

ORDER KJACK ROAD FOR MALDEN

COMMISSIONERS HAVE BUSY ONE DAY'S SESSION--TAX AND ROAD MATTERS CONSIDERED.

ABSTRACT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, WHITMAN COUNTY, WASHINGTON.

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, December 18, 1911, all the members present.

CURRENT EXPENSE CLAIMS ALLOWED.

Table listing various expense claims and their amounts, including Anderson, J. A., livery for Commissioner, and others.

ROAD AND BRIDGE CLAIMS ALLOWED.

Improvement Road No. 5. Byer, Clifford, assistant surveyor, \$4.00. Grimes, W. B., assistant surveyor, 4.00.

ROAD DISTRICT CLAIMS ALLOWED.

Table listing road district claims for various districts, including Finch & Sons, drayage, and others.

ORDERS AS TO TAXES.

Certificates of delinquency covering the 1/2 of 22-13-39 for the taxes of 1909 and prior years amounting to \$40.49 were ordered to be redeemed for the reason that all of said lands except the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 was, prior to 1909, Government land.

ROAD MATTERS.

The hearing in the matter of the George Noe farm on a Stephens road was continued to February 19, 1912, at 1:00 o'clock p. m.

town of Winona for the period of one year.

The County Engineer's first estimate of grading done on Improvement Road No. 1 to December 5, 1911, was filed, said estimate showing the work so done to amount to \$1382.50.

The County Superintendent's report of expenditures from the Institute Fund was approved.

The Board made an Order releasing Hanna & Hanna and U. L. Ettinger from all obligations to further prosecute or assist in prosecuting any of the persons who were connected with the failure of the Palouse State Bank.

Appeal from the action of the County Superintendent in transferring the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of 30-17-44 from School District No. 27 to School District No. 51, having been filed with the Board, the order made by the Board on November 20, 1911, approving said action, was vacated and the County Superintendent was directed to file with the Board on or before 20 days from date a transcript of his proceedings in making said transfer.

The Board adjourned to meet January 2, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m.

State of Washington, County of Whitman, ss.

I, S. M. McCroskey, County Auditor of Whitman County, State of Washington, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct abstract of the proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners at a meeting held December 18, 1911, as I verily believe.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 19th day of December, 1911.

S. M. McCroskey, County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners. By B. F. MANRING, Deputy.

WHAT FARMERS SHOULD READ.

List of Books Prepared by Prof. Thatcher of State College.

The distinction between the "book-farmer" and the "practical farmer" no longer exists. The most successful men in farming, as in any up-to-date business, are those who read a great deal.

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The following books can be purchased through any book-seller. They are the best and most economical ones to have for general farm use.

General Farming, McLennan's

"Manual of Practical Farming" (MacMillan & Co.); Bailey's "Principles of Agriculture" (MacMillan & Co.); Robert's "The Farmstead" (MacMillan & Co.); Card's "Farm Management" (Doubleday, Page & Co.)

Crops. Hunt's "Cereals in America" (Orange Judd Co.); Vorhees' "Forage Crops" (MacMillan & Co.); Coburn's "Alfalfa" (Orange Judd Co.); Shaw's "Clovers and How to Grow Them" (Orange Judd Co.); "Modern Silage Methods" (Silver Mfg. Co., Salem, Ohio).

Machinery and Farm Mechanics. King's "Physics of Agriculture" (Madison, Wis.); Colbleigh's "Hand Farm Devices and How to Make Them" (Orange Judd Co.); Lynde's "Home Water Works" (Sturgis & Walton Co.); "Concrete on the Farm" (Atlas Portland Cement Co., New York).

Live Stock. Plumb's "Types and Breeds of Farm Animals" (Ginn & Co.); Henry's "Feeds and Feeding" (Madison, Wis.); Coburn's "Swine in America" (Orange Judd Co.); Johnstone's "The Horse Book" (Breeders Gazette, Chicago); "Modern Sheep" (American Sheep Breeders Co., Chicago); Mumford's "Beef Production" (Urbana, Ill.); Marshall's "Breeding Farm Animals" (Breeders Gazette).

Poultry. Brigham's "Progressive Poultry Culture" (The Torch Press, Cedar Rapids, Ia.); Sando's "American Poultry Culture" (Outing Pub. Co.); Robinson's "Poultry Craft" (Farm Poultry, Boston).

Dairying. Eckle's "Dairy Cattle and Milk Production" (MacMillan Co.); Michel's "Dairy Farming" (West Raleigh, N. C.); Farrington & Wall's "Testing Milk and Its Products" (Mendota Book Co., Madison, Wis.); Jensen's "Milk Hygiene" (Mendota Book Co.).

The Soil. King's "The Soil" (MacMillan Co.); Fletcher's "Soils" (Doubleday, Page & Co.); Snyder's "Soils and Fertilizers" (MacMillan & Co.).

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DOINGS RECORDED IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

Civil.

City of Pullman vs. O. W. R. & N. Co.--Order sustaining demurrer. Frances Alice Grant vs. Richard B. Grant--Decree of divorce granted to the plaintiff.

