

Local Ladies Help the War Sufferers

For many months past a number of Forest Grove ladies have been meeting weekly at the Burlington home, on South Fifth street, and sewing for the unfortunate victims of the European war, including the Belgians. These meetings are held every Thursday afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock and there is room for more workers, if any desire to help. Such should bring needles, thread, thimbles and scissors.

There is now more need for aid for these unfortunate people than ever before, as more of them are homeless and appeals have come also from the hospitals for oil-cloth-covered pillows to be used in carrying the wounded from the field.

Other articles needed are shoes for men, women and children, either new or repaired, unbleached chemises for women and girls, in fact all kinds of clothing for men, women and children.

Writing from Paris to Mrs. Burlington in acknowledgment of a former shipment (of which many have been made from this city) Mrs. Nina Larrey Duryea, president of the Duryea Committee of American War Relief, says the committee is giving out 2,000 articles a week and cannot nearly supply those in the greatest need. Referring to cripples who have been discharged from the hospitals, but are too weak to work, Mrs. Duryea says: "Unfit for further service, not knowing where their families are, their homes in ashes, penniless, sleeping anywhere, their feet through to the pavements, not beggars in any sense, they must be clothed. Ask your husbands or brothers to give you the suits they are keeping because they 'may want them,' and send them to us to clothe these shattered bodies."

Money is also needed badly to furnish fuel, as even the headquarters of the committee are uncomfortably chilly, with no money for fuel.

Lodge Reorganized

A meeting of the Knights and Ladies of Security was held at the offices of Wiles and Roswurm Wednesday evening, Feb. 28th, for the purpose of reorganizing. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

President, Miss Naoma Conger; First Vice President, Carl Connet; Second Vice President, Geo. Hancock; Financier, Mrs. Minnie Roswurm; Secretary, Miss Marcella Richards; Prelate, Mrs. Blanche Richards; Guard, Walter Roswurm; Sentinel, Mrs. Conger; Conductor, Ben Whited.

A large number of the members were present and a general good time was had by all. Coffee, sandwiches and cake were served, while the evening was spent in genial conversation.

An Interesting Lecture

Taking for his subject, "The Origin of the Catholic Church," Rev. Father Buck addressed a good-sized audience at Verts' hall last Sunday evening. Many in the audience were protestants and there was, no doubt, much in the lecture that was new to them, although well understood by Catholics. Father Buck is an interesting speaker and makes some very good points in favor of Catholicism. His lecture next Sunday evening will be on "The Catholic Church and the Bible; Why Priests Do Not Marry."

The lecture will be given at

Verts' hall next Sunday evening, at 8 o'clock. Admission free and everybody invited.

School Consolidation Desired

Petitions are being circulated in the Hillside, Kansas City and Fairview school districts for their consolidation for the purpose of building a union high and grammar school.

The advantages of such a union school were brought out at the last meeting of the West Dairy Farmers' Commercial club, held at the Hillside church.

Liberal Cash Prizes for School Pupils

Being desirous of having a full discussion of the \$6,000,000 road bond issue to be voted on by the people next June, Senator Wood of Hillsboro has launched a writing contest for grade and high school pupils, in accordance with the following regulations:

Contest A--Subject: The benefit accruing to the county in which the writer is a resident from the improvement of the roads described in the \$6,000,000 bonding act. For the best argument, a first prize of \$5; for the second best argument, a prize of \$2. There are 36 first and 36 second prizes in this contest.

Contest B--Subject: The benefit which will accrue to the state at large from the improvement of the roads described in the bonding act. For the best argument, a first prize of \$25; for the second best argument, a prize of \$15.

Contest C--Subject: The same as contest B. This contest is open only to bona fide students of Oregon high schools. For the best argument written by a high school student, \$10.

Contest D--Subject: Same as contest B and open only to bona fide students of Oregon grammar schools. Best argument written by grammar grade student, \$10.

RULES

One person may enter but one contest.

In contest A, the author must be a resident of the county whose benefits from the proposed roads are discussed.

Contest B is open to any resident of Oregon who does not participate in either of the other contests.

In contests C and D, the argument must discuss the road proposal from the state-wide standpoint.

No argument in any contest may exceed 200 words.

Writing must appear on but one side of the paper used.

Manuscripts must be written preferably with typewriter, or pen and ink.

The name and address of the author must appear in the upper right-hand corner of the first page.

Arguments must be submitted without accompanying letters, explanations or other enclosures.

The envelope enclosing the manuscript must be addressed to Senator W. D. Wood, Hillsboro, Ore., and on the envelope must also be written the contest entered, thus: "Contest A," "Contest B," "Contest C" or "Contest D;" as the case may be.

Manuscripts must be received by Senator Wood on or before 6 p. m. Mar. 15.

