

IRRIGATION DRIVE TO START IN BAKER

Funds Sought for Lower
Powder River Project.

262,800 ACRES INVOLVED

Increase in Population of 2000 by
Development of Waste Lands
Is One of Objectives.

BAKER, Or., June 4.—(Special).—The irrigation committee will start next week on its work of raising funds for the promotion of the lower Powder river irrigation project. There is said to be an opposition movement on foot, but committee members declare they will be successful in raising the money needed at this time to place the project before the United States reclamation service.

"Irrigation is one of the greatest developments awaiting to be opened up in Baker county," is the slogan presented to the persons directly or indirectly interested in the movement. Enough water is said to run off in floods each year to irrigate all land in Baker county, which is declared by recent government statistics to have the largest acreage available for irrigation of any county in the state. Irrigation leaders asserted that the money to be raised will be expressly for the purpose of placing the movement favorably before the reclamation service bureau and that it is their opinion that if this is done there will be no question of getting governmental aid in building the lower Powder river dam and channels.

Project Is Extensive.

The project above the Thist valley reservoir dam would store water from a drainage area of 962 miles, as proposed. Two hundred and two square miles would be drawn above that point. The run off of the entire area averages 262,800 acre-feet.

The area to be irrigated by the Thist valley reservoir is 40,000 acres and from the Balm creek reservoir 25,000 acres, mostly government or undeveloped land. Water from the Balm creek reservoir is secured largely from West Eagle creek, which carries a volume of water one and one-half times as great as that carried by Powder river.

In production an acre the land under water is capable of producing a profit of \$25 an acre annually from hay alone, deducting the cost of production, harvesting and paying for the water rights, a nominal sum which has been said not to average more than \$1 an acre.

The land, if cut up into tracts of 160 acres each, would add 370 families to the residents of the county on what is now waste land and the population increase estimated will be 2000.

Project 14 Miles From Baker.

The project is within 14 miles of Baker, the Baker-Cornucopia post road traversing the southern portion of the land and the Baker-Medical Springs post road extends through the northern part. Under the plan the road will link up every section of the project with these post roads, so that direct transportation to Baker, the chief shipping point, will be effected.

State Engineer Copper, in a letter sent relative to Baker county irrigation, said: "The final order determining the water rights on the river and its tributaries was handed down by the state water board recently. This adjudication involved some 20,000 acres of irrigated land and the rights of the Eldorado ditch, the longest and one of the oldest ditches in the state."

"A very much larger per cent of the water rights in Baker county have now been determined by the state water board than any county in the state; in fact, with the exception of water rights in Pine creek and its tributaries and a few small streams directly tributary to the Snake river, all rights in Baker county have been determined."

Baker's Area Largest in State.

"Rights to some 20,000 acres of land on the Powder river were determined in the adjudication of that stream, while in the Powder river adjudication 31,000 acres have vested water rights and 40,000 acres having inchoate rights were involved."

"When we take into consideration that Baker county has a larger irrigation area for development than any county in the state, the importance of irrigation for the development of this county can hardly be overestimated. In fact, we may expect the agricultural developments of this section to go forward in two lines: First, the irrigation of additional land, and second, the more intensive development of the land already irrigated, through the adoption of better methods of irrigation."

"According to the recent census report there are 284,627 acres in Baker county suited to irrigation in the various parts of the county. The results from irrigation of this land may be obtained through a study of the results obtained on irrigated land elsewhere. What means all the noise and stir at such an early morning hour? The answer: 'The Stock Show Boosters are about to make a trip through the Grand Ronde valley in the interests of the forthcoming show, the 13th annual.'"

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land and throughout the world, and that the ideals of international fellowship that flamed white during the war may be lost sight of, therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the clerical and lay delegates assembled in the 14th convocation of the missionary district of Idaho, in the name of our Lord and master, endorse heartily the action of an international conference looking toward disarmament, and that an invitation to this conference be issued by the president of the United States to the governments of the great world powers; and, further, be it

Resolved, That this resolution be brought to the attention of our senators and representatives in congress.

