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"I am sorry that you do not wear a flag every day and I can only ask you if you lose the physical emblem to be sure that you wear it IN YOUR HEART; the heart of America shall interpret the heart of the world."—President Wilson.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

Plant, cultivate and reap, that you may feed your family and the boys in the trenches.

There are some bold burglars in the Willamette valley, judging by their propensity for robbing the safes of sheriffs

Eastern chap, suing for divorce, accuses his wife of practicing the "submarine" kiss with a preacher. Must have been a baptist.

If you are between 20 and 30, be sure you register on June 5th. You may be declared exempt from military duty, but Uncle Sammy will punish you if you fail to register. You must register to establish your claim for exemption.

Furnishing beds for all the visitors to the G. A. R. encampment (June 26, 27 and 28) is not going to be an easy matter unless we all help. If you can accommodate one or more persons, notify Mrs. John Anderson. You'll be paid for your rooms.

The Hillsboro Argus is now published by a company, composed of Mrs. E. C. McKinney, A. L. Long and J. E. McNamara. The last-named is a printer from Portland, who has taken charge of the mechanical end of the shop. Mr. Long will continue as editor, while Mrs. McKinney will do the work too complicated for either of her partners.

If you drive an auto or a horse, go to the city hall and get a copy of the new traffic ordinance, which will tell you how to govern yourself if you expect to keep out of jail. And if you're just a common, walking worm of the earth, you'd better study the document to foil the undertaker. The city has had 1,000 copies of the ordinance printed and bound in handy pocket size.

The editor hears many republicans commend the president and congress for refusing to allow Mr. Roosevelt or any other civilian to command troops on foreign soil. We have trained officers who have for years made war a study and drawn pay as military experts. Why trust the lives of American soldiers to civilians? And Mr. Roosevelt says "Black Jack" Pershing, the man selected to lead the American forces from France to Berlin, is the right man in the right place. So we're all satisfied on that score.

Portland has taken a lesson from Germany and at least one butcher is offering horse meat for human food. He advertises that he has purchased 22 nice juicy young broncos, has had them inspected and will be able to sell boiling cuts at 4c and steaks at 10 and 12c. Local people who have eaten it, say the flesh of a young horse is better than tough beef. The horse is more particular about what he eats than either the cow or swine, so why shouldn't his flesh be wholesome? But it will take a long time to popular-

ize Dobbin meat as a food for American-born people.

SLACKERS

A Los Angeles agent for a steamship line reports that since it became evident that the United States would resort to conscription his line has sold 40 per cent more tickets to Japanese and other foreign ports where passports are not required than ever before. Many of the passengers are young men, "going away for their health," and the great majority of them are the sons of wealthy parents. That is the kind of boys Uncle Sam should grab and put into khaki on the first draft. They are yellow both ways from the middle and if Kaiser Bill's boys should get them the world wouldn't lose much. Probably not one in ten of these scared slackers has ever done a day's work and they can better be spared than the useful farm boys who are now voluntarily in the training camps. It was to pick these chaps that the selective draft was devised. After the war is over, Percy and Algy will come sneaking back home to enjoy the blessings of a land for whose safety they hadn't the bowels to fight.

An Interesting Relic

Mrs. H. G. King Monday showed the editor of the Express a copy of the Forest Grove Times dated Sept. 5, 1895, with the name of J. Wheelock Marsh as editor and proprietor.

At that time Samuel Hughes was mayor; E. B. Sappington, D. C. Stewart, Geo. L. Smith, C. L. Large, L. C. Walker and T. C. McNamer were councilmen; Aaron Wells was recorder, J. C. Greer was treasurer and John Striplin was marshal. A. Rogers was pastor of the Congregational church, D. A. Watters of the Methodist church and F. E. Scofield of the Christian church.

Thos. McClelland was president of Pacific University and D. H. Thomas was principal of the public schools.

At this time, when food products are sky-high, it is refreshing to note the prices paid for produce in those days—only 22 years ago. Butter was 7½ to 15c; eggs 14c; bacon sides and ham, 8c; young chickens, \$1.50 to \$2.00 per dozen; old chickens, \$2.50 to \$3.00; new potatoes are quoted at 50c per cwt; onions, 75c to \$1.00; wheat, 35c, clear; oats, 16c to 20c, sacked; baled hay, \$5.00 to \$8.00; dressed beef was 4c per lb. and pork was 3½ to 4c.

