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CITY CLAIMS NOT

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the neighborhood of \$1700. The city's offers will be reimbursed to this extent, regardless of what the first dividend is. Then, of course, as other dividends are declared, Mr. Wright will realize the reimbursement, but during that time, he will have to carry the non-interest bearing certificates. Mr. Wright's competent and honest services to the city of La Grande is costing him dearly.

Must File Proof.

There seems to be a misunderstanding on the part of several hundred creditors of the bank regarding the necessity of filing the required proof of their claims before the receiver. As a result of this neglect, there will be disappointment when the dividends are declared, for those who have not filed proof of their claims will not participate in the dividends. There are yet several days in which to prepare these proofs before the final accounts are closed and sent to Washington. In all, there are about 1900 names on the books and up to date only 571 who have filed their proofs. Of course, those who do not comply with the requirements will not lose their pro rata of the money due, but it will be held for them until they do make their proof, and when anything along government matters gets out of the ordinary charges additional delay follows.

IRRIGATION HOLDS BOARDS

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ing up interest in this meeting. Every farmer who has caught the inspiration of the wonders that water will do in this valley, should work his telephone overtime inducing his neighbors to attend.

Our readers would be surprised to know the extent the commercial interests of this state are watching the result of the attempt to irrigate the Grande Ronde valley. Grande Ronde valley is already famous for its fruit, its fine stock, dairy interests, hay-producing qualities and general productiveness, and with the well known results of irrigation wherever tried in the northwest, those who know us now expect greater things with water. The writer this week visited a number of the large wholesale houses in Portland and in three of these establishments two sentences had not passed until the question was asked, "How is your irrigation project coming?" and one added, "That will make a garden of your beautiful little valley."

It is no wonder the business men of Portland are interested in the development of the state. The business houses of Portland can only grow in proportion to the growth of the state. They now have numerous accounts throughout the state, when a few years ago they sold comparatively nothing. Today we have cities and car lines where a few years ago were desert tracts. You cannot tell the commercial world anything about irrigation; their ledgers tell the story more graphically than any pen.

It is true, when the northwest is now in the throes of winter and many sections of the state are flooded, it may seem in appropriate to talk irrigation, but on the other hand, this is the proper season to study actual conditions. On the summits of the Blue mountains, where we should have several feet of snow to insure good crops in Grande Ronde valley, there are only several inches of snow. Conditions have changed and are under a change that must be taken into consideration. The sawmills are thinning out the forests as a result the snows on the watersheds of Grande Ronde river do not remain as in former years when it was protected from the sun and winds. The result is the snows go off with the flood waters, and the deep, wooded canyons no longer act as natural reservoirs. We have as much snow one year with another, as ever, but it goes off now in a few weeks, where it required months in years past.

During the next 60 days there will be ample waste water rushing on to the sea unobstructed, from the rivers and streams of this valley, to irrigate every foot of it. The time is coming when these waters will not be waste waters, but will be stored. The beginning is to be made tomorrow afternoon. Nothing succeeds like success. Fortunately the beginning of the first large irrigation project is so practical and cheap as compared with other large irrigation projects that its suc-

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cess should not be in doubt; neither do we believe it is. However, the meeting tomorrow night will tell the story. If we permit this to pass, conditions may change so that when the strings are once more picked up, there will be expensive rights of way to condemn and many obstacles that do not exist today. Now is the accepted time, and let the land owner and the business man join hands for their mutual benefit and make a success of the meeting tomorrow night. If there was any doubt about the success of this meeting, La Grande could well afford to close up business tomorrow and see that this meeting is a success. That kind of enthusiasm is the kind that wins. If this irrigation project fails tomorrow night it will be because what is everybody's business is nobody's business. There is more than enough interest in this project to make it go if those deeply interested will attend. Let everyone see that they attend, also that their neighbors is there.

Band to Be Out.

The La Grande band will be out tomorrow afternoon to give rest color to the event that marks a new era in Union county's development.

DECISION IS REACHED

The circuit court of Umatilla county will have to hear the suit brought against the O. R. & N. by Mrs. Joseph Graybeal, wherein she alleges that the O. R. & N. company train crew set her off at a flag station and she was forced to walk many miles through the mountains in the dead of night. When the case was filed here for trial, action was brought to have the case transferred to Umatilla, as the alleged misconduct was committed there. Judge Knowles today sustained a motion to prevent service of the summons. Mrs. Graybeal sues for a large sum of money and much interest has been manifest in the decision to be made by Judge Knowles.

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