# The Wasco News.

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It has long been a puzzle to Eastern Oregon residents to define the various divisions of the Columbia river. In other words, the stream is apparently divided into three great divisions—the Lower, Middle and Upper Columbia. Now, where does the Middle Columbia begin and end? Portlanders divide the river at the mouth of the Willamette, calling all below the Lower and above the Middle; at The Dalles again is the same thing done—all below that city is the Lower Columbia. Likewise at Arlington, Umatilla and Riparia, until the ends of the division are as variable and hard to find as the Alaskan boundary in the Atlin mining district. As it is hardly likely a commission will be sent out from Washington to fix up the matter, we would like to constitute ourself official hydrographer and designate the Middle Columbia as beginning at the Cascades and ending at Priest Rapids, and would also like to hear from our contemporaries on the subject. It should be settled without further delay.

An invading army always suffers fearfully, as history proves only too clearly. Witness the defeat of the British troops under Cornwallis in our colonies, which terminated the revolution; the wreck of Napoleon's army in the retreat from burning Moscow; again, the French defeat at Metz in 1870; and latterly (although the similarity is not a striking one) the utter inability of Spain to forcibly subdue the Tagalos and the Cubans, with all their splendid navy and military strength; and our own attempt, as yet unsuccessful, to down Aguinaldo and his following. No wonder, then, that England hesitates before the final plunge into war with the Boers, knowing full well what losses it will entail. It is not cowardice; it is prudence and common sense.

The conviction of Dreyfus has come to pass, as everybody knew it would almost from the beginning of the trial. The fact of his being a Jew seemed to have more weight and to count more against him than his absolute guilt would have done. In France the army is dominant; and the whole system, civic, military and social, is priest-ridden. The bitter anti-Semitic feeling, coupled with the eagerness of someone high in authority to secure a scapegoat for their own shortcomings, explains the case pretty well to him who does not care to search out details.

By order of Secretary Root the Thirty-fifth regiment will sail from Portland instead of San Francisco. This is right. In it is a precedent established that we trust will be rigidly followed in future military movements. There was no earthly reason why the Second Oregon could not have been embarked at Portland, except possibly to gratify the whim of Alger, who has considerable property in California. With Alger out the business of supplying troops with accessaries falls where it should—to Portland and our own state.

In one of Dallas' business houses the other evening a number of citizens were discussing the question of expansion or anti-expansion. During the conversation a well known citizen, who, by the way, is a prominent democrat, dropped in, and was almost immediately asked if he was opposed to expansion. "Opposed to expansion?" he exclaimed. "What's the use of talking about that now? Why, darn it, man, we have already expanded. That question is settled.—Observer.

We extend thanks to the manager of the Portland exposition for a complimentary ticket to the fair this season. The exposition this year will certainly be successful, with its music and exhibits and various other attractions; besides, there are fairs on at Spokane, Walla Walla and Salem; and this fact if nothing else will cause Portland to bestir itself as it has never done before.

This office is in receipt of a copy of the Quarterly Spokesman-Review, of Spokane. It is devoted almost exclusively to mines and mining in the Pacific Northwest, and is a triumph of the printer's art.

It is plainly evident the Boers are to a man ready, willing and anxious to square accounts with their natural enemies, the British. President Kruger shows no signs of weakening, and the volksraad is held only lightly by his restraining hand while he spars for time. And what of England? Chamberlain is about as uncertain and vacillating as McKinley was just previous to our own war. My lord knows he has no street-fight crowd to deal with. Were this the case the Transvaal muddle would have been settled at the outset, as was the Bluefields affair. But now he must reckon with 30,000 sturdy, intelligent sharpshooters, every one of whom have a personal grudge of long standing against England and Englishmen that can be effaced only with blood.

While we deplore the seemingly merciless and unjust condemning to death of two soldiers in the Philippines for assaulting native women, we cannot but think they should be punished severely. But in some other way. The American soldier should be above all a gentleman. A gentleman he must be, even if he is forced. In our opinion the executive will reduce the sentence to the limit of imprisonment.

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Notice is hereby given the following-named 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 Wm Henrichs, county clerk at Moro, Oregon, on Friday, October 20, 1899, viz:

FRANK L. CROW, of Wasco, Oregon;

H E No 6334, for the e½ nw¼, ne¼ sw¼, and nw¼ se¼ sec 28, tp 1 n, r 18 e, W M.

