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THE CITY OF ONTARIO SENDS GREETINGS TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The common council of the City of Ontario, Malheur county, Oregon, has designated Friday, the 29th day of December A. D. 1916 at eight o'clock p. m. as the time and the council room in the City Hall as the place where the estimate of the amount of money proposed to be raised by taxation for the ensuing year of 1917 may be discussed with the said council by the taxpayers of said City.

The following is the Budget of amounts of money proposed to be raised by taxation for the ensuing year of 1917 for the expenses of the City of Ontario, Oregon, in detail:

City Recorder	\$ 900.00
City Treasurer	150.00
City Attorney	300.00
Police Department	2000.00
Fire Department	1250.00
Health Department	100.00
City Hall	300.00
Printing	100.00
Light	2900.00
Water	1800.00
Street Improvement and Upkeep	2000.00
Bond and Interest Account	4020.00
Public Library	900.00
Crosswalks	600.00
Elections	50.00

Total \$17,370.00
Estimated revenue from other sources than taxation \$500.00
Dated this 19th day of December, A. D. 1916.

By order of the Common Council of the City of Ontario, Oregon.
(SEAL) CLAY M. STARNES,
50-51 City Recorder.

NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR EXCLUSION OF LANDS FROM THE DEAD OX FLAT IRRIGATION DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that Chas. D. Warren, J. L. Rice and Carrie B. Aker have filed petitions for the exclusion from the Dead Ox Flat Irrigation District of the following described lands, to-wit: SW 1/4 of Sec. 19, the SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 18, all in Twp. 16 S. R. 47 E. W. M., being the lands of Carrie B. Aker. Also the SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 and NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 and SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Section 2, Twp. 17 S. R. 46 E. W. M., being the lands of J. L. Rice. Also the NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 Sec. 11 and SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 2 T. 16 S. R. 46 E. W. M., being the lands of Chas. D. Warren.

All persons affected by a change in the boundary lines of said District are hereby notified that a hearing of said petitions will be had and evidence for or against the granting of said petitions may be presented before the Board of Directors of said District, at a meeting to be held at the office of the District in Ontario, Oregon at 4:30 p. m. on January 2nd, 1917.

H. W. CLEMENT,
Secretary.

Dated at Ontario, Oregon, this 15th day of December, 1916.
First publication Dec. 21, 1916.
Last publication, Dec. 28, 1916.

NOTICE

Whereas, at the regular election held on the 7th day of Nov. 1916, there was submitted to the voters of the Cairo precinct the question "Shall stock be permitted to run at large" at which election there were cast 79 votes for stock running at large and 124 votes against stock running at large, and there was a majority of 45 votes against stock running at large in said district, now therefore Notice is hereby given that after the expiration of sixty days from December 7th, 1916, the date of the

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first publication of this notice, to-wit: on and after February 7th, 1917, it shall be unlawful for stock to run at large in the Cairo precinct in Malheur County, Oregon, under penalty of ten dollars for the first offense, and twenty dollars for each and every subsequent offense, to be recovered from the owner of such stock in a civil action in the name of the State of Oregon, as provided by Section 5575 of Lords Oregon Laws as amended by Chapter 156 of the general law of Oregon for 1911.

Witness my hand and the seal of the County Court of Malheur County, Oregon, this 6th day of Dec., 1916.

W. H. DOOLITTLE,
County Clerk.

First publication, Dec. 7, 1916.
Last publication December 28, 1916.

NOTICE

Whereas, at the regular election held on the 7th day of Nov. 1916, there was submitted to the voters of Fair precinct the question "Shall stock be permitted to run at large" at which election there were cast 52 votes for stock running at large and 87 votes against stock running at large and there was a majority of 35 votes against stock running at large in said district, now therefore

Notice is hereby given that after the expiration of sixty days from December 21st, 1916, the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: on and after February 21, 1917, it shall be unlawful for stock to run at large in that portion of Fair Precinct in Malheur County, Oregon, the boundaries of which are described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on Snake River where the East and West center line of Sec. 15, Twp. 18 S. Rng. 47 E. W. M. intersects the said river; thence in a Northerly direction along the said river to a point where the Malheur river enters the Snake River; thence following the Malheur River in a general Southwesterly direction to its intersection with the East and West center line of Sec. 10, Twp. 18 S. Rng. 46 E. W. M.; thence East to the center of Sec. 8, Twp. 18 S. Rng. 47 E. W. M.; thence South to the center of Sec. 17, Twp. 18 S. Rng. 47 E. W. M.; thence East to the place of beginning.

