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WHEAT AND FLOUR IN UMATILLA COUNTY

The following excellent article on wheat and flour production in Umatilla county was written for the Coast Magazine by E. W. McComas, the pioneer farmer and wheat buyer of this city:

Umatilla county the banner wheat county of the great state of Oregon, owes its unique distinction, to the fact that annually it produces 1 per cent of all the wheat grown in the United States, or 6,000,000 bushels.

The county has a total acreage in round numbers of 2,000,000; the acreage available for growing the cereals, wheat and barley is estimated at 650,000; of this acreage, some 140,000 acres are embraced in the Umatilla Indian reservation, and about 50,000 acres are yet in the nature of homestead filings, and government land, open for entry. Much of this acreage is yet in use as pasture land, but is gradually but surely being reclaimed for cereals.

The lands embraced in the Indian reservation are farmed by renters, who pay the Indian from \$3 to \$5 per acre for the use of the land for a term of two years. The greater part of this Indian land is the most prolific grain land in the county, producing, in many instances, 50 bushels to the acre. As the Indian, through inheritance or otherwise, is enabled to obtain patents to the land, it is being sold to the renters and converted into homes and highly tilled farms.

The acreage not used for growing cereal crops is diversified, the eastern and extreme southern part of the county is mountainous and supplies much valuable timber, the balance of the land is used for grazing by the cattle raisers and sheepmen, who are counted among the factors of this rich county. Quite an acreage of hitherto barren and desert lands are now being reclaimed by the United States government and private irrigation companies.

Summer fallowing as a method of farming is followed exclusively, i. e.: The land is plowed in the early spring and remains in this state with frequent cultivations to conserve the moisture and destroy weed and other foul growths, until the following fall, when it is seeded, thus producing a crop once in two years; this, in fact, being the method of farming followed in all the great area of country west of the Rocky mountains.

Scientists and theoretical farmers continue to proclaim against this as a false method, a waste of time and sure impoverishment of the soil. Against their contention we have the practical wheat grower, with a large balance in the local banks, California, in the winter and automobiles galore, and whilst the scientist continues to visit the farming communities and argue at so much per talk against the method he has as yet failed to acquire a wheat farm to demonstrate that he can raise more on the land, than the practical farmer.

As to values, possibly, in no other wheat-growing section is there such a wide range, the prices paid for these lands ranging from \$12 to \$100 per acre.

Transportation facilities are of the best. The Oregon Railway & Navigation company and Northern Pacific railroad both tap the wheat belt, making a market for the crop at Portland, Puget Sound and the eastern grain centers. The Columbia river is the northwestern boundary of the county and with improvements now under way by the United States government, will within a few years carry a large portion of the grain to the Portland market. A railroad is now being projected to tap the wheat fields and connect with boats on the river at Cold Springs.

Wheat is the principal crop, and with an annual production of 6,000,000 bushels. Of barley, the estimated production is being increased yearly, most of the newly broken lands being sown to this crop. Oats and rye are grown only on a limited scale.

The combined harvesters at the present day is the most popular method of harvesting, about three-fourths of the crop now being harvested in this manner, the balance being cut by headers and threshed by stationary machines.

The enormous wheat crop of the county has naturally made this a favored section for flour mills and there are at the present time in active operation six large plants at the following points:

At Pendleton, the Pendleton Roller Mills, W. S. Byers, proprietor; capacity, 800 barrels daily. This is the pioneer mill of this section. The present proprietor was the original

builder and at its inception much of the grain ground came from the neighborhood of Walla Walla, whilst at the present time, of the 1,000,000 bushels ground annually, nine-tenths are delivered at the mill; also Walters Flouring Mill, Fred Walters, proprietor; capacity 400 barrels daily.

This mill has recently been renovated and its capacity increased. Like the other mill at this point, most of the wheat ground is delivered at the mill door. Both of these mills enjoy a large local trade, as well as a growing export business, and both are operated by water power from the Umatilla river.

At Milton the Peacock Mill company, J. S. Elam, proprietor; capacity, 600 barrels daily. This plant operates two mills at above points, both are up-to-date, modern mills, with good markets for the output. Operated by water power.

At Athena, Preston-Parton Milling company, capacity 500 barrels daily. The proprietors of this mill also operate a milling plant at Walsburg, Wash. The mill is operated by electric power and enjoys a large and growing trade.

At Echo, the Henrietta Mills, W. H. Atcheson, manager; capacity, 100 barrels daily. This is one of the old mills in the county, and has recently been renovated and its capacity increased, and being in the heart of the irrigated country, should soon have a large and lucrative local trade.

The quality of the wheat raised in Umatilla county does much to add to the reputation of the flour, which indeed, has a world-wide reputation for strength and color, as is evidenced by the fact that at the Chicago exposition the medal was awarded the flour manufactured by the Pendleton Roller Mills, against competition from the entire world.

