

# THE TURNER TRIBUNE

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"I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States and the country for which it stands. One nation, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

If prizes were given for the best and worst editorial appearance in Oregon newspapers we suppose, by common consent the editorial in the Oregonian yesterday morning entitled "Beware of Bridge Promoters", says the Morning Astorian of December 13, would receive the prize for 1928.

The attitude of the Oregonian seemed to be that of advisor to Astoria and the lower Columbia river country. This attitude is in Slogau credited to the Oregonian some time ago as containing these words "As Portland grows, Oregon grows. The bone of contention to the Oregonian is the proposed toll bridge across the Columbia below Astoria. A decade ago before the advent of the automobile the Oregonian might have been justified in opposing a proposition of this kind. But now with the congested highways the old time ferry boats that took care of traffic for our grandfathers is not adequate for the traffic of the present. The Oregonian's hobby is an unobstructed river for ocean going vessels. The Oregonian need have no worry. If a bridge is built anywhere below Portland the government board of engineers will see to it that there will be sufficient clearance both vertical and horizontal for any boat that will come up the river.

The traffic in the Columbia river section in both Oregon and Washington have to depend on the ferry to cross to either side of the river. The writer spent some time in south western Washington and realizes the benefits derived from such a bridge on the lower river. It would be a big thing for the traffic up and down the coast.

The trouble with the Oregonian is they don't want to see any improvement on the river unless Portland starts it or controls it. Let us turn the slogan around and say As Oregon grows Portland grows. How long would Portland continue to develop if the balance of the state stood still. The attitude of Portland seems to be that of selfishness. Astoria needs this bridge as well as the balance of the lower Columbia section. Why stand in the way of something that will be a benefit the entire state.

"Unless the legislature surprises everybody by kicking over all traditions and expectations and really doing something for the state and its taxpayers Oregon will be faced with necessity of putting in a radical governor." says the Hollywood (Salem) Press, "as the only remaining expedient to accomplish the things sorely needed. Oregon needs a radical governor who will smash through the old pie-counter organizations and combinations and put the state government on a business basis, increasing efficiency and cutting down expenses." The Press is on the right track. The state government and state institutions have been cursed with too much politics for the last twenty years. Up until recently appointments have been handed too much on a political patronage basis. When some section asks for an appropriation to build a normal school or institution branches, the question that is decided is not. How will it benefit the people? but

rather how many Republican votes can be held in that section for the next election? If we were asked the question; What is the matter with Oregon government? we would answer it with one word, Politics.

Another year has rolled around carrying with it the usual good friendship and cordial relations between the Tribune force and the people of this community. In many respects it has been a year of progress for Turner. Some new buildings and many other improvements have been the result of the past years endeavor. Ball Brothers completed their fine new garage building to house their Chevrolet agency. Samuel Eudicoff has completed a new residence during the past year. The Turner Memorial Home for orphaned boys has been completed and it now occupied by a fine group of boys. Improvements have been made on three of the business buildings of Turner. The main street has been paved full width and new concrete bridge at the intersection of Third street and the Cloverdale market road. The Portland-Damascus Milk Co. have entered the milk business along with their cream trade and have more than doubled their business since December first.

While we have enjoyed the progress made during the past year, the community is saddened when we remember those, taken from our midst, during the past year, by the grim reaper, death. They were a part of this community and of its activities. While they are gone from our midst we cherish the memory of their kindly acts and know that their influence is still a powerful agency in our community life. Let us continue to remember their kindly counsel while they were with us in the flesh and keep their memory fresh in the minds of the community.

It is our desire to contribute in our small way to the progress of our community during the coming year and, therefore, we wish all our friends a very prosperous and happy New Year.

A very pleasant family reunion took place at the home of Mrs. China Bones, Christmas day. The entire family was home except Mrs. Winkler of Vancouver, who is sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Ball and family of Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lyle and family of Portland as well as other members of the Wipper family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wipper.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bye motored to Albany Wednesday and spent the day with the Dick Monroes.

### NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT

Notice is hereby given that J. H. Hoffmann, administrator of the estate of Masilda A. Spencer, deceased, has filed his final account with the County Clerk of Marion County, Oregon, and the County Court of said County has fixed the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. on the 14th day of January 1929 in the Court room of said Court, in the Marion County County Court-house, as the time and place for hearing objections to said final account and the settlement thereof. At said time, any interested person may appear and file objections to said final account.

Dated this 13th day of December 1928.

J. H. Hoffmann  
Administrator of said estate

E. W. Massey  
Attorney for Administrator

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, by an order of the County Court of Marion County, State of Oregon, duly made and entered on the 11th day of December, 1928, was appointed executor of the estate of Marion Lady and that he has duly qualified as such. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified as required by law, at the offices of S. M. Endicott, Bank of Commerce Bldg., in the City of Salem, Marion County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice, to-wit: 26th day of December, 1928.

