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DECEMBER 20 THE CHOSEN FAST:—Is not this the fast that I have chosen? to loose the bands of wickedness, to undo the heavy burdens, and let the oppressed go free, and that ye break every yoke?—Isaiah 58:6.

UNIVERSAL DRAFT

Government authorities and various patriotic organizations are working on plans for a universal draft law, whereby capital, material and labor, as well as fighting men, may be pressed into service in the event of war.

The grave injustice of compelling the able-bodied men of the nation to serve on the battlefields for a dollar a day, while other citizens grow rich through excessive war profits, has been demonstrated to every right thinking person.

If the money power and big business know that war means sacrifice for these interests, as well as for the men at the front, we will find their influence directed towards peace.

In other words, it should be so that no person can possibly make money out of war. And when there is no money to be made out of war, there will be less war.

We trust that we may never have to engage in another armed conflict, but if this can not be avoided, then everyone should share the hardships and the losses which war brings.

The proposed plan for drafting all the resources of the nation for its defense should have the hearty support of all citizens.

THRILLS FOR SPEEDERS

Whether it is actually put into practice or not, we can not vouch, but a plan of dealing with speeders reported from a California town has much to commend it.

As a punishment for reckless driving, the offender is forced to take a ride in an airplane, piloted by an expert, who shoots through space at terrific speed, with variations in the way of dips, tail spins and a few loops. This treatment is said to be very effective in taking the speed mania out of the culprit and causing him to dread a second "sentence."

Automobile speeders are not, as a rule, particularly courageous. Generally they are just plain fools, who do not realize the danger to which they subject themselves and others. The treatment described above seems quite appropriate.

HOME TOWN OPPORTUNITIES

To some people, whatever is distant looks fascinating and hopeful. Young people will hear tales of fortunes being made in some distant locality, and they will break all their home ties and go to much expense in order to migrate to that place and start in business. And in nine cases out of ten, they find the ground well occupied, and chances no better than they are at home.

The best thing for these young folks is to make a very careful study of opportunities that exist right around home. Watch the people who are doing well in business, study how they reached their success. Learn the needs and desires of the people, and whether those needs and desires are being well supplied, or whether an improvement of service would bring results for some one. There are always plenty of chances around Ashland for people who look below the surface.

CHRISTMAS TREES

Many people feel that land owners and farmers are doing a very foolish thing to remove each year a vast quantity of young trees for Christmas use for a small price, when if left for a period of years they would become a wealth bearing forest.

Yet the Christmas tree has a certain message to our homes. It brings the loveliness of the forest into the dwellings of our crowded towns, and suggests the joy of this beautiful world to people who are carrying burdens of care. It makes the children think of picnic times out in the woodlands, and it adds a distant note to happiness.

Anything so much desired for a useful purpose should be provided somehow. If the forest owners are cutting down too many of these little trees, they should sow tree seeds over their hillsides, so that in a few years they would get all the little evergreens the country will ask for.

SEVEN-HUNDRED THOUSAND A YEAR

If, as asserted by the chairman of the congressional committee on immigration, seven hundred thousand new residents came to the United States from foreign countries last year, it would seem that the laws of the United States are not too drastic.

And if, as reported, there are a million already standing in line, at consular offices in Europe, hoping for an opportunity to come to the United States in the immigration quota that goes into effect on July 1 next, surely there is reason for anxiety regarding the character of the human problem that immigration puts up to us.

The people in this country who deplore the dumping of great numbers of foreign populations upon these states,

creating new industrial crises, new problems in education, in housing, in politics, must not allow the question to be confused by any discussion of race or of nationality. The essential problem is one of masses of people. We can be of help to them, if we can no longer be fit to help. And we cannot be fit to help, if we are overwhelmed.

A considerable number have recognized the Soviet government, including some of the Russian people.

A hick town is a place where the neighbors find you out if 10 o'clock doesn't find you in.

TO ADORN TEA TABLE



Figured silk or bright cretonne and gay ribbon are used for cover and finish off this pretty tea cozy. Every hostess hopes one of these will be among her gifts of little house furnishings—that Christmas time is relied upon to bring. They are easy to make—fashioned of two pieces joined at their curved edges.

FOR THE BOUDOIR



That merry pair, Nanette and Rintintin, still hang around lady's boudoir, as a pretty ornament. Here they are, with heads of cotton cloth, painted faces, hair and bodies of white zephyr (wound with black for the feet). Nanette's skirt is of blue zephyr, the tunic white. Rintintin's coat is crocheted of blue and so are their hats and the cord and tassel that suspends them. They are about eight inches tall.

