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Useless Red Tape.

Every few days some of the troops of Oregon go somewhere or come from somewhere, or settle down somewhere. For fear of some German spy finding out in advance that one of our companies is to guard a bridge, or an oil tank, or something else, the papers are greatly restricted in publishing troop movements. Any fourth-rate German spy who couldn't find out when each and all and any of our troops are moved would not be considered worth 30 cents a day, and would be discharged. It is undoubted that every large body of troops setting forth from our shores to Europe will be watched by German spies, and their departure made known in Germany, if worth while, within two hours. The close censoring of the press that is kept up by the military authorities is largely to increase their own importance and to consume time, red tape, and patience.

Wood Trust Still In Lead.

So far our new Mayor in his violent fight with the wood trust is right where he started. He has interviewed the wood trustees and they have told him that prices will not raise for the present. They have also intimated that when they get good and ready they will raise as high as they please. There is MORE slab wood and block wood than ever. The big shipbuilding plants will have refuse equal to the entire slabwood output. The big mills will run to capacity to get lumber. The coal mines are as easily entered as before. The cost of producing a waste product is not increased by a ten per cent increase in wages; or a 25 per cent, either. There is plenty of electric juice created; plenty of gas; plenty of coal. Slabwood is still being furnished the wood trust on a contract at one dollar a cord. That contract could be taken over by Mayor Baker under the U. S. Food control act. And the trust cinches us!

Behind The Scenes.

Our public service commission has discovered that some public service corporations are only making five per cent on their investments. There is a nigger in the woodpile somewhere. It may be the same as has been discovered in New Zealand in similar cases. First, overvalued plants, with figures placed at original cost when now worn out; and for others machinery that has been paid for by depreciation charge—offs from previous annual incomes. Second, overhead expenses augmented by relatives placed on the salary roll with little or nothing to do. Third, fancy prices paid for land needed, shareholders getting the rake-off. Fourth, land purchased for speculation and taxes charged to overhead expenses, with interest demanded from the amount so invested.

Some of these things go on under the very noses of the public utility commission, and some right behind their backs.

The remedy is public ownership, with compensation for nothing but the actual value of the plant, and nothing for good will, franchises or speculative tracts of land not necessary in the business.

It's worrying us to determine how Europe, when this war is over, is going to play euchre with a deck from which kings and queens have been eliminated.

People's Forum

Mr. Walrod Writes Of Trip.

Fairbairn, Minn. Editor, Herald: I left Portland at 7:00 p. m., on Saturday, the 11th inst., for Minneapolis, coming by way of Spokane. Crops in Oregon will average about half a crop; winter wheat fair, but spring grain poor.

I arrived in Spokane the morning of the 12th at 6:15, leaving an hour later. Passed through a fine farming country beyond Spokane, with indications of more than a half crop, corn however, looking small and poor, but a large crop of hay. At 10:30 we stopped at St. Joe, Idaho. This is a lumber town. At Avery the electric car was hooked on and for 40 miles over the Rockies we were drawn by electricity, the power being derived from the mountain streams. It was a fine trip; the car has the appearance of a baggage car, only longer, being about 100 ft. in length. It goes over the mountains like a bird, climbing at a 20-mile clip. At Alberton we stopped 10 minutes and got ice cream.

When I awoke on the morning of the 13th we had just passed Roundup Mountain and found ourselves in the great sheep belt. Grain looks well and hay appeared to be a fine crop. The track ran along the Yellowstone River for some distance, which is a large and muddy looking stream. We crossed the Montana line at 12:15. A large area of Montana through which we passed appeared rocky and worthless and lots of alkali. At 4:20 we crossed the North Dakota line into South Dakota. The crops in the former are poor, apparently not half a crop—awfully hot and dry. At 5:00 p. m., there suddenly came up a thunder storm. The thunder and lightning were very severe. It lasted about one hour, then cleared away. At 5:30 we stopped for 10 minutes at McIntosh, S. Dakota, where your humble scribe again got an ice cream cone, although having to brave the danger of the heavy claps of thunder and vivid flashes of lightning. At 8:15 we crossed the Missouri River. Here were stationed soldiers on guard, protecting the bridge.

