

# Oregon General News Notes

The spring fishing season on the Columbia river came to a close at noon Thursday.

An aggregate of 4458 boys and girls attended the Yamhill county schools during the present year.

The fourth annual fair of the Union county grange will be held at Blue Mountain grange hall, October 6, 7 and 8.

Pennsylvania promoters have signed up 2000 acres in the northern part of Marion county and will prospect for oil.

The annual dairy and hog show will be held at Hermiston October 7 and 8. A total of \$1100 is offered as premiums.

The prune harvest of Mosier valley is now under way. The crop is not as heavy as in some past seasons, but the quality is fine.

H. F. Lindas was recommended by Senators McNary and Stanfield for appointment as register of the land office at Roseburg.

As the result of a booze raid in Malheur county by the sheriff's office, a total of \$3576 in fines was collected from 16 defendants.

Between 600,000 and 700,000 pounds of wool, practically the entire 1921 clip, has been sold and shipped over the Prineville city railroad.

All Yamhill county American Legion posts are co-operating to make the big celebration in McMinnville September 22, 23 and 24 a great success.

They are to have a school board recall at Bandon, petitions having been filed for the ousting of Chairman Nielson and Director Zentner.

A great scarcity of hop pickers is being experienced at Harriburg, although the price of picking has been raised to a cent and a quarter.

G. E. Gates of Medford was appointed a member of the state fair board to succeed E. V. Carter, Ashland banker, who resigned because of ill health.

Clark Walter, aged 80, well known Umatilla county pioneer and Civil war veteran, died a few days ago at Seattle, where he had gone on a visit.

A premium of \$250 was received by Douglas county recently in the sale of \$220,000 of the \$1,100,000 road bond issue voted at the recent special election.

Jess Scott of Elkton was killed near Roseburg when he was mistaken for a deer while on a hunting trip with H. R. Leviston, an ex-politician of Portland.

Fifty prominent walnut growers from the Willamette valley held a meeting at Salem and discussed methods for standardizing, grading and marketing their product.

Umatilla county restaurant and hotel keepers and dairies paid \$680 into the coffers of the state as the result of recent prosecutions for violations of the dairy and food laws.

The Union Oil company of California remitted to the secretary of state \$20,886.15, covering the tax on its sales of gasoline and distillate in Oregon during the month of July.

Placing the average yield at 30 bushels to the acre and the quality at 100 per cent, Malheur county stands at the head of the list of Eastern Oregon counties in the production of wheat.

The body of Arthur E. Glover, the only Wheeler county boy killed in the world war and for whom the Fossil post of the American Legion was named, was buried at Fossil Tuesday.

Raymond Sweet, a waiter in a Eugene restaurant, pulled off his white coat and resigned his job immediately upon receipt of word that he had fallen heir to an estate valued at \$10,000.

The home of Dick Williams on Upper Cummings creek in Grant county was destroyed by a waterspout. His barn, chickens, garden and all farming implements were washed away.

United States treasury checks aggregating more than \$24,000 were received at the offices of the adjutant-general for distribution among Oregon citizen soldiers in payment for armory drills.

There are 52,634 more acres devoted to farming in Marion county this year than there were 12 months ago, according to the annual report filed at Salem by Oscar Steelhammer, county assessor.

Deputy game wardens have been instructed to watch closely for pre-season hunting of China pheasants and the law protecting pheasants until the opening of the season will be enforced strictly.

Reports received at the office of the state highway department from practically every section of Oregon indicate that the peak of the tourist travel for the 1921 season is past. Although September and part of October will be ideal for the traveler, the number on the roads will not compare with the aggregates for the months of July and August.

E. T. Brown, at present connected with the University of Washington, has been elected head of the physics department of Willamette university to succeed Professor Herschel E. Hewitt, who resigned.

So efficient has been the organization and work of the forest service in the Siskiyou national forest this summer that, although 22 forest fires have started, the largest one burned over less than two acres.

Contractors have completed paving what is known as the South Salem section of the Pacific highway. The improved stretch of road is approximately 8 1/2 miles in length, with paved surface 16 feet wide.

Scores of Russian students are coming to universities along the Pacific coast and particularly the Pacific northwest this year, according to information received by President Clark of Pacific university.

I Hector McPherson of the Oregon Agricultural college was endorsed by the executive committee of the North Dakota Farm Bureau federation for appointment to the presidency of the North Dakota Agricultural college.

The Revenue mine, in the Kane's creek district of Jackson county, owned by E. L. Coburn of Grants Pass and O. W. McClendon of Gold Hill, has been sold to N. E. Conklin and A. L. Conklin of Bakersfield, Cal., for \$30,000.

