

DR. MORROW SAILS LANDS FOR ENTRY WAGNER WRINKLES

MARSHFIELD SURGEON HAS POST ON FIRING LINE

To Be With Allies in Hospital at La Ponne, Belgium, Within Sight of Big Guns of Germans.

Within the sound and sight of the guns, 30 minutes from the firing line, to the little village of La Ponne, Belgium, is where Dr. E. V. Morrow, of Marshfield, has been assigned for hospital duty. A letter was received from him this morning in Washington, D. C. He leaves Saturday on the U. S. St. Louis for Liverpool.

Dr. Morrow goes to the seat of war as the first surgeon appointed from the Northwest and will represent, Oregon, the wish of the American Red Cross Society to appoint one such representative from every state in the Union.

From information gathered in Washington Dr. Morrow has been told that the hospital of the Allies at La Ponne, in Belgium is one of the largest near the firing line. It contains 1,200 cots and extra barracks for even more patients.

"The Major here tells me," writes the doctor, "that the men are constantly being brought in for medical treatment, that we are within sight of some of the firing and can constantly hear the big guns booming away in the distance."

Quick medical attention is given the wounded, the hospital by special agreement between the belligerents, being protected from rifle and cannon fire. About the hospital is marked a restricted district, called "divine territory," extending out 1,000 feet to each side of the buildings, in front and in back. In this way the surgeons and their attendants are practically under fire while at their work for they are constantly in sight of the whistling shells and the places where they land.

The city of La Ponne has a population of 10,000, or at least it did have, writes the doctor, at the beginning of hostilities, since which time many have been killed off and others have fled.

Dr. Morrow left here several weeks ago having secured his appointment to the Red Cross. He at that time believed he would be placed on duty in the big hospital at Calais and was agreeably surprised to have orders to proceed close to the line of action.

At La Ponne he will have charge of Red Cross Unit No. 1. With him when he sails on Saturday the doctor will carry personal letters from Sec. William Jennings Bryan, the French ambassador to Belgium, De Visseffe, Italian consul, Henri Labbe, French consul, and the Belgium vice-consul, the last three of Portland, and also from Samuel Hill, son-in-law of Jim Hill of the North Pacific railroad, Samuel Hill is president of the Home Telephone Co. and a personal friend of King Albert, of Belgium.

NINE OREGON FARMS TO BE GIVEN BY UNCLE SAM

250 Acres in the Umatilla Irrigation Project Will be Open for Settlement on May 1.

(Special to The Times.) WASHINGTON, D. C., April 14.—The Secretary of the Interior has just issued a public notice opening to entry and irrigation certain lands within the Fifth Unit of the Umatilla irrigation project, Oregon. The lands consist of only 250 acres, divided into nine farm units.

According to the terms of the public notice, the lands will be open to entry at the local land office at La Grande, on and after May 1, 1915, and no entryman will be given prior right on account of any settlement or filing made before that date.

The farms average about 20 acres each. The construction charge is \$70 per acre, payable as follows: Three dollars and a half per acre as an initial installment, at the time of making entry and water right application; no further payments on account of the construction charge will be required for five years, after which the first five annual installments shall be five per cent of the construction charge, and the remainder shall each be seven per cent thereof per annum, or \$4.90 per acre, until the whole amount shall be paid. The first of the annual installments will become due and payable on December 1 of the fifth calendar year after the initial payment, and subsequent installments shall be payable on December 1 of each year thereafter. There will be an annual charge for operation and maintenance based upon the amount of water used.

Garden, truck fruit and alfalfa are the principal crop, and dairying one of the leading industries. On account of the low altitude, crops mature earlier there than almost anywhere in the northwest, thus insuring an especially good market for early fruits and vegetables. Owing to the small farm units the conditions are more nearly suburban than rural, while the wonderful fertility of the soil, splendid climate, and character of the crops bid fair to make of this section the garden spot of the Northwest.

WHAT IS HAPPENING IN NEWEST CITY OF COOS

Newsy Notes Telling of Comings and Goings and Doings in a Lively Community.

(Special to The Times.) WAGNER, April 14.—Mr. and Mrs. Dan Barklow are visiting at the home of their daughter Mrs. Joe Barker, a few days this week.

Mrs. Wm. Doak and daughter Zetta were Myrtle Point shoppers Saturday.

Mr. Darling of Coquille has opened up his grocery store at Wagner. He will carry a full line of fresh meats in connection.

Mr. J. T. Ross has returned to his old job again. He is laying the heavy steel between Baker Creek and Wagner.

