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WARDENS SOUGHT A MURDERER

A criticism of game wardens in Lane Lenove's column in the Sentinel a couple of weeks ago shows how easy it is for a man to jump at wrong conclusions when he does not know all the facts in the case.

Mr. Lenove stated that the regular prohibition officers should be the ones to hunt moonshiners, referring particularly to the case in Lane county where deputy game wardens were in the posse looking for Ray Sutherland, moonshiner-murderer of Marcola.

Sutherland was killed this week as he was attempting to shoot two officers who had finally located his hiding place.

The point we wish to make, however, is that it was after Sutherland had killed one officer and wounded two others that a posse was being organized to hunt a killer—not a moonshiner, but a foul murderer.

It happened that the game wardens were in the sheriff's office at the time and they volunteered to assist in the search. Being trained officers they were probably also of more help than the ordinary man who has had no experience along that line. And one of them was also killed by Sutherland.

The reflection on the game department in the Sentinel was unwarranted. And even had the man not been a murderer the fact that he was a law-violator is no reason why a game warden should refuse to help in his apprehension.

Whether a person believes in the prohibition law or not, every true American citizen should believe in law enforcement.

That an indictment for violation of the corrupt practices act is merely a "technical charge" seems to have been quite thoroughly disproved by Attorney J. B. Bedingfield this week. It was so characterized to Harry Chapel who left the first of November after dropping \$600 or \$700 in a local institution.

R. A. Easton's Weekly Letter

There is a verse in the Book which warns a man to be satisfied with the charms of his own wife. The "love nest" murder case that is now not only attracting the attention of the people of the city of Portland but of the entire state of Oregon, is the result of that unheeded warning. Whether Bowles or his concubine stuck the bread knife into Mrs. Bowles, or whether Mrs. Bowles by her own hand drove in the knife, Bowles and his paramour committed the murder. Bowles commenced to murder his wife when he ceased to be satisfied with the her charms. When the scrapping commenced in that home and what it was all about, it is possible that neither this man who sits in jail nor the neighbors nor the relatives nor the friends and acquaintances could say. It could not have been over money. For there was money to burn in the furnace of heart's desire in that home. That home was built out of money. So the lack of money was not the tinder box. What was it that caused this home within palatial walls to go on the rocks. I have not read all the stuff concerning the crime—there is too much of it. But I have seen nothing about the lives of either the wife or husband as to their appetites, desires or aspirations before their marriage, and there is silence concerning their church relationship, or of their interest in Boy or Girl Scouts, or in the Tuberculosis Association, or in the Young Men's or Young Women's Christian Associations, or fraternal societies of any kind whatsoever. We never heard of this millionaire man before, until his own sin and the sin of his charmer found him out and found her out. The woman involved in this crime is no inexperienced kid. She is wise by marriage. She is wise by divorce. She is wise by beautifiers and make-up. Wise as the Fowler is wise who sets his snare for game. This is one of the times when the trappers were trapped.

It is written, "He that diggeth a pit shall fall into it; and whose breaketh a hedge, a serpent shall bite him."

This man and woman surely know the depth of the pit they dug. And in breaking down the "hedge" they

found a serpent that they could not coddle.

The papers are so full of this crime nest triangle, they would almost cause one to think that the homes of Portland are fairly represented by this one; and this profligate woman a fair representative of the young women of Portland. It is not so. This man and woman represent the growth of unchecked desires and a "man wise in his own conceit."

The pity of it is, each one of us can not pay the penalty alone of our sins. The penalty always overlaps on to the innocent. It is not the suffering of this man and woman that causes grief. It is the grief of suffering by those motherless and worse than fatherless children. It is the grief of suffering by the grandparents of those children. It is the grief of suffering by the family of this triangle woman. It is this overlapping grief of suffering by the innocent, this vicarious suffering which does not atone, that is as the grief of hell.

"Whatever a man soweth that shall he also reap."

As a rule there are always others who have to help him take care of the harvest.

R. A. Easton.

White Plague Fatalities Less

Last year for the first time in its history, Oregon lost less than 500 of its citizens from tuberculosis in a twelve month period, according to figures released by the Oregon Tuberculosis Association. During the twelve months ending December 31, 1929, 474 persons were claimed by tuberculosis. This places the 1929 mortality rate at 50 per 100,000, the first time in history that this low figure has been reached, giving Oregon a rate one-third less than that for the nation as a whole.

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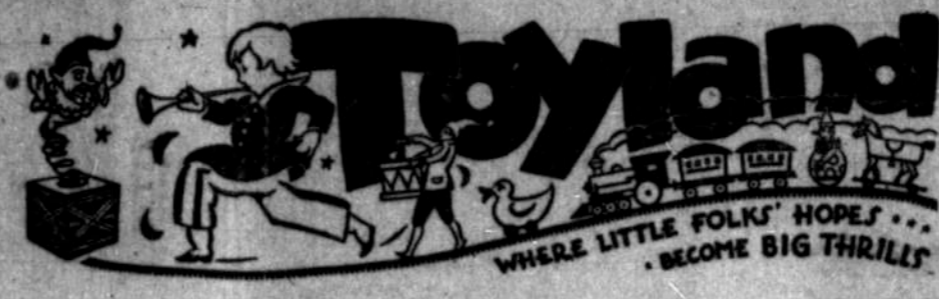
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PICTURES

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BANDON



Santa couldn't have selected a better line for us than we have this year. From the 5c china doll to the electric trains the whole lot is the best in price and most attractive in makeup. Remember the best toys sell first.

