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WAR BOND HISTORY REPEATS.

History is repeating itself in government war bonds. The tendency to rise steadily as the occasion for their issuance passes is already manifested in the reports showing daily advances in the market value of these securities. This is cheering news to millions of holders of Liberty bonds throughout the country and the lesson should be clear.

Unless compelled by circumstances to sell, a holder sacrifices his own best interests by parting with his bonds. Now that government financing of the war is ended, there is every reason to expect that the five issues of war bonds will advance steadily to par and probably above. If those who can will keep the bonds, invest the interest the government pays, they can be certain of watching them rise in market value.

From patriotic reasons, millions have become investors in the war bonds of their government. Now that they have made themselves bond buyers, the next step is to remain bond holders. The market reports are now showing the wisdom of this decision on the part of the majority of the people.

Although the movement looking to the enactment of a provision under which Congress will be convened in regular session on March 5 of each year has lost some of its force through the passing of the present emergency for an extraordinary session, it still has much to recommend it. Reasons advanced for the change will no doubt be the increasing volume and importance of the business Congress is called upon to transact; engrossing international insular problems; increasing appropriations and problems of taxation, and internal and industrial affairs of growing importance.

The German government says it needs 200,000 instead of 100,000 men in the army to preserve internal order. When we had no more population than Germany we handled the job with an army of 25,000, despite a larger territory and some hostile Indians.

The census report shows that New Jersey has the smallest number of marriages in proportion to the population of any state in the Union. Romance begins at Atlantic City, but the young folks go home to get married.

If present indications count, the consideration of the railroad problem in the Senate will consist mostly of talk on the league of nations.

We hear of a man who has sued for \$1,000,000 for the alienation of his wife's affections. What a good cook she must have been!

It is said that Japan is drinking more intoxicants as a result of the war. It doesn't seem to work the same way everywhere.

The fact that they haven't seen the text of the peace treaty does not bar senators on either side from making up their minds.

### Camouflaged Philosophy.

Too many cooks spoil the broth, but a whole family can work profitably in a garden.

What a revelation in shabby suits of ancient vintage spring has forced upon us!

There is a shortage of cabbage but still there is enough, perhaps, to cover the corned beef.

Just at present German helmets and iron crosses are rather a drug on the souvenir market.

Modern science is so up to date that it insists on calling spring fever the sleeping sickness.

Spanish fiction is having a great run in America, which is all fed up on other kinds of fiction.

Optimism is the anticipation of clear skies tomorrow instead of bemoaning the clouds of yesterday.

Can't the manufacturers of war-time fireless matches get it through their heads that the war is over?

The printers of the country will eventually learn the difference between "justifiable" and "justifiable" questions.

One swallow does not make a summer; in fact, we are looking forward to a summer with few, if any, swallows.

Unfortunately it is too often the case that the first fall returned soldier has the best of finding out.

The finest cure for both haemorrhoids that can be conceived is cold lead, internally administered, in liberal doses.

The sleeping sickness, as we understand it, is merely old-fashioned spring fever carried to its logical conclusion.

No man who is both intelligent and just is afraid to have his cause investigated by men who are intelligent and just.

The fashion writers are using the term "stunning costumes." Sure, father being the one that is stunned most.

### NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING AND BUDGET FOR YEAR

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 29, of Umatilla County, State of Oregon, that a school meeting of said district will be held at the school house on the 18th day of June, 1919, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon to vote on the proposition of levying a special district tax.

The total amount of money needed by the district during the fiscal year beginning on June 1st, 1919, and ending on June 30th, 1920, is estimated in the following budget and includes the amounts to be received from the county school fund, state school fund, special district tax, and all other moneys of the district:

**Budget Estimated Expenditures.**

1. Teachers' salaries	\$7,500.00
2. Furniture	400.00
3. Apparatus and supplies, such as maps, chalk, erasers, stove, curtains, etc.	600.00
4. Library books	300.00
5. Flags	
6. Repairs of schoolhouses, outbuildings or fences	450.00
7. Improving grounds	200.00
8. Playground equipment	200.00
9. Transportation of pupils	
10. Tuition of pupils	
11. Janitor's wages	1,020.00
12. Janitor's supplies	200.00
13. Fuel	1,000.00
14. Light and Power	200.00
15. Water	100.00
16. Clerk's salary	75.00
17. Postage and stationery	100.00
18. For the payment of bonded debt and interest thereon, issued under Sections 117, 144 to 148, and 423 of the Laws of Oregon 1917	4,125.00
19. Insurance	180.00

