

times with the men and boys in our part of the valley these days, and they be taught how to build and manage are taking special pains to get rid of a forge fire; how to draw, bend, upas many jacks as possible, but still set, forge and weld iron; how to make they seem to come. The jacks have chains, clevises, hooks, gate-hinges, spoiled many trees in the orchards, and the men are doing all they can to keep them out, but the jacks don't pay much attention to the fences.

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There has been a big band of sheep feeding have this winter, but they of heat, and treatment of the quality were all driven down to Jamieson on and temper of steel. The use of the Monday to be fed there for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Donbrava, who the forging and tempering of steel have been spending part of the win- tools are also included. ter in Bolse, came home last week.

the proposed boundaries as the court may find proper, and shall establish and define such boundaries; provid-ed, that no land included within the limits of any city or town shall be included in any irrigation district; that said court shall not modify said boundaries so as to except from the operation of this Act any territory within the boundaries of the district proposed by said petitioners which is usceptible of irrigation by the same system of works applicable to other lands in such proposed district nor ands in such proposed district, nor shall any lands which will not, in the judgment of said court, be benefited by irrigation by said system, be in-cluded within such irrigation district; provided, that any person whose lands are susceptible of irrigation from the are susceptible of irrigation from the same source or combined sources may in the discretion of the court, upon written application of the owner of said land, have such lands included in said district. On the final hearing the court shall make and enter an or-der determining whather the requisits der determining whether the requisit number of owners of the land with-in such proposed district shall have petitioned for the formation thereof and whether the petition, and notice of the time of presentation thereof shall have been duly published as hereinbefore provided, and said order as so made and entered shall be conclusive evidence of the facts found by the court. Said court in said order shall designate the name of said dis-trict and divide said district into five divisions, of as nearly equal size as may be practicable which divisions may be shall be numbered, first, second, third, fourth and fifth. One director, who shall be a resident of the State of Oregon and a bona fide owner of land situated in the division, shall be elect-ed by each division; provided, that if a majority of the holders of title pe-tition for the formation of a district the County Court may, if so request-ed in the petition, order that there may be either three or five directors. may be either three or five directors. as said court may order for such dis-trict, and that they may be elected by the district at large. Said County Court shall forthwith give notice of an election to be held in such propos-ed district for the purpose of determ-ining whether or not the same shall be organized under the provisions of this Act. Such notice shall describe the boundaries so established, and shall designate the name of such proshall designate the name of such pro-posed district, and shall be published once each week for at least four successive weeks prior to such election in a newspaper published within said county; and if any portion of said dis-trict lie within another county or counties, then said notice shall be pub-lished in a newspaper published within each of said counties in the same time and manner. Such notice shall require the electors to cast ballots which shall contain the words: "Irri-gation District—Yes," or "Irrigation District—No," or words equivalent thereto, and shall also contain the names of persons to be voted for to fill the various elective offices by this Act hereinafter provided. Any per-son, male or female, of the age of twenty-one years or over, whether a resident of the district or not, who is a bona fide owner of land situated in the district, as shown by the last assessment roll shall be entitled to vote at any election held under the proviwhiffle-tree and neck-yoke irons, and other useful articles. Students with some general knowledge of blacksmithing will be given work in welding steel. This will include a study

resented, the County Court shall hear the same and may adjourn such hear-ing from time to time, not exceeding

four weeks in all, and on the final hearing may make such changes in

of this Act; provided, that a fide claimant to an uncompleted title under the public land laws of the United States or of the State of Oregon shall be construed to be a bona fide owner of lands within the meaning of this Act; provided, furof the different grades of steel, effect ther, that the vote of any corporation holding title to land within the disnoticing title to land within the dis-trict may be cast by said corporation as a single land owner through any officer or agent of said corporation authorized by resolution by its board of directors. A copy of such resolu-tion certified by the secretary under the certified by the secretary under color scale in tempering, and finally

meetings of the board must be pub-lic, and a majority of the members

shall constitute a quorum for trans-action of business; but on all ques-tions requiring a vote there shall be

