

THE COUNTY EXPENSES

Proceedings of Board of County Commissioners.

Officers Bonds Are Approved—Roads Established and Many Bills Allowed.

Pursuant to adjournment the board of county commissioners of Whitman county, Washington, met on the 3rd day of January, A. D., 1905, members Klemgard and Sherley being present.

General Claims.

The following claims were examined and allowed on the current expense fund:

Table listing various expenses and amounts, including items like 'Allen, L. E. expense as treasurer', 'Alexander, J. E. expense for sheriff', and 'Bramwell Bros. supplies for sheriff's court'.

Cost Bills.

The following cost bills were examined and allowed on the current expense fund:

Road District Claims Allowed.

The following claims were examined and allowed on the various road districts:

Table listing road district claims and amounts, including 'Bilyeu, Henry, labor', 'Cogburn, Wesley, labor', and 'Conger, Lee, labor'.

DISTRICT No. 3. Table listing various labor and supply expenses for District No. 3, including 'Abbott, S. J. labor', 'Barber, Guy, labor', and 'Bisland, C. H. labor'.

excepting those tracts on which delinquent certificates were out. Road Matters. The warrant was instructed to draw his warrant in favor of the auditor for judgment of Superior court in favor of William Huntley for right of way in the Condon road, the amount being for \$200, to be paid to the county clerk in payment of the judgment. The auditor was also instructed to draw his warrant in favor of the auditor for judgment of \$450 to Mrs. Freida Witte, and to Albert Witte \$250, and to Samuel H. Weitman \$750, said sums to be paid to the county clerk in payment of the judgments for said sums to said parties given them in the Superior court in case of the H. A. Prince road. Upon the petition of J. E. Barbae and others for the proposed Barbae change in Andesson change in C. Q. Martin road, the county surveyor was instructed to make an examination and survey of the proposed road. Upon the petition of J. E. Barbae and others for the proposed Barbae change in Fletcher road, the surveyor was instructed to make an examination and survey of the proposed road. Upon the petition of W. M. Shawgo and others for the proposed Grant change in Phillips road, the surveyor was instructed to make an examination and survey of the proposed road. The board fixed the time for the hearing of the surveyor's reports on the following named roads as follows, to-wit: Jenkins road, February 8, 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m.; J. K. Smith road, February 8, 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m.; Snyder road, March 8, 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m.; branch of Hitchings road, March 8, 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m. The following named roads were ordered opened: H. A. Prince road, Condon road. The report of the surveyor on the proposed widening of the C. C. Brannan road was heard and approved by the board. Roads Established. The reports of the surveyor on the following named roads were heard and approved by the board and said roads were ordered established: Davis change in the G. N. Clark road. Willow Creek and Meeker Hill road, and damages were allowed to Francis H. and Emma L. Gary of \$393.13. The report of the surveyor on the proposed S. P. Shawgo road was heard and said road was rejected. DRESS HINTS. Well brushed skirts, well cleaned shoes and a trim waist line cost very little. A dull shade of heliotrope is apt to take the color out of the cheeks and lips, but buff and yellow are becoming to the majority of people. Fine clothes should be brushed lightly and with rather a soft brush. Lay the garment on the table and brush it in the direction of the nap. An excellent way of caring for ribbons is to wind them upon spools large enough to hold them without folding. For sash ribbons a bit of old broanstick answers very well. This is an old suggestion, but it will bear repeating ever so often: Pack away a white silk gown in blue paper wrappings, and place in the box where they cannot touch the silk two or three small cakes of white wax. This will prevent the silk from yellowing. Henry Clay's Pot Roast. This is said to be Henry Clay's favorite dish and is guaranteed to be after a recipe of Mrs. Clay: Have the butcher extract the bone from the rump roast and take a few stitches to keep the piece in shape. Place in an iron pot with a tight cover. Put in with it two small onions with two cloves stuck in each, a pod of red pepper, two carrots, salt and a little allspice. Pour enough boiling water over the beef to nearly cover it. Let it come to a hard boil, then set the pot where it will just simmer for six hours. Place the beef on a hot dish, strain the gravy, and take off every