SPRAY MATERIALS REPORTED SCARCE

Growers Plan More Food Production by Better Protection.

Corvallis, Ore., March 5.—Attention of fruit and vegetable growers is called to the need for laying in a full supply of spray materials and equipment by Prof. H. P. Barss, of O. A. C., who has just returned from Washington, where he met with the war emergency board of American pathologists, of which he is the western commissioner.

On account of the farm labor shortage, growers throughout the entire country are planning to make their increase in food production this year more through effective disease control than by increased acreage. Indications point to a great increase in careful spraying and seed treatment in all parts of the country.

Grave doubts as to the ability of spray manufacturers to meet the increased demands for chemicals and machinery unless orders are booked a long time in advance of the date of their probable use is expressed. This is the view of the manufacturers themselves, who were called to meet with the war emergency board in Washington. Early orders will afford a basis of estimating the probable demands for the season.

HIGHWAY COMMISSION WAY OF MOVING CARS

Salem, Ore.—To add to its many problems the state highway commission is confronted by the difficulty of transporting material to be used in paving through the refusal of the Southern Pacific to haul the state's cars.

To overcome the order of the priority board of the national council of defense prohibiting the hauling of road material in open cars, the commission bought 19 cars formerly used in the United States reclamation service, at a cost of approximately $20,000.

It was planned to use these cars this season in hauling rock and other material for the pavement to be laid in Marion county between Aurora and Salem.

It now transpires that the railroad company will not haul the cars for the reason that they do not come within the specifications, being of wood.

Through Senator McNary the matter has been referred to Director General McAdoo for adjustment.

CAMP THEATRE PRICES LOWER THAN IN CITY

While figures are not yet available on the proportionate number of $1 and $5 smilage books being purchased for use by men at the camps and cantonments, the commission on training camp activities, in charge of the sale, states that there has been unexpected demand for the larger books. Smilage books selling for $1 contain 20 coupons good for admission to camp entertainments; books selling for $5 contain 100 coupons. From two to five coupons are required for admission to Liberty theatres at the camps, although many of the productions are of the class which command $2 prices in metropolitan houses.

RECIPES

Bread Fried in Bacon Fat

Fry the number of required pieces of bacon; when done remove and fry in the bacon fat bread prepared for French toast. Beat one egg lightly, add pinch of salt and one cup of milk. Soak the bread in this mixture; stale bread is best.

Savory Potato Loaf

Three cupfuls of hot riced potatoes, one-half cupful of sausage meat, two tablespoonfuls of milk, one teaspoonful of chopped parsley, one-half teaspoonful of grated onion. Mix together all ingredients. Place in a baking dish and bake half an hour. Serve from dish.

Sugarless Pudding

The ingredients for this dish are: Flaked rice, dates and milk as required. Grease a pie dish and put in a thick layer of flaked rice. Then put in next a layer of coarsely chopped dates, cover with more rice and repeat until the dish is nearly three-quarters full. Fill up the dish with cold milk and bake in a modern oven for three hours.

For the Children

This makes a very wholesome treat for the children: Put through the food grinder one cupful of any kind of nut meats, the same amount of moist raisins, two or three slivers of candied orange peel and four prunes. Mold the paste thus formed into little balls and roll in shredded cocoanut or grated sweet chocolate or melted chocolate or shredded cocoanut. Raw orange skin or a few drops of orange flavoring may be used in place of the candied peel.

Split Pea Soup

Pick over one-half pint of split peas, cover with cold water and let soak over night. Drain, add to three quarts of boiling water with one peeled and sliced onion and one slice of fat salt pork, cook slowly from four to five hours, or until very tender, then press through a sieve and reheat. Cook one-fourth cup flour in one-fourth cup of butter, or substitute; add by degrees one quart of milk and stir until smooth. Combine the two liquids, season with pepper and salt and serve at once with croutons.

War Doughnuts

One cup molasses, one heaping tablespoon of shortening (drippings), one teaspoon salt, one teaspoon nutmeg, one teaspoon ginger (ginger keeps them from sucking fat), two eggs, one cup riced potatoes (put through a ricer), one and one-half cups of milk, one cup rye flour, two cups white flour. Cream molasses and shortening, spices all together, beat eggs until light, add to molasses and spices then add one teaspoonful soda, dissolved in a little warm water. Add all the flour and riced potatoes. Mix well. If too soft, add a little more rye flour. Fry in hot fat.

What is a Billion Dollars?

It's said the great war will cost 100 billion dollars. What's a billion dollars? Counting $50 a minute, eight hours per day, 360 days a year, it would take 115 years to count it. Spending $1,000 a day, it would take 2,777 years to get rid of it.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of John Dolan, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the estate of John Dolan, deceased, by the County Court of Columbia County, Oregon, and has qualified. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same duly verified to the undersigned at his residence in St. Helens, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. The date of first publication is February 15, 1918.

WILLIAM P. HAMPSON,
9-5 Executor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Administratrix with the Will annexed, of the Estate of Morgan Doyle, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County, and has qualified. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified as by law required, to the undersigned at St. Helens, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated and first published this 1st day of March, 1918.

DONA HALL,
11-5 Administratrix.
JOHN D. WILLIAMS,
Administrator for Estate,
519 Corbett Bldg., Portland, Oregon.

SUMMONS

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

Marguerite Falls, Plaintiff, vs. Harry W. Falls, Defendant.

