

Spray Courier.

Thursday June 29, 1916.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Wheat & Barley—B. & O.

Thomas Brothers of Richmond have bought a Ford car.

J. W. Forrest was here to day on business.

The Automobile business has been keeping O. G. Hale busy.

Leslie Donovan was in town Monday.

B. M. Shown has sold his Schotts automobile to Ellis Morse.

Mrs. V. M. Smith, made proof on her homestead here Monday.

F. E. Jackson, D. D. S., left Saturday for his home at Prairie City.

Mrs. Vina Kelso made final proof on her homestead before D. E. Baxter last Thursday.

R. J. Carsner, owner of the Three Bar Ranch, was in Spray Monday on business.

Winlock is going to celebrate the 4th at Lone Rock. A good time is anticipated.

R. L. Greene is attending the teachers' examination at Fossil this week.

Robert Will's, of the Richmond country, passed thru Spray on his way to Heppner Sunday.

Emil Straube and daughter Rosie were visitors at the home of Charles A. Jenkins this week.

Claude Norris went to Monument to day. Mrs. Julia Cross went with him to visit her sister, Mrs. W. B. Jinks.

Mrs. D. M. Richey, who has been in poor health lately, was confined to her bed a few days this week.

Mrs. J. B. Dyer whose illness we have mentioned from time to time, we are sorry to say, is no better.

The Switch-board at the central office was burned out by lightning last week. The lines are in bad shape and communication is practically cut off.

Mrs. Julia Cross, who has been in charge of the Fossil Hotel, returned to her home in Spray Friday. We are glad to have Mrs. Cross with us again.

The Horse-shoe Brigade still plays their usual afternoon game. Champions, D. E. Baxter and R. L. Greene, Sr. T. R. Smith Referee.

S. S. Barry, owner of the Indian Creek Ranch, was here Wednesday. He is talking of buying a band of sheep from John Asher.

P. A. Dixon has been having some trouble with his Ford and, according to latest reports, has been taking it a foot. Dick, however, is not averse to walking when the occasion requires, but he hates to be caught in the act.

With Roosevelt for Hughes and the leading democrats of Spray divided on the school election we do not see much show for the re-election of Wilson to the Presidential Chair.

The rain has done some damage to hay that has been in the shock, but it is making the second crop of alfalfa, and helping the maturing grain. The fall grain will soon be ready to be harvested.

J. B. Dyer went to Twickenham Friday and brought J. F. Asher and family over with him. They are going to spend a few days here with Mrs. Asher's sister who has been in very poor health for some time.

By request of the Committee on Arrangements, we invite the farmers who are interested in the School Fair to bring exhibits of farm products in addition to the exhibits offered by the schools. While there are no cash premiums offered for the exhibits of grown ups, it will add much to the interest and attractiveness of the Fair.

I have on hand at my garage in Spray, Gasoline, Zeroline Oil, Cupgrease, Transmission grease, Transmission lubricant, Three in one hard oil, Puritan motor oil and Pure oil.

J. B. Dyer.

STRAYED OR STOLEN

About Jan. 1—One light bay, stocking-leg mare, in foal, broke and weighs about 1200 lbs. Branded bar diamond on left shoulder. \$10.00 reward.

G. A. Nichols.

Spray, Oregon.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department Of The Interior,
U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Ore.
May 16, 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. 04823 and on March 12th 1914 made additional Homestead Entry No. 012655 for E1/4SE1/4, SW1/4, Sec. 14, NE1/4, Sec. 23, NW1/4NW1/4, Sec. 24, Township 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 26 day of June, 1916. Claimant names as witnesses; Benjamin D. Burtie, Fred A. Hale, Ferd Hunt Oscar G. Hale, all of Spray, Oregon.

H. Frank Woodcock, Register,
5-25-4-22

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Ore.
Apr. 29, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Henry C. Breeding whose post-office address is Spray, Oregon, did on the 15th day of July, 1915, file in this office sworn statement and application No. 015249 to purchase the NE1/4SE1/4, SE1/4, Section 8, NE1/4NE1/4, Sec. 17, Township 10 South, Range 25 East, Willamette Meridian, and the timber thereon, under the provisions of the act of June 3, 1878, and acts amendatory, known as the "Timber and Stone Law," at such value as might be fixed by appraisalment, and that pursuant to such application, the land and timber thereon have been appraised at \$430 the timber estimated 355,000 board ft. at \$0.75 per M. and the land \$163.75, that said applicant will offer final proof in support of his application and sworn statement on the 10th day of July, 1916, before David E. Baxter, U. S. Commissioner at Spray, Oregon. Any person is at liberty to protest this purchase before entry, or initiate a contest at any time before patent issues, by filing a corroborated affidavit in this office, alleging facts which would defeat the entry.

H. FRANK WOODCOCK, Register
5-11-7-10

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon
May 18, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Jacob H. Wilcox of Monument, Oregon, who on March 11, 1909, made Homestead Entry No. 02237 for NE1/4NW1/4, W1/4NE1/4NW1/4, Sec. 20 Township 9 S. Range 25 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 1 day of August, 1916. Claimant names as witnesses: Robert B. Wright, John B. Nolan, Melvin Richie and Thomas R. Smith all of Spray, Oregon.

