

COURT PROCEEDINGS FOR MARCH, 1951

The minutes of the February term were read and approved.

The Court ordered that action be taken to enforce the Weed Control law in Morrow county.

Nelson Anderson was authorized to investigate the costs of new equipment, material, supplies and general cost of making effective a weed control program for the roads, highways, railroads and farms of Morrow county.

It was agreed by the Court that the management of the property deeded by Henry Clark to Morrow county for use of the aged and indigent persons placed in the hands of Mrs. Clara B. Gertson, administrator of the Morrow County Welfare commission. The title of the property is to remain in Morrow county.

On the receipt of 3 bids for the delivery and installation of Venetian blinds in the courthouse—the bid of O. M. Yeager of \$384.30 was accepted as the best bid offered.

The Court ordered the delinquent accounts receivable in the Morrow county road department, which are for material and rental of road department equipment, turned over to Bradley D. Fancher, District Attorney, for notification of these accounts or Court action for collection of them would be approved by the county court.

It was ordered by the Court that \$1,000.00 be transferred from the Rodent fund to the Coyote bounty fund.

The County Court passed a resolution that Senate Bill No. 257 has no merits whatsoever and disapproves its enactment into law in any form, and ordered copies

of this resolution be prepared and sent to Senators Rex Ellis and Stewart Hardie and Representatives Henry E. Peterson and Gilles French of the 22nd Representative District of the State of Oregon.

The Court ordered that dance hall license be issued to the Morrow County Fair Board at Heppner.

The Court ordered that dance hall license be issued to the American Legion Post No. 95 at Ione, Oregon.

WARRANTS ISSUED ON THE GENERAL FUND:

Table listing names and amounts for warrants issued on the general fund, including Sadie Parrish, Frances Mitchell, Juanita Massey, Olive B. Hughes, Margaret Gillis, A. J. Chaffee, Dr. A. D. McMurdo, Susie W. Miller, William Garner, J. O. Hager, Northwest Hospital Service, James Driscoll, Burl Akers, Mabel Burkenbine, Sam McMillan, C. D. McCabe, Matthew R. Ball, Lloyd Burkenbine, Herbert Ekstrom, J. I. Hanna, Fred Smith, Norman Nelson, Armin Hug, Robert S. Wilson, James S. Hager, M. A. Easter, Blanche Brown, Hugh H. Brown, Ernest McCabe, Nels H. Kristensen, Ruby Becket, H. L. Duvall, H. D. McCurdy, and Archie Becholdt.

Harley Anderson, Circuit Court 5.16

Table listing names and amounts for warrants issued on the hospital equipment fund, including Harvey Ring, Zeal Gillespie, E. O. Ferguson, Albert Connor, Marlon Hayden, Beulah Barkla, Harold Evans, John Ransier, John Farris, Garnet Barratt, and Pioneer Memorial Hospital.

WARRANTS ISSUED ON THE HOSPITAL EQUIPMENT FUND:

Table listing names and amounts for warrants issued on the hospital equipment fund, including Margaret Gillis, Garnet Barratt, Howard Keithley, Russell Miller, H. Tamblin, Dr. A. D. McMurdo, Ralph I. Thompson, B. D. Fancher, C. J. D. Bauman, C. W. Barlow, Heppner Gazette Times, Kilham Stationery and Printing Co., Craig Office Supply, Treasurer, W. O. Dix, Pacific Power & Light Co., Heppner Laundry, Western Auto Supply, Central Meat Market, Central Market and Grocery, Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co., Western Union, Archie D. McMurdo, Jane Cheney, State Industrial Accident Commission, Sheriff Salary, Deputy Sal., Janitor, First National Bank of Portland, A. G. Edmondson, Forshaw's Florist, Packer-Scott Co., The Heppner Laundry, N. D. Bailey, Wresch, Richard C., Warrant List including Austin Wilson, Alf Welke, Northwest Hospital Service, Delmer Crawford, Fred Booker, Darold Hams, Dean Gilman, Dick Borman, Ralph Scott Jr., Walter Gilman, W. Cunningham, Henry Peck, H. Sherer, William C. Heath, Lewis Call, George A. Stalcup, L. French, Carl McDaniel, Heppner Gazette Times, Dog fund, Marshall Wells, American Hospital Supply Corp., Packer-Scott Co., Equipment, Cooke Stationery Co., Rosewall Motor Co., Union Oil Co., Industrial Air Products, Bureau of Labor, The Texas Company, Shell Oil Company, First National Bank of Portland, State Industrial Accident Commission, Empire Machinery Co., Heppner Lumber Co., Empire Machinery Co., R. G. McMurtry, Heppner Hardware and Electric Co., Nelson Equipment Co., Sunset Motor Co., The Texas Company, Paul G. Pettyjohn, Ralph Scott Jr., Columbia Equipment Co., Joseph Baltrenas, Rodent fund, Heppner Gazette Times, Equipment, Packer-Scott Co., Hospital Equipment, Cooke Stationery Co.

