MORROW COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS

Court met in regular session at Heppner Morrow county, Wednesday, August 6, 1919, at 10:00 A. M., when the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

The road petitions of F. F. Klitz and Ben Attebury and others for the construction of county roads near Boardman were dismissed, same being defective.

The road petitions of W. R. Walpole and M. E. Doble and others for the establishment of certain roads near Irrigon were continued.

The court appointed W. W. Smead to supervise and secure the Morrow County exhibit which will be shown at the State Fair and Land Products Show in Salem and Gresham, respectively.

Court approved the bond of E. Jay Merrill as Justice of the Peace for the 1st Justice District of Morrow County.

Court ordered the work to be done in regard to certain information which the War Department requsted of the County Court.

Claims allowed from Road Fund, August term of County Court:

A. Edmonds, Rd. No. 2	$ 3.50
C. Libel do	7.00
E. Westervelt do	6.00
Wm. Harper do	1.50
Robt. Bradley do	7.00
A. W. Cobb do	16.75
L. Cummings do	5.25
J. H. Pruter do	13.50
J. H. Long do	13.50
Albert Meford do	7.00
W. Meford do	20.00
H Carpenter do	13.50
J. L. Jenkins do	13.50
M. Hendrix do	17.50
C. G. Blayden do	12.50
Chas. Hango do	27.00
A. Warner do	6.75
Arthur McRoberts, No. 5	8.00
First Nat'l Bank, No. 8	76.50
No. 5	234.92
No. 5	132.37
No. 8	72.50
No. 9	150.00
Leo Flower, No. 5	8.00
First Nat'l Bank, No. 8	72.00
Farmers & Stockgrowers Nat'l Bank, No. 5	298.45
No. 8	34.16
No. 9	20.00
Gen. Road	41.00
Chas. M. Howe, No. 3	12.60
Laxton McMurray, No. 3	28.96
John Hossner, No. 3	12.60
First Nat'l Bank, No. 5	8.00
R. F. Wiglesworth, No. 4	52.00
First Nat'l Bank, No. 5	800.74
No. 8	288.85
No. 9	650.50
O.-W. R. & N. Co., Gen. Rd.	58.47
W L. McCaleb, Salary	200.00
The Dalles Iron Works Gen. Road	26.55
W. H. Meford No. 2	13.50
Albert Meford No. 2	23.50
Robt. Bradley No. 2	6.50
A. W. Cobb, No. 2	8.75
L. H. Carpenter, No. 2	6.75
E. W. Westervelt, No. 2	3.50
Roy Rand, No. 2	6.75
J. L. Jenkins, No. 2	16.00
R. E. Duncan, No. 2	18.50
J. F. Barlow, No. 8	106.94
L. Stewart, No. 8	6.00
Pacific Foundation Co., Gen. Road Bridge	1492.00
J. W. Keschner, No. 2, 5, 7	105.00
Vaughn & Sons, Gen. Road	15.00
State Ind. Acci. Com., No. 5	100.00
No. 9	23.43
H. C. Ashbaugh, Gen. Road	22.25
Hodson Feenaughty Co., Gen Road	206.15
Bert Mason, Gen. Road	353.00
Standard Oil Co., Gen. Road	268.99
Boardman Lbr. Co., No. 2	22.76
Hardman Garage, No. 8	15.30
McRoberts-Cohn Auto Co., No. 8	20.50
A. R. Reid, No. 8	35.38
W. P. Prophet, No. 8	5.10
Ed Hunt, No. 5	4.00
W. C. Bowling, No. 5	3.00
Martin Reid, No. 5	1.14
No. 8	37.82
No. 9	42.52
Minor & Co., No. 5	107.55
No. 8	136.68
No. 9	159.70
Thomson Bros., No. 5	266.05
No. 9	179.15
Total Claims allowed from Road Fund	$7319.08

County Court Claims, for August Term, from General Fund:

