

"Against Prohibition" is and was forty votes.

It is therefore ordered, decreed and adjudged that the result of said vote is and was, one vote for "Prohibition" more than "Against Prohibition" in said Lost River Precinct, Klamath County, State of Oregon, and that the majority "For Prohibition" in said Lost River Precinct of Klamath County, State of Oregon, is and was one vote.

And it is further ordered, decreed and adjudged that the sale of intoxicating liquors on and after the first day of January 1911, within the limits of said Lost River Precinct of Klamath County, State of Oregon, is hereby absolutely prohibited except for the purposes and under the regulations specified by law, until such time as the qualified voters therein at a legal election held for that purpose by a majority vote decide otherwise. And it shall be unlawful to sell or exchange or give away any intoxicating liquor within the limits of said Lost River Precinct, Klamath County, State of Oregon, except as by law provided.

This order shall not be construed as to prohibit the sale of pure alcohol for scientific or manufacturing purposes, or wines to Church officials for sacramental purposes, nor alcoholic stimulants as medicine in case of actual sickness, but such stimulants shall only be sold upon the written prescription of a regular practicing physician, dated and signed by him and certified on his honor that he, the physician, has personally examined the applicant, naming him, and that he finds him actually sick and in need of the stimulant prescribed as medicine; provided, that a physician who does not follow the practice of medicine as a principal and usual calling shall not be authorized to give the prescription provided for in this order, and provided that once on the prescription, nor shall any person be permitted to sell at all on the prescription of a physician not herein authorized to give it, not on a prescription which is not dated, signed and certified to as above required; provided that every person selling such stimulant, upon the prescriptions herein provided for shall cancel such prescription by endorsing thereon the words "Cancelled" and the date of cancellation, and shall file same away. Nothing in this order shall be construed to prevent one registered pharmacist selling such alcoholic liquors to another registered pharmacist.

WM. S. WORDEN, Judge.
S. T. SUMMERS, Commissioner.
C. G. MERRILL, Commissioner.

In the matter of the Local Option Liquor Law; Langell Valley Precinct.

Now at this time, January 4th, 1911 it appearing from the Abstract of votes cast at the regular November 1910 election as made by the Canvassing Board of Klamath County, Oregon Consisting of C. R. DeLap, County Clerk; J. O. Hamaker, Justice of the Peace in and for Lost River Precinct, Klamath County, Oregon, and C. C. Jackson, Justice of the Peace in and for Wood River Precinct, Klamath County, Oregon, that at said election the total number of votes cast in Langell Valley Precinct of the County of Klamath, State of Oregon, "For Prohibition" is and was, twenty-three votes, and the total number of votes cast in said Langell Valley Precinct of Klamath County, Oregon, "Against Prohibition" is and was thirteen votes.

It is therefore ordered, decreed and adjudged that the result of said vote is and was ten votes for "Prohibition" more than "Against Prohibition" in said Langell Valley Precinct, Klamath County, State of Oregon, and that the majority "For Prohibition" in said Langell Valley Precinct of Klamath County, State of Oregon is and was ten votes.

And it is further ordered, decreed and adjudged that the sale of intoxicating liquors on and after the first day of January 1911, within the limits of said Langell Valley Precinct of Klamath County, State of Oregon, is hereby absolutely prohibited except for the purposes and under the regulations specified by law, until such time as the qualified voters therein at a legal election held for that purpose by a majority vote decide otherwise. And it shall be unlawful to sell or exchange or give away any intoxicating liquor within the limits of said Langell Valley Precinct, Klamath County, State of Oregon, except as by law provided.

WM. S. WORDEN, Judge.
C. G. MERRILL, Commissioner.
S. T. SUMMERS, Commissioner.

In the matter of the Local Option Liquor Law; Plevna Precinct.