Under penalty of ten dollars for the first offense, and twenty dollars for each and every subsequent offense, to be recovered from the owner of such stock in a civil action in the name of the State of Oregon, as provided by Section 5575 of Lords Oregon Laws as amended by Chapter 156 of the general laws of Oregon for 1911.

Witness my hand and seal of the County Court of Malheur County, Oregon, this 19th day of Dec. 1916.

W. H. DOOLITTLE,
County Clerk.

First publication Dec. 21, 1916.
Last publication January 11, 1917.

SUMMONS

In the circuit court of the State of Oregon for the County of Malheur, Ontario Advancement Company, a corporation, plaintiff vs. W. A. Stevens, defendant.

To W. A. Stevens, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 15th day of January, 1917, the same being the last day of the time prescribed by order of the Court directing service of summons in said suit; and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will

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apply to said court for the relief demanded in said complaint, to-wit:

For a decree foreclosing five certain contracts made between the plaintiff and yourself and your assigns during the months of February, March and April, 1912, for the purchase and sale of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter, and the north half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section five, township 18, south, range 47, E. W. M. in Malheur County, Oregon, and cancelling said contracts and terminating your interest therein on account of your failure to pay the balance due the plaintiff thereunder, and decreasing plaintiff to be the sole owner of said premises, and to have all other relief demanded in said complaint.

You are further notified that this summons is served upon you by publication in pursuance of an order of the Hon. George W. McKnight, County Judge of Malheur County, Oregon, which said order was made and entered in said cause on December 4th, 1916, and directed that this summons be published once each week for six consecutive weeks in the Ontario Argus, commencing with the issue of December 7th, 1916. The first publication of this summons is on December 7th, 1916, and the last publication is on January 15th, 1917.

McCULLOCH & WOOD,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Eighth grade final examinations including the sixth grade examination in physiology and the seventh grade examination in geography will be held throughout the county, January 18 and 19. All teachers having pupils ready for this examination will please report them according to Rule No. three of those governing the examinations. Reports should be in the county office not later than December 30.

FAY CLARK,
County Superintendent of Schools,
adv 45-50

PETITION FOR ORGANIZATION OF IRRIGATION DISTRICT

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Malheur County.

To the Honorable, the County Court of Malheur County, Oregon:

We, your petitioners, whose names are hereunto subscribed, respectfully represent: That each of us is the holder of title to lands situated within the boundaries hereinafter described (and intended to be included in said proposed irrigation district) and that together we constitute a majority of the holders of title and of evidence of title to lands situated within the hereinafter described boundaries (and intended to be included in said proposed irrigation district), and that the lands within said boundaries are situated in Malheur County, Oregon, and are susceptible of irrigation from a common source or combined sources and by the same system of works; that we desire to provide for the irrigation of the same, and therefore respectfully propose the organization of an irrigation district under the provisions of Chapter VII, of Title XII of Lord's Oregon Laws, being sections 6167 to 6217, both inclusive, of said laws and the acts amendatory thereof, and we hereby petition your Honorable Court to take such action in the premises as may be necessary to effect the organization of an irrigation district, under the laws and acts above referred to, out of the territory situated within the boundaries hereinafter described, with such changes therein as may be just and proper. We further request that there may be three directors in said district, and that such directors may be elected by the district at large.

And this your petitioners will ever pray.

