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PROPOSAL FOR BIDS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF CE-MENT CURBS.

SEALED BIDS will be received at the office of the undersigned Auditor and Police Judge of Dallas, Oregon, until 5 o'clock P. M. on Monday, the 18th day of March, 1912, for the construction of cement curbs on certain parts of Academy, Court, Hayter, Shotton, Lyle, Clay, Ash, and Jefferson Streets in Dallas, Oregon. Said curbs shall be constructed in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 106 of the City of Dallas, Oregon.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Dallas, Oregon, for ten (10) per cent. of the amount of the bid, said check to be forfeited to the said City of Dallas in case the bidder shall fail to give a good and sufficient bond and execute a contract for the faithful performance of the work for which he bid.

The envelope containing the bid must be addressed to the undersigned Auditor and Police Judge, and marked "Bid on street improvements."

Bonds in amount equal to the contract price will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

The City of Dallas hereby reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Done by order of the City Council made and entered of record on the 19th day of February, 1912.

(Seal) CHAS. GREGORY, Auditor and Police Judge of Dallas, Oregon. 3-8-F

PROPOSAL FOR STREET IMPROVEMENT BIDS.

SEALED BIDS will be received at the office of the undersigned Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Dallas, Oregon, until 5 o'clock P. M. on Monday, the 18th day of March, 1912, for the grading and macadamization of approximately twenty (20) blocks and the street intersections in the said City of Dallas, Oregon. Said bids may be for any part or all of the following described work, to-wit:

1. For crushing the required amount of rock.

2. For delivering the required amount of rock upon the above mentioned blocks and intersections.

3. For crushing and delivering the required amount of rock upon the above mentioned blocks and intersections.

4. For the preparation of the sub-grade and the macadamization of the above mentioned blocks and intersections.

Said delivery shall be from the City's rock quarry, located about 3 miles northwest of Dallas, to and upon the blocks and intersections above mentioned.

Said improvements shall be made in accordance with the plans and specifications as outlined under the provisions of Ordinance No. 173 of the City of Dallas, Oregon.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Dallas, for ten (10) per cent. of the amount of the bid, said check to be forfeited to the said City of Dallas in case the bidder shall fail to give a good and sufficient bond and execute a contract for the faithful performance of the work for which he bid.

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Done by order of the City Council made and entered of record on the 19th day of February, A. D. 1912.

(Seal) CHAS. GREGORY, Auditor and Police Judge of Dallas, Oregon. 3-8-F

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution issued out of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Polk County, on the 21st day of February, 1912, upon a judgment and order of sale of attached real property duly given and made by said County Court on the 5th day of February, 1912, in an action then pending in said Court wherein Theophile Eisele was plaintiff and Henry Berg was defendant, in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendant, and to me, the undersigned, Sheriff of said County of Polk, directed, commanding me to sell the hereinafter described real property of said defendant Henry Berg, being the property attached in said action, I will in obedience to said execution, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 1912, at the hour of one o'clock P. M. of said day, at the front door of the County Court House, in the city of Dallas, in said County of Polk, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash in hand on day of sale, subject to redemption in the manner provided by law, the real property attached in said action, described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a stone set at the Southwest corner of the Donation Land Claim of Thomas H. Hunsaker and wife, No. 71, Notification No. 5961, in Township 6 South, Range 7 West of the Willamette Meridian, in Polk County, State of Oregon, and running thence East along the South line of said Donation Land Claim 20.80 chains to a stone; thence North 61 links to a stone; thence North 49 1/2 deg. East 5.25 chains to a stone; thence North 26.82 chains to a stone; thence West 24.32 chains to a stone on the West line of said Donation Land Claim; and thence South along said West line of said Donation Land Claim 41.50 chains to the place of beginning, containing 100 acres, more or less, together with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Dated this 23d day of February, 1912.

J. M. GRANT, Sheriff of Polk County, Oregon. 3-15-F4

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

The Eastern Immigration to Oregon will be greater this year than ever before. If you expect to sell that property, list it immediately. If interested in buying, read carefully the following list and remember I will be glad to show you what I have for sale and trade:

FARMS

No. 81. 83 acres four miles from Dallas, 2 and one-half miles from Falls City, one mile from school. 25 acres in cultivation, 2 and one-half acres in irrigation used for garden, balance in timber and pasture, small frame house, good hop house, goat barn, etc., 1200 strawberries, soil good dark loam. Price \$60 per acre. Half cash.

No. 125. 221 acres of as good farm land as there is in the Willamette Valley, 180 acres in fine state of cultivation, 90 of which is fine river bottom and 90 gently rolling and suitable for either farming or fruit raising, balance pasture and woodland; has some fencing and river forms one boundary line; near railroad and school. Price \$60 per acre and very attractive terms.

