

NEW ROAD SYSTEM

JUDGE CONDER EXPLAINS ITS WORKINGS.

As the season of the year for working roads is now at hand and by request of many of our citizens, I will offer a few suggestions and give a few explanations on the new system of working the same. In the first place I will quote the section of law under which the county court is now exercising its authority. It reads as follows, to-wit:

Sec. 4061. (as amended 1889.) "All county roads shall be under the supervision of the County court of the county wherein the said road is located; and no county road shall be hereafter established, or any such road be altered or vacated in any county in the State, except by the authority of the county court of the proper county, and each county court within this State shall have the authority and it shall be its duty to survive, control and direct the working, laying out, opening and keeping in repair of all county roads within its county, and to prescribe the methods and manner of working; to supervise the construction and repairs of all bridges on county roads, and to remove any supervisor for incompetency or disobedience to the orders of said court."

Sec. 4086, as amended in 1893, allows the county to levy a tax of 5 mills, and \$2 poll for road purposes in lieu of the old methods of working out assessments. This year we have levied this tax and purpose to have it expended on the roads in the following manner:

1. We will instruct the supervisors to hire any man who is a resident of the county to work out the amount of the road tax he owes, providing he is able and will do good work, for which we will allow at the rate of \$1.25 per day. Instead of the road supervisors notifying each person as heretofore done, he will be at certain places designated therein on certain days to begin work, and every person seeing such notices or otherwise giving information of the same, must get out and meet the Supervisor and get employment, or pay his tax to the sheriff.

2. After giving everyone an opportunity to work on the roads long enough to satisfy the tax he owes for road purposes, we will then let out some work by contract. We want to get all the money expended on the roads as soon as possible.

Recently I have had several complaints made about the condition of our roads and earnest requests to begin work at once, but we have delayed the matter on account of bad weather and partly because we would like to get every person in the county kicking on account of said roads being bad. I would like to see every one roused up on the road question then we might get something done.

The people of this county have got to build the roads if we ever get them. I have had several men tell me the county ought to build the roads for the people; this proposition we are well pleased with. We are well satisfied that the county ought to build the roads for the people; but what constitutes the county? Is it the people or is it the county court? We will venture the suggestion it is the people and if the people wish the county court to build the roads for them, we will have to come to them to get the money to do it with as we are trying to manage their business only. Now as the people would like to have good roads and as the people, have got to build them one way or another, let us all; every person in the county try and see what we can do towards improving them. We cannot expect to make them good in one year with the amount of money we have available, but we can make a very great improvement on them, if the people will let their duty.

Last year we had expended on the roads throughout the entire county, 3200 days in work at \$1.50 per day, equal to \$4800 in cash.

This year we will have about \$7000 to expend at \$1.25 per day equal to 5600 days work. Every person who works on the roads will be required to work for 8 hours each day, and in no case will be allowed pay for

time whiled away on the road in telling yarns and sucking shovel handles.

Some few are grumbling about the price we allow per day, to which I say, every man in the county whether he owns property here or not, is directly interested in the roads, and as he is working for himself when he is on the roads I can't see what price has to do with it. We want the roads, not money. Good roads will make us money and the sooner we get them the sooner we will get the money.

W. W. CONDER.

Wandered Away.

D. S. Bales, of Trask, who has been suffering from a mental affliction of late, disappeared from home a few days ago, and his family was in great distress.

Search parties were organized, but he could not be found. On Saturday he returned, however, and the anxiety was relieved.

He had been wandering around in the woods in the mountains for over two days, and had slept out nights. His clothing was wet, showing he had waded the streams.

He remembers little or nothing about where he was, and when he returned had two bottles of medicine which he had when he disappeared. He also had his wife's address written on a piece of paper.

Paid His Fine.

M. C. B. Hadley, who was arrested for fast driving on the streets, did not stand trial, was fined \$10 and costs, the lowest fine according to the ordinance.

Mr. Hadley dropped the \$10 into the city slot cheerfully, not wishing to defy the city ordinances. The marshal is on a sharp look out for others who violate the law.

The "bronco riders" who are in the habit of breaking refractory horses on the streets should be pulled, as they subject people to more danger than any other class of offenders. A backing cayuse that prefers the sidewalks for his antics is a serious menace to foot passengers.

May be Rebuilt.

There is a good chance that the Nehalem mill will be rebuilt.

Mr. Roseburg, one of the company, came in on the steamer Harrison and is paying off all claims against the firm which started the mill before the fire.

