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COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER



"I pledge allegiance to my Flag, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for All."

WEED OUT THE POOR COWS

In last week's Mist, County Agent Howard had a very interesting article on how to take care of cows. He now informs us that the farmers and dairymen in several localities are advocating the formation of cow-testing associations for the purpose of weeding out the cow boarder that does not pay for her board. One of the drawbacks to the dairy industry is the boarder cow, but this boarder cannot be eliminated until she is pointed out to her owner. Columbia county has many advantages as a dairy region. It has a mild climate and green feed can be produced throughout a considerable portion of the year. The silo has also added new possibilities to dairying, for it enables the dairyman to feed his cows on green food during the dry summer season and the non-growing season in the winter. But the silo and the favorable conditions for dairying cannot make a poor cow a good one. They cannot enable the dairyman to make money from a cow whose cost of upkeep is greater than her production. So it seems the only thing to do is to get rid of the boarder cow, and if the proposed cow-testing associations materialize they will add a large sum to the total of the county's dairying profits. Elsewhere in this paper is a report of a cow-testing association recently formed in the county, and from all reports those who belong to that association are well satisfied with the results. Dairying is a very extensive industry in the county, and if cow-testing associations will add anything to the industry, which undoubtedly they will do, it will certainly be worth while.

OREGON MINES IN 1915

According to the annual statement of the geological survey, department of the interior, on mining conditions in Oregon in 1915, now available for distribution, this state produced from 95 mines, gold, silver, copper and lead amounting to \$2,003,509, which is \$327,356 more than in 1914. The gold was valued at \$1,861,796; the silver weighed 117,947 fine ounces, the copper 451,172 pounds, and the lead 62,957 pounds. The details of mining in the state are given in the report, which may be obtained on application to the Director, U. S. Geological Survey, Washington, D. C.

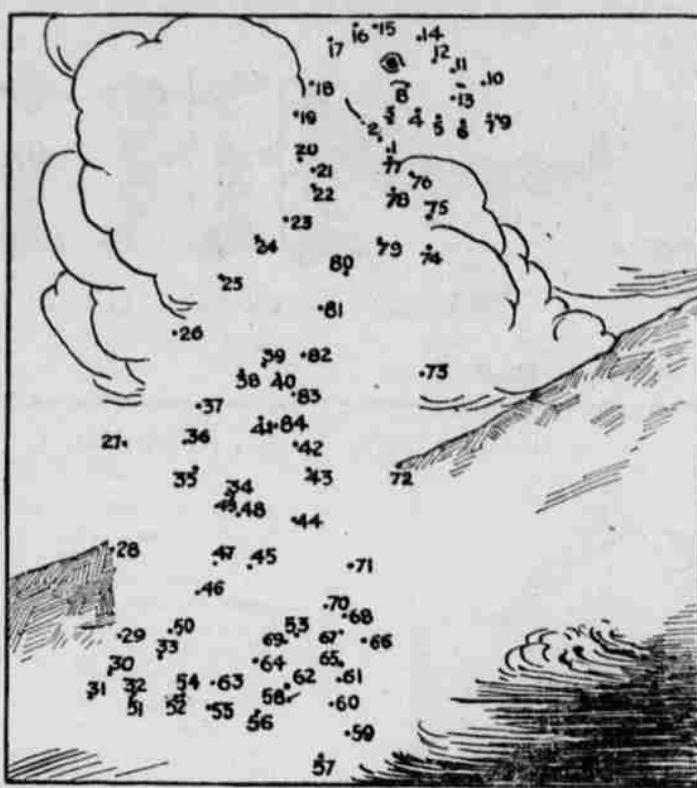
Since the European war began 204 ships were transferred to the American flag and 405 American ships were transferred to foreign flags or registration. The American gains were from Germany and England, mostly temporary transfers, while the 405 ships we have lost have gone permanently to Norway, Japan and France. If there was ever a time when we needed American ships under the American flag, that time is now, but the too-radical seaman's act of congress drove them out, so our great nation is practically without adequate representation on the seven seas to carry its own mails or diplomats.

