

# Joyous News!!!

## Down Go the Prices Again!!

The time is drawing near and we must close out regardless of price. We have decided on another cut of 15 per cent, making a total reduction of 60 per cent. Don't stop to ponder. It is the chance of your lifetime. Don't listen to the bark of competitors.

## They Can't Touch Us On Values.

Don't be like the man who had the habit of riding backwards. He never saw anything 'till it got by him. The greatest money saving event of the age is knocking at your very door. Hundreds have taken advantage of it and still you hesitate. You'll have to hurry as the time is growing short. Don't fail to bring in the family; we can fit them all. Rivet your eyes on a few of the sterling values we are offering, and

YOU'LL GET BUSY.

# Price Brothers

## RUSHING WORK ON RAILROAD BRIDGE

## Heavy Cables Span the Canyon.

## CARRIAGE AND CAR WORKING

## Oregon Trunk Roadbed Completed Between Hillman and Crooked River

The Crook County Journal correspondent at Hillman writes as follows:

The cement work on the Crooked river railroad bridge is being pushed ahead as fast as possible. The engine and stone crusher are in place, the heavy cable across the canyon has been strung, the carriage and car are hung and in working order and work will be rushed to completion at the earliest possible date. Inasmuch as this is the second highest bridge of its kind in the United States and the seventh highest in the world, it makes it doubly interesting to watch this work as it progresses from day to day.

The work on the roadbed of the Oregon Trunk has been completed between Hillman and Crooked river. Nelson Bros. Camp 4 has been broken up and now the only unfinished work left in this vicinity is being done by Albert Nelson & Brothers at Camp 1. This work will not be completed until about the middle of March.

D. C. Hall arrived from Shaniko Wednesday morning with the pump and engine for the Hillman well. They will be installed as soon as possible and it is needless to say that they will be greatly appreciated by the residents of Hillman.

A. E. Phillips, a contractor and builder, arrived here this week from Salem. Mr. Phillips has a homestead down on the peninsula on which he intends to move about the first of March.

B. Richelidorfer, from Ellensburg, Washington, arrived here this week and is looking over the

country around Hillman with the view of locating. Mr. Richelidorfer is very much impressed with the future outlook of this place and says that "he can see no reason why Hillman should not make a town second to none in this part of the country, and thinks the soil here every bit as good, in every way, as that of many of the much heard of valleys of Washington.

Mrs. M. C. Davidson is having the lumber hauled for her residence.

## Sheepmen Resolve.

### REPORT

We, the wool men of Oregon, view with alarm the threatened onslaught by Congress on the wool tariff, knowing as we do that the reduction of the tariff will of necessity cripple, and perhaps destroy our industry. The idea expressed by many people that sheepmen are making a large profit is very erroneous. The large expenses incurred, which have from year to year increased, have brought the expenditure and income very close together, leaving a very small margin of profit. This fact we have every confidence will be reported by the tariff commission. We therefore welcome the tariff commission without reservation. We point out, as we have pointed out before, that the cost of wool in an all-wool suit of clothes amounts to less than \$3.00, and that therefore the reduction of the tariff would not necessarily cheapen the cost of clothing to the consumer. That the taking of the tariff from the wool would inevitably drive the flocks from the ranges and farms as quickly as they could be got rid of on the market, is our conviction. That this would be nothing short of a national calamity, every right-thinking person must admit. We would, however, detail the direct and incidental damages the country would sustain:

1. An industry that employs a large number of men at very high wages would be lost to the country.

2. The American people would be deprived of the home mutton supply, a class of meat the most wholesome on the market, a class that is never condemned as

beef or pork, seeing that the sheep never suffer from diseases communicable to the human family.

3. Incidentally, the absence of this mutton from the market would naturally raise the prices of beef and pork to the people.

4. The land of the United States would suffer from the loss of the fertilizing properties of sheep, which are so valuable an agricultural asset as to be hard to estimate, and would also suffer by the absence of the sheep in their capacity as weed destroyers.

