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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1918.

OREGON WEATHER

Generally fair, light winds, mostly southwesterly.

POLL TAX FRAUD OVER AGAIN

The only single tax measure that was ever successful in Oregon was passed under the deception that it was a repeal of the poll tax, says the Oregonian. The law imposing a general poll tax had previously been repealed by the Legislature, but due to a lack of knowledge the deception of a second repeal was successful and the concealed single tax rider was adopted. That single tax law was promptly repudiated at the next election.

There is a similar deception on the ballot this year. It was put there by a newspaper publisher who is a recognized advocate of single tax, and is listed as such in printed propaganda of organized single taxers.

The new fraud is presented as a repeal of newspaper notice to tardy taxpayers of their delinquency and as providing the cheaper method of notice by mail.

The law requiring notice by advertisement to delinquents has already been repealed by the legislature. The legislature has already established the mail notice requirement.

The real purpose of the new measure is to repeal the law requiring newspaper notice to the availability of certificates of delinquency—to abolish what is, in effect, an advertisement that others may come in at a given date and pay the delinquent taxes, thereby acquiring a lien on the property.

This advertisement is not in purpose a notice to delinquents. It is not published until they have been duly notified by mail and have still failed to respond. It is a proper and essential means of obtaining, in spite of tax slacking, needed public revenues.

Any reference to costs of advertisements under previous laws, since repealed, which require newspaper notice to every delinquent, is fraudulent.

Every statement that a new method of notification is proposed is fraudulent.

Every implication that mail notice is not now given is fraudulent.

It is the poll-tax bunco over again. For an unexplained reason an avowed single tax advocate desires the suppression of notice that certificates of delinquency on the property of tax slackers may be purchased.

The Oregonian reiterates and emphasizes that it has no pecuniary interest in the publication of the notice sought to be dispensed with. It has never received one dollar for publication of the notice required by the present law. It has no expecta-

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tion of ever receiving a dollar from that source, for the present law is so worded that the newspaper in Portland having the largest circulation—which is The Oregonian—cannot successfully bid on the work.

Only the minority who do not promptly pay their taxes have direct personal knowledge that mail notice is now given to delinquents. The plain effort is to trade on the lack of information of the majority. Will they be deceived again by a palpable fraud?

S. A. T. C.'S SWARMING AT O. A. C. COLLEGE

Corvallis, Ore., Oct. 2.—One of the largest crowds, if not the largest, ever gathered on the college campus or in Benton county was present for the S. A. T. C. inaugural ceremony on the college campus at 9 o'clock last Tuesday. More than 500 other institutions of the country were holding similar celebrations at the same time.

Approximately 3,000 members and prospective members of the S. A. T. C., 600 or 700 young women of the college and thousands of citizens of Benton county were in attendance.

"To the Color," was sounded, the troops saluting. Unarmed men in uniform stood in the ranks at attention, the commanding officer of the detail saluting, and unarmed men in civilian clothes uncovered. The oath of allegiance was read by the adjutant and repeated in unison by the entire command standing at attention.

Corvallis has the appearance of a new town. It is fairly swarming with students, many of whom are

carrying suitcases. The big mess hall in the armory was opened to the members of the S. A. T. C. Monday evening. Between 2,200 and 2,400 students are being accommodated there.

Loose Hair Suddenly.

In the western parts of New South Wales men are often denuded of all their hair. A man will go to bed apparently nothing wrong with him and wake up in the morning to find that every hair on his body has fallen out during the night. This disease has never been known to attack a woman. Once the hair falls out in this fashion, nothing yet invented will make a new crop grow.

Our classified ads bring results

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Does Pershing Speak for You?

"The German army can be beaten; the German army will be beaten; the German army must be beaten."

Pershing counted on every man, woman and child in America to back him up when he said that—back him up with their souls, their flesh, their pocketbooks—to the last drop of blood, to the last dollar.

Our young men are backing him with their blood. Every one of us at home must back him with our dollars—our last dollars—our future dollars.

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HAVING too little light puts a strain on children's vision that they may never outgrow! Why not have plenty of light? National MAZDA Lamps give three times the light of old-fashioned carbon lamps without adding a penny to your light bill.

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Geo. R. Riddle, Mgr.

