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- 4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS. 4:15—Haven of Rest, MBS. 4:45—Tea Time Dance. 5:00—Leonard Keller's Orchestra, MBS. 5:20—Shums Cost You Money. 5:45—Little Orphan Annie, Oval-tine, MBS. 6:00—Tonight's Tune. 6:05—News, Calif. Pacific Utili-ties. 6:10—News-Review News Flashes. 6:15—Dinner Dance. 6:30—John B. Hughes, Avalon Cigarettes, MBS. 6:45—Salon Serenade. 7:00—Raymond Gram Swing, MBS. 7:15—Mutual Maestros. 7:30—Loose Ranger, MBS. 8:00—Paganant of Melody, MBS. 8:15—Alvin Roy's Orchestra. 8:30—Music by Faith, MBS. 9:00—Alka Seltzer News, MBS. 9:15—Everett Hoaglund's Orches-tra, MBS. 9:30—Phil Harris' Orchestra, MBS. 9:45—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS. 10:00—Sign Off.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22

- 7:00—Stuff and Nonsense. 7:30—News-Review of the Air. 7:40—News, Gilmore Corner. 7:45—Rhapsody in Wax. 8:15—Breakfast Club, MBS. 8:30—Keep Fit to Music, MBS. 8:45—Medical Information Bu-tin, MBS. 9:00—Man About Town. 9:15—Chas. Freshwater's Band, MBS. 9:30—Ma Perkins, Proctor and Gamble, MBS. 9:45—Carters of Elm Street, Oval-tine, MBS. 10:00—Varieties. 10:15—Happy Gang, MBS. 10:30—Piano Impromptu, MBS. my, Copco. 10:45—Adventures of Uncle Jim-ley, Nat'l. Commander of the American Legion, MBS. 11:00—Address by Raymond Kel-ley, MBS. 11:20—School of the Air, MBS. 11:45—Symphony. 12:00—Lunchbox Dance. 12:15—Rhythm at Rahdom. 12:45—News, Safeway Stores. 12:50—News-Review of the Air. 1:00—Hennings's Man on the Street. 1:15—Don Lee School of the Air, MBS. 1:30—The Quiet Hour. 2:00—Promet Edward Ballader of France, MBS. 2:15—American Family Robin-son. 2:30—Johnson Family, MBS. 2:45—American Legion News-Cas-tage, MBS. 3:30—Comedy By, MBS. 3:40—Herbie Kay's Orch., MBS. 4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS. 4:15—Haven of Rest, MBS. 4:45—Tea Time Dance. 5:00—Story of American Diplo-macy, MBS. 5:30—Varieties. 5:45—Little Orphan Annie, Oval-tine, MBS. 6:05—News, Calif. Pacific Utili-ties Co. 6:10—Review News Flashes. 6:30—John B. Hughes, MBS. 6:45—Dinner Dance. 6:55—Let's Dance. 7:00—Jorry Livingston's Orch., MBS. 7:15—Mutual Maestros. 7:30—The Shadow, MBS. 8:00—Mevino Rey's Orch., MBS. 8:30—Frank Gamba's Orch., MBS. 8:45—Twilight Trails, Avalon Cig-arettes, MBS. 9:00—Alka Seltzer News, MBS. 9:15—Jim Walsh's Orch., MBS. 9:30—Freddy Berren's Orch., MBS. 9:45—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS. 10:00—Sign Off.

Depression years brought a notable increase in the number of peddlers.

The result was an invasion on housewives, whose daily routines became punctuated with frequent knocks on the door.

The vendors themselves, in most cases, will be responsible for any actions taken against them.

Exports of scrap iron to Japan during 1939 exceeded 2,000,000 tons—the highest in history—the American committee for non-participation in Japanese aggression reported after a recent analysis of figures released by the U. S. department of commerce.

The committee said its studies indicated that the United States furnished 90 per cent of Japan's scrap iron last year, and that Jap-

an had come to rely on this country almost completely to furnish this basic war commodity.

If these figures are accurate, this condition demands further study. The Japanese aggression is as ruthless as that of Russian against Finland. If we are going to help the Finns in their defense, we are scarcely consistent when we throw up a barrier against the Chinese.

