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OLCOTT PAYS TRIBUTE

Governor Olcott has issued the following statement endorsing the purpose of the Roosevelt Memorial Association, which is planning to receive contributions from the citizens of Oregon during the week of October 20-27 in conjunction with the nation-wide movement for the erection of a fitting national memorial in honor of Theodore Roosevelt:

"It appears to me that this movement is one worthy of our keenest support. A high standard of American citizenship has been largely maintained because of the splendid examples which have been continually before the youth of our land in the citizens who have been prominent in national affairs from the earliest beginning of our nation. The name of Theodore Roosevelt, I firmly feel, will last as long as American history lasts. His ruling passion was to be an American, and he stood for what was highest in American ideals. Such a life as his is the kind of life to which I referred when I said that our citizenship had been maintained to a high standard largely through the examples which have been held up to our youth. For that reason I believe your project is worthy of the greatest consideration. The proper kind of a memorial will not only be a fitting tribute to the memory of one of our great Americans, but will assist in passing on to generations to come the benefit of the example which he has held out in both his words and in his deeds. Oregon had a warm place in the heart of Theodore Roosevelt and I

am certain that Oregon will help to make your plans for a national memorial the success that it should be."

WHEN YOU'RE OLD, WHAT?

Thrift in youth pays in old age dividends, and the government's thrift campaign has the endorsement of the wisest philosophers of all time. He who bends every effort to lay by a store of government securities—the best of all securities—is merely protecting himself and those dependent upon him from the vicissitudes of the future, when age bends his frame and palsies his hand. The following statistics will stiffen the resolution of the human ant, and should even give the human grasshopper pause:

What will become of 100 average men after they pass the age of 25?

At the age of 35, five will have died; 20 will be in comfortable circumstances, and the other 75 will be virtually no better off than they were before.

At the age of 45, sixteen will be dead; four, instead of 20, will be in comfortable circumstances; 65 must work to eat, and the other fifteen will be wholly or partly dependent upon friends or charity.

At the age of 55, twenty will have passed away; four will be in fair circumstances; 45 must still work to eat, and 30 will be dependent upon relatives, friends or charity.

At the age of 65, thirty-six will have passed to the Great Beyond; five will be in fair or good circumstances; five will be able to do some work and must work for an existence, and the other 54 will be objects of charity from their children, friends or the state.

Ninety-five percent of those who live to be 75 will not leave enough for a decent burial (unless insured) and 37 of the original 100 will live to see 75 summers—and winters too.

London reports that the case against the ex-kaiser is ready. May we suggest to the defendant the expediency of engaging as counsel the Honorable Robert M. La

Follette of Wisconsin? asks Portland Telegram.

In these troublous times the restful quiet of a truly rural community like Weston's suburban neighbor over the hill, has its advantages.

Our idea of a man with an eye to business, remarks the Corvallis Gazette-Times, is the Missouri individual who made his prospective son-in-law put up a bond properly to support the bride for a period of five years.

"The man who tries to get rich quick gets poor quicker," remarks Oregon Voter—and we wonder if Brother Chapman learned this lesson in the school of experience.

We would have Kernel Boyd take notice that the rank of Colonel Wood is recognized in a courteous communication from Captain Herman E. O'Harra of Camp Dix, New Jersey.

Publisher's Statement

Statement of the ownership, management, circulation, etc., required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912, of Weston Leader, published weekly at Weston, Oregon, for October 1, 1919:

Publisher, editor, managing editor and business manager, Clark Wood.

Owner, Clark Wood. Known bondholders or mortgagees, none.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26th day of September, 1919.

S. A. BARNES, Notary Public. (My commission expires Nov. 13, 1920.)

Washington.—Swedish press reports from Petrograd say deaths at Petrograd from cholera and dysentery have risen to 200 to 300 a day.

Sanitary conditions are reported intolerable, and many of the hospitals have closed for scarcity of food and medicine. Bolshevik robbers for the third time within a short period have sacked the Russian state bank, taking more than 2,000,000 rubles in cash and many valuables.

WESTON SCHOOLS

Maxine Kidder has moved away, so Miss Rintoul has one less in the first grade.

In Miss Colvin's room the seats are being adjusted for the pupils. Elwain O'Harra is going back to school in his district, and the pupils of his room will miss him.

Two pupils of the eighth grade have been absent this week on account of illness.

The eighth grade boys are going to organize a basket ball team.

There are two new pupils in high school this week—Henry Dowd, a senior, and Lyla Montgomery, a freshman.

The seniors have organized their class and have started to work early in the year. The first semester officers elected were: Gail Williams, president; Anna Lavender, vice president; Jessie Davis, secretary and treasurer; Worth Watts, sergeant at arms. Miss Brown is the class advisor.

The seniors are going to give a party Friday night for the freshmen. Many interesting things are being planned for a general good time.

Kendall Smith has returned home after spending the summer with the road surveyors in Wallawa county.

Two of the alumni were high school visitors his week—Minnie Johnson, who is leaving Friday for University of Washington, and Lela Powell. Clara Starmer was also a visitor.

Out of 106 graduates in dentistry who made application for certificates before the state board of dental examiners and took the required examinations during the last year, 72 were successful.

Despite the high prices of material and the scarcity of carpenters, more than 25 new packing houses have been built in Hood River county during the present season, at prices ranging from \$2000 to \$10,000 each.

Eastern Oregon gave liberal support to the subscription campaign for the women's building at the Oregon university, reported John W. Straub, dean of men, on his return from a three weeks' canvassing trip.

H. R. Crawford, census supervisor for the first congressional district of Oregon, has opened offices in Salem and is organizing his forces preparatory to beginning actual canvass as provided under the census laws.

A blanket increase of \$20 a month in the salary of every teacher employed in the Astoria grade and high schools is asked in petitions signed by approximately 100 instructors and presented to the school board.

DENTISTRY BY SYSTEM

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Notice to Creditors

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. In the Matter of the Estate of Hezekiah Key, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, James S. Johns, has been appointed by the above named court administrator of the above entitled estate, and that he has qualified as the law directs. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present the same to me at the office of the Hartman Abstract Company, corner of Main and Court streets, Pendleton, Oregon, with proper vouchers, within six months from the date hereof. Dated this 16th day of September, 1919.

JAMES S. JOHNS, Administrator. STEPHEN A. LOWELL, His Attorney.



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