board. All records of the board shall

be open to the inspection of any elec

necessary irrigation or drainage works

and the line for any canal or canals, and the necessary branches for the

same on any lands which may be deemed best for such location. Said

board shall also have the right to ac-quire, either by lease, purchase, con-demnation, dr other legal means, all lands and waters and water rights,

rights-of-way and other property, in-cluding canals and works constructed

and being constructed by private owners, necessary for the construction

use, supply, maintenance, repair and

improvement of any canal or canals

by said board, and shall also have the

right to so acquire lands and all nec-

essary appurtenances for reservoirs, for the storage of needful waters, or

for any other purpose reasonably nec-essary for the purposes of said dis-

district, whether used for irrigation or any other purpose. In case of pur-

chase of any property or right, the bonds of the district hereinafter pro-

and works proposed to be constructed

a concurrence of a majority of

first Tuesday in February next fol-lowing their election, the board of di-rectors shall meet and organize as a heard, elect a president from their rectors shall meet and organize as a board, elect a president from their number, and appoint a secretary, who shall each hold office during the pleas-ure of the board. The board shall have the power and it shall be their duty to manage and conduct the bus-iness and affairs of the district; make and execute all necessary contracts, employ and appoint such agents, of employ and appoint such agents, of-ficers, and employes as may be reacted in connection therewith, and all an issue, and each issue shall be hum-things, required by the rules and reg-ulations now or that may hereafter be established by any department of the federal government in regard thereto. In case of construction by the district of any canals, dam, reser-thereto and they shall be numbered consecutively. quired, and to prescribe their duties; establish equitable by-laws, rules and egulations for the distribution and se of water among the owners of said ands, and generally to perform all such acts as shall be necessary to fully carry out the purposes of this Act. voir, pumping plant, power plant or other necessary work for the collec-tion and distribution of water, or in case the district contracts for the con-struction thereof the bonds of the dis-The said by-laws, rules and regula-tions must be printed in convenient tions must be printed in convenient struction thereof the bonds of the dis-form for distribution in the district; struction thereof the bonds of the dis-and it is hereby expressly provided that all water distributed for irriga-tion purposes shall be apportioned by the board of directors at such times and in such amounts as may be times and in such amounts as may be eight per cent; at the expiration of twenty-four years, eight per cent; eight per c times and in such amounts as may be necessary to enable the district to car-ry on such construction, or make the payments due by it under said con-the use of all water required the expiration of twenty-six years, ten per cent; at the expiration of the expiration of twenty-six years, ten per cent; at the expiration of the twenty-five sears, not wenty-six years, ten per cent; at the expiration of the twenty-six years, ten per cent; at the expiration of the twenty-five sears, eleven per cent; sessment of such owner for district sessment of such owner for district purposes within said district bears to the whole sum assessed upon the district; provided, that any land own-er may assign the right to the whole or any portion of the waters so ap-portioned to him for any one year. Provided, further, all water, the right to the use of which is acquired by the district under any contract with the for the irrigation of the lands of any twenty-seven district formed under the provisions at the expi of this Act, together with all water rights and rights to appropriate wa-ter, right-of-way for canals and ditches, sites for reservoirs and all other property required in fully carrying out district under any contract with the United States, shall be distributed and the provisions of this Act is hereby declared to be a public use more necaportioned by the district in accor-dance with the Acts of Congress, and rules and regulations of the Secretary of the Interior, and the provisions of said contract in relation thereto. declared to be a public use more need amount of one hundred donars of esary and more beneficial than any other use, either public or private, to which said water, water rights, rights to appropriate water, lands or other Section 5-6179. The board of di-rectors shall hold a regular monthly meeting, in their office, on the first Tuesday of every month, and such special meetings as may be required for the proper transaction of busi-ness; provided, that all special meet-

