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A Coming Mother's Prayer

O God I am going down to find a little soul, a thing [that shall be mine as no other thing in all the world has been mine.

Keep me for my child's life. Bring me through my hour strong and well for the sake of my baby.

Prepare me for real motherhood. Preserve my mind from doubts and worries and all fearsome misgivings, that I may not stain my thoughts with cowardice, for my child's sake.

Drive all angers and impurities, all low and unworthy feelings, from me, that the little mind that is forming may become a brave, clean wrestler in this world of dangers.

And, God, when the child lies in my arms, and draws his life from me, and when his eyes look up to mine to learn what this new world is like, I pledge Thee the child shall find reverence in me and no fear truth and no shame, love strong as life and death and no hates nor petulances.

God, make my baby love me. I ask no endowments nor excellencies for my child but only that the place of motherhood once given me it may never be taken from me. As long as the soul lives that I shall bring forth let there be in it one secret shrine that shall always be mother's.

Give the child a right and clear mind, and a warm, free soul

And I promise Thee that I shall study the child and seek to find what gifts and graces Thou hast implanted, and to develop them. I shall respect the child's personality.

I am but Thy little one, O Father. I fold my hands and put them between Thy hands, and say give me a normal baby, and make me a normal mother. Amen.

By Frank Crane

Pathe Records

A Supply of the Latest
Musical and Vocal
Selections

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Perkins' Pharmacy

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we'll get it. Ask us.

Elkins Rural Center

Mrs. Amanda Tetherow who has been ill for some time is now getting better.

The farmers of the neighborhood have been hauling gravel the past week. Nine carloads were put on the roads near here.

Six of the Elkins boys attended the Older Boys' Conference in Dallas, January 23-25. They were Harold Price, Dell Tedrow, Frank McEldowney, Melford Nelson, Dell Harman and Frank Loughary. The County officers elected at this Conference for the coming year were President, Dell Tedrow; Vice president, Burton Bell; Secretary, Harold Price. Melford Nelson was elected chairman of the Forward Step Committee.

Miss Elithe Loughary has accepted a position as teacher in the Lebam High School, Lebam, Washington. She goes to fill an unexpired term as an instructor of Home Economics and Physical Education.

Jess Johnson has recently bought fifty seven acres of land from Harry Blodgett. This was a part of the place which formerly belonged to Sam Tetherow.

Mrs. Frank Loughary arrived home Friday from a visit with her sister in Portland.

The student teachers from the Normal are Mrs. Baldwin of Wilbur, Oregon; Miss Polly Wilson of Kent, Oregon; and Miss Dorothy Blake of Oregon City.

The following resolutions were adopted at the Boy's Conference at Dallas, January 23, 24 and 25, 1920

1. That a permanent Inter-Sunday School Council of older boys of Polk County be established. The purpose of this organization shall be to promote the Four Fold development of the boys of Polk County through the Sunday Schools.

The organization shall be affiliated with the Polk County Sunday School association.

2. That the following officers for the Council be elected:

President—Dell Tedrow
Vice president—Burton Bell
Secretary—Harold Price
Treasurer—Eric Swenson

3. That the first work of the council is the promotion of organized classes.

4. That the Council send a delegate to the camp of the Four Fold Life at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin during the coming summer.

If this plan meets with the approval of the County Sunday School Association the selection of the delegate will be left in the hands of the executive committee of the Inter-Sunday School Council and the County Sunday School Association.
Melford Nelson,
Chairman of the Forward Step Committee.

Automobile For Hire
with driver. Long or short distances. Trips made on brief notice. See me at Garage. J. S. Fuller.

Monmouth Heights

Miss Vernie Howsman of Dallas spent Wednesday and Thursday with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bosley.

Mrs. J. B. Stump and Miss Golda Egleston were Wednesday visitors with Mrs. Darrell Stump of Monmouth.

Ben Pollan and Fred Smith of Monmouth were out dragging our roads Thursday.

George Swearingen was in Monmouth on business Wednesday.

Clarence McCaleb and daughter Wreatha were shopping in Monmouth one day last week.

Mrs. Roth and son Joe returned home Friday after spending several days in Portland.

Paul Riley attended the Al Whitney sale north of Independence Saturday.

Mrs. Bertha Welch was shopping in Monmouth Saturday.

Ray Adams of Cochrane and Merle Mulkey of Monmouth came out and took sheep home from the Clark pasture last Friday.

Diek and Winn Lefever were in Monmouth no business Friday afternoon.

