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CUTTING OUT THE TAX EXEMPTIONS.

There is a movement on foot at the present time to eliminate the tax exemption on all real property. It is our information that this movement, we think a worthy one, will likely have the support of the grange organizations. Such a movement might work a hardship on some organizations, but the ultimate benefits would more than offset the extra burden it might place on some organizations classed as charitable. If home ownership is to be encouraged as it should be, our present method of taxation should be modernized to meet a new condition and a growing demand for more taxes.

There are state-owned buildings which are being rented in competition with privately-owned buildings subject to taxation. And there are municipally-owned utilities, such as Eugene now has, which the entire county is helping to pay for. The amount paid outside the city of Eugene may be negligible, but nevertheless these small amounts counted perhaps in fractions of the mill are what makes our tax rate and our rates are high or low according to the number of items we may budget for.

Moreover when we take into consideration the small portion of the state privately owned and subject to taxation, we get an insight into what the real estate owner is up against in trying to support the city, county and state institutions.

For several years there have been discussions on the advisability of taxing all real property, practically everyone agrees that our present methods of assessment should be changed, but up to date nothing concrete has been done about it. And until the real estate owner decides to do something, the matter of modernizing our tax system will remain a worthy objective; nothing more.

GERMAN OPTIMISM ON WANE.

The tone of the German press has undergone a curious change. For instance, in a recent article propaganda director Goebbels seemed actually pessimistic as to Germany's chances. It didn't say that in clear words, of course, but the intimation was that the Reich had a mighty tough job on her hands and that victory was far away.

It is generally believed in military quarters that the blitz technique has finally failed. It worked with France, Poland, the Low Countries and elsewhere. But it didn't work with England. And it isn't working with Russia.

The war is becoming more or less stabilized. It is turning into a war of resources. Hitler's prime concern now is to organize German-controlled Europe into the vast producing machine that the Nazi armies need. And the democracies' prime concern is to outproduce him in all fields.

Mr. Churchill's recent statement to the effect that the British air force is at last equal to Germany's is not regarded as bragging by those who have access to the facts. England has done wonders in building up air power, and American aid is substantial and increasing. The democracies are gaining ground now—but they have a long way to go still. Hitler's land forces are still the best equipped and best trained on earth.

A COUNTY FIRE ASSOCIATION NEEDED.

The county court has turned thumbs down on the proposal to establish a county-wide rural fire protective association, at least for the present. Rural residents, except in the Junction City area, where a rural fire protective association operates, must either provide for their own protection as best they can or do without.

So far as the observations of the writer goes after assembling a few figures on the cost and maintenance of the necessary equipment, property owners outside of the municipal districts would make a substantial saving in insurance rates which would more than offset the cost and operation of such equipment.

We believe the proposed association is worthy of serious consideration of every rural resident and more especially the granges. One way the association can be established is by approval of the property owners at the next election.

So far as Cottage Grove is concerned the original proposal would practically double the efficiency of the local fire department by giving the municipality an additional truck with full equipment and a paid driver to be on the job at all times.

BITS O' BUSINESS.

David C. Prince, a General Electric vice president, says a \$23 billion "backlog" will be needed to cushion the jolt of shifting the nation's economy back to peacetime basis after the war—changeover of factories will take about \$13 billion, the other 10 to be put into residential construction and public works, he estimates. . . . Endicott Johnson, shoe makers, will distribute about \$600,000 in extra pay benefits to 20,000 workers—retroactively paying them for four holidays observed by the company since last December, plus the Thanksgiving holiday. . . . OPM will allow auto makers to exceed their quotas on light trucks, if they correspondingly cut passenger-car production below quotas. . . . Hybrid corn (scientifically crossed strains) is lifting 1941 crop to about 2.6 billion bushels, third highest in a decade, although the acreage planted is smallest in 40 years. . . . Sidney Hillman, associate director of OPM, says "strikes as usual" must go the way of "business as usual" during the emergency.

Apples as Meat Garnishes
Apples can be made into delicious and attractive meat garnishes, such as glazed apple rings with pork or ham, mint-flavored apple jelly with lamb, or apple stuffing with duck or goose.

