

Chief of Police's Notice of Sale of Real Property For Delinquent Street Assessment Installments.

Notice is hereby given that the Recorder of the City of Independence, Oregon, has transmitted to me a warrant for the collection of delinquent and unpaid installments on the assessment for the improvement of 1st street by grading the same to sub-grade, paving the same the full width of said street from curb line to curb line with concrete base and a concrete top dressing thereon, commencing at South end of the bridge over Ash creek South to south line of D street in said City, in front of hereinafter described real property in said City, and which assessment was in the sum of \$229.80, payable in 10 annual installments, of which the first 6 installments have been paid in the sum of \$134.06, together with the interest thereon for the 6 years covered by said installments so paid, in the sum of \$51.26; and the 7th and 8th of said installments are now delinquent and unpaid in the sum of \$48.26 with two years' interest due August 31st, 1918, in the sum of \$11.50, and said installments and said interest are now delinquent and unpaid and have been for more than 30 days prior to this date, namely since August 31st, 1918; and that pursuant to said warrant, the charter and ordinances of said City, I have levied upon and will on the 30th day of June, 1919, at the hour of one o'clock P. M. thereof at the front door of the city hall in said City, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand to satisfy said delinquent installments and the unpaid installment of said assessment, and interest due thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from August 31st, 1917, to date of sale, cost of said warrant, cost of sale and accruing costs due upon each tract or parcel of land as hereinafter described, and that each tract or parcel of land will be sold separately, and subject to redemption, which land is described as follows, to-wit:—Beginning at the S. E. corner of Lot 3 in Block 1; running thence North 24 ft., thence West 74½ ft.; thence South 24 ft.; thence East 74½ ft. to place of beginning; also, beginning at N. E. corner of lot 4 in Block 1, and running thence South 36 ft.; thence West 74½ ft.; thence North 36 ft.; thence East 74½ ft. to place of beginning, and all situate in Henry Hill's Town of Independence, Polk county, Oregon, assessed to Ole Peterson, and owned by Winslow & Endicott of Salem, Oregon. That the delinquent and unpaid installments of said assessment amounts to the sum of \$95.74, of which \$38.30 is against said 1st described tract of land, and \$57.44 is against the 2nd described tract of land.

Dated, May 30th, 1919.
F. O. PARKER,
Chief of Police.

Special election Tuesday, June 3. Several important measures.

Chief of Police's Notice of Sale of Real Property For Delinquent Street Assessment Installments.

Notice is hereby given that the Recorder of the City of Independence, Oregon, has transmitted to me a warrant for the collection of delinquent and unpaid installments on the assessment for the improvement of "C" street by grading the same to sub-grade, paving the same the full width thereof from curb line to curb line, with a concrete base and bitucete top dressing and building concrete curb lines thereon, commencing at the West line of 2nd street and running West to the West line of 7th street in front of the hereinafter described real property in said City, and which assessment was in the sum of \$236.68, payable in 10 annual installments, of which the first three have been paid in the sum of \$71.01, together with interest thereon for the 3 years covered by said installments so paid, in the sum of \$38.34; and the 4th installment is now delinquent and unpaid in the sum of \$23.67 with one year's interest due January 1st, 1919, in the sum of \$9.94, and said installment and said interest are now delinquent and unpaid and have been for more than 30 days prior to this date, namely since January 1st, 1919; and that pursuant to said warrant, the charter and ordinances of said City, I have levied upon and will on the 30th day of June, 1919, at the hour of one o'clock P. M. thereof, at the front door of the city hall in said city, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand to satisfy said delinquent installment and the unpaid installments of said assessment, and the interest due thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from January 1st, 1918, to the date of sale, cost of warrant, cost of sale and accruing costs due upon said tract of land as hereinafter described, and that said tract of land will be sold subject to redemption, and which land is described as follows, to-wit:—The East one-half of Lot 5 in Block 29, in Henry Hill's Town of Independence, Polk County, Oregon, assessed to C. B. & May Smith, and owned by J. G. Mickelson of Falls City, Oregon. That the delinquent and unpaid installments of said assessment amounts to the sum of \$165.67.