Joseph L. Hammersly, chief deputy district attorney of Multnomah county has been appointed by the Douglas county court to assist District Attorney Neuner in the prosecution of the Brumfield murder case at Roseburg.

By a joint action of committees of the boards of regents of the two institutions, a tuition fee of \$60 will hereafter be charged students at the Oregon Agricultural college and the University of Oregon from states outside of Oregon.

Farmers in the vicinity of Bend are asking that government trappers be sent in to wage war on the coyotes which are killing off whole flocks of chickens. In the Powell Butte section the coyotes are occasioning heavy loss to the sheepmen.

Marion county school teachers who neglect to comply with the state law making it incumbent upon them to file their registration papers with the county superintendent, will run the risk of having their first month's salary held up by the directors.

One hundred and twenty Linn county boys and girls are expected to compete in a tryout to be held September 9 to choose members of stock judging teams to represent Linn county at the state fair and in contests in stock judging at other exhibitions this fall.

Occupation of the new commerce hall at the University of Oregon has been begun by the school of business administration and will be completely occupied by the time school opens September 26. The structure will house also the departments of history and economics.

Hood River growers have begun the harvest of Gravenstein apples and indications point to the beginning of the harvest of the main commercial varieties a full week earlier than usual. It is expected that growers will be calling for fairly full harvest crews by September 20.

A friendly suit was filed in circuit court at Dallas to test the legality of the alleged over-taxation in Polk county. The state tax commission recently informed the county court that Polk county's 1920 tax levy was approximately \$10,000 more than the constitutional limit.

The Portland city council, through City Attorney Grant, has presented a petition to the public service commission urging that the Portland Railway, Light & Power company be required either to perform certain maintenance and construction work on street railway lines in Portland or reduce the fares on such lines.

There were two deaths in Oregon due to industrial accidents during the week ending August 25, according to a report prepared by the state industrial accident commission. The victims were William Webster, laborer, Portland, and Mrs. Mattie Reed, housewife of Wilbur. A total of 458 accidents were reported to the commission.

After sessions covering 32 days, the rehearing of the so-called Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company rate case reached a conclusion at Salem. Upon stipulation of the opposing attorneys, Portland received 30 days in which to prepare its brief, after which the telephone company will have 25 days to file a reply brief. Portland then will require ten days in which to prepare and submit its reply brief.

A tentative form of contract and plan contemplating the reclamation of approximately 27,000 acres of irrigable land, lying east of Redmond, in Deschutes and Crook counties, were presented to the desert land board at a special meeting held in Salem, by Oswald West and J. C. Potter, representing the North Canal company, and Walter Daly, representing the Title & Trust company of Portland. The fundamental questions involved in the future development of irrigation from the Deschutes river were discussed, but no definite action was taken.

Financial Diagnosis.

"Did the doctor know what you had?"

"He seemed to have a pretty accurate idea. He asked for \$10 and I had \$11."—Boston Transcript.

## GREEK SOVEREIGN LAUDS WORK OF NEAR EAST RELIEF

### Cables Thanks for Christian Lives Saved in "Beautiful Work" of Mercy

Athens, Greece.—The wonderful work done by the Near East Relief organization in saving the lives of tens of thousands of Christians throughout Asia Minor and Transcaucasia has received signal recognition in praise bestowed by Queen Sophie of Greece in a cablegram dispatched by the Greek sovereign to Dr. James L. Barton, Chairman, and Charles V. Vickrey, Secretary, of the



Photograph of Queen Sophie of Greece.

### KING AND QUEEN OF GREECE

Near East Relief organization, 1 Madison Ave., New York City. Her message reads:

"Deeply touched your great kindness towards Greek sufferers in Straits Area and Asia Minor. Thank you all most sincerely. SOPHIE"

At the same time, the Greek queen sent her check to Dr. Barton, Chairman of the Near East Relief Committee, for 1,000 francs as a contribution to what she termed the "beautiful work" of feeding, clothing and housing the more than 110,000 little children who have come under the care of the Near East Relief during the past year.

Besides Queen Sophie, Admral P. Condouriotis, of the Royal Hellenic Navy, who was regent of Greece following the death of the late King Alexander, on October 25, last, has also cabled to express the gratitude of the Greek people for the aid furnished the Christian populations of Turkey by the Near East Relief.

More than \$120,000.00 was raised among the Greeks of the United States, in two weeks, and sent to the Near East by the Near East Relief, to be used in helping the widows and orphans rendered destitute by the continuation of disturbed conditions in the former Ottoman Empire. The funds of the Near East Relief are gathered by private subscription not only among Americans, but among the Armenians and Greeks in the United States, whose countrymen in Turkey and Transcaucasia have been through indescribable suffering.