An illustration of how badly the pittsburg-St. Helens road is needed: A farmer who lives in the Nehalem was in St. Helens several days ago. Looking at the cannery he said: "If there had been a road to St. Helens so I could have hauled my produce and apples to market, I would have been several hundred dollars better off. As it was, I had to let several tons of good apples go to the hogs." Could any better reason be given than this why all possible efforts should be made towards linking the fertile Nehalem and St. Helens?

By planting wild trees and shrubs bearing fruits about the home, the householder can attract birds and at the same time protect cultivated fruits from their ravages.

No boy ever became great as a man who did not in his youth learn to save money.—John Wanamaker.

Fill In Picture Puzzle No. 14



THE ostrich, the last picture you drew, is a big and queer looking bird, isn't it, children? Your mamma may have used ostrich plumes in her hat. The kick of the ostrich is as bad as that of the mule. There are many ostrich farms in Texas and California. Now, the next bird that you can draw, if you get out your soft pencil and begin at No. 1, is spelled with only three letters. It lives in cold regions. The great auk's eggs are almost as valuable as diamonds.

MISUSE OF PARDONING POWER

If Pender is innocent, he should have been pardoned long ago. If he is guilty, he should now be in the penitentiary. However, in his usual wishy-washy, go-between, vacillating way, the governor of Oregon, while refusing to pardon or give a parole to Pender, has made him a trusty and sent him down to some Clatsop county ranch to recuperate after his confinement in the state's penal institution. That the governor did not confer with the Columbia county authorities relative to the case, is simply an illustration of how he does things without giving any thought as to the justice or fitness of matters. But more could not be expected from the governor. Citizens of Oregon should, however, find some satisfaction in the fact that Withycombe will not always be governor, either by fact or proxy.

"GETTING EVEN" DOESN'T PAY

Don't be governed by the "get even" spirit. This mean little spirit can be fostered and nourished until it becomes dangerous, until it makes demons out of us.

To be happy one must be at peace with his fellow man. While you have a desire for revenge in your heart you cannot get the full measure of joy out of this life.

We do not make enough effort to drive away those thoughts. We let too much bitterness creep into our souls.

Does it hurt the other fellow? Not half as much as ourselves.

Get down on your knees mentally this very minute and pray that this spirit of "get even" may be forgotten and that your heart may be filled with love and humanity and service for others.—Ex.

Citizens of Lebanon have subscribed almost \$10,000 towards a cannery, and the establishment of the enterprise is practically assured.

Rasmussen & Company will immediately begin the construction of a \$60,000 paint warehouse in Portland.

ST. HELENS ASTONISHED BY MERCHANT'S STORY

A merchant relates the following: "For years I could not sleep without turning every hour. Whatever I ate caused gas and sourness. Also had stomach catarrh. ONE SPOONFUL buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-i-ka relieved me INSTANTLY." Because Adler-i-ka flushes the ENTIRE alimentary tract it relieves ANY CASE constipation, sour stomach or gas and prevents appendicitis. It has QUICKEST action of anything we ever sold.

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT IN THE COUNTY COURT FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Estate of Marion Alexander, Deceased. Notice is hereby given, that O. W. Alexander, the administrator of the estate of Marion Alexander, deceased, has rendered and filed in said Court his final account of his administration of said estate, and that Saturday, the 21st day of April, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the court house in the City of St. Helens, in said County of Columbia, state of Oregon, has been fixed by the Court as the time and place for the settlement of said account, petition for distribution, and the hearing of objections thereto.

O. W. ALEXANDER, Administrator of the Estate of 14-5 Marion Alexander, deceased.

CITATION IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY.