No. 64. 80 acres 2 1-2 miles from Salem near boat landing and station on Salem, Falls City & Western Ry., 1-2 mile from school, church and store, 7 room house, barn 55x75, two good chicken houses, hog houses, water piped from good spring to house, all fenced with woven wire, large fish pond, etc. 60 acres in high state of cultivation, balance pasture and timber, five acres under irrigation and more can be irrigated. Price \$8,500. Terms if desired.

No. 46. 30 acres of land all level, soil dark rich loam and all in crop, on a good wagon road and joins railroad. Will sell all or in 10 acre tracts. Price \$110 per acre.

No. 54. 80 acres of level land all in cultivation, 7 miles from Corvallis, on the new Electric R. R. now building to Eugene, 1-4 mile from station, near school and good road to town. 5 room house nearly new, barn and other buildings, all fenced. Price \$60 per acre.

No. 33. 5 acres just one mile from town on a good road; plank walk all the way to town. All in cultivation and part in crop. New four room house, wood house, chicken house and good well; 24 young fruit trees and some berries. Price \$1700. Good terms.

No. A2. 14 1-2 acres 1 1-2 mile from town, Barn 20x40, lumber on place for house. Soil dark loam, all in crop. Price \$3200. Terms.

CITY PROPERTY.

No. A3. One of the best bargains in Dallas consisting of a strip of land 100x140 feet on Main St., near Court House. Two good 6 room dwellings with modern improvements, wood shed, and 25 bearing fruit trees. This is a very good investment. Price \$3500.

No. A1. Close in 6 room dwelling in first class condition. Lot 50x140 good new barn, wood shed, etc. This is a good home and the price and terms very attractive. Price \$1200.

No. 90 1-2. This is one of the best bargains on Hayter street or in Dallas; 5 room cottage, bath, toilet, city water, electric lights, etc. Large lot 60x150 facing east, some young trees and flowers, nice chicken park and garden land. Price \$1100.

No. 59. Large 9 room two story house, plastered and in good condition; cellar and cement basement, good well, chicken house, woodshed. 4 large lots, 50 bearing fruit trees. Price \$1800. One-half cash, balance easy terms. Will consider a trade.

No. 62. Choice lot 50x140, two blocks from Main street. Price \$250. Easy terms.

Large lot 75x144 on Shelton street, all fenced for chickens, small barn and some young fruit trees. Price \$300 and will sell on installments.

No. 52. Good high dry lot in Southwest Dallas 60x144, large barn 24x32 with shed full length on one side, desirable part of town. Price \$250.

No. 22. Two large lots on East Clay street, which is a very desirable part of town, 51x144, well filled, this property is very cheap and I will sell you both for \$325.

F. E. COOK

Real Estate Dallas, Or.

Primary Petitions.

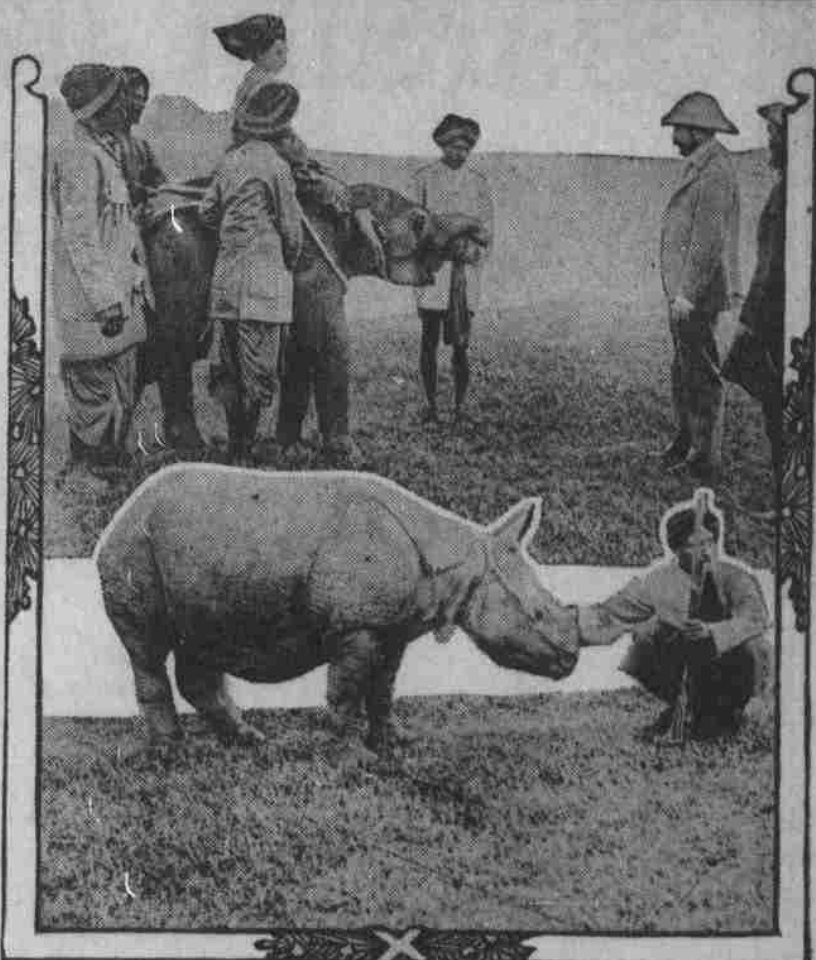
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The Ruler of Nepal Gives A Baby Zoo to King George



Photos by American Press Association.