Manuscripts that do not comply with the foregoing rules will not be considered.

Manuscripts will not be returned to the authors.

Neither Senator Wood nor the contest judges can undertake to answer letters or inquiries concerning the contest or awards.

Awards will be announced on or before March 25th, 1917, by three judges, to be named later.

The right to publish any manuscript is reserved by the committee.

Woodmen of the World Are Doing Things

The local Woodmen of the World attended a large initiation and banquet at Hillsboro Camp, Thursday evening, March 1st, when a prize drill team from Portland, known as Webfoot Camp No. 65, officers and one hundred neighbors acted as hosts to the Woodmen of Washington county. Webfoot's five-piece orchestra furnished the music and

the large assembled throng enjoyed an evening which will always be remembered.

Forest Grove Camp has fitted up the new John Anderson hall where they are holding their regular meetings. At their last meeting Wednesday evening, Feb. 28th District Manager O. W. T. Muellhaupt assisted in starting a lively campaign for new members and a drill team is to be formed. The next meeting will be held Wednesday evening, Mar. 14th, when new officers will be elected.

The Woodmen of the World is a Western institution and has paid out in death losses to widows, orphans and dependent ones over \$23,000,000. It has a reserve fund of over \$8,000,000 invested in approved school and municipal bonds of the very best securities. Of this sum \$1,620,000 is invested in Oregon and builds up the entire state. The cost to join is only \$3.00, which includes the medical examination fee, and thereafter a nominal monthly payment. The membership consists of over 115,000 in the nine Pacific Coast states.

NOTES AND PERSONALS

Job printing—phone 821.

Warranty deed and mortgage blanks for sale at the Express office.

Silver-laced Wyandotte eggs for hatching, 50c for 13 J. H. Shearer. 8-3t

W. H. Coghill of Milton visited his old friend, Jim Ritchie, last Friday.

For Rent—Five rooms in house just west of Laughlin Hotel. Inquire at this office. 40

Wanted—Some turnips for cow feed. South Park Dairy, Chas. D. Staley, Prop. 47-tf

Orval Hutchens resumed work in the Russell shoe store Tuesday, after being laid off with mumps for two weeks.

Joe A. Wiles would like to write your insurance. Will give you service that will be to your advantage. Upstairs in Anderson block, room 2. 52

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Breed, who came from Orchard, Wash., via auto, for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Underwood, returned home Monday.

G. W. Leach of Plattsmouth, Neb., who has been visiting his brother-in-law, Chas. VanDoren, for the past two weeks, departed Tuesday for home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Bernard went to McMinnville Saturday evening for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Norris L. Rogers. H. R. returned Monday morning, but Mrs. Bernard will visit the week out.

Roy L. Dennis and Miss Lillian B. Henstreet, both of Gaston were united in marriage by Judge Smith at Hillsboro Saturday afternoon. The groom is a merchant of Gaston and quite well known in this city.

Frank E. Rogers, aged 49, passed away at his home in McMinnville on Feb. 28th. He was an uncle to Norris L. Rogers, who was united to Miss Eunice Bernard in this city on Feb. 7th and was present at the wedding.

Dan Pierce last week hauled to Portland in his auto truck for Peterson Bros., 23 head of hogs, weighing 4,725. Dan made the run to the Union stock yards in three hours and 25 minutes, while it requires two days to get hogs from this city to the stock yards by train. The shrinkage saved by the truck route amounts to almost enough to pay for the hauling.

THATCHER NOTES

Mr. Gilpin is reported much improved. J. J. Loynes has been having a siege of the grip, but is much better.

Mrs. T. L. Inskip and son, Russell, of Portland, are spending the week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Simmons. Baby Russell is six months old and scored 99.1-2 per cent in the eugenics contest in Portland a few weeks ago.

The literary was well attended Wednesday evening and a very interesting and instructive program was given. The question of Government ownership of railroads was debated by Mrs. Beighter and Guy Mott on the affirmative and Mr. Buckley and George Leveck on the negative. The judges gave the decision to the affirmative.

The Ballinger and W. B. Simmons families took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Simmons Sunday, in honor of the arrival of Mrs. Inskip of Portland.

A Ballinger has resumed work with his wood saw, after a two weeks "vacation" on account of bad weather.

Mrs. Harry Miller is able to attend to her household duties again after an illness of several weeks.

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at my place, two and one half miles northwest of Forest Grove, and one mile south of Thatcher, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 10 beginning at 10:00 a. m. the following described Stock:

Twenty head of milk cows, four high grade Jerseys, the others from one-half to three-quarters Holstein, crossed with Jersey stock. All tuberculin tested by Dr. Coon. Free lunch at noon.

