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CRIMINAL CARELESSNESS

Every day one reads in the daily papers of murder trials where death was brought about by the administration of poison. Public sympathy for the murdered condemns in no uncertain terms the man or woman who administers the poison.

Every spring, too, we read of dogs and cats being poisoned by some malicious person who has been annoyed, and a great deal of justifiable censure is directed toward the perpetrator of the poisonings. If he or she could be found undoubtedly summary punishment would be meted out to them.

But right here in Ontario, the Argus is informed, milk is being sold from cows that have tuberculosis. That milk is poisonous, at least it kills. Unfortunately it does not kill quickly, but slowly, before the eyes of relatives and friends the victims of this dread disease lose their health. Flushed cheeks and glassy eyes replace the blush and gleam of youth and strength. The victim soon becomes a charge upon his family or the state, the hacking cough, premonitory of death and the gradual dissolution of the lungs, tells the tale, and likewise spreads farther the dread germs of this plague of the white man.

And yet the men who are engaged in the business of selling milk, at least some of them, think so little of the welfare of their customers that they refuse to take the ordinary precaution to determine whether or not they are selling pure milk, or are selling death dealing germ carrying fluid, that merely is called milk—it ought to be called poison. And the public which buys this milk thinks so little of itself that it buys without investigating, without asking even, if it comes from tested cows.

The Argus asked some time ago if Ontario was entitled to the protection of its milk supply. The question has not been answered. We are told that one herd from which milk is sold in the city has not been tested in three years, and that three years ago there were cows in the herd which were tubercular. Think of it! If this dairyman knows anything about cows he should know that he is endangering his own health, that of his family and all who use milk from his dairy. Common sense should impell him to act for his own sake.

During the past two weeks several of the dairymen have had their cows tested and others are going to do so, we are told. But this is not enough. Every person who owns but one cow, if his family is using the milk she gives, should have that cow tested.

Every restaurant which furnishes milk to its patrons should be compelled to carry a certificate on its walls that its milk is tested and free from tuberculosis, and the milk man who sells in the city should be compelled to register with the city recorder at least once every month a certificate that his herd had been inspected. A small license fee should be charged to pay the cost of this recording and the regulations should be enforced.

We can see no justice in hanging men and women for administering poison so long as we permit dairymen to scatter tubercular milk, and it is time that the milk man who does this is properly branded that the public may know him and avoid him.

"WOOL" NOT ALL WOOL

The proponents of the "Truth in Fabrics" bill received a potent precedent this week when the Supreme Court at Washington handed down the decision in the case of the federal trade commission against the Winsted Hosiery company of Connecticut, in which the principal controversy was over the use of trade names, which Justice Brandeis declared "are literally false."

The Connecticut company has long been manufacturing underwear for trade using such names as "natural wool," "natural worsted," and "Australian wool," and Justice Brandeis declared, "none of this underwear is all wool," and "much of it contains only a small percentage of wool; some as little as ten per cent."

All these labels are calculated to deceive the buying public said Justice Brandeis and such a practice tends to "aid and encourage the representations of unscrupulous retailers and their salesmen who knowingly sell to their customers as all wool, underwear which is largely composed of cotton.

"When misbranded goods attract customers by means of fraud which they perpetrate, trade is diverted from the producer of truthfully marked goods," the justice said, and "the fact that honest manufacturers might protect their trade by is no defense for such practices."

Just think what the effect will be on the demand for wool from this section when the principle thus enunciated by the supreme court receives acceptance by the passage of the truth in fabrics bill which is discussed in another column of this issue by William A. Burns.

Not only will sheepmen of this section benefit but every honest manufacturer, every honest merchant will be benefited and the public will be protected. Not only this but, we believe, it will tend to raise also resorting to deceptive labels is no defense for such practices."

BAPTIST CHURCH

Bible School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Subject, "Why I am a Baptist"
Junior B. Y. P. U., 6:18 p. m.
Senior B. Y. P. U., 8:30 p. m.
The Easter Cantata which was postponed on account of the special meeting, will be given Sunday night.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m.
CHAS. H. BLOM,
Pastor

SUMMONS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR THE COUNTY OF MALHEUR

GEORGE P. REIHSEN and FRANK P. RYAN,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

H. H. TUNNY, and ELLA TUNNY, Husband and Wife,

Defendants

TO H. H. TUNNY, Defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause on or before the time prescribed in the order of publication, to-wit: On or before the expiration of six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to answer for want thereof, plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in said complaint, to-wit:

For decree of this court adjudging that the partnership heretofore existing between the defendant H. H. Tunny, and the above named plaintiffs, be dissolved, and that the accounting be had, and that the plaintiffs have judgment against the defendants for any amount due by reason of said accounting.

