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## IRRIGATED FARMS OFFER SUCCESS

REMARKABLY LARGE YIELDS  
PER ACRE AND GOOD  
PRICES ASSURED.

## NEED MORE GOOD FARMERS

Return of Agricultural Stability  
Means Bright Future for  
New Projects.

(From the Malheur Enterprise.)  
Malheur county offers success to farmers and prospective homeseekers. With its ideal climate, diversity of crops, bountiful yield per acre, and rich, fertile soil, Malheur claims to be one of the best farming sections in the country. Irrigation has wrought the change, and now rich fields replace the sagebrush plains of other days, where the land seemed but a dry, dusty stretch. There is an unlimited supply of water for farmers under the Warm Springs project. The reservoir now supplies only a few thousand acres, but as soon as the new laterals for the Vale, Oregon, irrigation district are constructed, it will irrigate another 30,000 acres.

**New Settlers Needed.**  
Vale and Malheur county offer excellent opportunities to settlers, to farmers who know their business. Even in the period of deflation, there were few failures among farmers who worked and refused to give up.

And now that agriculture is again a big paying proposition, every farmer here is making money. A

A girl's well-formed nose is always a scenter of attraction.

It takes a daring woman to wear a skirt reaching below the knees.

Loyal employees should always laugh heartily when the boss tells a stale joke.

Horses used to fear automobiles; now they shy at another horse hitched to a buggy.

If there isn't a "mystery witness" connected with it, it's not a real front-page crime.

Many who hold college degrees could easily go through life without its being suspected.

Some people spend so much time acquiring accomplishments that they never accomplish anything else.

Otto Kahn says former feminine apparel was atrocious and he approves what girls of today do not wear.

The tariff commission will investigate the onion industry, possibly without the aid of an expert "smelling committee."

The average life of printers has increased from 41 years in 1900 to 57 years at present, due to more sanitary shops and shorter hours.

It is announced from New York that Mr. Ziegfeld intends to push the blonde chorus girls into the back row. But the trouble will be to make 'em stay there.

You can talk all you please about balloon tires and four-wheel brakes but the most important automobile accessory yet discovered is a cool head at the steering wheel.

Washington recently had the hottest day in the history of the Weather Bureau, but so far as can be learned the Senate has not yet started to investigate and find out who was at the bottom of it.

A man who has just returned from Florida says that down there they are all talking of buying land in Maine.—Portland Express.

Another place where there is no peace is among the advocates of peace.—Columbus Dispatch.

A man in Chicago beat his wife for spoiling a bridge hand for him and the court gave the woman a divorce. This shows the danger of electing judges who don't know anything about bridge.

Wives are still sold in Persia and the prevailing price is 100 sheep per wife. We know a few fellows right in the United States who would be willing to sell out cheaper than this.

Miss Muriel Auld and Miss Dorothy Coward, British teachers, have been awarded traveling scholarships from the Walter Hines Page fund, founded in memory of the former ambassador from the United States to Great Britain, and will visit this country soon.

According to the U. S. Patent Office, most inventions by women are such as are used about the home, although some notable devices of a mechanical nature have been made by women.

The fellow who was giving the coal dealer cold looks last winter now growls every time the ice man steps on the back porch.

## OWYHEE

Bill Gruber is down from the hills this week visiting friends and expects to leave soon for Yakima, Wash., to work in the fruit.

Violet Whipple is helping Mrs. Ray Cantrall through the haying season.

Eva Everett of Ontario was calling on friends in Owyhee Sunday.

The Frank DeBord family were Sunday visitors in the Klingback home. Miss Evelyn DeBord will help with the work during Mrs. Klingback's absence.

Russell Beers of Creston was a week end guest of the Lowes.

Mrs. M. M. Greeling and Mrs. T. M. Lowe attended the board meeting of the P.-T. A. in Vale Saturday.

Doris Klingback was taken to the hospital in Ontario Sunday for treatment. Mrs. Klingback accompanied her.

