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Sherry Wine, \$1.50 a gallon,  
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THE DALLES OREGON

ESTRAY NOTICE—Came to my place Oct 10, two cows branded 7 L on both 2 C on left side.—Perry Read, Culver, Oregon. d23

## NOMINATE TICKET FOR CITY OFFICERS

Robert Rea Runs For The Mayoralty

J. H. JACKSON PRESIDES AT NOMINATING ELECTION

Large Representation Of Citizens At Meeting—Election To Be Held Monday, January 31

Pursuant to a call which was issued for a mass meeting of the citizens of Madras for the purpose of nominating men for the city offices to be voted on at the coming election on Monday, January 31, a large delegation of the voters of Madras met in Sanford's hall. The meeting was called to order by J. H. Jackson, who was afterward elected chairman of the meeting. Upon motion, made and seconded, W. R. Cook and H. W. Turner were, respectively, elected secretaries of the meeting. The chairman stated the purpose of the meeting, and it was agreed by common consent that the person receiving a plurality of the votes for any office would be declared the nominee for that office. The nominating election being next in order of business, T. B. Tucker and W. H. Cook were appointed as tellers. Nominations were mayor were next made, Robert Rea, Dr. T. A. Long and A. C. Sanford being named. Robert Rea receiving the highest number of votes was declared the nominee. Nominations for six councilmen were next in order and the following persons were named, it being agreed that the three names receiving the highest number of votes at the nominating election would serve for two years and the three lowest for one year: J. C. Robinson, T. A. Long, S. E. Gray, G. W. Kidder, W. R. Cook, Warren Smith, T. B. Tucker, Ralph Sharp, J. E. Wilson, John Lockhart, H. W. Turner, J. P. Hahn and J. E. Lovell. After the ballot had been

closed and the votes called, the following persons were declared the nominees: S. E. Gray, 56 votes; T. B. Tucker, 50; T. A. Long, 38; W. R. Cook, 38; Warren Smith, 35; Ralph Sharp, 32.

Recorder was the next in order for nomination, and J. H. Jackson being the only name presented, he was declared the nominee by acclamation. J. M. Conklin was also made the nominee for city treasurer by acclamation. A. W. Culp and Charles Disney were named as nominees for city marshal, and Culp receiving the highest number of votes, was declared the nominee.

A motion was made, seconded and carried instructing the secretary to furnish the road supervisor with the names of all persons who had voted for the various candidates.

Any person wishing to run independently for any of the city offices will be able to have his name placed upon the ballot by giving reasonable notice before the date of election, so that his name may be printed upon the ballot.

## STEVENS MAY BE PRESIDENTS OF BURLINGTON

Portland Telegram

The retirement of Daniel Willard as vice-president of the Burlington is looked upon as a move that will give James J. Hill just the place he wants John F. Stevens to fill. Willard has become president of the Baltimore & Ohio. Hill took Stevens away from the New York, New Haven & Hartford last June, and made him his personal and confidential adviser in the matter of future extensions for the Great Northern and Burlington. No definite executive title was conferred on Mr. Stevens, but he was in reality consulting engineer for location and construction of new lines. His salary in this capacity is required to be \$35,000 a year.

Stevens' first coup came when he took charge of the Oregon Trunk Line, of which road he is now president. To various friends in Portland, Mr. Stevens has stated that he did not expect to make his headquarters in Portland permanently, but would stay here until the organization of the Central Oregon line has been perfected. It is not generally believed that President Stevens will remain here much after the middle of next Summer, when it is expected the Oregon Trunk main line will be completed, so far as now under construction, and that such feeders as may be needed to protect the Hill interests will have been taken care of.

The official denial of the rumor that Darius Miller is to succeed George B. Harris as president of the Burlington, will in no way interfere with the plan to put Mr. Stevens in the place recently vacated by Vice-President Willard. At the same time the change may not take place for some months. Mr. Stevens is now in the East.

## FARMERS UNION HOLDING BIG CONVENTION

Walla Walla, Wash., Jan. 16.—Incoming trains today brought the advance guard of the thousand delegates who will attend the tri-state convention of the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union, which convenes in this city tomorrow morning for a three days' session. By Monday night it is expected all will have arrived. Delegates are being entertained by the Walla Walla Commercial Club and the local union.

With representatives from the various local unions in Washington, Oregon and Idaho, the convention is looked upon as one of the most important farmers' gatherings ever held in the Northwest. Among the questions of interest to the wheat-producing section of the Inland Empire which will be discussed during the sessions will be whether the Washington Union shall purchase the entire output of grain bags from the state and distribute amongst the local unions or allow the different locals to do their own buying.

