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## W. H. H. DUFUR'S ADDRESS.

**Delivered Before the Farmers' Institute at Dufur on the Subject of Political Economy as Applied to Agriculture.**

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN. Through the courtesy of your committee, I have been invited to address you on our agricultural interests, as connected with the political economy of the day.

In coming before you at this time, I deem it proper to say, that as I am a plain, practical farmer, I shall make no attempts at oratory, for my voice has much oftener been heard in conducting the every day business of life on the farm than it ever was in trying to imitate the oratory of Cicero and Demosthenes.

For while flashes of oratory have struck sparks of imaginary fire from the mind, and fanned them into a flame that has evolved to the world of mankind a glorious phantom of nothingness the efforts of the practical farmer have kindled a literal fire in the wilderness, making waste places to blossom, and the sterile soil to bring forth. The efforts of the husbandman have been to break the stubborn glebe, turn up the fertile soil and persuade Mother Earth to shower down on mankind her richest blessings.

It may seem strange to some, that a farmer should presume to discuss those first great principles of right which underlie and are the safeguards of the individual, the family and the nation. But, ladies and gentlemen, the grandest edifice stands on a base unseen, and the loftiest and most beautiful tree is supported by a root underground.

The organization of laboring masses throughout the length and breadth of our land, and the rapid banding together of farmers, naturally leads the enquiring mind to seek the causes which bring them together, and to speculate upon the results which must inevitably arise from this almost universal movement of the agricultural masses of this country.

Human action is not a voluntary motive, to come unbidden, independent of force, circumstance or design, but rather the effect of necessity and desire, which controlls the sympathies and invites the act. These organizations are not a creature of accident, of meaningless import, called out to suit and please a passing whim or idle vagary, but owe their existence to a force of circumstances which have impelled the movement, as an absolute necessity. These movements are as yet a new thing to the people of this country, but the manner in which they are received and looked upon by the producing class, and the constant support continually volunteered and continually swelling their numbers, clearly and forcibly indicates a future success without precedent in our nation's history.

Created alike for the same object, and actuated by the same motives and desires they naturally draw to a common centre, tending to a common end. Possessing all the essential elements necessary to the existence of the whole, they at once become the constituent parts of an active unit, which with astonishing rapidity is assuming gigantic proportions and developing a power that is yet destined to be felt throughout the length and breadth of our land.

We cannot wait to give in detail the causes or circumstances which have led many of these organizations into secret meeting, but must be contented with a hasty glance of causes in general, and anticipate results so plainly foreshadowed in the material and character of the agents employed in the work.

Agriculture is the basis of human success, and all other industrial pursuits are opened to and dependent upon it, for their support. Its mission is peace and plenty, good will and honest fellowship with man. To it we trace the germs of civilization; from it have flowed the grandest achievements in human ennoblement, Christian refinement, moral and social elevation, the attainment of art in discovery and application, individual prosperity and national wealth.

America to day ranks with the first nations of the earth. But, to whom does she chiefly owe her high position? Turn if you please to the tillers of the soil, for it is their industry which has led to the golden harvest.

But little more than a century has passed away since the handful of patriots of our thinly settled colonies struck the first blow for independence. To-day, our domains are attired in the splendor of a civilization stretching from ocean to ocean, while the swelling waves of every sea are whitened with the sails of our vessels of commerce, bearing away our commodities to every market in the known world.

The main staples of our trade and traffic, the chief material of our home consumption and home manufactures, which have built up our commerce abroad and created a living stream of inflowing wealth, have been dug out of the soil by the stout hearted farmer, who with sweat and toil has grown lean, while the nation has grown fat. And while the farmer has been plodding on and working to gain an honest livelihood day by day, and to build up the commonwealth; worn out with hard labor, bearing upon his over-burthened shoulders the weight of taxation, speculators in swarms have crowded in upon him, to rob him of his hard earned possessions, to eat out his substance, and drink up the sweat of his toil.

But in no more fitting language can we pay that tribute due the majesty of labor than in the grand way Thomas Carlyle takes off his hat to the man who "plows, hoes, reaps and mows, and threshes his wheat for bread." Venerable to me is the toil worn craftsman, who with earth-made instruments laboriously, conquers the earth and makes her man's. Venerable to me is the hard hand wherein lies a crowning virtue, indefatigably royal as the sceptre of this planet. Yes, venerable, too, is the rugged face, with its rude intelligence, for it is the face of a man living like a man.

