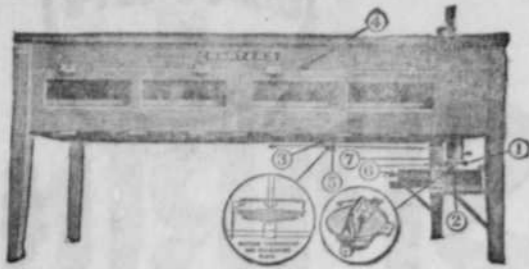


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the boundaries of the proposed district are all irrigable lands and are susceptible of irrigation from the same source and by the same system of works, by the storage, diversion and distribution of the unappropriated surplus and flood waters of the Owyhee River and Succor Creek, in Malheur County, Oregon.

4. That the undersigned petitioners desire to organize, and hereby propose the organization of, an irrigation district under the irrigation district laws of the State of Oregon, and particularly under the provisions of Title XXI, Chapter XIV Sections 7305 to 7344 inclusive, Oregon Laws, and Acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto providing for the organization and management of irrigation districts

5. That it is the purpose of the petitioners to organize an irrigation district for the irrigation of the lands embraced within the boundaries of such proposed district, and to that end to construct, maintain and operate dams and reservoirs and distributing canals, or to purchase, reconstruct, enlarge, extend, operate and maintain irrigation works for the irrigation of the lands included within the boundaries of said proposed district as hereinafter set forth, or to enter into contract with the United States for the construction of irrigation works for the irrigation of said lands under the federal reclamation laws, and to assume as principal or guarantor, the indebtedness to the United States on account of the construction of such system by the United States.

6. That your petitioners desire to have the said district designated by the name of SUCCOR CREEK IRRIGATION DISTRICT, and that the same be not divided into divisions, but that the entire district shall constitute one precinct for election purposes, and that the officers be elected at large therein.

7. That the boundaries of said proposed district are hereby set forth and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point where the state boundary line between the States of Idaho and Oregon intersects the midchannel of the Snake River between Lot 7 in Section 6, Township Twenty-two (22) South, Range Forty-seven (47) East, W. M., in the State of Oregon, and Lot 8 in Section 14, Township Four (4) North, Range Six (6) West, B. M., in the State of Idaho; thence south along said State line to a point where said State line intersects the East and West section line of Section 18, Township Twenty-three (23) South, Range Forty-seven (47) East, W. M., in Malheur County, Oregon; thence West to the Northwest corner of the NE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 (Lot 3) of Section 18; thence South to the southwest corner of the NE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 (Lot 3) of Section 18; thence West one-half mile to the northeast corner of the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 13, Township Twenty-three (23) South, Range Forty-six (46) East, W. M.; thence South one-fourth mile to the section line between sections 13 and 24; thence West along said section line one-half mile to the southeast corner of the SW 1/4 of said Section 13; thence North one-half mile to the northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of said Section 13; thence West one-half mile to the northeast corner of the NE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 14; thence North one mile to the East and West center line of Section 11, being a point at the northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of said Section 11; thence West on the center line of said Section 11 and Section 10, one mile to the northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 10; thence North one and one-fourth miles to the northeast corner of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 3; thence East one-half mile to the northeast corner of the SW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 2; thence South one-fourth mile to the center of Section 2; thence North one-fourth mile to the northeast corner of the SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of said Section 2; thence East one and one-fourth miles to the northeast corner of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 1, all in Township Twenty-three (23) South, Range Forty-six (46) East, W. M.; thence North one mile to the northeast corner of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 36, Township Twenty-two (22) South, Range Forty-six (46) East, W. M.; thence West three-fourths of a mile to the section line between sections 35 and 36; thence North one-fourth mile to the northeast corner of Section 35; thence West one mile to the northwest corner of Section 35; thence North one-half mile to the northeast corner of the quarter section corner on the East line of Section 27; thence West one mile to the quarter section corner on the West line of Section 27; thence North one and one-half miles to the northeast corner of Section 21; thence West one-half mile to the quarter section corner on the North section line of Section 21; thence North one-fourth

