

WOODIN BROS. CO.



THE VERDICT OF SANTA

TO MY AGENTS AND LIEUTENANTS IN ADAMS COUNTY:

After a careful inspection of quality and study of prices, I find the best place to buy Strictly Reliable X-mas Gifts is at "The Fair." Those fellows seem to have got the Q on marking Holiday Gifts at prices that will sell them. In other words, they are selling Toys, Albums, Games, Toilet Sets, Etc., Etc., at about Calico Profits. You know wood's high and coal's high, and we have all got to figure close, and my advice to all Junior Santas is, Do just as I am going to do, "Buy at The Fair" and put the difference in fuel.

Respectfully, OLD SANTA.

YOU HAVE ONLY 15 DAYS LEFT to buy Holiday Gifts. These will be lively ones at this Store. We have increased our selling force so as to be able to wait on the additional customers promptly. Below we offer a list of suggestions of "WHAT TO BUY."

Ladies' List

Handkerchiefs—500 Dozen; price starts at 5c and up to \$1.
Sofa Pillows—29c to \$3.50.
Initial Silk Handkerchiefs—25c up to \$1.
Fancy Lace Collars and Belts.
Ladies Purses and Hand Satchels.
Exclusive Styles in Dress Patterns.
Fancy Waist Patterns.
Albums and Toilet Sets.
Beautiful Silk or Mulle Waists.
Golf Silk or Kid Gloves, 25c to \$1.75.
Pair Par Excellence Shoes, \$3.50 and \$4.
Pair Warm House Slippers.
Fur Scarfs and Capes, 98c to \$20.

For the Home

Fine Blankets—\$3.50 to \$10 per pair.
Fancy Bed Spreads at \$1.25 to 4.50.
Silkoline Comforts at \$1.89 to \$3.75 each.
Sheets and Pillow Cases.
Beautiful Table Linen at 50c to \$1.50 per yard.
Napkins at \$1 to 3.50 per dozen.
Floor Rugs in Moquet or Axminster.
Lace Curtains, \$1 pair to \$7.50.
Portiers at \$3.50 to \$6.50 per pair.

Gentlemen's List

Silk Initial Handkerchiefs. Neckties.
1 Doz. Arrow Brand Collars.
Fancy Shirts, \$1 to \$1.50.
Gloves and Suspenders.
Fancy Hose and Bath Robes.
Cuff Buttons and Arm Bands.
Fancy Slippers and Overshoes.
Pair Patent Leather Par Excellence Shoes.
Night Gowns and Hose Supporters.

Little Folks' List

DOLLS 1c to \$5. Some All Rubber, some that sleep and some that don't. Breakable and Unbreakable, Dressed and Undressed, Kid Bodies and other kind. 1000 Dolls to select from.
Games by the Hundreds. Magic Lanterns.
Toy Trunks. Toy Stores. Toy Safes.
Toy Engines. Hose Carts. Hook and Ladder Co.
Fire Engines. Drums. Harps.
Whistles. Tool Chests. Baby and Doll Carts.
Little Wagons, Etc. Etc.

THE FAIR

Extra Special Notice to the Ladies

Two Crates of Imported China for Christmas Gifts now on Sale. Fancy Cups, Plates, Water Sets, Sauce Dishes, Etc., Etc.

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THE FAIR

RITZVILLE, WASHINGTON

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A STORY WITH A MORAL.

The following, where a moral is clearly shown, is taken from an exchange: Recently a church congregation in a little Kansas town built a new church. To pay for it they were obliged to call upon the merchants of the community for donations. The merchants responded liberally and \$300 was raised from this source. The last man asked to subscribe was John Smith, a jeweler. "I will give you \$20 if you will let me add something to the subscription list," he said. The permission was accorded him, and he wrote at the foot of the list:

John Smith, jeweler.....\$20 00
Sears, Roebuck & Co.....00 00
Montgomery, Ward & Co.....00 00
The church people saw the point when the minister read from the pulpit the list of donors to the building fund, and since the dedication of the church there have been no mail orders sent out from that Kansas town.