But, ladies and gentlemen, as the great subject of reform is agitating the public mind, and questions bearing upon the economy of labor are being discussed in the club, the grange, on the street corners and in the halls of legislation, perhaps a few remarks relative to agricultural reform and the recognition it should receive from state and nation, may not be out of place at this time. Without economy, system and industry in individual, state or national prosperity is impossible. And as the material prosperity of the individual is the corner stone of national greatness, his advancement morally, intellectually and materially, becomes a question of vital moment, and should command the most careful attention of the political economist and statesman. The agricultural portion of every community being removed from the corrupting influence of trade and speculation incident to city life, constitutes the most conservative element in society. Why, then, is it, that from this usually contented conservative class principally, we hear the cry of reform? It is useless to deny the fact that a general depression in business circles pervades almost all the industries of the country. Why is this? Is it due to defects in the financial system of the country? Is it due to the failure of the general government to afford by internal improvements proper facilities for cheap transportation? or is it due to the failure of individuals to realize changes of circumstances, which necessitate changes of policy and practice?

It is due, perhaps in part, to each one of these causes, but mainly to misdirected individual enterprise, reckless speculation and a ruinous credit system. It is true large leaks have been discovered in high officials, and a reckless expenditure of the people's money has been made, while the fostering care of the national and state government has not been sufficiently devoted to the nursing breast of a nation's wealth, agriculture.

There should be reform in all these respects, and those large leaks should be stopped, but this will not entirely eradicate the evil that surrounds us. We must stop the leaks on the farm before we can realize substantial prosperity for individual, state or nation. The farm must be made more than self-sustaining; the balance must be in its favor. To accomplish this brains must be used as well as muscle.

Reckless and speculative farming must be abandoned, credits and high rates of interest must be dispensed with, and a more conservative, frugal and cautious system of business transaction must be conducted on a solid cash basis. This is the key to the whole matter. Make the farm produce first its own supplies, and after that as large a surplus as possible for market.

But in urging the importance of individual economy and retrenchment and reform in agriculture, the question arises, Is there no legitimate way by which state and national aid can be rendered to assist in accomplishing these desirable reforms? We answer, Yes. In this respect we must have state and national reform. There is much that the producers of a commonwealth can accomplish through governments, which cannot be reached by individual enterprise or by the organized effort of voluntary association. Agriculture, being the foundation and topstone of our national greatness, should receive the fostering care of state and national government. In what way can state and national legislation be more wisely directed than in promoting the wealth and intelligence of its citizens? So long has the public mind been diverted from practical issues involving their vital interests to those of an ephemeral nature, born only of a fanatical brain.

With the most magnificent country upon which the sun ever shone, with every variety of soil and climate, with the boast of our ability to feed and clothe the world still vibrating in the air, is there any good cause why we should have bread and labor riots?

Instead of wasting the public money in the discussion of questions purely political, or on the passage of laws local in their application, and in perpetually tinkering at the code, let our statesmen study thoroughly the source of material wealth of the state and nation, the obstacles in the way of their development and the means of increasing the prosperity of the citizens. Let them look more to the means of preventing crime, than for the enactment of laws for its punishment. Let them by wise and just legislation so encourage the productive forces of our state that peace and plenty shall surround its citizens and there will be little need of criminal courts. We need in all the states a more practical statesmanship. One which looks more to the advancement of the citizen in intelligence and material prosperity, one which regards the government of the state more as an instrumentality for promoting the general welfare of the citizen than as a system of machinery for the collection of taxes and the punishment of crime. We need to hear less of states rights and more of state development in material wealth; less of political reconstruction and more of the reconstruction of individual and state prosperity.

While the battle on the arena of national politics is being fought, with the watchword "reform" let us as the representatives of the grand army of producers demand certain measures of reform that thirty millions of agriculturalists shall be more thoroughly represented in the United States government. We have a department of war, a department of the navy, let us now insist on a department of peace. Let us insist until we shall be heard by the recognition of thirty millions of agriculturalists who feed and clothe the nation. For the want of a representation of our agricultural interests in the councils of our nation the material interests of our people are languishing, our factories are idle, and our forges and furnaces cold.

