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University Education

Those who were fortunate enough the hear the address of Paul L. Campbell, president of the University of Oregon, made at the banquet of the Hood River University Club, heard an analysis of what higher education should mean in its best sense.

Having defined the benefits of university education from a materialistic or business standpoint, President Campbell earnestly decried allowing this phase of college learning to predominate, and his ground is well taken. The best in life is not attained through devoting a brilliant education entirely to money making. It is true this is an age of business, and those who would win in the great battle of commercialism, must be industrial leaders of no mean order. And there is no doubt that those who equip themselves for this struggle with higher learning, have an advantage over their less learned adversaries, if the former is practically applied. There is, however, a broader scope for university education than devoting it to the marts of trade, which, when all is said, is not of an uplifting nature. The opportunity given by the higher education for a higher understanding of life, is a benefit that those possessing it should not regard lightly. They can instill higher ideals into trade as well as arts and letters, and do much to ameliorate the tendency of money rule in all walks of life. Of what use, it may be asked, is a classical education if it is shed, like a mantle at the college door for the armor plate of money getting? The answer is obvious. The university and college have been the bulwark between sordid gain and the higher things of life since their inception, and it would be disastrous, indeed, to see their teachings put aside for those of the counting room, which, at times, it appears may happen.

The university man owes mankind a higher civilization, and to cancel this obligation he must, as eloquently advocated by President Campbell, work toward a higher ideal than the materialistic.

The Fruit Fair

Despite the fact that the Hood River apple crop this year was the smallest in several years, the exhibit of fruit at the fair was one of the best. While not so large as former exhibits, its quality, pack and color have never been surpassed, and perhaps not equalled. In view of the bad weather that prevailed, the attendance was perhaps as large as could have been expected. The exhibitors who made possible this magnificent display should be especially commended for braving the elements and discomfort in order to uphold the valley's uncontested claim of growing the world's finest apples.

This year's exhibit has already been the means of adding new honors to those before acquired, and demonstrated thoroughly that if these annual exhibits did nothing more, they help wonderfully in maintaining a high standard of pack and quality.

The Hood River fruit fair is an event that cannot be allowed to lapse, no matter what the conditions may be. It sets the standard for high-class apples, not only for Hood River, but for the rest of the Northwest—and, indirectly, for the apple-growing world. It is therefore indispensable, and no selfish motives should cause it to be discontinued or lost sight of in favor of other interests that may arise. It is one of the valley's greatest assets, for it helps everyone who gains a livelihood here, no matter in what capacity.

The exhibitors, the fair managers and the merchants—all, in fact, who assisted in making this year's fair a success—are to be congratulated.

Conservation of Child Power

The following address, read before the Oregon Congress of Mothers at its recent meeting in Portland, by J. G. Kilpack, agent for the Boys' and Girls' Society of Oregon, will undoubtedly be of interest to parents and those interested in the welfare of children. Mr. Kilpack says:

In this day and age we hear much talk of the conservation of our natural resources, such as forests, water power and minerals, but we have another resource of far greater importance because it is human and full of latent possibilities only awaiting development—"the child." The terrific waste of child life which is going on day by day in this and other so-called civilized countries, is the most tragic of all dramas being enacted before our eyes, and the responsibility for it lies upon each one of us.

Let us consider some of the causes which are robbing our children of their birthrights. In the first place we need healthy children, abounding in vitality, without which, of what use to them is an education or of what advantage are they to the nation? Why fill this world with children stunted in mind and body, and for whom we have made no adequate provision, and who are destined to be the occupants of corrective or reformative institutions? It is not an uncommon thing for families of seven or eight defective children to fill our institutions, therefore, it is not a question of multiplication, but of conservation. Just think of it, there were approximately forty-seven thousand five hundred mentally defective scholars on the school registers of England and Wales last year, and that does not include those who were below the age of compulsory attendence and those in institutions. The extent of physical defects among children is just as alarming, and the ignorance that in many homes allows children to die, is of the same description as in other homes allows children to grow up defective. That a certain number of children die is to be expected, but that more die than should from preventable causes, is the deplorable situation and one that needs to be pressed home. There are other evils closely affecting the health and physical development of our children, such as child labor, cruelty and poverty, and upon which one might discourse at length, but they would only serve to intensify this willful waste of child power. Granted that a great deal of neglect arises from parental ignorance, the fact remains, nevertheless, that much of it is preventable and also that it is not necessarily to be found alone in the homes of the poor and illiterate.