Now at this time, January 4th, 1911 it appearing from the Abstract of votes cast at the regular November 1910 election as made by the Canvassing Board of Klamath County, Oregon Consisting of C. R. DeLap, County Clerk; J. O. Hamaker, Justice of the Peace in and for Lost River Precinct, Klamath County, Oregon, and C. C. Jackson, Justice of the Peace in and for Wood River Precinct, Klamath County, Oregon, that at said election the total number of votes cast in Plevna Precinct of the County of Klamath, State of Oregon, "For Prohibition" is and was thirty-two votes, and the total number of votes cast in said Plevna Precinct of Klamath County, Oregon "Against Prohibition" is and was twenty-seven votes.

It is therefore ordered, decreed and adjudged that the result of said vote is and was five votes for "Prohibition" more than "Against Prohibition" in said Plevna Precinct of Klamath County, State of Oregon, and that the majority "For Prohibition" in said Plevna Precinct of Klamath County, State of Oregon is and was five votes.

And it is further ordered, decreed and adjudged that the sale of intoxicating liquors on and after the first day of January 1911, within the limits of said Plevna Precinct of Klamath County, State of Oregon, is hereby absolutely prohibited except for the purposes and under the regulations specified by law, until such time as the qualified voters therein at a legal election held for that purpose by a majority vote decide otherwise. And it shall be unlawful to sell or exchange or give away any intoxicating liquor within the limits of said Plevna Precinct, Klamath County, State of Oregon, except as by law provided.

WM. S. WORDEN, Judge.
S. T. SUMMERS, Commissioner.
C. G. MERRILL, Commissioner.

In the matter of the Local Option Liquor Law; Poe Valley Precinct.

Now at this time, January 4th, 1911 it appearing from the Abstract of votes cast at the regular November 1910 election as made by the Canvassing Board of Klamath County, Oregon, consisting of C. R. DeLap, County Clerk; J. O. Hamaker, Justice of the Peace in and for Lost River Precinct, Klamath County, Oregon, and C. C. Jackson, Justice of the Peace in and for Wood River Precinct, Klamath County, Oregon, that at said election the total number of votes cast in Poe Valley Precinct of the County of Klamath, State of Oregon, "For Prohibition" is and was fifteen votes, and the total number of votes cast in said Poe Valley Pre-

dict of Klamath County, Oregon, "Against Prohibition" is and was three votes.

It is therefore ordered, decreed and adjudged that the result of said vote is and was twelve votes for "Prohibition" more than "Against Prohibition" in said Poe Valley Precinct, Klamath County, State of Oregon, and that the majority "For Prohibition" in said Poe Valley Precinct of Klamath County, State of Oregon, is and was three votes.

And it is further ordered, decreed and adjudged that the sale of intoxicating liquors on and after the first day of January 1911, within the limits of said Poe Valley Precinct of Klamath County, State of Oregon, is hereby absolutely prohibited except for the purposes and under the regulations specified by law, until such time as the qualified voters therein at a legal election held for that purpose by a majority vote decide otherwise. And it shall be unlawful to sell or exchange or give away any intoxicating liquor within the limits of said Poe Valley Precinct, Klamath County, State of Oregon, except as by law provided.

This order shall not be construed as to prohibit the sale of pure alcohol for scientific or manufacturing purposes, or wines to Church officials for sacramental purposes, nor alcoholic stimulants as medicine in case of actual sickness, but such stimulants shall only be sold upon the written prescription of a regular practicing physician, dated and signed by him and certified on his honor that he, the physician, has personally examined the applicant, naming him, and that he finds him actually sick and in need of the stimulant prescribed as medicine; provided, that a physician who does not follow the practice of medicine as a principal and usual calling shall not be authorized to give the prescription provided for in this order, and provided that once on the prescription, nor shall any person be permitted to sell at all on the prescription of a physician not herein authorized to give it, not on a prescription which is not dated, signed and certified to as above required; provided that every person selling such stimulant, upon the prescriptions herein provided for shall cancel such prescription by endorsing thereon the words "Cancelled" and the date of cancellation, and shall file same away. Nothing in this order shall be construed to prevent one registered pharmacist selling such alcoholic liquors to another registered pharmacist.

