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Every state, county and city official or board that handles public money should publish at regular intervals an accounting of it, showing where and how each dollar is spent.

SOME 20 years ago when the owners of a large retail store established in Portland—those a new location way out near the city limits—on the old world's fairgrounds site—people were amazed, and many freely predicted that such a foolish departure from century-old location standards for retail business would surely result in bankruptcy.

The new store, however, provided attractive surroundings, plenty of room and above all, plenty—in fact literally acres—of free parking space for customers. Needless to say, for the result is well known, the idea was a success. It was so successful, in fact, that the same idea has spread to other cities and now is reaching the smaller cities.

Addressing the dinner honoring W. C. Harding Tuesday evening, Frank Jenkins cited the trend of trade toward a parking area as a definitely dangerous trend so far as small town main-street property is concerned. He further pointed out, and we all know it is true, that the lack of parking space for customer cars in the regular retail district is due to the fact that the downtown business people themselves are using up available space for the all-day parking of their own cars.

It would seem to be a simple matter to persuade a business owner to cease a practice that is injurious to his own business and one that will doubtless ultimately reduce the value of his property—but city officers, the chamber of commerce, and the service clubs have been harping on this matter for years. The result has been almost nil.

Nevertheless, something effective must be done about all-day parking on our main business streets. Perhaps, as Mr. Jenkins declared it should attempt to do, the Roseburg chamber of commerce will take the lead and actually solve this problem. It can be done, for it has been done successfully elsewhere—but doing it will require a lot of work and a great deal of cooperation.

The Draft in the Future

AS things stand today, we may as well look forward to the draft, to selective military service as a permanent part of the civil obligations of all male citizens.

Therefore, it is worth while to look at the draft as we have seen it work out thus far, and consider how it will probably be modified in the future. First, it is now clear that as enough trained reserves go back into civilian life to make a backlog of safety, the age limits will probably be dropped. After all, the time for a young man to do his military service is when he is young, before he has gotten a fair start on his civilian career and his family life. Further, between the ages of 18 and say, 23, he has a longer period of years ahead of him in which he will be fit for military service.

These things are for the future, since today the imperative need is for a trained reserve, but it seems likely that it is the direction the future military service laws will take.

Riddle Visitors Here—Mrs. Ed Hart and son, Edward, of Riddle, were business visitors in this city Wednesday.

Editorials on News

(Continued from page 1.)

OUT of the muck and the dust of this harrowing day, with nations falling before the armed might of the conqueror, stands a bold, bright, undaunted figure. The figure is Winston Churchill.

Standing in the house of commons and reporting to the British people, he admits the loss of Salonika. He tells of the movement of strong German forces from Italy to Tripoli, adding: "With this force they have made a rapid attack in greater strength THAN OUR COMMANDER EXPECTED at so early a date and we have fallen back on stronger positions and more defensible country."

DRAMATICALLY, near the end of his speech, he raises his eyes to the balconies where Ivan Maisky, the soviet ambassador, sits and says: "There are many signs that point to a Nazi attempt to secure the granaries of the Ukraine and the oil fields of the Caucasus."

He appeals anew for British use of Irish ports. He tells France she will continue to be blockaded and that British guns will resist any attempt on the part of the Vichy government to transfer the French fleet from Africa to Continental Europe, where Hitler can get his hands on it.

Bold, even in the hour of desperate trial. YOU can't help admiring this man Churchill. He is utterly frank with the people. Apparently he trusts their ability to take and bear up under a flat statement of the situation at its worst and they trust him to tell them the truth, whether good or bad.

That's democracy at its best. We hear a lot of Hitler, the leader of the German people. Don't forget that in Churchill the British have a leader of parts.

IT has been a depressing day. One has to search hard to find a single bright spot in its news. It is perhaps all the more depressing because for weeks we have been listening to the bright side of the story and so forgetting what must inevitably happen when the mighty German army began to move.

R. H. S. Tennis Team to Play Corvallis Spartans

By "HAP" APLEGATE The Roseburg high school tennis team makes its initial appearance permitting, when the squad travels to Corvallis to tangle with the ever-strong Spartans.

