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OREGON CANNOT AFFORD TO HAVE THIS COLLEGE CLOSED

Herbert C. Miller, who has been operating the North Pacific Dental College in Portland—the only dental school north of San Francisco and west of Kansas City—and who has operated it most successfully for many years, desires to present it, entirely free of debt, to the state of Oregon. Mr. Miller has reached the four score age, and as his son is in the service he feels unable to continue the college by himself.

Dr. R. F. Milne of this city, a graduate of that college, states that the State Board of Higher Education has refused to accept the gift from Mr. Miller and that the various dentists over the state are taking it up with their state senators and representatives in hopes of securing legislative action which will make the college a part of the state's educational system. He has had replies from both Senator Walsh and Representative Moore, indicating an interest in Mr. Miller's gift proposal and the doctor is hopeful that the legislature will decide to take over the college and make it a state institution.

Just why the Board of Higher Education refused Mr. Miller's offer has not been made clear. The property is entirely free of debt; it has always paid good returns on the investment and the Sentinel agrees with Dr. Milne that the state cannot afford to lose this dental college because of Mr. Miller's inability to conduct it longer. It is a well known fact that people of the Northwest suffer more from dental trouble than do those in the mid-west, due principally to the difference in water ingredients, and the young men and women of Oregon and Washington, who wish to make dentistry their profession, should not be robbed of this opportunity to learn dentistry nearer home than they can if the college is closed.

It is to be hoped that the legislature takes a different view than do the members of the State Board of Higher Education.

WHAT KIND OF PEACE CAN WE EXPECT?

Washington, D. C., January, 1945—Ever since the beginning of the war the United States has directed its efforts toward strengthening the powers of administration and organization. The so-called "isolationists" were nearly all hold-overs of pre-war times when citizens joined their voices in proclaiming hopes that our country might keep out of the war.

Up to the day when the Japanese quit stalling with fake diplomacy in Washington and attacked Pearl Harbor our Government and our people were not committed to joining the war.

At that time our Government was making things awfully hot for Communists in all parts of the United States. But in a few short months Soviet Russia was welcomed as our partner in the European war. The armies of the United Nations fought the same enemy in Europe, and from a military point of view they were on an equal level.

In due time President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill worked closely together. After these two statesmen had met with Stalin reports indicated that the Big Three were sailing over peaceful seas on the good ship called "The Atlantic Charter."

Many international gatherings were held and the United Nations appeared to be thrilled with the agreements reached by the Dumbarton Oaks Conference. A very few weeks later Great Britain indicated its dissatisfaction, and Russia followed the same course. Then the White House indicated that our own Government disagreed with Churchill and Stalin. President Roosevelt made a statement before a press conference saying that the Atlantic Charter never had been an official international document, and had not been signed by either himself nor Churchill. Thus the Atlantic Charter became one of those instruments to which William Jennings Bryan had given the title, long ago, "a scrap of paper."

The Dumbarton Oaks agreements

TWENTY YEARS AGO

(Taken from The Sentinel of Friday, January 9, 1925)

The first meeting of the year of the Coquille Chamber of Commerce, held in the hotel Wednesday evening, was one of the most enthusiastic ever held here. Manager Compton had prepared an excellent dinner for the members and over fifty sat down in the main dining room.

There were large delegations in attendance at the county court session Wednesday from Fairview and McKinley, asking that a different rock be used on the roads of that section from what was used last year. Two or three miles of the road the other side of Fairview mountain have been planned this year, the rock put on there having been practically worthless.

After an absence of four years from the mayoralty chair, E. E. Johnson Monday evening again took up the reins as head of the city government, which he had laid down when Dr. V. L. Hamilton was elected in 1920.

Alex Sandon, who was fatally injured at the big mill of the Coos Bay Lumber Co., at Marshfield, last Monday, died at six o'clock last evening at Mercy Hospital in North Bend.

Traffic was resumed under handicap on the Roseburg highway Tuesday, when workmen of the highway department aided in pushing cars through the slides at Sugar Leaf

mountain. The slides consisted chiefly of mud this time and workmen helped the waiting motorists through once each hour.

Monday District Attorney Ben Fisher turned over the work of his office to J. B. Bedingfield, of Bandon.

Arthur A. Selander, of this city, has been appointed by Senator Chas. Hall as clerk of the senate roads committee, of which he will be chairman in the 1925 legislative assembly, which will convene next Monday. Hon. Dal M. King, of Myrtle Point, expects to leave at the same time to represent Coos county in the house of representatives.

A re-organization meeting of Coquille Post, No. 38, American Legion was held in the city hall last evening. Officers chosen were: G. Russell Morgan, Jas. M. Caughell, Perry E. Lawrence, Alton Grimes, F. F. Schram, Ray F. Miller. Executive committee: Walter Oerding, Dr. G. E. Low, Geo. Oerding, Keith Leslie and L. L. Hooker.