The "Hub" will be ready for business next week.

A large crowd attended the "Poverty Ball," Saturday night, at Burch's hall. Mrs. Sam Holcomb received the ladies prize.

J. Taylor is painting the Ross store. Mrs. Sheehan and daughter Jewel were Myrtle Point shoppers yesterday.

Miss Maude Elliot and brother, Roy, visited at the Taylor home all last week.

All enjoyed the picture show Sunday afternoon and night.

Thos. Barklow held services at the old schoolhouse Sunday morning and at the new one in the afternoon.

Carpenter Maupin, of Coquille, is building a three-room bungalow for Ira Chase.

The S. P. L. Co. have put up a depot at Wagner. One more step towards a passenger train.

Mr. H. Bennett expects to open his barber shop this week.

pany, sell products more readily than hot cakes, and the farmer getting what he needs, sell to him for one half of what he has to pay now. Keep the profits for yourself instead of sending such besides the the graft by middle men to outside men, and of all good things, instruct your wise men of the Legislature to compel canneries of salmon, halibut, etc., to tank and sell or give to any one ready to buy or take. No more wasting. Economy is the word. Simple as A. B. C. and no one starts such a beneficial enterprise.

—N. G. POHL.

unless they are kept going, and it is the same with money. An ax is of no use unless it is welded. It is the same with money. A windmill will never pump water unless it is released and set going. It is the same with money. Money is no better than wet gunpowder if it is hidden in an old sock. The trouble a great deal is that money is crippled by having both legs cut off, and it sits down on some corner and whines. Cork legs are better than none, and walking is better than lying down. The need of the day is some ten second sprinting. Set what money we have around to running and you will be able to hear the hum of business any time of the day.—Exchange.

MONEY NEEDS FASTER LEGS

IF EVERYBODY would talk good business it would not be long until things would be humming. That is the only thing lacking. Everything else is on hand; plenty of money in the banks, and fine prices for crops. The great need is circulation of the money that is lying idle, instead of hoarding it up. Car wheels don't amount to anything

That pedestrians on rural roads wear white patches on the back of their clothing at night and that the backs of wagons be painted white as a protection against automobiles has been seriously proposed in England.

Have your LETTER HEADS, bill heads, etc., printed at THE TIMES office.

The "Don't Need To" Theory

IN A RECENT debate at Havana, Mistah John Johnson failed to convince Mr. Willard. Some few years ago Mr. Johnson surmounted the color line and was the leading man in his line of work. Business was good and profits were high.

Having all the money he could handle at the time, he concluded to take a rest.

To be sure he planned to get into the field again at the proper time.

But everything was rosy and there really seemed no good and sufficient reason why he should spend so many hours a day keeping his muscles lithe and strong and his wind good and his heart and nerves in trim.

Eventually the meeting with Mr. Willard was arranged. Mr. Johnson was still tolerably content with what he had done.

(Brother, a has-done is about as bad as a has-been.)

Mr. Johnson did not care to stand up in the training ring and punch and take punches. He did not see the necessity of practicing side steps and feints and rushes.

He knew all about them. Why he had done all of that he ever needed to do.

Mr. Willard did not overlook the boxing and the wrestling and the clinching and the side-stepping, etc.

As a result, Mr. Johnson received Mr. Willard's compliments to the point of the jaw, and his business career closed.

Advertising a business is the training of that business.

Advertising keeps a business healthy.

It tones up its liver, strengthens its biceps, steadies its heart and keeps its nerves in order.

Once in awhile a man decides that he is doing so much business that he can stop advertising for a while and run on momentum.

Momentum is the gradual process toward a full stop.

The momentum business is usually prematurely full-stopped by the straight left jabs of the well-trained competitor who finds his opening in the 26th round.

If you want to stay in business stay in the advertising field.

No matter how much business you are doing, keep up the energy that makes it.

You might as well cut off your legs because you are running well in a foot race, as to cut off your advertising because your business will continue without it.

You might as well tell the insurance man that you are so healthy you will drop the policy for a few years as to stop advertising because business goes on without it.

"Don't need to" is the eventual preliminary to "Can't do it."

The only man who doesn't need to advertise is the man who has retired from business.

The only policy holders who doesn't need to pay his premiums is dead.

Mr. Johnson doesn't need to train any more. He is licked.

The Coos Bay Times will keep your business in training

SPRING LAMB SPRING VEAL

We have a consignment of 10 head of veal and eight head of Spring Lamb for this week's special offering. Order early, as the demand for these meats will be great.

