WE COULD, BUT WE WON'T

We are fed up on war, and strikes, and profiteering, and the many other what-nots of the day.

We are surfeited with the complaints and the grievances of mankind.

The milk of human kindness has curdled and the benovolence of charity has vanished.

We need a change.

We need a little joy in life.

We need to remember that there is a right and a wrong—a justice and an injustice—a straight and narrow path, and one as crooked as the hairy legs of the devil.

What a world this would be if we could all make a change—if we could dig out the Golden Rule and place its tenents above avarice and greed, above suspicion and abuse.

We could bask in the sunshine of life and watch the clouds roll harmlessly by.

We could see a people of supermen, guided by the teachings of brotherly love instead of by those of conquest and annexation.

And we could see the light of joy in every heart, in every home.

We could—but we won't.

IT PRODUCERS PRODUCE

Greater production is a crying need of the day, and because of the devastation in Europe the bulk of this burden upon America.

We must increase our production.

We must feed the world and we must eat at the same time. We must furnish the implements of cultivation and manufacture, and we must have them for our own use. Greater production alone can do this.

Future disagreements between capital and labor should be settled "out of court"—in other words, without recourse to the peralyzing results of a strike.

Surely the government and congress can devise some tribunal which will have the authority to settle all disputes and enforce its decisions on both sides alike, doing equal justice to all aud injustice to none.

Nero fiddled while Rome burned.

Let Washington cease piddling or history may repeat itself.

Commercial Club Resolutions

WHEREAS—

Harney county is endowed with latent agricultural resources of wonderful fertility and richness of soil, is noted for its cattle on a thousand hills, has been the leader in beef production for many years, is possessed of sheep and horses by the thousands, has billions of feet of the finest merchantible timber and has undeveloped bodies of precious metals, borax nitrate and potash. And WHEREAS—the growth and development of Harney county has been retarded by the entire lack of Railroad transportation Facilities.

BE IT RESOLVED.

That the Burns Commercial club is of record to unite all their energies and endeavors to promote, plead for and demand that they be furnished a railroad, which will facilitate their business enterprises and aid in the Development of Harney county, of which Burns is the county seat, that they make an urgent and pressing appeal to the Commercial Organizations of Oregon for their moral and business support in bringing us nearer civilization. The club claims that the Tonnage is obtainable now and which of necessity will increase as the county evolves its irrigation schemes, under the State and National Reclamation services, and as the country becomes settled up, tonnage will follow and the projected Lumber Mill will be a source of revenue for years. For the club figures if the tonnage in the Deschutes Canyon justifies the outlay of two rail roads, the tonnage of Harney county would justify the construction of one. That the only feasible route for building a railroad is to connect Bend with Burns thence to Crane to a connection with the Oregon Short Line via Ontario, as this wduld give the industries at Bend and the shippers at Burns, an outlet to the Western and Eastern markets.

AND BE IT RESOLVED

That the Burns Commercial club appeal in the most emphatic manner to the Portland Chamber of Commerce and the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce which represent the trade and industry of the State of Oregon, that in connecting this vast continent of approximately six million acres of unlimited resources with their markets thousands upon thousands of dollars would be added to the turnover of the city of Portland and the State of Oregon, the people of Harney county desire to buy Oregon made goods, keep the money of the Oregonian in Oregon and contribute to the Greater Oregon and the Burns Commercial club makes this strong appeal to the Portland Chamber of Commerce and the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce to assist them from the inroads of the business of the states of Idaho and Utah. And upon the dawning of the new era of railroad transportation being turned over to private ownership, we are making this desperate appeal for the necessary support to place Harney county in the vanguard of progress and to enable her to perform her part in the great RECONSTRUCTION program of the country, for with a railroad and what would follow, such as irrigation and good roads, the county would be enabled to contribute from its inexhaustive storehouse to the happiness and comfort of millions of people.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED

That these resolutions be duly presented to the Portland Chamber of Commerce, the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce and the Commercial clubs of the State for their immediate action.

Respectfully submitted

SAM MOTHERSHEAD
I. S. GEER
E. H. CONSER
CHAS. M. FAULKNER
JOHN E. LOGGAN
Committee

Attest
BURT C. JONES
Secretary

NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the following petition praying for the organization of an irrigaton district to utilize the waters of Silvies River, Poison Creek and Foley Slough, will be presented to the County Court of Harney County, Oregon, at the Court Room of said Court, in Burns, Oregon, at Ten O'clock, A. M., of Wednesday, the 7th day of January, 1920, same being the first day of the regular January 1920 Term of said Court.

Dated Burns, Oregon, this 28th day of November, 1919.

CHESTER DALTON,
(Seal.) County Clerk,
Harney County, Oregon.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF HARNEY COUNTY, OREGON

PETITION FOR AN IRRIGATION DISTRICT TO BE PRESENTED TO THE COUNTY COURT OF HARNEY COUNTY, STATE OF OREGON, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ON THE 7TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1920.