And for the further decree of this court awarding to plaintiffs their costs and disbursements, and such other and further relief as to the court may seem met and equitable.

This summons is published pursuant to an order of the Honorable Dalton Biggs, Circuit Judge, made and entered on April 20, 1922, and the first publication thereof is made on April 20, 1922, and the last publication made on the first day of June, 1922.

W. H. BROOKE

P. J. GALLAGHER

Attorneys for Plaintiff Residing at Ontario Oregon.

MAY BASKET SALE

May basket sale Saturday afternoon, April 29th at Ontario Pharmacy and Cash Grocery. Pretty May baskets containing lunch for one. Price 25c. Also small flower baskets of homemade candy. Sale by Presbyterian Class of Sunbeams.

Man and wife want work on ranch, either together or separately. Inquire of Argus or address Box 236, Ontario, Oregon.

POSTAL IMPROVEMENT WEEK IS OBSERVED

May 1 Sees Inaugurated First General Campaign of Kind in Service.

Without the Postal Service, business would languish in a day, and be at a standstill in a week. Public opinion would die of dry rot. Sectional hatred or prejudice only would flourish, and narrow-mindedness thrive.

It is the biggest distinctive business in the world and it comes nearer to the innermost interests of a greater number of men and women than any other institution on earth. No private business, however widespread, touches so many lives so often or sharply; no church reaches into so many souls, flutters so many pulses, has so many human beings dependent on its ministrations.

"Postal Improvement Week" has been set for May 1, by the Postmaster General. This is the first general campaign of its kind in the Postal Service for several decades. Business men and their organizations, large users of the mail, newspapers, motion pictures, advertisers, and the entire organization of 320,000 postal workers are to be enlisted in this country-wide campaign of interest in postal improvements. Your help is vital. Address your letters plainly with pen or typewriter. Give street address. Spell out name of State, don't abbreviate. Put your return address in the upper left hand corner of envelope (not on the back) and always look at your letter before dropping in the mail to see if it is properly addressed. This care in the use of the mails is for your benefit and speeds up the dispatch and delivery of mail matter.

If you have any complaints of poor service make them to your postmaster. He has instructions to investigate them and report to the department.

COURTESY

It sticks in human relations like postage stamps on letters. The POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT expects it to be used by its postmasters and employees in dealing with the public.

Help them in its use beginning with POSTAL IMPROVEMENT WEEK, May 1-6, 1922.

THANK YOU

LOCAL PERSONALS

Mrs. George McGrath of Mountain Home, came to Ontario last week to visit her mother, Mrs. O. U. Franklin.

Miss Pauline Seligman visited in Nyssa Sunday the guest of Miss Edna Warren.

W. F. Escue sold his house in the south part of town last week to J. O. Alberson, of Denton, who recently came here to live. Mr. Escue sold his car to Henry Griffin.

Dave Stewart is able to be out again after two weeks illness with the flu.

Miss Gladys Franklin, who has been confined to her home for the past ten days on account of sickness, is again able to be out.

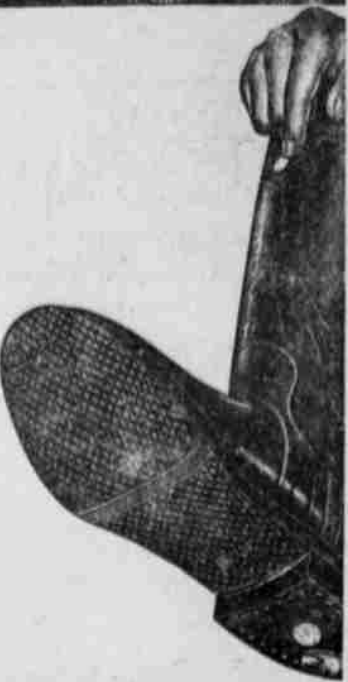
Ben Rutherford returned Monday from Vale where he took a course of treatments in the Sanitarium. Louis Alexander and family visited relatives in Boise Sunday. Mr. Alexander is the proprietor of the Multnomah rooms.