John Fox, of the Astoria Iron Works, came in also to look over the engines and machinery to make an estimate as to what it would cost to repair and renew the injured machinery.

Plagued Particular.

The following item appeared in the Alaskan, a paper published at Sitka, and just received at this office: "A hall will be given in the Billiard hall on Wednesday next, the 17th inst. for white people no Indians being allowed admittance."

Steven Chernoff, the lessee of the hall has always conducted these affairs in a very quiet and orderly manner and hopes to be as well patronized as in the past."

Council Meeting.

There was not much interest displayed at the last council meeting, W. H. Reynolds, Wm. Eberman and Geo. Cohn being the only members present. Few spectators were on hand.

The amendment to the fire escape ordinance was passed, and now has the mayor's signature.

At the next meeting it is proposed to appoint a day policeman, without pay, so that someone may be found to make an arrest should trouble come during Marshal Ryan's sleeping hours.

Will Trade for Anything.

Eighty acres of land will be exchanged for anything of equal value, or will be sold on time or for cash. Excellent pasture land, part good for hay, oats or barley, good site for garden or orchard, fine living spring, southwest slope, no stumps or logs to speak of, and but little brush, fine view of ocean and Nescucca bay, on county road. Call at HEADLIGHT office for particulars.

Clean the Streets.

The streets and alley ways, also back lots, should be cleaned of all debris at this time of the year. The city council should see that this is done properly.

From the Forest Grove Times.

Mose McCoy of Gales Creek, was arrested Monday by Deputy Sheriff Vaughn or a warrant sworn out in the justice court by S. W. Her charging him with the crime of larceny of seven sacks of wool valued at \$14. Being arraigned he asked for time to secure counsel and witnesses and the trial was set for one o'clock Tuesday. When the case was called Tuesday, however, he entered a plea of guilty and was fined \$60 and costs of the suit and was committed to the county jail for thirty days or until such fine and costs should be paid.

A contract was signed Monday with Nathan Rogers, of Portland, by Messrs. Alvan Haines and S. G. Morgan for the construction of a first class 30 barrel grist mill three miles from this city on Gales Creek. The present building is to be finished up suitably and a granary

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New and Select Stock.

Now open and ready for business. Complete stock of drugs and chemicals. Careful attention to prescriptions; 20 years experience in the business.

Patent Medicines and Druggist's Notions.

A full line of Books and Stationery in stock.

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A share of the patronage of the public is solicited. Call and see us. Corner opposite The Alderman Hotel.

adjoining is to be built. The 60 horse power there is in the mill race will be transmitted by a turbine wheel. The mill will be in operation by July.

The Truckee Line.

The steamer Truckee makes trips every two weeks regularly (except for bad weather) and carries freight and passengers from San Francisco to Portland, Astoria, and Tillamook, and to San Francisco. Freight rates from Portland or San Francisco to Hobsonville only \$3.00 per ton, fair measurements, and no transfers to damage goods. This old, reliable transportation line has done much to prevent excessive freights for Tillamook, and two steamers are run when the business justifies it.

Excellent passenger accommodations. Rates: First class, \$15, or \$24 for round trip. Steerage, one way, \$9.00.

TRUCKEE LUMBER CO.
249 Berry St., San Francisco.
J. E. SIBLEY, Hobsonville, Ore.
Agent.

DON'T STOP TOBACCO.

How to Cure Yourself While Using It.

The tobacco habit grows on a man until his nervous system is seriously affected, impairing health, comfort and happiness. To quit suddenly is too severe a shock to the system, as tobacco, to an inveterate user becomes a stimulant that his system continually craves. Baco-Curo, is a scientific cure for the tobacco habit, in all its forms, carefully compounded after the formula of an eminent Berlin Physician who has used it in his private practice since 1872, without a failure, purely vegetable and guaranteed perfectly harmless. You can use all the tobacco you want, while taking Baco-Curo, it will notify you when to stop. We give a written guarantee to permanently cure any case with three boxes or refund the money with ten per cent. interest. Baco-Curo is not a substitute, but a scientific cure, that cures without the aid of will power and with no inconvenience. It leaves the system as pure and free nicotine as the day you took your first chew or smoke. Sold by all druggists with our ironclad guarantee, at \$1.00 per box, three boxes, (thirty days treatment,) \$2.50, or sent direct upon receipt of price. SEND SIX TWO-CENT STAMPS FOR SAMPLE BOX, BOOKLET AND PROOFS FREE. Eureka Chemical & Manufacturing Company, Manufacturing Chemists, LaCrosse, Wisconsin.

