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WE HAVE never had any occasion before this to characterize any of our contemporaries but when the Oregon City Courier sends us a marked copy of a write up in which he accuses us of selling out to the opponents of the \$1500 tax exemption, and suggesting an interrogation as to the price, all that we have to say is that the editor of the Courier is all kinds of a liar. The Herald announced its position on the \$1500 exemption a long time ago. If there has been any fund collected for the purpose of promoting opposition to the exemption we have seen none of it, and never heard of it until the Courier calls attention to it. From his actions we would suppose that the Courier would be one of those fellows who would be ready with an itching hand to accept any such an invitation as this. He would be one of the first to learn of its existence. He would smell it out. Perhaps the sum mentioned was not up to the Courier's usual "sale" price, and it is sore because it is not in a "position" to say what it thinks about the \$1500 exemption. Or perhaps a bunch of the "single tax promotion fund" has found lodgment in some of its musty vaults.

We believe there are enough honest, unbuyable papers in this state to defeat the \$1500 exemption if they will do it. It is not a question of being paid. The editor that waits to be paid for standing for the right principle might as well keep still. People soon learn that he is a man with a price and that principle with him is uncertain. And we do not believe that a majority of the voters of the state are going to vote for beating the county and state out of their just proportion of taxation. We cannot believe that the majority of the people of this state have degenerated into the ranks of dead-beats and blood sucking vampires that a number of newspapers and politicians would lead us to think they have.

A number of Lents citizens this week interviewed the Mayor in reference to better support for the Lents Volunteer Fire Department, with very unsatisfactory results. It looks as though Lents was to be left to shift for itself. Just now the Volunteers are out of cash, and their supply of chemical is exhausted. And even the charge now in the machine is borrowed. Isn't it about time to start a petition? The Mayor has promised to donate.

People who have been in such a hurry to invest in sugar will be surprised to learn that Europe does not furnish the American people any sugar. Prices are already beginning to fall, proving that the rise of the past two weeks was an unnatural one, the work of a bunch of promotion thieves and some of them are right here in Portland.

Notices are now out for the Fourth Annual Pacific International Live Stock Exposition to be held at the Union Stock yards, Portland, December 7-12, 1914. Exceptionally good exhibits are expected this year. Premium lists may be had of Secretary, O. M. Plummer, North Portland.

Richard Forbes Jr. remembered this office with a fine basket of blue Damson plums Tuesday. They are especially fine this year.

NOTES OF THE W. C. T. U.

The acting national president, Anna A. Gordon has issued a Call to Prayer, setting aside Sunday, September 6th, as a time for all white ribbons to pray for a speedy ending of the war, and to advocate anew our peace principles. Each union is expected to arrange for some meeting on that day not interfering with other church services.

The plea of President Wilson for all Americans to be fair and impartial and to "act and speak with the true spirit of neutrality, which is the spirit of impartiality, fairness and friendliness to all concerned," is timely and should be pondered by all white ribbons. It is much easier to voice a prediction or declare an opinion than it is to calmly withhold all sentiment. The christian spirit of the nation is put to a severe test, for while we all profess to have judgments to the One Great Judge, it seems to be human nature to carry a supply of small judgments around with us to hurl at whatever appears before us. Calm self discipline may be that which will make us all better citizens. This appears to be a time when the least we can do is to discipline self.

On August 11th a post card was received in Lents from a Portland teacher, Miss Dorothy Prosser, travelling abroad. It was dated Bingen on Rhein, July 27 and bears the Bingen stamp and gives a picture of the famous Mouse-tower on the Rhine. Just what became of the lady who sent the card is a matter of speculation. Her many Lents friends will hope for her safe return from the lands of war.

On next Tuesday, August 25th, at 8 o'clock p. m. there will be an open air meeting held at the corner of Main street. A number of speakers will be in attendance.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Advertised letters for week ending August 15, 1914:

Allen, Chester J.; Blair, Marie; Bohn, Mrs. Nick; Derr, Jessie W.; Dayle, Edmond; Gray, M. Elmer; Hyde, Mr.; Kane, J. R. Maybee, Mrs. Wm.; Meyer, R. M.; Miller, Mrs. J. G.; Vaight, Emma; Zenely, A. M. Geo. W. Spring, Postmaster.

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Shame.

Son (home from college)—I saw Edith getting into her new Flanders this morning.

Mother Wayback—The bossy! I should think she'd be ashamed of herself not to pull down the winder blinds.—Toledo Bee.

Big Employer.

"Brown is financially weak, isn't he?"

"He hasn't much money, but he gives employment to a great many men."

"Who are they?"

"Other people's bill collectors."

His Side Line.

"Where can I find the chief of police?" asked the stranger in Slocumville.

The native pointed. "That's him, over yander by the Palace Hotel, shining that grocery drummer's shoes."

—Judge

"Going to the lodge Arthur?" exclaimed the young wife, in surprise. "I didn't know you were a member of any lodge?"

"Why—ar—yes, Georgiana," said the young husband. "I belong to the Order of Moose."

"And would you rather spend the evening with a lot of Moose than with your own little dear?"

And Arthur meekly hung his hat up again.

FIGHTING THE ROSE APHIS

Easy to Control the Pest. If Growers Will Use a Little Care in Spraying.