Corvallis won a close match from the Indians on the local courts last year, 4 to 3, and the Indian netmen will be seeking revenge over their foes.

Lutheran Church to Hold Good Friday Service

A special service will be held Good Friday, April 11, at St. Paul's Lutheran church, Corey avenue and Military street. The choir will sing "O Lamb of God, I Come!" The topic of the service is to begin at 7:30 p. m. sermon is "The Symbol of the Cross." This is the concluding sermon of the Lenten series entitled, "Six Symbols From a Suffering Savior." The special Lenten offering will be for missions. The public is most cordially invited to attend.

Attends to Business—Lute Beals, manager of the Winchester camp ground and skating rink, spent Wednesday in this city on business.

Yoncalla

YONCALLA, April 10. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Howard, who have spent the most of the winter here, left last week for their home in Eddyville, where Mr. Howard is foreman of a section crew. Their two children, Earl and Earline, will remain here un-

til school is over. Miss Gwendolyn Wheeler will be employed in the Applegate-Howard grocery and hardware store, to take the place of Mr. and Mrs. Howard, who worked in the store during their stay here.

OUT OUR WAY

I'M AN HONEST MAN-- I HAVE NO GUILTY CONSCIENCE! I HAVE FOUGHT FOR MY COUNTRY AND AM VERY PATRIOTIC, AND YET I FIND MYSELF TRYING TO PICK OUT TH' G-MEN IN THAT MOB-- WHY IS THAT?



WELL, WHY IS IT?

By Williams

I DO THAT TOO--WE MUSTA HAD SOME PIRATES, POACHERS, OR PICKPOCKETS BACK IN OUR ANCESTORS SOMEWHERE



J.R. WILLIAMS

Local Auto Firm Passes Out 4-Leaf Clover Tokens

Four-leaf clovers, for many centuries considered a token of good luck, are being given away by Ialo D. Stephens at the Stephens Auto company garage this week. The "lucky clovers," enclosed in a transparent foil case, are being used as an introductory program for the Bear wheel aligning and axle and frame service, for which the Stephens Auto company is the local operator.

The four-leaf clovers were developed over a long period of years by C. T. Daniels, chief telephone engineer of the Panama canal, whose interest was aroused several years ago by the fact that no one in history had been able to produce a strain of four-leaf clovers. Setting to work in the tropic warmth of the Canal Zone, he finally succeeded in developing the desired strain and now is shipping thousands of the lucky "four leafers" to every part of the world.

Netherlands Boy Scouts Abolished by Germans

AMSTERDAM (Via Berlin), April 9.—(AP)—The Boy Scout movement was officially abolished in the Netherlands today.

A statement said the boys belonged to the International Boy Scouts which, in the Nazi view, constitutes an instrument of British cultural and political propaganda.

It was pointed out that scout troops paraded and held exercises contrary to the German occupation orders.

Park Naturalist Speaks At Kiwanis Club Meet

M. V. Walker, national park naturalist, was the speaker at the regular Tuesday meeting of the Roseburg Kiwanis club. Mr. Walker is located at Crater lake.

LUNCHEON CLOTHS, 15c

Here's value! A 36x36 inch rayon and cotton, long-wearing cloth, woven in fast colors. Very special price at 15c. Also a 50x50 size at an unheard of low price—25c. Buy now at Carr's.—(Adv.)

Services Set By Pastors' Union For Good Friday

A two-hour Good Friday service, sponsored by the Roseburg churches cooperating in the Roseburg Ministerial association, will be held from 1 to 3 p. m. Friday at the Baptist church. Worshipers are invited to attend any or all of the services and to come and go at will.

The service will be divided into 17-minute periods and each of the participating ministers will speak on one of the seven words from The Cross. A brief interval will be left between each period during which worshippers may enter or leave.

The addresses will be made by ministers in the following order: Rev. Melville T. Wire, First Methodist church; Rev. H. P. Sconce, First Baptist church; Rev. John A. Barney, First Christian church; Rev. Perry Smith, St. George's Episcopal church; Rev. L. G. Weaver, Sutherland Methodist church; Rev. C. H. Diggs, Glide Baptist church; Rev. Morris H. Roach, First Presbyterian church.