Editorials on News (Continued from page 1.)

be able to get plenty of hats with LESS LABOR and SHORTER HOURS.

At this point a question: When you have to make two hats in order to get one shirt, what do you do? The answer is absurdly simple. You GET ALONG WITH FEWER SHIRTS.

When you begin to get along with fewer shirts, trade between you and your neighbor gets out of balance.

WHEN trade gets out of balance we have hard times. We say we have hard times because prices fall. That isn't true. We have hard times because prices FALL UNEQUALLY. When prices fall unequally, some of us get too much in the exchange and some of us get too little. Those of us who get too little begin to DO WITH-OUT.

When somebody begins to do without, the free flow of trade is interrupted and surpluses begin to pile up.

WHAT shall we do about it? We MIGHT try repealing the laws that enable some of us to get too much in return for what we give. The statute books are crammed with such laws.

Committees For Rotary Announced

Committee appointments for the Roseburg Rotary club for the year 1940 were announced last night by Bruce A. Mellis, president.

The Rotary officers are Mr. Mellis, president; Carlos Page, vice-president; Story Hee, secretary; Charles W. Wharton, treasurer; Victor Mirelli, sergeant-at-arms; Victor Mirelli, Clarence Simmer, William Alair, directors.

Committee appointments were announced as follows: Aims and Objects—Dexter Rice, Ernest Urath Story Hee, Jack Stiniger, Vernon Orr.

Club Service—Vernon Orr, Sam Showman, Carlos Page, Charles Wharton, Wm. Alair.

Vocational Service—Dr. A. N. Johnson, Jack Harding, Charles Mirelli, Ray Hampton.

Community Service—Clarence Simmer, Charles Wharton, Wm. Urath, Herman Anhalt, A. J. Geph-ard.

International Service—Harold Ellsworth, Bruce A. Mellis.

Boys' Work and Youth—Wm. Urath, Bob Hill, Dick Preston and student Rotarian.

Crippled Children—Dr. Johnson, Dick Preston, Jack Stiniger.

Rural and Urban Acquaintance—Jack Preston, John Barney, Music—Carlos Page, Clorinda Anderson, A. J. Gephard, Clorinda Arnold.

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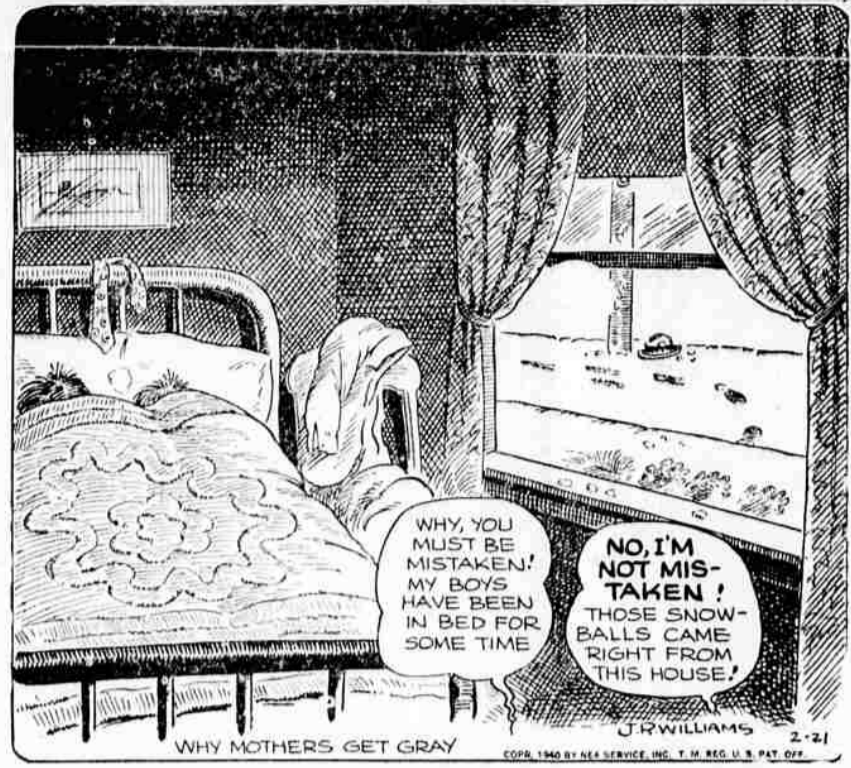
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OUT OUR WAY



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

Mrs. James Roosevelt Hits Back in Divorce Action

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Betty Cushing Roosevelt, wife of the president's oldest son, James, has joined her movie-producer husband in seeking a divorce.