So far as was known this was the first definite action taken by a church organization in Idaho declaring outright for disarmament since the subject has been before the present congress.

PORTLAND BANKS LEAD

50 TOWNS AND CITIES IN STATE
HAVE \$300,000 DEPOSITS.

Total Is \$218,804,704. According to Report Prepared by Superintendent Bramwell.

SALEM, Or., June 4.—(Special).—There are 50 towns and cities in Oregon that have bank deposits aggregating more than \$500,000 and in which total deposits amount to \$218,804,704, according to a report prepared here today by Frank C. Bramwell, state superintendent of banks. The report was based on statements received from the various banking institutions in Oregon at the close of business April 28.

Portland banks, with aggregate deposits of \$128,530,855.12, lead the entire state, with Salem in second place with deposits amounting to \$8,110,418.19. Astoria, with deposits aggregating \$6,474,104.18 ranks third, while Eugene is fourth on the list with \$5,675,167.12. Pendleton is a close fifth, with deposits totaling \$5,045,444.48. The total deposits of 136 other towns in Oregon, which fell below the \$500,000 mark, is \$22,052,109.40. Increasing the deposits of all depositories in Oregon under supervision of the state banking department to \$240,856,812.41.

City or town	No. of banks	Deposits
Portland	30	\$128,530,855.12
Salem	4	\$8,110,418.19
Astoria	4	\$6,474,104.18
Eugene	4	\$5,675,167.12
Pendleton	3	\$5,045,444.48
Corvallis	3	\$3,904,943.91
Albany	3	\$3,890,207.30
Medford	3	\$3,210,268.88
Seaside	3	\$2,824,349.20
Baker	3	\$2,580,923.24
The Dalles	3	\$2,567,328.82
Klamath Falls	3	\$2,480,672.42
McMinnville	3	\$2,436,346.92
La Grande	3	\$2,288,283.41
Grants Pass	3	\$2,053,403.46
Willamette	3	\$1,830,102.30
Grants Pass	3	\$1,762,361.83
Clatskanie	3	\$1,691,914.06
Clatskanie	3	\$1,487,212.52
Clatskanie	3	\$1,460,705.69
Clatskanie	3	\$1,200,000.00
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Clatskanie	3	\$1,001,630.93
Clatskanie	3	\$91,022.42
Clatskanie	3	\$88,511.06
Clatskanie	3	\$97,994.58
Clatskanie	3	\$98,719.19
Clatskanie	3	\$70,500.51
Clatskanie	3	\$85,476.62
Clatskanie	3	\$84,364.02
Clatskanie	3	\$81,257.88
Clatskanie	3	\$72,717.18
Clatskanie	3	\$61,043.73
Clatskanie	3	\$68,944.43
Clatskanie	3	\$60,910.96
Clatskanie	3	\$62,048.89
Clatskanie	3	\$62,376.00
Clatskanie	3	\$67,823.69
Clatskanie	3	\$62,522.22
Clatskanie	3	\$61,540.00
Clatskanie	3	\$61,929.99
Clatskanie	3	\$61,434.20
Clatskanie	3	\$60,870.79
Clatskanie	3	\$59,846.11
Clatskanie	3	\$59,351.98
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UNION ADVERTISES SHOW

STOCK EXHIBITION TO BE
HELD JUNE 8, 9 AND 10.

Boosters Tour Grande Ronde Valley; Exhibitors Preparing; New Hotel to Welcome Visitors.

UNION, Or., June 4.—(Special).—Early on the morning of June 1 the streets of the Stock Show City of Union presented a lively appearance, with autos with banners and bunting whizzing in all directions. Strangers within the city's gates could be heard making inquiry: "What means all the noise and stir at such an early morning hour?" The answer: "The Stock Show Boosters are about to make a trip through the Grand Ronde valley in the interests of the forthcoming show, the 13th annual."

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EVANS' SELECTION SURPRISE IN IDAHO

New Internal Revenue Collector Man of Ability.

BORAH STAUNCH FRIEND

Impression Prevails That Senator
Gooding Will Pick Man for
District Attorney or Marshal.

