grande were here also. Mother Emmons, as she was familiarly called, united with the Christian church 30 years ago, and always stood courageously for the right. Never strong physically, she was always loving for others, blessing by her presence. It was her request that the song "Jesus Will Carry Me Over the River," be sung at her funeral. All who listened felt as if those words were fulfilled and that she was at rest.

Roads Allowed by County Court

Viewers Ordered To Survey and Lay Out Same—Court Proceedings and Claims Allowed. In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Wallowa. First Judicial Day. November 3, 1909. In the matter of the proposed county road petitioned for by S. L. McKenzie, et al: Now at this time the report of the Board of County Road Viewers came regularly on to be read in open court for the first time; and after being read in open court, and it appearing to the Court that the said Board of County Road Viewers had not made a complete report as required by law, It is hereby considered and ordered, that said Board of County Road Viewers re-survey said road and make a complete report of the same, and make due and legal return to this Court at once. In the matter of the proposed road petitioned for by John Anthony, et al: Now at this time John Anthony, and others petition the Court praying for the location of a county road, came regularly on to be heard, and it appearing to the Court that said proposed road is in Wallowa county, Oregon, and that petition is signed by twelve and more freeholders of said county and state residing in the vicinity of said proposed road, and that the petition correctly describes the beginning, intermediate points and terminus thereof, and it further appearing to the Court by affidavit filed therein, that due and legal notice of presentation of said petition to this Court notifying all persons that application would be made by advertisement posted at the place of holding this Court and three other public places in the vicinity of said proposed road and it further appearing that a bond conditioned according to law has been filed herein which bond is hereby approved. It is therefore hereby considered and ordered, that the prayers of said petitioners be granted. It is further ordered that the board of county road viewers are to view and lay out said proposed road according to law on the day of November, 1909, and of their proceedings make due and legal return to the Court at their next regular meeting. In the matter of the proposed road petitioned for by G. F. Lindley et al: Now at this time G. F. Lindley, and others petition the Court praying for the location of a County road, came regularly on to be heard, and it appearing to the Court that said proposed road is in Wallowa county, Oregon, and that the petition is signed by twelve and more freeholders of said county and state residing in the vicinity of said proposed road, and that the petition correctly describes the beginning, intermediate points and terminus thereof, and it further appearing to the Court by affidavit filed therein, that due and legal notice of presentation of said petition to this Court notifying all persons that application would be made by advertisement posted at the place of holding this Court and three other public places in the vicinity of said proposed road and it further ap

BIDS ADVERTISED FOR TROY BRIDGE

CONSTRUCTION NEEDED SPAN ACROSS GRANDE RONDE TO BEGIN SOON.

The people of the North Country are going to have the long needed bridge across the Grande Ronde at Troy. The county court has accepted the plans and specifications submitted by the Columbia Bridge company, and the advertisement for bids for the construction of the structure appears in another place in this paper. The bridge will be the finest one in the county. It will be of steel, with a single span 175 feet long, resting on steel cylinder piers filled with concrete. It will be located between the present ferry and the mouth of the Little Salmon river. This bridge will fill a long felt want, and will not only be a great convenience to the people of Grouse, Bartlett and the Eden countries, but will add wonderfully in the development and settlement of those sections. It will give them access to the Flora flour mill and to the Flora stores, and from there to the valley owns and the railroad. No doubt the progressive court that has ordered the bridge will see that a good, 10 per cent grade road is made on Troy hill. Another act of the term of county court just finished that will help develop a part of the county remote from a railroad, is the road from Romie, Grossman and Smith Mountain to Rondova. This road, it is claimed, will bring all those settlers from 10 to 20 miles nearer the railroad than at present. HIGH SCHOOL RECEPTION. (From Elgin Recorder.) Expecting the Wallowa County High School football game here last Saturday, the local high school members arranged a social for Saturday evening in their honor. After learning that the team were not coming considerable disappointment was felt, but it was decided to hold the reception at any rate, and the event proved an enjoyable one. Notice of Dissolution of Partnership. Notice is hereby given that the legal partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Dated this 10th day of November, 1909. A. B. CONAWAY, 56b1 O. M. CORKINS.

Remodeling of Store Room Now In Progress We Must Have Room and in order to get that room we will give a liberal discount on all Summer Goods Lawns, DIMITIES, etc. and in fact on many things that are too numerous to mention in this small space. We have some of those SUMMER SKIRTS on hand. Come in and see them before they are all gone. Men's Oxfords We have an elegant line of these goods and are giving a Discount of 20 per cent. They will last but a few days. Call and examine them before they are gone. We still have a few pairs of Ladies' Oxfords and if you would like a pair come and get them at your very earliest convenience. Summer Underwear Our stock is broken and we wish to make a thorough cleanup. We are headquarters for a genuine good Glove, such as McKibbin and Block We try to keep constantly on hand Fruits and Vegetables of all kinds and we are right on prices Respectfully, E. M. & M. COMPANY

To Build 5 New Business Blocks

Boom in Building Improvements in Enterprise Still On Increase—Miller's New Office. Ground was broken Monday for A. C. Miller's handsome new office building on River street facing the court house. The tax title suit was decided last week by Judge Knowles in favor of Mr. Miller, who at once gave orders to proceed with work of construction. The plans have been ready for months and have heretofore been described in this paper. The building will be fireproof, and Mr. Miller will have one of the handsomest office buildings in Eastern Oregon for his businesses, the loan business and the Wallowa County Title and Abstract company. The building activity of the past year in Enterprise increases as the season draws to a close, and already there are indications that next year will see more first-class business blocks and residences erected than during the last 12 months. Already five business buildings are planned, work on two of which will be begun this fall and possibly on a third. The five include Ashley's, Miller's and Melotte's new buildings and two that are not yet made public owing to certain deals still being incomplete. DEATH RECORD. Mrs. J. W. Emmons passed away Sunday morning at 3:30 o'clock after a very brief illness of pneumonia. Funeral was held Monday at 10 a. m. from the Christian church, Rev. W. S. Crockett conducting the services. Interment was in Enterprise cemetery. A very large concourse of friends assembled in the church and followed the corpse to its last resting place. Martha Emeline Day was born at Flemingsburg, Ky., April 13, 1847, and was married to J. W. Emmons, Dec. 21, 1865. They moved to Illinois in 1871 and ten years later to Nebraska. In 1884 they came to Union county, Oregon, and in 1893 to this county where they have since resided. Five sons and two daughters

OUR NEW BAKERY is now open. A first-class baker has been engaged, and a fine line of Bread, Cakes, Pies, Cookies, and all kinds of Baked Goods will be carried. Our New Line of Chinaware Is now in. Handsome, new, attractive designs. Boots and Shoes for Men, Women and Children Everything in the Line GROCERIES Riley and Riley (Continued on last page.)