**Total estimated amount of money to be expended for all purposes during the year** - \$10,750.00

**Estimated Receipts.**

From county school fund during the coming school year	\$1,900.00
From state school fund during coming school year	250.00
Cash now in the hands of the district clerk	3,500.00
Cash now in the hands of the county treasurer, belonging to the district	
Estimated amount to be received from all other sources during the coming school year—County High School Tuition fund	500.00

Total estimated receipts, not including the money to be received from the tax which it is proposed to vote - \$5,250.00

**RECAPITULATION.**  
Total estimated expenses for the year - \$10,750.00  
Total estimated receipts not including the tax to be voted - 5,250.00

Balance, amount to be raised by district tax \$11,500.00  
Dated this 21st day of May, 1919.  
Attest: Ernest A. Zerba, District Clerk.

B. B. Richards, Chairman Board of Directors.

### SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County, Olevia C. Davis, Plaintiff, vs. Bert G. Davis, Defendant.

To Bert G. Davis, Defendant above-named:  
In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff filed against you in the above entitled suit within six weeks of the date of the first publication of summons to-wit, on or before Friday, the 11th day of July, 1919. And you will take notice that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint or otherwise plead thereto within said time, plaintiff, for want thereof, will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in her said complaint, namely for a decree of the Court dissolving the bonds of matrimony now and heretofore existing between plaintiff and defendant and for other equitable relief.

This summons is published pursuant to an order made by the Honorable Gilbert W. Phelps, Judge of the above-entitled Court on the 28th day of May, 1919. The first publication of this summons will be made on Friday the 30th day of May, 1919, in the Athena Press newspaper, published at Athena, Umatilla County, Oregon, and the last publication will be made on Friday the said 11th day of July, 1919. Dated this 28th day of May, 1919. Peterson, Bishop & Clark, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Residence and postoffice address, Pendleton, Oregon.

### Notice to Creditors.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. In the Matter of the Estate of George W. Gross, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have been appointed executors of the last will and testament of George W. Gross, deceased, by the above entitled court; and that all persons having claims against the above entitled estate should present them to either of us in Athena, Oregon, or to our attorney, Homer I. Watts, at his office in Athena, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice; said claims to be verified as by law required.

Dated at Athena, Oregon, this 13th day of June, 1919. Sarah J. Gross, Homer I. Watts, Executrix, Attorney. James F. Gross, Executor.

### Notice to Creditors.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. In the Matter of the Estate of John S. Harris, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the last will and testament of John S. Harris, deceased, by the above entitled Court. All persons having claims against the above entitled estate should present them to me at Athena, Oregon, or to my attorney, Homer I. Watts, at his office in Athena, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice; said claims to be verified as by law required.

Dated at Athena, Oregon, this 18th day of April, 1919. Henry A. Barrett, Executor.

### Notice to Creditors.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. In the Matter of the Estate of Jennie G. Watts, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Jennie G. Watts, deceased, by the above entitled court. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me at my office in Athena, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. All claims must be verified as by law required.

Dated at Athena, Oregon, this 6th day of June, 1919. HOMER I. WATTS, Administrator.

### Notice to Creditors.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. In the Matter of the Estate of Fannie O. Myrick, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern that Olive Lee has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Fannie O. Myrick, deceased, and has qualified as such. All persons having claims against her estate are required to present them with proper vouchers to the said administratrix at the law office of Will M. Peterson, in the Smith-Crawford Building at Pendleton, Oregon, within six months of the date of the first publication of this notice which is made on the 2nd day of May 1919.

Olive Lee, Administratrix. Will M. Peterson, Attorney for Administratrix.

### Notice to Creditors.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. In the Matter of the Estate of E. R. Cox, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of E. R. Cox, deceased, by the above entitled court. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present them to me at Athena, Oregon, or to my attorney, Homer I. Watts, at his office in Athena, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. All claims must be verified as by law required.

Dated at Athena, Oregon, this 6th day of June, 1919. A. M. JOHNSON, Administrator.

### Notice to Creditors.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. In the Matter of the Estate of D. G. McKenzie, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern that Alexander McKenzie has been appointed executor of the last will and testament of Daniel G. McKenzie, deceased, and has qualified as such. All persons having claims against his estate are required to present them with proper vouchers to the said executor at his home in Adams, Oregon, or at the law office of Will M. Peterson in the Smith-Crawford Building at Pendleton, Oregon, attorney for the executor, within six months of the date of the first publication of this notice, which is Friday, the 18th day of April, 1919.

Alexander McKenzie, Executor. Will M. Peterson, Attorney for Executor.

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