Dated, May 30th, 1919.
F. O. PARKER,
Chief of Police.

Paid \$205 Dollars for Keg of Water.

A Portland man paid \$205 for a keg of water one day this week. Of course he didn't know it was water.

A Metric Bit for Marjorie

(Dean Collins in Portland Telegram)
The Polk County Post, coming by marked copy from Clyde Ecker, of Independence, hath a little paragraph in it which runs as follows:
"Marjorie wants Dean Collins to write something she can paste in her scrapbook. And whatever Dean might write for Marjorie should go something like this:
"As honey from the flowers the bee doth sip,
He tries to be loving and bites at her lip."
Probably the editor of The Post is better acquainted with Marjorie than we, but he's wrong about what we should write. What we will write for Marjorie's scrapbook must go something like this:

Marjorie
A metric song for Marjorie, for Marjorie, for Marjorie,
A rhyme her scrapbook to adorn and brighten up its page,
What shall I write hantgtot etao
What shall I sing for Marjorie, some rhyming thing for Marjorie,
That has a swing for Marjorie her her fancy to engage?
I know not much of Marjorie, of Marjorie, of Marjorie,
Or whether old or young is she, or yet brunette or blonde.
Is she a tiny Marjorie, a baby bit of Marjorie,
Or is it grownup Marjorie of whom I must be fond?

Oh, listen, blue-eyed Marjorie, my dainty, dew-eyed Marjorie,
To pleasure you I'd—Marjorie, I'd do most anything;
I'd sing for blue-eyed Marjorie, for gentle true-eyed Marjorie—
But maybe brown-eyed Marjorie are you to whom I sing.
Brunette or blonde, my Marjorie, of you I'm fond, my Marjorie;
My word and bond, my Marjorie, I give to serve your whim;
I'll write a verse for Marjorie, I will rehearse for Marjorie,
And none the worse for Marjorie my rippling rhymes I'll trim.

And if your ears, O, Marjorie, this singing cheers, O, Marjorie,
Just seize your shears, O, Marjorie, and clip the verse in haste,
The verse I wrote for Marjorie, a metric note to Marjorie,
And bade it float to Marjorie for her to clip and paste.

River Refuses to Give Up It's Dead.

(Benton County Courier)
Seven days have passed and the mystery surrounding the disappearance of Rev. J. Cronenberger remains unsolved.
Admitting that the body is in the river the efforts of the searchers have been unrewarded although dynamiting has been done Saturday and again today in an effort to bring it to the surface.
From Tuesday until Thursday night the grapplers kept at work and every possible inch of the river's bottom was probed without success. The same people had been on the job for three days and at last it was decided to keep a strict patrol of the river until later.
Saturday afternoon a number of charges of blasting powder were exploded about the edge of the bank where it was thought most likely that the body had lodged. This, afternoon the blasting has been continued over more territory. The west bank of the river carries the current for almost a quarter of a mile and the entire distance was covered with underwater shocks.
The original plan to throw a fence across the river had to be given up because of the force of the current and instead a boat is kept on the water and three trips are made daily for a distance of six or seven miles down stream and back. There is always the possibility of the body passing in the night but this cannot be cared for in any other manner than the one being employed.

Rise in Social Status.

(Knoxville Journal.)
The bootlegger we patronize usually says when he was a bartender few of his customers appeared to notice him on the street, while now they follow him around like he's some distinguished visitor.
Dean Collins suggests that a monument be erected to the drummer who killed the man who started jazz music.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 29, of Independence, Polk County, State of Oregon, that the ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING of said District will be held at The Public School Building; to begin at the hour of 8 o'clock P. M. on the third Monday of June, being the 16th day of June, A. D. 1919.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing One Director to serve three years and one clerk to serve one year and the transaction of business usual at such meeting.
Dated this 24th day of May, 1919.
J. S. BOHANNON,
Chairman Board of Directors.