Evidently the Hadley family is endowed with the judicial temperament, says the Tacoma News. Cassius C. Hadley has just been elected judge of the Indiana appellate court after serving several years as deputy attorney general. On the Indiana supreme court bench is John V. Hadley, now ably serving his second term. In the State of Washington is Judge Hadley, one of the able members of the supreme bench, and in the State of Missouri is Attorney General Hadley, who has been making it mighty interesting for Standard Oil. All these Hadleys are related, all were reared in Indiana and are all republicans.

Last week's Times contained a rather bitter attack on this paper because of what it called "a vicious attack and insidious insinuations" against the character of Mr. Spring and the Domann Drug Co. Of course, the whole item is a fabrication, pure and simple, and entirely unworthy of Mr. Pettijohn, if he wrote the article, which we much doubt. We did not in any way "attack" Mr. Spring, the Domann Drug Co., or any one else. We simply stated what, in our opinion, the public might expect from the candidates of the Republican party, and did not even mention the name of either Mr. Spring or Mr. Domann. We have nothing against either of these gentlemen and know nothing about either of them personally. We opposed Mr. Spring for treasurer simply because we were favorable to Mr. Kalkwarf and, unlike our friend Pettijohn, we have not yet learned how to be on both sides of the political fence at one and the same time. The article in the Times was wholly uncalled for, was not justified by the facts, and is to be deplored. While we had hoped to get along peaceably with the Times we must not be expected to submit to attacks of this or any other nature, and if our friend is really looking for a little "scrap" he can be accommodated.

Some amusing things were witnessed during the recent city campaign. For instance: we saw an elder of a church, a saloonkeeper and a city official all serving together on one of the committees. In another case we had a minister of the gospel, an ex-saloonkeeper and a business man all on the same election board. While all of them were good men, the question arises: Does politics really make strange bed-fellows, or have the lion and the lamb lain down together?

A recent dispatch from San Francisco states that the grand jury has returned five indictments against Mayor F. Schmitz and Abraham Ruef on the charges of extortion. On each charge the bail was fixed at \$10,000 and the bond at \$50,000. In the light of this fact the bold move of Ruef in attempting to seize upon the machinery of the courts a couple of weeks ago becomes even more striking than when originally announced.

The announcement that Governor Mead will make a thorough investigation of the 5,000 notaries public in this State commissioned by him is a move in the right direction. Some people think that all a notary public has to do is to affix his name and seal to a document and his duty is done. It is a public office, with prescribed duties to perform. Some notaries, it is said, connected with realty firms, have accepted identification over the telephone and signed acknowledgments without ever having seen the parties. Other irregular practices have been indulged in.

If Adams and Franklin counties are to be associated together in the creation, this winter, of a new judicial district to be composed of these two counties, the recent triumphant election of Hon. O. R. Holcomb as Mayor of Ritzville, will be a long step in the path that leads to the nomination for joint judge of the new district a year from next Summer. Always a formidable candidate for any office within the gift of the people of Adams county, if he makes "good" as mayor at a time like this our democratic friends could not keep the nomination away from him if they tried.

During the early part of election day a prominent churchman came into this office and said: "I believe you fellows are going to win out, because I am afraid some of our fellows are going to be too drunk to vote." But the results showed that they were not.

Another proof that Adams county is for ing to the front is evidenced by the fact that the fees collected by the county auditor during the month of November just past amounted to more than five hundred and twenty dollars.

Never Expose

Never expose your valuable papers to the dangers of loss, so long as we have safe-deposit boxes that will give you protection. Call and let us explain. GERMAN-AMERICAN STATE BANK.

I write fire insurance in the best companies in the U. S. List your farm with me. Money loaned on farm land. Prove up before me. Terms reasonable. J. L. Cross, Ritzville.

SUMMONS.

