

And Judicial Day.

Wednesday, Oct. 7th 1896.

In the matter of
the petition of
Fred Hill for Li-
quor License.

This matter came on to be heard at this time on the petition of Fred Hill for license to sell, spirituous, malt and vinous liquors in less quantities than one gallon in Comstock Precinct. And it appearing to the Court that said petition is signed by any actual superior of all the legal voters of said Precinct. That notice has been published for four consecutive weeks as by law required, proof of which has been filed herein. That the said petitioner has paid into the County Treasurer \$500.⁰⁰ as required by law and filed his receipt for the same with the Clerk of this Court. That a good and sufficient undertaking in the sum of \$,000.⁰⁰ has been given and approved by the Judges of this Court. That there has been no remonstrance filed herein or cause shown why the said petition should not be granted. It is therefore considered and ordered by the Court that the said petition be granted and that license issue to the said Fred Hill to sell, spirituous, malt and vinous liquors in less quantities than one gallon in Comstock Precinct for the period of six months from Oct. 9th 1896.

In the matter of the
read petition for
by W. C. Birch, et al.

This matter came on to be heard at this time on the report of the Turners and Quonper herein for the first reading and the said report having been read in open Court for the first time. It is therefore ordered that the said report be laid over for a second reading on some other day of this term of Court.

In the matter of the
vacation of certain streets
and Lots in Presquero
addition to La Grande.

At this time the Court yet being fully advised in the premises. It is ordered that this matter be continued for the term.

Term Judicial Day.

Tuesday Nov 5 1890.

Court met pursuant to adjournment.

The same officers were present as on yesterday.

A proclamation of the opening of Court having been made, the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was read, approved and hereupon signed.

J. N. Sanders
County Judge.

Thereupon the following proceedings ensued, to wit:

In the matter of the petition and motion for partition of Pedumore's addition to La Grande, Union County, Oregon.

And now, to wit: Tuesday November 5th 1890, this matter came regularly on to be heard upon the petition of Spalding & Co. to vacate certain lots, streets, and alleys in Pedumore's addition to the City of La Grande, Union County, Oregon, which are hereinafter set out and particularly described, the petitioners appearing by J. M. Smorlie, Esq. and C. H. Eason, Esq. of counsel and in person and offering proper proof in support of their petition. It appears to the Court here that on the 7th day of July, A. D. 1890, that the La Grande Land Company, a private corporation, duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Oregon, with its principal place of business at La Grande, Oregon, being then and there the owner and manager of duly surveyed, laid out, platted and acknowledged the East half of the North west 1/4, and the North half of the North east 1/4 of the South west 1/4 of Sec 5, in Township 13 South of Range 38 E. W. M. in Union County, Oregon, into town lots, blocks, alleys and streets and named and designated the same as Pedumore's addition to the City of La Grande Union County, Oregon, that further, and on the 7th day of August A. D. 1890, the said Corporation duly dedicated said streets and alleys so laid out and embraced in said Pedumore's addition and then and there filed and recorded said plat, survey, acknowledgment and dedication of said streets and alleys and said Pedumore's addition, as aforesaid, in the said records of said Union County, Oregon, as provided by law, that now, that portion of said Pedumore's addition to said La Grande, Oregon

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sought to be vacated here without the corporate limits of said City, and the same has never been incorporated to this day, in any manner. That said part sought to be vacated consists of English Blacke subdivided into lots with plots and alleys. And more particularly described and numbered as follows: Blacke numbered 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, & 36, and the lots connected therewith and sought to be vacated are named as Square, Slater, Water, Furnish, M. Donald and parts of North Fir, North Depot, and North Greenwood streets. That it further appears that the said petitioners Spalding & Co, are the absolute owners and possessors of said lots and Blacke, that they are unoccupied, except as hereinafter set out, lie contiguous to each other and that no other persons have any interest therein or to any part thereof. That the streets above named run and lie between and along said Blacke and lots and are not necessary for public easements, nor opening, or any of them public highways. That it further appears that said lots and Blacke and streets are no longer valuable as residence or business or town property, nor are they marketable as such, but are valuable for agricultural purposes. That further, it appears to this Court that the petition for such vacation was duly presented to this Court and filed with the County Clerk of Union County, Oregon, thirty days prior to the first day of the sitting of this term of County Court and notice of the same by said application and of such presentation of petition to this Court duly advertised for full thirty days before the first day of this term of this Court by posting upon said addition, three written notices, each in the most conspicuous places and in plain view of the public as by law required, and by newspaper published in said addition. That further there is no objection or remonstrance filed with this Court against said petition or the allowance. It is therefore considered and adjudged, ordered and decreed by this Court that all of what is known as Blacke numbered 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 31, 32, 34, 35 & 36, and all of Blacke numbered 33, except lots 6, 7 and 8, siting of said Redmore's addition to La Grande, Union County, Oregon, as last set, surveyed, platted and recorded in the Union County records, with all the alleys thereof, together with the plots lying adjacent thereto and known as Donald, Furnish and

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Deare, struck and so much of North Eri, North Greenwood and North Depot streets which lie and are North of Walding street in said addition, and all of Water street except so much of the East end thereof as lies directly North of lots 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 in Block 33, as shall make an easement 40 feet wide for the benefit of said lots, as well as all of Water street except so much of the East end thereof, as lies directly South of what has heretofore been known as lots 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 in Block 33 of said addition as shall make an easement 40 feet wide for the benefit of said lots & as the same are hereby vacated, and the petitioning, acknowledging and recording of the same to be done for aught, and the said lots, alleys and streets to become and revert to the said petitioner, or their interests in the said lots, so vacated appear that said streets and parts of streets so vacated shall be held and considered no longer a public easement or open to the benefit of the public in any manner whatever and the decision thereof is hereby in all things resolved that in view of the cost of the proceedings hereby taxed at \$5 to be paid by said petitioner.

