

MORO ITEMS

M. FITZMAURICE, Correspondent.

The lumber for the woodwork on Dr. Goffin's brick residence has arrived, and work on the building will now go on.

The band played the first campaign music of the season on Monday night. Or were they serenading the new council?

Elwood Thompson left for Portland on Tuesday to attend the state and congressional convention as a delegate from Monkland.

Mrs. Drew Barnum and Mrs. Heydt took the street cars to Loui Peetz's suburban residence on Monday where they will visit for a week.

If you want a loan, and no humbug about it come to M. Fitzmaurice. We can get you the money as cheaply as anybody if the security offered is sufficient.

The train was loaded down with delegates to the state and congressional convention on Friday. J. B. Hosford, leader of the Sherman county contingent, left last Sunday.

J. F. Moore went to The Dalles on Sunday to visit his family, returning on Tuesday. He will shortly move his household to Moro and cease to be a grass widower.

I can command \$4,000 which belongs to a private party, to loan on a couple of good half-sections of land in Sherman county. First mortgage, 8 per cent. interest. M. Fitzmaurice.

The City Hotel was sold on Saturday last to Laurence Moore and Orville Elrod, and in all probability we will have to leave the place, as we consider the present rent high enough.

John Foss, Orin Ramsey, B. F. Pike and W. H. Ragsdale, the new councilmen elect, took their places as city dads on Monday. We wish them all success in their administration of city affairs.

For Sale:—Two residences in Portland, on large corner lot between Steel Bridge and Albina Ferry. Price \$4500. Will trade for land in Gilliam or Sherman county. See Fitzmaurice, the house seller, Moro, Ore.

We have made arrangements with the Remington people, in Portland, for the sale of their typewriter on very easy terms. If you want a new machine call on M. Fitz. Houses and lots also for sale. Houses to rent. A palatial residence, \$6 00 per month.

Robert Hickson, Arthur Page, John Fitzmaurice and Earl Saunders left on Tuesday's south-bound train, armed with a transit and other instruments, to aid in the final survey of the new line from Shaniko south to Bend. Lytle has evidently made the rifle at last—raised enough spondulix, and the Columbia Southern will go south into a country rich in lumber, mineral wealth and farm lands, with "cattle and sheep on a thousand hills." There will be at least two prosperous towns spring up, one at Willowcreek Basin and another at Bend, both of which are good points to start any kind of enterprise. Besides all this, the country is a lovely one, well watered and timbered, except of course, the desert—which is not properly a desert at all, and in no way like a South African arid plain, as a forest of juniper trees grow all over it. "Go south, young man, go south!"

A merry party of Moro's fairest daughters boarded the train for Hay Canyon on Saturday last, bent on having a jolly time all to themselves, without any male bipeds to bother 'round! They had a number of well filled baskets which looked good and one in particular, with four chicken legs sticking out, we would like to have swiped but a careful watch was kept over the provender and no chance remained for a raid. The girls went to fish, "paddle in the bourne and pluck the gowans fine" and otherwise enjoy themselves. And no doubt they did, as they stepped off the cars in the evening chattering like magpies, with baskets full of wild flowers; we didn't see any fish, though. The following young and lovelies made up the crowd: Miss Lois Ruggles, who seemed to be captain, Edna Strahl, Edith Brock, Bessie McGloughlin, Emma Peetz, Lulu Bolton, Ella Andersen, Ida Mowrey, Sadie Ruggles, and if there were any more and we have forgotten to mention, we apologize beforehand to save trouble.

Commissioners Court Docket.

Judge Fulton opened court on Wednesday of last week, assisted by Commissioners Wright and Krusow. The following docket was the outcome of their deliberations:

G. W. Ramey, petition to vacate road. Report of viewers adverse to vacating said road. Ordered, therefore, that said road be not vacated and cost collected from petitioners.

Petition of Henry Frock to change road. Viewers report. Ordered that said road be opened and when made as good as the old road and when accepted by road supervisor of Dist. No. 6, old road will be declared vacated.

E. O. L. Co. by Geo. T. Parr, agent, petition for road. Ordered that Frank Sayres, county roadmaster, F. E. Sharp, surveyor, and C. A. Heath, viewer, meet at beginning of road at some future date and perform the needed measurements.

Witnesses' and jurors' fees in circuit court. Ordered that same be allowed when accompanied by proper affidavit as to mileage and attendance.

Henry Fiege. Application for county road, not allowed.

Frank A. Sayres. Application for county roadmaster to fill vacancy caused

by resignation of Wm. Henrichs, accepted. Ordered that the said F. A. Sayres file a bond in the sum of \$2000.

Biglow precinct. It appearing that Ira Hill was appointed as clerk of election, and that said Ira Hill is a non-resident of said precinct, it is hereby ordered that J. N. Spencer be appointed to fill vacancy.

Chas. Hulse. Application for road supervisor Dist. No. 5. Appointment granted.

Wasco precinct. It was ordered that Fred Meader fill vacancy caused by E. S. Buffum declining to serve as clerk of election.

The county treasurer was authorized to turn over all road funds to F. A. Sayres, county roadmaster.

Petition to incorporate the town of Kent. Withdrawn.

Petition of J. J. Wiley for a liquor license, Kent precinct. Granted for one year.

Geo. Wallis, petition for liquor license, Grant precinct. Same granted for six months.

Granville Philips' resignation as road superintendent, Dist. No. 8. Resignation accepted, and John W. Clark appointed his stead.