ONE of the penalties of being a king or a president, especially one of sporting proclivities, is the certainty of being overwhelmed with gifts of animals. Colonel Roosevelt while he was president received bears enough—to say nothing of other wild beasts—to stock a dozen menageries, and King George during his brief reign has made many additions to the London zoo. His latest acquisitions are a collection of baby animals presented to him by the maharajah of Nepal, in whose dominions the imperial party had such successful sport during the royal sojourn in India. Two of the young animals—they cannot be called little—are shown in our illustrations. One is a baby elephant, which King George is seen inspecting as it is held by the attendants. The other is a young rhinoceros of the variety which is plentiful in Nepal. This native state, which is described as "within the Indian sphere of influence," enjoys a large measure of independence. A British resident lives at the capital, but does not interfere with the internal affairs of the country, which has an army of 45,000 men. The inhabitants are Mongolian in type, though the ruling family is Hindu, and complimentary missions are sent every five years to China.

AGAINST THE BREECING.

Most everywhere you will run across a class of people—usually men, because they are engaged in collective business undertakings more than women—who always ride in the march of progress, or, to mix the figure a little by a more forceful phrase, are usually against the breecing and mighty seldom in the collar doing straight pulling. Especially does this disposition crop out in case of new enterprises that are started in the community having in view the general welfare of the people living therein. When invited to take hold and give enterprises of this character a boost they remark, "Oh, I'll wait awhile," or "I'll wait and see if the thing pans out." Perhaps such an attitude is commendable when assumed toward decidedly risky propositions, but in many cases it is an evidence of mere stinginess or lack of good red blood. Such folk forget that whatever progress the world has made, not only in material but along other lines, has been made not by the aid of this type, but with the handicap of their either

riding and letting some one else furnish motor power or backing up in the breecing.

IN RESTRAINT OF TRADE.

Those who are interested in the welfare of farmers' co-operative societies are watching with much interest the outcome of suits which have been brought against some of these societies of late. In one instance in Iowa the supreme court ruled that the provision of a company's bylaws which required that for every pound of pork which a member of the company sold to a competing firm he should pay a certain percent to the parent company was a plain violation of the anti-trust law. More recently, after the company's bylaws have been so altered as to eliminate this feature, suit has been made to dissolve the company because its bylaws required all members of the society to trade with the society and no one else. It is contended by the party bringing the second suit that this proviso also is in plain violation of the anti-trust law.

"BAD ORDER" REBATES.

While the old system of direct rebates has been done away with, there seems to be another which is to some extent being used in its place. From one who is engaged in the express business the writer learns that many shippers and merchants are able to get quite as much in the shape of "bad order" claims as they were ever granted under the old system. Not only do such shippers make such claims when there is little or no ground for them, but the claims are paid at once, while with the claim that is honestly made by the person who ships produce only occasionally it is held up often for months, in some cases years. If this "bad order" rebate practice is general, and there is reason for believing it is, it would seem to deserve the careful investigation of state railway commissioners.

Not until recent years has the value of pasture for hogs been fully appreciated. In some feeding tests which have been conducted by the Missouri experiment station during the past three years with hogs on pasture it was found that clover pasture gave a return of \$34 per acre per year, oats and blue grass pasture \$17. In view of such a showing as this, it would seem as though many a farmer might profitably convert a portion of his corn and grain fields into hog pastures.

LODGE DIRECTORY

REBEKAHS—Almira Lodge No. 26 meets first and third Wednesday of each month at Odd Fellows' Hall. NOLA COAD, Noble Grand. ORA COSPER, Secretary.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—Mistletoe Camp No. 209 meets in W. O. W. Hall on Tuesday evening of each week. TRACY STAATS, Consul Com. W. G. VASSAL, Clerk.

WOMEN OF WOODCRAFT—Mistletoe Circle, No. 22, Women of Woodcraft, meets in Woodman Hall second and fourth Wednesday nights in each month. MARY STARR, Guardian Neighbor. SADIE LYNN, Clerk.

A. F. & A. M.—Jennings Lodge, No. 9, meets second and fourth Fridays of each month, in Masonic hall on Main street. Visiting brethren welcome. W. L. SOEHREN, W. M. WALTER S. MUIR, Secretary.

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