For Sale at a Great Sacrifice.

80 acres of land in Tillamook county, described as follows: S E 1/4 of N W 1/4 and the S W 1/4 of N E 1/4 of sec. 16, tp 3 S, R 9 W. No incumbrance, \$3.50 per acre, cash. Address at once. J. F. BARFIELD, Santa Cruz, Cal.

Hardware Talk!

Heard at

G. E. REYNOLDS.

I'll roast you, said the Stove.
Look out, I'm on a strike, said the Hammer.

I've got you, said the Barb-Wire.
I'll catch on, said the Tongs.
I'll scoop him, said the Shovel.
I'll get your bacon, said the Butcherknife.

You're not as sharp as I, said the Tack.

Say nothing and saw wood, said the saw.

So a general quarrel ensued and if you want to hear how it ended and how cheap the above named articles can be bought, call on

C. E. REYNOLDS,
Hardware Merchant, Tillamook, Or.

Enterprise, Jr.,

The Noted Norman Stallion

He is a rich mahogany bay, black points, white star in forehead, large full bright eyes, fine flowing mane and tail, clean cut, well shaped head, held erect on a well-arched neck, good shoulders, broad chest, high on withers, good legs and feet. He is spirited showy and handsome, has good carriage and fine action, 17 hands high, weighs in order 1700. He is a horse that is much needed on this coast, and when crossed with trotting and running bred mares produces fine carriage and road horses. He has received several premiums, among them first premiums at Oakland and San Jose and second at Livermore, Cal.

PEDIGREE

Enterprise Jr. was sired by Norman horse Enterprise, (imported by Theo. Skillman, Petaluma, Cal.) he by the celebrated Norman horse St. Lawrence Dam, a Cleveland bay.

Terms and dates of standing will be given later. At present, call on, Geo. Elliott, Tillamook Ore.

Square Poultry Yards

GEO. O. SLOAN,

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FOREST GROVE, - ORE.

Greeder of

2 Yards of White Laghorns
3 " Brown "
1 " B. B. Hamburgs
2 " Wyandottes
3 " Plymouth Rocks
1 " Indian Games
1 " White Footed
Black Spanihh

Win more premiums at the State Fair in hot competition than any other exhibitor. Also won sweepstakes. Stock this season better than ever, and prices lower. Send for price list of fowls and eggs.

Semi-Annual Statement.

SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT

Of the County Treasurer of Tillamook County, Oregon, for the six months ending on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1895, of money received and paid out, from whom received and on what source, and on what account paid out:

DATE	AMOUNT RECEIVED	FROM WHAT SOURCE	GEN'L. FUND.	SCH'L. FUND.
1894-1895				
September 30	To amount on hand from last report	All sources	\$ 3263 49	\$ 616 19
October 31	To amount received from	Taxes	667 06	105 35
November 12	"	Fines		10 00
" 30	"	All sources	755 62	
December 6	"	Taxes		97 72
" 10	"	Fines		20 00
" 31	"	All sources	667 56	
January 31	"	Taxes		51 43
February 28	"	All sources	824 73	80 91
March 31	"	Taxes	289 00	
" 31	"	All sources	3415 90	747 88
			\$983 36	\$1773 48

DATE	AMOUNTS PAID OUT.	GEN'L. FUND.	SCH'L. FUND.
1894-1895			
November 30	By amounts paid out on County warrants	\$ 1072 05	\$
March 31	By amount paid out on School Supt's warrants	4585 15	439 05
" 31	By balance General Fund on hand		1334 43
" 31	By balance Road Fund on hand	766 58	
" 31	By balance Institute Fund on hand	83 40	
" 31	By balance Building Fund on hand	1478 05	
" 31	By balance Incidental Fund on hand	151 42	
" 31	By balance Indigent Soldier's Fund on hand	99 57	
" 31	By balance Special Fund on hand	734 72	
" 31	By balance State Fund on hand	971 82	
		\$983 36	\$1773 48

STATE OF OREGON, ss

I, John Barker, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the amounts received, paid out and remaining on hand, in the County Treasury of said County for the six months ending on the 31st day of March A. D. 1895.

Witness my hand this 15th day of April A. D. 1895

JOHN BARKER, County Treasurer.

SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT

Of the amount of Money and Warrants received for taxes and money paid to the county treasurer by the Sheriff of Tillamook County, Oregon, for the six months ending on the 31st day of March A. D. 1895.

