

# ONTARIO ARGUS

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We are particularly gratified with the spirit of hearty good feeling manifested by the Ontario Commercial club in response to the request of the Owyhee Irrigation district that they cooperate with them in the matter of acquiring government aid for the Owyhee project. Ontario has shown herself to be progressive and we feel that their help in this matter means much to the success of the project. They have a Commercial club that is a live wire for advancement.—Nysa Journal.

The above is merely another evidence of the policy that actuates the Ontario Commercial club and that has proven such a success. What benefits one part of Malheur county benefits all and while the lands under the Owyhee project are all south and west of Nysa all other parts of the county will be benefitted by the reclaiming of these lands.

Boise is boosting for a local cooperative cheese factory having a daily capacity of from 5000 to 8000 pounds. The foreign butter being imported is going to cut the price of American butter when the supply gets too heavy for the butter trust to carry, but so far there is no cheese being imported, the world's supply being short.

The terms of the officers of the Vale land office will expire soon and there is a general scramble for the pie counter by Democrats and near Democrats who need the money, as well as by men who have been consistent party men all their lives. S. F. Taylor, of Ontario, was the first to file an application for the position of register and there is no question of his qualifications from a business standpoint. Tom Jones, of Vale, is also a candidate. For the receivership M. N. Fegly, the Jordan Valley editor and B. W. Mulkey, the Vale banker, are candidates.

According to the Payette papers there is a big increase of trade noticeable since her merchants have inaugurated a campaign for more business. The buying public appreciate live merchants.

## Brief News of the Week

Arrangements have been closed for a sardine cannery on the shore of Galilee, Palestine.

One hundred and ten men were fined \$1 each in Chicago for spitting on the sidewalk.

The reichstag authorized the German potash syndicate to spend \$125,000 on an exhibit at the San Francisco exposition.

A nation-wide campaign will be waged by the associations opposed to woman suffrage. Promoters claim that the boasted strength of the suffragists is "mythical."

Six hundred lots in the townsite of Agua Prieta, Sonora, confiscated from Arturo Morales, said to be a Huerta sympathizer, will be apportioned among poor citizens by the constitutionalists.

The Columbia, Tuolumne county, California, Wells-Fargo office, established in 1852, and through which \$55,000,000 has passed, has closed its doors after 62 years of continuous service.

Charges for maintenance and operating on reclamation projects for the year 1914 will not be collected at the beginning of the season, but at its close. Settlers on new projects will be greatly relieved by the new system.

After an 18 hour fast the negroes in San Quentin prison, California, surrendered to the authorities and partook of food. They had gone on a hunger strike because they had been segregated from the whites.

A complete progressive ticket will be put in the field in New York at the elections next fall. The name of Theodore Roosevelt, while not mentioned directly, was referred to as the progressive candidate for governor. Roosevelt is now in South America.

## People in the News

Mrs. Bertha Drury, wife of a Spencer county, Ky., farmer, gave birth to three boys and two girls. The girls died.

The court of appeals of New York has decided that because Mrs. Bridget C. Pexiotto is mother of a baby she is not eligible to teach in the public schools of New York.

James R. Garfield, secretary of the interior under the Roosevelt administration, has announced his candidacy for the progressive nomination for governor of Ohio.

Sir Lionel Carden, British minister at Mexico City, will go to Washington to confer with President Wilson. His visit was suggested by the British foreign office.

William Marconi, using a 100-horsepower engine, lighted an electric bulb at a distance of six miles, by means of wireless. It is hoped that in course of time houses may be lighted and heated by wireless.

Willie Ritchie, lightweight champion, and Harlem Tommy Murphy will fight 20 rounds at San Francisco the night of Friday, April 17.

Orville Wright, one of the pioneer aviators, expresses doubts of the ability to sail across the Atlantic ocean. He says engines will not stand the grind.