5. Lastly, we claim for sheep, among all his other merits, that he is a great protection against forest fires, eating out and stamping out as he does the underbrush; a fact that is now conceded by the Forest Department, and that in his way he has saved millions of dollars to the nation.

We are informed that there is now pending before the congress of the United States a bill providing for the creation of a Department of Public Health. We feel that this is a matter of vital interest to the entire animal industry of this nation, and we oppose most vigorously the transfer of the Bureau of Animal Industry, or any part thereof away from the Department of Agriculture. The greater success of the Bureau of Animal Industry in the suppression of animal diseases, and in the inspection of meats, has come, we believe, as a result of the close association maintained by this bureau with the agricultural and livestock interests of the entire nation, and the removal of this bureau to the Department of Public Health would tend to destroy confidence in its ruling and would result in confusion. We therefore most earnestly urge upon our senators and representatives in the congress of the United States that they use every effort to prevent the transfer of the Bureau of Animal Industry, or any part thereof, away from the United States Department of Agriculture.

We the Oregon Wool Growers, are strongly opposed to that section of the House Bill 28213, which empowers the President to create additional Forest Res-

erves in the Northwestern States believing that power should continue in the hands of Congress as at present.

IV. We urge upon Congress the necessity of appropriating additional funds for the maintenance and equipment of the National Forests of the West, feeling that the limited funds now available prevent the construction of drift fences, watering places, the destruction of predatory wild animals, and reseeding the depleted ranges.

Resolved: In order that shippers may secure the long desired relief from the present unsatisfactory and inhuman conditions of transportation of livestock to their place of destination by the railroads, we respectfully request that our Representatives and Senators in Congress urge the enactment of House of Representative's Bill 27139 as agreed upon by the American Humane Society, the National Wool Growers, and Allied Live Stock Associations.

We would respectfully urge upon the Legislature of this state the necessity of passing, at the coming session, a minimum speed limit law, covering the shipment of livestock between points in this state.

We believe that the law known as the Scalp Bounty Law, passed by the Legislature, has been of great benefit, not only to the Wool Growers, but to every stock raiser and poultry grower in the state; but we think, owing to the great size of some of the counties in Eastern Oregon the necessity of the killer of a coyote personally appearing before the County Clerk of a county tends to detract from our receiving its full benefit. We would therefore instruct the legislative committee of this Association to draw up, and endeavor to have passed, such necessary amendments to the present law, so that a person legitimately entitled to collect a bounty can do so without entailing upon him a greater expenditure than the benefit he should receive.

Whereas, The Centennial celebration of the settlement of Astoria, by Jacob Astor in 1811, to be held in that city next August, will commemorate an event of national significance, as well as of great importance to the entire Northwest,

Resolved, That the Oregon Wool Growers' Association heartily endorse the holding of said Centennial celebration, and bespeak for it the enthusiastic support of every American citizen.

It is with great pleasure that we endorse the work of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry in this state, and we desire to extend our thanks to the Honorable Secretary of Agriculture, and to Dr. A. D. Melvin for the great assistance the Bureau of Animal Industry has rendered to the livestock interests of this state. We most heartily endorse the work of the local officials, more especially that of Dr. S. W. McClure, of this great Bureau, and would respectfully ask their continued assistance and co-operation to the end that all diseases of sheep may ultimately be eradicated.

We endorse the work of the Oregon State Sheep Commission, and thank each member of this Board for the personal interest he has taken in the welfare of the sheep industry.

We heartily endorse the work of Dr. W. H. Lytle as State Sheep Inspector, and urge the necessity of retaining his services.

Inasmuch as the supervisors of the several Forests have stated that there will be no reduction in the number of sheep which were grazed during the season of 1910, and satisfactory advisory boards having been appointed to adjust differences that may arise between the users and supervisors, it appears that the woolgrowers' business, from a grazing standpoint, is to be placed on a more stable basis, and the disagreeable task of readjusting allotments will to a great extent be eliminated.

XII. We recommend that as far as possible, when fire guards and others in the Service are promoted to the office of ranger, practical stockmen be given preference for this position.

