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Meaning of Name Enid

The name Enid is of Celtic-Latin origin and means "the soul, or spirit." In Tennyson's "Idyls of the King" Enid was the wife of the knight, Geraint, and a model of beauty and virtue.

WASTEFUL GOVERNMENT'S BEST FRIEND.

Many oil companies advertise the price of gasoline in this fashion: "Gas, 15 cents a gallon; state and federal tax, 6 cents; total, 21 cents."

If similar methods of illustrating the price of all products were employed, the American consumer would get the shock of his life.

When you buy a five-dollar pair of shoes, a dollar or more is for taxes. When you pay a three-dollar electric bill, 50 or 60 cents represents taxes. When you buy a forty-dollar suit, close to ten dollars goes for taxes.

You can't dodge taxation—unless you're a hermit living in the hills. On a normal day, you pay taxes a dozen times, though you may not know it—when you drive your car, ride a trolley, eat lunch, or make a purchase. When the American people get this truth through their heads, there will be a drive for economy in government that will get somewhere. For ignorance of the facts is a wasteful government's best friend.

NEEDED MOST.

If we had our wish for 1939, we would spread prosperity, peace and happiness over the entire section of the country. Lacking the power to make this wish come true, we can only express a hope for a wish that is possible. There is a sad need for closer cooperation between the peoples of this section. During our brief sojourn in this locality we have never seen any sort of proposal receive 100 percent support. For progress, for development and for the things that make life worthwhile, living together is a matter of getting together and a matter of giving and taking. No individual is able to dominate the affairs of his fellow citizens. Marriage, social relationship and factors affecting the welfare of the human race are all dependent on our ability to get along with each other.

PROSPECTS FOR 1939.

Hope springs eternal and for this reason one rarely hears a gloomy prediction at the beginning of the new year for the next twelve months. The public predictions for 1939 have all been bright just as they have been on every other new year. After all why should we not be optimistic? A lot of seemingly impossible tasks have been accomplished through hope, faith and energy.

Most of us have no doubt wished that we could remove the veil of time and look into the future years, but could we do this we would have little or nothing to live for in many instances. As it is we live hopefully and many times live down hard luck and adversity, which might be hard to face could we foretell future events.

As far as we know local conditions, we can truthfully say that the outlook for expansion in practically all lines of construction looks better and south Lane county ought to make progress in more than one way in the next twelve months.

In trying to guess what the national outlook will be so far as politics will play a part, one guess is as good as another. One might try to determine whether or not the national administration will make a serious effort to stabilize conditions in 1939 to be maintained in 1940, but at best this is a wild guess. Fortunately or unfortunately no political party can absolutely control factors that make for good or bad times.

County Agent's Annual Report

Summary of work carried on through office of O. S. Fletcher, county agent, for the period December 1, 1937 to December 1, 1938:

Farm Crops.

1. E. G. Harwood, route 1, Springfield, harvested 1,800 pounds of re-cleaned seed of Saniam barley, the new winter hardy variety developed by the Oregon Experiment station, from a demonstration plot planted in January with seed obtained by the county agent. All of the seed grown by Mr. Harwood was planted by him this fall on clean ground so that a fairly large supply of seed of this variety should be available in the fall of 1939.

2. Conducted one demonstration to compare Re Sota and Schoolman oats for forage purposes. Re Sota oats were taller and leafier than Schoolman and give promise as a rust resistant forage variety for the coast section of the county.

3. Continued cooperative arrangements whereby Schoolman seed oats are grown in the Willamette valley part of the county for farmers of the coast section.

4. Conducted two demonstrations to compare Wisconsin No. 90 hybrid field corn with Minnesota No. 13. None of the corn made a satisfactory growth, but no difference could be noticed between the two varieties in either demonstration.

5. Continued and visited three forage crops nurseries established on cut-over land in the fall of 1937. Practically all crops planted in these demonstrations became well established.

6. Forage crops nurseries were established in the spring of 1938 on the farms of Fred G. Knox, route 3, Eugene, and V. E. Dwyer, Florence. Twenty-five different crops were planted on the farm of Mr. Knox and twenty-one on the Dwyer farm. Only fair stands were obtained because of the dry weather.

7. Final certification tags were sealed on bags containing 25,764

pounds of Willamette seed clover and 1,863 pounds of T.A.R. red clover grown in 1937.

8. Fourteen farmers had a total of 491 acres of bent grass inspected in the fields for seed certification in 1938. There were 288 acres of Seaside Bent and 203 acres of Highland Bent inspected.

