

By-Gone Days

Twenty Years Ago

the files of the Oregon Mist
(October 26, 1900)

and Mrs. C. W. Mellinger and
ter of Vernonia were in town
y and Tuesday. They visited
and Oregon City while ab-
from home.

labister was in Portland Sun-
attend the funeral of a friend,
was held Sunday afternoon.—
Notes.

number of the yard at Stan-
mill \$5 per thousand; special
\$6 per thousand.

ow storm, lasting half an hour,
ed at Mayker Tuesday evening.
pheric conditions here too,
een bordering closely on the
order all week. It is up to
se to predict a severe winter.
George, employed in Port-
Eugene Miles and Wilbur
who are attending school in
ad, visited relatives in this city
ay and Sunday.

Twenty-Five Years Ago

the files of the Oregon Mist
(October 25, 1895)

Monday, the Scappoose nursery-
was a pleasant caller at the
office last Monday. Mr. Holo-
forms us that the fine weath-
the past month has done much
gardens in his vicinity, more
lly the corn, crop which is
more rapidly than it has for
et three months.

at Yankton, Or., on October
to the wife of G. W. Barger.

Godfrey and Wash Muckle
own into the lower end of the
Wednesday with papers to
for Sheriff Doan.

M. Caples of Columbia City
aking hands with friends in
last Saturday.

Madison Frakes of Scappoose
town Wednesday as a witness
the circuit court.

postoffice on Scappoose bay
as "Gillon" has been changed
to correspond with the
of the railroad station.

Twenty-Eight Years Ago

the files of the Oregon Mist
(October 28, 1892)

W. West of Scappoose made
series of Scaphire sheep at
stock show at Portland.
ed seven first premiums
second premium.

Norman Merrill and lady of
his were passengers on the
Shaver for Portland Tues-

day of Mist made proof on
testament before the clerk Mon-

pupils of the St. Helens public
will observe Columbus Day

in a fitting manner, and it is hoped
that as many of the patrons of the
schools as can will be present. The
presentation of the flag by Hon. A.
A. McBride will be a special feature
of the programme. Let everybody
turn out and encourage the youth
of the country in their school work
and patriotism.

TIMELY FARM HINTS

Bacteriology, O. A. C.—Failure to
produce a successful crop of vetch
may be due to the fact that the bac-
teria which produce the nodules on
the roots are missing from the soil.
These cultures may be got from this
department at 50 cents for enough to
inoculate two acres.

Farm Crops, O. A. C.—Seed po-
tatoes should be dug now. Only the
best and healthiest looking potatoes
should be kept. Potatoes should not
be taken from hills which are not
healthy and which are not surround-
ed by healthy plants. These potatoes
should be stored separately and saved
for next year's seedling.

Solir, O. A. C.—Most economical
returns were obtained from irrigation
of one-acre inch every ten days after
the first application in twelve-year
potato irrigation tests at the Experi-
ment station. A new bulletin on time,
amount and methods of application
for most profitable use of irrigation
are explained in the bulletin, which
is free on request.

Animal Husbandry, O. A. C.—Meth-
ods and costs of fattening steers on
different hays—alfalfa, bald barley
and wild—on hay and grain, on
chopped hay, alfalfa hay and silage,
and on pasture, are explained as used
in six year-tests at the Union branch
experiment station, in bulletin 174,
copies on request to the college at
Cervillos.

Farm Crops, O. A. C.—Probably
the best way to improve the range in
Oregon is to practice rotation graz-
ing, keeping the stock off for a time
to allow the grass plants to reestab-
lish themselves and produce some
seed.

NOTICE

In the County Court of the State of
Oregon, for the County of Colum-
bia.

In the Matter of the Estate of Charles
Oscar Dahlgren, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the
undersigned has been duly appointed
executrix of the Last Will and Testa-
ment of Charles Oscar Dahlgren, de-
ceased, by the County Court of Co-
lumbia 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 as by law re-
quired, to the undersigned at her
residence at Warren, Oregon, within
six months from the date of this
notice.

Dated and first published Oct. 18,
1920.

MATILDA DAHLGREN,
Executrix of the Estate of Charles
Oscar Dahlgren, deceased.

Shinn & Storia, Attorneys.

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of
Oregon for the County of Colum-
bia.

Byron E. Hoard, Plaintiff, vs. Jos-
ephine C. Hoard, Defendant.

Te Josephine C. Hoard, the above
named Defendant:

In the name of the State of Ore-
gon you are hereby required to ap-
pear and answer the complaint filed
against you in the above entitled
court and cause on or before the 20th
day of November, 1920, said date
being six weeks from the first pub-
lication of this summons, and if you
fail to appear and answer or other-
wise plead, the Plaintiff will apply
to the court for the release prayed
for in his complaint, to-wit: for a de-
cree of divorce forever dissolving the
marriage contract heretofore and
now existing between the Plaintiff
and Defendant, upon the grounds of
wilful desertion for more than one
year immediately preceding the com-
mencement of this suit, and for the
further relief that the care, custody,
and control of two minor children of
Plaintiff and Defendant, to-wit: Nor-
man Hoard and Frances Evelyn
Hoard, be decreed and given to Plain-
tiff.

