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## KEEPING TREATIES.

Prominent among the causes of the war which the government wishes emphasized by all who discuss current events, is the matter of keeping and breaking of treaties. As was clearly set forth by President Wilson in his note to the Pope, our people can place no faith in the word of the present rulers of Germany. It is of no use to make peace agreements with people who will not keep agreements.

The German government, when it violated the neutrality of Belgium, expressly admitted that it was violating international law. It excused it on the excuse, as Kaiser William said in his letter to President Wilson, that it was necessary on "strategical grounds." According to that principle any agreement whatever could be violated for the reason that it would be advantageous to one of the parties to break it. Germany also knows perfectly well that when she sinks our ships and murders our citizens she is violating all law, treaties, and agreements.

All human relations are dependent on the honorable keeping of pledges. In private life the man who won't keep them is kicked out of the business world. It is no use trying to deal with him.

When a nation violates its solemn promises, conditions simply revert to the time of the cave man, when the one with the biggest club ruled the rest. It is no use to try to make agreements with those who try to rule in that way. The only way is to get a bigger club. Next time they may respect agreements.

That is where we are at with Germany. We are not fighting to get any territory for ourselves or anyone else except such as she may have stolen. It is simply to teach the rulers of Germany a lesson so that they will see and thoroughly realize that it is better policy to keep agreements. As long as she will persist in breaking them, and in keeping the most powerful military force ever assembled by one nation, so long it is impossible for other nations to live in peace with her.

## PROFIT GRABBING.

An Illinois coal operator, recently testifying before a Missouri commission, said that his company had been able to get as much as \$6.00 a ton on some of their coal that cost them only \$2.00. He defended the price, on the ground that "they could get it." He argued that other people charge all they can get, and that no lawyer would do a piece of work for \$5.00 if he could \$10 for it.

This may be true, yet capitalists should realize that if their industries are to remain on a secure foundation, they must charge only reasonable prices. The express companies a few years ago tried out this idea of charging all they could get. They were quite defiant, and some of the companies made very big money.

The big profits created popular antagonism. This resulted in the establishment of the parcel post. Some of the companies went out of business, while others with weeping and gnashing of teeth accepted lower rates. If they had charged reasonable rates in the first place, it is not likely that the government would have ever bothered to compete with them.

A fair price is not determined by finding out what the people will pay for necessities when driven by the pressure of monopoly or by other exigency. It is to be based on the cost of production, plus a reasonable interest on capital and compensation for the brains and energy of the producer. Few people would say that a price of \$6.00 is fair return on a cost of \$2.00.

## INFANT DAUGHTER MR. AND MRS. YOUNG OF WEST LINN, DIES

Helen Young, six months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Young, of West Linn, died at the family home on Monday morning, after an illness of several days. The child's death was due to pneumonia following an attack of whooping cough.

The funeral services are to be held from the Holman undertaking parlors in this city on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Rev. E. E. Gilbert, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating, and the interment will be in the Mountain View cemetery.

Born, Thursday, October 4, to the wife of Fred H. Wilcox, of Oregon City, Route 2, at the Oregon City hospital, a daughter.

## LOCALS

F. Achilles, of Molalla, was in this city on business Saturday.

T. W. Blanchard, of Clarkes, was in this city on business Saturday.

Born, October 2, to the wife of H. R. Shipley, of Oswego, a son.

Born, October 1, to the wife of Robert Bewick, of West Linn, a son.

Mrs. Elva Hunter, of Clackamas, was among those to visit in Oregon City Saturday.

Victor Lundeen, of Boring, was among those to transact business here Saturday.

Born, Monday morning at 4 o'clock to the wife of Albert Moehnke, of Hoff, route 1, a daughter. Mr. Moehnke is one of the prominent farmers of that section of the county.

Born, Thursday afternoon, October 4, to the wife of Charles Schoenhelz, a daughter.

John Larson, of Clarkes, was among those to transact business in this city on Saturday.

Fred Alt, of Milwaukie, was among those to transact business in Oregon City on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daywalt, of Clackamas, were among those to visit in Oregon City on Saturday.

Born, Thursday, October 4, to the wife of Pearl Selby, of Gladstone, a son, weight ten pounds.

Born, Tuesday evening, October 2, to the wife of Horace Minor, of Kansas City addition, a daughter.