Bernice Fenn, who underwent an operation at the hospital in Ontario, has recovered sufficiently to be moved to Nyssa.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Slater and sons Billy and James of Sacramento, Calif., were guests several days at the Lowe home this week. Mrs. Slater is a sister of Mrs. John Wall.

They are in the turkey raising business and report a sale of 1100 young turkeys at \$2.50 each.

settler can succeed in Malheur county, if he can anywhere. How could he do otherwise, when the fields produce abundantly, and when the farmers receive the present good market prices.

Mr. Macken, the thresher man from Ontario, began his work above town this week. He started on the Roy DeArmond place. Below town they are also threshing but no reports are available yet. The crops all look as good as wheat on the Stanfield ranch, which threshed nearly 70 bushels to the acre in the best fields.

## SIDELIGHTS

After an elaborate banquet in celebration of the consecration of a new Hungarian abbot at an ancient monastery near Viena, one monk died and all the rest, including the abbot, became violently ill. Monks blamed poison in the food; pious peasants considered it a visitation of divine wrath; others, more cynical, said "too much strong drink."

American girls who marry titles are sometimes disappointed to find that they got less than they bargained for. But Bebe Daniels, film star, became engaged to Charlie Paddock, famed American sprinter, only to learn later that he is a real knight, the order of knighthood having been conferred upon him by the king of Montenegro in Paris in 1919.

The Prince of Wales recently had a graceful reminder of his South American tour. While attending a civic reception at Hempstead, Eng., two young girls attending a local school stepped forward to greet him, and presented a pretty bouquet bearing the following note: "We, two sisters, one born at Buenos Aires and the other at Valparaiso (Chile), offer in the name of the school-girls of these two counties this small bouquet as a token to record the occasion of your visit to them."

Cardinal Casanova, primate of Spain, returning from the Eucharistic Congress in Chicago, was eagerly questioned regarding America by King Alfonso. The cardinal assured the king that he would receive a warm welcome in the United States, and the king again considers a visit to our shores. He ought to come and see what Columbus really discovered.

By a vote of nearly 7,000 American and foreign school children the 12 greatest men and women were declared to be Louis Pasteur, Abraham Lincoln, Christopher Columbus, George Washington, Benjamin Franklin, Woodrow Wilson, Florence Nightingale, Joan of Arc, Socrates, John Gutenberg, David Livingstone and George Stephenson.

A signature of Button Gwinett, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, recently sold for \$22,500 at a public auction. Now the state of Georgia claims that it was stolen from its archives in Atlanta, and seeks to recover it. Much ado about a scrap of paper.

Dartmouth College will have as a new course the study of comparative religions, which is not a particularly striking announcement in itself. But the unusual feature connected with the innovation is that the teacher will be Dr. S. L. Joshi, a native of India, and a graduate of a Mohammedan university. He is also a student of Columbia and Union Theological Seminary. He will teach the principles of Mohammedanism, Buddhism, Brahmanism, Judaism and other religions, including Christianity.

The government of Manitoba has offered \$2,000 in prizes in a crow killing contest, in which one point will be scored for each crow's egg and two points for each crow's leg delivered.

Estimate of alcohol consumed per capita by the people of Europe annually are: France, 17.51 liters; Spain 15.81; Italy, 13.78; Switzerland, 11.92; Belgium, 8.99; Great Britain, 6.23; and Germany, 2.71.

More than 13,000 Mexicans are employed in the Pittsburgh steel district.

For the first time in history Chinese prelates have been appointed bishops of the Catholic church, three such appointments have been made recently.

Nearly 250,000 appendicitis operations are performed in the United States each year.

Out of 6,500 textile workers in Knoxville, Tenn., only two are foreign born.

Linen wrappings found on some ancient Egyptian mummies is much finer than any linen produced today.

## ABOUT WOMEN

Queen Marie of Jugo-Slovakia has bobbed her hair, overruling the objections of King Alexander, and the society women of Belgrade are naturally following her example.

