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buy with money, but people don't
appreciate them much.

A fool and his money soon find
their way to the blue sky stock sales-
man.

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Jess Lower is spending a few days
visiting in Wasco.

Mr. and Mrs. Dingman took dinner
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Vleges.

Jack Gorham went to Portland
on Sunday again to consult the doctor
about his eyes.

Wait Barnes stopped over Tuesday
with his brother, Charles, while on
his way from Kelso, Wash., to Idaho.

E. E. Marty arrived Tuesday from
Portland to assist in the cheese mak-
ing for a few weeks.

Oscar Beck and family moved

Monday from the Signs house to that
of Mrs. Gibbons back of the Board-
man Trading company.

Norman Healey of Portland vis-
ited with his parents the past week,
returning to his work Monday.

Walter Cohoon left recently for
Waitsburg, Wash., where he will
work for the balance of the sum-
mer. Mrs. Cohoon and children
have been there visiting her people
for several weeks.

W. H. Mefford and family, accom-
panied by Al Macomber, left Monday
for Kansas via Yellowstone park.
The Deeweases are looking after the
place while they are gone.

The rock crusher at Castle broke
down Saturday morning, causing
several men to have to lay off.

Don Goodwin is here from Con-
don visiting with his father, W. A.
Goodwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sims and son,
Eugene, of Le Roy, Kan., are vis-
iting with the Messengers and Flick-
ingers. Mrs. Sims is a niece of Mrs.
Flickinger and Mrs. Messenger. They
have been touring the west for some
time.

The Nick Falers were pleased to
have friends of Portland drive up
to their home one day last week.
They were on their way home after
an extensive auto tour of the west
middle west and east, having spent
some time in Canada and having
gone as far east and south as Ken-
tucky, where they found the heat
intense. Finding it extremely warm
here as well, they hastened on their
homeward way looking for cooler
weather.

The Boardman Odd Fellows motored
to Pendleton Saturday, leaving
her about 4 p. m. They took their
new initiates along—Charles and
Victor Hango and Al Mefford—
where they were given the first and
third degrees. Members from Stan-
field and Hermiston were also in
attendance. They returned home
about 4 a. m., reporting the Pen-
dleton Odd Fellows as excellent en-
tertainers and hosts.

The Ladies Aid met at the church
Wednesday afternoon with tea in
attendance. Work for the bazaar
was continued. A report of the sale
of ice cream was given. This brought
in \$5.85 and it was decided to sell
ice cream and cake on Saturday
again to help tide matters over un-
til some larger affair could be given.
Mrs. Messenger conducted the busi-
ness meeting in the absence of Mrs.
Allen, president.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Root and Rich-
ard, and the Herelm family motored
in the Root's new Ford to Grand-
view, Wash., Saturday evening.
They reached Grandview about 11
p. m., and shortly after their arri-
val the neighborhood experienced
some unprecedented excitement, as
the man living just across the street
from the family where the Roots
and Herelms visited took the sui-
cide route by setting off a charge of
dynamite in his house, blowing his
house and himself to atoms. This
incident had a tendency to disturb
the slumbers of the entire party for
the rest of the night. The man who
took this tragic means of ending his
life proved to be a former acquain-
tance of the Roots. Mrs. Root hav-
ing been a schoolmate of his chil-
dren while living at Sunnyside a
number of years ago. The Roots
drove on to Sunnyside and Toppen-
ish to visit relatives Sunday, return-
ing that afternoon to Grandview
and back to Boardman Sunday even-
ing, having had a pleasant trip out-
side of being spectators to the grim
tragedy.

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Hood sows, to farrow soon, bred to
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fine quality 4 month old shoats, pri-
ed right. Chas W. Powell Irrig-
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being bored is not to have any more
sense than the man who is talking
to you.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior, U. S.
Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon,
July 11, 1923.

Notice is hereby given that Franz
Krause, of Echo, Oregon, who on
August 10, 1918, made Homestead
Entry, No. 018430, for NW 1/4, Sec-
tion 34, Township 3 North, Range
26 East, Willamette Meridian, has
filed notice of intention to make
three year Proof, to establish claim
to the land above described, before
Register and Receiver, United States
Land Office, at The Dalles, Oregon,
on the 21st day of August, 1923.
Claimant names as witnesses:
Walter Reitman, Ralph Finley, Claud
Finley, all of Lexington, Oregon, and
George Kennedy, of Echo, Oregon.
J. W. DONNELLY Register.
July 20-Aug. 17.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles,
Oregon, June 28, 1923.