TO AMOUNT RECEIVED.	OCT'BER	NOV.	DEC.	JAN.	FEB'R.	MARCH.
In Coin and Currency	\$ 582 00	\$ 652 09	\$ 583 73	\$ 641 49	\$	\$ 2056 65
In County Warrants						1126 90
Fees received in Civil cases	23 60	15 75	23 40		62 31	35 23
Total received.....	\$ 605 60	667 84	607 13	641 49	62 31	\$718 84

BY AMOUNTS PAID	OCT'BER	NOV.	DEC.	JAN.	FEB.	MARCH.
To County Treasurer	\$ 582 00	\$ 652 09	\$ 583 73	\$ 641 49	\$	\$ 2056 65
To County Treasurer on fees	23 60	15 75	23 40		62 31	35 23
Total paid to treasurer.....	605 60	667 84	607 13	641 49	62 31	\$718 84

STATE OF OREGON, ss

I, J. H. Jackson, Sheriff of said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct and true.

Witness my hand this 1st day of April A. D. 1895.

J. H. JACKSON, Sheriff of Tillamook County.

SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT

Of the County Clerk of Tillamook County, State of Oregon, showing the amount and number of claims allowed by the County Court of said County, for what allowed, amount of warrants drawn, and amounts of warrants outstanding and unpaid, from the 1st day of Oct. 1894, to the 31st day of March 1895, both inclusive.

ON WHAT ACCOUNT ALLOWED	NO. OF CLAIMS ALLOWED.	AMOUNT OF CLAIMS ALLOWED.	AMOUNT OF WARRANTS DRAWN.
Salary of County Judge	3	\$ 333 33	\$ 333 33
Fees of County Commissioners	10	148 00	148 00
Salary of County Clerk	5	750 00	750 00
Salary of Deputy County Clerk	5	386 67	386 67
Salary of County Sheriff	9	955 80	955 80
Salary of Deputy Sheriff	5	300 00	300 00
Fees of County Assessor	2	625 00	625 00
Fees of County Surveyor (except road work).	1	34 00	34 00
Salary of County School Superintendent	7	199 88	199 88
Salary of County Treasurer	4	166 75	166 75
Salary of County Stock Inspector	2	16 67	16 67
Fees of District Attorney	8	122 80	122 80
Circuit Court Claims	87	707 30	707 30
County Court expenses	1	9 00	9 00
Justice's Court Claims	99	330 92	330 92
Roads and Bridges	90	1754 64	1754 64
Support of Indigents	4	60 80	60 80
Expense of Insane	5	31 75	31 75
Expense of Inquest	22	76 50	76 50
Books, Stationery and Printing	12	491 51	491 51
Miscellaneous expenses	20	380 50	380 50
Total amount of claims allowed and drawn.	493	\$ 7846 21	\$ 7846 21

AMOUNT OF OUTSTANDING WARRANTS UNPAID.	PRINCIPAL	INTEREST
Outstanding unpaid county warrants on the 31 day of March '95	\$ 25197 95	
Estimated interest accrued thereon		\$1000
Total amount of unpaid county warrants	\$ 26197 95	

STATE OF OREGON, ss

I, T. H. Goysen, County Clerk of the County of Tillamook, State of Oregon, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct statement of the number and amount of claims allowed by the County Court of said County, for the six months ending on the 31 day of March 1895, on what account the same were allowed, and the amount of warrants drawn, and the amount of warrants outstanding and unpaid as the same appear upon the records of my office in my official custody. Witness my hand and the Seal of the County Court of said County this 5 day of April 1895.

T. H. GOYSEN, County Clerk.

SEMI-ANNUAL SUMMARY STATEMENT

Of the Financial Condition of the County of Tillamook, in the State of Oregon, on the 31st day of March A. D. 1895.

DATE-1895	LIABILITIES	AMT.
To warrants drawn on the County Treasurer and outstanding and unpaid		\$25197 95
To estimated amount of interest accrued thereon		1000 00
To county bonds		5000 00
Total Liabilities		\$31197 95
DATE-1895	RESOURCES	AMT.
By Funds in hands of Treasurer applicable to the payment of Warrants.		\$ 2104 77
By funds on hands of sheriff applicable to the payment of Warrants		26472 81
By estimated unpaid Current Taxes applicable to the payment of Warrants		6179 95
By amount due on land bought for tax at Sheriff's sale incl. per cent. added		\$33759 53
Total Resources		\$33759 53