Isaac Albert, Bounty	$ 18.00
Harley Matteson, Bounty	3.00
Heppner Light & Water Co., Court House expense	35.80
Sam E. Van Vactor, Exp. Road Bond Election	500.00
Clyde G. Wright, Bounty	3.00
W. H. Teeters, Poor acct	27.50
N. E. Pettyjohn, Bounty	6.00
Fred Howe, Bounty	3.00
J. A. Yeager, Dist Sealer	14.89
W. T. Campbell, Salary Co. Judge	75.00
E. M. Shutt, Salary Sheriff	166.66
Geo. McDuffee, Salary, Dep. Sheriff	125.00
J. A. Waters, Salary Clerk	166.66
Gay M. Anderson, Sal'y Dep. Clerk	100.00
T. J. Humphreys, Salary Treasurer	41.66
J. J. Wells, Salary Assessor	133.33
Hanna Wilson, Salary Dep. Assessor	60.00
Lena S. Shurte, Sal'y School Superintendent	100.00
W. M. Ayers, Salary Janitor	70.00
F. R. Brown, Salary Sec'y Fair Board	25.00
C. C. Chick, Salary County Physician	10.00
John Garside, Salary Janitor Fair Grounds	25.00
Harriett Baird, Widow Pen.	10.00
Charlotte Brown, Wid. Pen.	10.00
Mary McDaid, Widow Pen.	32.50
Sarah F. Sperry, Wid. Pen.	10.00
Cora Walker, Wid. Pen.	10.00
Daisy Beckett, Wid. Pen.	25.00
Sadie Morey, Wid. Pen.	32.50
Bertha Crites, Poor acct	20.00
J. L. Johnson, Bounty	9.00
W. M. Ayers, Court House Expense	2.50
Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co., Current exp.	20.75
W. T. Campbell, County Court Expense	35.34
E. L. Padberg, County Court Expense	21.00
Frank Shepard Co., District Attorney Expense	26.00
A. E. Parry, Water Master	28.00
Bushong & Co., Clerks, exp.	56.25
Gazette-Times, Clerks, exp.	17.15
County Court	7.80
Sheriff's Expense	132.35
E. M. Shutt, Prohibition Fund Expense	111.15
A. L. Cornett, Juvenile Ct.	12.00
Heppner Light & Water Co., Court House exp.	32.90
Vic Groshens, Election exp.	5.00
Oscar Keithley, Election ex.	14.00
Total Claims Allowed from General Fund	$2402.50

COFFEE ROASTERS SAY PRICE DUE TO SHORTAGE

San Francisco, Aug. 13.—American importers and domestic roasters and handlers of coffee are powerless to stop the rise in the price of coffee, according to a statement issued here today by the Pacific Coast Coffee Roasters Association.

The statement declares that circumstances over which American dealers have no control have forced coffee prices to their present high level. The advance is attributed principally to the shortage in this year's Brazilian coffee crop which owing to the severe frost of July, 1918, will be cut to one-half its normal size. This depleted crop began coming on the market about July 1 this year and, according to the roasters, will largely have to supply the needs of this country and Europe for the next twelve months.

Last year a frost, the worst experienced in more than a quarter of a century, out of a total of 800,000,000 trees in the Sao Paulo district, the world's greatest coffee producing section of Brazil, killed 160,000,000 young trees. More than 300,000,000 mature trees were so badly damaged they had to be cut down to the roots. Even under favorable conditions these trees cannot be made to yield a crop for three years.

On top of the short crop the European demand for coffee has been enormous since the signing of the armistice and with practically the entire surplus of coffee stocks from former years used up during the war there is not enough coffee in sight to meet the demand which is being made by the entire world.

The coffee roasters' statement in conclusion says:

"It is misleading and unfair to blame the coffee importers of this country for conditions over which they have no control and which are even more unwelcome to them than they are to the consumer. Any importer, jobber, coffee roaster or retail grocer will tell you that the high price is seriously interfering with his business. It is a well known principle that it is harder to make profit on a high market than on a low one."

Trade With Phillipine Islands to be Developed Through Closer Contact

The Phillipine Commercial Agency has just opened offices in the Merchants Exchange, San Francisco, in charge of Mr. James J. Rafferty. This is a government institution intended to promote trade between the United States and the Phillipines and to serve as an intermediary of information for business men, investors and tourists.

Heretofore the Phillipines have had no representation on the Pacific Coast whereas in the east they have the Bureau of Insular Affairs at Washington and the Phillipine National Bank of New York.

Mr. Rafferty is a director of the Bureau of Commerce and Industry at Manila and has been associated with the Government for eighteen years. He was Collector of Internal Revenue, a member of the board of directors of the Manila R. R. Co., a Government-owned concern, and was a director in the Bank of the Phillipine Islands for a number of years. He will remain here for some time, until the office is fully equipped, and will then go to New York to open a similar agency there, after which he expects to return to the Phillipines. He states:

"We decided to establish direct representation for the entire Pacific slope section in your city for the reason that San Francisco is closest to the Islands of all the American cities, has always been very friendly to our interests and is the city of first importance on the Coast. Ultimately we expect to carry exhibits of various Phillipine products here so as to be in a position to afford the fullest possible information to all seeking such.'

Until permanent quarters can be secured, Mr. Rafferty will be provided with space in the offices of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce.

Lawrence Stevenson, young son of Mr. and Mrs. George Stevenson, returned to his home last Monday, after enjoying several days on the seashore at Newport. He brough home a number of beautiful moss agates which he had picked up along the beach. Mrs. Emmett Cochran, who went down with Master Stevenson, is still at Newport and will probably remain there for the remainder of the season.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. J. L. Callaway went to Portland today.

