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IG CENTRAL OREGON

son Bennett Sees Two Railroads And Big Future For Us

K BEGUN BY JUNE OR JULY

velopment in Store With no Land Drawing or Gamble the Government---Enough Land Open to Give Many usands a Chance for Free Homesteads---Big Towns.

whom, just where, nobody can tell; but t to see two railway lding across Central om east to west within eighteen months. Inexpect to see the work next June or July.

these roads will, we from the Snake to and the other will pass Malheur, Harney and ugh Lakeview to con- the road to reach up ter place from Reno, ve hundred miles of ws in operation.

d now building by the up the Deschutes is go on through Klamnect with the Gould t will give a through isco. The announcealreadyhe made ements have been with Gould for trackements.

interior there will be ar big towns. Burns, Prineville and Klamare sure to be importin the near future, for be such an impouring into that country as never before witcept from afar and dit of other states.

Another thing of importance is that there will be no land drawings or gambles by the government. There is enough homestead land now open to give many thousands a chance for free land, and there is a lot more to be surveyed.

Central Oregon offers almost the last hope for the securing of homesteads. It is about the last of Uncle Sam's free domain, that is the last of anything worth while. And the rush will be tremendous. Not only that, but we predict that there will be a better class of settlers than has occupied any other section. We do not mean better people, but those of more means, which is what counts in a new community.

If the editor of the Irrigator was a young man, and did not live in Irrigon, which is to his mind almost an ideal place for the future, he would surely pack his lares and penates and hie away to Central Oregon. It will soon be one of the best parts of the state, assuredly the best for the poor man with a family. Everybody over there now is prosperous, and that prosperity is bound not only to last, but to be accentuated.

If you wish a foothold over there, write to the Commercial Club at Burns. You will thus learn all about the great interior, for the Burns people are not selfish. They will send you data about that entire section, and will give you information that will lead, if acted upon, to peace, prosperity and fortune.—Irrigon Irrigator.

Waverly Happenings.

Robt. Grant went to Burns Saturday.

T. B. Hill and Homer Kissinger are hauling lumber.

Henry Reinharts went to Harney Thursday.

A literary society was organized at the Thompson schoolhouse Tuesday night. The following officers were elected: David Williams, President; Robert Grant, Secretary; McKinley Thompson, Treasurer. Entertaining committee, Ethel Thompson, Alvin Queer and George Maddux.

Mrs. Harris, a daughter of Mr. Armstrong, has arrived from Harney and is now residing on her homestead.

L. J. Gibson visited at Burns Thursday.

Oren Thompson says that the railroad company is buying right of ways through Malheur Gap. In some places the company is purchasing the land.

Mr. Dillon came through Saturday with a new-comer. Have not heard whether he took a claim or not.

An inch of snow fell Saturday night but disappeared Sunday with the rain and wind that followed.

Mr. Tiepton arrived Friday with freight for Waverly.

New fall and winter millinery at Mrs. S. E. Drinkwater's.

ALE OF HORSES

During tne next 30 days I will sell about 15 head of horses consisting of young stallions, brood mares, driving horses, colts and fillies, as follows:

SIDNEY WILKES 2:41

Marvin Wilkes 2:12½; dam Kitty B 94, by Sidney 2:19¾. Sidney Wilkes de his record this fall after twoonths jogging and with less than a ldozen work outs in company. is capable now of trotting a mile se to 2:30. He is the fastest harse horse in Harney County and will e a great stock or race horse rth twice what I will price him at. is 15:2 hands high and weighs over 0 lbs.

THE REMITTER

Roan colt by Dazzler 2:26½; dam Psyche by Cupid 2:18. Cupid is a full brother to Sidney Dillon the sire of Lou Dillon 1:58½, the fastest trotter in the world. The Remitter is 3 years old 15.1 hands high, will make a horse about 15.3 and weigh when matured between 1100 and 1200 lbs. Very stylish can now trot a mile better than 2:50 and with three months work will trot in better than 2:30. Can show close to 2:30 gait now for ½ mile, will make an A 1 driver and a good prospect for a race horse.

