

## HIGH PRICES FOR 1908 HOPS

Ten and Eleven Cents Be-  
ing Paid, to Marion  
County Growers.

As good evidence that the hop industry of Marion county is not yet snowed under is evident from the records of contracts made for future delivery filed with the county recorder in this city. Following are the figures:

Grant & Poulter to Elias & Pritz 10,000 pounds at ten cents. T. L. Ross to Elias & Pritz, 12,000 pounds at ten cents.

Alex Harold to Elias & Pritz, 12,000 pounds at ten cents. T. B. Walker to Wm. H. Ramsey, 10,000 pounds each year, 1908, 1909, 1910, at ten cents.

Henry Annen and A. H. Annen to Wm. H. Ramsey, 8,000 pounds each year, 1908, 1909.

J. P. Wilquet to W. H. Ramsey, 12,000 pounds each year, 1908, 1909, 1910, at ten cents.

Henry Annen and H. H. Annen to W. H. Ramsey, 8,000 pounds, crop 1910, at ten cents.

C. C. Wenger, Silverton to W. H. Ramsey, 5,000 pounds, crops of 1908, 1909, 1910, at ten cents.

Wm. Grimm to W. H. Ramsey, 12,000 pounds, crops of 1908, 1909, 1910 at ten cents.

Charles Brietzke to W. H. Ramsey, 12,000 pounds, crops of 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, at ten cents.

A. Limbeck, Pratum, to W. H. Ramsey, 7,000 pounds, crops 1908, 1909, 1910, at ten cents.

E. Bowen, A. L. Bowen and S. F. Anderson to Falk, Wormser & Co., Chicago, 15,000 pounds, crops 1908, 1909, 1910, at ten cents.

F. M. Lick to Falk, Wormser & Co., Chicago, 15,000 pounds, crops of 1908, 1909, ten cents.

Merlin Harding to Falk, Wormser & Co., 15,000 pounds, crops of 1908, 1909, 1910, at ten cents.

W. H. Dowling to E. Wattenberg & Co., 20,000 pounds, crops 1908, 1909, at ten cents, crops of 1910 at eleven cents, crop of 1911 at twelve cents.— Salem Journal

## THE CITY COUNCIL MEETS

### Regular List of Business and Bills Allowed.

Council met Wednesday evening in regular session with the full board present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of street committee that work at 10th street had been commenced.

Fire and water committee reported that the hose recently purchased had been examined and found all right.

An ordinance was passed granting the Northwestern Long Distance Telephone Company a 25 year franchise.

Work to begin inside of 30 days and to be finished as soon as possible.

Ordered that the city pound back of the Jones and Taylor barns be torn out and a cross walk built between the two barns, also a hole in the street be filled with gravel.

Street committee reported that the ferrymen had given notice of his intention to quit on the 15th inst unless his salary was raised to \$50 per month. Bills allowed: Willamette Valley Co., Lights and water for February and moving one light \$109.40.

J. R. Collins city marshal, salary and expenses \$71.75.

Jas. Jones work on cross walk. 4.50

John Bramberg work. 27.00

Phillips & Boyce meals for prisoners. 3.05

M. W. Mix gravel. 2.60

B. F. Jones city attorney. 20.00

Messner Conkey & Walker supplies. 2.55

Joe Pickens work on streets. 1.25

Hanna & Irvine hardware. 47.75

J. M. Graves ferrymen. 40.25

P. M. Kirkland cement. 13.50

E. J. Warren work. 7.35

Hillard Bros. blacksmithing. 16.75

A. G. Long hose and supplies. 252.42

A. B. Robinson recorder fees. 15.10

and the mud begins to dry. It is a cheap, effective tool that any farmer can make and use along his premises to good advantage. The unusually bad roads that have been prevalent in many localities in western Oregon and Washington the past few weeks should inspire fresh enthusiasm for road improvement. Where neither crushed rock nor gravel are available and the natural soil must be relied upon for making roads it must be worked while wet. Mid-summer Oregon dust can not be moulded into a good road.—Editorial Spirit.

### SUNNY SLOPE

A party was given at Mr. Hewitt's last Thursday.

Wm. Herren and son George visited Falls City Friday.

V. A. Fishback made a fine lot of fence posts this week.

Mr. Lehman and family expect to move to Monmouth this week.

A. R. Griffith made a business visit to Dallas and Falls City this week.

Antioch school began Monday with Miss Fugate of Monmouth as teacher.