WM. S. WORDEN, Judge.
S. T. SUMMERS, Commissioner.
C. G. MERRILL, Commissioner.

The Plat of Dixon Addition to the city of Klamath Falls, Oregon, was approved by the Court.

John Wikoff was appointed by the Court to keep the Modoc Point Road in repair at a salary of \$65.00 per month.

The following Tax levies were made.

It appearing from the statement of Claude H. Daggett County Treasurer that school districts No. 1, 2, 4, 5, 9, 11, 15, 19, 28, 35, and 36, have neglected to levy tax for the purpose of paying interest on outstanding school bonds, issued by said districts and it further appearing from said statement that the respective rates of levy necessary for said purpose be as follows:

- School District No. 1, bonds 1 mill on the dollar.
- School District No. 2, bonds 1 mill on the dollar.
- School District No. 4, bonds 6 mills on the dollar.
- School District No. 5, bonds 1 mill on the dollar.
- School District No. 9, bonds 4 mills on the dollar.
- School District No. 11, bonds 1 mill on the dollar.
- School District No. 15, bonds 1 mill on the dollar.
- School District No. 19, bonds 1 mill on the dollar.
- School District No. 28, bonds 2 mills on the dollar.
- School District No. 35, bonds 3 mills on the dollar.
- School District No. 36, bonds 2 mills on the dollar.

The following general claims were allowed and the clerk instructed to draw warrants on the general fund for their respective amounts.

- Monarch Grocery Co., merchandise, county poor, \$82.65
- James Mongold, fumigating room, 2.00
- E. E. Fitch, registering voters Luk River Electric, wiring electric booths, 13.00
- Wm. Kennedy, piling wood, court house, 8.75
- O. C. Cardwell, election account Geo. Schuel, drayage, 1.75
- Lila Clark, meals for election board, 10.90
- L. H. Blehn, sawing wood at court house, 37.50
- John L. McClure, putting up election booths, 1.00
- Wm. Plackus, inspecting bridges, 85.00
- Ackley Bros., lumber elections, 18.92
- Marion Barnes, labor, 1.50

O'Conner & Bold, labor, 3.90

H. G. Bussey, labor, 10.90

John Barry, nursing county poor, 18.75

F. R. Olds, elections, 1.90

C. E. Witter, labor, 5.40

Mammoth Stables, election account, 4.90

R. M. Richardson, court reporting, 30.80

C. C. Jackson, canvassing election, 23.00

J. O. Hamaker, canvassing election, 17.00

R. M. Richardson, reporting corners inquest, 9.45

D. V. Kuykendall, telegraphing and rent, 34.00

J. O. Hamaker, election rent, 5.90

F. R. Burschugh, meals election board, 20.50

John Wikoff, road work, 22.50

C. G. Merrill, insane expense, 10.90

The following witness claims were allowed and the clerk instructed to draw warrants on the general fund for their respective amounts:

