

## Williston Graphic

By John A. Corbett

THURSDAY JUNE 27, 1912.

### LAND OFFICE

Circular No. 117—Act approved April 30, 1912—offerings at public sale of isolated tracts of coal land.

Department of the Interior, General Land Office, Washington, May 23, 1912. Registers and Receivers, United States Land Offices,

Gentlemen: The act of congress approved April 30, 1912, public 141, provides:

That \* \* \* unreserved public lands of the United States, exclusive of Alaska, which have been withdrawn or classified as coal lands, or are valuable for coal, shall \* \* \* be subject \* \* \* to disposition \* \* \* under the laws providing for the sale of isolated or disconnected tracts of public lands, but there shall be a reservation to the United States of the coal in such lands so \* \* \* sold, and of the right to prospect for, mine, and remove the same in accordance with the provisions of the act of June twenty-second nineteen hundred and ten, and such lands shall be subject to all the conditions and limitations of said act.

The instructions of January 19, 1912 and April 30, 1912, issued under amended section 2455, Revised Statutes, should be followed in administering this act, in so far they are applicable, and these instructions are issued in addition thereto:

(1) An application to have coal land offered at public sale must bear across its face the notation provided by paragraph 7 (a) of the circular of September 8, 1910, 39 L. D., 179; in the printed and posted notice of sale will appear the statement:

This land will be sold in accordance with, and subject to, the provisions and reservations of the act of June 22, 1910 (36 Stat., 583.)

The purchaser's consent to the reservation of the coal in the land to the United States will not be required, but the cash certificate and patent will contain, respectively, the provisions specified in paragraph 7(b) of said circular of September 8, 1910.

(2) In cases where offerings have been had, and sales made, of lands coming within the purview of the act of April 30, 1912, the purchasers may furnish their consent to receive patents, containing the limitation provided by said paragraph 7(b), and, thereupon, the entries may be confirmed and patents, limited as indicated, may issue.

Very respectfully,  
Fred Dennett,  
Commissioner.

Approved, Samuel Adams, first assistant secretary.

### NOTICE FOR BIDS

Pherrin Twp. 155, Rge 100—1009 yards of dirt to be removed on township road along west side of section 19 Twp. 155, Rge 100. 350 yards of dirt to be moved between sections 27 and 34 Twp. 155, Rge. 100. For specifications call at clerk's office, H. D. Brokaw, Twp. Clerk of Pherrin Twp., on the nw 1-4 of sec. 27. Bids to be opened July 9th, 1912 7 p. m. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. H. D. Brokaw, Twp. Clerk of Pherrin Twp. on the NW 1-4 of sec. 27. 1-2t.

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**BIDS FOR BRIDGE STEEL.**  
Sealed bids for the furnishing of the following for bridge construction will be received at the office of the County Auditor of Williams county, N. D., at the Court House in the City of Williston, N. D., up to the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., on the 20th day of July A. D. 1912.

6 pieces, 30 foot, 15 inch 1 beams.  
6 pieces, 30 foot, 15 channels.  
8 rail posts, 1 1-2 x 1 1-2 L 4 1-2 feet high.

4 hand and guard rails 32 feet long 1 1-2 x 1 1-2 Ls.

Channels, rail posts and rails to be drilled for bolting, and bolts furnished for same.

12 pieces 20 feet, 10 inch Ls.

4 pieces 20 feet, 10 inch channels.

16 rail posts same as above, with 8 guard and hand rails 22 feet long.

All channels and guard rails and rail posts drilled for bolting and bolts for same.

Price to be F. O. B. Williston, N. D. A certified check in the amount of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) to accompany bids.

The board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

4t. M. H. Aaen, County Auditor.

**BIDS FOR STEEL CULVERTS.**

Sealed bids for furnishing metal culverts to Williams county, N. D., will be received by the County Auditor, at his office in the Court House in Williston, N. D., up to the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., on the 20th day of July A. D. 1912.

Said culverts to be in car load lots F. O. B. Williston, N. D., and to be in sizes from 24 feet to 60 feet inclusive.

Certified check in the amount of one hundred dollars to accompany bids.