Born, Sunday evening, September 30, to the wife of Louis M. Davies, a son, weight eight pounds.

Misses Myrtle and Ruth Larkins and brother, Glen Larkins, of Meadowbrook, were in this city on Saturday.

Charles Marshall, of Mulino, one of the prominent young farmers of that place, was in the city on business Saturday.

Born, Sunday, October 7, to the wife of Theodor McCune, of this city, a son. Mrs. McCune was formerly Miss Donner.

Harris Seydell, of Redland, one of the well known farmers of that place, was in the city Saturday, and while here purchased a new buggy and a horse. Mr. Seydell is making his home on the Davenport place.

The Pacific Highway garage has made several sales during the week, one of those having purchased an automobile from this establishment was S. P. Londergan, of Oregon City, route 5, having selected a Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Lash, of Redland, were among the Oregon City visitors on Monday, and accompanied here Mrs. Hulderson, niece of Mrs. Lash, who has been their guest for several days, and was on her way home.

Among the automobile sales made by the Independent garage at Twelfth and Main streets was to John Roth, of Clackamas, route 1, through William Trudell, of that company. Mr. Roth purchased a five-passenger Chevrolet.

Mrs. Thomas F. Ryan, who has been critically ill for several years, and who is at the Ryan summer home at Gladstone, underwent an operation on Monday morning, Dr. H. S. Mount attending. Mrs. Ryan is improving from her long illness, and is now able to see her many friends.

Miss Clara Fullam, of Redland, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Fullam who are prominent residents of Logan, was brought to this city on Sunday, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Oregon City hospital. Drs. H. S. and Guy Mount performed the operation, which was a success.

Rev. R. L. Dunn, formerly pastor of the Christian church at Gladstone, but now of the First Christian church of Vancouver, Wash., met with an accident on Saturday, when he fell from a stepladder, sustaining a compound fracture of both wrists. He will not be able to officiate at his church for about a month owing to his injuries.

H. J. Huber, one of the prominent farmers of Logan, was in this city the latter part of the week, and while here made a deal in which he purchased the automobile of Cecil Robey, of the Oregon City Courier. Mr. Robey gave Mr. Huber one lesson in operating the car, and he was able to take the automobile to his home. He is planning many side trips during his leisure time this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Glover, of Eagle Creek, and Mrs. Otto Lyman, of Schuebel, were in this city on Wednesday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Moehnke. They were on their way to Beaver Creek, where they attended the Pomona Grange. Mrs. Lyman has been a guest at the Glover home since Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Glover will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Moehnke, of Shubel, until today. They are making the trip in their new automobile.

In the case of Cassie Evans Fuller against J. J. and Florence Vaughn tried in circuit court Monday the jury brought in a verdict for the defendants. The action was brought for restitution of certain real estate in the town of Canby, the plaintiff claiming that the defendants forcibly held the property. O. D. Eby appeared for the plaintiff while the defendants were represented by C. D. and D. C. Latourette.

# A Letter From Washington

The Food Administrator Writes Us:

"The use of baking powder breads made of corn and other coarse flours instead of wheat flour is recommended by the Conservation Division of the Food Administration. The wheat needed for export is thus conserved, and at the same time healthful food for our own people is provided. The circulation of recipes providing for these uses would be of assistance in carrying out our plans."

The following recipes for Corn Bread and Rye Rolls save wheat flour and make attractive and wholesome food for every day when made with

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

### CORN BREAD

- 1 1/2 cups corn meal
- 1/2 cup flour
- 4 level teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
- 1 tablespoon sugar
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 1/2 cups milk
- 2 tablespoons shortening

Mix thoroughly dry ingredients; add milk and melted shortening; beat well; pour into well greased pan and bake in hot oven about 25 minutes.

### RYE ROLLS

- 2 cups rye flour
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 level teaspoon Royal Baking Powder
- 1/2 cup milk
- 1/2 tablespoon shortening

Mix dry ingredients together, add milk and melted shortening. Knead on floured board; shape into rolls. Put into greased pans and allow to stand in warm place 20 to 25 minutes. Bake in moderate oven 25 to 30 minutes.

Our red, white and blue booklet "Best War Time Recipes" containing additional similar recipes sent free on request. Address Royal Baking Powder Company, Dept. H, 135 William Street, New York.