- N. J. Chapman, witness, \$ 4.20
- O. A. Stearns, witness, 2.20
- John T. Harris, witness, 4.20
- Geo. I. Wright, witness, 2.20
- Lewis Webster, witness, 2.20
- C. A. Bodaack, witness, 6.40
- Frank Wolf, witness, 11.20
- R. M. Hale, witness, 8.20
- Jas. N. Adams, witness, 12.20
- J. B. Vollmer, witness, 12.20
- O. S. Purdy, witness, 6.20
- R. G. Gardner, witness, 12.20
- W. H. Duffy, witness, 12.20
- Leslie Rogers, witness, 2.20
- E. M. Jacobs, witness, 12.20
- Tom Hyland, witness, 2.20
- F. W. Gunderlack, witness, 12.20
- T. C. Dismey, witness, 12.20
- Chas. D. Leland, witness, 8.20
- Wm. Hall, witness, 2.20
- Geo. Stevens, witness, 50.20
- G. R. Mapelston, witness, 2.20
- S. L. Walker, witness, 6.20
- Geo. R. Hurn, witness, 2.20
- Byron Hardenbrook, witness, 2.20
- A. A. Brownell, witness, 6.20
- R. G. Gardner, witness, 12.20
- Jas. N. Adams, witness, 8.20
- R. G. Gardner, witness, 6.20
- J. Knopp, witness, 4.20
- J. H. Hobbs, witness, 6.40
- T. M. Durham, witness, 6.40
- J. T. Turnbull, witness, 6.40
- Geo. H. Merryman, witness, 2.20
- Mrs. N. Otterbein, witness, 6.40
- S. L. Walker, witness, 2.20

Juror Claims

- J. B. Short, juror, \$20.80
- John W. Logue, juror, 17.60
- U. E. Reeder, juror, 20.40
- F. T. Nicholas, juror, 18.20
- F. L. Pope, juror, 22.60
- F. C. Becholdt, juror, 24.80
- F. C. Bamber, juror, 18.20
- W. W. Warren, juror, 9.00
- John Stindt, juror, 11.00
- Frank Chitwood, juror, 8.40
- Willis Johnson, juror, 13.90
- C. J. Swingle, juror, 17.00
- A. Balnter, juror, 9.20
- S. A. White, juror, 21.00
- H. J. O'Brien, juror, 13.60
- A. L. Michael, juror, 13.00
- E. C. Ream, juror, 11.40
- W. T. Elliott, juror, 12.20
- W. E. Griffith, juror, 14.20
- H. C. Telford, juror, 12.20
- A. E. Crance, juror, 12.80
- J. A. Parker, juror, 22.80
- R. C. Cowley, juror, 19.00
- F. M. Harpold, juror, 17.00
- John Shook, juror, 16.50
- John Janssen, juror, 14.60
- R. S. Moore, juror, 12.20
- Geo. T. Baldwin, juror, 12.20
- E. R. Cardwell, juror, 17.00
- John Colwell, juror, 17.60
- U. G. Gay, juror, 18.00
- Levi McDonald, juror, 12.20
- W. W. Finley, juror, 24.00
- F. H. McCornack, juror, 13.00
- R. A. Moon, juror, 21.00
- C. L. Kelsey, juror, 12.20
- E. R. Cardwell, juror, 8.00
- John Cowlwell, juror, 8.00
- W. E. Griffith, juror, 5.20
- R. C. Crowley, juror, 10.00
- U. G. Gay, juror, 9.00
- F. M. Harpold, juror, 8.00
- W. W. Warren, juror, 9.00
- A. E. Crance, juror, 3.80
- J. A. Parker, juror, 13.80
- E. B. Henry, juror, 15.40
- John Shook, juror, 7.50
- W. W. Finley, juror, 15.00
- H. C. Telford, juror, 3.20

Bounty Claims Allowed

- S. H. Griffith, bounty, \$ 1.50
- Zim Baldwin, bounty, 1.50
- Jesse Walker, bounty, 1.50
- Henry Schmober, Jr., bounty, 3.00
- A. C. Watson, bounty, 3.00
- E. L. Hopkins, bounty, 1.50
- Peter Glenn, bounty, 51.00
- Francis J. Bowne, bounty, 1.50
- Wm. T. Kinney, bounty, 20.00
- W. H. Pankey, bounty, 3.00
- A. L. Andrey, bounty, 1.50
- Geo. Deal, bounty, 4.50
- H. M. Bagby, bounty, 1.50
- Grant Nelson, bounty, 1.50
- W. H. Bowen, bounty, 7.50
- Dave Gulley, bounty, 1.50
- P. S. Puckett, bounty, 1.50
- L. B. Hatton, bounty, 1.50
- Otto Hoppe, bounty, 4.50
- W. R. Hamersly, bounty, 89.00
- Otto Schoelander, bounty, 1.50
- R. Hansen, bounty, 3.00
- Ike Jackson, bounty, 3.00
- Waren Skellock, bounty, 1.50

