

NO NEW PAVING THIS YEAR, DECIDES ROAD COMMISSION

Although no new pavement construction will be undertaken this year, the State Highway Commission is preparing to advertise for bids for graveling all new grades on the Columbia and Pacific highways to make the roads usable during the coming winter, while the same rule is in effect regarding that part of The Bend and the Jefferson county line, says June 2 Oregon Journal in a report of the session held by the commission in Portland.

The Journal continues:

"A new procedure was adopted Tuesday by the commission in dealing with petitions. Every delegation that appeared was told to put its request in writing. The purpose, it was explained, was to secure a permanent record and insure action."

"County Judge Sawyer of Deschutes county had some pronouncement of the commission's change of procedure and came with his requests in written form. He asked for a completion of the survey of The Dalles-California highway through the county and from Horse ridge to the Lake county line. Also for graveling from the Jefferson county line to Bend and for grading the Tuma-lo-Sisters section of the Bend-Sisters road. Bids were requested for grading the Redmond-Sisters road and that the state cooperate with the county on the Central Oregon highway east of Bend."

The only Central Oregon bids considered were for the construction of four bridges on Crooked river highway, for \$65,775. They were referred to the state highway engineer.

BEND CLEANER THAN IN YEARS COUNCIL TOLD

CLEANUP CAMPAIGN IS EFFECTIVE

HAYDEN IS APPOINTED

Named to Take Place of G. Benson, Who Resigns From Council.
Mrs. T. A. McCann to Head Temporary Park Board.

As a result of more than two weeks' activity upon the part of the city physician and the chief of the fire department, Bend is cleaner today than it has been in several years. Reports at the city council meeting on Friday regarding the work done to rid Bend of undesirable and dirty vacant lots and unsanitary buildings were made by the city physician, who has issued many complaints against delinquent property owners. The mayor and council manifested themselves greatly interested in the work that is being done and expressed themselves eager to see the work continued.

Going on an extended vacation, Councilman G. Benson last night handed in his resignation to the mayor and council, to take effect at once. Upon recommendation of Council McPherson, C. A. Hayden was nominated and elected to fill the vacancy created by Mr. Benson.

Following a conference yesterday with Mayor Eastes, a committee of the Women's Civic league expressed itself as being desirous of some immediate improvement of the newly acquired city park property. In order that this request be complied with, Mayor Eastes made the following appointments on the temporary City of Bend Park board:

Mrs. T. A. McCann, chairman; Mrs. A. Whisnant, R. S. Hamilton, A. J. Goggans and Frank Sutherland, the last named member being chairman of the public property committee of the city council.

Licenses Dues.
An ordinance was passed under the emergency clause covering the impounding of dogs and issuance of dog licenses. The ordinance provides for an annual tax of \$3 on male dogs and \$5 for female dogs. The taxes are now due and collectable by the chief of police.

Street lights were ordered to be installed at the following places: Scott street and railroad crossing on The Dalles-California highway, West Third and Scott streets, Columbia and Milwaukee, Columbia and Jacksonville, Federal and Kingston, Union and Milwaukee and Lexington and Union.

The council voted to allow T. W. Carlson, acting in the capacity of chief of the fire department, \$25 per month during the months of June, July, August and September for auto upkeep in cleanup work.

Bills Ordered Paid.
Bills totaling \$3164.58 were allowed, as follows:

PUREBRED JERSEYS TO BE BROUGHT IN

Following his purchase of the old Symons 160-acre ranch from Horace Aldrich at a consideration of \$15,000, W. A. Clark, Tillamook dairyman, will bring into Bend a herd of 50 thoroughbred Jerseys, most of the cattle to go on his new property. The ranch he has acquired is all under the ditch, with 60 acres in alfalfa, and he believes that it will be ideal for his purpose. The deal was closed today.

Mr. Clark considers the Bend section to be the best in Oregon, basing his belief on what he has seen in visits to practically all parts of the state.

Mr. Aldrich is going to Tillamook and expects to secure farm land in that vicinity.

Put it in The Bulletin.

EXCHANGE FOR NATION IS TO BE EXPECTED

PREDICTION MADE BY GRANGE HEAD

STOCK IS PURCHASED

Capitalization of State Exchange Goes Up \$6000 — Memorial Services Pay Honor to Dead—Lowell to Speak.