Housekeeping rooms for rent. Phone 782. tf.

Harvey McAlister of Lexington is spending the day in Heppner.

Carl Farnsworth, lower Willow creek farmer, spent Wednesday in Heppner.

Mrs. F. A. Case returned the last of the week from a visit to Seattle and other Sound points.

C. A. Walton, Long Creek merchant, was a business visitor in Heppner Wednesday.

Born, Thursday, to Mr. and Mrs. Loy McFerrin at Reids Mill, a daughter, reports Dr. Harold Bean.

FOR SALE—Four-year-old Shorthorn bull of the Minor registered stock. Frank Moore, Lexington, Oe.

E. E. Rugg of Rhea creek was in Heppner today after harvest supplies. He was accompanied by Mrs. Rugg.

Mrs. A. R. Fortner of Prineville arrived in Heppner Monday to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lucas.

Mrs. S. W. Spencer and Mrs. Josie Jones left Wednesday for Pendleton, where they will visit with relatives and friends.

Lost—Cameo brooch pin, somewhere between depot and hospital corner. Reward. Leave at Gazette-Times office.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jones will spend a few days at Newberg, returning the first of the week. They left Heppner this morning.

M. L. Case and family returned to their Heppner home the last of the week after visiting for two weeks in Portland and the coast.

F. R. Brown, secretary of the Morrow county fair board, made a business trip to Arlington Tuesday, returning Wednesday afternoon.

The "Sixty-Five Year Midget."

In 1854 and the two following years the wheat crop over rather a wide area was severely damaged by a little insect called the wheat midge. The loss in New York alone was estimated at $15,000,000. As a result, many farmers in that State abandoned the growing of wheat. The farm journals at that time were full of discussions of the midge. But for years subsequently the wheat midge was not particularly troublesome. Gradually, both farmers and etomologists forgot about it or remembered it only as one of the pests that used to be. And so it went on for more than sixty years, until very recently. Then the wheat midge gave evidence that it isn't out of business.

Etomologists of the United States Department of Agriculture say that there is a considerable midge injury in New York, Pennsylvanian, Maryland, West Virginia and Virginia. During all these 60 or more years, of course, the midge has been present, but in such small numbers as not to be noticed particularly. Because it was not doing any very serious injury, no thoroughly systematic study was made of the insect. The department experts are inclined to believe that several species are included under the name of wheat midge. Such life history data as are available do not seem to harmonize sufficiently for one species. The probability is, they think, that conditions are very rarely favorable for all the species at the same time and, until such a universally favorable season occurs, the midge does not inflict enough damage to be particularly noticeable. The department, through the Bureau of Etomology, is undertaking a systematic study of life history together with other investigations that will result in a much more thorough understanding of the insect than has ever been had up to this time.

It is not regarded as at all likely that the whole wheat midge will ever again inflict such heavy damage as it did in 1854.

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COULD HEED CALL OF WILD

Being His Own Boss, This Lucky Man Listened to Appeal and Hied Him to Happiness.

A flock of geese, northward bound, honked wildly in their flight. His feet on his desk, his window open to the breezes of the morning, he heard the call. For an hour he sat amid the conflicting sounds of a great city hurrying about its work. But his thoughts were miles away. His eyes were dreamy. The spell of the wild was upon him.

He wandered in fertile fields awaking to renewed life. He beheld the meadows lush with grass. He sat beside wide flowing rivers and tiny brooks whose waters rushed in foamy splendor from hilly heights above. He wandered to wooded slopes, with trees a-bud and wild flowers peeping from beneath dead leaves. A peace was his which seldom came in his workaday existence in the land of pavement and beehive dwellings. He dreamed on. Brook trout in speckled splendor rose to his captivating hook. Camp fires lit the darkness of his dream night. The odor of burning pine wood and of sizzling trout and bacon filled his nostrils. He ate food such as his city chefs had never learned to cook, with an appetite his city stomach had long since lost. In a single hour he dreamed more happiness than had been his for a decade.

He closed his desk. Another hour found him grubbing in the recesses of the attic. By noon, clad in beautifully ancient garments, with a satchel in his hand and a fishing rod carefully incased in a waterproof cover under his arm, he was at the railroad station. A half hour later he was on his way to the wilds. And a smile such as he had not smiled in months graced his features.

Lucky man! He was his own boss.—Milwaukee Journal.

SANDBAGS SAVE MANY LIVES

Italian Authorities Must Be Given Credit for Resourcefulness in Modern Warfare.

No belligerent has shown more resourcefulness than the Italians in devising novel means of offense and defense, says a writer in Wide World Magazine. The Italian army was the only one to enter the war with a trench helmet and a steel chest protector, and it is now provided with a more efficient body shield than is possessed by any other of the warring nations.