property have been or may be appro-tion issue said bonds so that they shall commence to mature in eleven tent less than the whole thereof. Section 6-6181. The said board is hereby authorized and empowered to successive year thereafter upon the take conveyances or other assurances same basis and percentage as is above special meetings as may be required for the proper transaction of busi-ness; provided, that all special meet-ings must be ordered by a majority of the board, the order must be en-tered of record, and five days' notice thereof must be given by the secre-tary to each member not joining in the order. The order must specify the business to be transacted and none other than that specified may be transacted at such special meetings unless al the members be present. All meetings of the board must be pub-lic, and a majority of the members in all courts, acts, suits or proceed-ings, the said board may sue, appear and defend in person or by attorneys, in the name of such irrigation district. Section 7-6182. For the purpose of procuring necessary reclamation works and acquiring the necessary property and rights therefor and otherwise carrying out the provisions of this Act, the board of directors of any such district shall, as soon as practicable after the organization of any such district, by a resolution entered on its record, formulate a general plan of its proposed works, in which it

years instead of twenty-one years in which case they shall mature each each of the denomination of not less than one hundred dollars nor morthan one thousand dollars, and shall tary, and the seal of the board of di rectors shall be affixed thereto. Cou rectors shall be affixed thereto. Col-pons for the interest shall be attach-ed to each bond and signed by the sec-retary. Said bonds shall express on their face that they were issued by the authority of this Act, naming if and all amendments thereof, and shall also state the number of the issue of which such bonds are a met. The which such bonds are a part. The secretary shall keep a record of the bonds sold, the date of sale, the price received, and the name of the purcha shall state in a general way what works or property it proposes to lease, ser. In case the money raised by the sale of all the bonds be insufficient for purchase or acquire, and what work it proposes to construct, and the estithe completion of the plans and works adopted, and additional bonds be not voted, it shall be the duty of the board to provide for the completion of mated cost for carrying out said plan, and how it proposes to raise the nec-cssary funds therefor; for the purpose of ascertaining the estimated cost or said plan by levy of assessments there for, in the manner herein provided. value of any such work, said board shall cause such surveys, examina-tions and plans to be made as shall Section 8-6185. Said bonds and the interest thereon and all payments due or to become due to the United demonstrate the practicability of such plan, and furnish the proper basis for States under any contract between the district and the United States, accom an estimate of the cost of carrying out the same. All such surveys, expanying which bonds of the distric have not been deposited with the Unit essary for the purposes of said dis-trict. The property, the right to con-demn which is hereby given, shall in-clude property already devoted to pub-lic use which is less necessary than the use for which it is required by the the use for which it is required by the the use for which it is required by the the use for which it is required by the the use for which it is required by the the use for which it is required by the the use for which it is required by the the use for which it is required by the the use for which it is required by the the use for which it is required by the the use for which it is required by the the use for the used for irrigation aminations, maps, plans and estimates shall be made under the direction of a ed States as provided in Section 617 competent irrigation engineer to be employed by said board on such basis for the payment of money authorized and incurred under this Act, shall be paid by the revenue derived from the annual assessments upon the land in the district, and all the lands in the a copy of the same to the State Endistrict shall be and remain liable to be assessed for such payments as herein provided, and under and sub-ject to the provisions of this Act. gineer, and within 90 days thereafter the State Engineer shall make and file vided for may be used at their par value in payment and in case of con-board, which report shall contain such Section 9-6186. The board of di-rectors shall, on or before the first Tuesday in September of each year, make a computation of the whole

amount of money necessary to be rais

charges and expenses, or the issuing of any bonds as herein contemplated,

district and the United States accom-

panying which bonds of the district have not been deposited with the United States as provided in Section

6179 amended herein, and including any special assessments that may

have been ordered or determined up-on, in compliance with this Act, and all other charges or expenses of said district, lawfully incurred or to be in-

curred of whatever name and nature Said amount of money when so deter-mined by said board shall be and con-

stitute an assessment upon all of the land included in said district, and shall

sixteen per cent; provided, that

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any time entering into a contract respecting any lands within said dis-trict, exempting such lands from lia-bility under this Act, except from debts already incurred, upon condition abts already incurred, upon cor that the district be exempt from any iability or duty to furnish water or other benefits to said land.