Success of co-operative grain warehouses the past season makes it probable that action will be taken to build more this Spring for handling this season's crop. Talk among the delegates today was almost unanimously in favor of extending the string of farmers' warehouses throughout the Inland Empire. Resolutions favoring the parcels post and opposing President Taft's proposal to raise the rates on magazines will be introduced during the sessions.

## AWBREY FALLS ARE SOLD

A deal has recently been closed in which H. H. Humphrey of Kennewick, Wash., and Mrs. Clara Kirkham-Swafford of Laidlaw bought the two Awbrey falls and the B. F. Nichols falls on the Deschutes close to Laidlaw, and have also contracted for the purchase of about

## Incorporation Election JANUARY 31, 1910 CITY OFFICERS ALSO ELECTED

1000 acres adjoining the present town-site of Laidlaw from the same persons. The consideration for the power site was in the neighborhood of \$50,000, and the price to be paid for the contracted land has not been made public. The land has a frontage for three miles on the Deschutes River and joins Laidlaw on the North.

Mr. Humphreys and Mrs. Swafford are said to have plenty of financial backing to develop the immense water power of the falls, which is estimated at between 40,000 and 50,000 horsepower.

## ASSESSMENT AND TAXATION

EXTRACTS OF THE ASSESSMENT LAWS OF OREGON—YEAR 1909

Section 22, Page 11. At the time prescribed by law (1st day of March, each year) the assessor of each county shall ascertain by diligent inquiry the names of all persons liable to taxation in his county who by law are assessable to (by) him, also all the taxable personal property, and all taxable real estate therein which by law is assessable by him, and make out an assessment roll of all such property, and appraise the same according to the provisions of the statutes relating thereto.

OWNER TO FURNISH LIST OF PROPERTY—PENALTY FOR REFUSING

Section 23, Page 11. Every assessor shall require any person liable to be taxed in his county and to be assessed by him, and the managing agent or officer of any corporation or association liable to be taxed in his county and to be assessed by him, to furnish such assessor a list of all the real estate of such person, corporation or association situate in his county liable to taxation, and a list of all the personal property of such person, corporation or association liable to taxation in this State, and shall require such person, managing agent, or officer to make oath, that, to the best of his knowledge and belief, such list contains a full and true account of all his or his property liable to be taxed in such county; and if any person shall refuse to furnish such list, or to swear to the same when required to do so by the assessor, such person shall forfeit and pay to the assessor, for the use of the county, the sum of \$50.00, which sum may be recovered by action in any Court having jurisdiction of matters of debt or contract to the amount of \$50.00.

Should any such person, managing agent or officer when so required, refuse to furnish and to swear to such a list, the assessor shall ascertain the taxable property of such person, corporation, or association, and shall appraise the same from the best information to be obtained from other sources.

ADDITIONS TO THE ASSESSMENT ROLL AFTER ITS RETURN TO THE CLERK

Section 24, Page 31. Whenever after the return of the assessment roll to the county clerk by the board of equalization, the officer having possession of the roll shall discover or receive creditable information, or if he has reason to believe that any real or personal property has from any cause been omitted in whole or in part in the assessment of any year or number of years, not exceeding five years prior to the last roll equalized and returned, or from the assessment roll or tax roll, he shall proceed to correct the assessment or tax roll in his hands and add such property thereto and charge such property and the owner thereof with the proper amount of taxes thereon at the rate that the said property would have been taxed had it been properly upon the tax roll, for the years as to which it was omitted. To enable such officer so to do he is hereby invested with all the powers of the assessor, board of equalization and county clerk, under the laws in force during such years and thereafter.

DIGEST OF DECISIONS OF OREGON SUPREME COURT RELATING TO ASSESSMENT AND TAXATION OF PROPERTY

Adding to the assessment roll property not assessed is a correction of a roll and not an alteration.

A statute empowering the Sheriff (who is tax collector) to add to the tax roll without notice to the owner, property omitted by the assessor, and collect taxes thereon, is not unconstitutional where there is a board of equalization which holds a public meeting at a stated time, with power to add to and correct the assessor's roll. The taxpayer has notice by the statute that this board will meet to correct errors and omissions, and it is his duty to appear and see that all his property is correctly listed; if he neglects this duty and this opportunity to be heard, he cannot object when his omitted property is assessed by the sheriff and made to bear its share of the public burden.

OPINION OF ATTORNEY-GENERAL RELATING TO TAXATION

Land acquired from the United States—when subject to taxation:  
Land acquired from the United States is subject to assessment and taxation, although patents therefor has not been issued, whenever final proof thereon is made before the register and receiver, or the person acquiring such land has done every thing, including payment of all required fees and the purchase price, entitling him to a patent therefor; and such proof and payment has been accepted by the officers of the United States authorized to accept the same.

RESIDENCE OF OWNERS OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

The Supreme Court has held in one case that where money is deposited for investment, in the place where it is held, it is taxable.

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