G. T. Humphreys, known to his familiars as "Tip", sold the Jefferson Review last week, a newspaper which he founded and has conducted for 27 years. He was of the pioneer type and has seen Oregon develop through many phases of its career as a state and during his active life therein has accumulated many friends. The new owner of the Review is H. D. Mars.

The Jefferson flouring mill is advertising its product at \$2.65 a sack. While hard wheat is scarce and hard wheat flour on the rise, the thrifty citizen will profit by the fact that soft wheat is plentiful and its flour comparatively moderate in price.

Fred Crowley, former county superintendent, now principal of schools in Prairie City, Grant county, is reported ill with pneumonia.

Lief S. Finseth, who has been deputy county clerk since F. B. Moore assumed the clerkship, has resigned the job to accept a more lucrative position with another company.

J. D. Mickle, our fighting dairy and food commissioner, has announced that he is not a candidate for re-election to the job and Curtis L. Hawley of McCoy, former senator from Polk and Benton counties, is being recommended for the job.

A man named Peter Reddekopp was arrested in Dallas last week charged with manufacturing beverages containing more than the legal amount of alcohol. He had a supply of hard cider, prune brandy and other unknown mixtures, but did not have sufficient working capital to pay the \$50 fine assessed to him by Judge Sibley. He had \$25 and was given two weeks in which to



raise the remainder of his fine.

How to Retrieve Stamp.

Most people do not know that an unused postage stamp which has been attached to a letter that it is decided, later, not to mail, can be very easily separated from the envelope. It cleaves without the troublesome soaking in water that takes time when one wants to use the stamp in a hurry. And most people do not want a stamp in a hurry.

The trick is simple enough: Simply tear the envelope from the stamp instead of trying to wrest the stamp from the envelope. Cut the envelope away from the stamp, leaving just a margin of paper for thumb and finger to grasp; then with the stamp turned away from you and the paper toward you, begin to peel away the paper at one corner of the stamp, then another, then another. Presently the paper will be loose at all the edges and a little care will get it quite off the stamp at the center. Try this, next time you want to use an already pasted-down postage stamp and see how easy it is!

How to Clean a Clock.

Take off the pointers and face; also take off the pendulum and its wire. Remove the ratchet from the "tick" wheel, and the clock will run down with great velocity. Let it go—the increasing speed wears away the gum and dust from the pinions, the clock cleans itself. Put the least bit of sperm oil on the axles. Put the machine together, and nine times in ten it will run just as well as if it had been taken to the shop. If instead of a pendulum, the clock has a watch escapement, this latter can be taken out in an instant, without taking the works apart, and the result is the same. It takes about 20 minutes to clean a clock and saves the bill for repairing.

How to Clean Tarnished Silver.

Silver is readily tarnished by sulphur, either from eggs, or from rubber bands or elastic, or sometimes from the sulphur compounds in the illuminating gas. The sulphur of silver thus formed is in color from grayish to black. Silver thus tarnished should be rubbed with moist common salt before washing, thus forming a chloride of silver, which may then be washed in ammonia, in which it is soluble.

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We are prepared to deliver slab wood at \$5.25 per cord for spring and summer delivery. We are promised two cars of wood a week in the immediate future and more later. Willamette Valley Lumber Co.

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrah is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrah Medicine is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrah Medicine was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrah Medicine is what produces such wonderful results in catarrah conditions. Send for testimonials, free.

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Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Our Bargain Column

After February first I will sell selected hatching eggs from my pen of O. A. C. Barred Rocks for \$1.35 per 15. The cockerel, No. 126, is from a 260 trap nested egg laying strain developed at the Agricultural College. Prof. Dryden says, "I am sending you an unusually fine boned bird which is a sign of high egg production." The pullets weigh about 5 1/2 pounds average and have been fed all winter on milk, alfalfa, meal and kale, thus insuring strong and healthy chicks. Come and look over my pen before setting those spring hens.

Housekeeping rooms for two girls. All comforts of home. Mrs. W. H. Mack.

Don't let a smooth tongued stranger persuade you that there is any kind of printing the Herald Print Shop can not do.

Sow and eight Pigs For Sale. Price \$65. L. D. Hamar. 2tp

A few tons of first class hay for horses for sale. Principally oats with wheat, cheat and vetch. \$17.50 in mow. Albert Sacre.

I will take orders for 100 day old White Leghorn chicks hatched February 25. A. H. Craven.