Then let those who till the soil, as well as the artisan, the mechanic, and the man who industriously labors for his daily bread, unite in one grand brotherhood, forgetting all that is unpleasant in the memory of the past, forgetting section, forgetting all, save that citizens of a common country, engaged in a common cause, as stewards of the God of nature, charged with the duty of developing and beautifying the land which he has given us, remember that on us rests the responsibility of improving and cheapening the methods by which man is fed and clothed, and while our watchword is "reform" let our platform be: "The prosperity of the citizens and the development of the material resources of the state and nation."

### Real Estate Transactions.

Nov. 12—John E Lombard et ux to Portland Ice company; 5 acres in Wasco county; $1.

Nov. 18—John T Buck to E L Smith; lots 5, 6 and 7 in block 19; Hood River; $300.

Nov. 20—John Buck to Samuel E Bartmess; lots 9 and 10 in block 6, Waucoma; $275.

Nov. 25—Hood River Town Site Company to A S Blowers; lot 7 in block 11, second addition west to town of Hood River; $50.

Nov. 25—F W Silvertooth and wife to John D Tunney; lot 4 block 1 Laughlin's addition to Antelope; $35.

Nov. 27—Arthur Disbrow and wife to Minnie E McCoy; that part of lot 1 sec 36, T 3 N, R 10 east, south of and adjoining N Cse donation land claim on the south; $165.

Nov. 27—A L Phelps and wife to J W Sones and F H Button; W hf SE qr and lots 11 and 12 sec 30, T 1 N, R 9 east; $750.

Nov. 27—Robert S Bradley and wife to Wm Bennett; 240 acres in sec 18, T 1 S, R 14 east; $6000.

Nov. 27—Robert Snodgrass to Wm Bennett; SW qr of SE qr sec 7 in T 1 S, R 14 east; $1.

### Thanksgiving at Dufur.

The Dufurites indulged in a grand ball Thanksgiving evening which was a great social success. The Odd Fellows hall was thronged with merry dancers of both sexes whose twinkling feet kept perfect pace with violin and cello till morning light drove lingering shadows deeper into the unfathomed west and woke to echoes the shrill clarion of the feathered flocks. There were more than 300 people present, the well-known social qualities of the Dufur people bringing people from Tygh Valley, The Dalles, Deschutes and settlements and farms even beyond. Everyone was satisfied as to their entertainment and carried with them the consciousness of having had a thoroughly good time, and leaving in return their best wishes for the genial, hospitable people of Dufur.

### Died.

THOMPSON—In this city, Nov. 29th, T. K. Thompson, aged about 64 years.

For a long time Mr. Thompson has suffered from consumption, and about two years ago he immigrated from Wisconsin to this city for the benefit of his health; but the disease had become deep-seated, and it was impossible to stay its fatal effects. Mr. Thompson was an honest, industrious and intelligent Norwegian, and was highly respected by all those with whom he was acquainted.


When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.


## CROOK COUNTY

**Items From the Columns of the Ochoco Review.**

Lots of amusement in town this week. Thanksgiving observances and ball, a variety show and a boxing match this evening.

This week Chris Cohrs butchered a hog thirteen months old that weighed 308 pounds. Pretty good porker to have been raised in Crook county.

The Swartz Canyon Irrigation Company has begun operations, and are building a dam at the point where they propose taking water out of Crooked river.

Work on the Prineville Irrigation Company's ditch is going right ahead. The cannonading kept up by the workmen while blasting can be distinctly heard in town.

E. P. Torrey returned Wednesday from a visit to the Camp creek quartz mines being developed by Messrs. Hurley and Price. He says at present he is not prepared express an opinion as to the value of the mines.

Parties who came over from Bridge creek the first of the week reported some snow in road on the east side of Ochoco mountains. This will probably prevent any more wheat being hauled from Bridge creek to the Prineville flouring mills this fall.

A match, two best in three, between Sichel's Ben Harrison and Moore's Duncan, was trotted over the Prineville race course on Thursday afternoon. Ben took the first two heats, the first in 2:35 and the second in 2:37. Moore's colt, however, made an admirable second, and showed great powers both in speed and endurance.