Lookingglass

LOOKINGGLASS, April 10.—Leslie Buell was home for the week-end, returning Sunday evening to Halsey where he is teaching in the grade school.

Mr. and Mrs. Corvin Heard and son, Alvin, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buell and family were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Dyseret in Flournoy.

Miss Alta May Alverson spent the week-end with friends at Harborsburg and Eugene.

Mrs. Fred Richard, who is teaching at Willamina, spent the week-end at her home in the valley.

Helen Story, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Story, who underwent an operation for appendicitis recently has sufficiently recovered to permit removal to her home. Friday from Mercy hospital.

George Marsh has accepted employment as night salesman for the Hansen Motor company's service station in Roseburg and took over his duties there the first of the month.

Mrs. H. M. Alexander has taken up residence on her place in the valley until recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Elliott and family. Mrs. Alexander plans to make some improvements in the buildings and grounds before offering the place for sale.

At a recent meeting of the school board the entire teaching group was rehired, including Supt. James Burton, the Misses Helen Wooden and Alta May Alverson in the high school; Principal Gordon Russel, Mrs. Gordon Russel, Mrs. Helen Saar and Miss Clara May Haller in the grade rooms.

STAR PERFORMER

Answer to Previous Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Includes a small portrait of a woman in the bottom right corner of the grid.

Large crossword puzzle grid with numbers indicating starting points for words.

REMAINING HOURS TODAY

- 4:15—Ma Perkins, Oxydol, MBS.
4:30—Chicago Symphony, MBS.
5:00—National Defense Report.
5:15—Border Patrol, MBS.
5:30—Varieties.
5:45—Capt' Midnight, Ovaltine, MBS.
6:00—Interlude.
6:05—News, Calif. Pacific Utilities Co.
6:10—Dinner Music.
6:15—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS.
6:30—John B. Hughes, MBS.
6:45—Melodies Modern.
7:00—Paul Dixon from Berlin, MBS.
7:15—Dance Orchestra.
7:30—Wythe Williams, Star Blades, MBS.
7:45—Art Linkletter, MBS.
8:00—Standard Symphony Hour, Standard Oil, MBS.
9:00—Aika Seltzer News, MBS.
9:15—Leighton Noble's Orchestra, MBS.
9:30—Freddy Martin's Orchestra, MBS.
10:00—Haven of Rest, MBS.
10:30—Sign off.

FRIDAY, APRIL 11, 1941

- 6:45—Eye Opener.
7:00—News, Los Angeles Soap Co., MBS.
7:15—Stuff and Nonsense.
7:40—State and Local News.
7:45—J. M. Judd Says "Good Morning."
7:50—Rhapsody in Wax.
8:00—Haven of Rest, MBS.
8:30—News, MBS.
8:45—BBC News, MBS.
9:00—Interlude.
9:15—Man About Town.
9:35—Dick O'Hearn, Tenor, MBS.
9:45—Keep Fit to Music, MBS.
10:00—Lady of Millions, Copco.
10:15—Dance Melodies.
10:30—Helen Holden, Gov't Girl, MBS.
10:45—I'll Find My Way, MBS.
11:00—Friendly Neighbors, Aika Seltzer, MBS.
11:15—Wheel of Fortune.
12:00—Luncheon Music.
12:15—Sport News, Truck Sales and Service Co., owned by L. R. Chambers, and the Dunham Transfer Co.
12:25—Rhythm at Random.
12:35—Parkinson's Information Exchange.
12:40—Five Miniature Melody Time, Golden West Coffee.
12:45—News, Hansen Motor Co.
1:00—News-Review of the Air.
1:25—Henninger's Man on the Street.
1:45—Lutheran Laymen's League Easter Service, MBS.
1:30—Johnson Family, Swansdown Flour, MBS.
1:45—The Bookworm, MBS.
2:00—At Your Command.
2:15—As the Twig is Bent, Post's Bran Flakes, MBS.
2:30—At Your Command.
2:45—Let's Play Bridge, MBS.
3:00—A. P. News, MBS.
3:05—Music by Willard, MBS.
3:30—Affairs of State, MBS.
4:00—American Family Robinson.
4:15—Ma Perkins, Oxydol, MBS.
4:30—Musical Matinee, MBS.
4:45—This and That in Rhythm.
5:00—Symphonic Strings, MBS.
5:30—Spiritual Jubilee Singers.
5:45—Capt' Midnight, Ovaltine, MBS.
6:00—Interlude.
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6:30—John B. Hughes, MBS.
6:45—Melodies Modern.
7:00—Raymond Gram Swing, White Owl Cigars, MBS.
7:15—Dance Time.
7:30—Lone Ranger, MBS.
8:00—Sinfonietta, MBS.
8:30—I Want a Divorce, Joan Blondell, Teagarden Products, MBS.
9:00—Aika Seltzer News, Glen Hardy, MBS.
9:15—Teddy Powell's Orchestra, MBS.
9:30—Seven Last Words of Christ, MBS.
10:00—Sign off.

