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I will sell at Auction Sale at My Farm 7 Miles North of La Grande on the Poothill Road, on MONDAY, MAY 1, 1916. Commencing at 1 o'clock P. M. the following described property to-wit:

### 11 HEAD OF LIVE STOCK

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| Five Head Horses Consisting of: | 1 Disc Harrow                           |
| 1 Brood Mare 9 years old        | 1 Hack                                  |
| 1 Trotting Mare 4 years old     | 1 Pair Bob Sleds                        |
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| 1 Gelding 2 years old           | 1 2-Bottom Oliver Gang Plow             |
| 1 Weaning Colt 9 months old.    | 1 3-Bottom Canton Disc Plow             |
| Six Head Cattle Consisting of:  | 1 14-inch Oliver Walking Plow           |
| 1 Cow 7 years old               | 1 16-foot Roller                        |
| 1 Cow 6 years old               | 1-3 Interest in Superior Potato Planter |
| 1 Cow 4 years old               | 1 Potato Digger                         |
| 3 Heifers 2 years old           | 1 Potato Cultivator                     |
| 1 3-inch Studebaker Wagon       | 1 McCormick Mower                       |
| 1 Monitor Grain Drill           | 1 McCormick Hay Rake                    |
| 2 Plain Binders                 |   |

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## MEXICAN JAIL LESSON FINAL

UNION COUNTY MAN LEAVES WHEN FREED.

Required to Pay Three Times for Mining Property Rights.

After spending considerable time in Mexico, the last three months of which were idled away in a Mexican jail because he wouldn't contribute to the ruling government the third time for the same mining property, Al I. Barnes of North Powder is back in the country which he left a few years ago. Soon after leaving North Powder Mr. Barnes went south, traveling through various states until he got into Mexico, and there got hold of some mining property. Each time a new general conquered the district he and other Americans were required to pay tribute to the captor, and the last time he was financially unable to do so. Into the jail he went. After three months he got out, left his property and sought better health in the North where he has managed to shake off malaria effects.

Mr. Barnes contends that the Mexicans are not wholly without justice in their claim that American financiers

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have overridden Mexican rights in Mexico. He says the possibilities are there, immense wealth exists, but under the present conditions they will never be developed.

### Manager's Report.

General manager's report for the week ending April 22nd, 1916.

To the Commission: The fire department was called to a fire in the Geddes house on Monroe April 23. They laid 900 feet of hose. Loss is heavy mainly to roof. Thirteen volunteers were out.

The police department arrested three, two drunk and one disorderly. Fines amounted to \$25.00. There here fifteen sleepers last week. One light was reported out.

The water superintendent is up at the intake dam since Monday morning. He reports the water up five feet on the dam and covering most of the lower meadow. The snow averages close to three feet in the timber. It will not come out until it rains there.

The recorder received \$25 fines; \$11 pound fees; \$3.80 principal and \$1.20 interest on sewer between Adams and Jefferson; \$1.00 for two building permits and \$13 for thirteen dog licenses.

The treasurer received \$517.15 water rent; \$180 Imp. District Installments; \$91.95 Imp. District Interest; \$37.75 sewer two section three interest and \$24,913.58 taxes from the county treasurer. He paid \$196.02 water warrants \$40 Contingent warrants; \$225 Imp. District Interest; \$6078.51 general fund warrants with \$639.58 interest on same.

The street superintendent spent \$85.50 for teams and drivers and \$48.12 for labor; \$7.75 for tools; \$4.50 repairing grader and \$4.00 rent of wagons and wheel scrapers for grading Y avenue from Second to Fir. He spent \$4.75 flushing business section and \$15 for white wing. The grading of Y avenue required the moving of considerable dirt from the high places to the sags in the street. These low places have been almost impassable during wet weather.

Respectfully submitted, F. J. LAFKY.

### Men's Missionary Congress.

Washington, April 26.—Regarded by mission leaders as the most important conference of the kind this country ever has known the second Men's National Missionary Congress convened here today to plan a general advance in home and foreign fields. President Wilson attended the opening meeting. Delegates named by 76 preliminary conventions in cities all over the United States are present. The conference will end April 30. The conference gathers without intention to plan a definite campaign of any kind; to raise money or to enter new fields. A review of the present mission situation of the world's greatest leaders, and plans for arousing wider interest in the whole field was the program. Among the noted speakers on the program are Dr. Shailer Matthews, just back from Japan; Sherwood Eddy, returned from India; Dr. W. D. Mackenzie, of the Hartford Seminary Foundation; R. E. Speer, John B. Mott, Amos P. Wilder, Silas McBeck, Fletcher S. Brockman, J. Campbell White and Dr. E. M. Potest.

### Public Health Nurses Meet.

New Orleans, La., April 27.—The functions of the nurse in the public health movement are to be discussed at the convention of the National Organization for Public Health Nursing here today. This convention is held jointly with those of the American Nurses' association and the National League of Nursing Education. The keynote of the meeting is: "Health Is a Public, Not a Personal Problem." The section devoted to the consideration of public health nursing under governmental control sounds the keynote. This will be presided over by Dr. Oscar Dowling of Louisiana, Dr. Paterson of Ohio State Board of Health, Mrs. Sireh of California, Dr. Terry of Jacksonville and Mrs. Parsons of San Antonio. The meeting on school nursing, arranged by Lina Rogers Struthers, the first school nurse in America will take up the subject of open air schools and tuberculosis among school children. The program includes papers by Dr. Ennett of Richmond and Dr. Minns of Toronto, Michael M. Davis, jr., of Boston, Fannie F. Clement, Dr. Eugene H. Kelly of Massachusetts, Dr. Hoffman of Chicago, Alice Hall of Providence and Alice Paulsen of Chicago.

### Must Not Scoff Hindu Religion.

Washington, April 27.—To do successful missionary work among Hindus, Christians must recognize, for a time at least, the caste system, Sherwood Eddy, noted worker in Oriental fields, told the Men's National Missionary congress here today. Hindus of one caste will not accept religious advice from another, he said. But if the Christian religion could have sufficient teachers who are members of the lower strata of society, fifty million converts would be obtained in a short time, Eddy predicted. He had found in China, he said, that the educated classes were the hardest to reach; but that in India, it was the uneducated mass of lower caste Hindu that was hard to get at.

### Mrs. Pomerene Entertains.

Washington, April 27.—In honor of Mrs. Marshall, wife of the Vice President, Mrs. Pomerene, wife of Senator Pomerene of Ohio, gave a charming buffet luncheon at the Congressional club last night. The guest list included Miss Margaret Wilson, wives of cabinet officers, senators and congressmen. Spring flowers were used for decorations. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. T. T. Ansberry, Mrs. W. H. Ellis, Mrs. Rufus S. Day, Mrs. A. A. Jones, Mrs. Overman, Mrs. Reed, Mrs. Wallace Redcliffe, Mrs. Loe Thurman, Mrs. Van Orsdel, Mrs. Van Dewater, Mrs. Reeside, Mrs. George Martin and Mrs. E. E. Capehart.



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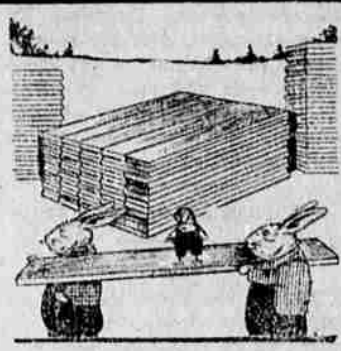
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