Through Attorney Neil S. McCarthy, Mrs. Roosevelt late yesterday filed a cross-complaint to her husband's action of last week, asking a decree on grounds of desertion and cruelty. His complaint accused her of deserting him.

Neither suit mentions custody of their two children, Sara Delano, 7, and Kate, 4, but Mrs. Roosevelt's attorney, in a statement issued in New York last week, said they would remain with her.

Her action embodied a plea that a property settlement already executed be approved. The agreement was not announced. She categorically denied her husband's desertion charge.

Despondent Youth, 14, Kills Self With Rifle

YAKIMA, Wash., Feb. 21.—(AP)—Promising the death of James Lee Doyle, 14, as probable suicide, Deputy Prosecutor Herman Poulton today sought to discover reasons for the boy's act.

The boy's body was found yesterday near the barnhouse where, a week ago, the lad had borrowed a rifle with the excuse he was going rabbit hunting with a chum.

Poulton says powder marks on the boy's shirt indicate the gun was held against his breast and fired and the bullet going through his heart.

Doyle had been despondent on account of heart weakness and a critical illness of a chum.

Big Industries Get Bonneville Power

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Government officials here said today two contracts entered into by the Bonneville power administrator at Portland, Ore., bore out President Roosevelt's forecast that new industry would move to the vast power sources of the northwest.

The Sierra Iron company of Nevada, government spokesmen said, will market its product on the Pacific coast. They added there would be a financial advantage in the saving of transcontinental shipping rates and in the cheaper cost of electric power compared with the cost of coke used in eastern blast furnaces.

Officials here said they believed the two contracts would be followed by others which would result in development of all the industrial potentialities of the Pacific coast area.

Construction of the Vancouver Steel and Iron plant is to be supervised by D. S. Hawkins, vice-president of the Sierra company. Albert E. Green, treasurer, is to supervise installation of the electric furnaces.

Leke said the process to be used by the iron company involved the electric smelting of ore to be obtained from iron deposits in the vicinity of Seapooone, Ore. Some ore will be shipped from Shasta county in California. The electric smelting process will use coal from the Chehalis, Wash., coal field, and use Pacific northwest limestone.

Lewis Niso, the naval architect, who designed series of fighting ships, was once a Tammany political leader in New York.

Letters to the Editor

SINGLE NAME ON SCHOOL BALLOT IS EXPLAINED

Roseburg, Ore., Feb. 11, 1940. Editor News-Review:

There seems to be some dissatisfaction among the voters over the special school election held February 11. Most of the confusion centers on the ballot, which carried the name of only one candidate.

This naturally gave him an advantage over any other party who desired to run but whose name did not appear on the ballot. This is no fault of the school board or the successful candidate as a notice of the special election and the rules governing it were printed on the front page of the Southern Star on two occasions. Candidates are required to file a nominating petition with the district clerk at least five days prior to an election, and as only one man complied with the terms of the election, the ballot should be easily understood.

The annual school election will be held next June, and as all the voters will probably be familiar with election procedure by then they can elect his new directors without any further. Very truly yours,

JOHN F. MUSHGROVE, Chairman J. W. CLAVAR, Director

OFFERS PROGRAM FOR CURING ILLS OF WORLD

Editor News-Review: What is wrong? Not many people know just what is wrong.

The trouble is progress has been so fast we haven't been able to keep up. Why not somebody who is capable start a world movement to correct the ills of the world. We the American people stand for equality, justice and freedom. A few hot

First, the labor problem. I believe in organized labor. A complete organization based on equality and justice. I want by this all workers belong to one union. That work be divided equal among all workers. As it is some have jobs and some not any.