WARNING DOG OWNERS

If you are one of the 400 keeping a dog without a license you can still save that \$10.00 penalty.—(Adv.)

High Quality Meats advertisement featuring Clayton Negley Piggly Wiggly Building. Lists products like HAMS, Beef Roast, Beef Boil, and SALT PORK with prices.

SERIAL STORY

DRAFTED FOR LOVE

BY RUTH AYERS

YESTERDAY, Kent is bitter, refuses to allow April to explain. She finally declares she tricked him because she felt sorry for him, because Ann was sorry. She begs him never to tell Ann, and he agrees that the incident is forgotten. As they drive up to the station platform, the car strikes something—someone.

APRIL BEGINS TO PAY

CHAPTER XIV WINKIE APPLEMAN was struggling to his feet in front of April's car. Winkie was old, had the reputation of being lazy, shiftless, and sly.

He had never been in any real trouble but once, when April's father had been district attorney, there'd been some sort of a run-in with the court which had resulted in Winkie's being sent to the workhouse for 30 days to "straighten him up."

It was Winkie who had been at the station platform the night when Kent arrived from camp on leave. Winkie, in fact, on whom April had fastened her eyes as someone known and familiar in the first shock of learning Kent was blind.

Now Winkie, shivering in tattered clothes, was pushing off Kent's arm. April started to move, but found her foot had been pinned under Kent's bag when it had toppled from the seat. She felt a knife of pain strike through her ankle and then the numbness recited again, muffling her, leading her senses.

Winkie clutched the side of the car with a groan. "April Burnett, I know you! Lawyer Burnett's daughter, ain't you?" His voice burst from groans to shrillness.

"Yes, Winkie. Oh, I'm terribly sorry. A't you hurt?" "Hurt? We'll see, April Burnett. You with your reckless driving, knocking an old man down. You with your high-stepping ways and no regards for the rights of others."

"Please, Winkie. I'm sorry!" Winkie doubled and then jerked up again. "I'm, I know you, young lady. Thank you're something, don't yuh. Stumping all over the countryside these last two days with your sister's fella. I'll make a town scandal outa this."

Before she could cry out, April saw Kent Carter's arm spin Winkie around. Then, crouch Kent's flat struck Winkie, a blindly aimed but stinging blow that slanted across two men's faces.

Winkie made a blubbery, retching sound and toppled beside the car. When April looked up again, she saw the young rookie who'd been detailed to travel with Kent. The rookie saluted, mumbled something and then picked Winkie up by the coat collar and deposited him on the station platform.

Then he saluted again, even though Kent couldn't see it, and said, "I'm Private Estes. The express is just pulling in." He opened the car door and whisked out Kent's luggage as the locomotive rolled to a stop. Kent turned, nodded once in the vague direction of April and, without a word of goodbye, hurried towards the train with the rookie guiding him.

April watched him; saw the way he walked erect and unbending to the car steps; saw the white-coated porter grin and bow as he helped him. There, as it had been on that first night, the whistle blew and the locomotive eased out of the station, a black dragon flaying through a white valley.

B. P. O. ELKS

Regular meeting Thursday evening, April 10. Business of importance. Installation of officers. Dutch lunch. Brothers, don't miss this meeting. (Adv.) Ira B. Riddle, Sec'y.