RICKMAN IS AGAIN DEFENDANT IN SUIT

Ruford Rickman of Ashland, a Southern Pacific roundhouse employee who was bound over to the grand jury last Saturday on a subornation of perjury charge, and sued on Tuesday for divorce by his wife, was sued again Wednesday; this time by his mother,

TO BRIGHTEN THE HOME



Exquisite crepe paper flowers, so like natural ones that they deceive the eye, are among highly prized decorative gifts for the house, that can be made at home. Here is a bouquet of "sweetheart" roses and white daisies, set in artificial rose foliage.

Christmas Tree Worth More Than Small Cost

Are we justified in sacrificing some five million trees for the annual Christmas festival?

There has been much discussion in the past few years over this question of Christmas trees, in view of the rapid depletion of our forests and the increase in the waste land area.

There are those who stoutly contend that it is a foolish custom of pagan origin, not worthy of perpetuation in this enlightened Christian age, and that it is a senseless destruction of millions of young, thrifty trees that are so much needed to supply the timber requirements of the country.

But strangely enough, the foresters as a class, those who are most interested in conserving tree growth, do not share this concern about the Christmas tree. They are interested in growing trees and having them used for their highest good. If a ten-year-old tree, of which 2,000 or more can be grown upon a single acre, can give so much joy, what better use can be made of the trees?

The custom is so well established that it will never be wholly discarded, and why should it be? Is it not the Christmas tree that gives the setting for the celebration? What is more delightful to children than the Christmas tree with its candles or electric lights, silver trimmings, tinsel and the other things that go with it? Take away the Christmas tree and you have removed the chief charm. It is the something that is eloquent of sentiment and that has a much higher value than the cost of the tree. It is not to be measured by economic considerations or commercial computations.—Frank Herbert Sweet. (© 1924, Western Newsman Union.)



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Martha L. Rickman, also of Ashland, for the collection of a \$1800 promissory note, uttered in March 1922. His wife, Edith L., who was the chief witness in the subornation of perjury charge, is named as a joint defendant. The complaint states that the promissory note was issued "collectible whenever the party or the first part elected."

PRETTY CENTERPIECE



Wires wound with crepe paper and fastened to a heavy cardboard disk covered with wide gauze ribbon form this pretty centerpiece for the dinner table. Little paper rosebuds are set in the gauze and about the wires. It may be used to veil tiny electric lights.

ODD SPRITES FOR TREE



A funny sprig for the Christmas tree—looks as if he were dressed in a chrysanthemum. He stands guard over a little box whose contents are a sweet secret.

Wire wound with crepe paper makes his long arms and legs and supports his head of painted cardboard—and crepe paper provides his rakish cap and outstanding skirt. He will suggest other grotesque and amusing figures—to be made in the same way.

For Christmas and The New Year

The plants and flowers you put on your gift list are like bonds of satisfaction. Flowers always suit, because flowers always please.

"Quality without over charge"

Come out and see our line of plants and flowers.

"Hatcher the Florist"

1070 Boulevard Open on Sundays



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SUMMONS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR JACKSON COUNTY.

City of Ashland, a municipal corporation, Plaintiff

vs.

Estate of Henry L. White, deceased; L. A. Roberts, administrator of said estate; Opal Gay Hottenroth, and H. L. White, Junior, sometimes designated as Harry B. White, being the heirs and only heirs of said Henry L. White, deceased, and all others claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in and to the real property hereinafter described.

Defendants. TO: Opal Gay Hottenroth and H. L. White, Junior, sometimes designated as Harry B. White, being the heirs and only heirs of said Henry L. White, deceased, and all others claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in and to the real property hereinafter described, of the above named Defendants.

Table with columns: Year's Tax, Date Paid, Tax Recept. No., Amt., Rate of Int.

Said Estate of H. L. White, deceased, and Opal Gay Hottenroth and H. L. White, Junior, heirs of said estate, as the owner of the legal title of the above described property as the same appears of record, and each of the persons above named, ARE HEREBY FURTHER NOTIFIED, that the Plaintiff will apply to the Circuit Court of said county and state, aforesaid, for a decree foreclosing the lien against the property above described, and mentioned in said certificate, and YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to appear within SIXTY DAYS after the first publication of this Summons, exclusive of the day of said first publication, and defend this action, or pay the amount due as above shown, together with the costs and accrued interest, and in case of your

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, You are hereby notified that the City of Ashland is the holder of Certificate of Delinquency No. 6249, issued on January 6, 1919 by the Tax Collector of Jackson County, State of Oregon, for the amount of \$48.95, the same being the amount then due and delinquent for taxes for the year 1916 together with penalty, interest and costs thereon upon the real property assessed to you, of which you are the owners as appears of record, situated in said county and state, and particularly bounded and described, as follows:

Lots numbered 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, and 33, all in Eureka Addition to the City of Ashland, Jackson County, Oregon.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED, that said City of Ashland has paid taxes on said premises for subsequent years with the rate of interest on said amounts, as follows:

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failure to do so, a decree will be rendered foreclosing the lien of said taxes and costs against the land and premises above named.