Two choice yearlings; one a brown colt by Dazzler 2:26½, dam Alkena by Kebir (2) 2:28½ ed Arion to lower the world's two-year-old record. This colt will make a good stock a choice driver, is good gaited and promises to make a race horse; the other is a gray Dazzler, dam Alice W. by Arthur Holt, the sire of H. D. B. 2:13. This filly will make ose driver or choice brood mare.

Five weanlings by Dazzler and out of the choicest band of brood mares in Eastern

Three or four of my high bred trotting brood mares, all nicely broken to ride and drive nd single. One thoroughbred mare bred by the late Jno. Devine and a yearling and out of her by one of the best Imported Percheron Stallions in this county. One good ey. Several choice driving mares and geldings.

have made some changes in my business am going to sell the above horses during the 30 days.

have always sold my horses cheaper than have been bought from any one else and never had a dissatisfied buyer. In fact horse sold by me has made money for the er. Everything is guaranteed to be just as esented.

y one needing a colt that will make a good horse or a driver or brood mare or a race pect should come at once or miss a great chance.

W. BIGGS, Burns, Oregon.

DRY FARM ESSENTIALS

Moisture Conserving Soil Tilling and Maintaining Productivity

ADDRESSES DRY FARM CONGRESS

Alfred Atkinson, Agronomist of Montana Agricultural College, Emphasizes Two Fundamental Requisites for Successful Production of Dry Farm Crops---Past Experiences Cited.

Alfred Atkinson, agronomist of Montana Agricultural College, Bozeman, Mont., and members of the board of governors of the Dry Farming congress, discussed "Dry Farm Crop Production Essentials," before the recent session of that body.

"Included in the aim of the Dry Farming Congress is an effort to bring to the knowledge of the world the facts regarding the possibilities of the non-irrigated farming lands of the arid and semi-arid regions, in order that these lands may be brought into a state of usefullness; and to assist the farmers who take up these lands to succeed and become permanent contented home builders in the communities.

"In the light of the knowledge so far gained by farmers and investigators, it would seem that there are certain broad essentials which must be observed if the farmers are to continue in this branch of agriculture. I have chosen to emphasize two which seem to merit the special consideration of dry farmers. These are: Proper moisture conserving soil tillage, and due regard for the practices which will maintain the soil in a productive state.

"The name of this branch of agricultural sience "Dry Farming', implies an unusual condition in relation to the supply of moisture. In fact the only particular in which this class of farming differs from the humid or irrigation farming is in the matter of limited moisture supply. The farmer must, therefore, direct his tillage and cropping operations in such a manner as to make fullest use of the natural precipitation. This is essential in order that the plants may grow, and equally so in order that the plant food supply locked up by nature in the soil may be brought into a soluble state and so become available. Surface cultivation must be practiced at the proper time, and early maturing, hardy strains of the different crops must be planted.

"As new farming communities are opened up, the tendency is for those who first take up the lands to start a skimming process. By this I mean to grow soil reducing crops like wheat or other cereals year after year and return nothing to the land to compensate for the food elements removed in the crops harvested. If dry farmers make this mistake it will be in spite of the warning of past experiences. The community, the state, the nation and the world have an interest in the store of plant food held in the soil as this is a great treasure house, from which future generations must get their supply of life's necessities.

"The dry farmer cannot grow wheat continuously without inviting disaster. He must include soil improving crops such as alfalfa and peas to keep up the sumus content and nitrogen supply, and must grow livestock in order that the valuable plant food elements may not be needlessly shipped from the farm."

BIGGS WON PRIZES AND TROTTING RACES.