The recent rainy weather has again reduced the roads to the consistency of mortar.

Riddell Bros. have 400 acres sowed to vetch this year they expect to thresh most of it.

Fishback Bros. and Mr. Bosley finished planting Mr. Stump's cherry trees the past week.

Guy Hewitt took a hog to town Saturday that dressed over 400 pounds. Another fruit of dairying.

The continued wet weather is interfering quite seriously with planting operations in this vicinity.

The recent stormy weather is very hard on young lambs and kids. If it is continued long the loss will be heavy.

R. M. Smith is talking of dividing the Martin place into 10 acre tracts and selling it out, a little more of this kind of work would be good.

A large quantity of pole wood is being cut in this vicinity. The expectation is to get Geo. Bennett to saw it when the good weather comes.

### HIGHLAND.

Gail Alexander made Silas Compton a visit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Haley were in Highland Monday.

Henry McElmurry is over to Albany this week on a visit.

J. S. Compton and J. E. Rhodes are spraying their orchards.

Ewing boys passed through Highland Tuesday hauling wood.

Don Dickinson went to Buena Vista Monday on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Vailier was over to S. H. McElmurry's on a visit Sunday.

Launer Compton was up from Portland sick, Friday, but is well now and will return Tuesday.

Fred Hamman and George Shafer had a runaway the other day. They got bruised up a little, but that was all.

Mr. Vailier you want to watch your tar for Harry wants to sprout a mustache. Oren McElmurry says that was what he used with a little Mother salve to make his mustache grow.

### Notice to the Public

Independence, Oregon, Feb., 8, 1908.—Notice is hereby given that my wife Minnie Whiteaker, has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, and all parties are hereby warned, that I will not be responsible for any debts that she may contract on my account.

G. L. Whiteaker.

### Farm for Rent.

Apply to J. J. Leveck, near Lewisville. Post office address, Monmouth, Oregon, R. F. D.

### Call for Warrants.

Notice is hereby given that all Polk County Warrants endorsed—Not paid for want of funds—will be paid upon presentation at my office. No interest will be allowed after date of this notice.

Dated at Dallas, Polk County, Oregon, March 1908.

J. E. BEEZLEY, County Treasurer.

## Notice of Sheriff's Sale For Taxes.

### List of Delinquent Real Property Taken from the 1906 Tax Roll

By virtue of a warrant issued out of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Polk, on the 26th day of December, 1907, under the hand and seal of the County Clerk of said County, and ex officio clerk of said court, to me directed, commanding me to sell the several tracts or parcels of real property of the delinquent taxpayers named in the delinquent list of said County for the year 1906, or so much thereof as will satisfy the amount of said taxes charged therein, together with costs and accruing penalties thereon, which list of delinquent taxes together with description of said real property, situated in the said County of Polk, and State of Oregon, upon which the same is levied and the name of the respective persons to whom the aforesaid real property is assessed as heretofore annexed and made a part of this notice, and more particularly described as follows, to wit:

R. Booshardt, Beg. 36.89 chains W. and 46ds N of N E corner of J. E. Davidson D L C E 4.50 cha. N. 4.50 cha. W. 4.50 cha. S. 4.50 cha. to P O B, See 28 T 8 S R. 4 W, containing 2 acres. Tax \$1.61, penalties \$0.62, printers costs \$1.40, total \$3.63.

George E. Payne, Lots 1, 2 and 3, Blk 5, 1st Add to Falls City, Tax \$24.49, penalties \$0.50, printers costs \$0.70, total \$30.69.

W. B. Petty, 1/2 half of lots 5 and 6, Blk 5, Hills Add to Independence, Tax \$12.68, penalties \$2.68, printers costs \$0.70, total \$16.13.

G. N. Phillips, Lots 7 and 8, Blk 27, Thorpe Independence, Tax \$6.14, penalties \$1.02, printers costs \$1.00, total \$8.16.

L. W. Robertson, half interest in Lots 7 and 8, Blk 1, Whites Add to Independence, Tax \$1.54, penalties \$0.30, printers costs \$0.37, total \$2.21.

W. G. Schindler, Beg. 23 cha S of N. W. corner of R. W. Hamilton, D. L. C. S. 23.575 cha. E. 24.48 cha. N. 22.875 cha. W. 24.48 cha. S. o. b. Secs 5 and 8, T p 7 S. R. 3 W, containing 58 acres. Tax \$15.65, penalties \$3.12, printers costs \$1.40, total \$20.86.

