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EDITORIALS

Washington and the cities of the Northwest in general should experience heavy tourist travel the coming summer. With Europe closed to the traveler and countless opportunities offered for sightseeing in the Pacific Northwest, efforts are being made to attract the attention of those who will soon be deciding where to spend the 1916 vacation period. Thousands of newspaper articles will appear in publication over the United States and Canada this year. This material has been supplied to the big news service of the country, and to more than 150 publications direct by the publicity department of the Rose Festival. The articles have not only featured the festival but have exploited the scenic wonders of the Northwest in general. The transportation department of the Tenth Annual Festival announces that the sale dates from territory in the Northwest, bounded by Roseburg, Oregon; Centralia, Washington; Rainier, Oregon and The Dalles, Oregon and Grand Dalles, Washington will be June 4th to June 9th inclusive, with a final return limit of June 12th. From territory south of Roseburg, north of Centralia and east of The Dalles and Grand Dalles as far as Idaho-Mont. State line the sale dates will be from June 4th to June 8th inclusive, with a final return limit of June 17th. While there will be no special fares from Eastern territory, summer excursion fares from points in Minn., the Dakotas, Kan., Neb., Colo. and points east of these states will go into effect May 1st with a final return limit of Oct. 31. The annual Rose Festival at Portland comes June 7th 8th and 9th. Opening day will feature the national dedication of the Columbia River Highway and invitations have been sent to governors of all states, crowned heads of Europe, President Wilson and Cabinet and men and women prominent in the affairs of the nation to be present when the roadway through the gorge of the Columbia is dedicated to the tourist travel of the world.

Political Announcements.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized and paid to announce F. A. Hale as a candidate for the office of sheriff of Wheeler County Oregon, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the coming primary.

He proposes, if elected, to enforce the laws, strictly, and give to each and every citizen a square deal and will handle the office on the stipulated salary, furnishing his own deputy at his own expense.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination for Sheriff of Wheeler county, subject to the will of the voters at the Primary Election in May 1916.

OSCAR KELSAY.

I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for the office of Sheriff of Wheeler County, Oregon, and I pledge myself that if I am nominated and elected I will faithfully perform all the duties of the office promptly and efficiently and as they should be done, upon the salary provided by law, and that I will give every person in the County that has any business with that office a square deal.

ED STEWART.

ASSESSOR

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination for Assessor of Wheeler County, State of Oregon, subject to the will of the voters at the Primary Election in May 1916.

PETER HARTMAN.

COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination for Commissioner of Wheeler County, Oregon, subject to the will of the voters at the Primary Election in May 1916.

R. E. WRIGHT

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for County School Superintendent of Wheeler County in the Democratic Primary election, May 19, 1916.

H. J. SIMMONS.

FOR STATE SENATOR

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for State Senator of the Eighteenth Senatorial District of the State of Oregon, comprising the Counties of Gilliam, Sherman and Wheeler, subject to the will of the Republican voters at the primary election to be held in said District on the 19th day of May, 1916.

M. D. SHANKS

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of District Attorney for Wheeler County, subject to the will of the voters at the Republican Primary Election to be held May 19th. If nominated and elected, I will do my best to enforce the laws without fear or favor. I pledge myself to investigate crimes at their sources, so as to save the County the large expense of bringing witnesses from long distances to the County seat, for preliminary investigations, that should be made where the alleged crimes take place. I was born and raised in Wheeler County, and have an abiding interest in its welfare.

LELAND J. KNOX.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination for District Attorney of Wheeler County subject to the will of the electors of the Republican party at the nominating election to be held on the 19th day of May, 1916.

J. K. STARR.

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

To the voters of Wheeler County: I herein announce myself as a Republican candidate for the office of County School Superintendent.

In coming before the people of Wheeler County, I feel that I represent the greatest problem and asset of the age—the education and training of the youth of our land.

If elected, I shall certainly do everything within my province to further the educational interests of every boy and girl in Wheeler County.

If you see your way clear to give me an opportunity to work with you in their behalf, give me your support in the Primary Election May 19, 1916.

MRS. B. M. YEATES.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP MANAGEMENT OF THE SPRAY COURIER.

Published weekly at Spray, Ore. for April 1 1916.

State of Oregon,
County of Wheeler.

Before me a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Russell D. Price, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is Editor and Publisher of the Spray Courier, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date showing in the above caption, required by the act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 4423 Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:

Publisher, Russell D. Price.
Editor, Russell D. Price.
Managing Editor, Russell D. Price.
Business Manager, Russell D. Price, Spray, Oregon.

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That the known bond holders, mortgagees, and other security owners or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages or other securities are: None.

Russell D. Price.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of April 1916,
David E. Baxter, Notary Public. My commission expires Aug 29th 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

ISOLATED TRACT.
Public Land Sale—Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon.
Feb. 25th 1916.

Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Sec. 2455, R. S., pursuant to the application of Isaac M. Chapman, Serial No. 014245, will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$1.50 per acre, at 9.45, o'clock A. M., on the 9th day of May, 1916, next, at this office the following tract of land: E½ of W½ Sec. 31, Tp. 9 S., R. 24 E., W. M. (160 Acres). "This tract is ordered into the market, on a showing that the greater portion thereof is mountainous or too rough for cultivation."

The sale will not be kept open, but will be declared closed when those present at the hour named have ceased bidding. The person making the highest bid will be required to immediately pay to the Receiver the amount thereof.

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Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles,
Oregon, Mar. 30, 1916

Notice is hereby given that Valina M. Smith, formerly Valina M. Coates, of Spray, Oregon, who on May 1st, 1909 made Homestead Entry No. 014823, and on March 12th, 1914 made additional Homestead Entry No. 012655 for W½ SE¼, SW¼ SE¼ Sec. 14 N¼, Sec. 23 & NW¼ NW¼ Sec. 24, Tp. 8 South Range 24 East, willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before David E. Baxter, U. S. Commissioner, at Spray, Oregon on the 6th day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Benjamin D. Bartle, Fred A. Hale, Ferd Hunt and Osker G. Hale, all of Spray Oregon.

H. Frank Woodcock, Register
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