### Pythian Entertainment.

Last Saturday evening Pythagoras Lodge, No. 46, at Cascade Locks, gave an entertainment, at which there was a full representation of ladies and gentlemen residing in that vicinity and many from a distance. The hall was very tastefully decorated for the occasion, and every attention was paid to the comfort of invited guests. Following is the programme of exercises on the occasion:

Address on Pythianism.
Piano selections.
Frazier's degree, or the burlesque initiation of a candidate.
Piano selections.
Song—male quartette—Sweetly Sleep.
Dancing.

The songs were exceptionally well rendered by Messrs. E. B. Clark, H. E. Wiley, R. Aldrich and A. Fleischauer, and the audience signified their appreciation by rounds of applause.

Mr. Fleishauer presided at the piano in a masterly manner, and he undoubtedly has had careful drill in music. We presume he is graduated from some of the German conservatories of music, as only such have the thoroughness possessed by him in renditions.

The burlesque initiation was thoroughly enjoyed by all present, and it was with great difficulty that the merriment of the audience could be kept within proper bounds so that the performance could proceed. Those who took part in this laughable farce were Messrs. H. E. Wiley, A. B. Andrews, C. J. Hendricks, R. L. Aldrich, J. M. McIsaac, Geo. Phelps, C. E. Miller, Wm. Astell, Chas. Gray, Frcd. M. Surby, A. Fleischauer and G. S. Henry. Each one acted well his part, and displayed tact and a thorough knowledge of the character assigned him.

Mr. E. C. Wiley, the C. C. of Pythagoras lodge, was the chairman of the evening, and the success of the entertainment was largely due to his management.

After the literary exercises were through the mazy dance was kept up until an early hour, and all present appeared well satisfied with every number on the programme.

### Wedding Bells.

"It is not good for man to live alone
I will make him an help meet for him."

And according to the ordinance of God and the laws of the State of Oregon, on the 25th day of November, 1891, Miss Leora Powell and Mr. Lawrence Moore, of Moro, were united in marriage, Rev. J. M. Denison, of Wasco, officiating. The ceremony took place at the groom's residence, which was beautifully illuminated, decorations artistically arranged and every conceivable comfort made for the entertainment of the guests, which numbered about thirty. The bride was most becomingly arrayed in cream-white abatros and silk, orange blossoms and white crepe veil. The groom wore a black diagonal suit, Parisian cut. The collation of refreshments was one long to be remembered among the annals of wedding feasts, being of the choicest and most appreciative kind. The presents were nice and useful. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moore presented them with a handsome decorated chamber set; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore, an elegant velour table cover; Mr. and Mrs. John A. Moore, a dinner set of heavy silver knives and forks; Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Moore, silver table spoons, tea spoons and dessert forks; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Moore, a set of silver knives; Messrs. Hosford & Jones, a beautiful silver and gold chased jewel case; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. McDaniel, lace curtains; Mr. E. H. Moore, an eight day alarm clock. Mr. Leon Moore, china decorated cups; Mr. and Mrs. O. Cushman, Irish linen napkins; Miss Anna Powell, an embroidered table scarf; Mr. E. A. Cushman, crystal glass table set and water pitcher; Mr. H. E. Powell, crystal glass goblets; Miss Minnie Newsham, a lovely table scarf; Miss Pearl Rust, an elegantly embroidered pillow and bed shams; Miss Maggie Huff, a crystal glass castor.

A GUEST.

### Family Re-Union.

The following from the Salem *Statesman* chronicles a pleasing episode in the family of our fellow citizen, Mr. J. M. Patterson:

A very pleasant family re-union took place at the residence of Mr. and Mr. G. W. Gray on Thanksgiving. There were present Mrs. J. M. Patterson and children, Edward, Beulah, Prudence and Glen; Mrs Gertrude Lownsdale and two daughters, Rita and Gussie; Mrs. W. T. Gray, of Portland, and children, Marian, Ruth and Janet; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Gray and children, Gertrude and Margaret; Miss Jennie Gray; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gray and children, George, William and Prudence. Mr. and Mrs. Gray's family consists of twenty-three persons—ten grown and thirteen grandchildren. All were present except J. M. Patterson, of The Dalles, and W. T. Gray, of Portland, who is temporarily located at La Grande.

### Wasco News.

WASCO, Or., Nov. 30, 1891.

EDITOR TIMES-MOUNTAINEER:

A fine shower of rain fell last night, and it is continuing to be moist to-day.