Attest:—
HATTIE HENKLE,
District Clerk.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING

Notice is hereby given To the legal voters of School District No. 29 of Polk County, State of Oregon, that a SCHOOL MEETING of said district will be held at Public School Building on the 16th day of June, 1919, at 8 o'clock in the afternoon to vote on the proposition of levying a special district tax.

The total amount of money needed by the district during the fiscal year beginning on June 16th, 1919, and ending on June 30th, 1920, is estimated in the following budget and includes the amounts to be received from the county school fund, state school fund, special district tax, and all other moneys of the district:

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	
1. Teachers' salaries.....	\$666.00
2. Furniture	250.00
3. Apparatus and supplies, such as maps, chalk, erasers, stoves, curtains, etc.	500.00
4. Library books	100.00
5. Flags	50.00
6. Repairs of schoolhouses, outbuildings or fences.....	250.00
7. Improving grounds
8. Playground equipment.....	50.00
9. Transportation of pupils
10. Tuition of pupils.....
11. Janitor's wages.....	1000.00
12. Janitor's supplies.....	75.00
13. Fuel	500.00
14. Light	45.00
15. Water	45.00
16. Clerk's salary	115.00
17. Postage and stationery.....	25.00
18. For the payment of bonded debt and interest thereon, issued under Sections 117, 144 to 148, and 422 of the School Laws of Oregon, 1917	2065.00
19. Telephone	22.00
20. Paving assessment	140.00
21. Insurance	150.00
22. All other purposes.....	200.00
23. Sinking fund and High School Bonds	2000.00
24. Total estimated amount of money to be expended for all purposes during the year	\$14,242.00

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS.	
From county school fund during the coming school year	\$2850.00
From state school fund during the coming school year	2125.00
Cash now in the hands of the district clerk.....	1300.00
Cash now in the hands of the county treasurer, belonging to the district.....
Estimated amount to be received from all other sources during the coming school year	2350.00
Total estimated receipts, not including the money to be received from the tax which it is proposed to vote	\$8625.00

RECAPITULATION	
Total estimated expenses for the year	\$14,242.00
Total estimated receipts not including the tax to be voted	8,625.00
Balance, amount to be raised by district tax	\$5,617.00

Dated this 24th day of May, 1919.
J. S. BOHANNON,
Chairman Board of Directors.
Attest:—
HATTIE HENKLE,
District Clerk.
Celebrate in Independence.

DANCE

INDEPENDENCE
WEDNESDAY
JUNE 4

Music by the
Celebrated Fillotson's
Singing and Dancing
Jazz Dance Orchestra

TRoubles of the Farmer

"Put out poisoned wheat to kill the squirrels" is the substance of advice by County Agriculturist Smith of Coos County.
"Poisoned wheat kills the birds that kill the pests that kill more crops than the squirrels kill, and besides its against the law to put out the wheat and I'll have the law on any farmer that kills birds with poisoned wheat" is the substance of an ultimatum from Game Warden Thomas.
Both officials represent the state of Oregon. What is the pest-ridden, squirrel-bitten former to do? His life is one long fight with microbes, vermin, weather, rodents, dogs, blight, frost, bacilli, pheasants and hunters who break down his fences or leave his gates open to let stock in on whatever crops the pests have the farmers to get together in earnest of the state of Oregon owe it to not eaten or destroyed. The author est to tell him what to do that he may be saved, instead of fighting each other.—Oregon Voter.

Extra! "Podunk" Located

(From the Congressional Record.)
Mr. CAMPBELL of Kansas. A man who will take \$50 a month and go and sit at an Indian agency is not worth two whoops in Podunk.
Mr. UPSHAW. I would like to ask a question just as a matter of information. I am a new man here. I would like to have the gentleman please give us the geographical position of Podunk. [Laughter.]
Mr. CAMPBELL of Kansas. I think it is down in Georgia, if you have any Indians down there. [Laughter.]
Mr. UPSHAW. I deny the allegation, but I do not defy the "allegator."
Mr. CAMPBELL of Kansas. This man that have referred to is, of course, a total failure as a farmer. He does not know, in the first place, how to feed or milk a cow. He does not know how to take care of a half a dozen shoats. He does not know how to take care of a pair of mules. He knows absolutely nothing about farming, and therefore can teach nothing to the Indians, and yet he is the farmer at the agency, and the money that is paid to him and the money that is expended under his direction results in no good to the Indians.
The future welfare of the Indian makes it necessary, however that he shall be taught farming.

