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SHALL THE BERRIANS LIVE?

Just at the present time this is a pertinent question to ask. Do the people of Newberg appreciate what the Berrians as an organization have accomplished and do they want to see them keep up the line of work which they have been doing? How far will the people of Newberg go in backing up the Berrians? These are all questions which the officers of the Berrians have been asking themselves of late. Repeated requests have been made to the public to pay their annual dues to the Berrians and thus enable them to pay their debts and get on their feet financially. Benefit affairs have been given with only very medium support on the part of the public, which has not helped the Berrians get ahead to any degree.

This week plans were laid for a trip to McMinnville where the Berrians were to have charge of the program for the day and it was requested that fifty car owners use banners which were being provided and decorate the cars in red and green crepe paper. This plan was suggested so that there would be some uniformity and so that Newberg could make an impression at McMinnville. In line with this request and at the suggestion of a number of the local business men, the request was made that the stores close for a part of the day on Wednesday. By so doing the employes as well as the proprietors would be enabled to attend the county fair. However, a few of the local merchants said that they could not close and as a consequence the effort was dropped. At the same time at least one farmer in the midst of a busy prune season closed down his prune drier so that he could attend this demonstration. In fairness to the business men of Newberg it should be said that a very considerable number were willing to close and apparently were only prevented from so doing by a few.

We perhaps have no right to say what another business man shall do about running his own business, but it seems to us a small request that they should be willing to close for a part of one day to assist in forming a better feeling between Newberg and the county seat and in boosting the county fair.

If this had been the only time when there was a very apparent lack of interest in the various activities of the Berrians it might be easily overlooked but in view of the fact that there has been an apparent rejection of the entire movement or at least an unwillingness to put forth any effort in its behalf on the part of a few, the Berrians are led to question whether their efforts are really appreciated and whether it is really worth while for them to go ahead any further. The whole thing means hard work and for some of those who are at the head there is nothing to gain. They are sometimes led to ask themselves why they should spend their time and money with no hope of profiting from the movement, if those who might gain from it are absolutely unwilling to do anything. It is worth thinking over and if you think the Berrians are a good thing and are willing to help, just tell the officers so and encourage them.

Some fellows hide a great lack of brains with a great show of enthusiasm and pep. Others hide a similar lack by keeping mum. But once in a while you find a fellow who combines good sense and enthusiasm and still knows when to stay in the background.

Saturday Specials

We are still loaded on High Grade Soap and will offer 10c size at 5c bar

Walnuts 15c lb. Mixed Nuts 15c lb.

Call and see before buying

Yours truly

J. L. VAN BLARICOM

WISE WORDS

Truck drivers who howl when fined for overloading are referred to the present condition of the highway east of Hillsboro. The total of all fines imposed would not pay for a few yards of the rebuilding now in progress, and they may thank their lucky stars that the sentence did not include a term at labor with the gang repairing the damage they have caused.—Hillsboro Independent.

Judging by the reports of those who have been there, the principal thing that they round up at Pendleton is the kale which the visitors take there with them. Four dollars for a bed in a basement is surely a high price for a lowly commodity.

It's an easy thing to go around and knock a competitor's products but it doesn't often get one anywhere. We admire the fellow who minds his own business and does not try to infringe on the other fellow.

"Yamhill County Against the World." We didn't see any prunes or walnuts from California at the Yamhill county fair. Nor any hogs or cattle from Nebraska. Guess they don't dare to compete.

Automobiles sell well, while many of the necessities of life are moving slowly. Probably the fact that automobile manufacturers and dealers are good advertisers may have something to do with it.

Henry Ford denouncing profiteers is unconsciously making himself funny. Who in the United States has made half as much money as Ford in the past 17 years?—Polk County Observer.

One of the troubles with our system of selecting office holders is that they have to be out shaking hands when they ought to be studying the problems of government.

The city council gave the police officers a vote of confidence and say that they will back them up in law enforcement. So do all of the good citizens of Newberg.

There doesn't seem to be any great rush of candidates for the office of mayor of Newberg. So far we don't see a single hat in the ring.

State fair next week. Are you going to see what the rest of Oregon can raise?

EX-MAYOR SAYS THAT HE HAS NOT BEEN CORRECTLY QUOTED

I have not been correctly quoted as to my agreement to abide by the decision of the Portland attorneys concerning pavement on Fifth and Sixth streets in the city of Newberg.

As to the proceedings of the council and the clerical end there has been no question raised.

When I ask for an opinion, "Is it legal for the city council to obligate the city for improvements of its own property to the amount of approximately \$1000 when there are no funds to meet its obligation and no levy or appropriation to cover the same?" they refuse to answer.

The laws of the state of Oregon say "No."

S. M. Calkins.

MAIL ORDER CATALOGS

A bad order freight car laid over at the local station Sunday was found to contain a shipment of Montgomery Ward catalogs on their way to Portland, Oregon, where they will be delivered to the trade by mail. The car was loaded to capacity and contained 22 tons of catalogs the freight on which was prepaid and amounted to \$1,210.20. The increasing of their advertising expenditures as practiced by large concerns during the hard times is an example well worth following by smaller business men.—New Richmond (Minn.) Star.

CALL FOR MASS MEETING

For the purpose of selecting candidates for the offices of mayor, recorder, treasurer and councilmen for the City of Newberg, to be voted for at the next general election, there will be a mass meeting held at the new Legion building on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock p. m. It is desired that as many as can do so will be present and participate in this meeting.

Dated Sept. 19, 1922.

