THE IRRIGATION CONGRESS.

Recently at the request of Governor Thompson of Utah, the governors of seventeen states and territories west of the Mississippi, appointed each thirty delegates to a congress to be held at Sait Lake City, Utah, which congress assembled at that point Tuesday. The object is to devise a plan by which the general government will turn all arid lands over to the states wherein they are situated, the states in turn to use the lands, or the value thereof, in tueir reclamation. To do this the lands would have to be given to individuals. This is truly a remarkable year. It is or corporations, or rather certain areas, a year pregnant with suggestions and preferably of large dimensions would with lessons, and both the suggestions commation, and a maximum value fixed for said lands when reclaimed; the aississippi, is what was thirty years father was! ago known as the "Great American lasert" a vast country at present producing but a trifle, yet shown by conservative estimates to be capable of supporting the present population of the entire United States. This vast promptly tabled. Had the citizens of area lacks one thing, and one thing only, and that is, rain fall. To overcome this it is proposed to utilize the streams, to gather the water from the vast watersneds and store it up for use. To do this will require large sums of and artistic honors of the occasion. money, and necessarily the intervention of wealthy corporations. The congress will have adjourned ere this is in print, and we sincerely hope will have originated some plan by which the work may be commenced. It was is unexcelled on the coast. With hunof the Mormon people, it is certain that in the world. There is not such anthey found the Salt lake basin a desert, other opening for a large flouring mill and they have made it a veritable gar- in the Northwest, and the fellow that den. To accomplish this they have gets hold of it and utilizes our watered their land that moisture which is near future that will make him glad he denied it by natural process. We be- is alive. lieve the meeting at SaltaLake City Tuesday, to have been the most important gathering held in this country in nominated Roswell P. Flower for govthe last thirty years. If its plans are ernor. He will make the race against successful, an agricultural empire will J. Sloat Fasset. November is a bad be created where now drouth and deso- month for Flowers, but it is also a cold lation alone prevail. If he who makes month for those delicate creatures who two blades of grass grow where one part their names in the middle. There the win. She names the following witnesses to prove grew before, is a philanthropist; what is absolutely no excuse for " J. Sloat." snall be said of those who produce seven tons of hay, or 300 bushels of potatoes, or 40 bushels of wheat to the acre from lands that heretofore produced in prolific years a half dozen sage hens to the square mile? Yet this is exactly what the successful carrying out of the ideas of this irrigation congress would do.

LESSONS OF THE YEAR.

This is the best year the American farmer has seen in a decade. It stands the sombre background of last year's drouth. Pienty walks this year in fields which last year Poverty claimed for her own. The western counties of Kansas and Nebraska have heretofore witnessed the struggle of the homesteader to keep himself and his family alive.

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enal year? That irrigation is not need- sell excursion tickets to Portland and ed in those semi-arid regions where return at one and one-lifth fare for the there has been enough rain this year to make the crops? Not a bit of it. It is irrigation, and not the rain belt, that has been vindicated. The difference between last year's poverty and this tion at Portland, September 17 to Octoyear's plenty is purely a difference in the water supply. When there is lack of water the Western farmer becomes an object of charity. When there is lacking to make his business a perfect success. Then let him get water from the rivers and from under the earth, and make sure of the blessings which a merciful God has this season dropped from the skies.

his one, too, clinches the argument in n the farmer's present prosperity is inces, at home and abroad, are rapidly sell."—Harper's Bazar. videning the markets for American

Rood River Glacier. products. Growing cities, expanding manufactures and multiplying mines, manufactures and multiplying mines, are broadening the home markets month by month. Various causes are rendering the foreign supply more prerendering the foreign supply more pre-gold or vulcanite, or fillings of gold, carious. The time is not far distant silver, enamel, etc., will find Dr. Swain when we shall consume at home nearly a careful operator and moderate in his all the products of our fields, and when the increasing foreign demand will more than sustain high prices. What then? In those years of prosperity who will reap the steady benefits of good markets and high prices? Will it be the farmer who knows his crops are sure every year, and who can intensify the productiveness of his acres, or All other transients, \$2 per day; use of will it be the farmer who depends on sample room, 50 cents extra. Summer the precarious rainfall of the uncertain climate west of the Mississippi? There is but one answer. The future belongs to the irrigating farmer.