Capital Parade logo with stars and the name Murray Wade.

NO RED INK IN 1953 Governor Douglas McKay is standing firmly against legislative appropriations, for other than self-sustaining departments, that will require the issuing of state bonds. He made this clear in his message to the legislature the day the session convened and still wants that formula followed.

The governor wants this legislature to find revenue sources for all such appropriations made for the coming biennium.

He wants the state books to balance on the opening day of the 1953 legislature.

HIGH COST VS. EMERGENCY State building needs have had a rough time during the past decade.

There were eight years of skimpy building during the depression followed by World War II that stagnated building until it was supposed to be over.

Post war building costs went up 25 per cent, then to 50 per cent. The board of control and the legislature decided to "wait until things come down."

They are still climbing and are now up 120 per cent. In the past decade the population of the state has increased 64 per cent; with matching increases in state government business.

Two large office buildings have been constructed in Salem and one in Portland. All are fully occupied and still the old office building is crowded. The state income tax department is crowded to a point where the state is losing money for lack of space for auditors and other workers. And what department produces more revenue than the state income tax department?

TOP PRIORITY CONTINGENCY There is dire emergency with pathetic needs for state institutional buildings. The wards of the state cannot be cared for as they should for the lack of suitable buildings and facilities. The old state mental hospital is a fire trap with the threat of a catastrophe always present. The tuberculosis hospital needs

Table listing names and amounts for various departments, including D. H. Jones and Son, Lexington Oil Co., Russell's Shell Service, Contractors Equipment Corp., Rosewall Motor Co., Union Oil Co., Industrial Air Products, Bureau of Labor, The Texas Company, Shell Oil Company, First National Bank of Portland, State Industrial Accident Commission, Empire Machinery Co., Heppner Lumber Co., Empire Machinery Co., R. G. McMurtry, Heppner Hardware and Electric Co., Nelson Equipment Co., Sunset Motor Co., The Texas Company, Paul G. Pettyjohn, Ralph Scott Jr., Columbia Equipment Co., Joseph Baltrenas, Rodent fund, Carl McDaniel, Rodent fund, Heppner Gazette Times, Dog fund, Marshall Wells, Hospital Equipment, American Hospital Supply Corp., Packer-Scott Co., Hospital Equipment, Cooke Stationery Co.

a building today to hold 130 more beds.

Governor McKay has cited as top priority the construction of another cell block at the state penitentiary. The segregation program of confirmed criminals and young first timers cannot be carried out without it.

PLAUDIT DENIED MacARTHUR The state senate resolutions committee this week tabled a resolution commending General Douglas MacArthur that had been passed by the house.

This action virtually kills the resolution.

The measure passed the house with only six dissenting votes, all by democratic representatives.

FOR HIGHER EDUCATION

A total of \$3,220,000 has been requested of the ways and means committee by the state board of higher education for new construction work and expansion of departments at the University of Oregon and the Oregon State College; \$500,000 for expansion of the U of O school of journalism; \$700,000 for the social science and business administration building at U of O; \$600,000 for U of O medical school hospital; additions and remodeling of home economics building at OSC and \$690,000 for a new wing of the chemical engineering building at OSC.

The total asked for U of O is \$1,800,000 and \$1,420,000 for OSC.

RECORD BREAKING SESSION

Confusion, Confucius, or what you will, this legislature has set an all-time record for record breaking.

There have been too few committees with some members on

several committees and both

committees meeting at the same time. The change in cutting down committees was supposed to save time and costs, but it backfired. It has worn down the Itarders and adds up for a longer session.

DANCE! RHEA CREEK GRANGE HALL April 21 Music by Rimrock Orchestra Old time dancing 9 to 11 Modern dancing 11 to 1 Admission \$1.00 - tax included Supper Served

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