The morning of the 14th found us at Glencoe, Minnesota. Wheat, oats, corn, barley and rye are all bumper crops in this State. Hay and potatoes are also a large crop. Corn looks fine, but is a little late. If frost keeps off it will be a big crop. I arrived at Fairbairn, my destination, at 11:30 a. m., found all well. Will write more later.—John Walrod.

W.C.T.U. NOTES

The regular meeting of Mt. Scott W. C. T. U. will be held Tuesday afternoon of next week, the 28th inst. A cordial invitation is extended to all who are interested in any of the plans for patriotic service.

Astoria union has contributed \$36.50 to pay for the caring of a French orphan for one year.

Supplies for soldiers and sailors continue to go out in large quantities from State Headquarters. The latest shipments include 70 articles, two comfort bags by special request from two navy boys, old linen sent direct to French battlefields, 50 lbs. to Camp Withycombe for the Third Oregon, 20 tea towels, 900 gun wipers and 25 lbs of gun rags. Oregon has also given liberal response to the call for funds for a W. C. T. U. ambulance which is to go to once to the battle front. A call has come for over 200 comfort bags, wanted at once; 175 are ready for shipment.

Oregon State Headquarters is a clearing house for National Patriotic Service Department. Mrs. Jennie Kemp, state president, is vice president of the Woman's Division of the Council of Defense.

County Institute for this month was held in the U. B. Church at Alberta, with Frances Willard union as hostesses. Mrs. Sleeth, county president, presided. Mrs. Hattie Wilson and Mrs. Carey were the speakers of the morning session and talked along lines of department work. At the afternoon session Mrs. M. L. T. Hidden spoke on the observance of red letter day and social work. Mrs. Addison spoke on food conservation and the work of the council of defense. A most interesting discussion followed, Mrs. Kemp giving a stirring talk. The Institute was well attended.

Mt. Scott union will be busy at the next regular meeting making bed socks for wounded soldiers. Tea towels are called for; any one who can furnish a few please hand to Mrs. Gesel. Flou sacks hemmed make very satisfactory ones. Housewives also are greatly wanted. Old linen left at Headquarters will be appreciated.

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Church Notes

Methodist Church.

On Sunday next the pastor will continue his series of "Stewardship" sermons. The topic for the morning will be "The Atmosphere of the Sanctuary." The evening topic will be "The Might of the Widow's Mite." The Male Quartette will render special selections both morning and evening.

The Sunday School Workers' Conference will be addressed tomorrow (Friday) evening by Chas. E. Lenon, of the Sunnyside Church. Every officer, teacher and member of the adult classes are requested to be present.

The Epworth League enjoyed their meeting on Sunday evening last with the Millard Avenue Presbyterian young people. They were treated well and given a most cordial welcome. Miss Beulah Miller was the leader and the lesson was well arranged and carried out. Meetings of this character are very helpful and promote the fraternal feeling which should exist between all churches.

Mr. and Mrs. Coryell and daughter, Mrs. Gladys, recent arrivals in Lents from Redmond, Ore., and Mrs. Johnson from Kellog, Idaho, were welcomed into the church by transfer.

Anabel Presbyterian Church.

The regular monthly Workers' Conference of the Anabel Presbyterian Sunday School will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eilton Shaw, 4402 79th St. S. E., Monday evening, August 27, when plans for the new Sunday School year beginning October 1, will be outlined. The members of the school will go for their annual picnic on Tuesday, Sept. 4. The committees which have the planning for the picnic in charge report everything in readiness for a big crowd and a good time.

The Sunday School orchestra has kept up its regular rehearsals during the summer months having not missed a practice. A number of instruments have been added. The young people who have been taking lessons during the summer will take their regular parts by October first, when the Sunday School will have an orchestra of about 20 pieces, which under the direction of Mr. E. P. Town plan for some heavy work during the coming winter.

