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Abuse Franking Privilege.

Three hundred million pieces of mail were delivered in 1912 under the signature of members of Congress and the freaks of governmental departments. Had a private individual undertaken the task of sending out this huge mass of printed matter the postage bill would have been about \$20,000,000.

"If the responsibility for the expenditure could be properly distributed it would doubtless do away with much abuse of the privilege and accordingly effect important savings to the government," said Frank Hitchcock postmaster general during the Taft administration.

During the recent search in Washington for the "insidious lobby" which President Wilson declared to have existed, it was found that in one case 300,000 copies of a book had been sent out under the senatorial frank of Senator Henry Cabot Lodge. This represented \$16,000 postage. It was not shown that Senator Lodge had personal interest in such an extended circulation of the book which was devoted to upholding the cause of sugar beet culture and a high protection tariff, but that he had permitted without remonstrance a use of his frank limited only by the capacity of sugar beet interests to get books printed.

The Lodge case happens to be specially prominent. But the abuse of the frank is not peculiar to him and, in the ordinary course of affairs, any private interest which can obtain an unlimited use of a frank may reasonably be expected to use it.

No one in public life in recent years has suggested the abolition of the franking privilege, because there is a huge distribution of mail matter which is undoubtedly legitimate which, if not sent out under frank would compel the government to pay itself postage, or would deprive the country as a whole of information for the compilation of which it pays.

Frank Hitchcock when in office suggested that the signature frank be done away with and that instead a new issue of official stamps be printed which would be supplied to members of Congress and the departments. The postoffice department would issue these official stamps without limit but would keep an account of the amount delivered to each individual or bureau and would make occasional reports to congress showing the amounts issued.

For Sale.

7½ acres of land one-half mile from Prosper with good new 6 room house, one new \$15.00 heating stove, one bedstead, two pair of springs, one dozen young hens, one cockrel, good spring water on place small spring branch running through with living water, one half mile from Prosper schoolhouse, will sell at bargain on easy terms, for particular inquire of T. J. Owen, Prosper, Oregon. 5418

Dollar Colors to Change.

San Francisco, July 9.—The Chinese flag will replace the Stars and Stripes over the ships of one of the largest freight-carrying steamship lines in the Pacific—the Robert Dollar Company—in the event that negotiations under way are consummated. Under the arrangements now pending it will receive a subsidy from the Chinese government.

Stanley Dollar, a vice-president of the company, said today:

"At the time of the Chinese revolution we were closing arrangements with the Chinese government to put our line under the Chinese flag. The investigation interrupted negotiations but they are about to be concluded."

It is said the line will form the nucleus of a Chinese merchant marine and be available to that nation in case of war.—Oregonian.

Notice of School Warrant Sale.

Notice is hereby given, That by authority of a majority vote of the legal voters present at a legally called school meeting of School District Number 54, of Coos County, Oregon, held in said district, on the 21st day of February, 1913, the district school board of said district will between the 10th day of July, 1913, and the 15th day of July, 1913, contract a debt not to exceed five per centum of the value of the taxable property of the district, for the purpose of raising funds to build the East side school building and will for such purpose offer for sale \$17,000 of negotiable interest bearing warrants, on the district, drawing 6 per cent interest warrants for said amount to be divided into 4 series of \$4,250 each, running 5, 6, 7, and 8 years, respectively, and each bona-fide resident citizen of such district shall have the right to subscribe once for said loan, for the entire amount or any portion of the same, not less than \$50.00 at par value warrants to be issued to the smallest subscriber or subscribers first one warrant to each said subscriber (if within one series) upon payment of the amount subscribed in lawful money of the United States, until the entire loan has been placed and after each bona-fide resident of the district has had opportunity to subscribe for such loan and the same has all been taken and issued to such subscribers or in case the subscribers do not call for the same within three days after the time fixed for the delivery of the said warrants, of the district, the district board will permit others of such subscribers to make further subscriptions in the same manner as heretofore provided in this notice until all the loan has been taken and in accordance with the provisions of law governing the same.

Dated this 2 day of July, 1913.
A. HABERLY,
Chairman of District School Board.
Attest: J. W. Mast, Clerk of District.

Notice of Street Work.

Notice is hereby given: That the Common Council of the City of Bandon, Coos County, Oregon, deems it expedient and necessary to improve Twelfth street West from the East line of Kensington Avenue, where Twelfth Street intersects said Kensington Avenue, running thence East to the East line of Morris Addition to Bandon, Oregon, at the cost and expense of the owners of the lots, parts of lots and tracts of land included in the improvement district to be known as "Local Improvement District No. 5 of Twelfth Street, which district embraces all of the property on either side of said Twelfth Street between the East line of Kensington Avenue and the East line of Morris Addition, from the marginal line of said Twelfth Street back to the center of the block or blocks abutting thereon. Said improvement is to consist substantially of Grading the street, the construction of six feet wide wooden sidewalks, the construction of wooden curbs and cross-walks, all of said improvements to be built upon the established grade of Twelfth Street and in accordance with the plans and specifications thereof prepared by the City Engineer, filed in the office of the City Recorder and there open to the inspection of all persons interested therein.

The total cost of said improvement is estimated to be \$2,181.27.