XIII. We heartily commend the District Forester for the exploration of the ungrazed Forests of Northern Washington, and the efforts made toward securing a reasonable freight rate in the transportation of sheep to the same.

Resolved, That we most heartily endorse the proposed Panama-Pacific International Exposition, to be held in San Francisco in 1915, and pledge our co-operation and assistance; and be it further

Resolved, That all of the senators and representatives from our state be requested to use their influence to secure for the Exposition in San Francisco governmental endorsement and recognition; and

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the senators and representatives in congress, with a request that they assist in carrying out their letter and spirit; and that a copy be also sent to the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company in San Francisco.

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Horses for Sale. On the said C. Sam South ranch, near Prineville, 125 head of mares and geldings, large enough for work horses, will be sold in any number at reasonable prices. For further information address G. H. Russell, Prineville, Oregon. 12-16-11

Notice for Publication. Department of the Interior, United States Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, December 28th, 1910. Notice is hereby given that John Ferguson, of Lamonia, Oregon, who on November 20th, 1904, made Homestead No. 1006-1299, Serial No. 8720 and 8721, for lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, and 1/2 Sec. 10, Township 14 South, Range 11 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Warren Brown, County Clerk, at his office at Prineville, Oregon, on the 15th day of January, 1911.

Notice for Publication. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, December 28th, 1910. Notice is hereby given that Edwin D. Baser, of O'Neil, Oregon, who, on December 20th, 1904, made Homestead No. 10275, Serial No. 11775 and 9828 for sections 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, Sec. 4 and 1/2, Township 16 North, Range 11 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Warren Brown, County Clerk at his office, at Prineville, Oregon, on the 15th day of January, 1911.

Notice to Creditors. The executor of the last will and testament of Emory Reynolds, deceased, to all creditors of said deceased and all others having claims against said estate to present the same, with the proper vouchers, to the undersigned, at the office of M. B. Howell, in Prineville, Oregon, within six months from the first publication of this notice.

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Contest Notice. Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, November 28, 1910. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Ada E. Morse, contestant, against homestead entry No. 1473, made May 27, 1906, by W. A. Section 2, Township 15 S., Range 11 E., Willamette Meridian, by John M. Stewart, deceased, contestant, in which it is alleged that said John M. Stewart died on or about March 12, 1906 that since said date, his heirs, Alice S. Johnson, John M. Stewart, Mary S. Anderson, William W. Stewart and Ruth Bloom have failed to reside upon or cultivate said tract, as required by law; that said absence was not due to simple neglect in the entry, they or their heirs or assigns are hereby notified to appear, respond, and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 10, 1911, before E. J. Duffy, a notary public at his office in Prineville, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 23, 1911, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon.

Notice of Final Settlement. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Paul W. Childers, the administrator of the estate of Robert Howe, deceased, has filed his final account with the County Clerk of Crook County, state of Oregon, and that Monday, the 12th day of January, 1911, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, in the County Courtroom of the County of Crook in Prineville, Oregon, country, Oregon, has been fixed by the court as the time and place for hearing said report. All persons are hereby notified to appear at said time and place to show cause, if any there be, why said report should not be approved and an order made discharging said Administrator from further action in said estate and that said estate be closed.

OREGON-- The Last Call of the West. Did you see this beautiful article picturing Oregon in four colors in the November SUNSET? \$15,000 is being spent by SUNSET MAGAZINE on a series of articles superbly illustrated in four colors picturing and describing the attractions and resources of the Wonderland of the Pacific.

We will send you the next three issues of SUNSET commencing with the special December issue in which begins the best serial novel of the year "The Spell," by C. N. & A. M. Williamson and a superbly illustrated article in four colors on "San Francisco--The Exposition City; and in addition we will include a copy of the November issue containing the beautifully illustrated article on Oregon. All for 25 cents (Stamps or coin) Sunset Magazine Wells Fargo Bld'g, Portland, Or.

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All Men's \$3.50 Hats for Saturday Only, \$2.75.  
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