Second, our security. We should form a new international movement to outlaw war.

Third, a set of just international laws. Form a super power supported by all nations. Make it unlawful for any nation to arm more than is needed for internal defense. Call a world conference. Make a complete world settlement in regards boundaries and dis-

School Land Law At Issue in Suit

Oregon Joins Oil Companies in Court Fight Created By Interior Dept. Ruling.

SALEM, Ore., Feb. 21.—(UP)—When congress, in the act that admitted Oregon into the Union, turned over certain lands to the state for the support of schools it endowed every administration since 1859 with a bad headache.

The act provided that sections 16 and 36 of every township of public land should be set aside for public school purposes and an additional 72 sections should be used for the support of a state university.

However, though no mention is made of it in the original turnover, it developed that the state did not receive unchallenged title to the land until the original surveys disclosed whether or not the lands contained minerals.

In the event that the surveys showed the lands were of mineral value the original sections were to be exchanged for sections with no known mineral content. After the original survey in which mineral values were not shown, the state assumed that the title was clear even though the presence of mineral wealth appeared later.

Ruling Upsets Idea A recent ruling by Secretary of the Interior Ickes regarding oil lands of the Standard Oil company of California has apparently upset this assumption.

Ickes overruled the company's assertion that the lands from which it had been taking oil for several years, which were among California's school lands, showed no mineral content at the time of the original surveys, clearly belonged to the state before it sold or leased them. The secretary of the interior said the company must pay the federal government for the oil it had taken from the land and the United States supreme court test on the validity of his decision.

Oregon Joins in Fight Oregon's state land board, growing gray from worry about administration of what is left of the original school lands (1,177,114 acres of common school land and 7,586 acres of university land) heard the oil company's attorney explain the situation and decided to join them in their high court fight.

The issue clouds the whole school land ownership problem, according to some observers, and only a favorable high court verdict would make the states feel certain of uncontested ownership. Others maintain that the whole issue has come up before the title is clear despite the ruling by the interior department.

New Program Offered Meanwhile the land board has launched a three-point program designed to make the lands a bit more profitable and less of an administrative problem. Land boards for years have been attempting to do the same thing, chiefly through blocking, but have failed to get blocked themselves.

The new program: 1. Trade school lands within existing grazing district for lands outside the districts which can be readily sold or are of rental value, the rentals to go into the common school fund.

Lease such lands as can not be quickly sold to the federal government with the understanding that blocking and trading can continue even while the lease is in force.

Put blocked lands out for lease, the rental to be based on the grazing capacity per acre. The leases of those newly blocked parcels would be subject to revision after five years.

Oregon Employers Assn. Elects New Officers

CORVALLIS, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Reynolds Allen, Salem, was elected general chairman of the Associated Employers of Oregon at the closing session of the third annual convention.

Allen succeeds Gilbert O. Madison, Salem, who was named to the executive board.

Others elected include T. A. Wineshar, Salem, secretary-treasurer, and E. L. Lee, Eugene; Earl Shank, Hood River, and C. H. Woodcock, Corvallis, executive board members.

Those re-elected to the executive board include Carl Hogg, Oregon City; Ed. Henderson, Grants Pass; R. E. Dunham, Marshfield; J. T. Shelton, Pendleton; C. W. Barick, Tillamook; and Ralph Wilkie, Peed.

A resolution commending the Dies committee investigating un-American activities was adopted.

Killer of Unidentified Woman Object of Search

RELIWOOD CITY, Cal., Feb. 21.—(AP)—Tire tracks of a large automobile were authorities there only clue today to the killer of an unidentified woman, found dead in a "petting party" section near hills.

In spite of a careful examination of her body, the exact cause of the woman's death was unknown.

She received a bullet in the head and a kick in the stomach, either of which could have killed her.

Oldest Practicing Doctor in America Dies at 105

BETHEL, O., Feb. 20.—(AP)—Dr. William Eberle Thompson, known as the nation's oldest practicing physician, died today. He would have been 105 years old July 6.

Born and reared in this village 20 miles east of Cincinnati Dr. Thompson resided here all his life, content in the simple but arduous role of "country doctor."