I WILL SELL LANDS OF SPOKANE TRIBE

The senate committee on Indian affairs has authorized a favorable report on Senator Piles' bill providing for the sale and disposition of surplus unallotted agricultural lands of the Spokane Indian reservation, state of Washington, and for placing of the timber lands of the reservation in a national forest, says a Washington dispatch.

The bill contains the following provisions:

The secretary of the interior is authorized and directed to cause allotments to be made under the provisions of the allotment laws of the United States to all persons having tribal rights or holding tribal relations and who may rightfully belong on the Spokane Indian reservation and who have not heretofore received allotments.

Upon the completion of said allotments to said Indians, the secretary of the interior and the secretary of agriculture shall classify the surplus lands as agricultural and timber lands, the agricultural lands to be opened to settlement and entry under the provisions of the homestead laws by proclamation of the president.

Price of Lands.

That the price of the lands classified as agricultural shall be \$5 per acre, to be paid as follows: One-fifth of the purchase price to be paid in cash at the time of entry, and the balance in five equal annual installments, to be paid in one, two, three, four and five years, respectively, from and after the date of entry.

Nothing in this act shall prevent homestead settlers from commuting their entries by paying for the land entered the price fixed herein.

All lands classified as agricultural remaining undisposed of at the expiration of four years from the opening of said lands to entry shall be appraised by the secretary of the interior from time to time and sold at public auction or under sealed bids to the highest bidder for cash at not less than the appraised value. The rights of honorably discharged Union soldiers and sailors of the late civil and Spanish wars or the Philippine Insurrection shall not be abridged. Sections 16 and 36 of the lands in each township shall not be disposed of, but shall be reserved for the use of the common schools and paid for by the United States at \$1.25 per acre, and the same are hereby granted to the state of Washington for such purposes, but any of the lands so granted and which may be classified as

FOR RIFLE RANGE.

Portland Heights Selected as Practice Grounds for National Guard

General orders have been issued from the office of Adjutant General W. E. Finzer, O. N. G., governing small arms practice for the season beginning May 1 and ending October 31, says the Oregon Daily Journal.

The Portland companies will use the rifle range on Portland Heights until the new range on the Sandy river is completed. The state military board has secured an option on a 120-acre tract near Troutdale. It is expected that the negotiations for the purchase of the land will be concluded this week, when General Finzer will immediately let a contract for the construction of a 1300-yard rifle range. It is not probable, however, that the new range will be meantime the local companies will be completed before June 15, and in the use the old range.

Upon the completion of the Troutdale range every national guard company in the state will be equipped with an excellent rifle range. The tract near Troutdale is almost dead level for over 1300 yards and is admirably situated for the purpose of a rifle range. In the order issued by General Finzer governing small arms practice, the guardsmen are urged to devote as much time as is possible to gallery practice from now until the season for range practice begins.

Made Quick Catch of Thief.

One of the best records for a quick capture by a policeman in this city was made this afternoon about 3 o'clock by George Roff, who, within minutes after he had been given a description of an alleged horse thief, wanted in Pendleton, went out on the street and got his man, says the Walla Walla Bulletin. Aaron Ridge is the man wanted in Pendleton for stealing a horse there last night.

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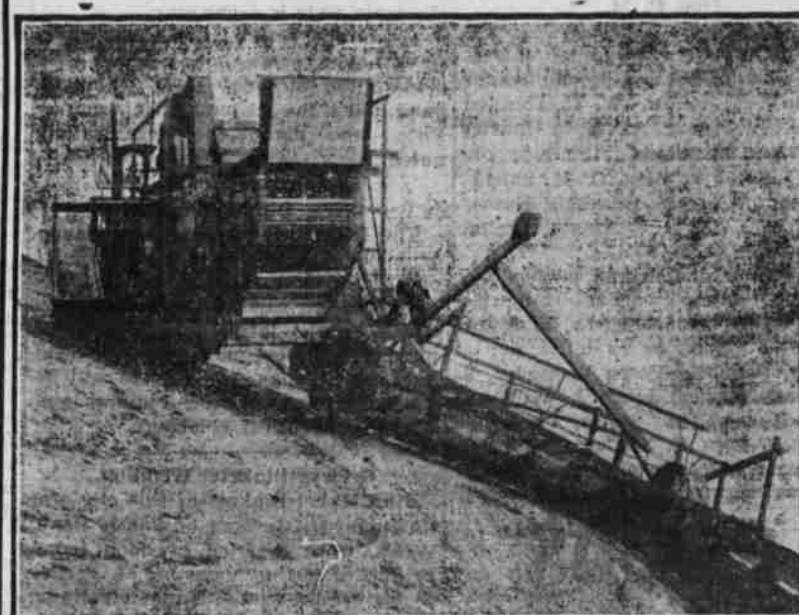
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