TO THE HONORABLE COUNEY COURT OF HARNEY COUNTY:

We, the undersigned citizens of the United States, constituting a majority of the owners of land within the boundaries as hereinafter described, or who are bona fide claimants to unoccupied land under the laws of the United States, of of the State of Oregon, all being duly qualified electors under the law of the State of Oregon for organizing irrigation districts, being desirous of forming an irrigation district embracing the land hereinafter designated within the boundaries hereinafter described and set forth, and utilizing the waters of the Silvies River, Foley Slough and Poison Creek for the purpose of irrigation and the reclamation of said lands, do hereby petition your Honorable Court as follows:

That it is the purpose of the undersigned petitioners to organize an irrigation district under and by virtue of the irrigation district laws of the State of Oregon as recited in Chapter 357, General Laws of Oregon, 1917, providing for the organization and management of irrigation districts; and

That Your Honorable Court do proclaim a district as set forth herein; designating the name of said district; dividing said district into three subdivisions and defining the boundaries thereof; and

That Your Honorable Court proceed, with such dispatch as may be under said law to call an election for the purposes above set forth and do all things necessary under said law for the formation of said district, designating the tme and places for voting at said election; and

That the boundaries and description of land under said district shall be as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northwest corner of Section 4, Township 23 South, Range 31 East, Willamette Meridian, in Harney County, Oregon; thence east along north line of Secs. 4 and 3 to N. E. corner of Sec. 3; thence southeast to S. E. corner of the NE¼ NW¼ of Sec. 2; thence northeast to the N. W. corner of Sec. 1; thence along the north line of Sec. 1 to the N. E. corner of Sec. 1, all in the same town and range; thence east along north line of Secs. 6 and 5 in Township 23 South, Range 32 East, W. M., to the N. E. corner of said Sec. 5; thence south to the east quarter corner of said Sec. 5; thence southeast to the S. E. corner of Sec. 4; thence east on the line between Secs. 3 and 10 to the S. E. corner of Sec. 3; thence south to the east quarter corner of said Sec. 10; thence east along the center line through Secs. 11 and 12, to the east quarter corner of Sec. 12, all in the same township and range, and being to a point on the range line between ranges 32 and 32½ East, W. M.; thence south along said range line to the S. E. corner of Section 25, Township 24 South, Range 32 East, W. M.; thence west along the north line of Sec. 36, to the north quarter corner of Sec. 35; thence north to the center of Sec. 26; thence west to the

In Township 23 South, Range 31 East, W. M.:

All Sec. 1; S½ and S½ N½ and part of lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, Sec. 2; all Secs. 3, 4, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, E½ NE¼, NW¼ NE¼ and lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, of Sec. 21, being all of said section east of Silvies River; E½, NW¼, N½ SW¼, SE¼ SW¼ and lot 2 of Sec. 22, being all of said section east of said river; all Secs. 23, 24, 25, 26, E½ NE¼, NW¼, NE¼ and lots 8, 9, 10 and 11 of Sec. 27, being all of said section east of said river; NE¼, NE¼ NW¼, NE¼ SE¼, and lots 8, 9, 10 and 11 of Sec. 35, being all of said section east of said river, and all Sec. 36.

In Township 23 South, Range 32 East, W. M.:

The southwest three-fourths of the SW¼ and the SW¼ SE¼ Sec. 4, all Secs. 5 and 6; N½ and E½ SE¼ Sec. 7, all Secs. 8, 9, 10, S½ Sec. 11; S½ Sec. 12; all Secs. 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36.

In Township 24 South, Range 32 East, W. M.:

All Secs. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, Lots 1, 2, 7, and 8 of Sec. 7, being the NE¼ of Sec. 7; all Secs. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 22, 23, 24, 25; E½ and NW¼ Sec. 26;

Containing in all 42,638.02 acres, more or less, according to the government survey thereof;

All in conformity with the foregoing and under the laws of the State of Oregon, and YOUR PETITIONERS WILL EVER PRAY.

NAMES OF LAND OWNERS;

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Thos. E. Browning
C. L. Sperling
Frank Triska
Chris Berg
A. C. Welcome
Fred Lunaberg
G. W. Clevenger
Mrs. Lela Millar
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"My family didn't think I would live very long," continued Mrs. Hickok, "and in fact while I was under treatment, I was told that I had such a complication of troubles that there was no chance for me to ever be well again. I had a bad case of stomach trouble, and had gotten to the point where everything I ate would sour and cause gas to form so bad I could hardly breathe. My kidneys were out of order all the time, and I would have such awful pains in the small of my back that it was out of the question for me to go up and down a flight of steps. And then, the awful headaches I used to have nearly every day would almost drive me wild. I was very restless at night and never slept well. In fact, my nerves were in such terrible condition that the least noise would upset me terribly. The different medicines and treatments I was taking didn't seem to do me any good at all, and I just kept on getting worse all the time.

"When I told my son I was going to take Tanlac, he was very much surprised, and seemed to think I was doing the wrong thing to stop taking my other medicine and commence on something I knew nothing about. Well, I told him that I had heard about Tanlac helping others who suffered as I did, and I didn't see any reason why it shouldn't do me some good, too, so I got a bottle and began taking it. I was right, for Tanlac was just the medicine I had been needing all the time, and I began to feel better by the time I had finished my first bottle. I have taken eight bottles now, and I never have a pain or an ache of any kind. The headaches are gone and I am not bothered any more with those awful pains in my back. I can go up and down stairs as well as anybody now, and can take long walks and climb hills as well as I ever could. I have a splendid appetite and eat three hearty meals every day and I never have a sign of stomach trouble or indigestion of any kind. My nerves seem to be in perfect condition and I sleep like a child every night. Now, that is why I say that it is the best medicine in the world. I am more than glad to recommend it to everybody."

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