ands being disposed of to settlers in When the Prince of Wales visited and quantities. The question is a this country several years ago, he was andicult one to deal with for the reason | banqueted at Albany New York. Joe that the American people have very Calvin a lawyer bore such a remarka- Mr. A. S. Blowers, (who for years was justly become strenuously opposed to ble resemblance to the Prince that he county commissioner in Minnesota,) parting with any more of the govern- was invited to the dinner, and the and for whom he did county work as toent domain to corporations. While Prince's attention called to his counter- Parties writing me at Hood will reis is true the lands would not be given part. As the champagne flowed the ceive prompt attention, to the corporations, and while the Prince warmed up, and turning to maximum value would be fixed, and Calvin said; I see Mr. Calvin that the right of the citizen to purchase pro- you resemble me in a remarkable manrected, it would be hard to make the ner; Was your mother ever in Eugpublic understand this, and so over- land? Those who heard the remark come their opposition. And yet it is looked up in astonishment, expecting easily seen that without some such a scene, but Calvin raised his glass, action millions of acres of highly pro- and with a bright smile illumin uing quetive lands will remain idle, and his countenance cheerfully replied: non productive. Lying west of the He was not your Highness, but my

> Senator Dolph was at the Cascade Locks recently. He extended an invitation to citizens of The Dalles to meet tackle, fine candies and all the fruits him there, which invitation was very the Inland Empire performed their entire duty, they would have sent a select And the North Pacific Industrial Excommittee of brawny, muscular men each armed with a double barreled breech-loading club, to do the proper

> SCAT! You Billy-be-whiskered old ornithorhynchus. Get hence with your Fridays of each week between Septem-

It is really a pity that something is not done with our water-power which the work may be commenced. It was a happy thought to have the meeting at Salt Lake City, for there is the home the nucleus of irrigation in this country. Whatever else may be said country. Whatever else may be said ily and ground by the chenpest power utilized the water courses, and furnish- power will have a bank account in the

The democrats of New York have

The Portland exposition this year promises to fall far below that of last year. Frank Dekum, who is a gentleman and who also knew how to transact business is no longer in charge, and Land Office at Vancouver wash., Sept.10,1891. his place is occupied by a news paper penny-a-liner with remarkable cranial development and-nothing more.

The state fair commenced at Salem Monday and closes today. The old Willamette hotel made enough money no doubt in the last six days to pay all its running expenses, and interest on the money invested in the cheerful old penal institution.

Al H. Jewett,

Application No. 20, to purchase under Sec. 3 of the General Foreiture Act of Sept. 20, 1880, of the General Foreiture Act of Sept. 20, 1880, and the Fall of the General Foreiture out with special prominence against the money invested in the cheerful old

To illustrate the difference between

Of each week between September 19 What are the lessons of this phenom- and October 17, the Union Pacific will round trip.

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When the health is fairly good, and an object of charity. When there is all the water he needs he becomes a happy prosperous man. God Almighty has taught him by this years experience that water is the one essential lacking to make his business a perfect with the changing seasons, and unless it with the changing seasons, and unless it specification. When there is no special strain to be put upon the system, the normal appetite may be trusted to indicate the kind and quantity of food necessary to maintain that condition. Naturally the appetite varies with the changing seasons, and unless it specification. indicates an unreasonable extreme of indulgence or abstinence no attention need be paid to any other monitor. Notice is hereby given that the following-much harm is done by injudicious or named settlers have filed notice of their intenneed be paid to any other monitor. meddlesome friends suggesting that a person is too stout or too thin, too pale There is a deeper lesson underlying or too ruddy, and serious disturbances he results or this unusual year. And of the system often follow the mischievous advice to take some bitters or pills. avor of irrigation. The largest factor or refram from fattening food or drink. Paying attention to any of these fads is like playing with fire. If you are ill hat there is a foreign demand more enough to seem to warrant any radical han sufficient to take the total surplus change of diet or any application of products of the American farm. If this medicine, consult your physician at once. vere not the case the big crops would Above all, avoid quack medicines. To make prices low as they did in 1889, use the opinion of a successful dealer in The fact is that the tendencies of the them, whose bank balance is more liberal

Dr. Swain, Doutist.

Many years of Europe, late of Portland, graduate of Pennsylvania College, will remain in Hood River until Those wishing teeth made, Oct. 10. prices for first-class work. Don't delay if you need dental work done. Office near post office, adjoining Mr. Hartley's.

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position.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at Vancouver Wash, Sept. 9, 1891 Mary F. Kenny.

