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SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT. W. L. Bradshaw, Circuit Judge.

SHERMAN COUNTY. John Fulton, County Judge.

THE LEADER is strongly in favor of a law giving laborers a lien on farm products for wages earned by them in harvesting or caring for same.

If the ability of Agonillo, who has asked for recognition as Philippine Minister to the U. S., was equal to his impudence, he would be a warm member of the diplomatic corps.

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An effort is being made this session of the legislature to repeal the law prohibiting the driving or herding of livestock along public highways.

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THE BEET SUGAR INDUSTRY IN SHERMAN COUNTY.

While this may be an entirely new idea to many of the residents of Sherman county, yet we kindly invite the attention of all who are interested in the best interests and advancement of the industrial growth of our community.

Reports have come in from the county that horses which have heretofore wintered on the outside ranges are having a hard time of it, and it is to be hoped, for the sake of the poor brutes, that we may have an early spring.

The extension of the line, according to survey, will be by Rutledge, Kent and Bakeron postoffices, and into Antelope, a thriving town in eastern Wasco, which now contains a prosperous population of 600, and aspires to be the county seat of the proposed county of Stockman.

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FROM BIGGS TO PRINEVILLE.

The Oregonian of the 12th inst. has the following to say about our new railroad:

Work has been suspended on the construction of the Columbia Southern railroad for the season, after the track has been laid from Wasco, the 1897 terminus, a distance of 10 miles to Moro.

The principal promoters of the new line, E. E. Lytle of The Dalles, and D. C. O'Reilly of Portland, expect to extend the line in 1899 as far south as Prineville, a distance of 175 miles from Biggs.

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Wearry Editor Soliloquizes.

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