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#### Interstate Bridge Pays.

The Interstate bridge is paying nearly \$100 a day over expenses and from the start has been administered with a degree of efficiency rarely manifested in public construction work. Its bonds sold at a premium, and the contracts were let away below the estimates because it was known that it was to be a "straight job" and no grafting allowed. Had our four-milliondollar court house been constructed as efficiently we would have had a much lower tax rate during the years it was being built.

The interstate bridge is being operated according to the plan provided for by the legislature, but the plan itself is costly and absurd. Toll bridges of any kind retard trade, travel and commerce. They have been almost abandoned in Oregon. The restrictions upon interchange of business by a very small toll are much larger than might be supposed. If an interstate bridge is a good thing, then the free bridge would be a better thing. The value of property is increased by travel, population and business. All would be increased by by the free bridges across the repaid and the increased property values would justify the carrying of the interest and sinking funds of the bonds. The upthe toll gate keepers being disered that it does not pay to fine tlers and new enterprises. people for using the public roads. When will we abandon the to do business with us?

#### The "Jitney" Does The Job.

es and giving shorter hours than neglected. any street car corporation on the Coast. Its electricity costs more, its wages more, its new material more, and its services are better than that given by any other public service of the same nature anywhere west of the Missouri. of the city stands behind it. Why could not Portland do the same?

#### Patriotic Smith Family.

of Smith while the Jones's could inspiring address. the honor "Smith," he says, "is was the leader and the meeting was one a typically American name. The men who bear it are Americans among Americans. They are patriots. It is natural then to find so many of them in the navy."

#### Cold Tea Comes High.

Portland has few organized atbottle in his hip pocket does not get very far nor travel around

new selections are anticipated in the near future.

One of the usual events of Rally Day

while the human-interest stories of real life portrayed always grip the hearts of the hearers. worst blind pigs are the clubs grades. The following received diplomas | ceeding the evening service.

and upper class places where for faithful and excellent work during hospitality is extended. It would not take much of an effort to get Francis Guber, Alexandras Jones and some of them over a barrell. Ella Reed; Mr. Merry's class, Paul Liquor is obtainable, yet at what Jordan, Arlington Crum and Carrol a price! Talk about high license. Olson; Mr. McLoney's class, Theo The prohibition laws moderately Zehrung, Percy Yost, Donald Fletcher, enforced certainly make for sobriety if high license does. It for some fire water in Portland, and when he got four quarts cold tea!

#### One More Step Needed.

The success of the municipal the fishermen on the coast and does not trust to the wholesale fish dealers to furnish supplies. There is still too great a margin between what the fisherman receives and what the consumer pays. Branch fish markets should be established in the suburban cities within the lines of Greater Portland. What can be done with fish can be done with meat and bread. Other civilized cities have extended the activities in supplies to all kinds of meats and fish, bread, vegetables and supplies. Some European cities run loan banks on personal things, undertakers supplies, and even keep poultry.

In Maryland three small towns have recently voted to exempt improvements from taxation for local purposes. The city of Baltia free interstate bridge just as more has long exempted manuthey are facilitated and increased facturing machinery from taxation. Two years ago an amend-Willamette river. The commun- ment was adopted allowing any ity ,as a whole, would be amply city or town to exempt from taxation any class of property. Economists all over the United States are watching the results ant of the Friends Churches of that with great interest. The exemp- state. keep would be much lessened by tion of improvements from taxation has worked well in western pensed with. A bridge is only a Canada and Australia, and is piece of the public road. In considered where in operation to Oregon we have long ago discov- encourage investment, new set-

It is said that while outside of absurdity of fining people for Portland the different commun- Christmas season, the young men who driving into Multnomah county ities represented in the Oregon have gone from the Sunday School into then in the principal departments of vocal Coast Artillery Corps regiment the army. Not long ago the School are seeing that their boys have a sent to each boy who has gone to the 1085 sadets in 1916-17, and won recommen All the public service corpora- frequently send down to Fort the Christmas time were outlined and higher learning. All cadets will be furnished tions are coming forward and Stevens and other points hamp- committees appointed to carry the plane complete uniforms by the U. S. Government getting their prices raised. ers of good things, that Port- to completion. The main feature of the and the junior and senior cadeta. enrolled in Meanwhile the public service of land's Eighth Company, C. A. C. transportation in San Francisco is neglected and forgotten. The Tripp, who conducts the church choir. is extending its lines, paying off Eighth Company is as fine a mil- The singers will be assisted in render- 1917. Information on request. its bonds, investing a deprecia- itary unit as any the state ever ing the cantata, by the Sunday School Registrar. Oregon Agricultural College, tion fund and paying better wag- organized, and it should not be orchestra.

#### Church Notes

Methodist Church.

Jasper, has been returned for another into the Junior Department with a And it all comes from the nickels | year and will preach both morning and | bible. The classes so promoted were of the patrons. Only the credit evening. The evening services will be those of Miss Rhodes, Mrs. O'Mealy one half hour earlier beginning with and Mrs. Shaw. Sunday next. Junior League at 5:30, Senior League at 6:30 and the evening boys spent Sunday afternoon out on the