In an official report to Charles V. Vickrey, General Secretary of the Near East Relief, Miss Glee Hastings, of Spencer, Iowa, describes the pitiable condition of tens of thousands of homeless, starving, half-naked refugees, driven from their homes in the war area, and huddled in stables and out-houses, or on the bare ground, for lack of shelter.

"Most of the refugees are country people with almost nothing except the clothes on their backs, stupefied and dazed by their misfortunes. Bread is given only to women and children at the rate of one-half loaf for a person, each day. The milk is reserved for the babies and sick. The refugees sit around, huddled up against the walls—women with dull, and faces, little children that are blue and pinched with the cold, and too miserably lifeless to cry. One family of five sleeps at night on a bare stone floor, under one thin, ragged half-cotton blanket. In one room several women are wasting away with tuberculosis; in another are some severe eye cases, including two young-blind girls, who have no one in the world to care for them. The overflow from these buildings live in a wooden shed with the walls and floors gaping with holes where the wood has rotted away and in tents improvised from rags and pieces of carpet."

A nation-wide appeal is being made to carry on this work, checks to be sent to Cleveland H. Dodge, Treasurer, 1 Madison Avenue, New York City.

## U. S. ARMY HEAD ASKS ARMENIAN AID

Washington.—Major General James G. Harbord, recently appointed General Pershing's assistant Chief of Staff, has gone on record in support of the work of the Near East Relief in Armenia. He says, in a letter to the Near East Relief:

"Of all the heart-breaking distress that exists in other countries, I believe that the Near East situation should most appeal to our charitable people. There are many thousands of helpless orphans—children of Christian parents in a Moslem land, who must be helped by our people if they are to survive. The Armenians have preserved their race, their religion and their language under conditions of distress for over a thousand years. They are worthy of a better fate than to perish, and I believe that will be their fate without substantial financial and moral support from the good people of our country."

"J. G. HARBORD, Major General, U. S. Army."

General Harbord is one of the trustees of the Near East Relief organization, now making a general appeal for funds to continue its work among the destitute of Bible lands.

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## CAMILLA

By MOLLIE MATHER.

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This is the story of a model sort of Cinderella and her step-sisters. There is not a doubt that Camilla was so sweetly charming that the step-sisters above mentioned had little chance of attention while in her company; masculine attention especially. Not that Camilla put herself forward in any way, or tried for the admiration that was invariably hers. Rather, it came to her naturally, as one bends to inhale the fragrance of a flower—which was, after all, Camilla's secret. Her very personality was all fragrant with unselfishness and charity and friendliness toward others; you felt this instinctively as you talked to her or looked into her crystal clear eyes. And if you were a man, weary of pretense perhaps, or too much insincere coquetry, you appreciated Camilla's truth, when you met her. But the step-sisters could not understand.

Camilla's mother had died when she was born, which had in a measure placed her under her sister's control. However, as time passed and the Thornton finances dwindled, Camilla, who had not been fitted either by relationship or advantage for the social life that Grace and Gwendolen enjoyed—took up cheerfully the necessary tasks of the household and fell heir to garments discarded. Frocks and furbelows for Grace and Gwendolen were all, and more, than the driven father's purse could manage. Camilla secretly and laughingly assured him that she didn't mind a bit.

As Grace was taller than she, and Gwendolen fatter than she there was always material enough in the castoff dresses to insure re-modelling. And Camilla was very clever in the re-modelling, so much so, that the sisters gazing in wonder at the improved one, clad in some charming incarnation of united blue and gold or perhaps of dainty pink and lavender, would forbid emphatically the younger girl's presence at parties.

"We are sorry, Camilla," Grace would remark decidedly, "and probably your own time will come later. But just now you must not reflect upon our hard-held position by appearing in that very apparent made-over affair. You will oblige us in this will you not?"

And again, Camilla did not mind. In fact her elder sister's impressive language never failed in its purpose of imbuing her with that same idea of superiority to which she had been raised. After all, what did she want with their high flown company? she confidently asked old father. And the two would sneak off gleefully together to a hammock far back in the garden. And sometimes, to sit on the grass beside the hammock, came the man from next door.

He was a serious, humorous, interesting sort of man this, who had moved there in order to complete the writing of his great book. Father told her this, on one of their happy talking-things-over-together evenings. And the man was great, too, father said. Though still young, his name was known across the country, because of his last success.

Camilla was joyously excited about it. She told the man, as he, and father and she, sat out under the starlit trees together, how very glad she was that his earnest labor had won success. And the man was pleased and gratified that she recognized the element of labor.

"Most people," he told her smiling, "regard literary success as mere lucky chance."