Predicting the ultimate organization of a national exchange, S. J. Lowell, master of the National Grange, addressed delegates to the Oregon State Grange convention, in session here, on Friday. He explained the cooperative system as it has worked out in his home state of New York. W. J. Thompson, member of the national executive committee, spoke along the same line in regard to the experiences of the Grange in Maine.

Their remarks followed the report of the committee on cooperation, in which it was stated that, while the farmers of the nation received \$6,000,000,000 last year for their crop, the cost to the ultimate consumer was \$13,000,000,000. By cooperation, producer and consumer could be brought more closely together, it was suggested, eliminating the necessity of rehandling by several middlemen, blamed for the disparity between producers' and consumers' prices.

Exchange Stock Taken.
In the effort to increase the capitalization of the State Grange Cooperative Exchange to \$25,000, a total of \$6,000 worth of stock was subscribed this morning, and one offer to take \$5000 worth was made. The previous capitalization was \$5000. It is the ultimate policy of the Grange to establish branches of the exchange in all communities where the order has organized representation.

Tribute to members of the State Grange who have died within the last year, was paid this afternoon, when the simple but impressive ritualistic memorial service was held. Those who have been called by death in the last 12 months are: H. E. Hayes, Mrs. Sarah Bates, Mrs. Mary Lewelling, C. N. Larkins, Mrs. Mary Larkins, Mrs. Anna Voorhees, Mrs. I. N. Hilleary, Mrs. Jennie Kronenberg, Eugene Jenne, Mrs. Nettie Jenne, Mrs. Lilly Searey, C. A. Hanley and J. C. Miller.

Tribute Paid Dead.
As the name of each was called, a friend from the ranks of the as-

sembled Grangers told briefly of the life and citizenship of the deceased, then stepped forward to lay a flower on the altar.

Counting of ballots cast last night showed two offices accorded to a father and son—B. L. Leady of Beaverton, was named assistant steward. Charles Hays of Portland is the new overseer; Mrs. Carrie Sales of Astoria was chosen as Ceres and H. C. Wheeler of Lane county and M. M. Burtner of Dufur were picked for the legislative committee. In balloting for the offices of Flora and secretary, no candidate had a majority under the first, second and third choice system in use and another vote was being taken this afternoon.

At 8 o'clock tonight the head of the national organization, Mr. Lowell, will speak at an open session at the gymnasium.

Late Session Held.
The first night business session since the grangers convened, began yesterday evening and lasted until nearly midnight, with initiatory ceremonies taking up the better part of the evening. Sixty-eight members were admitted into the fifth, or Pomonas degree, while 117 delegates were taken into the sixth or State Grange degree.

Balloting on 10 officers of the order was completed, and a social hour was enjoyed by the delegates. Refreshments were served.

VERMIN ON MATURE POULTRY

Careful Poultryman Will Soon Acquire Habit of Looking for Injurious Insects.

On mature fowls, the lice, or their eggs, can be found between or on the feathers of the fluff, the soft feathers about the thighs and rear part of the body, on the underside of the long wing feathers, on top of the head or among the feathers on the side of the thighs. The careful poultryman gets the habit of looking continually for lice.

ENEMIES OF LITTLE CHICKS

Prevention is Best Procedure Against Hawks, Crows, Weasels, Cats and Other Pests.

Hawks, crows, rats, foxes, skunks, weasels, cats, and dogs are the most dreaded enemies of the growing chicken and every spring thousands of chicks are destroyed by them. Poultrymen who have given thought and attention to the question of reducing the loss due to these pests say the best method of procedure is generally prevention.

Don't Overlook Little Things.
The young fellow who thinks that little things are not worth bothering about stands a slim chance of ever having any big things to look after. Big things grow from little things. The tallest oak was once an acorn.

Beat the Burglar to It.
Much sympathy is felt for the burglars who broke into a house at Herne Hill last week. Unfortunately for them the grocer's bill had been paid the previous day.—Punch, London.

The "Game" of Life.
Life is like a game of whist. I don't enjoy the game much, but I like to play my cards well and see what will be the end of it.—George Eliot.

The Unpopular Atchoo!
Plentywood Press—"I sneezed a sneeze into the air, it fell to earth I knew not where; but hard and cold were the looks of those in whose vicinity I sneeze."—Boston Transcript.

In Case of Fainting.
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