WANTED—To rent two incubators for the spring season: 300 to 350 egg size. Will buy if price is suitable. Machines must be in good running order. Notify me immediately. A. H. Craven. 2t

WANTED—70 ricks of fire and stove wood cut. A. H. Craven 2t

Two dozen pullets for sale. O. A. C. Laying Strain Barred Rock Mrs. A. J. Haley. 2t

See F. M. Brown for Prune trees and Loganberry tips. Independence, Oregon. 3tp

White Leghorn Roosters for Sale. Best Petaluma stock, also O. A. C. laying strain. \$2.00 each. G. Niggli

Switches and Transformations made to your order. Call on or address Mrs. H. C. Winter, Monmouth. 4t

I have a few Barred Rock Roosters for Sale. O. A. C. Laying Strain. \$2.50 each. George Heck. 3t

The Herald wishes correspondents in neighboring communities. For particulars apply at this office.

A. N. Halleck buys junk of all kinds and pays highest cash prices. 1t

The Monmouth Cooperative Shipping Association will save farmer's money in the sale of live stock. Ship with us and cut out middleman's profit. If you have stock to ship notify W. J. Stockholm, Mgr. 1t

Notice of Sale of School Gymnasium and Ground

Notice is hereby given, that the School Board of District Number 13 of Polk County, Oregon, will receive bids up to 2 P. M. February 7th, 1920, for sale of the old Gymnasium building and ground, described as follows, to wit:—Beginning at a point which is 1.93 chains South, and 2.25 chains West of the quarter section corners between section No. 30 in township 8, S. R. 5, West, of the Willamette Meridian, in Polk County, Oregon, and running thence South 1.56 chains thence East 2.25 chains thence North 1.56 chains thence West 2.25 chains to the place of beginning. This conveyance is subject to the right of way occupied by the Southern Pacific Company's railroad along the west side thereof.

Each bid to be accepted must be accompanied by a deposit of ten percent of the account of such bid. The Board reserves the right to reject any bids. Dated at Monmouth this 27th day of January, 1920.

O. A. Wolverton, Chairman
Mina Cornelius, Clerk

Notice To Contractors

CONSTRUCTION OF WATER SYSTEM FOR MONMOUTH, OREGON

Notice is hereby given that the City of Monmouth, Oregon, will receive sealed proposals until 8:00 o'clock P. M., February 10, 1920, for the construction of a gravity water system, which will consist in constructing about twelve miles of pipe line from a point on Teal Creek in T, 8, S, R, 6, W, to Monmouth and constructing a small concrete diversion dam for the headworks, across Teal Creek.

The work to be done in accordance with plans and specifications and form of contract as adopted by the City Council and on file in the office of the City Recorder.

Anyone desiring a set of plans and specifications for submitting a bid may obtain the same upon application to R. B. Swenson, City

Recorder or R. W. Jones, Engineer at McMinnville, Oregon.

A deposit of Five Dollars (\$5.00) will be required which will be refunded upon return of plans and specifications accompanied by a valid bid. Bids must be accompanied by a certified check not less than 5 per cent of the amount bid and made payable to the City of Monmouth.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids or accept the one considered the best for the City. By order of the Council this 27th day of January, 1920.

R. B. Swenson, Recorder
O. A. Wolverton, Mayor.

Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Clarke, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County, and has qualified.

All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified, together with the proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned administrator at the First National Bank of Monmouth, Oregon, County of Polk, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated and first published January 16th, 1920. Ira C. Powell
Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Clarke, deceased.
Swope & Swope, Attorneys.

Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of William Wallace Newman, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County, and has qualified.

All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified, together with the proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned administrator at his residence in this City of Monmouth, in said County within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated and first published January 23rd, 1920.
J. F. McClellan,
Administrator of the estate of William Wallace Newman, deceased.
Swope & Swope Attorneys.

Summons

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County; No. 5334.

Edwin C. Richardson, plaintiff,
v.
Elizabeth Richardson, defendant.

To Elizabeth Richardson, the defendant above named:

In the Name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and suit within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this Summons, to wit, on or before the 6th day of March, 1920; and if you fail so to answer the said complaint, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to said court and take a decree for the relief prayed for in said complaint, viz., that the marriage contract now and heretofore existing between you and the plaintiff be dissolved and that plaintiff may have such other relief as may be just and equitable.

This Summons, by order of the Honorable H. H. Belt, Judge of the Circuit Court above named, dated the 20th day of January, 1920, is published once a week for six consecutive weeks in the Monmouth Herald, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published in said county. The date of the first publication of this Summons is January 23, 1920.

OSCAR HAYTER,
Attorney for plaintiff.
Residence and post office address: Dallas, Oregon.