The proposed boundaries of said district are as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the north bank of Snake river with the state line between Idaho and Oregon, on the east line of fractional section 6, township 22, south of range 47, east of Willamette meridian;

Thence north along the state line to the intersection of the canal known as the Riverside canal and the east line of lot 8, section 31, township 21 South, Range 47, East Willamette Meridian;

Thence West along and adjoining the South side of the Riverside Canal, through Section 31, Township 21 South, Range 47, East of Willamette Meridian;

Thence West through Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 46 East, and Sections 1, and 2, Township 22 South, Range 46 East of Willamette Meridian;

Thence East and Northerly along the Westerly boundary line of the right of way of said Riverside Canal,

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through Sections 35, 26, 25 and 24, Township 21 South, Range 46, East of Willamette Meridian, an said canal is constructed through said Sections, and also through the SW 1/4 of Section 19, Township 21 South, Range 47 East of Willamette Meridian to where said Riverside Canal crosses the State line between Idaho and Oregon in said Section 19;

Thence North along the said boundary line between Idaho and Oregon to the south bank of Snake river; thence South and West along the bank of Snake river through sections 7 and 18, Township 21 South, Range 47, East of Willamette Meridian;

Sections 13, 14, 23, 22, 27 and 34, of township 21 South, Range 46, East of Willamette Meridian; and Sections 3, 10, 11, 2 and 1 in Township 22 South, Range 46, East of Willamette Meridian, and Section 6 of Township 22 South, Range 47, east of Willamette Meridian, to the place of beginning.

Also Lot 1 of Section 6, Township 21 South, Range 47, East of Willamette Meridian;

Lots 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 of Section 31, Township 20 South, Range 47, East of Willamette Meridian.

The lands included in the foregoing description, and which are intended to be organized into an irrigation district, are as follows:

Said Lots 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 of Section 31, Township 20 South, Range 47, East of Willamette Meridian;

Lot 1 of Section 6, Lots 4 and 5 of Section 7, and all of fractional section 18; the NW 1/4 of Section 19, and that portion of SW 1/4 of Section 19 lying North of the right of way of the Riverside Canal, and that portion of the SW 1/4 of Section 31 lying South of the right of way of the Riverside Canal, all in Township 21 South, Range 47 East of Willamette Meridian, and Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Section 6, Township 22 South, Range 47, East of Willamette Meridian;

The SW 1/4 of 8 1/2 and Lots 5, 6, 7, 8 and the NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Section 13; Lots 4 and 5 of Section 14; all of Section 23 lying East of Snake River; the SW 1/4, the N 1/2 and all that portion of the SE 1/4 of Section 24 lying North of the right of way of the Riverside Canal; all that portion of the N 1/2 of Section 25 lying North of the right of way of the Riverside Canal; all of Sections 26 and 35 lying North and West of the Riverside Canal, and all of Sections 27 and 34 lying East of Snake river, all in township 21 South, Range 46, East of Willamette Meridian;

Lots 1, 2, 3, 6, 7 and 10; the SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 and E 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Section 3; Lots 1 and 2 of Section 10; Lot 5 of Section 11; the NW 1/4, the W 1/2 of SW 1/4, the NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Lots 5, 6 and 7 and the NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Section 2, and all that portion of the NE 1/4 of Section 2 lying South of the right of way of the Riverside Canal; Lots 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of Section 1, and all that part of Lot 4 of Section 1 lying South of the right of way of the Riverside Canal, all in Township 22 South, Range 47, East of Willamette Meridian;

Also that portion of the SW 1/4 of 8 1/2 of Section 36, in Township 21 South, Range 46, East of Willamette Meridian, lying South of the right of way of the Riverside Canal.

Wherefore, the undersigned petitioners pray that the above proposed boundaries and the lands included therein be organized into an irrigation district under and by virtue of the provisions of the laws of the State of Oregon.

W. F. Howard, Nannie Howard, S. G. Tuning, Mrs. S. G. Tuning, Harvey R. Hatch, Mrs. Harvey Hatch, E. E. Parker, Mrs. E. E. Parker, Mrs. B. A. Morley, Burt G. Morley, Mrs. Lee Baldrige, Lee Baldrige, Mrs. E. H. Brumbach, E. H. Brumbach, F. G. Pillsbury, Mrs. D. L. Miller, D. L. Miller, V. V. Hickox, A. C. Holly, T. Brown, F. L. Porter, J. E. Holly, F. E. Fisk, Agnes J. Holly, Thos. Welsh, P. B. Anderson, L. H. Ekin, D. T. Holly, Wm. T. Ashcraft, Amanda Ashcraft, Mrs. P. B. Anderson, Frank A. Miller, W. J. Robinson, Wm. F. Schultz, Lora E. Pillsbury, Mrs. L. E. Pillsbury, Mrs. Frank A. Miller, Albert B. Miller, Mrs. L. H. Ekin, Mrs. V. V. Hickox, Mary Roberts, Burt G. Roberts, E. L. Tate, G. L. Judd, Mrs. G. L. Judd, June Johnston, A. M. Johnston, Dale Robertson, Mrs. Jessie M. Porter, F. B. Paw, J. C. Johnston, Amalia Johnston, E. W. Matthews, C. R. Purdy, G. R. Russell, Mrs. Chas. Purdy, Margaret B. Russell, Frank Boswell, May F. McDonnell, D. E. Walker, Mrs. Jas. Owen, Mrs. C. G. Allen, C. G. Allen,

