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KINDLY ACTS

We are of a mind that there are no really bad people in the world. We mean wholly bad, so no humane attributes show in their make-up. Since September 17 last our daughter has been confined to her bed with a throat affection. At one time we about gave her up for lost. During her illness the character of neighbors, friends and total strangers has been shown and in a manner which stamps them as being all to the good.

REGULATION INSTEAD OF TAXATION

It may not be a popular statement to make, but it is an economic injustice to impose general taxes for wholesale elimination of railroad grade crossings. If there be any danger in driving across most railroad tracks, the danger is in the driver or in the absence of suitable warning signals and not in the crossing.

Many of the worst grade crossing accidents occur where the driver has an unobstructed view of an approaching train. Instead of slowing down or stopping to let a train go by, too many drivers step on the gas and try to beat the train across.

The real problem to be dealt with is careless driving. Ten times as many accidents occur on the highways as at railroad crossings. Expensive grade changes at crossings will not prevent these. Men, women and children are daily run down and injured on streets and highways.

Wholesale grade crossing changes which would take millions in tax funds to make any impression, would in no way eliminate or prevent the terrific loss of life and damage done to property, caused by the pure carelessness and cussedness which is exhibited by many automobile drivers. Instead of expensive elimination of a few grade crossings to do the impossible, establish standard qualifications for licenses, standard practices in driving, full stops for main highways and railroad crossings and justified penalties or imprisonment and loss of license in all cases of flagrant violators and uniform police practices. This would begin to get at the real problem.—The Manufacturer.

"JERRY" REACHES 7th YEAR

Little Folks Make Merry in Bower Festooned Basement

Little "Jerry" Peters reached the seventh milestone of her life one day recently and to properly celebrate the event her mother, Mrs. D. B. Fraley, invited a large number of her daughter's friends to make merry.

The party was held in the basement, which had been gaily decorated with fir boughs and crepe paper. After games had been played and stunts indulged in a delicious luncheon was spread for hostess and guests. The chief feature of the sprud was a double-deck birthday cake, decorated and surmounted by seven candles.

Jerry was the recipient of many mementoes of the occasion. Her guests were Dorothy and Marjorie Gallagher, Irene Woodcock, Myrtle and Herbert Kramer, Bernice Hollis, Albert Troutman, Jean Caton, Mildred Carter, Gayle and Gar Mayhew, Dick Shearer, Lena and Jean Turner, Chevi and Loyal Pratt, Muriel and Floyd Miller, Naomi, Adeline and Willie Schilling, Dorothy and Elvin Doty, Ralph Kaiser, Kathleen and John Foley, Leo Welch, Jean and Franklin Renick, also Mesames Renick, Fraley and Kelly.

SNAPPY STUFF

Giving a hard tug to pull off her boot, Miss Bertha Nilson of Chicago broke her left thigh bone.

The choir of St. Clements church at Manchester, Eng., went on a strike because the rector refused to permit the members to dance.

Opposing his wife's suit for divorce, John C. Everts of St. Louis said he deserved a lot of credit because his mother-in-law had lived in his house for five years.

Herbert Alner, a farmer of Penit, wa. was fined \$250 for calling his neighbor a "dam fool" ten times, \$25 for each offense.

James Russell of Chicago was arrested recently for breaking into the garage and stealing a bottle of hi key belonging to Rev. J. A. Sharick.

Robert Blunt, 71, of Hawarden, wa., makes his living by making household utensils from wood, by and, using no machinery whatever.

After the birth of his 33rd child, Fred Gavnor sold his farm at Land-hut, Eng., and went to London to work.

Because James Alexander of Atta, Wash., was unable to identify a man he found under his wife's bed he failed to get a divorce.

Miss Alice Wadhams of Lawrence, Ind., won a \$50 prize by lighting 21 candles with a single match.

BOYS AND GIRLS

Palle Hull, 15 years old, of Copenhagen, Denmark, has just completed a trip around the world in 43 days.

Elizabeth Ragon of Bolivar, Tenn., won first prize in original composition at the State Music Federation assembly held in Jackson.

The little five weeks' old daughter of Mrs. C. E. Olmstead of Glendale, Mo., who was pronounced dead 10 times within a week, was revived by blood transfusion and the use of a pulmotor.

Alfred Vaughn, aged 11, of Greenwich, Eng., who recently escaped from gypsies, told the police that his mother had sold him for \$1.25.

Mary Collier, 9-year girl, flagged a train to prevent its being wrecked by a tree fallen across the track.