The Board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

4t. M. H. Aaen, County Auditor.

**BIDS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF BRIDGES**

By order of the Board of County Commissioners sealed bids will be received at the office of the County Auditor of Williams county, N. D., up to the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., of the 20th day of July A. D. 1912 for the construction of bridges as follows:

One bridge across the Eight Mile Creek at the point where bridge was washed out near Burgess school house. This bridge to be rebuilt with new abutments and to be made a 30 foot span.

All material to be furnished by the county and all labor for construction, all hauling, and the sand used in concrete work furnished by the contractor. Material at Williston, N. D.

One similar bridge across Black Tail Creek where it intersects the section line between sections 1 and 2, Twp. 157, Range 102 W.

This bridge to be an 18 foot span and the steel for same to be obtained from the bridge above mentioned at Burgess.

All other material to be furnished at Williston, N. D., by the county.

A second bridge across Black Tail Creek where it intersects the section line between sections 14 and 23, Twp. 157, Rge. 101 W. This bridge to be 20 foot long and all material furnished at Williston, N. D., by the county.

One bridge to be rebuilt at the point of Cow Creek Twp. 156, Rge. 102 W., where same was washed out by the recent rains.

Such material as remains on the ground to be used and such as is needed to complete the bridge to be furnished by Williams county, N. D., at Williston. Abutments to be raised 2 feet and bridge to be completed according to plans and specifications on file in the County Auditor's office.

One bridge across Cow Creek where it intersects the Range line between Ranges 100 and 101 W., bridge to be 20 feet long and material furnished at Williston, N. D., by the county.

Information may be secured from the County Surveyor at his office in Williston, N. D. Plans and specifications on file in the office of the County Auditor after June 24, 1912.

The bid for construction must be accompanied by a certified check in an amount equal to 20 per cent of the bid.

The board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

4t. M. H. Aaen, County Auditor.

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS FOR BRIDGES**

By order of the board of County Commissioners sealed bids will be received at the office of the County Auditor of Williams county, N. D., at the Court House in the City of Williston up to the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., of the 20th day of July A. D. 1912, for the construction of the following steel bridges:

One steel bridge, 25 foot span, with two approaches, 16 feet long across Beaver Creek near the Hofflund post office, bridge to be 18 feet above the present water level.

One steel bridge about 1 1-2 miles northwest of the Hofflund postoffice where the Beaver Creek intersects the section line between sections 8 and 9, Twp. 154, Range 96 W., with 20 foot span and two 16 foot approaches, 14 feet above water level.

One steel bridge across Beaver Creek where it intersects the township line Tp. 154 and 155 Rge. 96 W 20 foot span. Concrete abutments 14 feet above water level and to a depth to secure good footing.

One steel bridge across Dry Fork Creek where it intersects the range line between ranges 95 and 96, 20 foot span and concrete abutments.

One steel bridge where the Painted Woods Creek intersects the section line between sections 6 and 7, Twp. 154, Rge. 101 W., to be 30 foot span

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with two 20 foot approaches, 14 feet above water level.

One steel bridge at the point where the Little Muddy Creek intersects the section line between sections 18 and 19, Twp. 156, Rge. 100 W., to be 30 foot span with 20 foot approaches, 14 feet above water level.

Bidders to furnish plans and specifications with their tender and all bids to be accompanied by a certified check in an amount equal of at least 20 per cent of their bid.

Time of completion a consideration in awarding bids and payment for contract to be in County Warrants on the Bridge Fund of the county.

Full information furnished on application to the County Surveyor in his office at the Court House in Williston, N. D.

The board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

4t. M. H. Aaen, County Auditor.

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS FOR ROAD GRADE**

By order of the board of County Commissioners sealed bids will be received at the office of the County Auditor of Williams county, N. D., in the Court House at Williston up to the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., of the 20th day of July A. D. 1912 for the labor necessary for the construction of grades at the following described places:

Grade on range line between Ranges 100 and 101 Twp. 155 N. at the several places designated by the County Surveyor and in amounts shown by grade stakes set by him. The several grades totalling approximately 10,000 cubic yards.