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington, in and for Adams county.
John W. Johnson, plaintiff, vs. William Dous defendant.
The State of Washington to the said William Dous, defendant, greeting:
You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days (60) after the date of the first publication of this summons, to wit: within sixty days after the 15th day of December, A. D. 1906, and defend the above entitled action in the above entitled court, and answer the complaint of plaintiff and serve a copy of your answer on the undersigned attorney for plaintiff at their office in Ritzville, Washington; and in case of your failure so to do judgment will be rendered against you according to the complaint which has been filed with the Clerk of said court.
The object of said action is to recover judgment against you upon a promissory note given by you to plaintiff on the 1st day of April, 1906, due six months after date, for \$36.40 together with interest thereon at 10 per cent per annum from date thereof until paid, and to recover a reasonable attorney's fee in and out of suit, and to subject your property which has been attached to sale to satisfy said judgment.
ZENT & LOVELL,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.
P. O. address, Ritzville, Washington 123-7

SUMMONS.

Wm. Frieske, Plaintiff, vs. Wm. Dous, Defendant.
The State of Washington to the said Wm. Dous, Defendant, greeting:
You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days (60) after the date of the first publication of this summons, to wit: within sixty days after the 15th day of December, 1906, and defend the above entitled action in the above entitled court, and answer to the complaint of plaintiff and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned attorney for plaintiff at their office below stated; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, which has been filed with the clerk of said court.
The object of this action is to secure judgment against the said Wm. Dous for the sum of \$42.00 and attorney's fees and costs of this action, for labor performed and services rendered, for goods sold and delivered and upon accounts which have been assigned to said plaintiff.
JOHN TRUXAX,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Postoffice address: Ritzville, Adams County, Washington. 123-07

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Spokane Falls, Washington, December 3, 1906.
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 S. D. Douglas, county clerk and clerk of the Superior court of Adams County at Ritzville, Washington, on February 6, 1907, viz: John J. Schmitz, who made homestead entry No. 13222, May 25, 1901, for the NW 1/4 section 26, township 21 N, range 36 E, W. M.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Frank Telaski, William Jones and Edward Finn, all of Wheatland, Wash., and Vernon Glascock of Harrington.

HAL J. COLE, Register.

Wheat Lands

Both improved and unimproved. With small cash payments down we can give the balance on crop payment plan.
Think of this! 320 acres improved, 160 in wheat, up nice, price \$8300—\$2500 cash, balance crop plan. Write for particulars.
A. O. LEE, Cunningham, Wash.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Medical Lake State Bank, a corporation Plaintiff, vs. Gottlieb Fischer and Katie Fischer, his wife, Defendants.
In the Superior Court of the State of Washington, for Adams County.
Under and by virtue of decree and order of sale issued out of and under the seal of the Superior Court of the State of Washington, holding term at Ritzville, in and for said county on the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1906, upon a judgment rendered in said court on the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1906, in favor of Medical Lake State Bank, a corporation, and against Gottlieb Fischer and Katie Fischer, his wife, for the sum of Seven hundred and eighty-eight (88) Dollars, together with attorney's fees, interest, costs and increased costs, and to me directed and delivered commanding me to sell the following described property to satisfy said judgment, to-wit: All of lots one and two (1 and 2) and the northeasterly one-half (1/2) of lot three (3), in block ten (10), and all of lots six, seven, eight, nine and ten (6, 7, 8, 9, 10), in Adams County Land Company's addition to the Town of Ritzville, Adams County, Washington.
Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 5th day of January, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon or said day, I will sell the above described property or so much thereof as may be necessary, to satisfy said judgment, together with attorney's fees, in and out of suit, and increased costs, in all amounting to Nine Hundred and Forty (940) Dollars.
Said sale will take place at the front door of the court house at Ritzville, in said County and State and will be at public auction, to cash in hand paid to the highest and best bidder.
Dated at Ritzville, Wash., this third day of December, A. D. 1906.
EDGAR D. GILSON, Sheriff.
ZENT & LOVELL, Attorneys for Plaintiff. (123-07)

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Spokane Falls, Wash., October 8, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 8, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, JACOB HARDEK of Kalihous County of Franklin, State of Washington, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1208 for the purchase of sec. 14, section 14, township 19 N range 37 E W. M. and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before J. L. Cross, U. S. Commissioner for eastern district of Washington, at Ritzville, Wash., or Friday, the 4th day of January, 1907.