This summons is published by order of the Hon. C. M. Thomas, Judge of the Circuit Court of Jackson County, State of Oregon, and said order was made and dated the 3rd day of November, 1924. The date of the first publication of the summons is the 15th day of November, 1924.

All process and papers in this proceeding may be served on the undersigned, residing within the State of Oregon at the address hereafter mentioned.

BRIGGS & BRIGGS By Wm. M. Briggs, Attorneys for Plaintiff. Postoffice Address: Pioneer Block Ashland, Oregon. 65-6 Sat.

CLEVER LAUNDRY BAG



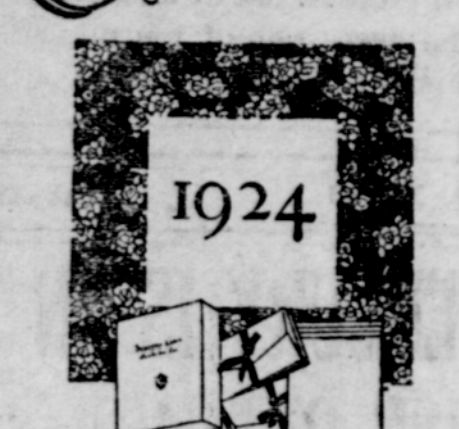
A pretty lady that will make herself useful is just what most men are looking for. Here is one who is sure of success with them, for her head is of painted wood and her brightly flowered, cretonne skirt makes a capacious laundry bag. She may be scroll-sawed out of thin board or cut from paper wall board, and painted—or found ready-made in novelty shops.

GIFT FOR THE BABY



When Mister Baby takes his place at the table a bib of some kind becomes a necessity. Here is one that will please him. It may be made of unbleached cotton, white oilcloth or linen, cut in the semblance of a rabbit. Oilcloth may be painted, but usually cotton floss is used to outline the features and the edges of the figure.

Christmas



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A GIFT DENOTING GOOD JUDGEMENT

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The Rexall Drug Store

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Used Car Bargains

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See the 1925 Advance Six Nash Touring at our Showroom

Automotive Shop

BARTLETT, the Furrier New Theater Building Medford, Oregon

Why Not Buy Your Friend

- a Spotlight, Trouble Light Rear View Mirror Windshield Cleaner

or some other suitable automobile accessories!

Headquarters for Accessories

HARRISON Brothers, Garage

Oeser's Ashland Service Station

Higher Test Gasoline just received

THE BEST YET

Anti-Freeze

Let us put it in your radiator to prevent freezing. We test free of charge

Dr. Oeser and Son

More Good Buys in

Automobiles

at

Park Garage

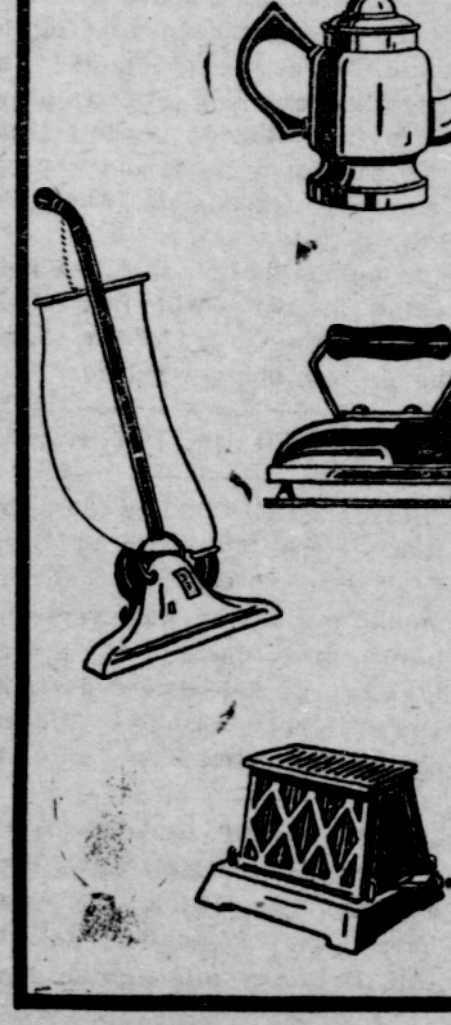
- 1924 Chev. Sedan Rear View Mirror Windshield Cleaner 1923 Ford Sedan 1922 Chev. Sedan

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Easy terms and we will trade in your used car

See Mr. High at

The Park Garage



Electrify Your Home

Even Santa appreciates the warm glow of the electric heater after braving the cold wintry winds.

This and many other electric appliances make charming Christmas gifts.

Just think of breakfast every morning with coffee made right at the table in your own percolator—and crisp hot toast made at the same time on your electric toaster.

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