E. M. Leslie has the carpenters at work upon his new building, and it will soon be ready for occupancy. It will be a very nice and substantial building when complete.

Prof. Hurley, the phrenologist, has just finished a course of lectures at this point. The attendance was not so large as it should have been. We consider the lecturer very well posted in his subjects, and while we do not think he is an orator yet he says a great many true and good things and things worth remembering. He goes from here to Moro.

Rev. J. M. Denison is building a kitchen to the parsonage. This will help the appearance of same as well as be very convenient to the occupants thereof.

Mr. J. Dingle, one of our blacksmiths, intends to depart for a short visit to his old home in England. Peace and happiness be with him.

H. T. Murchie is erecting a building just back of the Oskaloosa hotel. It will be used for postoffice and store.

The new school building has just received a fresh coat of paint. It is now, we believe, the handsomest building in Sherman county.

Wasco's daughters are very peculiar in many respects. When Prof. Hurley called for two to come up and be "married" every last one of them refused. Girls who forsake a golden opportunity may live to be sorry. But then "girls is peculiar creatures."

R. H. Curl, the dentist, has been in Wasco since Nov. 21st, and has been kept busy making and mending the eating capacity of our citizens. He departs to-day for Moro, where he will remain a few days, when he will proceed on his journey doing good.

Mr. Geo. Pulliam, our furniture man, is doing a thriving business. He is deserving of a large patronage. REPORTER.

### Eat His Own Horse.

W. W. Union-Journal.

"Speaking of old times and dancing," said Gen. James McAuliff, who packed some of the dirt into the country out of which the Blue mountains are made, "back in the early winter of '62 me and Wallace Greenwall and Bill Terry went down to Frenchtown to a five-gallon dance"—

"What is a five-gallon dance?" asked a bystander.

"You see," replied McAuliff, "in those days Frenchtown held about all the women in the valley and they were half-breeds and squaws, and the boys used to go down there for a dance. If they took along five gallons of whisky they had a good time and all kept reasonably sober, while, if they took ten gallons they had a big drunk as well as a dance. Well, on this time, of which I am telling you, Greenwall rode a pinto horse that was as fat as butter. We hitched our horses to the hay rick and went to a house and danced and got rid of the five gallons. Next morning, after a hearty breakfast of fat meat and saleratus bread, we went out to get our horses to go home. But Greenwell's horse was gone. Hunting around we found its head and hide near by. You see, the blamed Frenchmen, who liked fat horse meat better than poor beef, had killed Greenwell's horse and given part of him to us for breakfast. And it was good meat, too," concluded the general, with a hearty laugh in which all joined.

### Death of Mrs. Mary J. Sharp.

Died, at the family residence, near The Dalles, Oregon, on the 27th inst., Mrs. Mary J. Sharp, wife of Mr. P. T. Sharp. Mrs. Sharp leaves a husband, three sons and one daughter, besides many friends and neighbors to mourn her loss. She was an exemplary Christian, an affectionate wife, a kind mother and a valued neighbor. She was a member of the Congregational church of this city. Mrs. Sharp was born in Rockland, Maine, in 1834. Came to California and was married to Mr. P. T. Sharp at Fort Jones in 1861, and removed to Oregon the same year.

The funeral services will be conducted by the Rev. W. C. Curtis at the home of the family, near The Dalles, at 1 o'clock P. M. to-morrow, the 29th of November. Interment at the Odd Fellows' cemetery.


### Entitled to the Best.

All are entitled to the best that their money will buy, so every family should have, at once, a bottle of the best family remedy, Syrup of Figs, to cleanse the system when costive or billious. For sale in 50c. and $1.00 bottles by all leading druggists.

### Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Snipes & Kinersly.


### Land Notices.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT VANCOUVER, WASH., November 6, 1891.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before W. R. Dunbar, Commissioner United States Circuit Court, district of Washington, at Goldendale, Wash., on December 29, 1891, viz:

ELIZABETH E. STRUTHERS.