BOISE, Idaho, June 4.—(Special).—Party leaders and politicians in Idaho were given a genuine surprise by the announcement that Senator Borah and Gooding had agreed on Evan Evans of Grangeville for internal revenue collector for the Idaho district to succeed Lewis Williams, present democratic incumbent. Many of them say the naming of Evans may change the lineup on Idaho federal appointments. It is the general impression here that most anything may happen now and that appointments may fall to those considered most unlikely to get them, while candidates for one appointment may be given another.

Evans Good Man for Place.

However, there should be no inference that the appointment of Evan Evans is in any sense a disappointment, except possibly to those who hoped to be able to land one of their own friends. Mr. Evans has a host of friends who will be only too glad to extend their congratulations. And Mr. Evans will make a good internal revenue collector. He has business ability, the faculty of meeting people and is an executive.

The task assigned to the internal revenue collector in this state is no small one. It is the biggest federal department in amount of business done and people employed in Idaho. It is in touch with all sections of the state. It is the government's key to the coffers of thousands of business houses and business men. Millions of dollars are annually handled by the office and a man of unquestionable ability is required to do the work.

Mr. Evans has served as chairman of his party. For years he has been a member of the state board of education and is still a member. He has been chairman of the board and in that capacity has served the state faithfully.

Evans Borah's First Choice.

Evan Evans has the distinction of being the first choice of Senator Borah. Ever since Senator Borah has been in politics in Idaho, Evan Evans has been his friend and supporter. When Evans was chairman of the republican state central committee he stood with Senator Borah in his demand that there be some changes in the personnel of those handling the affairs of the party in the state house.

George Day was at that time state land commissioner. There had been trouble over the manner in which land affairs were handled. Chairman Evans insisted on Day's resignation. Day resigned, but the land board passed resolutions highly praising him for his work as land commissioner. Day was a very strong supporter of Borah. He opposed Borah's attitude with regard to state affairs. The action of Chairman Evans was very naturally not met with the approval of the land commissioner, who was under fire. An enmity was created that has not been erased.

Day's Name Withdrawn.

Mr. Day retired to Oakley following his resignation and assumed charge of his extensive business and land interests. He did not, however, sever his connection with party affairs. When Senator Gooding became a candidate for senator, Day became one of his strongest supporters. After Senator Gooding's election Day's friends became active in his behalf and urged his appointment for internal revenue collector.

When the conference was held at Washington recently between the two senators, the Idaho congressman, State Chairman Thomas and National Committeeman Hart, the name of Day, among others, was presented. Senator Borah made it very plain that he did not approve of the Day appointment. It was said. Later Day's name was withdrawn.

The two other candidates were Evans and David Burrell, the latter secretary of the republican state central committee. Burrell was strongly endorsed, but was not slow in asserting that Evans had the inside. Burrell served as chief clerk of the last house of representatives, and after completing his work here returned to his ranch near American Falls, which he is now managing.

Sensors Have Understanding.

The impression prevails among party leaders here that Senator Borah and Gooding have an understanding about appointments and that the senator senator was to have first choice and the junior senator second. If there is such an understanding, Senator Gooding is now entitled to select either a district attorney, marshal or prohibition commissioner.

William E. Lee of Moscow and Colonel R. G. Day of Boise are considered the strongest candidates for district attorney. Colonel Marsters of Boise and Sheriff Mabey of Pocatello are mentioned for marshal. Joel Brown and Miss Pearl Tyler, the former of Emmett and the latter of Boise, are being seriously considered for prohibition director. In addition there are a host of other candidates for all three offices.

Colonel Davis' Chances Good.

Many believe Gooding will choose to name the district attorney, in which event they say Colonel Davis will be selected. Others seem to be just as confident that the junior senator may elect to take the marshaling, placing in that office someone possibly heretofore unnamed. Of the three offices it is admitted that the junior senator and the marshal are the more important.

