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BUSINESS CONDUCT NEEDED.

Astoria's need just now is business conduct on the part of her commercial bodies. There should be no delay in appointing Astoria's "select man" to take a hand in the great railway deal now pending in the Pacific Northwest.

It is childish not to take a business stand in the matter and demand to be heard by all the railroads including the A. & C. The chamber of commerce should have a special session to deliberate on this important matter.

But the "open railway" by making Astoria a common point with Tacoma will add at least seven cents a bushel, or \$2.50 a ton, to the wheat of the inland Empire, because of cheaper ocean freights, through heavier ship tonnage and superior terminals at Astoria.

The "open river" is all right and it is a project that has had and ever will have Astoria's earnest support, but the "open railway" is a still greater boon which Astoria can offer to Spokane and her farmers with a little co-operation on their part.

THE COUNTY COURT.

Compiled by J. H. Wherity, County Clerk, by order of County Court.

(Official Report.)

In the County Court of the state of Oregon, in and for the County of Clatsop, Wednesday, November 8th, 1899. First Judicial Day of November term. Present: Hon. J. H. D. Gray, Judge; H. Lewis and C. Peterson, Commissioners, H. J. Wherity, Clerk, and Thos. Linville, Sheriff.

Court met and was duly opened at 1:30 o'clock p. m. In the matter of C. S. Carrothers and twenty-seven others to lay out a county road to-wit:

Commencing at the Southwest corner of the Donation Land Claim of James Taylor in Clatsop County, Oregon, and running thence east along the south boundary line of said claim to Carnehan Hill; thence around the north side of Carnehan Hill and the north end of Cullaby Lake to the east boundary line of said Donation Land Claim; thence by the most practical route across Sections 11 and 12 of T. 7, N. R. 10 W. to a point in the north boundary line of the A. Montgomery Donation Land Claim, in said county and state and thence along the said

north boundary line and from there by the most practical route, to the west end of the County Draw Bridge across the Lewis and Clark river, upon the last mentioned Donation Land Claim.

Now on this day comes P. J. Taylor and presents the petition of C. S. Carrothers and twenty-seven others, to lay out and establish a county road. And it satisfactorily appearing to the Court from the proof accompanying the petition, that notice has been given as by law required, and that more than twelve of said petitioners are legal householders of Clatsop County, Oregon, and that a good and sufficient bond has been given. It is therefore ordered that T. B. Morrison, Robert M. Lowe and L. G. West be appointed viewers, and R. C. F. Astbury, surveyor and that they meet at the residence of C. W. Carnhan, on Monday, November 20, 1899, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. and enter upon the discharge of their duties in this behalf.

Bills on General Fund examined and allowed as follows:

Mrs. T. O'Brien, care of Osborn for October, \$10.00; Mrs. B. Grant, care for McIver & Johnson for October \$20.00; Mrs. Fise, allowance for October \$6.00; Expenses, State vs. Jacob Steel, \$18.60; vs. Alf. Stagnlund, et al. \$15.45; vs. J. A. Flint, \$16.15; Astoria Gas Light Co., Gas etc., for October \$11.60; Foard & Stokes Co., supplies for Court House \$6; Griffin & Reed, same \$1.25; Fisher Bros., lock for sheriff's office \$6; Foard & Stokes Co., stove etc., for Clerk's office, \$3.20; A. S. Tee, recording plat of Kosteman's addition, \$2.50; C. E. Runyon, transcribing testimony inquest of Margaret Dealy \$12.20; New Style Chop House, meals for prisoners in jail, \$10.00; C. A. May, keys for sheriff's office, \$5; A. V. Allen, matches for jail, \$5; A. McFarlane, repairs for jail roof, \$3.00; Foard & Stokes Co., stove, etc., for jailors room, \$6.00; M. S. Buchanan, rebate on taxes paid twice, \$17.67; C. L. Parker, room and water for A. Melin, \$2.00; I. Bergman, house rent for J. Gruber, 7 months, \$25; Fisher Bros., supplies for William Koch, \$4.90; Foard & Stokes Co., supplies for Mrs. Petto, \$6.00; Ross, Higgins & Co., supplies for Hendricksen, \$5.00; Sakara, \$4.00; and Geo. Wilson, \$5.00; A. V. Allen, supplies for A. Melin, October, \$5.00; August, \$4.95; Mrs. Peterson, \$5.00; J. V. Marion supplies for Mrs. Banich, \$4.00; Scholfield & Hanke supplies for R. Watson, \$5.00; Carver & White, supplies for Mrs. Raymond, \$5.00; Mrs. T. O'Brien, board for Angus McLean, \$5.00; and Van Loan \$10.00; Mrs. J. Warnstaff board for J. K. Addis, \$10.00; Thomas Fannon, Com. Cash. Post. supplies etc., for Weiland and Melborn \$17.20; Foard & Stokes Co., supplies etc., \$4.00; Fisher Bros., coal oil \$2.30; Clatsop Mill Co., lumber \$7.50; H. F. Prael Transfer Co., drays on lumber etc., for Keepers dwelling, Young's Bay Bridge, \$3.00; C. L. Houston, repairs to Necanicum bridge, \$24.50; Leander Lebeck, driving piling etc., bridge at Young's River Pulp Mill, \$9.00; D. J. Ingalls, repairs to bridge between Hardes and Melville P.O. \$12.50; A. S. Tee work on county maps \$9; J. S. Dellinger, book for Recorder's office, \$15.00; and blanks for Sheriff's office, \$3.00; Dr. Alfred Kinney, examination of Hulda Anderson, \$5.00; Dr. J. Tuttle, examination of "Spoon" and Warra, \$10.00; Herald Publishing Company, publishing proceedings, \$12.00; P. W. Ferguson on letter heads and envelopes, for Recorder, \$5.00; H. J. Wherity stamps for Clerk's office, \$4.52; Thomas Linville, stamps for Sheriff's office, \$1.15; J. C. Clinton, stamps for Recorder's office, \$1.50; Moses Klinger & Co., repairs to Treasurer's dater, 60 cents; O. T. & T. Co., telephone for Nov. \$2; Levi Wooden, building work, two bridges near 11 mile post, \$13.50; Peter O. Wage, work building same, \$22.