Early in the war it was discovered by the Italians that many lives could be saved in skirmishing at close quarters if the soldiers carried or pushed bags of sand in front of them, and the present body shield has been an outgrowth of that idea.

They are made in the one-man and two-man type. The former are worn by infantry advancing in the open, attached to the shoulders by a pair of light steel arms, and are long enough to protect the head and vital organs of a man standing erect. Lying at full length, or even crouched, it covers him completely. Each shield is pierced with a small, round eyehole and an oblong loophole for firing from, both of which may be closed by a sliding door when not in use.

The two-man shield is principally used in wire cutting. It is carried on the back of one man, who may also work his rifle from a loophole in the top, while a second man works a long wire-cutter through a hole at the bottom. It is held up by short legs if the first man desires to move independently.

REPUBLICANS HELPED PASS WAR MEASURES

Patriotism of Oregon's Congressmen Is Unfairly Assailed.

The manufactured and unsupported charge that "the election of a Republican Congress in November would be a source of comfort and elation to the Kaiser and his cohorts," comes with poor grace from the Democrats in these critical times when it is recalled that the votes of Republican members of Congress were required to pass the conscription bill and other important war measures. The votes of these Republicans were positively necessary at times when leading Democratic Congressmen balked at the President's war program and not only refused to support but actively opposed some of the more vital war measures.

And yet, despite this fact and the further fact that the President has insisted that "politics is adjourned," the Democratic National Committee is industriously circulating through its campaign literature the charge that the election at this time of other than Democrats to Congress would give "comfort and elation to the Kaiser and his cohorts."

In view of the records of Senator McNary and Representatives Hawley, Sinnott and McArthur, who have at all times supported the President's war program, this sort of propaganda should be vigorously resented by the voters of this state, irrespective of their political affiliations. This unfounded imputation that the four Republican nominees for Congress from this state are not dependably 100 per cent patriotically American can be best repudiated by electing them by decisive majorities.

STUDY HOLDING OF CAMERA

Successful Work With the Instrument Depends Largely on Its Being in Proper Position.

Successful hand-camera work depends largely on the power to give slow shutter exposures with the camera held in the hand, and in this connection sufficient attention is rarely given to the matter of "grip." It is not enough to hold the camera firmly against the chest or stomach. The best position must be found by trial, and this will vary with different individuals and different makes of camera. In general it will be found that the most comfortable position is the steadiest. At waist level the hands will be usually placed symmetrically on either side of the instrument, the right, near the release, forward, and the other a little behind. When the camera is held at eye level one hand is usually held rather under the instrument as a support, and the other grips the back or side, or with a folding type of camera both hands may grip the back. With the very small types, one hand often almost incloses the instrument and releases the shutter, whilst the other is used as a support. At eye level it is often a great assistance to a steady aim to press the back of the camera against the cheek. Just as the feel of a favorite gun gives confidence, so the use of the camera should be familiar and regular and systematic practice with the unloaded camera will be a great help in this. Trial exposures should be given from time to time, and the resulting negatives carefully examined. At first fairly short exposures only should be given, to gain confidence, gradually employing slower speeds as the hand is trained and nerve is acquired.

Building Record.

All building records were broken recently at Grasmere, S. I., where a United States base hospital is located. In five hours a force of 300 men erected a building 230 feet long and 38 feet wide. In the finished building, when the workmen laid down their tools, was a steam-heating plant, sewer connections, electric lights and a bathroom with tiled floor. The work started at 7 o'clock in the morning, with men digging post holes. When the whistle blew at noon the last workman in the building was putting on his coat, with the task completed.

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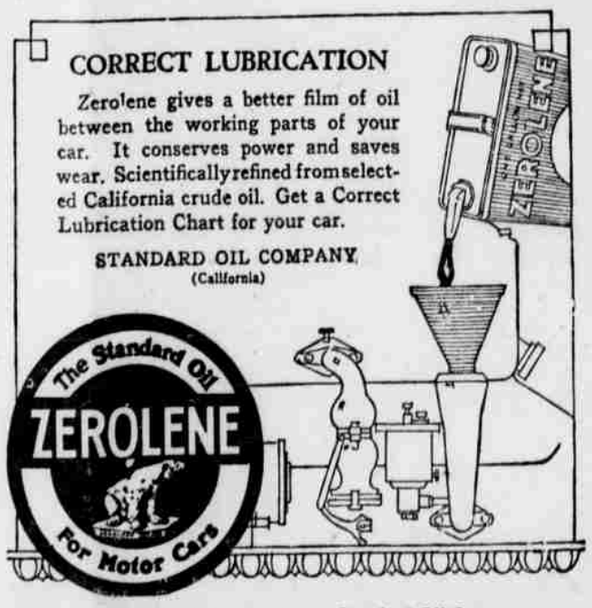

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