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

F W Matthies, of DeMoss Springs, Or.; A B Potter, of Klondike, Or; Ledru Farnum, of Moro, Or; P A Murray, of Monkland, Or.

s14-6-o19 JAY P. LUCAS, Register.


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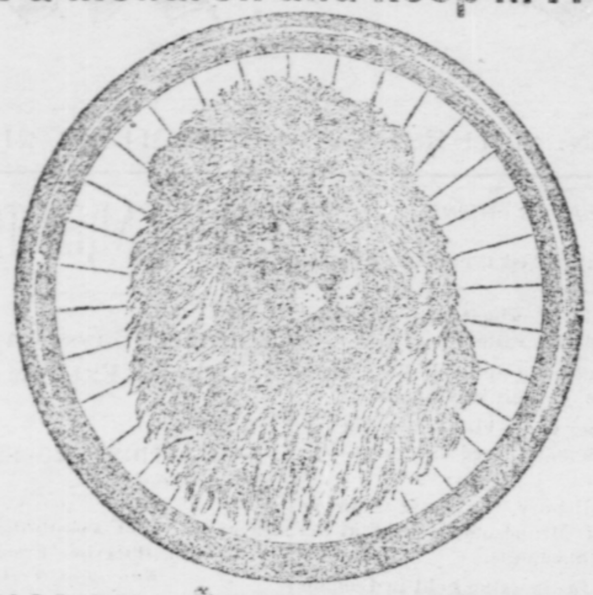

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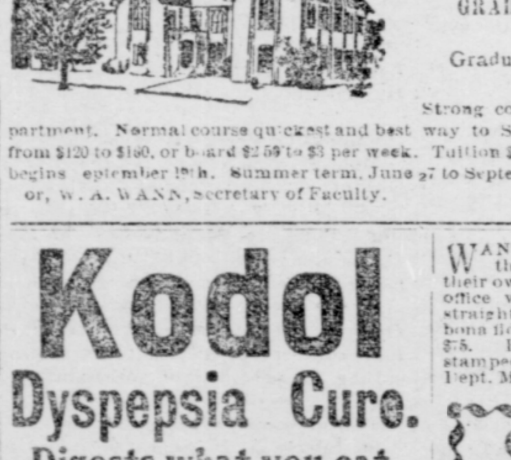

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Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Wm Henrichs, Co Clerk, Moro, Oregon, on Saturday, Sept. 30, 1899, viz:

BERT L. MURCHIE, of Wasco, Or.

H E No 6161, for the nw¼ sec 13, tp 1 n r 17 e W. M.

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

F A Andrews, Angus Cameron, J E Mcpherson and D D Lanver, all of Wasco, Ore.

a24-6-s28 JAY P. LUCAS, Register.


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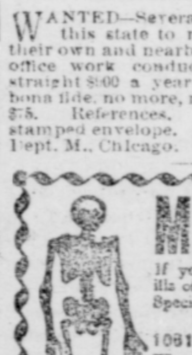

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**Friday, the 22d Day of Sept., 1899,**

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Witness my hand at Moro, Oregon, this 14th day of August, A. D. 1899.

a17-5-s21 WM. HOLDER, Sheriff Sherman County, Or.

## Notice of Final Settlement.

To all whom it may concern.

Notice is hereby given that M. L. Smith, the administrator of the estate of Lucy Freel, deceased, has filed his final report and account, and that by order of the County Court in and for the County of Sherman, State of Oregon, Tuesday, the 3d day of October, A. D. 1899 at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. has been appointed the time and the County Court Room in Moro in said county and state as the place for the hearing of said report and account, together with any and all objections thereto, and the settlement thereof.

Dated this 28th day of August A. D. 1899.

a31-5-s28 M. L. SMITH, Administrator.

## Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administratrix of the estate of John A. Reid, deceased, has filed in the County Court of the County of Sherman, State of Oregon, her final report and account of her administration of the said estate, and that Tuesday, the 3d day of October A. D. 1899, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., has been appointed the time, and the county court room in Moro in said county the place for the hearing of said report and account, and any and all objections thereto, and the settlement thereof.

Dated at Wasco, Oregon, this 28th day of August, 1899. LOTTIE A. REID, Administratrix.

a31-5-s28

## Notice of Administration.

To all whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of Sherman County, State of Oregon, administratrix of the estate of Emory C Fuller, deceased.

All persons having claims against the said estate will present them duly verified to me at my home near Rufus, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

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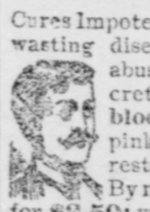

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