Hd. entry No. 8121, for the W½ of SE¼, NE¼ of SW¼, and SE¼ of NW¼. Sec 27, Tp 3 N, R 13 East Willamette Meridian.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Richard W French, James Hinnell, George W French, Nelson B. Brooks, all of Hartland P. O. Wash.

n14 JOHN D. GEOGHEGAN, Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OR., October 30, 1891.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of th. U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Or., on Dec. 18, 1891, viz:

GEORGE E. NOLIN,

Hd. No. 3666, for the SE¼, Sec 3, Tp 2 S, R 14 East Willamette Meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:

John Easton, James Martin, James Easton and Charles Easton, all of Dufur, Or.

oct31 JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT VANCOUVER, WASH., Nov 17, 1891.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. R. Dunbar, commissioner United States Circuit Court for District of Washington, at Goldendale, Wash., on Jan 20, 1892, viz:

WILLIAM VAN VACTOR,

Purchase Application No 188, under Sec 3 Forfeiture Act Sept 29, 1890, for the NW¼ Sec 15, Tp 3 north, range 13 east W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous claim upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Melville M Warner, Angus Campbell, Geo G Lindsay, of Hartland P O., Wash., and Nelson B Brooks, of Goldendale, Wash.

nov20 JOHN D. GEOGHEGAN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OR., November 19, 1891.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver of the U. S. land office at The Dalles, Or., on Jan. 7, 1892, viz:

RICHARD SIGMAN,

Homestead No. 3800, for the S½ NE¼ and W½ SE¼ Sec 13, Tp 1 south, range 13 east W M..

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Malcolm A Moody, A A Bonney, Robert Mays and W H Butts, all of The Dalles, Or.

nov20 JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OREGON, October 20, 1891.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver at The Dalles, Or., on December 8, 1891, viz:

ALVIS W. QUINN,

Hd. No. 3617, for the SE¼ of Sec 3. Tp 2 S, R 13 E W M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Frederick Reichlein, Marion Thompson, James Le Duc, William Heisler, all of Dufur, Or.

oct24 JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.


### PLAIN SEWING.

I WILL do all kinds of plain sewing, either at my rooms or go to the house of the person. Prices will be reasonable, and good work guaranteed. Leave orders at Leslie Butler's Grocery.

nv21d&w MRS. T. J. ROBINETT.


### Legal Notices.

## PROPOSALS FOR Flour, Bran and Feed.

U. S. INDIAN SERVICE,
WARM SPRINGS AGENCY, OREGON,
November 24, 1891.

Sealed proposals, endorsed "Proposals for Flour, etc.," as the case may be, and addressed to the undersigned at Warm Springs, Crook county, Oregon, will be received at The Dalles or at this agency, until 1 o'clock P. M. of

December 21st, 1891,

for furnishing and delivering at this agency about 50,000 pounds of Flour, 30,000 pounds of Bran, and 50,000 pounds of Feed.

Feed must be of clear oats and barley, fresh rolled and of good, sound grain.

Bran must be of good quality—bran and shorts mixed.

Flour must be what is known as "straight full stock," of good, sound wheat, grown in the section of country contiguous to the place of delivery; 60 pounds of wheat to be ground down to 42 pounds of flour; no patents taken out; samples of not less than 10 pounds must be furnished by bidders. Delivery to be made in such quantities as may be required. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids, or any part of any bid, if deemed for the best interest of the service.

Bidders must state specifically in their bids the proposed price of each article offered for delivery under a contract.

CERTIFIED CHECKS.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or draft upon some United States depository or solvent national bank in the vicinity of the residence of the bidder, made payable to the order of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs for at least five per cent of the amount of the proposal, which check or draft will be forfeited to the United States in case any bidder or bidders receiving an award shall fail to promptly execute a contract, with good and sufficient sureties, otherwise to be returned to the bidder. Bids accompanied by cash in lieu of a certified check will not be considered.

For further particulars apply to

J. C. LUCKEY,
nov28 U. S. Indian Agent.

### Sheriff's Sale.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT of the State of Oregon for Wasco county.

Mary Conlon, plaintiff, vs. P. T. Sharp, defendant.

By virtue of an execution, issued out of the said court and cause on the 27th day of October, 1891, upon a judgment rendered in said court on the 1st day of August, 1891, I have levied upon, and will sell on

Saturday, the 26th day of December, 1891,

at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the court house in Dalles City, in said county and state, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, subject to redemption, the following described real property, to-wit: The NE qr of SW qr, and S hf of SW qr, Sec 12, and NE qr of NW qr, Sec 13, Tp 1 N, R 13 E, and fractional lots 3 and 4 of N hf of NE qr, Sec 12, Tp 1 N, R 13 E; also fractional parts of NW qr of NW qr, Sec 13, Tp 1 N, R 13 E; also N hf of SW qr, Sec 7, Tp 1 N, R 14 E; also N hf of SE qr, and S hf of the NE qr, Sec 12, Tp 1 N, R 13 E, being and situated in Wasco county, state of Oregon, to satisfy the sum of $857.13, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum from the 1st day of August, 1891, and the further sum of $8.02, cost of suit, together with accruing costs herein.