Rose growers who allow the flowers to be damaged by the ravages of the rose aphid, have only themselves to blame, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Although the aphid is widespread over the entire country, as well as abroad, it is easily controlled. Careful spraying of the plants with solutions of nicotine will remove all danger and neither the expense nor the trouble involved is sufficiently great to be a real obstacle.

The rose aphid is a small insect with a body about one-twelfth of an inch long. The young and some adult forms are wingless but certain adults develop wings from time to time. The color varies from green to pink. By means of its slender beak the aphid sucks out the juices of the plant on whose buds and unfolding leaves it feeds. These, prevented from attaining their perfect form, become curled and distorted and the beauty of the flowers is in large measure ruined. Moreover the aphid secretes a sweet sticky liquid called honeydew which spoils the appearance of the foliage on which it is deposited.

Under favorable conditions it propagates rapidly throughout the year. For example, some recent investigations conducted in California by the Department of Agriculture showed that one female gave birth to 48 young in six days. At the end of that time, the mother aphid was knocked from the rose and perished.

This is not at all an uncommon fact. A heavy rain, which washes the insect away is one of its most natural checks, though birds and other insects prey upon the aphid to a considerable extent. Extreme heat is also unfavorable to the aphid.

The rose lover should not, however, depend upon nature to rid his garden of the pest. A 40 per cent solution of nicotine is much surer and not much more trouble. One part of the solution to from 1000 to 2000 parts of water with the addition of one pound of whale-oil soap to every 50 gallons of the mixture is recommended in Bulletin 90, "The Rose Aphid," which the U. S. Department of Agriculture has just issued. A more convenient recipe, when there are only a few bushes to be treated, is a teaspoonful of 40 per cent nicotine solution to 2 gallons of water and one-half ounce of whale oil soap. The soap should be shaved fine and dissolved in hot water.

Mixtures of this character should be applied as a fine, penetrating spray by means of a compressed air sprayer or bucket pump. Such a pump costs from \$3.50 to \$15.00. Together with nicotine solutions it can usually be obtained at seed stores. If no pump is to be had, however, the infested twigs should be dipped in a pail of the solution. Care should be taken to use these solutions at strengths no greater than those mentioned above, since injury to the foliage may result through the use of too much soap, or mildew be favored by too strong a nicotine solution.

Application of insecticides should be made on the first appearance of the pest which varies from the time the leaves are put forth until the buds begin to form. Applications should be repeated as found necessary.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Lane County.

In the Matter of the Estate of Warden Gossett, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Warden Gossett, deceased, will on and after the 15th day of September, 1914, proceed to sell at private sale the following described real property situated in Multnomah County, Oregon, to-wit:

All of lot seven (7) in block one (1) in Evergreen Park, according to the duly recorded plat thereof on file in the office of the County Clerk of Multnomah County, Oregon.

Bids will be received by me for said property above described at the office of Kennedy & Kinsman, Lents, Oregon. The right to reject any and all bids submitted to me is hereby reserved.

This sale is made pursuant to an order made and entered on the 14th day of July, 1914, by the above entitled court, authorizing the administrator to sell the real property above described at private sale, for one-half cash and the balance to be secured by a mortgage on the premises above described, subject to the law for sale of real property by administrators and subject to confirmation by the court.

Dated this 14th day of August, 1914.

W. F. Kinsman, Administrator of the estate of Warden Gossett, deceased.

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Multnomah County.

John E. Hardy, Plaintiff, vs. Ellen J. Sharkey and John P. Sharkey, husband and wife, Merchants National Bank of Portland, a corporation, Pacific Surety Company, a corporation, John McCracken and William Kennedy, Defendants.

By virtue of an execution, judgment order, decree and order of sale issued out of the above entitled Court in the above entitled cause, to me directed and dated the 28th day of July, 1914, upon a judgment rendered and entered in said Court on the 15th day of July, 1914, in favor of John E. Hardy, plaintiff, and against Ellen J. Sharkey and John P. Sharkey, husband and wife, Merchants National Bank of Portland, a corporation, Pacific Surety Company, a corporation, John McCracken and William Kennedy, defendants, for the sum of \$200.00 with interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from the 15th day of March, 1913, and the further sum of \$988.56 with interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 5th day of April, 1913, and the further sum of \$216.11 with interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 5th day of September, 1913, and the further sum of \$250.00 with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 15th day of July, 1914, and for the further sum of \$14.75 costs and disbursements, and the costs of and upon this writ, commanding me to make sale of the following described real property, lying and being in Multnomah County, State of Oregon, to-wit: Lot Four (4) and the South Five (5) feet of Lot Three (3), in Block One Hundred and Two (102), in Holiday's Addition to East Portland, according to the duly recorded plat thereof.

Now Therefore, by virtue of said execution, judgment, order, decree and order of sale and in compliance with the commands of said writ, I will, on Monday, the 21st day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the Court House of the County Court House in Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, sell at public auction, (subject to redemption) to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which the within named defendants, (or either of them) had on the 15th day of March, 1909, the date of the mortgage herein foreclosed, or since that date had in and to the above described property or any part thereof, to satisfy said execution, judgment order and decree, interest, costs and accruing costs.

T. M. WORD,

Sheriff of Multnomah County, Oregon.

Dated this 28th day of July, 1914.

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