Clarence Crouter accompanied by Ike Robinette of Vale drove to Boise Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dunlap of Caldwell visited Saturday and Sunday in Ontario the guests of Mrs. N. O. Bedford.

Allen Bedford visited relatives in Caldwell Sunday.

BALL BAND



MORE DAYS WEAR Toggery Bill

THE EFFORT of the conscientious funeral director, to render a superior type of service no matter in what financial circumstances the bereaved family may be, has characterized our work through the years.

To lighten the burden of grief in a sincere way, and yet to choose such materials in the conduct of the funeral as to appropriately meet every requirement of the situation without imposing an unfair or unreasonable financial burden thereafter, is the ideal by which we are governed.

FUNERAL DIRECTORS
Ontario Furniture Co.

H. L. PETERSON

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First to establish the \$10.90 price—"Usco"

THE makers of U. S. Tires made this announcement last November—

"Hereafter the price of the 30x3 1/2 'Usco' is \$10.90."

The lowest price ever quoted on a tire of quality reputation and standard performance.

And now, with the opening of Spring, there seem to be quite a number of "New and Special tires" coming into the market in the \$10.90 price range.

Perhaps you are wondering just what there can be either "new" or "special" about these tires.

It can't be the \$10.90 price—"Usco" established that five months ago.

Nor quality reputation and standard performance—for it takes more than one full season for any new tire to demonstrate where it stands in quality and value.

With so many tires rushing into this \$10.90 price

United States Tires are Good Tires

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field (now that the season promises business from the American car-owner), it is worth remembering that "Usco" showed its good faith by announcing this price last fall.

The same intent to serve that has made "Usco" a standard value for years.

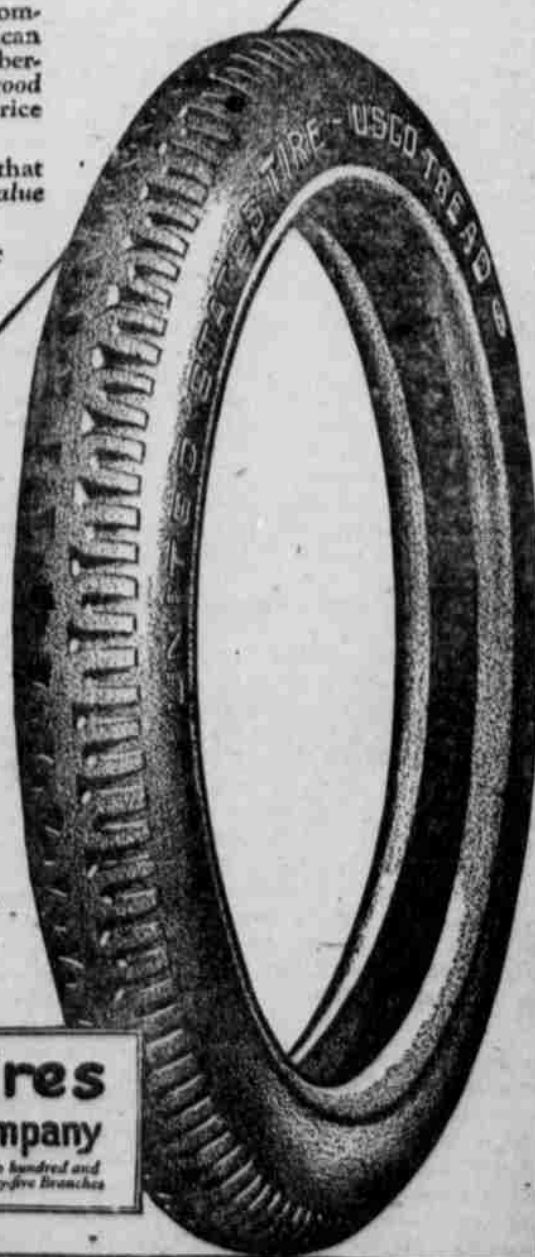
The "Usco" Tire was never better than it is today—with its established quality, its time-tested performance, and its price closely figured in tune with the times.

\$10.90

and even better than the price

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