DAILY DEVOTIONS

DR. CHAS. A. EDWARDS The world is recognizing the necessity for spiritual armament if permanent peace is to be achieved. Today men are searching for that which will save the world from sinking further into darkness and despair; they are seeking a formula that will deliver them from constantly recurring misunderstandings, hatreds and unnecessary hardships and suffering. Strangely enough, after nearly twenty centuries of Christianity among men, many are turning their attention to various systems of thought in their effort to find a remedy for the world's troubles, evidently forgetting that Christianity as taught and practiced by Jesus Christ, holds within itself the perfect and unending answer to every problem. Sometimes these systems are directly opposed to the teachings of Christianity which is based on the spiritual nature of God. Hence, Jesus made very clear to Nicodemus the inquirer: "Marvel not that I said unto thee ye must be born again." That is the spiritual armament needed for permanent peace. May it begin in my heart. Amen.

Union Leader Raps Fascists and Reds

Both Enemies of Labor, Says Dave Beck; Deporting Of Alien Agitators Urged.

SEATTLE, Feb. 21.—(AP)—Declaring he was speaking first as an American citizen and secondly as an official of the waterfront union, Dave Beck, west coast union leader, said in a national defense week address last night fascism is "nothing but communism with its neck washed."

"No intelligent working man believes that communism offers anything but destruction for the wages and working conditions," he said in emphasizing that his union permits no communist to be a member.

He continued: "The communist campaign of hatred is skillfully directed at capitalism—which, unquestionably, has many faults and weaknesses. But while the communist seeks openly to destroy capital, he works just as hard, but secretly, to destroy labor."

"Communism, fascism or any other kind of dictatorship means nothing more nor less than the nationalization of both capital and labor. It means that everybody would work for the politician in control under whatever terms and conditions the politician imposes. And any man who maintains his right to strike loses his right to live. The simply kill him off."

"So, when we defend the capitalist system, we defend the right of labor to demand just wages, reasonable hours and healthy working conditions. We also defend the right to strike, to educate our children, put money in the bank and improve our economic condition to the limit of our capacity to earn or create."

Beck appealed for the deportation of "alien agitators" not only from the ranks of labor but from business, industry or "wherever else we find them."

While he didn't mention names he said:

"We have a situation in the timber industry, the economic backbone of the Pacific northwest, where we tolerate alien leadership. While this alien concerns himself with American affairs, we find American labor competing with Hindu labor paid starving wages in Canada."

"Let us have tariff barriers to protect our workers and let this alien improve conditions in his own country before he comes here to tell us what to do. Labor in America is on the road to ruin if we have to seek alien advice and leadership."

Bill Asks Money for Family Injured by Shell

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—(AP)—A bill introduced by Sen. McNary (R., Ore.) yesterday asked the government to pay \$4,000 to members of the Tarpley family of Hinkley, Ore., injured when a shell fired on to their farm by national guardsmen exploded after being carried into the house.

Dan A. Tarpley, for whom \$2500 was asked, took the shell home. An additional \$500 was asked for Ernest H. Tarpley and \$1,000 for Paul Tarpley. The explosion occurred May 19, 1938.

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National Defense Week Military Ball The Armory FEBRUARY 22, 1940

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Tax Indictment Hits Atty. General

TOWNSEND, Mont., Feb. 20.—(AP)—Attorney General Harrison J. Freebourn of Montana was arrested today on a charge of evading federal income taxes which he asserted was "absolutely false."

He immediately came here for arraignment before United States Commissioner J. W. Johnston and posted bond of \$5,000.

The arrest was made on an indictment returned secretly yesterday by a federal grand jury meeting at Great Falls, Mont.

The indictment charged Freebourn's income for 1937 was \$15,500, of which \$4,500 was from attorney fees and salary and \$1,000 was "income received from Joe K. Hart and the Hart Novelty company."

The true bill charged Freebourn declared as income only the amount he received as services as an attorney and did not report the \$1,000.

United States District Attorney John B. Tansil, at Billings, Mont., identified the Hart Novelty company as an Everett, Wash., firm "which deals in punch boards, skill ball games and similar devices."

He said Joe K. Hart was its president.

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