In the matter of allowing bills and requiring vacation on the same.

This matter came on to be heard at this time for the allowance of miscellaneous bills against the County and the bills having been submitted to the Court and the Court having taken action on the same, indeed upon the bills. This therefore considered and ordered by the Court that said bills be allowed and the warrants thereon issued on the County Treasurer for the same as follows, to wit:

No.	To whom issued	For what issued	Amount
1518	E. R. Lang	Salary Co Physician.	33 33
1519	Neilgard Lumber Co.	Lumber for Bd. Dist #39.	177 36
1520	R. A. Hamilton	do do.	191 67
1521	Ch. Lenoir	Work on Bridge below Neilgard.	100 00
1522	Ed. Burr	Judge + Messengers of Election Inaugural.	18 00
1523	Fred Steig	" "	6 00
1524	Fred Thomas	" "	6 00
1525	Ed. Burr	Clerk.	6 00
1526	Robert Wilson	" "	6 00
1527	Henry Gibson	Judge + Messengers " Sparta Precinct	15 00
			509 30

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7th, 1905.

Court met pursuant to adjournment.

Present: Same officers as on last Judicial Day.

Due proclamation of the opening of Court having been made, the journal of yesterday's proceedings was read, approved and is here now signed.

County Judge.

Robert Blumenthal

Commissioner.

J. M. Selder

Commissioner.

Thereupon the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

In the Matter of the appointment of G.M. Byrkit, Dennis McCullough, and W.F. Arnold, fire rangers.

Now at this time comes George Palmer, and petitions the Court for the appointment of fire rangers to act within the Elgin District, and it appearing to the Court that such Fire Rangers are necessary,

NOW THEREFORE in compliance with said petition and in pursuance with an act of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon, entitled "An Act providing for the protection of the forest and timber of the State of Oregon, and for the protection from forest fires and the destruction of timber by fire and providing for the appointment of fire rangers and defining their duties, etc.",

IT IS THEREFORE CONSIDERED and ORDERED, that G.M. Byrkit, Dennis McCullough and W.F. Arnold, be and they are hereby appointed Fire Rangers within Union County, State of Oregon, and that the Clerk issue commission to them as such, and that they be required to file their oath of office with said Clerk.

In the Matter of the application of Warren A. Spalding and Lilla A. Weed to set aside and cancel a portion of the order made and entered in said Court on the 6th day of November, A.D., 1896, attempting to vacate certain lots, blocks streets and alleys in Predmore's Addition to La Grande, Oregon.

And now, to-wit:- On Thursday, September 7th, 1905, this matter coming regularly on to be heard upon the petition of Warren A. Spalding and Lilla A. Weed, to cancel and set aside the order heretofore made by this Court vacating certain lots, blocks, streets, and alleys in Predmore's Addition to the City of La Grande, Union County, Oregon, so far as said order attempts to vacate blocks 7, 18, and 31, including alleys

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in said Predmore Addition, and also Sears Street and all that portion of North Depot, North Fir, and North Greenwood Streets, lying between Spalding Street and the North Line of Sears Street.

It appearing to the Court that heretofore, to-wit: On the 6th day of November, 1896, that on the petition of Warren A. Spalding and Lilla A. Calhoun, an order was duly made and entered vacating certain lots, blocks, streets and alleys in Predmore's Addition to the City of La Grande, Union County, Oregon, and that among said lots, blocks, streets and alleys so vacated, or attempted to be vacated by said order were blocks 7, 18, and 31, including the alleys in said Predmore Addition to La Grande, Oregon, and also Sears Street, and all that portion of North Depot, North Fir, North Greenwood Streets, in said Addition, lying North of Spalding Streets in said Addition, which said blocks 7, 18, and 31, including alleys in said Predmore's Addition to La Grande, Oregon, and also Sears Street, and all that portion of North Depot, North Fir, North Greenwood Streets in said Addition lying North of Spalding Street in said Addition, were so vacated by said County Court under the mistaken belief that said blocks, streets and alleys were out-side of the City limits of the City of La Grande, Oregon, and that therefore the said Court had jurisdiction to vacate the same, but in truth and in fact were inside of the said limits of said La Grande Oregon, and that said Court had no jurisdiction to vacate the same.

It further appearing to the Court that the petitioner, Lilla A. Weed, was the widow of Frederick S. Calhoun, and has succeeded to the interests of the said Frederick S. Calhoun in said above described real estate, it is by the Court ORDERED that all that portion of the order made and entered by the above entitled Court, on the 6th day of November, 1896, vacating and attempting to vacate blocks 7, 18, and 31, including the alleys therein, in Predmore's Addition to La Grande, Oregon, and also Sears Street, and all that portion of North Depot, North Fir, and North Greenwood Streets lying between Spalding Street and the North line of Sears Street in said Addition be cancelled and set aside and held for naught.

Done and dated this 7th day of September, A.D., 1905.

In the Matter of the claim for
damages by J.H. Hutchinson.

At this time it is ORDERED that this matter be and the same is hereby continued for the term.