W. A. LADY,  
Executor of the Estate of Marion Lady.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, by an order of the County Court of Marion County, State of Oregon, duly made and entered on the 20th day of November, 1928, was appointed executrix of the estate of Robert E. Cochran, and that she has duly qualified as such. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified as required by law, at the offices of Carl T. Pope, 411 Masonic Temple, in the City of Salem, Marion County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice, to-wit: November 29, 1928.

MARGARET ALICE COCHRAN,  
Executrix of the Estate of Robert E. Cochran.

### NOTICE OF HEARING OF FINAL ACCOUNT

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Marion. In the matter of the estate of Harry Clark, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the final account of Sarah J. Clark, executrix of the estate of Harry Clark, deceased, has been filed in the County Court of Marion County, Oregon, and that the 31st day of December, 1928, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., has been appointed by said Court for hearing objections to said final account, at which time any person interested in said estate may appear and file objections thereto in writing and contest same.

SARAH J. CLARK,  
Executrix of the Estate of Harry Clark, Deceased.

KOWITZ & COOK,  
Attorneys for Executrix,  
Salem, Oregon.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, by an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Marion County duly made and entered on the 20th day of November, 1928, was appointed administrator of the estate of Lena Grace Denyer Hansen, deceased, and that he has duly qualified as such administrator. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified, as required by law, to him at Salem, in Marion County, Oregon, within six months of the date of this notice.

Dated this 29th day of November, 1928.

R. D. GRAY,  
Administrator of the Estate of Lena Grace Denyer Hansen, Deceased.

E. L. CRAWFORD,  
Attorney for Estate,  
Room 12, Ladd & Bush Bldg., Salem, Oregon.

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### SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Marion County.

Hallie Strimman and Joe P. Strimman, plaintiffs,

vs.

Anna Wyman, Aaa Wyman, Christena L. Cross, Linnie C. Baker, Norma M. Ott, Stanley H. Ott, George Wright, Carrie Wright, Ella Rosenberg, Anna W. Cross, Curtis B. Cross, Barbara D. Cross, Prince W. Byrd, Veda C. Byrd, John T. Wilson, P. May Wilson, and Myrtle Byrne, and all other persons or parties claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint herein, defendants.

To Anna Wyman, Aaa Wyman, Ella Rosenberg, John T. Wilson, P. May Wilson, and Myrtle Byrne, and also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint herein, defendants: In the name of the State of Oregon, you, and each of you, are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause within four weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief prayed for and their complaint against you, to-wit: for a decree quieting the title to and declaring the plaintiffs to be the owners of, and the defendants to have no right, title, lien or interest therein, to the following-described real property, to-wit:

All of Lots One (1) and Eight (8) in Block One (1) of Myers Addition to the City of Salem, Marion County, Oregon, according to the recorded plat in the office of the Recorder of Conveyances for said county and state, excepting the west sixty-five (65) feet of Lot Eight (8), in said Block One of Myers Addition; Also a strip of land varying in width from nine to ten feet lying between the north line of Block One (1) in Myers Addition to the City of Salem, Marion County, Oregon, and the south line of Myers Street in said addition, and bounded on the east by the Old State Road from Salem to Albany, Oregon, except a strip lying between Myers street and the west 65 feet of Lot Eight (8) in Block One (1) Myers addition; the same being all of the land lying between the south line of Myers street and said Block One (1), east of the west 65 feet of Lot 8 in said Block 1.

And you are further notified that this summons is served upon you by publication thereof in The Turner Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Turner, Marion county, Oregon, pursuant to the order of the Honorable L. H. McManis, Judge of the above entitled court, which order was made and entered on the 26th day of December, 1928.

And you are further notified that the first publication of this summons will be made and had on the 27th day of December, 1928, and that the last

publication thereof will be had on the 24th day of January, 1929.

GUY O. SMITH,  
Attorney for Plaintiffs,  
408 Salem Bank of Commerce Bldg.,  
Salem, Oregon.

### GLOVERDALE

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Whitehead Jr., were in Salem on business last Friday.

Carl Wipper had his tonsils removed last Tuesday. He is getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Neer and son spent Christmas with Mrs. Neer's parents near Corvallis.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Fiflet and son of Washington and Mrs. Fiflet, Palma and Oscar Fiflet spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kunke.

Mrs. Nelly Hamilton visited in Salem several days this week.

Albert Beutler of Portland was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Schifferer last Wednesday. Mr. Beutler is Mrs. Schifferer's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hadley and family spent Christmas with Mrs. Hadley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mickey of Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Sparling of California spent Christmas vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Jay Cook. Mr. Sparling is Mrs. Jay Cook's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Neuwanger and family of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Beamer and son, Mr. and Mrs. Efford Dye and daughter, all of Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. John Mades and son of Washington spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schifferer. They are all sisters and brothers of Mrs. Schifferer.