In the event he should name the district attorney, the marshaling will probably go to some southern Idaho man to be named by Senator Borah. But if Gooding should name the marshal the district attorney will likely go to a north Idaho man. In any event, it is said by party leaders that the four appointments are to be divided between the north and the south. The north secured the first one. It is likely to get another. Southern Idaho party leaders expect that two of the appointments will come south. Until all of them are determined upon they will continue to speculate.

EDUCATORS ARE CHOSEN

University Professors Selected for Summer School.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, June 4.—(Special).—A select and forthright group of university professors from colleges in New York, Minnesota and California have been obtained to teach in the university summer term.

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The number is not large, but the administration has made an effort to obtain men prominent in their field. Dr. C. Hartwell, an assistant of schools in St. Paul, will offer a course in school administration and secondary education. Dr. Horace A. Eaton of Syracuse, N. Y., is to have charge of the courses in English literature. Miss Mary Humphreys of the Washington State college library will offer two courses in library methods. Mrs. Laura Ripley, art supervisor in Eugene schools, is to give two courses during the summer term. Miss Margaret Crim, supervisor of the school playgrounds in San Francisco and head of the physical education department at Mission High School, will be a valuable addition to the summer term faculty in physical education.

Wisconsin Names Dean Allen.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, June 4.—(Special).—Erie W. Allen, dean of the school of journalism, has been asked by President Birge of the University of Wisconsin to represent that institution at the installation of Richard F. Scholz as president of Reed college, Portland, June 2. Dean Allen and President Scholz went through college and high school together. Both are graduates of the University of Wisconsin.

Parochial School Closes June 10.

CENTRALIA, Wash., June 4.—(Special).—June 10 will mark the close of the school year at St. Mary's parochial school in this city. Eighth grade commencement exercises will

be held June 12. The graduates are Theodore Fike, Nellie Daly and Anna May Jones. Thursday afternoon a mass of the school in observance of the anniversary of St. Cecilia.

MANAGER TO BE ENGAGED

Appointment by Hood River Apple Growers Expected Soon.

HOOD RIVER, Or., June 4.—(Special).—It is expected that the Apple Growers' association within the next week will announce appointment of a successor to C. W. McCullagh, who recently resigned the sales manager-ship of the organization.

The association, too, it is said, will within the next few days announce its plans for a sales policy in New York City. Wayne M. French of St. Louis, Shuttlesworth & French, New York merchants, and Alfred Otis, Boston fruit man, were here this week conferring with the board on sales plans.

STUDENTS TO GIVE PLAY

University to Stage Commencement Event June 18.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, June 4.—(Special).—The commencement play, "Disraeli," by Louis Parker, probably the biggest theatrical event in the university year, will be given June 18.

Professor Fergus Reddie is taking the leading part and Norvell Thompson of Portland is manager. This is the first time a student has ever been stage manager. Dorothy Wootton of Astoria is taking the leading

feminine part. Other members of the cast are John Canale of San Francisco, Claire Keeney of Eugene, Gaylord and Grover Troth, past masters of Centralia lodge, No. 63, will attend the Masonic grand lodge session that opens in Spokane June 14, and Mrs. R. P. Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Eaton and Mrs. W. R. Keir and Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Williams will represent the local chapter of the Eastern Star at the meeting of the grand chapter, opening in Spokane June 16.

DELEGATES ARE SELECTED

Centralia Oddfellows and Masons Name State Representatives.

CENTRALIA, Wash., June 4.—(Special).—Clinton Lantz is delegate from Centralia lodge, No. 67; R. L. Greene from Centralia Encampment, No. 60, and R. L. Greene, A. C. Greene and Thomas Weeks from Canton Centralia, No. 24, to the sessions of the various grand bodies of Oddfellows, to be held in Spokane from June 6

to 10. Mrs. Lillian Davis will represent Ivy Rebekah lodge, No. 21. G. B. Williams, master, and W. W. Gaylord and Grover Troth, past masters of Centralia lodge, No. 63, will attend the Masonic grand lodge session that opens in Spokane June 14, and Mrs. R. P. Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Eaton and Mrs. W. R. Keir and Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Williams will represent the local chapter of the Eastern Star at the meeting of the grand chapter, opening in Spokane June 16.

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