particle of grease. Have ready one-half teaspoonful of sugar browned in a saucepan, pour the gravy over it, and thicken with a little flour. When cooked pour over the beef. Cut up the carrots and arrange around the meat. A better pot roast could hardly be cooked. A Test For Mahogany. So closely are many of the new pieces of mahogany modeled after the genuine antiques in form and color that only an expert can tell the difference. "There is one way, however," declares a well known connoisseur in antique furnishings, "that you can always distinguish between the genuine and its copy. Put your knuckles against it as you would against a mirror to tell its real thickness. If it is well varnished, so that it brings out the reflection of the finger clearly, you may be sure it is new. If the reflection is clouded it is antique." Saved From Terrible Death. The family of Mrs. M. L. Bobbitt of Bargerton, Tenn., saw her dying and were powerless to save her. 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FEMINE PROPRIETY. A Few Words of Advice to All Girls of Any Age. It seems strange that there should be a question in the minds of even a girl of twelve or fourteen as to the propriety of certain things. Let me say to all girls of any age that a well behaved girl will not give so much as a kiss to any man or boy unless she is engaged to be married to him, and the wise girl is even then very demure. So many girls ask, "May my escort salute me when he brings me home from a party?" Certainly not, nor at any time except as above stated—that is, if "salute" means a kiss. Girls, you cannot keep yourselves too proudly or daintily to yourself. Your friends will respect you the more and you will keep a sweet and fresh heart for the right person. Some ask, "Is there any harm in dancing?" No, not if the dance is not made a romp and an excuse for too great liberty. Dancing is a wholesome recreation if done gracefully, and perfectly ladylike if no coarse behavior is allowed to spoil it. So, too, other games can be made or marred by the conduct of the young people. But the chief difficulty begins by girls beginning to be young ladies too soon. I cannot insist too much on the fact that it is unbecoming, common, vulgar, for girls of twelve to sixteen to talk of beaux, to be out at night without their mothers, older sisters or brothers, to be going to dances and to other places with boys or men alone. There are reasons which girls cannot understand why this should be, but their mothers or guardians ought to know and keep them under their own guidance.—McCall's Magazine. WHEN MOTHER SAYS "NO." Teach the Children to Understand That the Decision is Final. "No" is characterized as "a monosyllable the easiest learned by a child, but the most difficult to practice by the man." Dr. Johnson displays a world of wisdom in these few simple lines, and the saying is no less true in regard to women than it is to men. It seems cold and heartless to a man to refuse to lend a friend a little money to tide over some anxious time, and yet it is a great question as to whether he is justified in doing so if he himself is forced to make some of his own creditors wait while his money is fulfilling a friend's need. In domestic life a woman has also much to call for the little monosyllable "No." She may dislike to disappoint her children in some matters, but knows in her heart of hearts that the granted favor would be bad for their health or future happiness. Yet how few mothers do say "No" under such circumstances! And they excuse themselves by saying it is bad for children to be thwarted! So it is, but if the said children were brought up to know that their mother had always a good reason for her decision and was not to be cajoled out of that decision the mother would save a great deal of annoyance both to herself and to others thrown in contact with her offspring.—Philadelphia Ledger. Cured His Mother of Rheumatism. "My mother has been a sufferer for many years from rheumatism," says W. H. Howard of Husband, Pennsylvania. "At times she was unable to move at all, while at all times walking was painful. I presented her with a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and after a few applications she decided it was the most wonderful pain reliever she had ever tried, in fact, she is never without it now and is at all times able to walk. An occasional application of Pain Balm keeps away the pain she was formerly troubled with." For sale by Elk Drugstore. Go to the O. R. & N. barn, just opened at Diamond, Wash. Good turkeys, and careful attention given to transient stock. Jack Stuart, Proprietor. For coal and wood ring up F. W. Brickner, Phone Main 281. "I have no more nervous headaches and rest very well at night." 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