The following are to be installed this evening as officers of Coquille Lodge, No. 53, I.O.O.F. for the next six months: J. L. Stevens, Wm. E. Buell, J. S. Lawrence, L. H. Hazard, Fred Wimer, J. A. Miller, W. E. Bosserman, Walter Rhule, E. A. Wimer, W. F. Oerding, Bert Kay, M. T. Clinton, Stanley Phillips, Frank Harnish, Geo. Oerding.

1549 Receiving S. S. Benefits In Oregon

The number of monthly old-age and survivors insurance benefits in force in the area served by the Eugene field office of the Social Security Board increased by 35 per cent during 1944. It is announced by Chas. H. Cannon, manager, in a year-end statement.

Explaining that his figures are estimated, and subject to minor revision, Cannon said 1549 men, women and children in his area have benefits of \$26,091.79 a month—a rate of \$313,101 a year.

The service area of the Eugene office includes Coos, Curry, Douglas, Josephine and Lane counties.

The benefit rolls shape up approximately as follows:

There were 710 retired workers, aged 65 or over, who received \$15,303.48 in monthly benefits.

Wives, 65 or over, of retired workers, to the number of 204, received \$2,239.37.

Widows with young children, 134 in number, received in monthly benefits, \$2,424.84.

Children of deceased or retired workers, 439 in number, received

suffered heavily in the loss of prestige. The whole American public was disturbed over the threat against a new world peace organization. The League of Nations popped up, promptly, to remind the world that it has forty-five members, and a lot of money, and lot of supporters. Furthermore, the League expects the forty-five member nations to get behind the League and reorganize, and recognize it, as the World's peace organization.

So there you are at the end of 1944. While our military forces are having terrible experiences on the European battlefield there has also been a disturbing slump in concerted efforts among the United Nations. The situation is not good!—J. E. Jones in National Industries News Service.

\$5,075.93.

Aged widows of deceased workers, 55 in number, received \$956.43.

Monthly benefits are paid also to aged dependent parents of fully insured workers who die without leaving a wife or child.

"That old-age and survivors insurance is truly a family insurance plan is demonstrated by the fact that more than three of every five beneficiaries are women and children. This proportion holds true among the nation's 1,120,000 beneficiaries," Cannon said.

Summing up the situation on the social security front, Cannon said there is one serious cause of concern to the Board's field officers: some people do not know their rights under the old-age and survivors insurance program, and so may lose some benefits through failure to act at the right time.

To correct this he issued the following advice: "Whenever a person, who has worked at any time in a job covered by the law, reaches the age of 65, he should come in to see us and find out how to protect his benefit rights, even though he does not plan to retire. Whenever a worker dies, after working for some period in jobs covered by the law, some member of his family should communicate promptly with the nearest office of the Social Security Board. This is the only way to make sure that no benefits are lost."

John Rankin A Private First Class At Hill Military Academy

Cadet John W. Rankin, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Rankin of Coquille, was promoted to rank of Cadet Private First Class, at a Holiday surprise announcement at Hill Military Academy in Portland. The promotion was by command of the Commandant, recommended by Captain John A. O'Neal, Professor of Military Science and Tactics, and approved by the President of Hill Military Academy, Colonel Joseph A. Hill.

When you need a gift—shop Norton's first.



The new mobile Chest X-Ray Survey Unit, built and equipped with Christmas Seal funds is now ready to travel to all parts of the State. The photo shows the workmen who built the trailer. The overall size of the Unit is 38 feet long and 8 feet wide. It contains a Westinghouse X-Ray Unit in its own X-ray room, dressing rooms and a dark-room for developing the films. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Anderson will be in charge of the Unit and take the pictures. The Oregon Tuberculosis Association and the County Public Health Associations pay for the service out of Christmas Seal funds.

Should Land Be Free? What Do You Think?

If all men have the natural right to Mother Earth, that is, land, it necessarily follows that land must be accessible and to be accessible it must be free.

To just the extent you make men pay for land you are taking part of their labor product and, if enough life itself. The essence of slavery is the taking of a man's labor product without his consent. Through the ownership of land you can take from others without their being aware of it. This is only the more subtle form of slavery. When land becomes dear it is more convenient and much more effective to take the product of labor and capital through ownership of land.

Private property in land is not natural. Look around you everywhere and it is never buy, it is always give. It is something that society is doing or not doing that they should do that gives land a selling value. If land should have a selling value, you will find that will conform to everything that is just, right and moral. You will find that nothing is taken from labor and capital that justly belong to them, that the mere ownership of land produces all the wealth taken because of such ownership.

Nothing can be right in one way and wrong in others. It cannot be right in theory and wrong in practice; it is either right or wrong. Ownership of land produces nothing and about one-third of the wealth produced in this country goes to such ownership.

It seems to be the natural order that wealth should naturally go to the producer. Let us look at the Christ who came into the world helpless and was taken care of by his friends. He became a carpenter and finally engaged in the highest type of mental, moral and spiritual service and finally paid with his life for his convictions — through use of land, not ownership. Comments and questions welcome. —Jas. Richmond.

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