HEATED DEBATE PRECEDES VOTING

LIGHT AND WATER FRANCHISES FAIL TO PASS

White, for Good Government League, and Moore, for Light Company, Present Their Cases

By just one vote the ordinances granting electric light and water franchises to the Klamath Falls Light and Water company for a period of fifty years failed to pass over the veto of Mayor Sanderson. Seven affirmative votes were required, but only six were cast. Following is the way the councilmen present voted on the question:

Favoring passage—Wilkins, Castel, Willits, Stone, Summers and Obenchain.

Against passage—Waldron and Hanks.

Wilkins' motion to pass the ordinances over the mayor's veto was seconded by Castel, and then a hot debate began. G. W. White, in behalf of the Good Government League, gave the organization's view of the matter, and urged council not to pass the ordinances. He spoke of municipal ownership of public utilities, and cited Coquille, San Diego, Santa Clara and other places where the city owned the water plants. Ninety-five per cent of all such enterprises in the United States, he said, are a success. He based his objections to the ordinances not on the length of their duration, but on the grounds that the citizens should be allowed to adjust the rates whenever it seemed proper to do so.

In this way, he contended, by showing the amount of their gross earnings, the company would also be protected as in case they were not making legitimate profit they could show where they were justified in raising their rates. Councilmen Castel and Willits asked several questions, and before Mr. White finished the air was getting warm. Willits declared that the proposed franchise was better than the old one, but White maintained that two wrongs do not make a right.

C. S. Moore of the Light and Water company stated that his company applied for the franchise at the instance of the mayor. He mentioned some points about the old franchise, and alluded to City Attorney Drake.

Mayor Sanderson interrupted, and asked Drake if he had not advised him as to the validity of a fifty-year contract in court, and Drake denying this, a sizzling argument took place between the two, in which both sent out some fiery comment. Moore, continuing, stated that if the ordinances passed the city could buy the plant the following day, if they chose to do so, and he cited Ballard, Wash., Berkeley, Calif., and other towns to support his views of the folly of municipal ownership. Here White asked him if they would be satisfied with the ordinance if it provided for the adjustment of the rates at the will of the people, and in reply he stated that this would result in a continual rate war, and on account of the uncertainty of their revenue, the company would have hard work to raise money on their plant.

City Attorney Drake was asked for an opinion by Hanks, and in regard to his matter with the mayor he read a section of the city charter, authorizing the city council to grant a fifty-year franchise, but reserving the right to regulate the rates when deemed necessary. Should the council grant the pending franchise, Drake said, this would not be in accordance with the charter, and therefore, if taken into court, would be held invalid.

ASKS RELEASE FROM SUB-PROJECT

SENDS SUGGESTIONS TO SECRETARY BALLINGER

Water Users' Association Would Also Like to Have a Review and Adjustment of Figures

The following is a portion of the recommendations and suggestions regarding the resumption of work on the Upper project that have been sent to Secretary of the Interior Ballinger by Abel Ady, president of the Klamath Water Users' association, who is in Washington, D. C., in behalf of the organization:

"In reference to the petition of the Klamath Water Users' association, filed on the 16th and 23d inst., we beg to recapitulate our requests with arguments bearing upon each, as follows:

"We suggest the elimination from the Klamath charges of all lands except those designated in the army board report as the lower project uplands.

"We request a release from all obligations for the private lands in the Klamath sub-project, in accordance with paragraph 'C' in the army board

report, and for the further reason that the present investments in these private lands aggregate more than one-quarter of a million dollars, in addition to the encumbrances which are certain to take the lands and result in a total loss of the amount invested by the present owner, unless prevented by immediate release of the lands, so that the owner can proceed to privately reclaim the same.