Corinne Gordon, Omaha school girl, who holds four national and eight mid-western records, is a candidate for the Olympic swimming team.

STUDY IN BIRDS

In kindergarden little Mary held up her name and remarked to the teacher in charge: "See, I am a little bluebird because I am all dressed in blue."

Hearing this, and not to be outdone, little William stood up and said: "I am a little redbird because I have red underwear."

OREGON NEWS NOTES

Albany—New power development planned for North Fork of Santiam river and White Water creek in Linn county.

Arlington—Celebration will be held in near future for opening of new airport.

Reedsport—Dike work completed along Roosevelt highway in this vicinity.

Klamth Falls—Approximately \$1,000,000 expended in this city during 1928 for building construction.

Forest Grove—Carnation Lumber company resumes operations after remodeling and repairing mill.

St. Helens—Old Portland road within city limits extensively repaired.

Rainier—Preliminary work practically completed for construction of new Longview-Rainier bridge.

Roseburg—Building permits issued during 1928 totaled \$439,165.

Harper—15.5 miles central Oregon highway being improved from here to Vale at cost of approximately \$102,225.

Rainie—Construction of new shingle plant started.

Grants Pass—New community hall constructed as addition to local library.

Klamath Falls—Three modern apartments under construction at north seventh and Jefferson streets.

Echo—Echo Hotel opened in former Gillette Building which has been extensively remodeled and new equipment installed.

FARM REMINDERS

Milk products are efficient foods for poultry. If buttermilk and skim milk are produced on the farm, no better use can be made of them than feeding them to the poultry flock.

Late winter or early spring has been found the best time for planting gooseberries. Early planting will determine whether or not the plant will make a good growth during the summer. Late planting does not give the plants time for developing the root system, thus retarding the growth.

Special care with Oregon sheep flock: is advisable when sudden cold snaps occur, says the experiment station, as a break or weak spot in the fleece will result if the vitality of the animal is interrupted by inefficient feed or excessive cold. A little extra care given promptly when cold weather comes will pay good dividends.

HOME POINTERS

(From School of Home Economics) The whitish stain left on a mahogany table by hot water or a very hot dish may be removed by rubbing in oil and afterward pouring a little alcohol on the spot and rubbing it dry with a cloth.

Silk stockings are best washed in water which is only warm, not hot. A soap solution is better for them than rubbing the soap on. It is wise to squeeze them out; not wring them.

A woman's clothing allowance will go farther if she adopts a color scheme limited to those colors which are becoming and which harmonize with the rest of her clothes.

If the clothes basket is lined with oil cloth the clothes will not become stained.

A simple and effective method of stretching curtains when laundering them is to measure the curtains before wetting them and then mark off the length on the clothes lines. When laundered, double the curtains stretch the edges to fit the space and fasten securely to the line.

A tablespoon of turpentine boiled with white clothes will aid in the whitening process.

Kerosene will soften boots and shoes that have been hardened by water and render them pliable.

ANNUAL REPORT

Of the Recorder of the Town of Maupin, Oregon, for the Year Ending December 31, 1928

Receipts table: Balance on hand at beginning of year \$2,413.40; Water rentals 2,679.00; Received from county treasurer (Taxes) 797.51; Dog Licenses 36.00; Popl hall license 10.00; Permits 35.00; Sale of park site lots 1,225.00

Total \$7,195.91

Disbursements table: Water rent for (fire hydrants) \$350.00; Labor 144.91; Street lights 275.00; Marshals salary 110.00; Recorders salary 220.00; Taxes on lots 67.31; Oiling streets 407.00; Balance on park site 269.96; Stationery 13.10; Material 199.16

Total warrants \$2,056.44; Transfer to time dep. 1,000.00; Water bond coupons 1,500.00; Bal. Dec. 31, 1928 2,639.47

Total \$7,195.91 The above bank balance does not include \$1551.72 on time deposit in the Maupin State Bank. J. H. WOODCOCK, Recorder.