We also have beef, pork and chickens, the finest on the market, properly cooled by our own refrigerating plant.

THE UNION MARKET
J. E. Ford & Co.
Phone 58-J. 174 South Broadway.

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They say WAR PRICES are high. We say OUR PRICES are not high and WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY as we carry no overhead expense and save you that on the cost in HARDWARE, PLUMBING and FARM IMPLEMENTS, which is to YOUR ADVANTAGE.

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OLDEST BANK IN COOS COUNTY
Established 1889.

Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits \$118,000

Interest Paid on Time Deposits

Officers:
J. W. Bennett, President.
J. H. Flanagan, Vice-President.
R. F. Williams, Cashier.
Geo. F. Winchester, Asst. Cashier.

Smile!

The world takes off its hat to the man with a smile. It turns the cold shoulder to the individual who is sour as a lemon. We all love the man with a hearty laugh. He is our friend, the ray of sunshine for which we yearn, and success perches on his cheerful shoulders. But you say: "It's hard to work up even a sickly grin when you're dead broke and up against the cold old world." We will agree with you son. Here's the remedy. Start a bank account with your first earnings. Add to it. Form the saving habit. Watch the account grow. The smile will grow with it. It is no trouble at all to laugh when you have money in the bank.

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MARSHFIELD, COOS CO., OREGON

Capital, surplus and undivided profits \$125,000.00

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How quick the fish warden will jump on a person catching a fish out of season, or having the misfortune to have a four-inch trout take the bait and is landed. Twenty-five dollars fine, if you please, and if you don't please, you have to pay it anyhow and cost of trial; no use kicking, the fish warden must make money to exist. On the other hand, hundreds of thousands of pounds of so-called waste from salmon in canneries are dumped into the river or bay and nobody says a word, even our great men in the Legislature, they have other things to think about than benefit the community, the people who have voted for them.

Our farmers must have improvements on their land, mainly on bench land, stable manure would be all right providing it has all the necessary parts to make a complete plant food, and worst of all the straw and so called hay is full of weeds, weeds, nothing but weeds.

With the improvement by such, hundreds of grains of weeds are planted in the soil to one grain of what you wish to raise. Do the farmers do so, so as to make him plenty of work? or have they not been instructed in their education that where one plant grows another one can not fill that place? Why then force weeds to grow instead of valuable cultured products?

Now coming back to fish waste. It is, as well as meat and bones a necessary part in commercial fertilizer.

Shells you have more than enough at the Bay to be used with salmon waste. Potash? You cannot get potash salts now on account of the European war. Why not substitute such with kelp harvested out of saltwater? Kelp even has iodine which is needed for some crops and is not to be found in potash salt.

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A SHIPMENT OF DODGE CARS WILL ARRIVE SATURDAY

George Goodrum, Coos and Curry County representative for Dodge Brothers' car, will receive five touring cars Saturday, owing to the value and popularity of Dodge Bros. product it is impossible to fill orders fast enough.

The five cars are all solid and will be delivered to the following:
D. C. McCarthy, Fred Moore and Tom James, of Marshfield; C. E. Huling and Bill Landy, of Myrtle Point.

Mr. Goodrum states he has several more sold and is pleading with the factory, along with thousands of other agents, for more cars to fill orders already signed up.

Cadillac 5, the car that performs miracles, will also be at Goodrum's Garage, where anyone can see and get a demonstration like they never had before. Cadillac will be delivered Monday, so see it before then.

HOMME'S LAXATENA

Often called the Coos County medicine, is a mild and pleasant effective laxative for constipation. Give it a trial. Trial size 10 cents, at any drugstore.

Ed Velton, of Rogers, Neb., writes "I have used Foley Kidney Pills for backache, and the result of catching cold which settled in my back. Foley Kidney Pills always give me prompt relief and I can cheerfully recommend them."

The reason Foley Kidney Pills act so satisfactorily is because they neutralize and dissolve the poisonous waste matter that remains in the blood because the kidneys do not do their work promptly in filtering and casting out from the system uric acid and other poisons.

Relief usually follows in a few days and such symptoms as pain in the sides or back, stiff joints, sore muscles, rheumatism, too frequent action of the bladder at night, and other painful and annoying ailments disappear. Foley Kidney Pills contain no harmful ingredients. They are safe as well as quick acting. For sale by Owl Prescription Pharmacy, Frank D. Cohan, Central Avenue, Opposite Chandler Hotel, Phone 74.

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I make these examinations by the most approved scientific methods.

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