One cause of delinquency among our girls and boys I believe arises from the fact that parents nowadays are allowing outside influences, such as moving picture shows, skating rinks and dance halls, to entice their children away from home, thus denying them one of their sacred rights, that of personal contact and close association with their parents. No wonder that so many of our girls and boys leave the parental roof early in life, due to a lack of confidence and friendship, the like of which can only exist between father and son and mother and daughter. It is not only a detriment to the children, but to the parents themselves, who are apt to find recreation elsewhere, which harms them almost as much as the loss of association harms the child.

Unattractive hom s are, without doubt, another frequent cause of delinquency, and if we are to combat these outside alurements successfully, we shall have to learn to make our homes more homelike and attractive. An interesting experiment is now being tried in Chicago, of teaching scientific home-making in the public schools and other institutions, and there is no reason why it should not go hand in hand with domestic scienec.

How many parents in these days instruct their children in the necessity for right living and right thinking, or how to live and how to make a living? They are too prone to leave these things to the schools, many of which are but poorly equipped to handle these great questions.

It was recently my good fortune to be present at the National Conference of Charities and Correction, and the underlying current of the wide variety of social phases of life which were discussed seemed to be, how to conserve child life. If the child of the future is to obtain justice and the right to live a life that is endurable, we must shake off this indifference and lethargy, which seems to bind us, and realize that the responsibility for the safeguarding of our nation's youth rests upon each one of us. We must insist upon the responsibility of the individual, each parent doing his or her duty, and the state putting pressure upon those who refuse. In an ordinary, well-conducted home, thought is given to the child and interest shown in it, and the child of the state needs to be put in the same relative position. There will, perhaps, be some objection on the part of those who expect the state to provide everything, and by others to whom any kind of social reform is obnoxious, but it will be evident that the restriction of the liberty of a few will eventually result in the extension of liberty to a vast number who, under present conditions, are in perpetual bondage. Imposing burdens of taxation upon the honest and sober, and compelling them to maintain the families of the lazy and drunken, has lasted long enough, and it is only by dealing with causes that these burdens will be placed where they belong.

The work of today is not only for today, but for all days. A hundred years from now this will doubtless be called the dark age, the age before the rights of children were fully recognized, and this willful waste of child life will be placed in the same category with slavery and the inquisition. Surely the responsibility rests hea ily upon each one of us to secure for the child the right to live an endurable life and to obtain justice for those whose security cannot be assured without it.

In conclusion, may I emphasize the need and importance of conferences such as this one, and the Oregon Congress of Mothers, who have for their object the uplift and betterment of conditions surrounding the children of our state and city, should receive the united support of each one of us. The need of the hour is united action on the part of those who love children and are interested in them, and only in this way can we conserve the greatest of all our national assets and thus fulfill our responsibilities.

Summons

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Hood River.

F. Howard Isenberg, Plaintiff,
vs.
Zekia F. Isenberg, Defendant.

To Zekia F. Isenberg, Defendant above named:

In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff filed in the above entitled court and cause on or before the 13th day of December, 1911, and if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for therein, to-wit: For a decree of said court dissolving the marriage contract now existing between the plaintiff and defendant; for a decree of said court adjudging and decreeing plaintiff to be the sole and exclusive owner of Lots Three (3), Four (4) and Five (5), in Block E. of Coe's Third Addition to the City of Hood River, Hood River County, Oregon; for a decree of said court adjudging and decreeing plaintiff to be the owner and holder of certain promissory notes owing to plaintiff and defendant jointly, which said promissory notes are set forth and fully described in plaintiff's complaint in the above entitled court and cause; and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem equitable and just.

This summons is served upon you by publication thereof in The Hood River News, a paper of general circulation, published once each week in Hood River, Hood River County, Oregon, by virtue of an order of the County Court of Hood River County, Oregon, made and entered on the 30th day of October, 1911. The date of the first publication of this summons in said newspaper is November 1st, 1911.

S. W. STARK,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Nov.1-Dec.13

Notice of Sheriff's Sale

Notice is hereby given that an execution and order of sale was issued out of the circuit of the state of Oregon, for the county of Hood River, on the 27th day of October, 1911, upon a judgment rendered on the 4th day of October, 1911, in favor of plaintiff, Adeline F. Rodgers, and against the defendant, W. R. Winans and Mary Winans; which said execution and order of sale is to me directed and commanding me to sell the property hereinafter described for the purpose of satisfying the judgment of plaintiff in said cause for the sum of Twenty-two hundred ninety-five and 17-100 ($2295.17) with interest thereon from said 4th day of October, 1911, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, and the further sum of One hundred fifty and 00-100 ($150.00) attorneys' fees, and the further sum of Twenty-two and 30-100 costs and the costs incurred upon said writ of execution.