H. Frank Woodcock, Register
6-15-7-27

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles,
Oregon, June 17, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Charles E. Nash, of Winlock, Oregon, who on Oct. 5 1911, made Homestead Entry No. 09549, for SE1/4SE1/4, Sec. 1, NE1/4NE1/4, Sec. 12, Tp. 8 S. R. 23 E. Lot 7, Sec. 6, Lot 1, Sec. 7, Tp. 8 S. R. 24 E. Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before David E. Baxter, U. S. Commissioner, at Spray, Oregon on the 22nd day of July, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: William Donley, Wesley Rowley, Fred E. Kopeel, Amos Wilkes, all of Winlock, Oregon.

H. Frank Woodcock, Register
6-22-7-22

SCHOOL CHILDREN'S Industrial Fair

To be held at Spray Oregon

September 16 1916 For School Districts No 1 2 4 9 and 16 of Wheeler County

PREMIUM LIST



1-PET LAMB

One.

Class A—1st prize \$2; 2nd prize \$1.
Class B—1st, \$2; 2nd, 1.

2-CHICKENS.

Rhode Island Red

Trio.

Class A—1st, \$2; 2nd, 1.
Class B—1st, \$2; 2nd, 1.

Plymouth Rock

Trio

Class A 1st \$2 2nd \$1
Class B 1st \$2 2nd \$1

3-PIGS.

One.

Class A—1st, \$2; 2nd, 1.
Class B—1st, \$2; 2nd, 1.

4-POTATOES.

Half Dozen.

Class A—1st, \$2; 2nd, 1.
Class B—1st, \$2; 2nd, 1.

5-WATERMELON.

One.

Class A—1st, \$2; 2nd, 1.
Class B—1st, \$2; 2nd, 1.

6-BREAD.

One Loaf.

Class A—1st, \$1; 2nd, 1.
Class B—1st, \$1; 2nd, 1.

7-BUTTER.

One Pound or Roll.

Class A—1st, \$1; 2nd, \$1.
Class B—1st, \$1; 2nd, 1.

8-CAKE.

One.

Class A—1st, \$1; 2nd, 1.
Class B—1st, \$1; 2nd, 1.

9-FLOWERS.

Choose any two of the following varieties and exhibit bouquets:

Dahlias, Sweet Peas, Asters.

Class A—1st, \$2; 2nd, 1.
Class B—1st, \$2; 2nd, 1.

10-WOODWORK.

Any Article Made of Wood.

Class A—1st, \$2; 2nd, \$1.
Class B—1st, 2; 2nd, 1.

11-SEWING.

Plain Hand Made Apron.

Class A—1st, \$2; 2nd, 1.
Class B—1st, \$2; 2nd, 1.

12-JELLY.

One Glass.

Class A—1st, \$2; 2nd, 1.
Class B—1st, 2; 2nd, 1.

13-MUSK MELON.

One.

Class A—1st, \$2; 2nd, 1.
Class B—1st, 2; 2nd, 1.

14-COL. OF VEGETABLES.

Any Three Kinds.

Class A—1st, \$2; 2nd, 1.
Class B—1st, 2; 2nd, 1.

15 CORN

Six Ears

Class A 1st \$2 2nd \$1
Class B 1st 2 2nd 1

16 TOMATOES

Half Dozen

Class A 1st \$2 2nd \$1
Class B 1st 2 2nd 1

17 ONE SQUASH

Any Variety

Class A 1st \$2 2nd \$1
Class B 1st 2 2nd 1

18 PET COLT

One

Class A 1st \$2 2nd \$1
Class B 1st \$2 2nd \$1

19 PET CALF

One

Class A 1st \$2 2nd \$1
Class B 1st 2 2nd 1

20 FANCY WORK

Any Article

Class A 1st \$2 2nd \$1
Class B 1st 2 2nd 1

21 SWEEPSTAKES

First prizes score two points
Second prizes one point

Class A 1st \$2 2nd \$1
Class B 1st 2 2nd 1

RULES GOVERNING EXHIBITS.

1. Any child may make as many different exhibits as he or she desires, but only one entry for each prize.

2. In gardening, a child may have the ground plowed by some one else, but all the planting, care, harvesting and preparation of the produce for entry at the fair must be done by the child in whose name the entry is made. Lambs and pigs must be taken from their mothers not later than two weeks after birth, and there after the child who enters the lamb or pig must take all the care of it. If a child desires to exhibit chickens, he or she must set the hen, and after hatching take all the care of the hen and chicks. All entries must be accompanied by a certificate signed by the child's parents or guardian to the effect that the article exhibited is in every sense the child's own production, according to the intentions of the fair, which is to encourage the boys and girls to raise and make the articles by their own efforts, subject to these rules.

3. Every boy and girl in School Districts 1, 2, 4, 9, and 16, who is under 21 years of age is eligible to enter these contests. Class A will include all over twelve years of age, Class B will include all twelve years of age and under.

4. All entries must be made on blanks which may be had at the COURIER office. No entrance fee will be charged. Exhibits must be listed by 9 A. M. on Fair Day.

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