He names as witnesses: John J. Kautz, Joseph Silva and John Bodin of Ritzville, Wash., and Joseph Tavers, of Sprague, Wash. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said day of January, 1907.
HAL J. COLE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Spokane Falls, Wash., Oct 25, 1906.
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 J. L. Cross, U. S. Commissioner for eastern district of Washington, at Ritzville, Wash., on January 3, 1907, viz: WILLIAM W. EDWARDS, who made Homestead Entry No. 13230, on March 2, 1901, for the NW 1/4, sec 14, T. 19 N., R. 37 E., W. M., section 26, township 19 N, range 37 E W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz: Daniel O. Myers, Joseph Ingram and Henry Sorenson of Lantz, Wash., and Frank Bengo, of Washnucna, Wash.
HAL J. COLE, Register.

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION.

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington, in and for Adams county.
Frank McKellips and Lillie E. McKellips, his wife, Plaintiffs, vs. Jane A. Bigham, Robert E. Bigham, Alford Bigham Allen Bigham, Lillian Bigham, and also all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, estate, lien, or interest in the real estate described in the complaint herein, Defendants.
The State of Washington to all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien, or interest in the real estate described in the complaint herein, Defendants: You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the date of the first publication of this summons, to wit: within sixty days after the 9th day of November, 1906, and defend the above entitled action in the above entitled court, and answer the complaint of plaintiff and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned attorneys for plaintiff at their office below stated, in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, which has been filed with the Clerk of said Court.
The object of said action is to remove a cloud upon plaintiff's title in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: Section 18, Township 18 North, Range 37 West, E. 1/4, W. M., containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres more or less, which cloud was cast upon plaintiff's title by inadvertence and the mutual mistake of the parties.
ZENT & LOVELL,
Attorneys for Plaintiffs.
P. O. Address, Ritzville, Washington.

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Department of the Interior, Land Office at Spokane Falls, Wash., October 25, 1906.
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 J. L. Cross, U. S. Commissioner for eastern district of Washington, at Ritzville, Wash., on January 3, 1907, viz: GLENN STRATTON, who made Homestead application No. 1707, July 18, 1905, for the E 1/2 of sec. 14, T. 19 N., R. 37 E., W. M., township 19 N range 36 E W. M.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Rufus Bonnis and Willis O. Reed, of Lemhi, Wash., Arthur Hunt, of Paha, W. and Verne W. Foshey, of Leon, Wash.
HAL J. COLE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Spokane Falls, Wash., October 31, 1906.
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 J. L. Cross, United States Commissioner for the Eastern District of Washington, at Ritzville, Washington on December 10, 1906, viz: James Edward Elkins, who made homestead entry No. 1721 - October 9, 1905, for the NW 1/4, sec. 14, T. 19 N., R. 37 E., W. M., township 19 N, range 36 E W. M.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Ludwig A. Weissandt, John W. Wilson, Alonzo H. Smith and S. Leroy Wells, all of Ritzville, Washington.
HAL J. COLE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Spokane, Wash., October 19, 1906.
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 Geo. F. Christensen, County Clerk and Clerk of the Superior Court of Adams county, at Ritzville, Washington, on December 4, 1906, viz: THOMAS A. BILLS, who made Homestead Entry No. 16197, April 8, 1904, for the NW 1/4 section 26, township 19 N, range 37 E, W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Earl Etter, Mary A. Murry, Robert J. Bills and Joe Hallett, of Ritzville, Wash.
HAL J. COLE, Register.