American Legion

ON CHILD WELFARE

NEW YORK (Special) — C. C. Carstens, director of the Child Welfare League of America, one of the foremost authorities on care of children, believes that the American Legion has a real conception of the seriousness of the child welfare problem.

In addressing a letter to the members of his organization, Mr. Carstens discusses the action proposed to take responsibility for the welfare of orphans of all service men, as ratified to national convention.

The letter calls attention to an outline of the legion idea which recently appeared in a bulletin of the child welfare organization. This plan, wrote Mr. Carstens, is "deserving of consideration, and reflects the intelligentness of the legion's committee."

"The legion does not propose to relinquish control of the children to any one else," the letter continues. "Their care is to be a legion responsibility."

In suggesting as to how the Child Welfare league could contribute to the success in this work and how best to cooperate, Mr. Carstens wrote:

"We would suggest that pending cases of service men's children be the attention of legion posts organized to consider them, or to interested legion members. The point is, as we see it, is not to request the legion to undertake the entire care of children at once, but to work out methods of cooperation through United Charities in dealing with actual children who need help."

FAIRBANKS, Mass. (Special) — One half the case of the Americanization school conducted during the winter months for those seeking naturalization here has been borne by the American legion. A total of 13 nights was given over to instruction of the classes in English, both written and spoken, history, American government and hygiene.

BOSTON, Mass. (Special) — Alleging that conditions in this city for receiving foreigners of citizenship are little short of disgraceful, the Americanization commission of the Massachusetts American legion is making an effort to force improvement of the federal building.

According to the legion report, prospective citizens must stand for hours in two small rooms, and "are treated like animals." This, the legion committee contends, causes resentment in the minds of those seeking naturalization, and must lower their appreciation of American citizenship. The legion committee consists of Charles M. Herlihy chairman, James M. Cushing, and Anthony Sanfilippo, who declare if the conditions are not remedied they will appeal to authorities at Washington.

VIOLINIST ORDERED TO PLAY FOR PRISONERS

CHICAGO (INS) — The socialed inmates of the Bridewell here, with leisure to retend their arrest chart new paths to uprightness, are enjoying a month of music first-hand, after paying to depend on the radio.

Earl Carroll, who searched Sheriff to today James Lyons, violinist musician, told the [illegible] he lacked the money to pay a fine fine for intoxication.

"All right, Carl," responded the judge. "Tell the desk sergeant to send for your violin. I'm going to send you as a missionary to cheer up and entertain the boys at the Bridewell. They're probably fed up on opera, Johnny Jones and the rest of the radio folks."

KEEPERS OF MOLOKAI COLONY WANS NEWSPAPER OF THEIR OWN

HONOLULU (AP) — Inmates of the Kalaupapa leper settlement on the island of Molokai want a newspaper of their own, according to requests reaching John D. McVeigh, superintendent. McVeigh will be had not encouraged the idea but that the patients had been persistent in presenting it.

A few residents of the settlement who have money will back the new journal and are willing to purchase the necessary equipment. The sanction of the board of health has been requested.

JURIES FEAR TO PUNISH CRIME, IS JUDGE'S CLAIM

CLEVELAND, (INS) — Crime records because juries here convicts to convict, Judge Marcus A. Kavanaugh, of the Cuyahoga county (Cleveland) Superior Court said in an address here recently. "The Sword of Justice has been sheathed, the right hand of the Blind Goddess and she now has only a pair of scales," he declared.

He pointed out that Cleveland in 1923 had 63 murders—as many as were committed in all England and Wales—and that there were during the same year 10,556 homicides in the United States 5,700 of them deliberate murders.

"In Europe," Judge Kavanaugh continued, "punishment follows crime so swiftly the public considers the whole thing an impression. We want to teach a criminal at first but five months later we find no more relaxation.

"If you, a business man, are called to try a tangler you picture him as a hulking brute, with coarse features. You tell yourself you'll show Over judges how a barrister ought to be treated.

"The accused turns out to be a boy, whose old mother sits near him weeping and protesting his innocence.

"Your heart is touched. You know the man is guilty, but you argue' him to give him another chance.

"Another chance! The judge knows how many chances that boy has had. You have left the judge no leeway and have released another potential murderer.

"We Americans must enforce our crime laws. If we do we will find our major days taking care of themselves."

ATLANTA SCHOOL PLANS UNIQUE THEATRICAL IDEA

ATLANTA, Ga. (INS) — Unprecedented in entertainment annals of this city is a series of amateur theatrical performances arranged under the joint auspices of the North Boulevard Park Civic league and the Parent-Teacher association of a local school.

