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The seventh commandment:—Thou shalt not commit adultery. Exodus 20:14.

A PIECE OF CHICANERY

Although it is several days since the supreme court handed down its decision that the apparently permissive statute relating to remission of interest and penalty on delinquent taxes was in fact mandatory it is not too late to offer a few words of comment thereon. The decision of the court rests entirely on a legal doctrine in effect that an act permissive on its face is actually mandatory when the thing to be done is of benefit to the public.

Having said what it has said, the court's opinion is now law and it is perhaps a waste of space to discuss it. Nevertheless, we feel it worth while to note that in its opinion the court has assumed one of the chief points of the case. Granting the validity of the doctrine on which the case rests, to permit it to rule in any case there should be a showing that the public is to be benefited. Reading the opinion, we find nothing of the sort. It is assumed that remission of penalty and interest is of benefit to all. As we see it, such remission is of benefit to a small class only and distinctly not a benefit to a much larger class.

One wonders if there was not back of the measure a crafty scheme to bring about just what has been brought about and in the same manner. We make so bold as to say that in all the learned legislature there was no one to whom this fact of the permissive being mandatory was apparent. The legislators thought they were passing the buck to the county courts and, while doing so, gaining a little credit with the farmers. In the meantime back of it all was the clever plan to help some individual out of a tax hole. You can lay your last dollar that some individual or institution, and not the down-trodden farmer, was the planned beneficiary of this law.

Whatever we may think about the ethics or the propriety of this or that, we always are ready to recognize brains and skill, even though exercised in a bad cause. We think congratulations are due to the mind back of this piece of chicanery.

Natives Oppose Drive Waged Against Disease

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin) MANILA, July 18.—The Philippine anti Leprosy society stood dissolved today, following formal announcement of failure in a drive to raise \$50,000 in connection with the million dollar campaign in America for benefit of the Cullion leper colony.

The failure was declared to be due to the opposition of Spanish dialect papers, caused by personal animosity against the leaders of the society. Only \$15,000 was raised in the campaign.

Opposition of the press to the movement was considered a disgrace, according to statements of Americans and progressive Filipinos.

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Society News

Notice for publication in the social column in the Saturday issue of The Bulletin must be not later than 5:30 o'clock on the afternoon of the day preceding.

Friends in Bend have just received information of the marriage of Arthur Norcott, former Bend high school athlete. He was married last April 7 to Miss Betty Beach in Milwaukee, Wis., where he is employed by the American Appraisal Co.

Norcott is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Norcott of Bend and while in high school was prominent in basketball, football and tennis.

The Bend chapter of the Eastern Star held the last meeting for the summer Monday night. Mrs. Mary Deas of Odell Lake was initiated. Refreshments of ice cream and wafers were served.

Heising's resort on the Metolius was the scene of a delightful wedding anniversary party Wednesday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Miller entertained a number of friends at dinner. The decorations were arranged with a central banquet of native wild flowers and white satin ribbons terminating at each place with a corsage bouquet. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Overturf, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Heyburn, Mr. and

Mrs. R. B. Gould, Mrs. R. E. Jarvis, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hamilton and the host and hostess.

Roger P. Taylor and Lillian Inez McKinney were married last Sunday afternoon by Rev. F. H. Beard in his office at the Baptist church.

Mrs. H. E. Allen and Mrs. Tracy Fairchild entertained Mrs. Garretson of Springfield, Mass., at a luncheon at the Pilot Butte Inn yesterday. The luncheon was followed by a bridge party at the Allen home.

The campfire girls of Adahi group will entertain with their annual ice cream social next Tuesday evening on the lawn at the home of Dr. Fred A. Llesallen. A program will be given, consisting of the following numbers: Vocal solo by Mrs. C. T. Terrell, playlet by the Adahi girls, vocal solo by Mrs. C. V. Silyis, vocal solo by Louis Bennett, solo dance by Miss Helen Whittington, vocal solo by Mrs. E. E. Gray, piano solo by Miss Nedra Toomey, and a song, "San is Sinking in the West," by the campfire girls.

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Trinity Episcopal Church Sixth Sunday After Trinity. Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; children's service, 9:45 a. m. No service at 11 o'clock. FRANCIS H. HALL, Minister.

Full Gospel Church Bond and Florida Sunday morning Bible school at 10 o'clock; morning worship at 11. Evening services at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting Wednesday and Saturday evening of each week. These prayer meetings are proving to be a wonderful uplift to our spiritual life. We invite all who have no church home to come and worship with us. Nothing for you to join as this is the only inter-denominational church in Bend. L. E. CRONE, Pastor.

First Baptist Church Services as follows: Unified plan. Sunday school at 9:45. Yes, it is pretty warm; but you will find it cool and pleasant in this church building. Come, bring the boys and girls and try it. Morning worship, sermon, "In the Garden," at 11 o'clock. Remember, we are all through by 12. B. Y. P. U., senior, group 3 in charge, at 7. All young people are urged to be present on time. Visitors invited and welcome at all times. Evening evangelistic message, "In the World," at 8. Music by the junior choir. Church night, Wednesday, prayer, praise and Bible study at 8. Choir rehearsal following. F. H. BEARD, Minister.

First Lutheran Church No services in the Lutheran church Sunday. A short devotion will be held in connection with the centennial program in Shevlin park. All are most cordially invited to attend. K. BOGSTAD, Pastor.

Colorado Ku Klux Klan Disowns Parent Order (U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin) DENVER, Col., July 18.—Between 6,000 and 8,000 members of the Ku Klux Klan here today are said to have seceded from the organization, following a meeting last night. Papers of incorporation for an organization to be known as the "Min-

ute Men of America," have been taken out and the former members of the Klan are said to have joined the new organization. Orders for 37 copies of the certificate of incorporation were applied for today, supposedly for that number of chapters in the state. Secession from the national order

is attributed to an attempt by the Atlanta office to remove Dr. John Galen Locke, grand dragon of the Colorado realm.

All-steel tennis racquets are said to be gaining in popularity. The steel racquet is the invention of William A. Larned, one of the best known figures in the tennis world.

Among the Chinese the old woman, and not the young, receive homage and adulation.

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