The assessment upon land shall be a lien against the property assessed, and the lien for the bonds of any is-sue shall be a preferred lien to that for any subsequent issue, except that the lien for all payments due or to become due under any contract with the United States, accompanying which bonds of the district have not been de-posited with the United States as provided in Section 6179 amended here-in, shall be a preferred lien to any seven years, eleven per cent; expiration of twenty-eight at the expiration of twenty-eight years, thirteen per cent; at the expira-of such contract, and such lien shall tion of twenty-nine years, fifteen per not be removed until the assessments cent; at the expiration of thirty years, are paid, or the property sold for the payment thereof.

percentages may be changed sufficient-ly so that every bond shall be in an amount of one hundred dollars or Section 10-6206. After adopting plan for said canal or canals, stor age reservoirs and works, the board of directors shall give notice, by publica-tion thereof not less than once a week for three successive weeks in one newspaper published in each of the counties composing the district (pro-rided a newspaper is published therein) and in such other newspapers as hey may deem advisable, calling for bids for the construction of such works, or of any portion thereof; if less than the whole work is advertisless than the whole work is advertis-ed, then the portion so advertised must be particularly described in such notice. Said notice shall set forth that plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the board, and that the board will receive sealed proposals the obtain while receive senied pro-posals therefor, and that the contract will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, stating the time and place for opening said proposals, which, at the ime and place apointed, shall be open-d in public; and as soon as convenent thereafter the board shall let said work, either in portions or as a whole, the lowest responsible bidder; or ey may reject any or all bids and readvertise for proposals, or may proown superintendence. Contracts for the purchase of materials shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder. Any person or persons to whom a contract may be awarded shall enler into a bond, with good and suffi-tient sureties, to be approved by the board, payable to said district for its dee, for twenty-five per cent of the amount of the contract price, condi-tioned for the faithful performance of aid contract. The work shall be done under the direction and to the satisfaction of a competent irrigation en-gineer who shall be employed by the oard on such basis of compensation is the board may determine, and such work when completed, shall be approv-ad by the board. Provided, that the provisions of this section shall not apbly in the case of contract between the listrict and the United States.

Section 11-6192. After the board of directors shall have completed its qualization of said assessment, it thall certify one of the copies or du-plicates thereof, made by it during that year, to the county clerk. The county clerk shall enter the apportionment so made, upon the county as-sessment roll, against the property therein respectively described, in the same manner that other municipal as-sessments are entered by him on said assessment roll, except that the total tum apportioned to and charged against each description of land there-in contained, shall be entered by the

clerk as the irrigation district ta: against the same, such tax shall be

collected and accounted for in the

es and the collection thereof enforced

in the same manner as the other tax-

es of the county. Lands lying within such irrigation district patented to the State of Oregon and sold by the State

on certificates to parties, individuals or corporations, shall be subject to as-

sessment and collection of irrigation listrict assessments the same as any

and all other lands in irrigation dis-tricts. In case of neglect or refusal of the board of directors to cause such assessment and levy to be made as in this Act provided, then the assessment and levy herein provided for shall be made and equalized by the County

made and equalized by the County Court of the county in which the of-ice of the board of directors is situat-ed, sitting for the transaction of coun-

ty business, at the same time that

mid court levies county taxes, and in

the same manner with like effect that

the board of directors is required to make the same, and all expenses in-

cident the same, and all expenses in-cident thereto, shall be borne by such district, and such levy and assessment shall be entered on the county tax roll by the county clerk in the manner in this section provided.

Fred Mitchell made a trip to Jam ieson Tuesday.

of hogs to the Seattle markets last Friday. The hogs were shipped by Wagner.

Mrs. Tschirgi entertained the Pio near club at her home last Thursday In spite of the cold and snow, the la die. ame out in full force and enjoyed thumselves immensely The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Voak.