## POMONA GRANGE FAILS TO ADOPT RESOLUTION OVER COUNTY AGENT

By a close vote of 17 to 21, a resolution by A. J. Lewis, of Maple Lane, opposing the appropriation by Clackamas County of \$1500 for a county agent was tabled by Pomona Grange at Beaver Creek Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Lewis argued that the appropriation would mean an additional tax and that it was not justified, and he was supported by Walter Kirchoff, A. M. Kirchoff and S. L. Canto. The resolution was opposed by C. E. Spence, master of the state grange, and by Mrs. Maggie Johnson, secretary of Pomona grange. The county agent, R. J. Werner, was present and replied to a number of questions that were asked concerning the work of his office.

Six members received the fifth degree. Master Glover, of Eagle Creek, presided at the sessions, and the Beaver Creek women set up a toothsome dinner at noon. B. G. Leedy, of Corvallis, former state master, who was accompanied by Mrs. Leedy, and Mrs. Enoch, of Corvallis, made a report upon the activities of the state line board, of which he is a member, and this was followed by a general discussion on the line situation. State Master Spence gave a report on his recent trip to Washington, D. C., where he was instrumental in securing a better price for wheat for the northwest farmers. He argued that necessary farm labor ought to be exempted from military draft.

The Grange held memorial exercises in honor of the late George Lazelle and adjourned to meet at Milwaukie the second Wednesday in January, 1918. The following program was presented by the lecturer, Mrs. Hoffman:

Song, "Star Spangled Banner"; instrumental music, Glinther Bros.; reading, Mrs. Londergan; song, Mrs. Haber; reading, Robert Tremayne; song, Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson; organ solo, Mrs. A. Thomas; song, Mrs. Bertha Davis; recitation, R. J. Werner; song, William Lillie; song, Glinther Bros.

## FIRE BREAKS OUT IN ZIMMERMAN HOME CAUSE IS UNKNOWN

Fire broke out at 12:30 Thursday noon in the second story of the Zimmerman home at Willamette. It was discovered by two school girls, Veva Leideman and Iva Borland, who gave the alarm. Prof. Romig of the Willamette school nearby reached the scene first and with the aid of others checked the flames which were making quick work of the ceiling. The chemical engine arrived shortly after and a hole being made in the roof the flame was soon out.

Mrs. Ray Gregory and little daughters, Virginia and Margaret, arrived in Oregon City from Seattle, Wash., on Monday, and are guests of Mr. Gregory's parents. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Gregory, who reside about four miles from this city. Mrs. Gregory and children, after visiting at the Gregory home for several weeks, will proceed to San Francisco, where they will make their future home. Mr. Gregory, who has accepted a position with a large jewelry manufacturing establishment of that city, preceded his family several weeks ago.

## Oak Grove

OAK GROVE, Oct. 4.—Rev. I. N. Young of Nehalem and Wheeler has been appointed to this church to succeed Rev. Dow DeLong. Mrs. Young and three children come with Mr. Young, and they will occupy the parsonage. Mr. and Mrs. DeLong left Thursday for The Dalles on their way to Moro where Mr. DeLong has an appointment.

Mrs. Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds, left for her home in Omaha last week accompanied by her brother, Forest Reynolds.

Mrs. Ota McMullin of Rose Lodge spent the week end with Mrs. G. A. Kindler and family.

W. S. Wines has rented the Carl Richter house on Third avenue and took possession Wednesday. Carl Richter and family have moved into Portland for the winter.

W. H. Miller of Newport has moved into his own home on Railroad avenue, from the Proctor place.

Mrs. Henry Schuffler returned home from California Saturday.

Mrs. John Waldron, accompanied by Dr. Kathrine Meyers of Portland, left September 24 for Salter, Oregon, to hold a baby test for the Oregon congress of Mothers, returning September 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Worthington and children have rented the Headley house of L. E. Bullard.

Roy Blackerby arrived from Wheeler Monday on business and pleasure combined. He visited his sister, Mrs. L. E. Bentley, of Twilight, and his mother and sister here, returning home Saturday morning, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Margaret Blackerby.

The Oak Grove-Milwaukie Social Service Club held a luncheon Thursday at the Grange hall in Milwaukie.

The Red Cross Auxiliary meets every Monday afternoon at Vosburg's hall. The organization is doing some excellent work along all lines.

Mrs. J. Dean Butler will leave for Prineville next week to attend the Federation of Women's Clubs to be held there.