In the matter of the Estate of Andrew J. Rupert, deceased. To Andrew J. Rupert, Jr., Flora Ellen Page and Evanda A. Rupert, devisees and heirs at law of Andrew J. Rupert, deceased, and all persons unknown interested in the estate of said deceased, Greeting: In the name of the State of Oregon, You and each of you are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County, at the Court Room thereof, at St. Helens, in the County of Columbia, State of Oregon, on Thursday, the 12th day of April, A. D. 1917, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, then and there to show cause, if any there be, why an order should not be made granting to the executor of said estate permission and directing him to sell at private sale all the real property belonging to said estate lying and being in Columbia County, State of Oregon, to-wit: Lot No. 19, in Block 11, in the City of St. Helens, Oregon; and also Lot No. 20, in Block 11, in the City of St. Helens, Oregon, excepting therefrom a strip of land 4 feet in width and 100 feet in length, in the form of a rectangle, off the entire south side of said Lot 20. WITNESS the Honorable R. S. Hattan, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County, with the seal of said Court affixed, this 28th day of February, A. D. 1917.

Attest: A. F. BARNETT, Clerk.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY. In the Matter of the Estate of Peter Horgren, Deceased. NOTICE is hereby given, That in pursuance of an order of the County court of the county of Columbia, state of Oregon, made on the 14th day of March, 1917, in the matter of the estate of Peter Horgren, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of Peter Horgren, deceased, will sell at private sale, in separate parcels, to the highest bidders, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned, and subject to confirmation by said County Court, on or after Monday, the 16th day of April, 1917, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Peter Horgren, deceased, at the time of his death, in and to the real property hereinafter described, also all of the right, title and interest of the said Peter Horgren, deceased, in and to the personal property hereinafter described, and all the right, title, and interest that the estate has by operation of law, or otherwise acquired, other than or in addition to that of said deceased, at the time of his death, of, in, and to the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in Columbia County, State of Oregon, to-wit: The S. E. 1/4 of the S. W. 1/4 of Section 2, Township 5 N. R. 3 West, also Lot 2 of Block 2 and Lot 1 of Block 5 in the town of Deer Island, and Lot 15 Block 64 in the City of St. Helens, also the following personal property in Columbia County, Oregon, Balance of the timber on the N. E. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 Sec. 7, T. 5 N. R. 2 west, and an undivided one-half interest in and to an old saw mill.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash, in gold coin of the United States; ten (10) per cent of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale; balance on confirmation of sale by the County Court.

All bids or offers must be in writing, and mailed to said administrator at his residence, 898 E. Couch Street, City of Portland, Oregon, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of the sale.

Dated March 14th, 1917. First publication March 16, 1917. Last publication April 13, 1917. JOHN HORGREN, Administrator of the Estate of Peter Horgren, Deceased. W. A. HARRIS & G. A. GORE, Attorneys for Administrator.

SUMMONS IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF COLUMBIA.

Celia Bagley, Plaintiff, vs. Lucius P. Bagley, Defendant. To Lucius P. Bagley, the above named defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 5th day of May, 1917, said day being after the expiration of six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to appear and answer said Complaint, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein, to-wit: for a decree forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem meet and equitable in the premises. This summons is published by order of the Honorable J. A. Eakin, Judge of the above entitled court, which order was made and entered on the 19th day of March, 1917, and the time prescribed for publication thereof is six weeks beginning with the issue of Friday, March 23, 1917, and continuing each week thereafter to and including the issue of Friday, May 4, 1917. CLARENCE L. EATON, Masonic Temple, Oregon City, Oregon, Attorney for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR THE COUNTY OF COLUMBIA.

C. V. Everett, Plaintiff, vs. Edith Everett, Defendant. In the name of the State of Oregon: To the above named defendant: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of plaintiff filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the time prescribed in the order for the publication of this summons, to-wit: on or before the 14th day of April, 1917, said date being six weeks after the publication of this summons. If you fail to appear and answer the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in his complaint, to-wit: for a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between the plaintiff and defendant and for such other relief as the Court may adjudge proper. This summons is served upon you by publication, by order of the Honorable J. A. Eakin, Judge of the above entitled Court, which order was made on the 27th day of February, 1917, and required that said summons be published once a week for six successive weeks in the St. Helens Mist, a newspaper published in St. Helens, Oregon, and required that you appear on or before the 18th day of April, 1917, and answer the complaint of the plaintiff filed herein. Date of first publication March 2, 1917. Date of last publication April 13, 1917. SIDNEY ZETOSCH, Attorney for Plaintiff, 710 Board of Trade Bldg., Portland, Oregon.

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