Mrs. Rose Elizabeth Smethers of London is one of the city's leading auctioneers, her specialty being the selling of second-hand furniture.

Mrs. Harriet R. Foote of Marblehead, Mass., has been engaged to superintend the laying out of a rose garden of 10,000 bushes for Henry Ford.

Miss Dorothy Knaggs, daughter of Lady Knaggs of London, an artist and designer employed by a large West End store, was presented as a debutante to King George and Queen Mary at Buckingham Palace.

Peggy Hopkins Joyce, the much married actress, has broken off her engagement to Sanford E. Comstock, wealthy real estate operator, who was scheduled to become her fifth husband.

Five mothers of Union veterans of the Civil War still live and draw pensions, the oldest being Mrs. Louisa Sheldon of Blanchester, O., aged 102.

Mme. Natasa Rozvalets is shortly to become Russian charge d'affairs at Athens, head of the Soviet legation in the Greek capital.

You can learn anything by mail nowadays except bootlegging.

## County Statistics

### Real Estate Transfers.

U. S. A. to John W. Chevalley-SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 20; S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 21; and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 28-28-46. 7-8-26.

U. S. A. to Thos. Worsham-S $\frac{1}{2}$  and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 15-13-41. 7-28-26.

U. S. A. to Clarence Sylvan Barber-SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  and S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 17; E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  and N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 21-13-41. 5-6-24.

U. S. A. to Clarence Sylvan Barber-SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 18; SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 17; NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 19; and W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 20-13-41. 5-6-24.

John T. Smith et ux to W. H. Davis-N $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 12-19-44. 7-2-28. \$10.00.

First National Bank of Bonners Ferry to J. M. McEwen et al-NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 34; NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  and N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 35; SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , and part of S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 26-25-38. 7-19-26. \$1.00.

H. W. Champneys, Trustee to Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco Lots 17 and 18, Block 44, Ontario. 7-21-26. \$10.00.

H. W. Champneys, Trustee to Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco-SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 34-25-44. 7-21-26. \$10.00.

E. A. Blair to Luella E. Blair-NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 5; Lots 2 and 3, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 4-17-47. 7-19-26. \$1.00. (Q. C. Deed).

I. M. McCarthy, Trustee, et al to Ethel Parks-Lot 1, Block 4, Pioneer Add. to Jordan Valley. 7-16-26. \$1,225.00.

U. S. A. to Wm. C. Tomlin-NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  and SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 8; N $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ , S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 17-23-41. 6-15-26.

Wm. C. Tomlin to Effie A. Tomlin-NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  and SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 8; N $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ , S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 17-23-41. 6-24-26. \$1.00.

### Complaints Filed in Court.

G. L. Phillips vs S. H. Ross. 8-2-26. Recovery on note. \$498.43.

C. F. Cox vs Wiley Frakes. 8-5-26. Appeal from Justice Court of Ontario.

Maranda Kelley vs Wm. H. Kelley. 8-5-26. Divorce.

Satisfactions of Chattel Mortgages A. A. Davis to M. M. Mitchell; First National Bank of Ontario to Wakorlig & Logan.

## COWS, HENS. POINT WAY TO PROFIT

### UNION PACIFIC OFFICIAL MAKES SURVEY IN EAST- ERN OREGON.

"There is no reason why Eastern Oregon, like some sections of Idaho and Western Oregon, should not be supplying its just share of dairy products for northwest consumption; accordingly, there is no reason why Eastern Oregon farmers—as dairymen—should not be reaping the large profits which would be made possible if Eastern Oregon did this. This applies to Malheur county, too." Thus spoke C. C. Gignoux, assistant supervisor of agriculture for the Union Pacific when he visited towns of this part of the state last week.

### Unsurpassed Dairy Section.

"The dairying possibilities of this section of the country are unsurpassed anywhere in the Northwest," said the railroad agriculturist.