Classified Advertising

FOR SALE

FOR SALE CHEAP for cash—80 acres near Wimer. Good place to start with little money. Address H. M. Knudsen, Pasco, Wash. 94

FOR SALE CHEAP—Good heating stove in first class condition. Inquire at Rochdale grocery store. If

A BARGAIN—80 acres first class walnut land, no frost, good road four miles from the Pass, \$4 an acre. War bonds or stamps. No. 1600 care Courier. 79

FOR SALE—Ford, has 2 new tires, others in good shape, extras, \$250 cash. H. E. Wilbur, Selma. 80

GRAPES FOR SALE on the vine—Mission 2 cents; Tokay 3 1/2 cents. Afternoons at Mrs. Meier's, 1301 East A street. 80

FAIR PEARS and apples, half cent pound, pick them yourselves. See E. E. Cargill, Golden Drift Dam. 80

FOR SALE—Light, gentle team and harness, good peddling wagon with roller bearings. Good reason for selling. C. W. Revell, P. O. Box 660, Grants Pass, Ore. 81

FOR SALE—Eight year old saddle or driving horse and good saddle and bridle for \$50. Call after 5 p. m. 1301 East A street. Phone No. 140-R. 78

FOR SALE—Tomatoes, 1 1/2 cents per pound, 1 1/4 mile west on lower river road. Will deliver on certain days. Con Schaefer's. 78

TOKAY GRAPES for sale at 2 cents per pound. Culls. 656 North Sixth street. 78

TO RENT

FOR RENT—Five room cottage, 203 C street. Gas, electric lights, low rent. See N. E. Townsend, 621 A street. 78

WANTED

WANTED—On an alfalfa ranch, an experienced farmer who understands irrigation, one with a small family who can assist in taking care of cows preferred. Write to Frederick Pelouze, Eagle Point, Ore. 82

WANTED—A woman to work one day a week. Address No. 1589, care Courier. 78

WANT to rent a farm. Must have water for irrigation. Apply No. 1611 care Courier. 80

WANTED—Groundmen and linemen for Western Union construction gang working between Merlin and Grants Pass. Best of wages and accommodations. Steady employment. For particulars apply manager Western Union Grants Pass, or foreman, Merlin, Ore. 81

WANTED—At once, teacher for rural school, 9-months' term, \$75; also teachers for two other schools. Inquire Mrs. Alice Bacon, county school superintendent. 78

WANTED—By gentleman, board and room on ground floor with heat. Address P. O. Box 386. 76f

WANTED—Chambermaid for Mill hotel, Mill City, Ore.; \$40 per month with board and room. Call at 702 C street, ask for C. C. Harper. 78

WANTED to borrow—\$1,500 on 20 acres improved river bottom farm, pay 8 per cent. Address No. 1640 care Courier. 82

WANTED—Cook, also a girl for nurse training. Communicate with Granite City Hospital, Ashland, Ore. 82

Spanish Avaram.

The Madras government plans to encourage the systematic cultivation of avaram, the bark of which is said to be the best tanning agent for the production of soft and good leather by unskilled labor. Avaram grows only in southern India, and it is because the tanners of this region have available supplies of this excellent tanning material that South India hides have gained their present high position.

The California and Oregon Coast Railroad Company

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Train 1 lv. Grants Pass. 1:00 p. m. Train 2 lv. Waters Creek 7:05 p. m.

All trains leave Grants Pass from the corner of G and E, each street opposite the Southern Pacific depot. For all information regarding freight and passenger service call the office of the company, Lundberg building, or phone 131 for same.

MISCELLANEOUS

BRING YOUR JUNK to the Grants Pass Junk Co., 403 South Sixth street. Phone 21. We buy rags, metal, rubber, scrap iron, hides and wool, old automobiles for wrecking. 51f

ON CASH BASIS—The Music and Photo house will remove to the new location, next door west, on October 1, and everything will be on a cash basis except pianos and talking machines sold on lease. Cash basis is necessary in order to maintain low prices. Stanton Rowell, 507 G street. 87

BUY YOUR FUEL, kindling, blocks and sawdust of Baber Bros. 225 West G. Phone 509-J. 96

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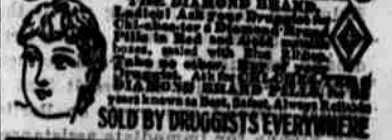
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