mile to the northwest corner of the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 16; thence East one-half mile to the section line between sections 15 and 16; thence North one-half mile along said section line to the northeast corner of the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 16; thence West one-half mile to the northwest corner of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 16; thence North one-fourth mile to the quarter section corner on the south line of Section 9; thence West one-fourth mile; thence North one-half mile; thence West one-fourth mile to the quarter section corner on the west line of Section 9; thence North on the section line one and one-half miles, more or less, to the northwest corner of Section 4, in Township Twenty-two (22) South, Range Forty-six (46) East; thence North one mile to the northwest corner of Section Thirty-three (33) in Township Twenty-one (21) South, Range Forty-six (46) East; thence East three-fourths of a mile to the southeast corner of the Southeast quarter (SW 1/4 SE 1/4) of Section Twenty-eight (28); thence North one-fourth mile to the northeast corner of the Southwest quarter (SW 1/4 SE 1/4) of Section Twenty-eight (28); thence East one-fourth mile to the East line of Section Twenty-eight (28); thence North one and three-fourths miles to the northwest corner of the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section Twenty (20); thence South one-half mile to the southwest corner of the SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 20; thence West along the east and west center line of sections 20 and 19 to the quarter section corner on the west line of Section 19, in Township Twenty-one (21) South, Range Forty-six (46) East, W. M.; thence West one and one-fourth miles to the northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 23, in Township Twenty-one (21) South, Range Forty-five (45) East; thence North three-fourths of a mile to the northeast corner of the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section Fourteen (14); thence West one-fourth mile to the North and South center line of Section 14; thence North one-fourth mile to the center of Section 14; thence West one-fourth mile to the northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of said Section 14; thence North three-fourths of a mile to the northeast corner of the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 11; thence West one-fourth mile to the section line on the West line of Section 11; thence North along the West line of Sections 11 and 2, to the northwest corner of the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 2; thence East one-fourth mile to the northeast corner of the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 2; thence North three-fourths of a mile more or less to the North line of Section 2; Township Twenty-one (21) South, Range Forty-five (45) East, W. M.; thence East along the North section line of Section 2, one-fourth of a mile to the quarter section corner on the north line of said Section 2; thence North one-fourth mile to the northwest corner of the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 35, in Township Twenty (20) South, Range Forty-five (45) East, W. M.; thence East one-fourth mile to a point at the northeast corner of the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of said Section 35, being the present boundary line of the Owyhee District; thence South one-fourth mile along said boundary line to the South section line of said Section 35, that being the township line between twps. 20 and 21; thence East on said twp. line one mile, to the northeast corner of Lot 2 in Section 1, Township Twenty-one (21) South, Range Forty-five (45) East, W. M.; thence South 2 1/2 miles along the present boundary line of said Owyhee Irrigation District to the northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 13, thence East on the center of Sections 13 T. 21 S., R. 45 E. and 18 T. 21 S., R. 46 E. one mile, to the northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 18, Township Twenty-one (21) South, Range Forty-six (46) East, W. M.; thence North one mile on the boundary of said Owyhee Irrigation District to the northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 7; thence West to the center of Section 7; thence North three-fourths of a mile to the northeast corner of the SE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 6; thence East one-fourth mile to the northeast corner of the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 6; thence North one-fourth mile to the northwest corner of the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 6; thence East on the center line of Sections 6 and 5, one mile, to the northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of said Section 5; thence South one and one-half miles, still following the boundary line of the said Owyhee Irrigation District to the South line of Section 8, being the northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 17; thence East to the northeast corner of said Section 17;

thence South one-fourth mile to the northeast corner of the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of said Section 17; thence East one mile to the northeast corner of the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 16; thence South one-fourth mile to the quarter section corner on the East line of Section 16; thence East one-half mile to the center of Section 16; thence South one and three-fourths miles to the northwest corner of Lot 2, in Section 27; thence West one-fourth mile to the northwest corner of the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 27; thence South, still following the boundary line of said Owyhee Irrigation District, three-fourths of a mile to the southeast corner of the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 27; thence West one-fourth mile to the southwest corner of Section 27; thence South one-half mile to the quarter section corner on the West line of Section 34; thence West one-fourth mile to the northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 33, in Township Twenty-one (21) South, Range Forty-six (46) East, W. M.; thence South, still following said boundary line one and three-fourths miles to the northeast corner of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 9, Township Twenty-two (22) South, Range Forty-six (46) East, W. M.; thence East one-fourth mile to the northeast corner of the SE 1/4 of Section 9; thence South along the East section line of Section 9 to the southeast corner thereof; thence East on the South line of Section 10, to the quarter section corner on the South line of Section 10; thence South one-fourth mile to the northeast corner of the SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 15; thence East one-fourth mile to the northeast corner of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 15; thence South three-fourths of a mile to the section line between sections 15 and 22; thence East one-half mile along said section line, extended, to the northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 23; thence South one-half mile to the southwest corner of the SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 23; thence West along the East and West center line of Section 23, to the quarter section corner on the West line of said section; thence South along the West line of Section 23, three-fourths of a mile to the northeast corner of the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 27; thence East one-half mile to the northeast corner of the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 27; thence East one-half mile to the northeast corner of the SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 26; thence North one-fourth mile to the quarter section corner on the North line of Section 26; thence East one-half mile to the northeast corner of Section 20; thence North one-fourth mile to the northeast corner of the SE 1/4 of Section 23; thence East one-fourth mile to the southeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 24; thence North three-fourths of a mile to the section line between Sections 24 and 13; thence East along said Section line one-half mile to the northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of said Section 24; thence North one-half mile to the Northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 13; thence East one-fourth mile to the quarter section corner on the East line of Section 13; thence North along the section line on the East side of Sections 13, 12 and 1, extended, to where said line intersects the midchannel of the Snake River; thence following the said midchannel of the Snake River up to the point of beginning.