H. D. No. 7429 for the s w \S_4 sec. 4 Tp. 3 n r H e w m.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cuttivation of, said land, viz: Maggie Kane, Henry Burnham, Edward R. McDaniel, John Egan, all of White Schwan Wash. spt18-oct24 John D. Geoghegan, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Vancouver wash, Sept. 9, 1891, Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has flied notice of her intention to make final commutation proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office at Vancouver wash. on October 26,

H. D. No, 7419 for the s e $\frac{1}{2}$ of sec, 4 Tp 3 $\,\mathrm{n}$ $\,\mathrm{r}$ her continuous claim to, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Mary F. Kenny, Henry Burn-ham, Edward R. McDaniel John Egan, all of white Saimon, wash, sptl@oct24 John D. Geoghagan, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Notice is hereby given that the following named claimants have filed notice of their innamed canimants have then notice of their in-tention to make final proof in support of their claims and that said groof will be made be-fore the Register and Reselver U. S. Land Of-fice at Vancouver, Washington, on October 19, 1881, viz:

of White ington. Also, Theodor Suksdorf,

Jacob E. Jacobson,

Cash application to purchase under Sec. 3 of Cash application to purchase under Sec. 3 of the tie-neralForfeiture Act approved Sept. 2s, 1880, for the s. ½ n. e. ½ sec. 1s, tp. 3 n., r. 11 e. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous claim, and cultivation of said land, viz: Theodor Suksdorf, Ai H. Jewett, Francis M. Lane, and Nathan M. Wood, all of White Salmon, Klickitat county, Washington, sept2-octa—John D. Groghegan, Register,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at The Dalles, Or., Sept. 8, 1891
Notice is hereby given that the followingnamed settler has filed notice of his intention
to make final proof in support of his claim,
and that said proof will be made before the
Register and Receiver U. S. L. O. at The Dulles
Or., on October 25, 1891, viz::

Daniel A. Sturges,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Vancouver, wash, Sept. 1, 1891. tion to make final proof in support of their claims and that said proofs will be made before W. R. Dunbar Commissioner United States-Circuit Court for District of Washington at Goldendale, washington on October 31, 1891,

ISIAIAH C. SPENCER. Homestead Entry no. 7872 for there, ⅓ s w 1-4 Sec. 29, Tp. 3, N. R. 12 East will. Mer. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: George B. Lyle, George A. Snider, Ellis B. Hewett, Marcus Van Blb-ber, ail of Lyle P. O. Washington.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Vancouver Wash, Aug. 27, 1891 Notice is hereby given that the following-named settlers has filed notice of their intention to make final proof in support of their claims, and that said proof will be made before the liegister and Receiver U. S. Land office at Vancouver wash, on October 20, 1891, viz. THEODORE CARSTENS.

D. Entry No. 8167 for the w \(\frac{1}{2} \) s e \(\frac{1}{2} \) n e \(\frac{1}{2} \) and \(\frac{1}{2} \) n e \(\frac{1}{2} \) Sec. 1, Tp. 4 N. R. ld E, w.

He names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultiva-tion of, said land, viz Ai H. Jewett, Theodore Sukesdorf, Frank M. Lane, Fred Wilken, all of white Salmon Klickitat Co. washington. FRANCIS M. LANE.

H. D. No. 3885, for the s ½ n e ½ and n ½ s e ½ Sec. 8 Tp. 3 n r H E w M.

He names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Theodore Sukosdorf, Al H. Jewett, Nathan M. Wood, all of white Salmon Kilekitat Co. wash. Theodore Carstens, of Gilmer Klickitat Co, wash, viz NATHAN M. WOOD,

Viz NATHAN M. WOOD.

H. D. 77.10 for the lots I and 2 and e ½ n w ½ sec 7 Tp 3 n r 11 e w m.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz 2 headore Sukesdorf, A1H. Jewett, Francis M. Lane, Jacob E. Jacobson, all of white Salmon Klickitat Co, washington.

spt5-10 JOHN D. GEOGHEGAN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

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 the Register and Receiver U. S. land office at Van-couver, wash, on October 21, 1891, viz: Jacob Hunt,

H. D. No. 828, for the set 4 Sec. 30 Tp. 4 n R. H.E. w. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Joseph Stahl, John Slontie Annie Hunt, Samuel Owamps all of white Salmon Klickitat County wash. sqt12-oct17 John D. Grounggan, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at Vancouver wash, Sept. 3, 1801. Notice is herebr 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 the Register and Receiver at Vancouver wash, on October 21, 1891, viz:

Samuel Owanips,

Samuel Owanips.