This summons is served upon you
by publication by virtue of an order
of the Honorable James A. Eakin,
Judge of the above entitled Court,
made and entered on the 30th day of
September, 1920, directing that this
summons be published in the St. He-
lens Mist, a newspaper of general cir-
culation, published in Columbia Coun-
ty, State of Oregon and further di-
recting that the same be published
not less than once a week for six
consecutive weeks.

Date of first publication, Oct. 8,
1920.

Date of last publication, Nov. 19,
1920.

JOSEPH VAN HOOMISSEN,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

Office and Post office at 203 Dekum
Bldg., Portland, Oregon.

NOTICE

My wife Hattie Warden having left
my bed and board, I hereby give no-
tice that I will not be responsible for
any debts or bill incurred by her.

Dated at Scappoose, Oregon, Octo-
ber 15th, 1920.

L. D. WARDEN

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Mist Wants for Results.

WILSON'S

2nd-Hand Store

HOULTON, ORE.

We buy, sell and exchange all
kinds of second hand goods. We
will buy anything and pay the
highest market price. See us.

PHONE 52-J

An Appeal to The Voters of
Oregon

The Port of Portland Dock Com-
mission Consolidation Bill on the
state ballot should be defeated.
While it no doubt affects the whole
state in some degree, the enormous
expense which it will create must be
borne by the taxpayers of the Port
of Portland, which contains 209
square miles, or less than one quar-
ter of one per cent of the area of the
state. The Chamber of Commerce,
the Taxpayers' League and other
Portland organizations and many re-
presentative business men have joined
hands to acquaint the voters of Ore-
gon with the facts and to enlist their
opposition to the measure.

The scheme of improvement pro-
posed by the bill will cost \$40,000,
000. As a starter, \$16,500,000 of
bonds are authorized. In violation
of the home rule provision of the
Constitution of Oregon, the voters
of the Port of Portland are denied
the right to say how large a debt they
are willing to assume. Nor are they
given a voice in the selection of the
commissioners who are to vote bond-
ed debt upon them, levy taxes for
them to pay and manage their busi-
ness.

The electors of the territory with-
in the Port of Portland are better
qualified than any one else to judge
of the amount of bonded debt they
should authorize or the taxes they
should pay. Their liberality in as-

suming burdens of public improve-
ment, not only for themselves, but
for the state at large will not be
questioned by any one who will scan
the record of the huge total of bonds
they are now carrying, amounting, in
round figures to \$34,000,000. It
cannot be thought that the state will
be the gainer by imposing upon its
chief city the insupportable load of
additional debt contemplated by the
pending bill.

The sponsors of the Port of Port-
land bill have openly appealed to the
electors of the state at large to vote
for it on the ground that it will cost
them nothing. This is log rolling of
the most dangerous type. If such
methods are to prevail in behalf of
direct legislation, no county, city,
port or other municipal corporation
in the state will be safe from having
intolerable debts and taxes foisted
upon it by indifferent voters from
other parts of the state. Bills like
this must be rejected by the voters
if home rule is to retain its vital
force. Home rule and such bills
cannot survive together. One or the
other must fall.

The voters of the Port of Portland
are not asking to be relieved of their
responsibility to create and maintain
the necessary facilities for ocean
commerce. They desire only that
they be given a voice in the manage-
ment of their affairs, and that,
through the established processes of
law, they be permitted to adopt a
plan of port development which will

not load millions of dollars of debt
upon them.
Voters are requested to vote 311
No.

JOSEPH N. TEAL,
HENRY E. REED,
A. J. GIESY,
HENRI LABBE,
R. L. GLISAN,
F. W. MULKEY,
A. H. DEVERS,
LEO FRIEDE,
L. J. GOLDSMITH,
Executive Committee.

Paid Advertisement by Taxpayers'
League of Portland.
J. N. Teal, Executive Chairman, L.
J. Goldsmith, Secretary, Corbett
Building.

An Agreeable Surprise.

"About three years ago when I
was suffering from a severe cold on
my lungs and coughed most of the
time night and day, I tried a bottle
of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and
was surprised at the promptness with
which it gave me relief," writes Mrs.
James Brown, Clark Mills, N. W.
Many another has been surprised and
pleased with the prompt relief afford-
ed by this remedy.

"It's difference of opinion," said
Mark Twain, "that makes a horse
race." It's difference of opinion—
and taste—and condition—that makes
the classified page a most effective
solution of most human perplexities.
Try a want ad for your trouble.

"Capital and Industry, Keep Out!"