Terms of Sale: All sums under \$10 cash; on all sums over that amount 8 month's time will be given, with 6 per cent interest and approved security. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

IRA E. PURDIN, Owner. J. W. HUGHES, Auctioneer. Geo. F. Naylor, Clerk 8-2t

The Express prints butter wrappers with non-poisonous ink.

Sheriff's Sale

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of an attachment execution issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Multnomah, dated the 13th day of February, 1917, upon a judgment duly made and docketed in said court on the 25th day of January, 1917, and a transcript thereof duly filed and docketed in the county of Washington, state of Oregon, in favor of Fred Hoskins, plaintiff, and against Oscar Johnson, defendant, for the sum of \$53.85 cost and the further sum of \$813.45 with interest thereon from the 16th day of March, 1916, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, and for the further sum of \$75.00 with interest thereon from the 25th day of January, 1917, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, to me directed and delivered, commanding me to make sale of the real property hereinafter described, heretofore attached at the suit of the plaintiff in the above entitled action I will on Monday, the 2nd day of April, 1917, at the South door of the Courthouse in Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all of the following described real property, lying, being and situate in Washington County, Oregon, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

All of the East one-half of lot numbered (13) of and in Spencers Homestead, as the same appears upon the duly recorded plat on file and of record in the office of the recorder of conveyances for Washington County, Oregon, to satisfy the hereinbefore named sums and for the costs and expenses of sale and said writ.

Said sale will be made subject to redemption as per statute of Oregon. Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, this 16th day of February, 1917.

J. C. APPLGATE, Sheriff of Washington County, Oregon. By Geo. Alexander, Deputy. Geo. J. Cameron, Attorney for Plaintiff. First pub Feb 22, last Mar. 29.

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County.

E. J. Lambert, Plaintiff, vs. Ella Watt Jackson, Henry J. Jackson, Emma Watt Trullinger, J. F. Watt, Jessie Smith Watt, Mary Ross (or Minnie Watt Naylor), A. M. Naylor, Anna Gould Naylor, Eleanor P. Naylor, Fred E. Naylor, Evelyn Watt Blosser,

Grace Watt Ross, Agnes S. Watt, Olive Prichard, John Prichard, M. E. Hoxter, Charles S. Naylor, George H. Marsh, Emma Marsh, J. Wheelock Marsh, Winifred Marsh Whittelsey, Theodore Whittelsey, G. F. Schmidtke, F. E. Schmidtke, and—Schmidtke, his wife; also all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate and premises described in the complaint herein.

Defendants: To Charles S. Naylor, F. E. Schmidtke and—Schmidtke, his wife; Mary Ross, or Minnie Watt Naylor, and to all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate and premises described in the complaint herein.

Defendants: In the Name of the State of Oregon: You and each of you are hereby required to appear in the above entitled court and cause and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, on or before the 9th day of April, 1917, said date being after the expiration of six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons upon you in the Forest Grove Express, the first publication thereof being on Thursday, the 22nd day of February, 1917, and the last publication thereof being on Thursday, the 5th day of April, 1917, and set up by way of answer any claim you, or any of you may have in or to the real property hereinafter described, and you and each of you will please take notice that if you fail so to appear and answer said complaint for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in her complaint, to-wit:

For a decree adjudging the plaintiff to be the owner in fee simple and in the actual possession of all the following described real property situate in the County of Washington and State of Oregon, and particularly described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a point 425.7 feet South 8° 30' West and West 259.5 feet from the Northwest corner of the Stokes Donation Land Claim, said beginning point being in Section 31, in Township One, North, Range Three West of the Willamette Meridian, running thence North 8° 30' East 166 feet; thence South 89° 30' West 865 feet to the extended East line of North Main Street in the city of Forest Grove, Washington County, Oregon; thence South along the East line of North Main street 164.5 feet; thence North 89° 30' East 840.5 feet to the place of beginning, containing 3.22 acres.

And adjudging that you and each of you be barred and precluded from claiming or attempting to claim any interest, title or claim to, or lien upon the real property hereinbefore just described, adverse to the title of the plaintiff therein and thereto, and that the title of said plaintiff to said real property herein described be quieted absolutely as against any claim or any right, title or interest therein or thereto on the part of you or any of you, and that the plaintiff have judgment for her costs and disbursements herein, and that she have such other and further relief as may be just and equitable in the premises.

This summons is served upon you by publication in the Forest Grove Express, a newspaper published and circulated in Washington County, Oregon, pursuant to an order of the Honorable George R. Bagley, Judge of the above entitled Court, made and entered on the 20th day of February, 1917, and which order requires the summons to be published in the Forest Grove Express for a period of six consecutive and successive weeks beginning with the issue thereof dated the 22nd day of February, 1917, and ending the issue dated April 5th, 1917, and requires you to appear and answer said complaint on or before the 9th day of April, 1917.

Dated this 20th day of February, 1917.

HOLLIS & GRAHAM Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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