Among the news items is found one that tells of a picnic at Soda Springs by Misses Belle and Mamie Clark, Anna Roe, Lena Cox, Mrs. Grimes and Messrs. Shattuck and Marsh.

Land was pretty cheap in those days, for a real estate dealer offers "Eleven acres, 2 acres under cultivation; balance light timber; house, 20x30, with basement, good barn, best of spring water," for only \$300.

The paper mentions the fact

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that at an election held a few days earlier the citizens voted 79-10 in favor of bonding the city for \$30,000 to purchase the electric light plant and put in a water system.

Editor Marsh mentions the fact that a copious rain has released the street sprinkler, so it can be used to fill up some of the dry wells about town.

Not many of the present-day merchants carried advertising in the Times at that time.

Schedule of Dates for Planting and Harvesting

(Official O. A. C. Bulletin)

Let one crop follow another and keep the garden busy. In order to assist gardeners in securing maximum results, Prof. Bouquet, head of vegetable gardening at O. A. C., has arranged the following list of planting and harvesting dates. While the dates given are suggestive, they must be modified to suit the various conditions of the state:

Successional Planting

May 15 to 30—Field setting of tomatoes.

Seeding cucumbers, melons, lima beans, pumpkins, squash, sweet corn, summer radishes and lettuce; also sow in seed beds late fall cauliflower, broccoli, late cabbage, Brussels sprouts, Scotch kale. Harvest asparagus, rhubarb, green onions, radishes, spinach.

June 1 to 15—Transplant peppers, egg plant and early celery. Seed summer lettuce and string beans.

Harvest asparagus, rhubarb, green onions, spinach, transplanted head lettuce, radishes, turnips, kohlrabi.

June 15 to 30—Transplant early fall cauliflower, fall cabbage, early celery. Seed short-season crops for successional harvesting. Harvest head lettuce, asparagus, rhubarb, radishes, early peas, spinach, turnips.

July 1 to 15—Transplant late celery, late cabbage, Brussels sprouts, Scotch kale, broccoli. Plant late beets, late carrots, late sweet corn. Harvest peas, lettuce, asparagus, early cabbage, early beets, bunch carrots and others previously mentioned in preceding dates.

July 15 to 30—Finish transplanting celery and late crops mentioned above. Plant late string beans, late head lettuce for fall. Harvest string beans, peas, summer squash, beets, carrots, cabbage, cauliflower.

Aug. 1 to 15—Seed fall lettuce for outside use in the frame. Harvest cauliflower, cabbage, string beans, sweet corn, first early tomatoes.

Aug. 15 to 30—Seed late lettuce for frame use. Harvest tomatoes, sweet corn, beans, head lettuce, cucumbers, melons, peppers, etc.

Sept. 1 to 15—Seed spinach, fall radishes, turnips and cabbage seed for late fall transplanting. Harvest tomatoes, peppers, egg plant, sweet corn, celery, onions, squash, etc.

Sept. 15 to 30—Seed radishes outside, set lettuce in frames. Harvest fall cabbage, cauliflower, head lettuce, late sweet corn, parsnips, celery, late string beans, lima beans, tomatoes, peppers, egg plant, squash, etc.

Oct. 1 to 15—Transplant into frames lettuce plants, seed radishes in frames. Harvest late corn, tomatoes, egg plant, peppers, fall lettuce, late beans, parsnips, kale, celery, etc. Store squash, onions, pumpkins.

Oct. 15—Transplant into garden cabbage plants for early spring marketing. Harvest late spinach, Brussels sprouts, late cabbage, cauliflower, celery, carrots, parsnips, salsify, head lettuce, onions, peppers, fall turnips, winter radishes.

Nov. 1—Finish transplanting cabbage plants to the field; also transplant more lettuce into frames for early spring marketing.

