

WHAT MORROW COUNTY NEEDS.

Eastern Oregon and Washington have been visited by very dry seasons for the past five years, and it is not an uncommon thing to hear the remark that farming here does not pay, particularly in Morrow county. But is it true?

Every resident of this community who will take the time to think for one moment on this subject, will tell you that there are no end of people in Morrow county, farmers, who are making money. Although crops have been short, yet the average per acre has been much greater than the best sections of the Middle States.

It is necessary to encourage immigration of farmers to Morrow county to take up these abandoned acres of government land, and to buy out those who are discouraged and inactive. Many of the earlier residents did not understand the principle of farming, but have built homes and made a fortune out of it.

However, we cannot accomplish anything without organized effort. To do this we must have a board of trustees to bring about organization that all may share their part of the expenses, and therefore render themselves justly entitled to the benefits which will accrue from the efforts of such a body.

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THESE DEMAND NOTES.

Your correspondent does not, apparently, understand the difference between the demand notes which were the first issue, by the United States treasury, and the subsequent issues of legal tender notes. The distinction consists in the fact that when the demand notes were issued the government received in payment for them nothing but gold and silver coin, the former in unlimited, and the latter in limited amounts; consequently it paid at its due in like coin. So that when the demand notes were issued the contract implied that the holders of them were to be paid in lawful money at the time of the issue, which was as before stated, gold and silver coin.

As the war progressed and was prolonged, the necessities of the government demanded more credit and it was necessary to continue its efforts to sustain its existence. To obtain which, and to sustain the credit of the nation, the issue of bonds was found to be the only mode to procure the necessary funds, and to dispose of the bonds it was absolutely essential that the takers of the bonds for loans should have a guaranteed security for their payment. As the foreign capitalists were the main reliance upon to take the greater part of the bonds, a satisfactory guaranteed basis must be assured them. This is and has been the course required of all nations who are, or have been, in financial distress.

The legal tender notes, so called, were authorized after the law pledging the receipts of customs to all bonds issued, and of course the receipts from customs or was already pledged by law and the faith of the nation, therefore the exemption was made necessary in the case of the issue of the subsequent treasury notes, which were declared legal tender or the payment of all debts due to the individual or the United States. Congress could not constitutionally, as in good faith, receive them for the pledged amount, until the resumption of specie payments, when of course all the legal tender notes were redeemed in coin, on demand, by the United States. It is hoped this statement of facts will give readers a better understanding of the reasons why the first and second issues of the legal tender notes were of different values. One being equal to gold while the latter was not and depreciated with the increased value of gold.

FACTS WORTH KNOWING.

In all diseases of the nasal membrane the remedy used must be non-irritating. The medical profession has been slow to learn this. Nothing satisfactory can be accomplished with astringents, snuffs, powders or astringents because they are all irritating; do not thoroughly reach the affected surfaces and should be abandoned as worse than failures. A multitude of persons who had long suffered from all the remedies and that obtain can testify to radical cures wrought by Ely's Cream Balm.

ABOUT PUBLIC LANDS.

EDITOR GAZETTE.—Allow me to call the attention of those interested to the following recent rulings in regard to public lands: Claimants of restored lands under the second section of the act of September 25, 1850, have preference right to purchase applications for six months from Feb. 3, 1891.

Claimants under the third section have preference right to purchase for two years from Feb. 3, 1891. The present law of a notice of intention to purchase under said section is not required to protect the rights of such claimants. No applications to purchase will be received by the local land officers unless accompanied by the full amount of the purchase money.

It will thus be seen that there is no occasion for haste on the part of claimants under either section. The Commissioner of the General Land Office has, however, recommended to the secretary of the Interior that claimants under the third section be required to come forward within a given period, say sixty days, and file in the local office notice of their right to purchase in order to be claimed within the two years named. Such a regulation will probably soon be made.

Pre-emption filings on even-numbered sections may be accepted when settlement is alleged prior to March 3, 1891, (date of approval of repeating act), if offered within three months from such settlement.

Timber culture and pre-emption filings allowed in 1891 upon railroad lands are illegal and must be canceled.

Applicants to purchase restored lands must bring two witnesses who are aware of the facts in regard to rights of claimant under the act. FRANK J. CHENEY, U. S. Commissioner.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County. FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State aforesaid; and that firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

THE REMARKABLE EXPERIENCE.

Of W. F. Hubbard, Superintendent of the Clarkmas Station of the U. S. Fish Commission, and how he was benefited by Dr. Darrin. From the Oregonian. CLACKAMAS, Or., Feb. 28, 1891. Dr. Darrin.—It gives me great pleasure to say that the home treatment you gave me two years ago was a perfect success.

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HOW HE GAINED IT FOUND. Editor Oregonian.—For twelve years past I have been seriously afflicted with kidney and liver complaint, pain in the spine and back, dizziness and generally out of sorts. With six months' electric and home treatment by Dr. Darrin I am cured of most of my troubles. Have gained seventeen pounds in the time. THOMAS BEEF.

MR. JOHNSON'S GREAT STRUGGLE. McMINNVILLE, Or., Feb. 25, 1891. Dear Dr. Darrin.—Your electric and home treatment for the past eight months has wrought almost a miracle on me. When I first came to you I was almost crazy from the effects of nervous debility, spinal and kidney troubles. I was wholly unable to work. Now I am strong and hearty, and able to handle thirty tons' weight of lumber across the sawmill floor every day. It is a wonderful and radical cure. I thank you with all my heart. I will stand by you and recommend you first, last and all the time. My mother (Mrs. M. A. Johnson) who formerly lived in Salem, Or., now here, has never had a return of her deafness of twenty years' standing, cured by you two years ago. GRATEFULLY YOURS, DR. WALTER J. JOHNSON.

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Hardware? Yes, at Gilliam & Bishop's, Main St., Heppner, Or. Nails by the car load at Gilliam & Bishop's. Great county people will do well to call on them.

Walker Hinton is over from "The Creek." Mrs. J. N. Brown arrived from Salem last evening. She was accompanied by her mother and brother, Mrs. Z. M. Taylor and Master Chester.

NOTICE OF INTENTION. Land Office at The Dalles, Or., March 15, 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 Frank H. Ellis, U. S. Commissioner at Lexington, Or., on May 9, 1891, viz: WILLIAM M. STAUFFER, Hd. 356, for the SW 1/4, Sec. 18, Tp. 2 N., R. 25 E., W. 1/2.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Joseph Eckelton, Theodore Cork, Clinton N. Peck and Jacob Earnst, all of Lexington, Morrow County, Oregon. JOHN W. LEWIS, Register. 418-421.

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