And notice is hereby given by the said petitioners, that the foregoing petition for the organization of an irrigation district will be presented to the County Court of Malheur County, Oregon, at the Court Room

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of said Court in the Court House at Vale, Oregon, at 10 o'clock a. m. on Saturday, the 6th day of January, 1917, for action thereon by said Court; at which time and place all interested in said petition and in the organization of said district, or in opposition to the organization thereof, or in any matter relating to the organization of said District, or to the fixing of the boundaries thereof, may be heard.

W. F. Howard, Nannie Howard, S. G. Tuning, Mrs. S. G. Tuning, Harvey R. Hatch, Mrs. Harvey R. Hatch, E. E. Parker, Mrs. E. E. Parker, Mrs. B. A. Morley, Burt G. Morley, Mrs. Lee Baldrige, Lee Baldrige, Mrs. E. H. Brumbach, E. H. Brumbach, F. G. Pillsbury, Mrs. D. L. Miller, D. L. Miller, V. V. Hickox, A. C. Holly, F. L. Porter, May F. McDonnell, J. E. Holly, Agnes J. Holly, P. B. Anderson, D. T. Holly, Wm. T. Ashcraft, Amanda Ashcraft, Mrs. P. B. Anderson, Frank A. Miller, Lora E. Pillsbury, Mrs. L. E. Pillsbury, Albert B. Miller, Mrs. L. H. Ekin, L. H. Ekin, Mrs. V. V. Hickox, Burt G. Roberts, Mary Roberts, E. L. Tate, G. L. Judd, Mrs. G. L. Judd, Mrs. Jas. Owen, Dale Robertson, Mrs. Dale Robertson, Mrs. Jessie M. Porter, F. B. Paw, J. C. Johnston, Amalia Johnston, C. R. Purdy, Mrs. Chas. Purdy, Frank Boswell, D. E. Walker, Mrs. C. G. Allen, C. G. Allen, W. J. Robinson, Wm. F. Schultz, Thos. Brown, E. W. Matthews, G. R. Russell, Margaret B. Russell, P. E. Fisk, Thos. Welsh.
First publication Dec. 7, 1916.
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NOTICE OF CONTEST

No. 324

Department of the Interior
United States land office, Vale,
Oregon, November 29, 1916.

To James J. Woody of unknown address, contestee:

You are hereby notified that Walter G. Batzel, who gives Midvale, Idaho, as his post office address, did on November 29, 1916, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your homestead entry serial No. 91351 made June 6, 1910, for SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 30, N 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 31 T. 16 S. R. 46 E. W. M., and additional homestead entry No. 63212 made March 26, 1914 for NW 1/4 section 21, township 16 south, range 46 east Willamette meridian, and as grounds for his contest he alleges that "said James J. Woody has made no improvements on said land for more than four years past and has not lived on said land for more than a year and a half past and has totally abandoned said land. That such absence and abandonment is not due to his employment in military service rendered in connection with operation in Mexico, or along the borders thereof, or in mobilization camps elsewhere in the military or naval organization of the United States, or the National Guard of any of the several states."

You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken as confessed, and your said entry will be canceled without further right to be heard, either before this office or an appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the fourth publication of this notice, as shown below, your answer, under oath, specifically responding to these allegations of contest, together with due proof that you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant either in person or by registered mail.

You should state in your answer the name of the post office to which you desire future notices to be sent to you.

THOS. JONES, Register.

Date of first publication, November 30, 1916.

Date of second publication December 7, 1916.

Date of third publication December 14, 1916.

Date of fourth publication December 21, 1916.