The first performance is to be staged with the "students" of the children in the school the base participants. The second performance will be participated in exclusively by the "teachers". The third performance will be staged by the children the teachers and the young men and women above school age. Proceeds of the entertainments go for a new school auditorium.

Artificial light will make a hen lay more, and a bricklayer won't lay more when he is lit up.

CAMPAIGN IS GAINING SPEED

Drive to Clear Highways of Signboards Is Progressing in a Rapid Fashion.

NEW YORK (AP) — The auto leagues of sharing highways which dot the nation's highways from coast to coast are doomed and will be largely done away with, if the campaign of the national committee for restriction of outdoor advertising is successfully carried out. Its purpose is to preserve the scenic beauty of the country's roadways and to eliminate the unsightly billboards which line every vacant space in the cities, already has been indorsed by 16 national advertisers, according to Mrs. W. L. Laxton, committee chairman.

Efforts to do away with the signs are now being directed by the committee in nine states and eventually it is planned to extend the movement throughout the nation.

The national organizations is at present cooperating with 41 civic, social and other leaders, 13 of which are national, including the Federation of Women's Clubs and the Garden Clubs of America.

In a campaign to preserve civic values the support of chambers of commerce and merchants' associations also has been enlisted. It was pointed out that the committee is not seeking to eliminate the use of outdoor advertising, but to restrict it to commercial locations.

The work of removing these unsightly encroachments along the Lake Desolge Highway in the Adirondacks already has been begun by a number of national advertisers, and the Standard Oil companies of New York and New Jersey are at present extending it throughout their districts.

Other national advertisers which have indorsed the committee's program are Kirkman & Son, Kelly-Springfield Tire Company, Pillsbury Flour Mills company, Washburn Crosby company, Champion Spark Plug company, B. F. Goodrich Rubber company, Sun Oil company, Hood Rubber company, Ajax Rubber company, Ward Baking company, Dodge Brothers, Gulf Refining company, Texas company and Fleischmann company.

READ THE CLASSIFIED ADS

L. S. WHITE, 4 FEET LONG, AMAZES CANADIAN COURT

CANADA (INS) — The undersigned as a will in a [illegible] in Canada is [illegible] four feet long, [illegible] the work of that document. Judge [illegible] of the county, where the [illegible] of Victoria, B. C., received a will with an endorsement coming to a [illegible] of four feet two inches. The action is due to the Hind Rubber company as plaintiff against the Independent Rubber company, of San Francisco, as defendant, over $2,812 in a disputed account.

Call for Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the Commission of the City of La Grande, Oregon, for the construction of the improvement in Improvement District number 146 within the City of La Grande, Oregon, according to the plans and specifications of said improvement, now on file in the office of the City Recorder of said city. A deposit of $5.00 will be required for set of plans and specifications, which amount will be refunded if bidder is unsuccessful and returns same to this office.

Bids will be received to the hour of seven-thirty p. m. May 5th, 1924, at the commission room in the city building at La Grande, Oregon, and must be accompanied by a certified check in the amount of ten per cent of the amount bid as a guarantee of the acceptance and completion of contract if awarded.

Checks will be returned to unsuccessful bidders.

The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Commission April 23rd, 1924.

J. E. STRAINS,
Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon.

Apr. 26-10t

Call for Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the Commission of the City of La Grande, Oregon, for the construction of the improvement in Improvement District number 139, within the city of La Grande, Oregon, according to the plans and specifications of said improvement, now on file in the office of the City Recorder of said city. A deposit of $5.00 will be required for set of plans and specifications, which amount will be refunded if bidder is unsuccessful, and returns same to this office.

Bids will be received to the hour of seven-thirty p. m. April 30th, 1924, at the commission room in the city building at La Grande, Oregon, and must be accompanied by a certified check in the amount of ten per cent of the amount bid as a guarantee of the acceptance and completion of contract if awarded. Checks will be returned to unsuccessful bidders.

The commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Commission April 16th, 1924.

J. E. STRAINS,
Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon.

Apr. 17-10t

Citation.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Union County.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry F. Perkins, Deceased.

Lillian Adams, Gwen Purrington, Grace G. Fogg and Paul S. Griffith, Plaintiffs,

vs.

J. E. Resnick, and all persons unknown or unknown having or claiming any interest as heirs or distributers in the above estate of Henry F. Perkins, deceased, Defendants.

To J. E. Resnick, and all persons unknown or unknown, having or claiming any interest as heirs or distributers in the above estate of Henry F. Perkins, deceased, now in course of probate at La Grande, Union County, Oregon.