CLASSIFIED LOCALS

PIGS FOR SALE—About 30 feeder pigs for sale also six brood sows. Call Bert Scott, Wamic, Oregon. 7-2

FURS BOUGHT—Highest market price. Prompt returns. O. N. Flinn, 612 E. Second Street, The Dalles, Oregon. 7-13

WILL SELL FINE PIANO for balance due on contract. Easy terms to responsibly party. Write Continental Security company, American Bank building, Portland, Oregon. 2-4

FOUND—Pair of gold bow rimless spectacles. Owner may have same by calling at this office, identifying glasses and paying for this advertisement. 48-1f

Maupin Hi Minstrels! WILL BE IN TOWN AT LEGION HALL FRIDAY EVE'G JANUARY 25 A Greater Show Than Ever SONGS—DANCES—JOKES "COLONEL BULLETS" A Wild West Shootin' Affair The whole showing color, costumes, class CUM & C Admission 25c, 50c Curtain at 8:00 o'clock

FOR SALE—A No. 6 Melotte cream separator, \$50.00; Vaughan wood saw, \$50.00; set of heavy harness, cheap; one light harness, also cheap. Mrs. Anna Bradway, Smock Prairie. 45-1f

FOR SALE—12-foot McCormick header, in first class condition. Price \$160.00. Ed. Herring, Shaniko, Oregon.

FOR SALE—New Zealand sheep Romney buck, five two-year-olds, three Ramboulets; two Guernsey bulls, one yearling, one two-year-old. Albert Hill, Wamic, Oregon. 41-1f

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that James O'Connor, Executor of the Will and Estate of Mathew O'Connor, deceased, has filed in the County Court of Wasco County, State of Oregon, his final account as Executor, and that Monday, the 11th day of February, 1929, at the hour of 10.00 o'clock a. m., has been fixed by said Court as the time for the hearing of objections to said report and the settlement thereof. JAMES O'CONNOR, Executor. J3-F6

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of The Interior U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon. Dec. 10, 1928.

Notice is hereby given that William M. Gott of Shaniko, Oregon, who, on April 10, 1925, made Homestead entry under Act December 29, 1916, No. 023485 and on March 15, 1927, made additional H. E., 025250 also under Act December 29, 1916, for SW 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4, Sec. 14 Township 7-South, Range 16-East, Will-intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. C. Rooper, Notary Public, at Antelope, Oregon, on the 1st day of February 1929.

Claimant names as witnesses: Claud Guyton, Arthur Wallace, Otic Proffitt, Thomas O. Miller all of Shaniko, Oregon. D13-J10 J. W. Donnelly, Reg.

SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

In the Circuit Court of The State of Oregon For Wasco County STATE LAND BOARD OF THE STATE OF OREGON, Plaintiff

vs. Bert McCready, Carrie F. McCready, D. B. Appling, Thomas Moss, Maggie Moss, E. K. Moss and the First National Bank of Hanford, California, a Corporation, Defendants

BY VIRTUE of an execution, decree and order of sale, duly issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Wa.co., to me directed and dated the 31st day of December, 1928, upon a decree for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage, and judgment rendered and entered in said Court on the 31st day of December, 1928, in the above entitled cause, in favor of the Plaintiff and against the Defendants, Bert McCready, Carrie F. McCready, and D. B. Appling, as judgment debtors, in the sum of Seven Hundred Dollars, with interest thereon from the 13th day of April, 1927, at the rate of 6 per cent, per annum, and the further sum of Seventy Five dollars as attorney's fee, and the further sum of Forty Two and 40-100 Dollars, costs, and the costs of and upon this writ, and commanding me to make sale of the real property embraced in such decree of foreclosure and hereinafter described, I will, on the 11th day of February 1929, at the hour of 10 o'clock, in the forenoon of said day, and at the front door of the County Court House in Dalles City, Wasco County, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which the Defendants Bert McCready, Carrie F. McCready and D. B. Appling, Thomas Moss, Maggie Moss, E. K. Moss, and the First National Bank of Hanford, California, or either of them had on the 2nd day of October, 1917, the date of the mortgage foreclosed herein, or which such Defendants or any of the Defendants herein, have since acquired, or now have in and to the following described real property, situate and being in Wasco County, Oregon, to-wit: The west half of the southeast quarter (W 1/2 SE 1/4), the east half of the southwest quarter (E 1/2 SW 1/4), section five (5); the north half of the northeast quarter (N 1/2 NE 1/4), section seven (7); the north half of the northwest quarter (N 1/2 NW 1/4), section eight (8), township seven (7) south, range fifteen (15) east of Willamette Meridian, containing 320 acres, or so much of said property as will satisfy said judgment and decree,

with costs and accruing costs. Said property will be sold subject to confirmation and redemption as by law provided.

Dated at The Dalles, Oregon, this 31st day of December, 1928. LEVI CHRISMAN, Sheriff of Wa.co County, Oregon. J3-F6

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