9. Inspected 190 acres of English ryegrass for seed certification on ten farms. Of this acreage, only forty acres on one farm passed for seed certification. This farm produced 7,600 pounds of blue tag seed.

10. Thirty-four acres of Ladino clover on four farms, forty-nine acres of Willamette sweet clover on three farms, and twenty-five acres of T.A.R. red clover on one farm were inspected for seed certification.

11. Thirty-five acres of land where Bartlett Johnston of Saginaw, planted T.A.R. red clover for seed production were inspected prior to planting in accordance with certification requirements.

12. Thirty Lane county growers of Austrian winter field peas, representing approximately ninety (Concluded on page 6.)

David W. Eccles of Portland and state budget director and executive secretary to Governor Charles A. Sprague Tuesday.

Registration at the University of Oregon at Eugene increased seven percent it was said Tuesday. Total enrollment at that time was given as 2780 students.

Use of Glass Fiber

As far back as the Fourteenth century, the Venetians produced glass fiber. In 1892 an American glass company manufactured a dress of silk fabric interwoven with strands of glass thread, and exhibited it at the Columbian exposition.

Credit Abraham for Alphabet

The Mohammedans credit Abraham for the invention of the alphabet and the founding of astronomy.

CHURCHES

Methodist Episcopal church, Ellsworth M. Tilton, Pastor—Sunday school, 9:45; forenoon service, 11, sermon subject, "Beyond the Deed." Evening sermon subject, "The Eternal Imperative." The youth chorus and the orchestra will participate in the evening service. Young people's meetings, Intermediate and Epworth Leagues, 7:30. The Fireside Study Group 8:30. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30.

Cottage Grove Lutheran church (Missouri Synod), S. D. A. church building, West Main street. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Lutheran Hour over KORE every Sunday at 1:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend our service and Sunday school. —W. A. Sylvester, Roseburg, pastor.

Church of the Nazarene, C. E. Thayer, pastor—Sunday school 9:45. Morning worship 11:00. Young people's meeting 7:00. Evening service 7:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday night, 7:30.

Catholic Church, Father Anthony Gerace. —Mass each Sunday at 9:30 a. m., except the third Sunday when the hour is 8 a. m.

First Baptist church, Henry W. Davis, Pastor—Sunday school, 10. Mrs. K. K. Mills, superintendent; forenoon service, 11, sermon subject, "The Work and Glory of Christ," followed by the communion service. Evening service, 7:30, sermon subject, "How Much Better is a Man Than a Sheep, or the Worth and Dignity of Man." Young people's meetings at 7:30. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 7:30. Study: "Who is My Neighbor?"

First Christian Church, Edward L. Kechley, Minister. 9:45 a. m. Bible school. A place for every member of the family. 11:00 a. m. Morning Worship. Anthem. Sermon—"Stewardship". 6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Five groups meeting for study and discussion. 7:30 p. m. Evening Service. Praise and prayer service. Evangelistic sermon. 7:30 p. m. Thursday Young People's Bible study. 7:30 p. m. Friday, choir rehearsal.

Christian Science Society, 242 Second St.—Sunday school, 9:45; forenoon service, 11, subject, "Sacrament." Evening service, second Wednesday of each month at 8 p. m.; The Bible, Christian Science literature and the writings of Mary Baker Eddy may be borrowed or purchased before and after the Wednesday service.

Members of the Methodist church will gather in the dining room of the church Friday evening honoring the Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Reynolds and daughter Juanita, who are leaving next week for Idaho where the Rev. Reynolds has accepted a pastorate.

The men of the Methodist church will sponsor a church night Monday, January 16. At the covered dish supper at 6:30 the men will provide oyster soup and coffee. All friends and members of the church are invited. An interesting program has been arranged.

Friday night the intermediate class of boys of the Methodist Sunday School will go with their teacher, Rev. Tilton, to the Midway rink for an evening of roller skating.

CALOMEL ON SEED TRIED AS NEW MAGGOT CONTROL

The use of mercurous chloride, commonly known as calomel, as a seed treatment to prevent the damage from onion maggots, will be given thorough field tests this coming season as a result of promising results obtained by the OSC experiment station in plot trials last year.

Plots where treated seed was sown produced 70 per cent more onions than adjoining plots untreated. Various spray tests were also made and a few looked promising, but more hope is held out for success with the seed treatment as it would be lower in cost and easier to apply than either spraying or dusting.