"Regrettable though it is, Oregon has slipped from her former position in the amount of dairy products produced or manufactured here, during the last year or two. Twenty-two cars of Minnesota butter were shipped to and sold in the northwest in 1925, most of this being consumed in Oregon. It seems to me, therefore, that where the potential dairying possibilities are as great as here, your farmers are passing up a mighty big thing, especially when one considers how dairying has made other sections and other states prosperous. You heard of no banks going broke in Wisconsin. Of course not,—but there is a reason; Wisconsin's dairy projects are valued at 245 millions of dollars annually. The yearly value of Oregon's dairy products will not exceed two or three million dollars.

"Before Idaho farmers turned to dairy products, 82 Idaho banks were closed, largely because of insolvent

## LOCATE STRETCH ON CENTRAL OREG.

J. E. PECK AND SURVEYORS  
COMPLETE LOCATION FROM  
HERE TO HARPER

## HEAVY TRAVEL PROSPECT

Malheur County Folk Advocate  
Building Of New Route Short  
Cut From California

The location of the Central Oregon Highway from Burrell's Station near Vale to Harper, a distance of 15.6 miles, has been completed by J. E. Peck and a party of state engineers. On Thursday the location was viewed by H. G. Smith, division engineer of Baker.

No instructions have been received by Mr. Peck from the state highway commission, as to whether the road will be surveyed from Harper to Juntura this year, but work is expected by the first of the week.

### Proposed Route

The route proposed at the recent road meeting held in Burns when Governor Pierce, the state highway commission and delegations from Alturas, California, and Lakeview were present, would be a shortcut to California. The proposed route would run from Vale to Harper, Juntura, Drewsey and to Burns, from there to Lakeview and on to a connection with Alturas, California. It would join the Oregon Trail at Ontario and would offer a highway 500 miles shorter in length than any other route available from Yellowstone Park to San Francisco.

### Heavy Travel Prospect

At the meeting the California Automobile association declared its ability to route 50,000 tourist cars annually through Lakeview, Burns and Vale, as soon as even a fairly passable road was available. Others said that this travel would mean from \$250,000 to \$500,000 spent annually in towns along the route.

### Vale Wants Road.

There are many advocates of the new road in Vale and Malheur county. Many have expressed a strong desire for the definite location of the Central Oregon route so that work might be done as occasion permits without fear that the efforts would be lost through later changes. It is hoped that location work by Mr. Peck's party of engineers will go on immediately and that the road will be located to Juntura and through Harney county without interruption. Further action by the state highway commission is awaited with much interest in Vale.

farmer-clients. Not a bank has been closed since; and this shows to me the value of dairying and dairy products.

### Demand Large

"There is a big market, a tremendous demand all the time for dairy products. Many believe this thing of finding a market for their products a difficult, mysterious undertaking that only a Philadelphia lawyer would be competent to find. That is bosh! Sell me a pound of fine butter once and I'll know where to come for more. Your markets will always be on the increase.

### The Cow And Hen.

"Because their worth has been proved so many times, I never hesitate to recommend the cow and hen. It is mighty commendable foresight on the part of the farmer who surrounds himself with something which will assure him a good living, just as a sideline, and then goes in for making money from the rest of his farm.

"For instance, almost any good cow will earn for her owner about \$15 a month; and 200 to 400 hens will produce enough eggs and meat to support (through sale and consumption) the family. If the farmer raises a few good hogs and a number of sheep, with alfalfa for their feed, he will be independent in no time. Ten to fifteen good dairy cows could pay from \$150 to \$225 a month. Pigs could profitably run after the cows. Right now in particular, there is a big clamor for good hogs in large market centers. With the living made by the 400 hens, the revenue from the cows, hogs and sheep would soon make any rancher wealthy.

"Too many farmers lose money by staking their all on one thing. The effort should be diversified—the cow and the hen in the main. You can't beat dairying and poultry raising as a combination."