"We submit that the reclamation laws provided a loan for beneficial reclamation purposes, and not for the purpose of tying up the properties of confiding citizens and forcing them to loss and ruin.

"While at Klamath Falls the army board assured these land owners that in case help could not be extended by recommending reclamation, then release would be recommended, so as to permit the landowners to help themselves, and we submit that these lands should be so released, and the landowners put in statu quo in respect to all deeds, contracts, leases, waivers, etc., executed to the United States and to the Klamath Water Users' association in consideration of the government proposal to reclaim these lands, and which proposal is morally and legally abandoned.

"The concrete structure in the railroad embankments was instigated and paid for by private landowners. This can be verified from reclamation files.

"The enlarged capacity of the main canal and south branch is sufficient to supply water to the Van Brimmer ditch owners, in accordance with existing contract with the United States, which should be at once complied with and not used as a means of forcing loss upon confiding marsh land owners by keeping them in a helpless condition through a continuance of the riparian rights of the Van Brimmer ditch owners. After the cost of said riparian rights has been met out of the reclamation funds and charged to the Klamath project.

"All cost of the Keno and Ankeny ditches should be made and charged against the Klamath Water Users' association, and said ditches be established as assets of said association by an executive order precluding the possibility of the various waters from these ditches being diverted from the reclamation of the lands for which the water rights were acquired and the ditches constructed.

"We submit that the reclamation laws contemplate the acquisition of riparian rights and the construction of ditches by the use of the reclamation fund for the sole purpose of reclaiming approved lands, and not for the purpose of permitting the reclamation service to obtain control of the natural resources with which the reclamation can alone be done, and then wear out by endless delays the confiding settlers who consented and assisted in the acquisition of the riparian rights in their own behalf, and then to divert these resources by the reclamation service in any speculative way for the recovery of reclamation funds spent unwisely or otherwise."

Mr. Ady also asks for a review and adjustment of the figures of the expense charged against the various units of the Klamath project.

Mrs. Levi McDonald, Mrs. Alex McDonald and Miss Irma Hoagland spent Tuesday in Dorris.

SALE OF TIMBER

Portland, Ore., Jan. 20, 1911. Sealed bids marked outside "Bid. Timber Sale, General Notice, December 1, 1910, Crater," and addressed to the District Forester, Forest Service, Portland, Oregon, will be received up to and including the 27th day of February, 1911, for all or any part of the merchantable dead timber standing or down and the live timber marked for cutting by the forest officer located on an area to be definitely designated by the forest officer before cutting begins of about 2,500 acres on the watershed of Clover Creek in part of the S 1/4 of section 12, part of the S 1/4 of section 11, sections 13 and 14, S 1/4 of N 1/4 and SE 1/4 of section 15, N 1/4 of section 23, and section 24, township 38 south, range 6 east, Willamette Meridian, within the Crater National Forest, Oregon, estimated to be 3,400,000 feet B. M. of live and 8,600,000 feet B. M. of dead Western yellow pine, 400,000 feet B. M. of live and 1,600,000 feet B. M. of dead Douglas fir, 300,000 feet B. M. of live and 3,200,000 feet B. M. of dead white fir, 800,000 feet B. M. of live and 300,000 feet B. M. of dead sugar pine, 200,000 feet B. M. of live and 200,000 feet B. M. of dead incense cedar, saw timber, log scale, more or less. No bid of less than \$1.20 per thousand feet B. M. for all timber will be considered, and a deposit of \$1,500, payable to the order of the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, must be sent to that bank for each bid submitted to the District Forester. Timber upon valid claims is exempted from sale. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. For further information and regulations governing sales address Forest Supervisor, Crater National Forest, Medford, Oregon.

GEORGE H. CECLER,
1.26-2-23 Acting Dist. Forester.