Notice is hereby given that George
E. Mefford, of Boardman, Ore., who
on Oct. 24, 1918, made Homestead
Entry, No. 020131, for E1-2 E1-2
SE1-4, being Unit "A" Unatilla Pro-
ject, Section 14, Township 4 North,
Range 25 East Willamette Meridian,
has filed notice of intention to make
final Proof, to establish claim to
the land above described, before C.
G. Blayden, United States Commis-
sioner, at Boardman, Ore., on the
6th day of August, 1923.
Claimant names as witnesses: W.
G. Cohoon, J. C. Ballenger, Florence
Root and W. O. King, all of Board-
man, Ore. J. W. DONNELLY,
22-26 Register.

SUMMONS
In the Justice Court for the Fifth
District of Morrow County, Oregon.
O. H. Warner, Plaintiff, vs.
M. C. Brennan, Defendant.
To M. C. Brennan, Defendant
above named.

In the name of the State of Ore-
gon; you are hereby required to ap-
pear and answer to the complaint
filed against you in the above en-
titled Court and action on or before
the 27th day of August 1923, and,
if you fail so to appear, answer or
otherwise plead in said action, the
plaintiff will apply to said Court for
judgment against you for \$10.00
and his costs and disbursements in-
curred in this action.

This summons is served upon you
by publication in the BOARDMAN
MIRROR for six consecutive weeks,
commencing with the issue thereof
of July 15, 1923, and ending with the
issue thereof of August 24, 1923. In
pursuance of an order made and en-
tered by W. A. GOODWIN, Justice
of the Peace of said above entitled
Court, on the 11th day of July, 1923.
W. A. GOODWIN,
Justice of the Peace for Fifth Dis-
trict of Morrow County, Oregon.
July 15-Aug 24, '23.

**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
UNDER FORECLOSURE
OF MORTGAGES.**
In the Circuit Court of the State
of Oregon, for Morrow County,
Arlington National Bank, Plaintiff,
vs.
Boardman Garage, Boardman Lum-

ber Company, J. C. Ballenger
Lumber Company, Sidney C. Mack,
Lucile Mack, Stella A. Dodd, E.
P. Dodd, Archie B. Cummins,
Florence M. Cummins, J. C. Bal-
lenger, Ruth N. Ballenger, H. L.
Everett, Mrs. H. L. Everett, C. A.
Macomber, Grace Macomber, N. A.
Macomber, M. L. Morgan, Breta
A. Morgan, Claire P. Harter-West-
ton, M. R. Gallaher, J. E. Gallaher,
Homer L. Gallaher, M. R.
Gallaher, Trustee, J. E. Gallaher,
Trustee, and Homer L. Gallaher,
Trustee, Defendants.

By virtue of an execution, judg-
ment order, decree and order of sale
issued out of the above entitled
Court in the above entitled case, to
me directed and dated the 5th day
of July, A.D., 1923, upon a judg-
ment rendered and entered in said
Court on the 30th day of June, A.D.,
1923, in favor of Arlington National
Bank, plaintiff, and against Sidney
C. Mack, Lucile Mack, Archie B.
Cummins, Florence M. Cummins,
Stella A. Dodd, Boardman Garage,
H. L. Everett, and C. A. Macomber,
defendants, for the sum of \$217.50,
with interest at the rate of seven
per cent per annum from the 13th
day of March, A.D., 1922; and upon
a further judgment in favor of Ar-
lington National Bank, plaintiff, and
against Archie B. Cummins, Flo-
rence M. Cummins, Boardman Lum-
ber Company, J. C. Ballenger Lum-
ber Company, J. C. Ballenger Lum-
ber Garage, H. L. Everett, and C. A.
Macomber, defendants, for the sum
of \$600.00 with interest thereon
from the 1st day of May, A. D.,
1922, at the rate of 8 per cent per
annum; and the further sum of

\$100.00 attorney fees, and the fur-
ther sum of \$41.25 costs and dis-
bursements of said suit; commanding
me to make sale of the following
described real property, to wit: Lots
Number Seventeen (17) and Eight-
teen (18), in Block Number Seven
(7), of the Town of Boardman,
Morrow County, Oregon; together
with all tenements, hereditaments
and appurtenances thereunto apper-
taining.