Last week the members of the Third Year Primary classes were given a treat by their teachers, Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. O'Mealy. Boys and lunch baskets loaded into a couple of automobiles they were driven out through Gresham, crossed the upper Sandy bridge and spent the day picnicking and sporting in the clear waters of the beautiful river. All kinds of stunts liked by the live wide-awake boys were indulged in and greatly enjoyed by the youngsters, especially the wienie roast at lunch time. The party returned in the evening by the way of the lower Sandy bridge, Troutdale and Laurelhurst Park. The attendance at Sunday School Sunday in these classes was above normal as a result of the outing.

Millard Ave. Presbyterian Church.

A union meeting of the Epworth League of the Lents Methodist Church and the Christian Endeavor Society of the Millard Avenue Presbyterian Church was held at the latter church on Sunday evening last. The topic for the evening was, "A Definite Purpose in Life and the Success it Wins." Sixty three persons were present. Miss Beulah V. Miller was the leader on this occasion. The neat little chapel was beautifully decorated with Golden Rod. The service was greatly enjoyed by all. There was special music and an interesting program.

Mr. Cortes Valentine was a welcome visitor at the Millard Ave. Christian Endeavor meeting on Sunday evening last. He is now stationed at Clackamas.

Miss Beulah T. Miller entertained her Sunday School class at Sellwood Park on Wednesday, the 23rd inst. They all enjoyed a swim, after which they ate their lunch and took in the sights of the Park.

Private J. E. Johnson of Co. K, 3rd Ore. Inf. visited the Millard Avenue Church on Sunday morning, the 19th inst. He was given a hearty reception by all.

Evangelical Church.

Lowell Bradford will have charge of the morning service at the Evangelical Church on Sunday next. The topic will be, "A Study of Christ the Evangelist."

The Y. P. A. service will commence at 6:45 p. m. The evening service will commence at 7:45, the first half hour to be devoted to music.

Kern Park Christian Church.

Rev. Carl Gormhley, of the Rodney Avenue Christian Church, will give his talk on India illustrated with slides in the Kern Park Church next Sunday evening, August 28. Mr. Gormhley has been a missionary in India so is well prepared on this subject.

The Rev. Muckley, of the National Benevolent Association, preached a very helpful sermon Sunday morning on "Service" and gave as a concrete example where our service is needed at the Christian Old Peoples' Home at

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Friends Church.

The regular services will be held on Sunday at the Friends Church.

The Interdenominational Prayer Band met at the Friends Church on Tuesday for an all-day meeting. The attendance was small, but an inspiring service was enjoyed.

Many Cattle Die of Strange Disease.

More than one hundred cattle belonging to farmers in Eastern Multnomah and Clackamas Counties have died during the past six weeks. The cause of this great fatality among live stock has been more or less baffling. County Agent S. B. Hall and the State Veterinarian, Dr. W. H. Lytle, have made careful investigations into the matter and have pronounced the trouble to be hemorrhagic septicemia and have vaccinated accordingly, some of the cattle so treated having been saved. This disease is said to be a contagious blood poisoning, highly fatal and infectious. The causes are said to be found in swampy pastures, hot weather being more conducive to infection into the blood of the animals through scratches or other abrasions of the skin. No remedy has been discovered for the disease in its advanced stages.