Eugene D. Walker. Clifford R. Higgs. Jesse J. Beatty. Ferdinand L. Finkler. Maude L. Butler. Administratrix of Estate of Joshua L. Butler. Marian Lowe Quackenbush. A. J. Carpenter. Mrs. Schuett, executrix of the will of Henry Schuett, deceased. Clara J. Smith. D. MacLafferty. by J. P. Dunaway, agent. J. E. Clinton by H. D. Cockburn. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That we will present the foregoing petition to the said County Court for Malheur County, Oregon, at its Court Room in the Court House at Vale, said County and State, at the regular March Term of said Court on the 4th day of March, 1925, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, or as soon thereafter as the same can be heard, and will submit proof in support thereof, and apply for an order as prayed for in said petition. Dated this 28th day of January, 1925. Oscar F. Selle. May M. Pinney. J. W. Graff. S. J. Graff. Mary E. Rust. J. F. Reece. (Mrs. Sarah M. McMannis. (Mrs. H. H. McMannis. Chas. B. Purdy. Marguerite L. Purdy. Cecil D. Scott. James Elmer Eskow. Claude W. Eachus. Harry Jurgens. Eugene D. Walker. Clifford R. Higgs. Jesse J. Beatty. Ferdinand L. Finkler. Maude L. Butler. Administratrix of Estate of Joshua L. Butler. Marian Lowe Quackenbush. A. J. Carpenter. Mrs. Schuett, executrix of the will of Henry Schuett, deceased. Clara J. Smith. D. MacLafferty. by J. P. Dunaway, agent. J. E. Clinton by H. D. Cockburn.

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, executor of the estate of William W. Beam, deceased, has filed his final report and account with the county clerk of Malheur county, Oregon, in the matter of the said estate, and that the county judge of said county has set Monday, March 16, 1925, at 11 o'clock a. m., as the time, and the office of the county judge at Vale, Oregon, as the place for hearing the said final account and report. Notice is further given that all persons having objections to the said final account and report must file the same with the said court and cause or before the date of said hearing. JAMES C. BEAM, Executor of the Estate of William W. Beam, Deceased.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, Vale, Oregon, January 21, 1925. Notice is hereby given that Vicente Mendola of Nyssa, Oregon, who on February 2, 1924, made desert land entry No. 0332, for Lot 4 Section 18, Township 21 South, Range 46 East, Williams Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at Vale, Oregon, on the 3rd day of March, 1925. Claimant names as witnesses: T. M. Lowe, Fred Klingback, both of Nyssa, Oregon; Ed TenHave, Fred Sniveley, both of Adrian, Oregon. Geo. W. McKnight, Register.

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By S. E. Smutz

Easter is the Christian festival that marks the anniversary of the resurrection of Jesus Christ. It falls this year on April 12. Its earliest possible date is March 22. Its extreme dates may be as much as five weeks apart.

Excepting the special days which are associated with it, Easter is the only anniversary that does not occur at a fixed time and unless we are familiar with what is known as the Ecclesiastical Calendar we must be greatly puzzled on account of its wanderings. The reason is simply that it depends directly upon the monthly motion of the moon, while at the same time it is affected by the annual motion of the sun, its date being governed by the vernal equinox, which is the point in the year when the sun crosses the equator on its northward journey.

The rule for finding the date for Easter is that it must fall on the Sunday immediately following the first full moon, which occurs on or after the regular time of the vernal equinox, which is March 21. This year the full moon of the equinox, termed by church calendars the Paschal moon, falls on Wednesday, April 8, and the Sunday following, April 12, is Easter.

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PETITION IN THE COUNTY COURT FOR MALHEUR COUNTY, STATE OF OREGON.

In the Matter of the Organization of the SUCCOR CREEK IRRIGATION DISTRICT. To the Honorable H. LEE NOE, Judge of the above entitled Court.

We the undersigned petitioners respectfully show and represent: 1. That each of the petitioners herein is a bona fide owner of one acre or more of land situate within the boundaries of the proposed district as hereinafter set forth, and whose name appears on the last assessment roll; or is the holder of an uncompleted contract to purchase State lands; or is an entryman upon the public lands of the United States; or is otherwise qualified under the laws of Oregon to sign a petition for the organization of an irrigation district. 2. That the petitioners herein constitute a majority of the owners of land and qualified petitioners and electors owning lands within the boundaries of said proposed district as hereinafter set forth. 3. That the lands included within

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