J. M. Sear, Lots 7 and 8 Academy Blk Dallas, Tax \$10.20, penalties \$3.84, printers costs \$0.53, total \$23.57.

Isaac Smith, Heirs, R. M. Smith, Adm., Lot 4 Blk H, Falls City, Tax \$1.04, penalties \$0.20, printers costs \$0.70, total \$1.94.

Mrs. G. A. Stark, Beg. at S corner of Frac. Blk 3, Hills Independence, N. 119ft E, 100ft S. 119ft W, 100ft to p. o. b. See 21 T 8 S R 4 W, also Beg 75ft S from N E corner of fraction Blk 3 Hills Independence, S. 13ft, E 100ft, N 38ft, W 62ft, S 25ft, W 38ft to p. o. b. See 21 T 8 S R 4 W, containing 2 acres. Tax \$3.86, penalties \$0.78, printers costs \$1.20, total \$5.84.

R. O. Woodward, 1/2 half of N E quarter and S E quarter of N E quarter and N half of S E quarter and S E quarter of S E quarter of Sec 24, T 8 S R 7 W, containing 240 acres. Tax \$17.55, penalties \$3.53, printers costs \$1.40, total \$22.47.

Cora P. Watkins, W half of N W quarter of Sec 20, T 8 S R 6 W containing 80 acres. Tax \$7.64, penalties \$1.50, printers costs \$0.88, total \$9.02.

Oregon & California R R Co., under contract with G. M. Courier, N half of S W quarter of Sec 13, T 8 S R 7 W, containing 80 acres, Tax \$12.56, penalties \$2.52, printers costs \$1.05, total \$16.13.

E. A. Thorp, Frac Lot 4, Blk 31 Thorps Independence, Tax \$0.52, penalties \$0.10, printers costs \$0.70, total \$1.32.

Unknown, Lots 3 and 6 Blk 10 Thorps Add to Thorps Independence, Tax \$2.00, penalties \$0.42, printers costs \$0.70, total \$3.18.

Unknown, Beg at S E corner of Lot 4 Blk 1 N 2 E Buena Vista, N 82ft W 30ft, S 82ft, E 30ft to p. o. b. part of lot 4 Blk 1 N 2 E, Tax \$0.28, penalties \$0.06, printers costs \$1.05, total \$1.39.

Unknown, Lot 8 Blk 26 Thorps Independence, Tax \$1.54, penalties \$0.30, printers costs \$0.70, total \$2.54.

Unknown, W half Lots 5 and 6, Blk 6, Hills Add to Independence, Tax \$1.54, penalties \$0.30, printers costs \$0.70, total \$2.54.

Unknown, Lot 6 Blk D Damons Add to Monmouth, Tax \$0.55, penalties \$0.12, printers costs \$0.70, total \$1.37.

And on Saturday, the 7th day of March 1908, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the front door of the Court house in Dallas, in said State and County, I will sell the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said warrant, at public auction, subject to redemption for cash in hand, to the person who will pay the taxes thereon, respectively, with accruing penalties, together with the costs and expenses of sale, and take a certificate therefor at the lowest rate of interest not to exceed 10 per cent per annum.

Witness my hand this 30th day of January 1908.

J. M. Grant,  
Sheriff of Polk County Oregon.

Wilson & Holcomb, wood and wood-sawing. 3.20

degrees 30 minutes, E. 3.40 chains to bank of Luckiamute R & Easterly along said E. 15.60 chains, S. 52 degrees 30 minutes, W. 1.79 chains, N. Easterly 5.60 chains, N 52 degrees 30 minutes, W. 5.79 chains, S. 51 degrees 30 minutes, W. 1.53 chains in P. O. Sec 20, Tp 8, S. R. 6 W, containing 10 acres. Tax \$14.14, penalties \$0.82, printers costs \$1.22, total \$16.18.

J. H. Moser, Beg. 36.89 chains W. L. C. W. 42.45 chains, S. 24.20 cha. E. 42.51 cha., N. 34.50 cha. p. o. b. [except R. R. right of way], Sec. 18 Tp 8 R. 6 W, containing 1/2 acres. Tax \$16.00, penalties \$3.20, printers costs \$1.57, total \$20.77.

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