Studies on the control of onion maggot, the most serious pest of this crop, and of several onion diseases were conducted under the terms of a special appropriation provided by the last legislature. Preliminary results are given in the recent illustrated bulletin, "Special Agricultural Investigations."

Birds Can Fly at Birth

Birds that can fly immediately after being hatched are the mound builders of Australia and certain South Sea islands. The young are hatched fully feathered and are able to fly and live an independent life when they emerge from the shell.

Few Escape Devil's Island

When a prisoner escapes from Devil's island, French Guiana, South America, there is no sounding of alarms since the possibility of escape is remote. If the sharks don't get him the jungle usually will.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"GOD was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 1.

The Golden Text was, "Thus saith the Lord the King of Israel and his redeemer the Lord of hosts; I am the first, and I am the last; and beside me there is no God" (Isa. 44:6).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Remember the former things of old: for I am God, and there is none like me, Declaring the end from the beginning, and from ancient times the things that are not yet done, saying, My counsel shall stand, and I will do all my pleasure" (Isa. 46:9,10).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following correlative passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "God is the Principle of divine metaphysics. As there is but one God, there can be but one divine Principle of all Science; and there must be fixed rules for the demonstration of this divine Principle. . . Principle is absolute. It admits of no error, but rests upon understanding" (pp. 112, 283).

Presbyterian Church, James A. Smith, Pastor—Sunday 9:45 a. m. Bible School for all ages. 11 a. m. Morning worship. The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered. The theme of the communion meditation will be "The Meaning of the Word Sacrament as Used by the Church." The vested choir will sing an anthem. 6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor society meeting. 7:30 p. m. evening service, them of message—"Present Day Persecution of Christians."

700 APPLICATIONS

About 700 applications have been filed with the Woodson Motors, deputy license collector for 1939 auto plates, it was learned yesterday. One resident of Eugene who was driving with a 1938 plate was taken into justice court there and fined for being tardy, it was said. Several local drivers were warned.

Tremendous Trifles

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

COW THAT STARTED A WAR

SHE was only a skinny, foot-sore old cow, abandoned by a party of emigrants on the Oregon trail, but she was found there by a Miniconjou Sioux Indian. He needed a piece of hide to patch his worn moccasins, so he killed her. When this was reported at Fort Laramie, that cow suddenly became very valuable, so her owner declared. The Indians offered to pay him \$10. He wanted \$25 and the Indians refused.

Then Lieutenant Grattan, young, inexperienced and hot-headed, obtained permission to go into the Miniconjou camp and arrest the Indian who had killed the cow. There was a dispute. Suddenly the soldiers opened fire and within a few minutes Grattan and all his men were dead—victims of his obstinacy.

Soon afterwards, Col. W. S. Harney was sent with an army to "punish" the "hostiles." Harney surrounded the camp of a Bruile chief, Little Thunder, and demanded that the slayers of Grattan be given up. Little Thunder could not comply for his people had nothing to do with the tragedy.

So Harney attacked and there followed the so-called Battle of Ash Hollow, with its shameful record of 80 friendly Indians slaughtered, among them many women and children, five wounded and about 70 women and children captured. Small wonder that the Sioux learned to hate the white men and to fight them bitterly for the next 20 years. And an old worn-out cow was one of the causes of it. var!

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Continental Divide a Watershed
The Continental divide is a watershed created by mountain ranges or table-lands of the Rocky mountains and extends from Mexico to Canada.

First Medical Congress
The Congress Medico Romane held the first medical congress at Rome in 1682

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"Plough deep and you will have plenty of corn."

JANUARY

- 1—Parcel post system established in the United States, 1913.
- 2—Georgia ratified the constitution of the United States, 1788.
- 3—"Life," the humor magazine, was first issued, 1893.
- 4—The first radio chain broadcast was made, 1923.
- 5—Capt. Dreyfus degraded and sent to Devil's island, 1895.
- 6—George Washington and Martha Custis were married, 1759.
- 7—The English lost the city of Calais, 1568.

Area of Australia
The commonwealth of Australia has an area of 2,974,581 square miles; the United States (excluding possessions) has an area of 3,026,789 square miles.

Assert Wolf Does Not Attack
Both the United States Biological survey and the Hudson's Bay company have made exhaustive research into whether or not a wolf will attack a human, and there has never been discovered an authenticated case of such attack.

FOR RENT—Three room furnished apartment. 1404 West Main. 21-1tp

CARD OF THANKS

To all our friends who were so kind and thoughtful during the illness and death of our loved one, and for the beautiful flowers, we extend our heartfelt thanks.
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