

To the Public:

As an introduction to the trade of Klamath Falls and Klamath County I have inaugurated a Great Sacrifice Sale. It will continue until further notice.

The Boston Store

O. M. HECTOR, Proprietor

MONEY TO THROW AWAY

Smooth "Friend of the Farmer" Goes Out After the Coin and Gets It.

Monday evening's Telegram had the following story to tell:

Operating under various aliases but usually under the name of Crawford, a very smooth "friend of the farmer" is said to have made a sweeping clean-up of real money in the Oregon wheat counties. It is understood that his operations in Wasco, Gilliam, Sherman, Morrow and Umatilla, all of which he has visited him close to \$20,000. The State Railroad Commission, the freight department of the O. R. & N., some of the shippers and warehousemen have shown interest in the case and are trying to ascertain the present whereabouts of the glib Mr. Crawford. It is greatly feared that he will not be found within a fair-sized radius of the scene of his reputed financial conquests.

According to the line of investigation that is being made, this alleged "come on" artist appealed to the weak spot in the wheat growers' makeup. He had a sure enough scheme whereby "dollar wheat" was no dream, but a large roseate and golden reality. This savior of the down-trodden tiller of the globe was going to organize the Farmers' Alliance, a mutually protective union which would guarantee the farmer his inalienable right, life, liberty and the pursuit of "dollar wheat."

It was going to cost each farmer the trifling sum of \$2.50 to be initiated into the secrets of the proposed order, and that once on the inside the wheat-grower could command his own price for wheat. He could, under the projected co-operative plan, get control of a string of warehouses and "not be robbed through exorbitant storage charges." He is said to have no trouble in convincing several hundred farmers that they were the victims of a complete system of highway robbery. The exporters and the railroads were in the conspiracy as well as the warehousemen.

All that was to be done away with when the Crawford plan had been consummated.

"By Jingo, that's a darn good idea" is apparently what a majority of the wheat barons thought as they passed over the \$2.50, and things went swimmingly for a while until one or two of the less emotional victims began to inquire into the details of the plan. From what evidence is to be had here, the plan didn't look so glorious at closer range.

Whether the facts already brought to light will justify criminal procedure in case the elusive Mr. Crawford is located cannot be learned here, for the investigation has been conducted with utmost secrecy and most of the farmers who coughed up, it is alleged, do not know that they have fed their money to the birds.

FLOATING STORES.

Merchandise Steamers of the Muskoka Lake Country in Ontario.

Among the interesting features of life in the Muskoka lake country, in Ontario, are the floating stores. A good sized steam vessel fitted out with every imaginable item of merchandise that might be required makes a tour of an assigned chain of lakes once each week. On a certain hour of a certain day the boat is expected at the different resorts and summer homes, and enough merchandise must be bought at each to tide over until the next trip of the floating store.

Upon stopping on board the store boat, says a writer in Popular Mechanics, the purchaser approaches a counter with scales and cash drawer, as in any other kind of store. Behind the counter are shelves, on which are displayed such articles as may tempt the eye. Behind these shelves is the entrance to the storeroom and hold, in which more merchandise is stored. Each article has its place, and the storekeeper can find it in a moment. Sometimes isolated farms on the lakes are not worth stopping at every trip, so a flag is flown when stores are desired. The store vessel drops anchor when the signal flag is flown, and some member of the family goes out and makes the purchases.

Needed. Afloat. "What's the matter with you?" demanded a stern body. "I've got a right to air my opinion, haven't I?" "Oh, of course," replied brightly. "They're so stale and rusty they certainly need something of that sort." Philadelphia Press.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

(Not Coal Lands)

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon, August 20th, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that William Pitts, whose postoffice address is Klamath Falls, Oregon, did, on the 16th day of March, 1909, file in this office sworn statement and application No. 01702, to purchase the W 1/4 NW 1/4, section 8, township 38 S, range 9 E, 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 appraisal, and that, pursuant to such application, the land and timber thereon have been appraised, June 14th, 1909, the timber estimated at 217,000 board feet at \$1.50 per 1,000, and the land \$38.00; that said applicant will offer final proof in support of his application and sworn statement on the 23d day of October, 1909, before R. M. Richardson, U. S. Commissioner, at Klamath Falls, Oregon.

Any person is at liberty to protect 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. ARTHUR W. ORTON, Register. 8-23-10-22.

E. G. Wilson will start his thresher at the Altamont ranch Thursday morning. It is believed that the yield on this run will be the greatest ever recorded in this county. The phenomenal crops grown on Altamont this year have attracted attention of the entire country, and a great deal of interest is centered on the result of the run by Mr. Wilson. The estimates made have varied from 50 to 75 bushels of barley to the acre. After he completes his work at Altamont he will move his outfit to the Grigsby ranch, where another record run is looked for. From the Grigsby ranch he will return toward the Altamont, stopping on the way to thresh on the smaller ranches along the way.

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