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Christmas Cards

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Coquille Ratio More Than State's

The city of Coquille with a total indebtedness of \$231,907.12 has a debt ratio of 20.85 percent of its assessed valuation as compared to an average debt ratio of 14.40 per cent for all of the cities of the state, according to figures compiled at Salem by T. B. Kay, state treasurer.

Coquille's indebtedness includes \$200,933.08 in bonds and \$30,974.04 in warrants. Offsetting somewhat the total debt of the city there is a sinking fund of \$6,365.97 bringing the net debt down to \$225,541.15. The city's indebtedness shows an increase of 2.45 per cent over that of two years ago.

The bonded indebtedness of the 129 cities and towns in Oregon in the aggregate shows an increase of approximately \$6,000,000 in the two year period, increasing from \$79,344,062.14 on July 1, 1928, to \$85,342,233.07 on July 1, 1930. The warrant indebtedness of these same municipalities, however, was reduced approximately \$2,000,000 in the same period with only \$2,425,669.86 in warrants outstanding as of July 1, 1930, compared to \$4,148,016.90 on July 1, 1928. In the same time the sinking funds of Oregon cities and towns have been increased from \$8,807,860.90 on July 1, 1928, to \$11,086,056.40 on July 1, 1930. This decrease in outstanding warrants, together with the increase of approximately \$2,000,000 in the sinking funds leaves a net increase of only a little more than \$2,000,000 in the indebtedness, bond and warrant, of the cities and towns.

Most of the increase in indebtedness during the past two years is accounted for by large bond issues on the part of some of the larger cities such as Salem, Klamath Falls, Eugene and Corvallis. On the other hand a number of cities have made notable progress in the reduction of their debt burden during the biennium. These

include Astoria, Baker, Bend, Dallas, Forest Grove, LaGrande, Marshfield, Newberg, Ontario, Pendleton, Seaside, Silverton, The Dalles, Tillamook, Vernonia and many other of the smaller towns.

Tax levies in the various cities and towns range from a minimum of 17.9 mills by Lonerock, a small community in Gilliam county, to a maximum of 115.7 mills in the case of Vale, county seat of Malheur county.

News From State Capital

A statement by C. A. Gram, state labor commissioner, that there are at present 30,000 jobless men in Oregon as compared to 15,000 a year ago, brings home the seriousness of the unemployment situation which is nation-wide in its scope. While most of Oregon's unemployment problem is centered in Portland which has between 23,000 and 24,000 men out of work at this time, that the situation is by no means limited to that city is indicated by Gram's survey in which reports have been received from mayors, chiefs of police and other city officials, and which show large numbers of unemployed in many other cities of the state. Bend, with 2500 unemployed, reveals the most serious situation outside of Portland. Other cities reporting follow: Albany, 150; Baker, 300; Corvallis, 92; Forest Grove, 200; Grant Pass, 200; Heppner, 50; Klamath Falls, 500; Lebanon, 300; LaGrande, 250; Medford, 300; Marshfield, 200; North Bend, 250; Oregon City, 300; Pendleton, 100; Reedsport, 50; St. Helens, 200; Silverton, 200; Toledo, 100; Vernonia, 100; Wallowa, 50; Waldport, 250.

port has been graded and sufficient rock has been placed on the grade to make travel possible all the year round. Toll ferries are operated at both ends of the section for the time being but these will be taken over by the state and converted into free ferries about June 1, 1931. Completion of this section of the coast highway will take travel off of the beach which has been regarded as highly dangerous at certain seasons of the year.

Dismissal this week of a married woman who had been employed by the state industrial accident commission for the past three years under her maiden name and whose matrimonial status was just made known to the commission has served to focus interest in the problem of employed married women on the state payroll. The accident commission, apparently, is the only state department which bars the employment of married women whose husbands are able to provide for the family. Secretary of State Hoss about a year ago issued an order that girls who married should automatically be dropped from the payroll but this order was not made retroactive and the department still retains on its payroll a number of married women who were employed prior to the date of this order. In fact, practically every state department with the exception of the industrial accident department employs a number of married women in clerical capacities. In a number of instances both the husband and wife are employed by the state, this situation existing in some of the most desirable jobs on the state payroll. The condition is one entirely within the control of the department heads and so far, except for the accident commission, there is little or no disposition toward a discrimination against married women in public employment.

that it is not necessary for a person to be a taxpayer in order to vote at a special election of a county road district for the purpose of levying a special tax. Referring to a statutory provision imposing tax paying requirements upon voters at special road district elections the attorney general declares it to be his opinion that under decisions of the state supreme court this provision "is unconstitutional in so far as the section attempts to deny to a citizen in the district the right to vote at any election by such road districts."

The annual meeting of the State Board of Forestry will be held in the capitol building Saturday at which time owners of timber lands will be given an opportunity to present complaints or suggestions with respect to the patrol of their lands.

More than 30,000 pounds of bent grass seed have been certified for farmers of Coos county this year through the extension service of Oregon State college by G. R. Hyslop, chief agronomist, says a Coquille dispatch in an O. S. C. Bulletin.

RELIEF FROM CURSE OF CONSTIPATION

A Battle Creek physician says: "Constipation is responsible for more misery than any other cause." But immediate relief has been found. A tablet called Rexall Orderlies has been discovered. This tablet attracts water from the system into the lax, dry, evacuating bowel called the colon. The water loosens the dry food waste and causes a gentle, thorough, natural movement without forming a habit or ever increasing the dose.

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Attorney General Van Winkle holds