WOULD YOU, AS A PATRIOTIC CITIZEN OF OREGON, PLACE SUCH A

SIGN ON THE BORDERS OF THE STATE?

That is exactly what you will help to do if you do nothing to prevent the passage of measure No. 314 and 315 on the November ballot entitled, "Constitutional Amendment Fixing Legal Rate of Interest in Oregon."

This measure proposes to limit the rate of interest in Oregon to 5 per cent. You can, by law, fix the rate of interest in Oregon, but you cannot, by law, force the loaning of money in this state, when a much higher rate can be secured elsewhere. The passage of this measure would force the withdrawal of the millions of foreign capital which is today loaned in factories, business and real estate in the state and send your local money owners outside of the state to better investments.

Passage of this measure would mean foreclosure of thousands of mortgages; would result in financial paralysis, and would mean widespread unemployment.

You, no doubt, understand the viciousness of this measure, but have you talked to your neighbors and friends about it. We urge you to do everything you can to defeat this measure. Oregon's reputa- tion as a sound state for investments requires that this measure be overwhelmingly defeated.

Vote 315 X No

And Urge Your Friends To Do Likewise.

STATE TAXPAYERS LEAGUE

(Paid Adv.)

The Telephone Situation

In the engineering of a telephone plant—switchboards, conduits, cables pole lines and general mechanical equipment—we have always tried to anticipate the growth of a community and provide therefor by advance construction. This course has enabled us to more promptly comply with requirements for service with better construction and at an ultimate expense less than that involved in waiting to meet demands as they arise.

In the war period we were unable to maintain this reserve plant, as the very things we needed for telephone purposes were required and necessarily taken for government purposes. The demand for telephone service did not decrease and our reserve facilities were practically absorbed in meeting it.

As every business man knows, the problems of reconstruction follow- ing the war have been acute and prolonged to an entirely unexpected de- gree. Unusual conditions are prevalent throughout the entire manufac- turing, mercantile and social world. The telephone industry has had to meet all the difficulties and handicaps of retarded production, distribution and transportation.

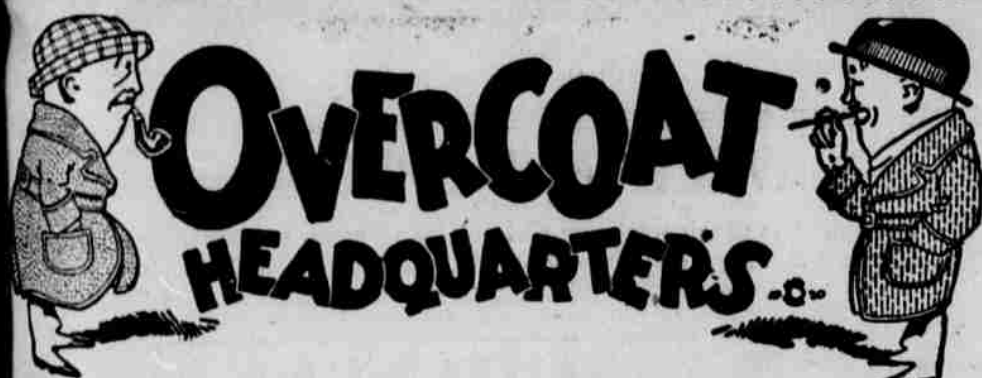
This advertisement is not meant to be one of apology, but one of ex- planation and even accomplishment. In the face of an unprecedented de- mand for telephone service in the last few months, hampered by the ex- haustion of our reserve plant and difficulty in securing materials, we have added more telephones thus far this year in the State of Oregon than in any similar period of telephone history.

In the State of Oregon, in the eight months ending August 31, we have added 6863 telephones. In the eight months ending July 31, 1917— before the war—we gained 2655 telephones.

In the State of Oregon we have approximately 2600 unfilled applica- tions for telephone service. A similar situation exists all over the United States. We will continue to secure all the equipment possible, and the desires of the public will be met as soon as it is humanly possible to do so.

The Telephone Company regrets the inconvenience to prospective subscribers. It is as anxious to give service as the patron is to receive it. The Company is doing all in its power to remedy conditions and furnish service in accordance with normal standards.

The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Comp'y



THERE is a faint haze over the landscape these days
in spite of the brilliancy of the sunlight—and there
is a certain uncertainty as to the proper price for you to
pay for your Autumn Clothes.

MEN'S OVERCOATS

These Overcoats include Big Warm Ulsters, Form-Fit-
ting Overcoats, Raglan Coats, in fact every kind of an
overcoat that is turned out by the manufacturers.

Cold Weather Goods

Mackinaws Sweaters
Wool Shirts,
Underwear Quilts
Blankets

Weathering it Afoot in Rain,

← Sleet or Snow →

will be a merry romp once all St. Helens feet are com-
fortable and dry in our rubber wear

E. M. HELON