L. F. Moore, mayor.

Make known your wants through a Graphic classified.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

(News-Reporter.)

Minor Matters

E. Corbett, the new county clerk, is finding his second week in the office much easier than the first and he is handling the business of the office thus far in fine shape.

Will Is Filed

In her will, Sarah J. Eccleston, late of McMinnville, provides that the estate be shared alike by her children, Margaret N. Rowland of Drain, Sarah E. McCullough of McMinnville, Julia A. Pool of Petaluma, California, Ollie Pengram of Petaluma, California, and Inez Selbert of Pendleton. Sarah McCullough is named executor. The will was executed on March 10, 1917.

Other Brief Matters

The circus tents to house the livestock exhibits have been pitched on the streets adjoining the armory and the premises have taken on a festive air.

Mrs. Arta Harding, deputy in the county clerk's office, has resigned her position because she and Mr. Harding are now making their home at Newberg. Mrs. Harding will be missed by many patrons of the office for she was always obliging and courteous.

Henry Patty of Amity was at the court house yesterday exchanging ideas with Sheriff Frank Ferguson, his former townsman, and County Clerk E. Corbett.

Another Will Filed

The late Wm. Shepherd, a resident of near Yamhill, in his will bequeaths his farming implements, separators, and engines to his sons, Frank and J. H. Shepherd. His wife, Mrs. Sarah Shepherd, is given the real estate and personal property to enjoy during her lifetime. At her death the real property will be shared by the children. Mrs. Sarah Shepherd and a son, Frank, are named as joint executors.

The will of Edmond Wood of Willamina has also been filed and names Lettie Carr and Grover C. Wood, daughter and son respectively, as joint executors. His three children, the two above named and A. J. Wood, are devised the property, real and personal.

THINKS COUNTY COURT SHOULD IMPROVE ROADS

We see in passing over the road from here to McMinnville that the little stretch of road just beyond the end of the McMinnville bridge is being paved. We highly commend the county court for this action and think it is not being done before it is needed, but believe that they must have overlooked the fact that the little stretch of road on the south end of the Dayton river bridge is in bad shape and needs some pavement also. We were given to understand that the county court was in no financial condition to do any paving this year, and that they did not feel like accepting the offer of the Dayton Sand & Gravel Co. of this city, which offer was to pave the stretch of road, allowing the county court to set the price for the work and then wait, without interest on the money, until such time as the court thought they could pay it, because they did not want to place any obligations upon the county they could not foresee a way to pay. A good business principle. Now that the court has become flush we believe it is time for them to come across with the paving. They have done enough for the benefit of the county seat for one year.—Dayton Tribune.

THREE TAKE FRENCH LEAVE

When the county jail door was opened Saturday morning E. C. St. Louis, Frank Stass and Joseph P. Pancke, convicted of violations of the dry law were missing. A hole in the ceiling of the female ward in the west end of the jail showed the route taken, and inspection of the roof showed where the men had emerged from a hole cut through the tin and composition and boards beneath and by entering a window to the circuit court room had merely to walk down the stairs to the open air. The hole in the roof afforded conclusive evidence that the delivery was made from the outside, the tin being punched and cut inward. Officers are investigating a recently released prisoner said to have been loitering about the jail late Friday night.

The trio who escaped were all serving long sentences, having been sentenced last month to fines of \$500 and six months in jail, with one day's additional imprisonment for each \$2 of the fines not paid.—Hillsboro Independent.

BUSINESSMEN PICK PRUNES

Through the efforts of the Dallas commercial club the business houses of Dallas will close their doors Tuesday during the day in order that their employes may assist in harvesting the prune crop, which is larger than it has been for years.

This action will be taken if the demand for the pickers is strong enough to warrant it. At the present time pickers are at a premium and in some cases it has been impossible to secure them. Prune dryer help is also badly needed and to some extent the picking has been held up on account of the lack of drying capacity.—Polk County Observer.

The McMinnville Telephone-Register issued a sixteen page American Legion and county fair number last week. The issue was very generously patronized by the business houses, there being three full page ads, three larger than half page and many quarter page and smaller. The T-R. claimed 5000 circulation for this issue. Quite a large number of sample copies were received in Newberg.

MICKIE SAYS

"THE CUSTOM OF PRINTING OBITUARIES DOES NOT COME OUT OF SYDNEY, ALONG WITH CONGRESS GAMES, RUBBER COLLARS 'N' BUSTLES, WHICH IS A GREAT RELIEF TO ALL EDITORS, WHO HATE 'EM!"



SMALLS SYNDICATE

HILLSBORO SCHOOLS OPEN

Hillsboro schools opened Monday with predictions of a greatly increased registration during the year apparently verified. In the high school there were 242 registrations against 234 at the close of the first month in 1921, and in the grades the number of pupils was 525 on the opening day against 530 at the close of the first month in 1921. Following the usual ratio of increase during the month it is expected that at least 100 will be added before the close of the month.—Hillsboro Independent.

The little Graphic ads hit the spot. They go out and find the man who wants to buy what you want to sell.

BIG LEGION DANCE
AT THE
New Legion Hall NEWBERG
Next Saturday Night
SEPT. 23
Music by the famous
"HIGH BROWN FIVE"
Colored Wizards of Jazz
Gents \$1.00 Ladies Free

School

Begins Next Monday, Sept. 25

Buy the Children's Needs

AT THE

GOLDEN RULE

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DRESS PANTS, that fit, for men and boys. New Fall Caps are to be had here for less.
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The Fountain Pen with the Little Red Pump Handle.

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