

Boy! What They Sold At Auction In the Days of '49

If Harold Erwin could rustle up some of the items contained in the following notice of public sale he would have to move his operations to the Rodeo grounds to accommodate the crowds. From the Ava, Mo., Herald it is learned that J. C. Rayburn recently dug out an old yellowed clipping from the Claremore, Okla., Progress at Anderson, Ky. The clipping was handed in to the Herald by Mrs. John Carson, mother of Frank Gentry of Heppner. It follows:

"Having sold my farm, am leaving for Oregon territory by ox team and will offer on March 1, 1949, all my personal property to-wit: all ox-teams except Buck and Ben and Lou and Jerry. Two milk cows, one gray mare and colt, one pair of oxen and yoke. 1 baby yoke, 2 ox carts, 1 iron plow with wooden mold board, 800 feet of poplar weather boards, 1,500 10-foot fence rails, 160 gallon soap kettle, 85 sugar troughs made of white ash timber, 10 gallons of maple syrup, 3 spinning wheels, 30 pounds of mutton tallow, large loom made by Jerry Wilson, 300 hoop poles, 100 empty barrels, 32-gallon barrels of Johnson-Miller whiskey 7 years old, 20 gallons of apple brandy, one 40-gallon copper still, some oak and tan leather, one dozen reel hooks, 3 handle hooks, 2 scythes and cradles, one dozen wooden pitchforks, one-half interest in tan yard, one .32 calibre rifle made by Ben Miller, 50 gallons of soft soap, 40 gallons of sorghum molasses, hams, bacon and lard, 6 head of fox hounds, all soft mouthed except one.

"At the same time I will sell my 6 negro slaves. Two men 35 and 50 years old. Two boys, two mulatto wenches, 30 and 40 years.

Will sell only together, as we will not separate them. Terms of sale, cash in hand or note to draw 4 per cent interest with Bob McCormell as security. My home is two miles south of Versailles, Ky., on McCoons Ferry Pike. Sale will begin at 8 a.m. Plenty of eats and drinks. Signed, J. S. Moss."

COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS FOR MARCH TERM

The minutes of the February, 1948, term were read and approved. The Court appointed Werner Rietmann and Bill Doherty as Wind Erosion Inspectors. The Court ordered that from and after March 1st, 1948, the Courthouse Janitor is placed under the Workmen's Compensation Law of the State Industrial Accident Commission.

The Court ordered Public Dance Hall License issued to Rhea Creek Grange No. 669. The Court ordered abandoned and neglected horses in vicinity of U. S. Highway No. 30 immediately west of Boardman be rounded up and that horses be advertised and sold according to law.

The Court ordered the North Morrow County Fair Board purchase the South half of Lot 4 lying South of the Highway in Section 4, Township 4 North of Range 25 E.W.M., Morrow County, State of Oregon, at a cost not to exceed \$3,000.00 and authorized to erect buildings and other improvements on property at a cost not to exceed \$4,500.00.

The Court ordered the sale of the following county property: Block 20 and 21, Wills Addition to lone for the minimum price of \$400.00, cash; Lots 1 to 3 inc. and

Aviation Cadets Learn Instrument Flying



An instructor explains the intricate details of instrument flying to Aviation Cadets in a Link trainer class. This new Cadet Training Program is open now to mentally and physically qualified single men between 20 and 26 1/2 years of age.

Lots 20 to 22, in Block 15 of Irrigon, Oregon for the minimum price of \$50.00, cash; Lots 21 to 23 inc. and Lots 24 to 26 inc. in Block 27 of Irrigon, Oregon for the minimum price of \$50.00, cash.

Warrants Issued on the General Fund

Bert Johnson, County Ct., \$ 7.40
Maxine East, Deputy Clerk 135.05
Frances Mitchell, Dep. Sal. 166.86
Lorne Ledbetter, Off. Clerk
Salary 110.15
Olive B. Hughes, Dep. Sal. 153.45
Sadie Parrish, Asst. Salary 127.15
Margaret Gillis, Nurse Sal. 171.40
A. J. Chaffee, Janitor Sal. 130.20
Dr. A. D. McMurdo, Phys. Salary 29.47
Susie W. Miller, Court Rep. Salary 41.25
A. B. Chaffee, Justice of Peace Salary 59.40
J. O. Hager, Justice of

Peace Salary 69.55
The Haloid Co., Clerk 60.35
Kilham Stationery & Printing Co., Clerk 4.90
C. J. D. Bauman, Sheriff 22.16
C. J. D. Bauman, Sheriff 111.21
Craig Office Supply, Sheriff 27.50
Heppner Laundry, Jail 2.50
Central Market, Jail 1.02
Thomson Bros., Jail 18.00
Public Emp. Retirement Sys., Supt. Salary 20.88
Kilham Stationery & Printing Co., Assessor \$131.29;
Supt. \$6.03 137.32
J. K. Gill Co., Supt. 85.28
Lucy E. Rodgers, Supt. \$24.17; Supt. Mil. \$26.11 50.28
The Heppner Laundry, Ct. House .88
Case Furniture Co., Court House 1.50
Vernon Munkers, Rural School Board 9.24
Heppner Gazette Times, Rural School Board 31.69
Willard Baker, Rural Sch. Board 42.50
J. O. Hager, Justice Court-Children's Farm Home, Juvenile Court 3.48
5.00