**Loosens Up Thick
Choking Phlegm of**

BRONCHIAL ASTHMA!

Spend 45c today at Cottage Grove Pharmacy, Kelly Drug Inc. or any drug store for a bottle of Buckley's CANADOL Mixture (triple acting). Pour yourself a teaspoonful, let it lie on your tongue a moment then swallow slowly. Feel its instant powerful effective action spread thru throat, head and bronchial tubes. Start at once to loosen thick choking phlegm making breathing easier.

No claim is made that Buckley's is a cure for Chronic Bronchitis or Asthma but sufferers often find Buckley's CANADOL Mixture (the largest selling cough medicine in all Canada) starts right in to quiet coughing spasms and loosen up that choking phlegm which seems to clog the tubes and makes breathing difficult. It helps many to get a better night's rest.

Freight Cars in Use
There are about 2,000,000 freight cars in use in the United States compared with about 40,000 passenger cars.

Legal Riot
Legally, the presence of three persons constitutes a riot.

ANNOUNCEMENT

**Your Battery Charged
While You Wait**

With Our New SPEEDWAY 30-Minute Charger

**SIGNAL SUPER SERVICE
GRAY MOTOR COMPANY**

Your OLDSMOBILE Dealer.

LION ROARS

As Echoed From Cottage Grove Union High School

Attends Meeting.

G. C. West, ag instructor, attended an instructors meeting for the Upper Willamette Valley Saturday, November 22, at the Eugene Vocational school. Homer Grove, representing the out of school youth training program, discussed the advantages of this training program. Mr. Cobley, state vocational-agriculture advisor, and Mr. Morgan, assistant advisor, outlined the program of work for the coming year. Special emphasis was placed on the selection and repair of farm machinery.

There is a possibility that the local agriculture department will set up instruction courses for adults and young men who might be interested in this work. Anyone interested should get in contact with Mr. West.

Women's Styles.

The Boys Federation of Cottage Grove high are giving the latest styles in women's clothing November 28 in the auditorium at 7:00 p. m. A short skirt will be called "Moo Woo" or "A Night with Hogen, Brogan, and Grogan." A presentation of Miss Average 1 of Cottage Grove High and Mixed Trio singing starring Kenny Whitlock, Joan King, and Lyle Gamet. The admission will be 10c and 15c.

Thanksgiving Baskets.

Six baskets were filled for needy families for their Thanksgiving dinners by donations contributed by the pupils and faculty. The Girls' League took charge of receiving these donations and delivering the baskets.

New Lettermen.

With football season over seven new lettermen are eligible for initiation into the Lettermen's club. They are Howard Harpole, end; Jack Kennedy, Arnold Earnshaw, tackles; Leo Roberts, guard; Bachelder and daugherty, centers, and Allen Williams, manager.

F.F.A. Starts Basketball.

Ten F.F.A. members reported out to basketball for the first night of practice. Arrangements have been made to use the school gym every Monday night during the basketball season. Ralph Holiday will be the assistant coach. Several games have already been scheduled with other vocational ag departments in other schools.

Boxing will continue on Monday and Wednesday the seventh period each week. The members are reported to have improved already in footwork and guarding.

New Students.

New students enrolling the past week are: Chuck Freeman, senior, from Colton, and Lorraine Horner, freshman, from Portland. These students withdrew last week: Cleone Perry, sophomore; Meryl Glasgow, senior; Margaret Tonole, freshman; Caroline Magnusson, junior; Ethel Smith, sophomore; Betty Brissette, senior; John Lamb, junior, has withdrawn to enlist in the United States navy.

John McCrigger, freshman, Alyce Trunnell, senior, and Fred Wright, junior, have returned to school after being absent because of the mumps.

Alice Dunlevy and Ionne Dunlevy, sophomore and freshman, respectively, are reported to be ill with the mumps at the present time.

Briefs.

Mr. Gilchrist enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner and week end with his wife in Salem.

Miss Jackson had turkey dinner as a guest of the Wilsons and spent Sunday at the coast.