Senator Borah of Idaho, addressing the republican club of New York, predicted that the party will be reunited at the next annual convention. He said that evolution, not dissolution, was the result of the recent trend of political events.

Tammany Boss Charles Murphy says he will not oppose plans of President Wilson and Governor Glynn to reorganize the democratic party of New York, although he does not see any necessity for the change.

Announcement of his candidacy for governor of Ohio on the Socialist ticket at the primaries next August was made by "General" J. S. Coxey, at Massillon, Ohio, who led an army of unemployed men on a march from Massillon to Washington in 1894.

## BRIEF NEWS OF OREGON

Erection of a cannery at Junction City is planned by the Junction City grange.

Oregon has 84 national banks and 73 applications to join the federal reserve association have been received. Saturday will be the final day for filing applications.

Oregon's building at the San Francisco exposition is to be equipped with furniture made by the manual training classes in the Oregon public schools, according to announcement of Assistant State Superintendent E. F. Carlton.

County Judge Frank L. Tou Velle has gone to Chicago, where he will turn over to the bond buyers the \$500,000 road bonds voted last fall by Jackson county for the improvement of the Pacific highway from the California border to the Josephine county line.

Senator Chamberlain has introduced a bill to allow the longevity pay claim that was due Lieutenant George J. Campbell of Portland. The amount of the claim is \$5,192.84. Dr. William Campbell, of Portland, is a son of the deceased claimant.

The parent-teacher forces of Pendleton are leading a fight for the annihilation of the cigarette in Pendleton. The city council is expected to act on an ordinance prohibiting use of tobacco in any form by boys less than 18 years old.

The little town of Holdman, Umatilla county, and the vicinity is in rigid quarantine, established by Dr. E. J. McFaul, county health officer, in an endeavor to stop the spread of smallpox, an epidemic of which has reached alarming proportions.

The Linn county grange has adopted resolutions urging the submission of an initiative measure regulating the courses and departments of the university of Oregon and Oregon agricultural college to prevent conflicts in studies.

Disapproval of the agricultural extension bill is expressed by United States Senator Lane, because of the fact that too many agricultural experts are provided positions and not a single farmer has urged the passage of the bill.

The matter of getting a good road from Wheeler to Nehalem city is being strongly agitated in Tillamook county. Wheeler is almost entirely isolated by land, having no direct connection with either the north or south beaches and other parts of the Nehalem valley, since the only outlet is a poorly constructed road leading to Mohler.

Declarations of intention to be candidates for justices of the supreme court on the republican ticket have been filed with Secretary of State O'cott by Chief Justice McBride and

Justices McNary and Bean. Justice Ramsey, the only democrat on the supreme court bench, has announced that he will be a candidate.

According to reports received by eastern Oregon sheepmen, R. F. Bicknell, a buyer of sheep and wool, is now in Morrow county endeavoring to contract for the 1914 clip at prices approximately 2 cents in advance of those paid last year. According to these reports some sales have been made, but most of the growers are refusing to contract.

According to figures recently issued by the Southern Pacific railroad, the Rogue River valley has changed from a non-supporting to a self-supporting community in two years. The balance of trade in favor of the valley now totals 1175 cars. Of these, more than 100 cars are of fruit, but hay, potatoes, onions and hogs are produced here and sent out. Two years ago these products were shipped in.

Governor West states that beginning the first of April he will issue for publication monthly statements of the expenditures of the state fish and game department and comparisons of the figures with those of the corresponding month last year. He said his idea was to keep the expenditures down to a minimum and to show the public that he intended to have the department operated on the most economical basis.

R. E. Clanton, ex-master fish warden and now superintendent of hatcheries, in his report for January, says that because of the mild weather the propagation work at the Bonneville fish hatchery has been more gratifying than usual. Superintendent Wilson has on hand 14,106,790 young salmon. The fry resulting from the fall chinook eggs are all hatched. There are 1,250,000 eastern brook trout eggs which are under different periods of incubation at the station.