Dated the 27th day of November, 1891.

D. L. CATES,
nov28 Sheriff.

### SUMMONS.

STATE OF OREGON, County of Wasco. } ss.

JUSTICE'S COURT, for the Precinct of Falls.

Frank Batifuhr, plaintiff, vs. James Ryan, defendant.

Civil action to recover $243.

To James Ryan, the above named defendant: In the name of the state of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear before the undersigned, a justice of the peace for the precinct aforesaid, on the 14th day of January, 1892, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the office of said justice, in said precinct, to answer the above named plaintiff in a civil action.

The defendant will take notice that if he fail to answer the complaint herein, the plaintiff will take judgment against him for two hundred and forty-three dollars ($243), and costs and disbursements herein.

This summons is published by order of the court this day made.

Given under my hand this 21st day of November, A. D. 1891.

A. G. HALL,
Justice of the Peace.

### Executor's Notice of Final Settlement

NOMICE is hereby given that George Ruch, executor of the estate of William Harman, deceased, has filed his final account in said estate, and that the 5th day of January, 1892, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, has been appointed as the time for hearing said final account and report, and that the hearing will be had thereof, together with any objections thereto, if any are made, before the Hon. C. N. Thornbury, County Judge, at the county courtroom of the county court house in Dalles City, Wasco county, Oregon.

All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified to appear at said time and place, and show cause, if any there be, why said account should not be in all things approved and allowed.

This notice is published by order of Hon. C. N. Thornbury, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco county, of date November 4th, 1891.

Dated Nov. 14, 1891.

GEORGE RUCH,
Executor with the will annexed of the estate of William Harman, deceased.

CONDON & CONDON, Att'ys for the estate. n14-6t

### Administrator's Sale.

THE UNDERSIGNED, Administrator of the estate of W. C. Tarlton, deceased, will on Monday, the 15th day of December, 1891, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M., at the court house door in Dalles City, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, fifty-seven shares of the capital stock of the Prineville Land and Livestock Company. Terms of sale, one-half cash and one-half in six months with approved security. The stock is in three certificates—two for twenty shares each, and one for seventeen shares and of the par value of $100 per share, and will be offered separately and together.

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For further particulars write to the administrator at Bake Oven, Oregon, or W. H. Wilson, attorney for the estate, The Dalles, Oregon.

Willamette Meridian.

HERBERT C. ROOPER,
nov28 Administrator

### Administrator's Notice.

In the matter of the estate of Geo. T. Brickell, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that the undersigned has filed his final account in the above estate, and that Monday, the 4th day of January, 1892, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the county court room in the court house in Dalles City, Wasco county, Oregon, is the time and place fixed by the Hon. C. N Thornbury, the county judge of said county and state, for the hearing of objections to said account.

Dated October 30, 1891. J. C. BRICKELL,
Administrator of the estate of Geo. T. Brickell, deceased.

Dufur, Watkins & Menefee, attorneys for administrator. nv21

### Dissolution Notice.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The firm of Thompson & Fargher has dissolved partnership, Mr. Fargher having disposed of his interest in the firm to Mr. George T. Thompson. All those indebted to the firm are requested to come forward and settle all bills as Mr. Fargher is about to leave the city. Mr. Thompson will assume all liabilities and collect all debts, and continue the business in his own name.

GEO. T. THOMPSON,
W. FARGHER.

The Dalles, Oct. 30, 1891.

### Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the regular term of the county court for Wasco county, State of Oregon, held in the court house in this city during September, the undersigned was appointed administrator of the estate of M. Diamond, deceased. All bills due the said deceased, will be collected by the undersigned, and all debts owed by the deceased should be presented within six months from this date.

C. M. FOOTS,
Administrator of estate of M. Diamond, deceased.

The Dalles, Sept. 18, 1891.


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