And as the evening hours beneath the trees grew into regular and expected meetings, the man of letters looked forward gratefully to the respite and inspiration, while Camilla, listening to the music that came from her household, felt no envy or desire for aught beyond her own small world. The sisters were giving a tea one afternoon; they told her about it. Tables were to be laid in the lovely old garden. A celebrity was coming whose presence was always difficult of attainment. The celebrity positively refused to be lionized, so they had gained his consent by the assurance that the tea was merely a family affair. They were, therefore, too busy to be curious, when Camilla informed them that she was going that afternoon for a drive.

"Leave everything ready before you go," Gwendolen admonished, "and have flowers on all the tables."

"And Camilla," Grace reminded her, "if you come back before six, do not pass through the garden; your old straw hat is too shabby for public display. Later, you may have mine."

It took painstaking planning after that for Camilla to fashion a lace picture hat, out of Gwendolen's old lace waist, but the hat was a delightful success, with a golden rose that Grace had discarded for garnishment.

You see, Camilla had to come into the garden. In fact it was necessary that there she should be the very center of observation.

Clyde Hammerton had insisted that upon their return from the drive their engagement should be announced. And Clyde happened to be the celebrity whom her sisters were so triumphantly entertaining. And what father had confided beneath the trees was quite true; his name was really known across the world.

Camilla was very happy. "But, then," she radiantly told her lover, "this always has been a beautiful world."



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## LEGAL NOTICES

### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR POLK COUNTY.

Walter Williams, Plaintiff, vs. Jane Doe Pierce Smith, whose real name is unknown, heir of Gustavus Pierce, deceased, and W. B. Smith, her husband, and Ada Pierce McIntyre, heir of Gustavus Pierce, deceased, defendants.

### SUMMONS IN FORECLOSURE OF DELINQUENT TAX CERTIFICATE.

To Jane Doe Pierce Smith, whose real name is unknown, heir of Gustavus Pierce, deceased, and W. B. Smith, her husband, and Ada Pierce McIntyre, heir of Gustavus Pierce, deceased, the above named defendants:

In the name of the state of Oregon, you as the owners of the legal title to or having an interest in or lien or claim upon the following described real property, situate in Polk County, Oregon, to-wit:

Government Lots numbered 4, 5, 6 and 7, of Section 6, in Township 7 South of Range 8 West of the Willamette Meridian in Oregon,

as the same appear of record, and each of you is hereby notified that the plaintiff, Walter Williams, is the owner and holder of a certain certificate of delinquency, being numbered 705, bearing date of March 1, 1920, issued by the Sheriff and Tax Collector of Polk County, Oregon, covering the delinquent taxes assessed against and levied upon said above described property for the year 1916, in the sum of \$62.98 which bears interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the date of said certificate until paid, and that taxes assessed and levied against said above described property, with penalty, interest and costs thereon, for subsequent years, have been paid by said plaintiff, which are added to said certificate of delinquency and which bears interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the dates of the respective payments, as follows:

Taxes for the year 1917, paid March 1, 1920, in the sum of—\$41.54.  
Taxes for the year 1918, paid March 1, 1920, in the sum of—\$38.49.  
Taxes for the year 1919, paid Nov. 26, 1920, in the sum of—\$38.33.

You are hereby further notified and required to appear within sixty days after the date of the first publication of this summons, exclusive of the day of said first publication, and defend the action or pay the amount due, including all the above named sums, the interest thereon and the costs of this suit.

You are hereby further notified that the plaintiff has applied to the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County for a judgment and decree for the foreclosure of the lien for such taxes upon and against said above described land and premises, and that if you fail so to appear and defend or pay the amount due, a decree will be rendered by said Court foreclosing the lien of said taxes and the penalties, interest and costs, against the land and premises above named and described.

This summons is published in the Independence Enterprise of Independence, Oregon, once each week, for six successive weeks, by order of the Honorable H. H. Bolt, Judge of the above entitled Court, which order was made on July 13, 1921, and the date of the first publication of this summons is July 22, 1921, and the date of the last publication will be September 2, 1921.

All process and papers in this suit may be served upon the undersigned who has subscribed this summons as attorney for and in behalf of said plaintiff, at his address, 504 Selling Building, Portland, Oregon.

C. L. STARR, Attorney for Plaintiff.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, by order of the County Court of Polk County, Oregon, has been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Henry H. Brinkley, deceased, and has qualified.

All persons having claims against such estate are required to present them duly verified, within six months from the date of this notice to the undersigned, at Portland, Oregon, or to D. E. Fletcher my attorney at Independence, Oregon.

Dated this 5th day of August 1921.

J. M. BRINKLEY, Administrator of the Estate of Henry H. Brinkley, deceased.

D. E. Fletcher, Attorney 5-5t.

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