To Harry W. Falls the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby commanded to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to so appear and answer, the plaintiff will take a decree against you as prayed for in her complaint, to wit, for a decree forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and yourself, and decreeing plaintiff and defendant free from all obligations thereunder;

This summons is served upon you by publication hereof once a week for six consecutive weeks, pursuant to an order of the Honorable J. A. Eakin, Judge of the above entitled court, duly made and entered on the 11th day of February, 1918.

GEO. ESTES,
J. H. HOBART,
E. M. MORTON,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

602 Lumbermen's Bldg., Portland, Oregon.

Date of first publication February 15, 1918.

Date of last publication March 29, 1918.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

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

Louisa I Watts, Plaintiff, vs. Dehlia E. Wagner, widow, and E. Shupack (sued as John Doe) tenant in possession, Defendant.

By virtue of an execution in foreclosure duly issued by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Columbia, State of Oregon, dated the 13th day of February, 1918, in a certain action in the Circuit Court for said County and State, wherein Louisa I. Watts as plaintiff, recovered judgment against Dehlia Wagner for the sum of Five Thousand ($5,000.00) Dollars, and costs and disbursements taxed at Four Hundred Dollars ($400.00) on the 31st day of January, 1918,

Notice is hereby given that I will on the 16th day of March, 1918, at the court-house door in St. Helens in said County, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the followng described property, to-wit:

The northeast quarter and Lots 7, 8 and 9 of Section 21, and lots 1, 2 and 3 of Section 22, in Township 4 North, Range 1 West of Willamette Meridian, consisting of approximately 394.35 acres situated in Columbia County, State of Oregon. Taken and levied upon as the property of the said Dehlia E. Wagner or as much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the said judgment in favor of Louisa I. Watts against said Dehlia E. Wagner with interest thereon, together with all costs and disbursements that have or may accrue.

E. C. STANWOOD,
Sheriff.

Dated at St. Helens, Oregon, February 13th, 1918.
First pub. Feb. 15, 1918.
Last pub. Mar. 15, 1918.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Edward B. Woods, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, That Bertha Woods has been duly appionted administratrix of the estate of Edward B. Woods, deceased, by the County Court of Columbia County, State of Oregon, and has duly qualified for said trust. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified, and with proper vouchers, to said administratrix at her residence in the City of St. Helens, Columbia County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated Feb. 15th, 1918.

BERTHA WOODS,
Administratrix of the Estate of Edward B. Woods, Deceased.

CANDIDATE FOR CLERK

To the Voters of Columbia County.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Clerk, on the Republican ticket, at the coming primary election. If nominated and elected, my policy will be for retrenchment in county expenses with no patronage to relatives. I will not favor any increase in salary during my incumbency. I have no corporation, clique or coterie to serve, but will serve the people. If I receive the nomination and am elected, I will not hold the office for more than two terms.

Respectfully submitted,
HAROLD P. ROSS.
(Paid Adv.

SUMMONS

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

Violet Ellis, Plaintiff, vs. Leroy Ellis, Defendant.

To Leroy Ellis, the defendant above named:

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 March 15, 1918, that being the last day of the time prescribed in the order of Court for the publication of this summons, and if you fail to so appear and answer the complaint, the plaintiff will cause your default to be entered and apply to the Court above named for the relief demanded in said complaint, to-wit: for a dissolution of the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant and for the custody of the minor child Ethel Marie Ellis.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable J. A. Eakin, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County, made and dated January 31, 1918, which order prescribes that service of summons in this suit be made upon you by publication once a week for six consecutive weeks, which time will begin to run from the day of the first publication hereof. The date of the first publication of this summons is February 1, 1918. Last publication March 15, 1918.

J. W. DAY,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Residence and postoffice address
St. Helens, Oregon. 7-7

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Andrew Carlson, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given: That the undersigned administrator of the estate of Andrew Carlson, deceased, has filed his Final Account, and petition for distribution in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County, and that Saturday, the 23rd day of March, 1918, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the courtroom of said Court, in the City of St. Helens, has been appointed by said Court as the time and place for hearing objections to said final account and for final settlement and distribution of said estate.

Dated and first published Feby. 22nd, 1918.

ISAAC NORBECK,
Administrator of the Estate of Andrew Carlson, Decd.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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

In the matter of the Estate of Jessie Nilsen, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the Judge of said Court as administrator of the estate of said Jessie Nilsen, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned administrator at the office of J. W. Day, Room 1, Bank Building, St. Helens, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated and first published January 25, 1918.

BIRGER NILSEN,
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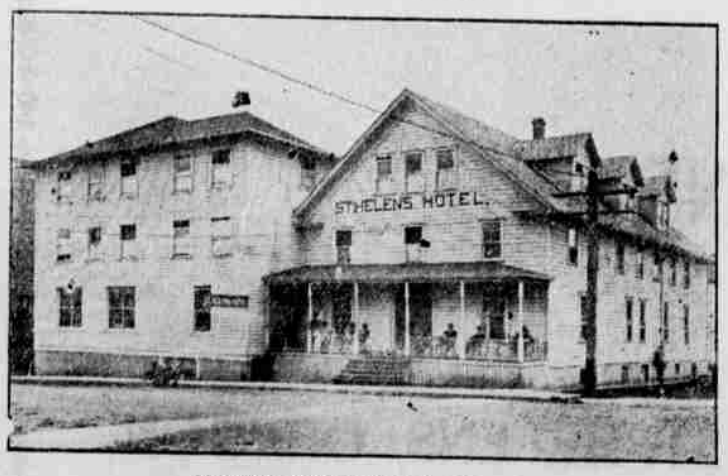

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