Mrs. Lena Plunkett returned to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Schifferer's after spending several days with her parents near Pratum. Mrs. Plunkett is working for Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Schifferer at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Lanley, Mr. and Mrs. C. Niman, Mr. and Mrs. B. Aldridge, Miss Rose Drager, Clifford Likes, all of Portland, and Miss Ruth Drager, Gilbert Savage, of Salem, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Drager and family spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. Caroline Drager.

### SHOTS AT RANDOM

Herbert Hoover is on his way home, bringing back a shipload of goodwill from South America.

Christmas is over and the next in line is New Years. We wish you all loads of prosperity for the coming year.

We cannot pass this up without wishing friend Sips a Happy New Year and wishing that he may succeed in getting rid of the pumpkins and cinders in Salem during the coming year.

C. P. O. Box 1234, Shanghai, China, Nov. 27th, 1928.

Dear Editor,  
Here comes another letter from the "bottom side of the world." It may be of interest to the readers of your most excellent paper.

We have recently had one of China's chief holidays. For more than a week I noticed signs of its coming. Great stacks of "moon-cakes" in brightly colored packages were shown in many stores. Beautiful lanterns were seen along the streets. Everything was in such gay style it made one think of a coming of Christmas. It was the Chinese Moon-feast and Mid Autumn Festival. In their feasting it recalled our Thanksgiving Day.

The Chinese 15th of the 8th month is called "Tsoung Tsui" Middle Autumn. On that day they have theatricals before all the gods in the temple and burn the "Shaung-teo"-incense bushel. This bushel-like measure is made of incense sticks. The largest "bushels" sometimes measures as much as 20 feet in diameter. In the middle of the "bushel" is a long, large stick of incense made up of thousands of thin incense sticks the size of



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vermicelli. On the afternoon and night of this day each family also burns an incense bushel at home. These are smaller than the ones burned in the temple. On this day they who can afford to eat moon-cakes and all kinds of nice things. The incense bushel is decorated with flags and many-colored dragon-gates something as children at home put candles on their birthday cakes; but, the children in China take the flags and dragon-gate decorations from the bushel before it is burnt, and have great delight in playing with these, marching up and down the streets.

I asked the Chinese why they burn the incense bushel and eat the moon-cake, and worship the moon with candles, incense and food on this day. They answered that there are many reasons for it and many stories are told about it. One of the reasons is because there is a lady-god in the moon. Her name is Zaung-noo. She is said to be exceedingly beautiful. From the beginning of time to the end there never was nor will be one as beautiful as she. She was once upon a time a woman of this world moon. On this 15th the real story of why she fled is acted out in the long theatrical plays attended by throngs of people. In ancient times on the 15th of the 8th month when they burned the incense bushel the sweet fragrance would go high up to the moon goddess. She took pleasure in it and manifested her approval by coming near earth riding on a cloud and people could see her beautiful face. But now men's hearts have become wicked, and the world is full of sin, so the incense is not so pure as formerly and it does not rise so high as to reach the goddess in her palace and so, not enjoying its fragrance, she comes no more on the clouds but the people still offer incense and hope she will appear sometime.

They say that in the moon this goddess has the most beautiful castle. It is called the "Yuith-Koong" "Moon Palace." Only one human has ever seen its glories. Once, during the Dong Dynasty, a Chinese king, called Ming Wong, by the Magic of a holy monk, was enabled to mount up from the earth to the Moon Castle to hear the music and see

its beauty. He was allowed to stand outside for only a few minutes. By that time the goddess knew that the king of man was there. She was very angry at the monk for leading the king to her holy land. Soon from the Castle came most unpleasant sounds. The monk understood that it was the queen's giving vent to her wrath and he quickly led the king back to earth.

You can thus see how full of superstition the Chinese are and how much they need the Gospel and Jesus Christ that they may see the real King in His beauty and live forever in His glorious palace on High. It's a joy to teach Chinese children of Jesus and His salvation while young. A Merry Christmas and a Blessed New Year to you and loved ones. Yours in Christ's glad service, (Rev.) H. G. C. Hallock.

Mrs. Tony Gentry's father, Newt Cook, has been in a Salem hospital for the past three weeks and is not much if any better. He recovered from pneumonia and is now suffering with something like blood poisoning. Mr. and Mrs. Gentry are planning to move to her father's farm near Marion. Both Mr. and Mrs. Gentry will be missed from Turner, but owing to Mr. Cook's illness it is necessary to have someone to carry on the farm work.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Thiessen of Milwaukie, Oregon, had their annual reunion on Christmas day. Twenty-one sat down to a sumptuous dinner. Owing to the illness of Mrs. Earl's only relatives on the coast she was asked to be present on this occasion. The afternoon was delightfully spent in social conversation and music.

BUY YOUR LEATHER GOODS at a Leather Store. F. E. Shafer, 170 South Commercial Street, Salem, Oregon. Harness of all kinds.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Harrington of Calgary, Canada, Ed Farris and wife, Grant Farris of Salem, Leonard Farris of Wrenn, and Mrs. E. G. Briggs and sons, Harold and Herbert, of Turner were the guests of G. W. Farris and wife for Christmas.

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