The County Agent has been supplied with the necessary vaccine and will vaccinate stock free upon application at his office in Gresham.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Multnomah County.
G. A. Phillips and W. C. Thompson, doing business as Phillips and Thompson, Plaintiffs vs. Annie M. Irvine, Defendant.
By virtue of an execution, judgment order, and order of sale issued out of the above entitled Court in the above entitled cause, to me directed and dated the 17th day of August 1917, upon a judgment rendered and entered in said Court on the 25th day of June 1917 in favor of G. A. Phillips and W. C. Thompson, plaintiffs, and against Annie M. Irvine, defendant for the sum of \$331.10 with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the date of the following described real property, to-wit: Lot 11 and W. 1-2 of Lot 12, Block 1, Jobade, in Section 18, Twp. 1 N. R. 2 E. of W. Multnomah County.
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 24th day of September 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the east front door 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 defendant, Annie M. Irvine had on the 25th day of June 1917, the date of the judgment herein 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. HURLBURT, Sheriff of Multnomah County, Oregon.
Dated the 21st day of August 1917.
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SUMMONS
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Multnomah County.
Alice B. Morrow, Plaintiff, vs. Edward O. Morrow, Defendant.
To Edward O. Morrow, the above named 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 suit, on or before the 14th day of September, 1917, and if you fail so to appear or answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in her complaint; viz: for a decree of divorce dissolving the marriage contract now existing between you and the plaintiff, and for the custody of the minor child in said complaint mentioned, and for such other and further relief as the Court may seem meet and proper.
This summons is served upon you pursuant to an order of the Hon. Robt. Tucker, which said order was made on the 21st day of July, 1917, and which said order required that this summons be published once a week for six consecutive weeks, in the Mt. Scott Herald, a newspaper of general circulation published in Multnomah County, State of Oregon; the date of the first publication of this notice is the 2nd day of August, 1917, and the date of the last publication is the 18th day of September 1917.
Joseph P. Hurst, Attorney for Plaintiff, 1224 Yeon Bldg., Portland, Oregon.

SUMMONS
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Multnomah County.
Frank Bell, Plaintiff, vs. Annie L. Rose and Edith Rose, Defendants.

In the name of the State of Oregon you and each of you, are required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled cause and Court on or before September 13, 1917, said date being 6 weeks from the first publication of this summons, and to appear and answer, or otherwise plead herein for want thereof the plaintiff will take judgment and decree against you as prayed for in the complaint on file hereto, to-wit: For the sum of \$192.00, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from July 25, 1917, until paid, and for the first publication of this notice, and for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage made by one Samuel Rose in favor of Plaintiff, and recorded in Book 498 at page 24, Records of Mortgages, for Multnomah County, Oregon, covering the following described real property: The East half of Lots 46, 47 and 48, in Block 29, in the Original Townsite of Albina, according to the duly recorded plat thereof, in Multnomah County, Oregon.

This summons is served upon you by publication once a week for six successive weeks from the 2nd day of August, 1917, to and including September 12, 1917, pursuant to an order of the Hon. Robert Tucker, Judge of the above entitled Court, which order is dated August 1, 1917.
John Van Zante, Attorney for Plaintiff, 214 Spalding Bldg., Portland, Oregon.
Date of first publication, August 2, 1917.
Date of last publication September 12, 1917.

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In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Multnomah County.
Margaret Baker, Plaintiff, vs. Margaretha Fleishauer, widow, Charles Fleishauer and Grace Fleishauer, his wife, Fred Fleishauer and Etta Fleishauer, his wife, Emma Hubbard and Newton Hubbard, her husband, Rose Mason and Leo Mason, her husband; Minnie Ferguson, unmarried, and Louis Fleishauer, unmarried, Heirs of E. E. Fleishauer, deceased, 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 21st day of July, 1917, upon a judgment rendered and entered in said Court on the 30th day of July 1917, in favor of Margaret Baker plaintiff and against Margaretha Fleishauer, widow, Charles Fleishauer and Grace Fleishauer, his wife; Fred Fleishauer and Etta Fleishauer his wife; Emma Hubbard and Newton Hubbard, her husband; Rose Mason and Leo Mason, her husband; Minnie Ferguson, unmarried and Louis Fleishauer, unmarried, Heirs of E. E. Fleishauer, deceased, defendants for the sum of \$500.00 with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 9th day of March 1916 and the further sum of \$25.00 with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 1st day of April 1917, and the further sum of \$125.00 with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 30th day of July, 1917, and for the further sum of \$32.70 costs and disbursements and the costs of and upon this writ commanding me to make sale of the following described real property, to-wit: Lots Four (4), Five (5) and Six (6) Block Twenty-six (26) in "Sunnyside," Multnomah County, Oregon, except the West 32.46 feet 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 19th day of September 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the east front door 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 and each and all of them had on the 9th day of March, 1908, 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. HURLBURT
Sheriff of Multnomah County, Oregon
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