A grade over the Railroad on the range line between Ranges 102 and 103 W., and also a grade on same line about 1-2 mile south of railroad track, said grades totalling about 1200 cubic

yards more or less.

Approaches to Sand Creek bridge two miles NW of Williston, grades totalling about 1500 yards more or less.

Approaches to bridge over Cow Creek on range line between Ranges 101 and 102 W., grades totalling about 20,000 cubic yards more or less.

Grade over bridge at W. W. Wilde's place between sections 6 and 7, Twp. 154, Rge. 102 W., totalling about 20,000 cubic yards more or less.

Grade over bridge across Beaver Creek at Hofflund post office, totalling about 1200 cubic yards more or less.

Grade over bridge across Beaver Creek 1 1-2 miles northwest of Hofflund postoffice, totalling 1500 cubic yards more or less.

Grade where the same crosses the Range line between Townships 154 and 155 N., totalling 1500 cubic yards more or less.

Grade at Sand Creek on section line between sections 3 and 17, Twp. 154 N., Rge 101 W., totalling about 1500 cubic yards more or less.

Approaches to bridge over Little Muddy Creek on section line between sections 19 and 30, Twp. 156 N., Rge. 100 W.

Grade on township line between Hardacre and Buford townships, totalling 500 yards more or less.

All earth to be removed in accordance to grade stakes set by the County Surveyor.

Full information relative to grades furnished by the County Surveyor at his office in the Court House in Williston, N. D.

All bids are to be accompanied by a certified check in an amount equal to 20 per cent of the bid.

The Board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject and all bids.

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So many of our customers have asked to see the Rock Island Universal Plow in action, that we have arranged to give a public plowing exhibition with this famous plow.

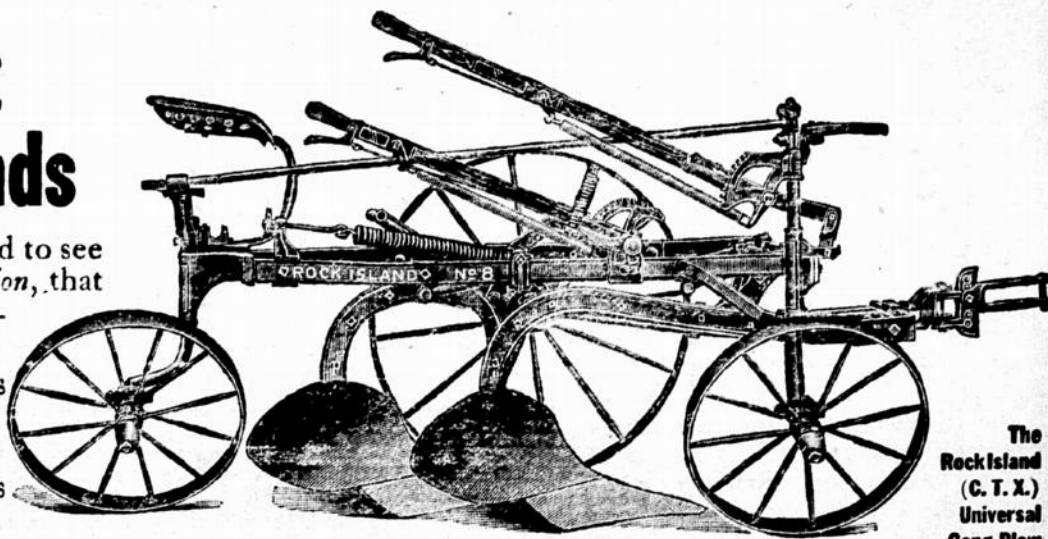
We urge every man and boy in this section of the state, who is interested in farming, to be present at the Exhibition.

We want you to see with your own eyes how a real, all-purpose plow performs.

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The Rock Island (C. T. X.) Universal Gang Plow

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Save the rain that falls. When you plow, see that each slice turns over smooth and flat without crimping. Then the top

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### Remember the Place and Date

Keep the place and date of the Plowing Exhibition in mind. Come, bring your friends and enjoy yourself.

**BOE BROTHERS**  
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