NOTICE OF SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AGISTER'S LIEN

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at public auction, at the Eagle Livery Barn in the City of Ontario, Oregon, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. on the 8th day of December, 1916, the following described personal property to-wit:

One gelding age about 4 years, weight about 1200 lbs., color bay with ring-bone on each hind foot and also fistulow, taken and detained as the property of L. W. Smith of Canyon County, Idaho, to pay for the feed and care of said gelding from the 18th day of July, 1916, at the rate of \$7.50 per month, less a credit in the \$8.40 paid on the 3rd

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credit in the sum of \$8.40 paid on the 3rd day of August, 1916.

BERT MILLER,
Date of first publication, November 23, 1916.
Date of last publication, December, 1916.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administratrix of the estate of Gidman I. Dingman, deceased, has filed in the county court of the state of Oregon, for the County of Malheur, her final account of her administration upon said estate, and that Saturday, the 30th day of December, 1916, at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the Court House at Vale, Oregon, has been duly fixed by said court as the time and place for hearing said final account and settling said estate. All persons interested in the said estate are hereby notified to appear at said time and file their objections in writing, if any there are, to said final account, and contest the same. Done and dated and first published this 23 day of November, 1916.

HAZEL LAVERN DINGMAN,
Administratrix of the estate of Gidman I. Dingman, deceased.
First publication Nov. 23, 1916.
Last publication Dec. 28, 1916.

PROPOSED SALE OF IMPROVEMENT BONDS

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals for the purchase of the BONDS hereinafter described will be received at the office of the Warm Springs Irrigation District at Vale, Oregon, till Friday, January 5th, 1917, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., of said day, to-wit:

SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS

Gold Bonds, of Series No. 1, Issue No. 1, of the denomination of One Thousand Dollars each, numbered consecutively 1 to 750 inclusive, dated January 1st, 1917, bearing Six Per Cent Interest, payable semi-annually on the 1st day of January and July of each year, principal and interest payable at the fiscal agency of the State of Oregon, in New York City, N. Y. The said Bonds to mature as provided by statute authorizing their issue, as follows:

Bonds numbered 1 to 27 inclusive, designated twenty-one year bonds, due Jan 1st, 1938.

Bonds numbered 28 to 52 inclusive, designated twenty-two year bonds, due Jan. 1st, 1939.

Bonds numbered 53 to 135 inclusive, designated twenty-three year bonds, due Jan. 1st, 1940.

Bonds numbered 136 to 195 inclusive, designated twenty-four year bonds, due Jan. 1st, 1941.

Bonds numbered 196 to 262 inclusive, designated twenty-five year bonds, due Jan. 1st, 1942.

Bonds numbered 263 to 337 inclusive, designated twenty-six year bonds, due Jan. 1st, 1943.

Bonds numbered 338 to 429 inclusive, designated twenty-seven year bonds, due Jan. 1st, 1944.

Bonds numbered 430 to 517 inclusive, designated twenty-eight year bonds, due Jan. 1st, 1945.

Bonds numbered 518 to 630 inclusive, designated twenty-nine year bonds, due Jan. 1st, 1946.

Bonds numbered 631 to 750 inclusive, designated thirty year bonds, due Jan. 1st, 1947.

These are Municipal Bonds authorized by vote of the District under and by virtue of the Statutes of the State of Oregon and the organization of the District and this issue of bonds have been adjudicated and decreed to be regular and the valid obligation of the District.

The purpose for which these bonds are authorized and to which the proceeds thereof will be applied is to unify and increase the capacity of the irrigation systems embraced in the district by constructing a reservoir to hold the flood waters of the Malheur river and improve its various canals so as to serve 18,000 acres in addition to the 12,000 acres now cultivated.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check of one per cent of the bid, and the purchaser shall make his own examination as to validity and shall print the bonds, both at his own cost.

The Board of Directors reserve their statutory right to reject any and or all bids.

Full information may be obtained by addressing the Secretary at Vale, Oregon.

By Resolution of the Board of Directors dated November 8th, 1916.

THE WARMSPRINGS IRRIGATION DISTRICT
By JAMES HARVEY,
President.

ATTEST:
JOHN RIGBY, (Corporate Seal)
Secretary.
Nov 16-Dec. 28.

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