The Parent-Teacher association will meet Friday at the school house at 3 p. m. All parents are earnestly invited to attend.

Mrs. Mary D. Guthrie has been suffering with an ulcerated tooth for the last week.

Mrs. C. W. Risley and H. B. Starkweather were in Oregon City on business Friday.

Mrs. Haywood has rented the Pete Hefty place for her daughter, who will occupy the same this winter.

Mrs. George C. Brownell entertained Friday evening at her home on Concord road the Juvenile Red Cross auxiliary, the evening was spent in games and music. Refreshments were served. Those present were the Misses Mildred and Lucile Derry, Inez Oatfield, Marion Holmes, Minnie Phillips, Angela Marshall, Jean and Ruby Starkweather and Naomi Wilcox.

An informal party was given Mrs. L. E. Armstrong and daughter, Hester, Monday night by a few of the neighbors and Ladies' Aid. Music was the feature of the evening. Refreshments were served by the ladies. Mrs. Armstrong and daughter will leave soon for Wheeler, their future home. Those present were: Mesdames Reynolds, George, Lewis, Day, Griffith, O. Neaf, Warren. The Misses Catherine Kuks, Margaret Huddleston, Alma Lewis, Minnie Pfinnegar, Edith Griffith, Mrs. J. L. Vosburg.

The Oak Grove Commercial Club will give an entertainment and social Monday evening at the school house. A cordial invitation is extended to all committees.

The school board will give a reception to the teachers Saturday night in

stead of Friday night as had been arranged. This meeting will be at the school at 8 p. m. Every one in the community is invited.

## Oswego

OSWEGO, Or., Oct. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Clinkinbeard entertained Friday evening with a reception at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Henry Yates, of South Oswego. Tables were arranged and "500" was the topic for the evening. Music and singing were also on the program and refreshments were served. Those who helped about the rooms were Mrs. Lon Waldorf, Mrs. George Bullock, Mrs. Eugene Worthington and Mrs. Henry Yates. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. John Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Emmott and daughter, Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bickner, Mrs. Eugene Worthington, Mrs. J. K. Worthington, Mrs. Raleigh Worthington, Miss Bertha Worthington, Miss Alne Worthington, Mrs. Joseph Bickner St., Mrs. Wm. Dyer, Mrs. Lon Waldorf, Mrs. Clinkinbeard of Portland, Miss Leona Jarisch, Mrs. Lillian Bickner, David Nelson, Otto Erickson, Lloyd Dunden, Wallace Worthington, Glen Waldorf, Dalmer Erickson, Orville Dunden and the host and hostess.

Miss Gladys Yates, of Oswego, and Mr. Chas. Clinkinbeard, of Portland, were quietly married at Hood River, Sept. 8. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cox of Oswego, were the only attendants. This marriage was a complete surprise to the bride's friends in Oswego, as she is a very popular young lady and an accomplished musician. They are making their home with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yates.

Born, to the wife of H. R. Shipley, October 2, an eight-pound boy.

Born, to the wife of James Copenhaver, September 26th, a ten-pound boy. Mrs. Copenhaver is at the home of her mother at Gateway, Oregon.

## Jennings Lodge

JENNINGS LODGE, Or., Oct. 4.—About 50 workers in Grace church surprised Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tucker on Wednesday evening at their home at Roothe station. A very pleasant evening was spent, listening to the varied experiences of some of the folks, as they related some of the most amusing incidents of their lives. Refreshments were served before the guests departed. Mr. Tucker has been an efficient and faithful Sunday school superintendent for two years.

## Cedardale

CEDARDALE, Ore., Oct. 11.—The Cedardale Literary Society met at the school house Saturday evening, October 6, and elected new officers for the ensuing year, after which quite an interesting program was rendered.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bonney spent most of last week with the former's brother, Will Bonney, of Upper Colton. Ernest Wallace and family spent Sunday at J. E. Morris' home.

George Williams filled his silo Friday afternoon and Saturday.

Dan McLaren returned to Washington days at home.

ton logging camps after spending a few days at home. Miss Hudson, of Meadowbrook, spent Saturday evening and Sunday with Miss Moore.

M. Clark, of Upper Colton, spent a few days last week with his family at Cedardale.

A. O. Orem made a hurried business trip to Molalla on Monday.

Claude Winslow and family called at Hub Bowman's Sunday.