J. M. Addington is spending a few days at Payette and Weiser. While he is gone Alma Woodward is staying with Mrs. Addington.

Colds and grippe seem to be the fashionable ailments these days. Among those on the sick list are Mrs. Weller and Mrs. Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovelace are leaving Thursday for Ohio where they expect to live in the future. O. D. Lovelace will stay here and keep on farm-

The Grange held its regular meeting Tuesday evening with a very good the same be organized hereunder.

to certain girls who refused to become Harry Antrobus chaperoned a car his wife. Measure. Antrobus, Breedlove, Cole and IRRIGATION DIST. LAW

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be conferred, by law, upon such irri-gation districts, and such districts when so organized shall be known and designated as municipal subdivisions of the State, having full power of self-government and control in all matters pertaining to the general pur-pose for which such districts are or-ganized.

pose for ganized. Section 2-6168. For the purpose of organizing an irrigation district as provided by this Act, a petition sign-

provided by this Act, a petition sign-ed by the required number of holders of title to the lands within the boun-daries of such proposed irrigation dis-trict, shall be presented to the coun-ty court of the county in which the land, or the greatest portion shall set forth and particularly describe the boundaries of the proposed irrigation district and shall state that it is the nurpose of the petitioners to organize

purpose of the petitioners to organize an irrigation district under the provi-sions of this Act, and shall pray that The Grange held its regular meeting Tuesday evening with a very good at tendance. Six applications for member business was transacted, a short program was given, and then Mra. Stanley Woodward and Mias Schlottman served a fine lunch. The next meeting will be on Feb. 1. Henry Freyborg entertained some of the young folks at his home last Wednesday evening. They reported a pleasant time. Some of the young folks indulged in a bobaled party last Sunday night. Sleighing was so good and all the young folks were enjoying the frolic so much they did not get home until after midnight. The Brogan correspondent has not been turning in any notes this winter, but has turned over a new leaf and will try to do better in the future

Section 3-6170. Election of Offi-cers in Each District-Oath and Bonds Of.-An election shall be held in each district on the second Tuesday in January, 1913, and on the secday in January, 1913, and on the sec-ond Tuesday in January each two years thereafter, at which a treasurer and board of directors for each dis-trict shall be elected. The person re-ceiving the highest number of votes for any office to be filled at such elec-tion shall be elected thereto, and shall had the office from the first Tuesday. hold the office from the first Tuesday in February next after such election for two years and until his successor is elected and qualified. Within 16 days after receiving the certificate of election hereinafter provided for said officials shall take the official oath and file the same in the office of the board of directors, and the treasurer shall execute and deliver to the board of directors an official bond in the sum of not less than fifteen thousand (\$15,000) dollars nor more than fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars, to be ap-proved by the board of directors as to amount and sufficiency of sureties and each member of the board of di-

and each member of the board of di-rectors shall execute an official bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, which said bonds shall be ap-proved by the judge of the county court and shall be recorded in the of-fice of the county clerk thereof and filed with the argument of the logical fied with the secretary of the board. All official bonds herein provided for shall be in the form prescribed by law for the official bonds of county onicials. Provided, that in case any district organized under this title is appointed fiscal agent of the United States or by the United States is au-thorized to make collections of mon-eys for and on behalf of the United eys for and on behalf of the United States in conection with any Federal States in conection with any Federal reclamation project, the treasurer and each director shall execute a further and additional official bond in such sum as the Secretary of Interior may require, conditioned for the faithful discharge of the duties as fiscal, or other agent of the United States un-der any such appointment or author-ization, and any such hond may be such upon by the United States or any person injured by the failure of such treasurer or a director or the dis-trict to fully, promptly and complete-ly perform their respective duties.