Bert Johnson, Judge, Gen. Assist. \$750.00; O. A. A. \$1,296.00; Dep. Children \$233.25; Blind \$31.25 2,310.50
Archie D. McMurdo, M.D., Cor. \$21.60; Insane \$5.00 26.60
Pac. Tel. & Tel. Co., Current Expense 63.67
Mrs. Emma Breshears, Bonds 50.00
Margaret Gillis, Co. Nurse State Dept. of Agric., Dist. Sealer 4.95
Heppner Market, Jail 1.05
Packer-Scott Co., Court State Ind. Acci., Com., Sher. House 5.14
\$3.64; Sher. Sal. \$29; Deputy Salary \$29 4.22
Gilliam & Bisbee, Ct. Hse. 13.28
Heppner Gazette Times, Official Publications 58.60
Bert Johnson, County Ct. 11.97
Pac. Power & Light Co., Court House 32.07
L. D. Neill, County Court 97.61
Ralph I. Thompson, Co. Ct. 106.42
First Natl. Bank of Portland, Withholding Tax Salaries 273.36
Bert Johnson, County Ct. 6.25
Bert Johnson, County Ct. 8.85

Warrants Issued on General Road Fund
Harold Sherer 79.12
Wm. Cunningham 138.16
Harold Wilson 176.01
Austin Wilson 37.07
Gordon Grady 1,112
Walter Gilman 16.81
Darold Hams 7.41
H. E. Warner 8.40
Chas. Williams 97.76
City of Heppner Water Dpt. 3.25
Jack Allen Supply Co. 11.01
Union Oil Co. 82.55
Raymond Lundell 6.00
Industrial Air Products Co. .62
Heppner Garage 63.14
Western Auto Supply Co. 1.49
Shell Oil Co. 33.92
Braden Tractor & Equipment Co. 325.16
State Ind. Acci. Com. 14.48
Gilliam & Bisbee 19.82
Pac. Power & Light Co. 2.46
Padberg Tractor Repair 126.70
Hodge Chevrolet Co. 24.56
First Natl. Bank of Portland 28.20
Montgomery Ward & Co. 69.80
Warrants Issued on Rodent Fund
Carl McDaniel 220.96
First Natl. Bank of Portland 19.40
Warrant Issued on Taylor Grazing Fund
Elmer C. Smith 200.00
Warrant Issued on Dog Fund (Advertising)
Heppner Gazette Times 33.60

Vet Trainees Urged To Notify When Through

To prevent overpayments of subsistence, the Veterans Administration urges ex-GI students and job trainees and their schools or firms to notify the VA as soon as a veteran breaks off or completes his program.

In voicing this appeal today, Leslie R. French, VA training officer for this area, explained that one- and two-month overpayments were continuing in considerable numbers.

"Most of these excess payments can be prevented," French said. "They are usually checks sent out after a veteran stops his training but before the VA is told about it. In the past two months, several Oregon schools have been slow in reporting drop-outs."

An ex-GI who interrupts or completes his training is not entitled to subsistence after that date, and the law requires that he return any overpayments, the VA aide pointed out. If he fails to arrange repayment with the VA, he faces loss of future educational benefits under the GI Bill.

Advance notice is preferable whenever a decision is made to discontinue school or training, Mr. French said. However, prompt notice immediately after such a break will prevent most overpayments.

FLUE FIRE CAUSES FLURRY OF EXCITEMENT

An unsigned card received this week from Hermiston tells of a little excitement there Thursday when the hospital in which some of our Morrow county people are patients began filling up with smoke. The people could see and smell the smoke but since the fire in the stove had been out for some time they wondered what it was all about.

When the fire department responded to an alarm it was found that soot from the oil stove had burned out in the flue and pipe leading from the stove, making much smoke but causing little damage.

EXAMINER COMING

Next visitation of a drivers license examiner will be Tuesday, April 20. He will be at the court house from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m., and persons wishing licenses or permits to drive are asked to get in touch with him well ahead of the scheduled closing hour in order to assure completion of their applications with a minimum of delay.

The history of liberty is a history of the limitation of governmental power, not the increase of it.—Woodrow Wilson.

Definition: A platform is something you come in on; a balcony

is something you go out on. During the past 15 years, government spending increased 817%; federal revenues 2000%; federal employees 250%; and individual and corporate taxes government payroll 500%.—Rep. 4300%; the national debt 1073%; Hill (Colo.)

Announcement

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An Appeal To All Voters

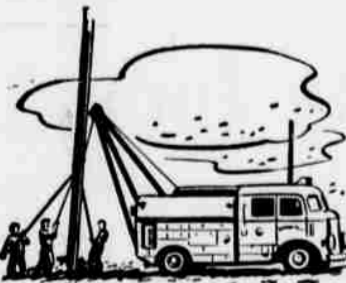
Matters of vital importance to the county and to all of us are contained in the 1948-49 county budget to be found elsewhere in this issue of the Gazette Times. You are urged to study the budget carefully and inform yourselves on these matters so that there will be no misunderstanding. Only by knowing what we are voting for will we get the best results.

The Morrow County Farm Bureau

(Pd. Advertising by the Morrow County Farm Bureau, Oscar E. Peterson, Secretary.)



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