Now, therefore, by virtue of said
execution, judgment order, decree
and order of sale, and, in compliance
with the commands of said writ, I
will, on Tuesday, the 21st day of
August, A. D., 1923, at the hour of
two o'clock in the afternoon of
said day, at the front door of the
court house in the City of Heppner,
Morrow County, Oregon, sell at
public auction, subject to redemp-
tion as is by law provided, to the
highest and best bidder for cash, all
the right, title and interest which
the above named defendants, and of
each and all of them in the above
entitled suit had, on the 13th day of
March, A. D. 1919, or on the 21st
day of November, A. D., 1919, the
dates of the mortgages foreclosed in
this suit, or since either of said
dates, have had in or to the above
described real property, or any part
thereof, to satisfy said execution,
judgment order and decree, princi-
pal, interest, attorney fees, costs and
accruing costs.

Dated this 20th day of July, A.
D., 1923.
GEORGE McDUFFEE,
Sheriff of Morrow County, Oregon.
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**Railroad Earnings
Are Not Guaranteed**



A common impression exists that railroad earnings are in
some way guaranteed by the Government. This is not a fact.

The railroads were paid for the Federal Control period a fixed
rental and were given an option for continuance of this policy
for six months thereafter. This arrangement expired August
31, 1920, since which time nothing even resembling a guarantee
has been in effect.

Under the Constitution a railroad has always been entitled
to earn a fair return upon its property devoted to the public
use, the percentage which constituted such fair return being a
question for determination by the courts.

The transportation act says:

"In the exercise of its powers to prescribe just and reasonable
rates, the Commission shall . . . adjust such rates so that car-
rier . . . will, under honest, efficient and economical manage-
ment . . . earn an aggregate annual net railway operating income
equal, as nearly as may be, to a fair return upon the aggregate
value" of the common carrier property, giving "due considera-
tion . . . to the transportation needs of the country and the
necessity . . . of enlarging such facilities in order to provide the
people of the United States with adequate transportation."

For the two years ending March 1, 1922, such fair return was
fixed at 6 percent. Since then it has been reduced by the com-
mission to 5.75 per cent.

In no year however have the railroads secured the fair return
contemplated by the Act, as the following will show:

Year	Percentage actually earned
1920	0.33
1921	3.3
1922	4.14

It is entirely clear, therefore, that the law in no sense guar-
antees the earnings of the railroads. If it did, the Government
would owe the railroads more than a billion dollars for deficits in
1920, 1921 and 1922.

Since January 1, 1923, the earnings of the railroads as a
whole have been better than for the same period in any of the
preceding years, but the rate of returns is still lower than the
Interstate Commerce Commission has prescribed as reasonable.

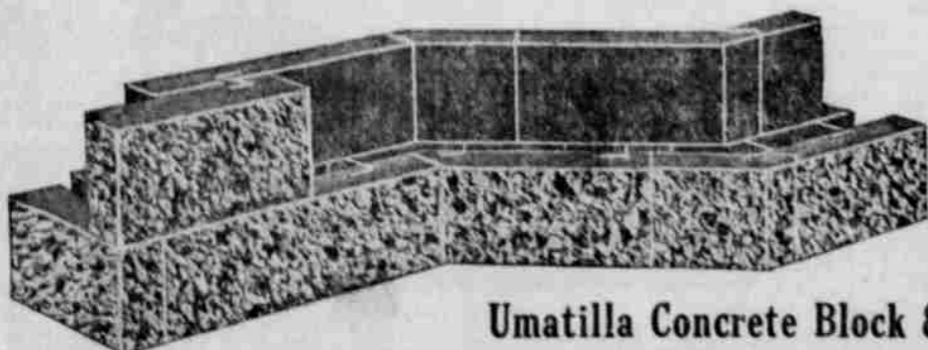
The Transportation Act has not been the cause of increases
in railroad rates. One of the authors of the Act has said:
Rates have advanced simply because the cost of maintenance
and operation has more than doubled since pre-war days while
railroad rates, taken as a whole, are now about 54 per cent
higher than they were before the government took over the
railroads at the beginning of the year 1918."

The price of transportation can only be reduced as the cost
of transportation is reduced and the railroad's cost of living
has increased in like proportion to that of the individual. Every
effort, however, is being made to reduce it.

Constructive suggestions are always welcome.

Omaha, Nebraska, C. R. GRAY,
August 1, 1923. President.

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