Section 4-6178. Organization of the Board-Duties-By-Laws-On the

Among other debts of gratitude a man owes, he finds out later, is that to certain girls who refused to become the name of the district under the pro-visions of the laws of the State of Oregon. Said board may also con-struct or contract for the construction of the necessary canals, dams, reser-voirs, pumping plants and other nec-structor contract for the construction of the necessary canals, dams, reserey necessary to be raised, and the ed by said district for the ensuing character and extent of contract and year, for the purpose of paying al voirs, pumping plants and other nec-essary works for the collection and obligations necessary to be under-taken, and shall immediately thereafdistribution of water in, and for the drainage of said district, and may do any and every lawful act necessary to be done that water may be furnished for the lands in said district for irriga-not the bonds of said district, or the of maintenance of the irrigation systion purposes and said district for irriga-tion purposes and said district may provide for and furnish water for lands not included within such irri-gation district upon receiving proper compensation therefor, and said dis-trict may dispose of and furnish elec-tric nover in c out of said district right to enter into an obligation or contract with the United States, in the manner, in the amount and to the extent, as determined and herein pro-ided the entermined and herein proextent, as determined and herein pro-vided, shall be authorized. Notice of States under any contract between the such election must be given by post-ing notices in three public places in each election precinct in said district for at least 20 days, and also by pubric power in or out of said district apon receiving proper compensation therefor; provided, that any district lication of such notice in some news-paper published in the county where the office of the board of directors of such district is kept, once a week for urnishing electric power outside of aid district shall be deemed a pubic utility within the meaning of Chapter 279 of the General Laws of Oregon for the year 1911, as to elec-ric power so furnished outside of said at least three successive weeks. Such notices must specify the time of holdlistrict. And said board may enter into any obligation or contract with the United States for the construction, operation and maintenance of the necing the election, the amount of bonds proposed to be issued, or the extent of the obligation proposed to be un-lertaken; and said election must be held and the result thereof determined If the obligation proposed to be unitable in an included in said district, and shall be apportioned by said board to the brief of the county star roll by the county clerk in the manner in this section provided.
Section 12-6214. In case the volume of the ball of the assessment ind centrar trights have been provided in shall not be sufficient to supply the county at roll by the county clerk in the manner in this section provided.
Section 12-6214. In case the volume of areas of the ball of the assessment ind centrar trights have been provided in shall not be sufficient to supply the continual wants of the entire county is shall be assessed and required to a portion in a just and each area of irrigable land owned or held by each provided, to apportion in a just and enter words equivalent thereto. If a majority of the votes cast are 'Bonds' — 'Pes,'' the board of directors shall area there of irrigable land owned or held by each provided, to apportion in a just and each area of irrigable land owned or held by each provided, to apportion in a just and each area of irrigable land owned or held by each provided, the duty of the votes cast are 'Bonds' — 'Pes,'' the board of directors shall end owned or held by each provided, the duty of the votes cast are 'Bonds' — 'Pes,'' the board of directors shall end owned or held by each provided, the induct of the same area of irrigable land or the distort of all parties and required to in duplicate, giving the description of the interest of all parties and sequirable rights of all contract is made with the United States in section 6179 as amended the ownership or holdings of each per objected with the United States in addition to such contract, bonds in addition to such contract, issary works for the delivery and dis-ribution of water therefrom under he provisions of the Federal Reclanation Act and all Acts amendatory mation Act and all Acts amendatory hereof or supplementary thereto and he rules and regulations established hereunder; or the board may con-mact with the United States for a water supply under any Act of Con-rress providing for or permitting such contract, and in case contract has any or may hereafter he made with been or may hereafter be made with he United States as herein provided, onds of the district may be depos-ted with the United States, at niney per cent of their par value, to the imount to be paid by the district, to he United States under any such conhe United States under any such con-tract, the interest on said bonds to be provided for by assessment and levy is in the case of other bonds of the district, and regularly paid to the United States to be applied as pro-vided in such contract, and if the bonds of the district are not so de-posited it shall be the duty of the board of directors to include as part board of directors to include as part of any levy or assessment provided for in Section 6186, as amended here-in an amount sufficient to meet each year all payments accruing under the terms of any such contract; and the board may accept on behalf of the district, appointment of the district as fiscal agent of the United States, or