PRICES 63 YEARS AGO.

Somebody dug up an old copy of the Salem Statesman of 1856 the other day and found the following list of prices: Wheat \$1, oats 62c, potatoes 50c, beans 2c, bacon 11c, butter 20c eggs 15c and flour \$4 a hundred.

348 New Laws

Three hundred and forty-eight new state laws take effect in Oregon today, one for each week day in the year and a few odd ones for Sundays.—Salem Capital Journal.

A Crook Play that is Different.

"De luxe Annie," Norma Talmadge's latest Select Picture, which will be shown on Monday and Tuesday, June 2nd and 3rd at the Isis Theatre, is vastly different from the average crook play, and, by the same token, infinitely superior. It is the story of a finely bred woman whose husband is interested in criminal psychology and who is herself transformed into a criminal by accident. The crime she practises is the "de-luxe game," an adaptation of the old badger game in which the woman poses as a seller of de-luxe editions and inveigles some individual with a weakness for pretty girls, whereupon her male confederate breaks into the scene and blackmails the victim whom he has found in an embarrassing position with his "wife".
Norma Talmadge is especially suited for the title role in this screen drama since it calls for not only beauty, style and a high order of artistry in the star, but also for an innate intelligence and an intellectual background vouchsafed by the gods to but few of us. Miss Talmadge's performance, however—and her myriad admirers need hardly be told this—brings out every shade of emotional feeling in her portrayal of this crook part, lifting it far out of the commonplace by the force of her vivid personality as well as by the odd psychological twist of the story.
"De Luxe Annie" appeared as a two-part story in The Saturday Evening Post; later it was made into a play by Edward Clark and achieved considerable success in New York. After considerable competition for the photo play rights to this metropolitan stage "hit", Select Pictures Corporation secured it for Norma Talmadge's Select Star Series. The scenario for the screen production was prepared by Paul West and the direction is by Roland West.
Miss Talmadge's leading man is Eugene O'Brien, who performed a similar function in "Ghosts of Yesterday" and "By Right of Purchase" for this star; another important male role has been entrusted to Frank Mills, whose polished acting is familiar to both playgoers and film fans. Other leading members of the cast include Edward Davis, Fred R. Stanton, Joseph Burke, David Burns and little Harriet Jenkins—a winning aggregation in the support of the supreme star.
The play is keyed with suspense and moves swiftly from one transition to another. It is an absorbing story with a deep human interest and a tremendous surprise at the close. As the fifth of Norma Talmadge's Select Star Series productions, it lives up to the high standards she has raised for herself and marks another red-letter day for Select Pictures.

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"Maybe nobody has told you" says the Good Judge—

Why this good tobacco costs less to chew. You get real tobacco satisfaction with a small chew. It gives you the good tobacco taste. It lasts and lasts. You don't need a fresh chew so often. It saves you money.



THE REAL TOBACCO CHEW

put up in two styles

RIGHT CUT is a short-cut tobacco
W-B CUT is a long fine-cut tobacco

Told by the Bank Book

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What About the Valuable Papers

ARE you carrying or burying your deeds, notes, mortgages, insurance policies, bonds and other valuable papers? If so, you are in danger of loss from fire, theft and forgetfulness. Better pay the small annual rent on one of those Farmers State Bank Safe Deposit Boxes and be SAFE instead of SORRY.

"The Headquarters Bank"

C. W. IRVINE, President.
J. B. PARKER, Vice President.
C. G. IRVINE, Cashier.
L. C. FITZGERALD, Asst. Cashier.



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