Therefore, in compliance with said execution and order of sale, I will on the 1st day of December, 1911, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m. at the court house door in Hood River County, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand for the purpose of satisfying the judgment above named, the following described real property, to-wit:

The north half of the southeast quarter and the north half of the southwest quarter of section two (2) township one (1) north, range nine (9) east of the Willamette Meridian, containing 160 acres all situated in Hood River county, state of Oregon.

Dated this 1st day of November, 1911.

THOS. F. JOHNSON,
Nov. 1-29 Sheriff of Hood River County, Ore.

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Notice of Sheriff's Sale

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Hood River County.

Gust Georgoussis, Plaintiff,
vs.
H. E. Marshall and
Geo. W. McCoy, Defendants.

By virtue of an execution, decree and order of sale duly issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Hood River, to me directed and dated the 6th day of November, 1911, upon a decree for the foreclosure of a certain laborer's lien and judgment rendered and entered in said Court on the 14th day of June, 1911, in the above entitled cause in favor of plaintiff and against the defendants in the sum of $265.60, and interest thereon from the 6th day of August, 1910, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum; and for the sum of $60.00 attorneys fees; and for the sum of $16.75 costs and disbursements, and the costs of and upon this writ, and commanding me to make sale of the real property embraced in such decree of foreclosure and hereinafter described, I will at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon on the 7th day of December, 1911, at the front door of the County Court House, in Hood River, Hood River County, State of Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand all the right, title and interest which defendant, George W. McCoy, had on the 14th day of June, 1911, the date of the judgment aforesaid, or which such defendant, George W. McCoy, has since acquired, or now has, in and to the following described real property situated and being in the County of Hood River, State of Oregon, to-wit:

The southeast quarter of Secton 25, Township 2 North, Range 9 East, W. M., or so much thereof as will satisfy said judgment and execution, to-wit:

The sum of $265.60, and interest thereon from the 6th day of August, 1910, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum; for the sum of $60.00 attorney's fee, with interest thereon from the 14th day of June, 1911, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum; and for the sum of $16.75 costs and disbursements, with interest thereon from the 14th day of June, 1911, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, with costs and accruing costs. Said property will be sold subject to the following judgments, to-wit:

A judgment made and entered against said defendant, George W. McCoy, and against said described real property on the 13th day of June, 1911, in and for the sum of $500.25, and interest thereon from the 6th day of August, 1910, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum; and for the sum of $100.00 attorney's fee with interest thereon from the 13th day of June, 1911, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum; and for the sum of $21.75 costs and disbursements, with interest thereon from the 13th day of June, 1911, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum.

And a judgment made and entered against said defendant, Geo. W. McCoy, and against said described real property on the 31st day of May, 1911, in and for the sum of $46 00, and interest thereon from the 6th day of August, 1910, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum; for the sum of $40.00 attorney's fee, with interest thereon from the 31st day of May, 1911, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum; for the sum of $3.80, with interest thereon from the 31st day of May, 1911, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum; for the further sum of $61.00, costs and disbursements, with interest thereon from the 31st day of May, 1911, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum; and for the further sum of $51.00 costs and disbursements on said judgment in the Supreme Court of the State of Oregon, which two judgments last described are prior judgment liens on said land.

Said property will be sold subject to confirmation and equity of redemption as by law provided.

Dated at Hood River, Oregon, this 6th day of November, 1911.

THOS. F. JOHNSON,
Sheriff of Hood River County,
Nov. 8-Dec. 6 State of Oregon.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executrix of the last will and estate of John L. Davis, deceased, by the County Court of Hood River County, Oregon.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same, duly verified, to me at office of E. H. Hartwig, or Butler Banking Co., Hood River, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated this 11th day of October, 1911.

JOANNA C. DAVIS, Executrix.
E. H. HARTWIG, Attorney for Estate.
Oct. 11-Nov. 8.

Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Thomas Edward Lowell, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly and regularly verified to me at the law office of S. W. Stark, in Hood River, Oregon, within six months of the date of this notice.

Dated Oct. 25th, 1911. S. G. AMELIO,
Administrator of the estate of Thomas Edward Lowell, deceased. Nov. 1-29-5t

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