Day on Sunday last with appropriate lunch for the evening. The return trip Renowned in history, song and exercises. A set program entitled was made by the way of Troutdale and city directories, the famous fam- "Flags of Freedom," was rendered, the Sandy Boulevard. ily of Smith is laying claims to with a large audience in attendance. being the most patriotic in this A Missionary Pageant formed the most ity met at the church on Wednesday country. A census taken at the ambitious feature of the program and afternoon and organized a Red Cross was given by the young ladies of the Auxiliary. The committee in charge naval training camp in San Diego, school dressed in costume and was very of this work has aroused a great deal of Cal., discloses the fact that there effective. Dr. Geo. Pratt, Superintend- enthusiasm over this department of the are thirty-two boys by the name ent of the Centenary Church, gave an work and much is expected to be accom-

only muster eighteen. Accord- Society held their monthly meeting ing to M. A. Hollabaugh, Y. M. Wednesday afternoon at the parsonage. C. A. secretary at the naval sta- The regular course of study for the year tion, the Smiths are entitled to was begun at this time. Mrs. Fyock

#### Millard Ave. Presbyterian Church.

The Sunday School observed Rally the founder and head of these institu-Day on Sunday last, a very delightful | tions, which include the Portland Comprogram being rendered which was mons, the Louise Home and the Alberthoroughly enjoyed by all. The junior tina Nursery, will speak, his address to choir, under the direction of Prof. J. be illustrated with lantern slides depict-Archie Hollingworth, made its first ing the work in which he and his corps Office Consultation Evenings by Appointment public appearance at this time. Mark- of workers are engaged. The programs tempts at blind pigging. The ed talent and ability were shown among put on by Mr. MacLaren are full of initinerant liquor vendor with a the young people at this time and many terest and not lacking in entertainment,

a given circuit very often. The is the promotion of pupils to higher The Y. P. A. will meet as usual pre-

Roger Woodyard and Lyle Riggs.

The Millard Ave. Christian Endeavor Society will hold its annual rally at the is told of a man from Central church next Sunday evening, the 7th Oregon that he paid \$8 a quart inst. beginning at 7:00 o'clock. All members, active, associate and honorary, are expected to be present for roll call. This meeting will begin the new home found three of them were Christian Endeavor year and a good attendance is anticipated. The installation of officers to serve during the next six months will occur at this time. Miss Helen Orr, State Secretary of the Oregon Christian Endeavor Union, will fish market will be greater if the be present and explain the new twocity establish direct dealings with year campaign chart. Don't fail to be present. We need your help.

#### Laurelwood Congregational Church.

Sunday next will be observed as Home Coming Day at the Laurelwood Congre gational Church. The topic of the sermon will be "The Pilgrim Faith." A general invitation is extended to all, especially to those who have at any time been affiliated with the Laurelwood

#### Friends Church.

The services of last Sunday were held as usual. The message in the evening brought one seeker to the alter. Miss Terrill is proving herself to be a speaker of dignity and power. Those without a church home in the community are invited to come and hear her.

Murry Hunt who recently was a patient at one of the city hospitals was at church last Sunday.

Miss Madge Tamplin was on the sick list the early part of the week.

Kenneth Tamplin and Sanger Fox attended the Portland Commons Mission Monday night.

Mr. E. E. Taylor, who filled the pulpit several weeks ago was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dunbar on 55th Ave. over night Tuesday night. He s going with his family next week to take charge of the church at Boise. Idaho having been secured for that work by the Evangelistic Superintend-

#### Anabel Presbyterian Church.

The monthly worker's conference and dinner of the Anabel Presbyterian Sunday School was held in the Sunday School rooms of the church on Monday evening. Following the devotional service routine business was transacted and some most interesting reports made. Plans were outlined for remembering at

The school is in a flourishing condition not only financially but has had a TO GET ACQUAINTED tion months, and is filling up rapidly for the coming winter's work.

Promotion and Rally Day was observed last Sunday with appropriate ser-Regular services will be held on Sun- vices. The S. S. presented each memday next. The pastor, Rev. F. M. ber of the three Primary classes going

Mr. Shaw and his class of 14 Junior banks of the beautiful Sandy, going by The Sunday School observed Rally auto. The hoys took along a picnic

plished the coming winter.

#### Evangelical Church.

The regular services will be held in the morning on Sunday next. The pastor, Rev. T. R. Hornschuch, will preach at 11:00 o'clock.

The evening service will be held under the auspices of the Pacific Coast Rescue and Protective Society. Mr. MacLaren,

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In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, r Multnomah County. Hazel Lent, Plaintiff, vs. Frank Lent, De-

Hazel Lent, Plaintiff, vs. Frank Lent, Defendant.
To Frank Lent, 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 8th day of November, 1917, said date being more than six weeks from the 27th day of September, 1917, the date of the order for publication of this summons and more than six weeks from the 27th day of September, 1917, the date of the first publication of said summons; and if you fail to answer or otherwise appear herein, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in plaintiff, complaint herein, to-wit: For a Judgment and Decree of Divorce dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore and now existing between the plaintiff and defendant, and for the care, custody and control of the minor children, to-wit: Leland Lent and Mariam Lent, and for such other and further relief as may seem just and equitable in the premises.

This summons is served upon you by publica-

premises.
This summons is served upon you by publication thereof, pursuant to an order of the Honorable J. F. Kavanaugh, Judge of the above entitled Court, which order is dated Sept. 27th 1917. First Publication Sept. 27, 1917. Last Publication November 8, 1917.
John Van Zante, Attorney for Plaintiff, 314 Spaiding Bidg., Portland, Oregon.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been, by the County Court of the County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, appointed administratrix of the last Will and Testament and Estate of James S. Atkinson, deceased, late of Multnomah County, Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigated at the office of James N. Davis, 601 Journal Building, Portland, Oregon, within six months from this date, duly certified as by law required. y law required. MINNIE C. ATKINSON, Administratrix. Date of first publication September 13, 1 Date of last publication October 11, 1917.

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