M. R. Biggs is feeling pretty good as a result of the award of prizes on cattle at the Crook county fair, and for the reason that his trotting horses won all the harness events on the track without any effort. Not only did Mr. Biggs' herd of Shorthorn cattle win all of the first prizes in their class, but they won the sweepstakes for beef breeds over all the cattle on exhibition, some of those over which they won the award being prize winners in many of the best shows of the Northwest, last year.

Biggs' Shorthorns were put on exhibition right off the pasture as were most all the cattle shown. It is to be regretted that the fair association is restricted financially so that it is not able to offer higher prizes on live stock, so that owners would be justified in taking the time and going to the expense of fixing the stock up for show. The public could then appreciate more fully the fact that the Crook county stockmen have some of the finest blooded cattle in the world.

Mr. Biggs won all three of the harness races with his sorrel trotters with ease, the animals never at any time being crowded to do their best.

In the two-year-old trot his unnamed colt won the two one-mile heats, John Schmeer's colt second and that of J. E. Wilson, third.

In the trotting and pacing race for Crook county horses, Biggs' sorrel stallion, John S, won in two straight heats, Fred Fisher's Rob Roy, 2nd and A. Hamilton's Reino, 3rd; time of heat 2-18 4-5 and 2:17¼.

In the last trotting race which occured Saturday Biggs' two-year-old trotted against Reino and Rob Roy, finishing in the order named. There was only one mile heat, time 3:15.

Neither of Biggs' horses broke in any of the races. The sorrel stallion changed step a time or two, but it was because he was being reined up too tightly.—Prineville Journal.

FOR SALE—Four room house with pantry; stable for six horses, chicken house, large woodshed and other out buildings, good well and pump, three lots. Inquire at this office.

A Methodist Minister Recommends Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Cure.

"I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for several years for diarrhoea. I consider it is best remedy I have tried for that trouble. I bought a bottle of it a few days ago from our druggist, Mr. R. R. Brooks. I shall ever be glad to speak a word in its praise when I have the opportunity." Rev J. D. Knapp, Pastor M. E. Church, Mines Grove, Pa. Sold by all good dealers.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

(Portland Correspondence).

Under the banner of the Oregon Development League, the state has never taken a more decided forward movement in community publicity than now. With the various cities thoroughly aroused and actively at work to advance their interests, the outlook is very bright. Never has there been a stronger advertising pulse throughout the state. There is a determination to set forth to the world the manifold advantages Oregon has to offer to the homeseeker.

During the past week, under the direction of the Oregon Development League, remarkable meetings have been held in various parts of the state. Tremendous interest has been shown everywhere.

Lebanon raised a publicity fund of $2500 at an enthusiastic meeting. The people of the city are united in the determination to exploit the resources of that section and are doing splendid work.

Corvallis has just organized a woman's auxiliary that will make itself felt in many ways in furthering the efforts of the local commercial club in advertising Corvallis. A warm welcome is given newcomers.

Silverton people, at a meeting during the past week, raised a fund of over $2000 that will be still further increased. A strong commercial club has been organized with over 40 members and it is promised this number will be raised to 100 soon.

Scio and Jefferson are in line for their share of publicity, having each raised $600 for development work in their section. All are alive to the benefits of working together as a state league.

Laidlaw is active. The development league of that place is on the alert to advertise that part of Oregon and it is going ahead as never before.

Glendale, at a meeting Friday, showed a splendid get-together spirit and the people of that place are thoroughly wide awake and enterprising.

The centenary of the first American settlement on the Pacific Coast will be celebrated by Astoria in 1911 and plans for the affair are already being discussed. Descendants of John Jacob Astor will be asked to join in the commemoration of the planting of the first American city on the Pacific Coast by the founder of that famous family. Tha story of the founding of Astoria is told in Washington Irving's book of that name.

What Would You Do.

In case of a burn or scald what would you do to relieve the pain? Such injuries are liable to occur in any family and every one should be prepared for them. Chamberlain's Salve applied on a soft cloth will relieve the pain almost instantly, and unless the injury is a very severe one, will cause the parts to heal without leaving a scar. For sale by all good dealers.

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