H. D. No. 8434 for the s w)₄ sec 9 Tp 4 n R 11 e w, M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Joseph Stahi, Jacob Hunt, Caynse John, Annie Hunt, all of white Salmon, Klickitat Co. wash, spt12-oct17 John D. Geoghegan, "gister.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at Vancouver wash, Sept. 3, 1891.
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 the Register and Receiver U. 8, land office at Vancouver wash, on October 21, 1891, viz; Cayuse John.

H. D. No. 8225 for the sw ½ s c ½, s c ¼ s w ¼ sec 16 and n w ¼ n c ¼ and n c ¼ n w ¼ sec 21 Tp 4 n n 11 c w m.

He names the following witnesses to prove

the names the following witnesses to prove this continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jacob Hunt, John Slon-tie, Annie Hunt Joseph Stahi, all of white salmon Kilekitat county, wash. spt12-oct17 John D. Geoghegan, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. 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 the Register and Receiver U. S. land office at Vancouver wash, on October 15th 1891, viz: Margaret Ann Cameron.

Cash application No. 63 under 3rd section Act of congress approved September 29, 1890, for the Lots 3 and 4 and no $\frac{1}{4}$ s w 1-4 Sec 19 Tp

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Mrs. A. F. Griddings, and James H. Page, of Portland Oregon, C. H. Cox, of Hood River Or, James Brown, of white Salmon wash. white Salmon wash. aug2b-octs John D. Geognegan, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLIACTION.

Land Office at The Dalles Or. Aug. 17, 1891, 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 the Register and Receiver U. S. L. O. at The Dalies Oregon, on Octobera Isal, viz:

Roderick Mc Neil.

H. D. No. 25% for the fractional w 14,8 w 14 and se 14,8 w 1-4 Sec. 7 Tp. 2 N. R. 12 E. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivition of said land, viz: James M. Elliott, John Miler, Lark Lamb, Adolph B. Godberson, all of Messic Orecon. of Mosier Oregon.

JOHN W LEWIS, Register,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at The Dalles Or. Aug, 13, 1891. 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 the Register and Receiver U. S. L. O. at The Dalles Or. on September 28, 1891, viz:

Ann D. Dimmick.

H. D. No. 305, for the N. e. 1-4 of Sec. 33 Tp.
1, N. of R. 10 E. w. M.
He names the following witnesses—to prove his continuous rosidence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: George Perkins, Bert Graham, S. M. Baldwin, of Mt Hood Or., and J. L. Langille, of Hood River Or.
agl5-sepi9—John W. Lewis, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land office at Vancouver wash. Sept. 12,1891. Notice is hereby given that the following-named settlers have filed notice of their in-tention to make final proof in support of their respective claims and that said proof will be made before W. R. Dunbar, Commissioner United States Circuit Court for District of washington, at Goldendale washington, on Monday November 2, 1891, viz:

Herman Bertschl. Herman Bertseni.

Homestead Entry No. sluß for the n ½ of s e 14, s w ½ of s e 14 and n e 14 of s w ½ section 29

Township 5 north of raage 12 east will mer.

Who names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jane Myers, Halsey D. Cole, Lucinda F. Chapman, John N. Cole, all of Fulda P. O. washington.

Lucinda F. Chapman. Homestead Entry No. 7571 for the n e ¼ section 13 Township 5 north of range II east will.

Who names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and tultiva-tion of, said land, viz; Halsey D. Cole, Jane Myers, of Fuida P. O. washington, Robert Stewart, Rudolph Heyting, of Gilmer, P. O. washington.

Jane Myers. Homestead Entry No. 7980 for the s w $\frac{1}{4}$ section 35 Township 6 north of range 12 east will.

Who names the following witnesses to Prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Halsey D. Cole, William Frazier, Herman Hertschi, Lucinda F. Chap-man, all of Fulda P. O. washington. Jane Myers.

Purchase Application No. 47 under Section 3 Forfeiture Act Sept. 29, 1800 for the self of n wid and lots 1 and 2 Section 35 Township 6 north of range 12 cast will mer.

Who names the following witnesses to prove her continuous claim to said land, viz: Halsey D. Cole, William Frazier, Herman Bertschi, Lucinda F. Chapman, all of Fulda P. O. washington. sptill-oct24 John D, Geoghegan, Register

FOR SALE.

WILLIAM H. SPENCER.

Homestead Entry No. 7973 for the c. ½ sw 1-4
s c. ½ of n w 1-4 and Lot 3 ** Sec. 1, Tp. 4 N. R.
12 East w. M.

Who names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: George R. Lyle, George A. Snyder. Ellis E. Hewett, Marcus Van Elbber, all of Lyle P. O. washington.

Spt5-oct10 John D. Geoghegan, Register.

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