Reports of county clerk, sheriff and treasurer received, examined and accepted.

BILLS ALLOWED.

John Fulton, Judge's Salary.....	\$112.00
Fred Krusow, Com. Fees.....	13 00
A M Wright, " ".....	26.00
T R McGinnis, Sheriff's salary and expenses.....	256.08
H S McDanel, Clerk and deputy salary.....	226.60
W D Wallen, Dep. Sheriff and to boarding prisoners.....	144.95
W H Ragsdale, School Supt.....	205.70
E Olds, Stock Inspector.....	75.00
W Stanley, Treas. salary.....	100.00
Wm Henrichs, Dep. Sheriff.....	16.00
J M Parry, Office supplies.....	64.50
D C Ireland & Son, Printing.....	27.35
Bushong Co, Printing.....	8.35
Wasco News, Printing and stationery.....	27.00
Honeyman Hdw Co, Padlocks.....	11.15
E M Meach, Paint.....	1.80
Sherman Trading Co, Supplies.....	16.35
P S T & T Co, Phone Rent.....	7.72
Moro Water Co, Water.....	9.00
Wasco Pharmacy, Drugs.....	8.60
St Vincents Hospital, Care of Sick.....	19.00
G N Bolton, Drugs.....	81.40
Emporium, Supplies for paupers.....	5.05
J W Brock, " ".....	5.25
Harry Benson, Care of A Young.....	30.00
J A Pound, " " Pauper.....	59.45
Hugh Chrisman, do do.....	51.85
Good Smar't'n Hos do do.....	91.00
J C Medler, Witness inquest.....	5 10
Lem Agee, " ".....	3.50
J F Moore, Atty Fee.....	10.00
L Grimes, Cor Juror.....	4.60
J E Barnett, " ".....	4.60
L S Hines, " ".....	4.60
E S Hall, " ".....	4.60
J W Nixon, " ".....	4.60
W F Johnson, " ".....	4.60
R W Logan, Coroner.....	56.80
R C Wallis, Team hire.....	9.50
A Montgomery, Cor Juror.....	1.00
W B McCoy, " ".....	1.00
G W Brock, " ".....	1.00
J M Dunahoo, " ".....	1.00
R J Ginn, " ".....	1.00
J B Mowery, " ".....	1.00
Chas K Cochran, Witness.....	1.50
Henry Wright, " ".....	1.50
Frank Sayres, " ".....	1.50
T R McGinnis, " ".....	1.50
E F Sharp, Surveying road.....	30.00
Wm Henrichs, Viewer.....	12.00
Granville Philips, Road Supervisor's fees.....	10.00
J W Brock, Justice fees.....	10.40
W B McCoy, Jury list.....	2.00
M Fitzmaurice, Jury list.....	2.00
W I Westerfield, Justice fees.....	9.30
J H Goetjen, Witness.....	2.90
O J Goffin, County Physician.....	41.66
E W Hutchinson, Rebate taxes.....	15.60
A E Consens, Laundry bill.....	1.80
G M Frost, Examiners fees.....	15.00
E B Pace, " ".....	18.00
R L Campbell, Assessors fees.....	225.80
J Edgington, Medical services.....	2.50
Chas H Tom, Rebate on taxes.....	4.45
Wasco News, Pub summons.....	13.50
Frank Sayres, Road Supervisor.....	20.00
L A Shane, Professional services.....	10.00
O J Goffin, " ".....	43.90

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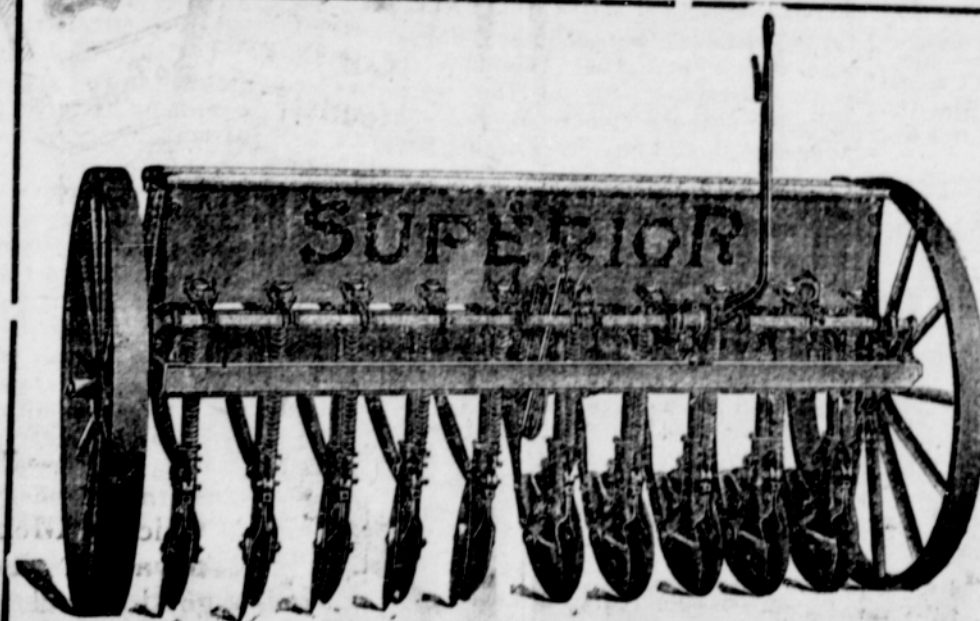
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