Order that court do now adjourn until tomorrow at 10 o'clock a. m. Thursday, Nov. 8th, 1899, 24 day of term. Present same as yesterday. Court met and was duly opened at 9:30 o'clock a. m.

Bills on special road fund examined and allowed as follows:

R. A. Abbott, \$4.50; T. Kables, \$1.50; H. Kables, \$19.12 for labor road district No. 1; H. Ahles, \$1.50; A. Olson, \$1.50; Henry Hill, \$4; S. K. Stanley, \$25; Chas. Hanson, \$16; A. Condit, 42 cents; P. Condit, \$6; Labor road district No. 3, Fisher Bros.; Supplies for road district No. 4, J. Gustafson, \$15; Wm. Tafelmehr, \$22; B. Gallagher, \$16; J. Latta \$1; A. Carlson, \$5; R. Sealey, \$5; for labor and Fisher Bros., supplies for road district No. 6, A. B. McMillen, \$3.25; Fred Watson, \$3.45; Jacob Butts, \$33.20; Labor road district No. 7, C. O. Anderson, \$15; T. N. Nelson, \$6.75; A. J. Peterson, \$12.75; Labor road district No. 12, John Sundau, \$7.50;

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Alex. Moody, \$4.50; M. Blomquist, \$15.95; Karl Peterson, \$12.50; Labor road district No. 16; A. Lewis, \$5.25; P. Gullickson, \$7; A. L. Johnson, \$5.25; Labor road district No. 17, Warrenton mills, supplies road district No. 18, \$2.69.

Communication read from W. E. Joplin, superintendent of road district No. 12, in regard to the road around Store hill. Ordered that said communication be received and placed on file.

Communication read from D. J. Ingalls, superintendent of road district No. 4, informing the court that he advertised for bids for the building of a bridge, between Stavebolt landing and Eland's place, and that he had received no bids, but that he will build the bridge for \$25. Ordered that the superintendent of road district No. 4 be instructed to furnish specifications for the proposed bridge.

Communication read from P. O. Wage, superintendent of road district No. 15, to the effect that the bridge on the county road near the 11 mile post, is dangerous and unsafe for teams to cross. Ordered that the superintendent of said road district be instructed to post notices, calling for bids to repair or rebuild said bridge, and forward bids to the county court on or before the first day of the next term of the court.

Ordered that the court do now adjourn until tomorrow at 10 o'clock a. m. Friday, Nov. 10, 1899, 34 day of term. Present same as yesterday, court met and was duly opened at 10 o'clock a. m.

Communication read from Chas. G. Johnson, superintendent of road district No. 18, notifying the court that at a regular meeting of the common council of the town of New Astoria, a resolution was passed instructing the superintendent to request the county court to allow him to expend the balance of the money in said road district



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on county roads connected with streets within the limits of said town. Ordered that said request be granted. Ordered that the court do now adjourn sine die. Attest: H. J. WHERITY, J. H. D. GRAY, Clerk, Judge.

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