Virginia Garlinghouse spent the Thanksgiving holidays with relatives in Culp Creek.

Norma Wicks visited in Reedsport during the holidays.

Betty Thompson spent Thanksgiving with relatives near Eugene.

Miss Deal, girls P. E. instructor, spent the holidays with relatives at Alsea.

Miss Tomlinson spent the holiday week-end at her home in Klamath Falls.

Bill Zimmerly, a former student, now in the army, visited school here last Thursday.

Ralph Blake, class of '39, was home over the holidays. He is now enrolled at Willamette University.

Bob Blackmore visited his sister in Black Butte over the holidays.

Mary Marden spent Thanksgiving vacation in Coquille.

Eston Wicks returned to school Monday following a week's absence because of the flu.

Neil Hammond spent Thanksgiving with his grandparents in Eugene.

Junior Dugan and Erven Thorson, class of '39, were home from Oregon State college this week-end.

Roy Carr spent Thanksgiving visiting relatives in Salem.

Ralph Holliday is absent from school with the mumps.

Faye Davis spent Thanksgiving at Dallas.

Shirley Woodard, former Cottage Grove student, spent Thanksgiving vacation visiting Ann Hathaway and Joyce Baldwin. Shirley is now attending school at Walla Walla, Washington.

Roy and Joan Wolfe, former Cottage Grove students, visited school Wednesday.

John Edwards went duck hunting over the week end at Klamath lake.

Marion Turner, Doris Christensen, John Lamb, Carolyn Keblebeck and Mike McKibben all spent Sunday at Belknap Springs.

The Cottage Grove chapter of the Future Farmers of America will hold their annual parent and son banquet December 12 at 7:30 in the school cafeteria.

WINS 4-H HOME PRIZE



CREATING more natural beauty in home surroundings has brought a coveted reward to Alice Roberts, 15, of Turner. She has been named Oregon's 1941 winner in the national 4-H home grounds beautification contest conducted by the extension service, for which she will receive a 17-jewel gold watch given by Mrs. Charles R. Walgreen, Chicago horticultural enthusiast. . . . Alice cleared her yard of debris, planted slips and seeds in flower beds, as well as shrubs and ferns in appropriate places, made and painted window boxes, set out small trees, white-washed fence and fruit trees, and kept the lawn mowed. . . . She will compete for the Western sectional award of a trip to the 20th National 4-H Club Congress to be held in Chicago Nov. 29-Dec. 6.

Homemade Costume Jewelry

Homemade costume jewelry may be made at low cost by using steel wire or raffia acorns, horse chestnuts, plain and colored squash seeds and hickory nuts.



Radio Ray Has This to Say:

Howdy Folks: Daisy Dope says that bridge used to be where you stood at midnight, but now midnight is where you find out how you stand at bridge.

"Radio Ray," stands for quality workmanship, on your repair job.

A party tried to interest us in a stock issue and when we told him he'd have to see our broker he said, "Sure, stock or pawn?" Pretty fresh.

Which reminds us, we always have fresh flashlight batteries.

Because the bride's brother refused to lend him money, the groom shot him. At that, we can't see how he would have been so hot as a brother-in-law.

A Japanese scientist says that persons can live 150 years, but who'd want to live that long and pay that many taxes.

For the little you pay, we think that you will get a lot of enjoyment out of new phonograph records.

We have a shipment of 200; just arrived. Columbia, Decca, Victor.

**Nelson Electric
Shop**

Rod and Gun Club Members Try New Wrinkle in Shooting

Rod and Gun club members initiated a new wrinkle at the regular meeting last week, which may prove very popular; at least no other club in this section has tried it so far as known. At the conclusion of the business meeting, several members tried their hand at no-skeet under the lights. Frank Galdabini was high man at the initial shoot and Miles Wicks made a very poor showing with the low score.

Three flood lights were used in the first shoot. At the next regular meeting additional lights will be erected behind the shooters with the idea of giving better light and improving the performance of the shooters.

YOUNG REPUBLICAN MEETING.

The second annual Young Republican convention will be held Saturday, December 6, at Eugene, the Convention Headquarters will be the Eugene hotel.