The women of the Civic club have inaugurated a new plan for making Pendleton a better looking home town and have announced prizes in a contest between pupils of the grade schools in a contest of home industry. Four prizes will be awarded, one to the boy or girl who makes the most improvement in his or her yard at home, one for the best showing of sweet peas, one for the best showing of vegetables and one for the best showing of vines. The contest will last until the close of school.

Gore Brands Suit as Political Plot. Oklahoma City, Okla.—Denouncing the allegation as an "infamous lie," United States Senator T. P. Gore, from the witness stand, declared that charges of improper conduct, the basis of the \$50,000 damage suit against him by Mrs. Minnie E. Bond, were the invention of a coterie of disappointed office seekers intended to bring him into disrepute and wreck his chances for renomination.

Coal Taxed to Guard Mines. Denver.—A tax of one cent a ton on all the coal mined by the principal operators in Colorado since the strike began last September has been used to pay the expenses of guarding the mines, according to the testimony of C. L. Baum before the house subcommittee investigating the labor war.

## THE MARKETS.

Portland.  
Wheat—Club, 87c; bluestem, 98c; red Russian, 86c.  
Hay—Timothy, \$17; alfalfa, \$14.  
Butter—Creamery, 35c.  
Eggs—Candied, 36c.

Seattle.  
Wheat—Bluestem, 98c; club, 87c; red Russian, 86c.  
Hay—Timothy, \$17 per ton; alfalfa, \$14 per ton.  
Eggs—37c.  
Butter—Creamery, 36c.

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Money Wanted—\$1250 Riverside residence, insured for \$1500, box 412, Ontario.

Wanted—Improved small tract with buildings and fruit, on lease. Address box 128 with particulars.

For sale one 1 3-4 Gray gasoline engine. Address Jas. A. Bennett, Ontario.

For Sale—One 3 year old Fercheron stallion, weight 1600, by J. C. Fleming, Arcadia or phone 66-F-5, Nysa.

For Trade—Improved 480 acre stock ranch in eastern Neb. to trade for western Idaho or Oregon ranch. Address Perry Randell, Bend, Oregon.

For Sale—160 acres, all in cultivation; good well on place. 6 miles north-west of Payette, Call on or write Mrs. Sarah DeHaven, Payette, Idaho Route 3.

Wanted—Girl for general housework. Good wages. Apply at Rader's residence or phone 30-J.

Wanted—Work on ranch by man and wife by March 1. bachelor or widower preferred. Address Argus office.

Avery under mounted tractor engine, steam, 18 horse, for sale at a bargain price. L. Walker, phone 206-K 2.

## HERE IS THE CHANCE OF YOUR LIFE

if you want to locate near a town that has a very bright future I have 70 acres of the very choicest land, has a nice slope to the east, a first-class water right; 30 acres in alfalfa, rest has been in grain. Not having it all paid for it leaves me unable to take care of that much land. I will sell anywhere from 5 to 70 acres. My price ranges from \$150 per acre up. About half cash; good terms on rest at 8 per cent interest. Land exactly the same adjoining has been selling at \$200 to \$300 per acre, so here is your chance if you want a good tract of land; 2 miles from Ontario, Ore. near Malheur Junction, where car shops and round house will no doubt be built in the near future.

J. J. DIESS

Box 1 Ontario, Oregon

Vale 0971, Burns 03223. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Vale, Oregon, February 5th, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Joseph Little, Jr. of Ontario, Oregon, who on May 24th, 1909, made Homestead Application No. 0971, for NE1 NE1, Sec. 14, NW1 NW1 Sec. 13, SW1 SW1, Sec. 12, SE1 SE1, Sec. 11, Township 17 S, Range 46 E, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office, at Vale, Oregon, on the 18th day of March, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: F. W. Morton, Thos. Kanady, of Ontario, Oregon; George Clark, John Taylor, of Payette, Idaho. Bruce R. Kester, Register.

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