Any objections to said improvement (if any exists) must be filed in writing with the City Recorder on or before July 23, 1913 by the owners of Two-Thirds in the area of the property within the above described improvement district.

Publication authorized by Sub-division 15, Sec. 182, Charter City of Bandon.

E. B. KAUSRUD,
Recorder City of Bandon

Notice of Assessment for the Improvement of Eddy Street in the Fisher Addition.

Notice is hereby given: That at a regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Bandon, Coos County, Oregon, held upon the 21st day of May 1913, Ordinance No. 268 entitled, An Ordinance declaring the assessments upon Eddy Street from its intersection with the South line of 4th Street, southerly to its intersection with the north line of 8th Street in the Fisher Addition to the City of Bandon, Oregon, was duly passed by the Common Council and approved by the mayor on said date, which Ordinance directs me to enter the said assessments in the Docket of City Liens and from the date of the entry thereof in said docket of City Liens the sum as entered against each lot or parcel of land, becomes and is a lien upon such lot or parcel of land, and unless the assessment is paid within the time prescribed by the Charter of the City of Bandon, Oregon, or bonded as required by law the lot or parcel of land so assessed will be sold to pay the assessment and cost.

The whole cost of the improvement of Eddy Street between the above described points is \$1,830.76 and the boundaries of the district assessed for said improvement is as follows: Local Improvement District No. 1, of Eddy Street which district embraces all of the property between the south line of 4th Street and the north line of 8th Street, from the marginal line of said Eddy Street back to the center of the blocks abutting thereon. Notice is further given that said assessments were entered in the Docket of City Liens on the 27th day of June 1913, and all assessments so entered are due and payable at the office of the City Recorder of the City of Bandon within ten (10) days from the date of said entry, to wit: On or before July 10, 1913 after which date assessments become delinquent and interest will be charged at the legal rate.
E. B. KAUSRUD,
Recorder City of Bandon.

Notice of Assessment for the Improvement of Columbia Avenue Between Iris Street and Second Street, in the Woolen Mill Add.

Notice is hereby given: That at a regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Bandon, Oregon, held upon the 21st day of May, 1913, Ordinance No. 267 entitled, An Ordinance declaring the assessments upon Columbia Avenue from its intersection with the south line of Iris Street southerly to its intersection with the north line of Second Street in the Woolen Mill Addition to the City of Bandon, Or., was duly passed by the Common Council and approved by the mayor on said date which Ordinance directs me to enter the assessments in the Docket of City Liens and from the date of the entry thereof in said docket of City Liens the sum as entered against each lot or parcel of land becomes and is a lien upon such lot or parcel of land, and unless the assessments are paid within the time prescribed by the Charter of the City of Bandon, Oregon, or bonded as required by law the lot or parcel of land so assessed will be sold to pay the assessment interest and cost.

The whole cost of the improvement of Columbia Avenue between the above described points is \$1,101.63 and the boundaries of the district assessed for said improvement is as follows: Local Improvement District No. 1, of Columbia Avenue which district embraces all of the property between the south line of Iris Street and the north line of Second Street from the marginal line of said Columbia Avenue back to the center of the blocks abutting thereon. Notice is further given: That said assessments were entered in the Docket of City Liens on the 27th day of June 1913, and all assessments so entered are due and payable within ten (10) days from the date of the entry thereof, at the office of the City Recorder of the City of Bandon, to wit: On or before July 10, 1913, after which date assessments become delinquent and interest will be charged at the legal rate.
E. B. KAUSRUD,
Recorder City of Bandon.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon.
May 8th, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that William B. Doyle, whose post-office address is Arago, Oregon, did, on the 25 day of July 1912, file in this office Sworn Statement and Application, No. 08210, to purchase the SW1-4 SW1-4, Sec. 25, Township 29 S., Range 14 west, Willamette Meridian, and the timber thereon, under the provisions of the act of June 3, 1878, and acts amendatory, known as the "Timber and Stone Law," at such value as might be fixed by appraisal, and that, pursuant to such application, the land and timber thereon have been appraised, \$130.00 the timber estimated 180,000 board feet at 50 cent per M., and the land \$40.00; that said applicant will offer final proof in support of his application and sworn statement on the 25 day of July 1913, before E. A. Dodge, United States Commissioner, at Myrtle Point, Oregon.

Any person is at liberty to protest this purchase before entry, or initiate a contest at any time before patent issues, by filing a corroborated affidavit in this office, alleging facts which would defeat the entry.

May 13-July 22 B. F. JONES,
Register.

Heart Disease Almost Fatal to Young Girl

"My daughter, when thirteen years old, was stricken with heart trouble. She was so bad we had to place her

bed near a window so she could get her breath. One doctor said, 'Poor child, she is likely to fall dead any time.' A friend told me Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy had cured her father, so I tried it, and she began to improve. She took a great many bottles, but she is spared to me today. A fat, rosy checked girl. No one can imagine the confidence I have in Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy." A. R. CANON, Worth, Mo.

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W. E. Craine, W. M.
Phil Pearson, Secretary

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OCCIDENTAL CHAPTER, No. 45, O. E. S., meets Saturday evening before and after stated communication of Masonic Lodge. Visiting members cordially invited to attend.
Alice C. Gallier, W. M.
Rosa Bingham, Secretary.

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