Ray Coulter, Eugene, predicts that this meeting will be the largest political convention ever held in the state, approximately 200 delegates and alternates are expected to attend. Five hundred are expected to attend the banquet Saturday evening.

Governor Charles A. Sprague and Secretary of State Earl Snell will address the banquet briefly. Stewart Weiss of Sweet Home will give a historical of the Young Republican organization in Oregon.

Non-Profit Organization

The American Automobile association is a non-profit, civic association which belongs to its members. Its president is a non-paid official. This great organization now has approximately 1,000,000 members.

First for Women

The first medical college for women was the Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania, incorporated in 1850.

Death From Burns
An average of five women a day die from burns received in the home, reveals Collier's. The majority of these accidents are due to the lightness and looseness of feminine apparel, which makes it a fire hazard.

Books Banned by Hitler
In Yorkshire, a section of New York, there is a bookstore that is stocked with books banned by Hitler.

Drive on Bath Slips
Round bottomed bathtubs contribute heavily to the 5,000,000 injuries occurring in homes. To reduce this toll the United States Housing authority recommends tubs with bottoms as flat as consistent with proper drainage.

Meaning of Safari
Safari, as used in East Africa, means a journey of caravan, especially a hunting expedition. The word is said to be from the Arabic.

Arcade Theatre

Admission 11c and 35c

Fri.-Sat., Nov. 28-29—"Hold Back the Dawn" Charles Boyer, Olivia De Havilland, Paulette Goddard, Victor Francen, Walter Abel, Preview "Riders of the Purple Sage" Geo. Montgomery, Mary Howard.

Sun.-Mon.-Tues.-Wed.-Thurs., Nov. 30-Dec. 1-2-3-4—"A Yank in the R. A. F." Tyrone Power, Betty Grable, John Sutton, Reginald Gardiner, Gladys Cooper, Donald Stuart, Richard Fraser.

Fri., Sat., Dec. 5-6—"YOU'LL NEVER GET RICH," Fred Astaire, Rita Hayworth, Robert Benchley, Preview "SAIORS ON LEAVE," William Lundigan, Shirley Ross, Chick Chandler.

Diane Theatre

Admission 11c and 25c

Bargain Nights 11c and 15c; Sat. Mat. 11c and 20c
Thurs., Fri., Nov. 27-28—"Flying Cadets" William Gargan, Edmund Lowe, Peggy Moran, Frank Albertson. BARGAIN NIGHTS.

Sat.-Sun., Nov. 29-30—"Sheriff of Tombstone," Roy Rogers, George Hayes, Elyse Knox, Sally Payne, Preview feature "Mersey Island" Ray Middleton, Gloria Dickson, Otto Kruger, Saturday Matinee 2:30 p. m.

Monday, December 1—CLOSED.

Tues., Wed., Dec. 2-3—CLOSED.

Thurs., Fri., Dec. 4-5—"TWO LADIES FROM MANHATTAN," Joan Davis, Jinx Falkenburg, Joan Woodbury. BARGAIN NIGHTS.

Women All Want Furniture!



A Cure for Christmas "Jitters"

We'll bet you are wondering what you can get for "her" this year that will please her more than anything she's ever been given. We have the answer! Can you possibly imagine anything that will give her a bigger thrill than a new set of furniture—a room full of a few pieces. Most men don't realize just how much new furnishings mean to a woman, but you can take our word for it that there isn't a woman under the sun who won't be overjoyed by a gift of furniture. Just try it!

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| ☐ Swing Rockers | ☐ End Tables |
| ☐ Cedar Chests | ☐ Breakfast Sets |
| ☐ Builtwell Davenport and Chair | ☐ Bigelow Rugs |
| ☐ Builtwell Davenolas | ☐ Lamps |
| ☐ Sewing Cabinets | ☐ Lang and Olympic Ranges |
| ☐ Mirrors | ☐ Bookcases |
| ☐ Hoover Sweepers | ☐ Hassocks |
| ☐ Occasional Chairs | ☐ Samson and Durham Card Tables |
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