Thomas Culbertson vs. Gilbert Hunt Co.--Order overruling motion. Clarissa Ellen Dubay vs. Carl Worm--Demurrer of defendant to the complaint argued and taken under advisement by the Court.

B. D. Henry et al. vs. Frank Teal--Judgment against the defendant. State vs. T. W. Colvin--Committed to the State Training School.

A. W. Witherspoon vs. Palouse State Bank--Order to sell notes, mortgages, etc. W. F. Burrell vs. T. J. Powe et al.--Order of default.

J. A. Balsiger vs. M. B. Elliott--Judgment against the defendant. J. A. Balsiger vs. Farmers State Bank--Garnishee defendant; Judgment against defendant.

A. J. Davis vs. D. F. McDonald et al.--Judgment against the defendants. Farmers & Merchants State Bank of Malden vs. H. Mihalke et al.--Judgment against the defendants.

F. G. Monroe vs. J. E. Nelson et al.--Temporary injunction. A. B. Nordyke vs. Mrs. Martin Reichenauer--Order denying temporary injunction.

C. H. Ede vs. James A. Cole et al.--Judgment in favor of the plaintiff. Farmers Implement Company vs. American Express Company--Garnishee defendant--Order of dismissal.

W. F. Burrell, trustee, vs. T. J. Powe et al.--Decree to quiet title. Farmers Implement Co. vs. Jacob Weitz--Order of dismissal.

Sprague Rochdale Store Co. vs. Charles H. Golden et ux.--Judgment against the defendants. Probate.

Estate of Walter G. Kretzer--Order fixing time for settlement, and Order to show cause on distribution. Estate of Nora B. Wilson--Order fixing time for hearing on confirmation of sale of real estate.

Estate of W. M. Alexander--Order admitting will to probate and appointing Florence Alexander executrix without bonds. Guardianship of Wauneta Alice Calfee et al.--Letters issued to J. L. Calfee.

Estate of Harris W. Crees--Order confirming appraisal. Estate of John Vourliss--Order approving appraisal.

Estate of Frank Dowling--Letters of administration issued to Annie Dowling. Estate of Mary Jane Calfee--Order appointing guardian ad litem; Order approving final account, and Decree of distribution.

Estate of Henry C. O'Dell--Order admitting will to probate and appointing Mary C. O'Dell executrix without bonds; Order appointing appraisers. Estate of Daniel P. L. Koogle--Petition for letters of administration and Order fixing time for hearing.

Estate of Mary L. Slinkard--Order appointing T. A. Slinkard administrator upon filing a bond for \$3000.00. Estate of Margaret L. Syron--Order approving final account; Decree of distribution.

Estate of Bernard Kilkelly--Order to lease real estate. Estate of Fossie L. Steiner--Petition to sell real estate, and Order to show cause. Kittle Cook--Petition for letters of administration and Order fixing time for hearing.

Estate of Sadie Mood--Order appointing guardian ad litem. Guardianship of Anda B. Syron et al.--Letters issued to Silas P. Syron. Estate of Wells Babcock--Petition for permanent administrator and Order fixing time for hearing.

Estate of George W. and Ella Folland--Order appointing John Mollin administrator with bond at \$200.00; Order appointing appraisers. Estate of Henry Van Schoick--Order admitting will to probate and appointing Charles H. Van Schoick executor without bonds.

Estate of Margaret Syron--Order closing estate. Estate of v. M. Alexander--Order appointing appraisers. Guardianship of Susie Nichols--Decree approving final account of guardian and discharging guardian and his bond.

Estate of Orville R. France--Order admitting will to probate and appointing Ella J. France executrix without bond; Order directing publication of notice to creditors and Order appointing appraisers.

Estate of Clara E. Busch--Order fixing time for settlement, and Order to show cause on distribution. New Cases.

B. D. Henry and M. J. Rumbaugh vs. Frank Teal--Action for money due on note. A. J. Davis vs. F. D. McDonald and J. W. McDonald--Action for money due on note.

Farmers & Merchant State Bank of Malden vs. H. Mihalke et ux.--Action for money due on notes. F. G. Monroe vs. J. E. Nelson et al.--Foreclosure of chattel mortgage.

First National Bank of Malden vs. A. F. Johnson--Action for money due on note. George A. Schy vs. Nellie P. Schy--Action for divorce.

State vs. L. Borin--Petit larceny. State vs. Harry Felton--Assault in the third degree.

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An Elemental Error.

A judge was angling in the Manitowick waters and just after dinner became involved in an argument with his boat companion. The debate lasted some minutes, and during that time the judge had his baited hook dangling in the air over his shoulder. The guide took a hand. "Judge," said he peremptorily, "drop your line in the water. There are no flying fish around here."--Chicago Post.

A Rich One.

The Visitor--And what are you going to make of him? Mamma--I want him to be a philanthropist. "Why, there's no money in that." "But all the philanthropists have been very rich."

A Reminder.

Dearborn--What have you got that string tied about your finger for? Wash--Oh, I've been getting married, and my wife doesn't want me to forget it.--Boston Herald.

Its Sort.

"Did Jerry ever tell you the time when he made his opponents bottle up their wrath?" "Yes; it's a corking story."--Baltimore American.

Not in Use There.

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