Money to loan—Valley Realty Co., Forest Grove, Oregon. 19-17

A Wise Mother

A lady received the following reply from a neighbor in answer to a question as to why she allowed her children and her husband to litter up every room in the house. The sentiment will find lodgment in the heart of every homeloving person in the land:

"The marks of little muddy feet upon the floor can be more easily removed than the stains where the little feet go into the highways of sin. The prints of the little fingers upon the window panes can not shut out the sunshine half so much as the shadow that darkens the mother's heart over the one who will be but a name in the coming year. And if my John finds a refuge from care and his greatest happiness within its four walls, he can put his boots in the rocking-chair and hang his hat on the floor any day in the week. And if I can stand it and he enjoys it, I cannot see that it's anybody's business."—Ex

Albert Mott of the Forest Grove high school won third prize (\$10) in a public school essay contest conducted by the Sons of the American Revolution. First and second prizes went to Portland pupils.

Ladies, do you know that John Anderson can sell you just as stylish waists, skirts and coats as you can get anywhere? Come and see them before you send for something you can't see until after you have paid for it.

SUMMONS

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

Agnes Belle Meroft and Lavina F. McCoy, Plaintiffs,

vs.

Daniel T. Thomas and Millie H. Thomas, his wife, H. W. Wait and Julia F. Wait, his wife, and Chas. D. Edwards, Defendants.

To Chas. D. Edwards of the above-named defendants:

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, on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order for the publication of this summons, to-wit: on or before the expiration of six weeks next, from and after the date of first publication of this summons, the date of said first publication being on April 12, 1917, and if you fail to so appear and answer, the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in their said complaint, to-wit:

That the mortgage described in plaintiffs' said complaint herein and

which was executed by Daniel T. Thomas and Millie H. Thomas, his wife, to Agnes Belle Meroft and Lavina F. McCoy, plaintiffs herein and Jerusha A. Crabb and recorded on page 309 in Book 67, Records of Mortgages for Washington County, Oregon, on or about Oct. 24, 1913, and which was assigned by Jerusha A. Crabb to plaintiffs herein, be decreed to be a first lien and a first mortgage upon the real property therein and herein described as follows, to-wit: All the following bounded and described real property situate in Washington County, Oregon, to-wit:

Beginning at a stone, the re-entrant corner on the West side of M. M. Watts D. L. C. and running thence N. 1 degree 30 minutes E. 18.37 chains to a post on the North line of said D. L. C.; thence following said North line N. 88 degs. 54 mins. West 48.22 chains to a point where said North line crosses the center line of County Road No. 118; thence following center line of said Co. Road as follows S. 51 degs. 31 mins. E. 3.03 chs.; S. 57 degs. 45 mins. E. 4.90 chs. S. 35 degs. 24 min. E. 7.12 chs.; S. 11 degs. 08 mins. E. 3.22 chs.; S. 41 degs. 15 mins. E. 7.96 chs. to a point where the center line of County road crosses the South line of said D. L. C.; thence following said south line N. 89 degs. 39 mins. E. 31.22 chs. to the place of beginning, containing 69.8 acres.

That said mortgage be foreclosed; that said real property be sold as upon execution, and the proceeds of said sale applied to the payment of the sums of money found due to plaintiffs under said mortgage and the note thereby secured, which sums amount to \$1000.00, with interest thereon, since Oct. 7, 1913, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum and the costs and disbursements of this suit and of said sale, and the further sum of \$150.00 attorney's fee herein; that the lien of said mortgage be decreed prior and superior to all claim, interest or equity of each and all of the defendants herein; and that such other and further decree be granted herein as may seem just and equitable.

This summons is served upon you by publication, by order of Hon. Geo. R. Bagley, Judge of the above entitled Court, which order was made and dated April 11, 1917.

M. B. and D. D. BUMP, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. First pub. April 12; last May 24.

Notice to Creditors

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

In the matter of the estate of George E. McKibbin, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of George E. McKibbin, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file said claims, with necessary vouchers, with the said administratrix, at the office of Hollis & Graham, attorneys, in the city of Forest Grove, Washington County, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated at Forest Grove, Oregon, this 30th day of April, 1917.

MAGGIE McKIBBIN, Administratrix of the estate of George E. McKibbin, deceased.

HOLLIS & GRAHAM, Attorneys for the estate. First pub. May 3; last May 31.

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