In the name of the State of Oregon: You and each of you are hereby cited and required to appear before the Judge of the County Court in and for Union County, Oregon, of the Court House at said city of La Grande, Union County, Oregon, on June 20th, 1924, at 10 A. M. of said day, and show cause if any there be, why the rights as to heirship and right of distribution as heirs or distributers of the estate of said Henry F. Perkins, deceased, should not be found and determined as set forth and prayed for in the petition of the plaintiffs herein.

C. F. McCORMICK,
County Clerk.

Dated at La Grande, Union County, Oregon, this 21st day of March 1924.

Cochran & Eberhard, La Grande, Oregon; C. T. Hans, 210 Exchange Bldg., Portland, Oregon, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

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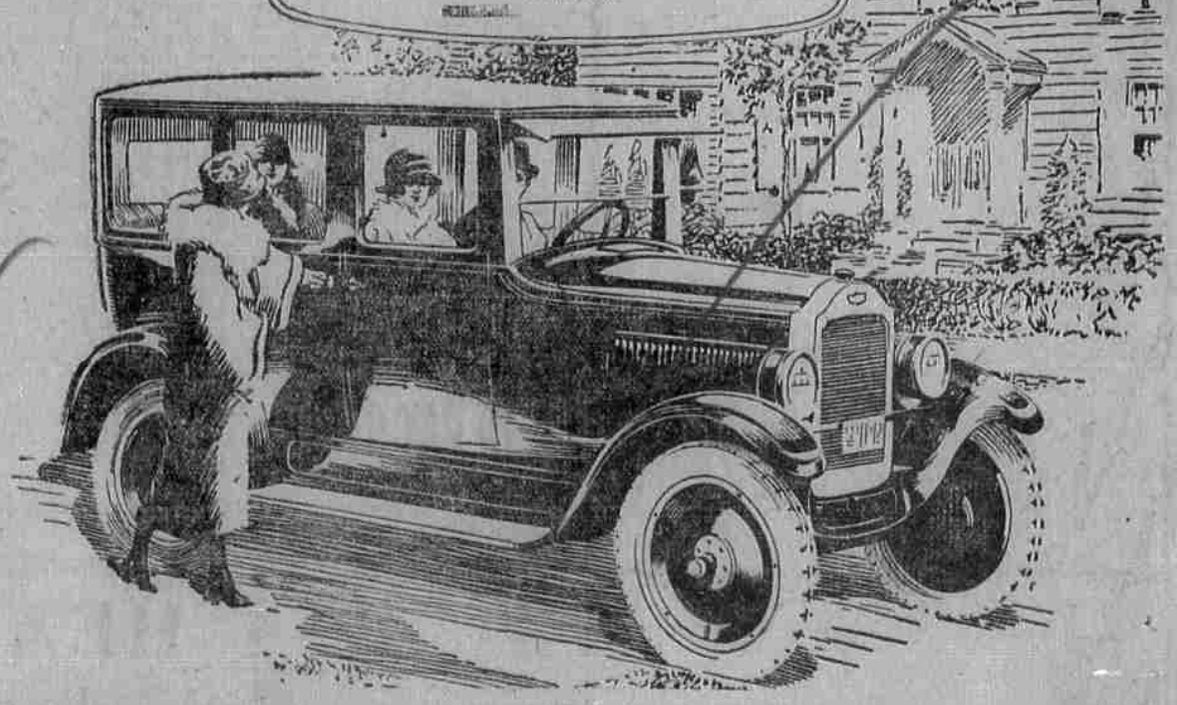

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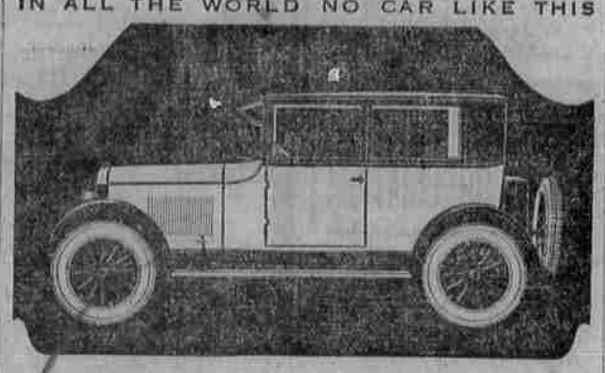

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The Week Of April 27th to May 3rd has been set aside for the Better Homes Movement for this community. The former Y. M. C. A. building will be the center of attractive displays by the merchants and material men of the city who are cooperating to make this movement a big success. Instructive programs consisting of music, talks and helpful suggestions for the betterment of the home and community will be given each afternoon and evening. There will be helpful suggestions for the planning, building, furnishing and upkeep of the home as well as plans for the betterment of the home problem for this community.

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