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JUST A WORD

It is not to be denied that taxes are high, and there is much merit in holding down expenditures. On the other hand there are some things which should not have the cutting knife at this time. We do not leave a better legacy to children than higher education. There are hundreds of Oregon service boys in O. A. C. and O. who were in the great world war and thus deprived of attending schools or these colleges. Their tenure of scholarship in these institutions is at this time, so far as the next term is concerned, threatened because of the colleges being practically in want of funds to keep the schools

up to standard. Instructors are demanding and getting higher wages everywhere; colleges in other states are meeting this demand because living is higher, and instructors must have more or they will go elsewhere. Unless the colleges get more money many service men will have to leave school next Fall. We owe them something. They served in field and camp when others remained at home and received good wages. Labor advanced in price because of the shortage their service enforced; farmers received better prices because of the wastes of a war we did not invite, and the victory of which our boys helped to win. The educational bill for the colleges and normal means that this county will have to pay not over \$10,000 per year more than they are now paying. When you go to the ballot box and begin to think of "economy," do not practice it by hitting this measure which will mean something for the boys who have returned home. Give our colleges this—and then economize along other lines. Give our young men a chance to make up the lost years of their lives—years lost for their country's good—for your country's future.

CHURCHES PLAN TO AID RURAL LIFE

Interchurch World Movement Surveyors Find Lethargy in Oregon.

The church used to have to compete with the saloon as the center of recreation. Now it has to compete with the movie, the dance-hall and the motor car.

This is the view of the problem facing rural churches Oregon, of surveyors for the Interchurch World Movement who have spent months making investigations of conditions in the state.

"We cannot complain because these other attractions are drawing the people away from the church," said one, "so long as we do not provide any alternative social attractions. The church has to meet the demands of the community in which it exists, physical and recreational as well as spiritual, and so long as it does not meet them it cannot protest against the fact that the dance-hall and movies occupy the leisure time of the younger people, while the whole family is lured by the prospect of a motor trip rather than by what the church at present has to offer.

"The church has to offer something better. It will not accomplish much by denouncing the dance-hall and other amusements of which it disapproves so long as its criticism is merely negative. It has to take a positive course and provide entertainment and recreation of genuine attraction and so outstep the bad with the good. I know of one Sunday school that faced this problem in a vigorous way. It found that the local pool hall was attracting large numbers of young men, so it bought the pool tables, thus closing the pool hall. But it did not stop there. It offered entertainment which effectively reached these young men who had previously spent their time at the pool hall. We can have movies in the church too, especially these educational films which can easily be got from the Government departments."

Some surveyors found that there was a general lack of interest in the church and religious things in the rural districts which they visited. "Pastors are becoming discouraged," one said, "and spend part of their time working on farms instead of putting all their effort into church work."

The results of these surveys will form an important part of the program at the conference to be held in this county early in April.

PROTESTANT PASTORS IN NEED OF RELIEF

Survey By Interchurch World Movement Reveals Pulpit's Poverty.

\$1242 IS HIGH AVERAGE SALARY

Local County Conference in April Will Show Necessity for Clinics and Homes for Aged and Infirm.

A large portion of the funds to be raised in the United Simultaneous Campaign of the Protestant denominations associated with the Interchurch World Movement will be used for American Ministerial support and relief. It is greatly needed, according to leaders of the Interchurch Movement, who early in April are to hold the conference in this county.

As a result of the campaign now being made by the Interchurch World Movement the combined Protestant churches of America will provide many more hospitals, clinics and homes for the aged and infirm. An interesting feature of these Protestant hospitals will be free treatment for ministers, as recent surveys made by the Interchurch organization have made the need for special dispensations very obvious.

The following startling facts were divulged as to the average salaries in the various denominations. Starting with the highest, the average for Episcopal ministers is \$1,242; the average for Presbyterian (North), \$1,177; for the United Presbyterians, \$1,096; for the Reformed Church (Dutch), \$1,170; for the Methodist Episcopal (North), \$1,174; Congregational, \$1,042; and for the Baptists (Northern), \$950.

With government experts announcing that \$1,500 is the lowest salary upon which a family can be decently maintained and suggesting budgets for none lower, ministers have a discouraging outlook. Such things as hospital bills are almost impossible to meet, and yet every normal family has some illness in its midst every year. Accordingly the Interchurch Movement, while on its way to obtain higher average salaries, will assist by providing free care in its institutions.

INTERCHURCH MOVEMENT PLANS MEDICAL AID FOR CHINA

In no part of China is there a medical force at all adequate to the needs of the situation. In one province there is but one doctor to five millions of people, and missionaries living in lonely stations must travel many days to procure medical help in case of need.

The program of the Interchurch World Movement, based on a careful survey, will include the strengthening of present institutions and the opening of a large number of hospitals in new areas where they are most needed.

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Paid Adv.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to extend our sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends who were so kind to us during our bereavement, the death and obsequies of the late husband and father, Arthur E. Dailey.

Mrs. A. E. Dailey and Children, April 29, 1920.

T. C. Reid, of near Scholls, was a city visitor yesterday.

L. J. Francis, of Tualatin, was up to Pomona Grange yesterday.

Go to the old, reliable place to buy your garden seeds.—Greer, Powers & Co. 5114

B. Fleischhauer, of Gaston, was a Hillsboro caller Monday afternoon.

Mrs. M. E. Meyer, of Beaverton, Route 2, was a city caller yesterday afternoon.

Peter A. Peterson and Pauline Geis were married April 22, 1920, Judge W. D. Smith officiating.

For Sale—Young pigs, about 50 head.—Harry Cline, Laurel, Ore., R. 1, Box 36. Phone Scholls 1555. 6-8

Frank Rice, of Blooming, was operated on Monday afternoon by Dr. Robb, having tonsils removed.

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Joe Hartwick, of above Banks, was a city caller yesterday, and remembered the Argus in his visitations.

C. J. Edwards, of Tillamook, was here the first of the week, in the interests of his candidacy for joint senator. Mr. Edwards is a successful business man, and has a wide acquaintance in the county. He thinks he is going to receive the nomination.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County. In the Matter of the Estate of Wm. H. Kenney, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the above entitled court, as Administrator of the estate of said deceased, and has duly qualified as such.

Now Therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same, together with proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hare, McAlear & Peters, in the American National Bank Bldg., in Hillsboro, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated this 29th day of April, 1920. LESTER V. KENNEY, Administrator of said estate. Hare, McAlear & Peters, Attorneys for Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County. In the Matter of the Estate of Dudley H. Stowell, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of and pursuant to an Order of Sale made and entered by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County on the 16th day of March, 1920, in the matter of the Estate of Dudley H. Stowell, deceased, the undersigned Administrator of said Estate will from and after

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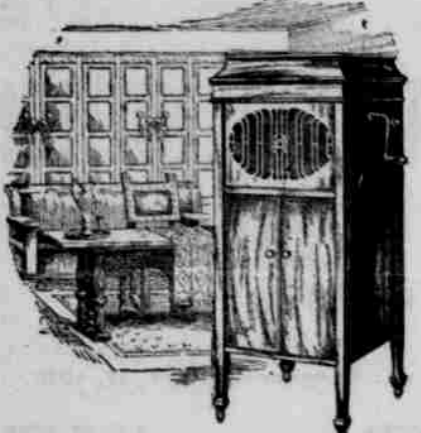


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