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KANSAS PLAN

Some discussion has been had recently about the so-called Kansas plan of obtaining better information about legislation for the legislators who have the duty of making laws.

In Kansas, according to stories written about it, a group of members of each house are chosen to serve on sort of an interim commission which meets every three months to study legislation that may be needed and directs the study of proposals made for the change of existing laws.

There is much merit in the plan with little expense if it is handled properly. It is doubtful if the members of the commission or whatever the legislative group would be called, would be able to convince a majority of their fellows that all their schemes were good, but at least, there would be a small body of legislators who were informed on current problems.

Perhaps the most important part of the Kansas plan is that an agency would be established to study methods of government and gather information about how different proposals worked in other states and under different conditions.

It is possible that there will be such an interim commission in Oregon for the next biennium which will not be entirely new for nearly every session passed resolutions making interim commissions to study different things. All might well be put together and given to a larger group so that there could be some cooperation between these commissions.

A cursory knowledge is sufficient to name several problems in Oregon that need deep legislative study before 1941. One is the pilot problem that was just vetoed by the governor; one is the problem of what to do about the cutter and burned-over land in the western and coast counties of the state; another is the tax problem, now under some sort of revival by a house committee.

In Other Days

From the Observer Feb. 23, 1900
Born: To the wife of Harvey Martin, February 15th, a daughter. O. W. Axtell was in town with a cutter Monday, but sleighing was only passably decent.

Harry Lanphear, C. H. Belashee, J. B. Morrison and Jas. Woods were business visitors in Moro Monday. Gen. Manager E. E. Lytle has fixed April 15, as the date of opening the CSRy for traffic to Shaniko. From the Observer Feb. 25, 1910.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Urquhart, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Messinger, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Barnum and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Martin jointly entertained at what in Masonic hall Wednesday evening.

Little Carol Hunter of Iowa remembered his brother Lee, way out here in Oregon on the 14th, by sending him an alarm clock valentine. "Wake up and show signs of life." For a 4-year old boy Carol is certainly up-to-date.

Mrs. Deems, one of the very popular teachers well known in parts of Sherman county where she has been employed, has taken the Erskineville school.

From the Observer Feb. 27, 1920
John McDermid died in Portland Saturday from a heart attack. Mr. McDermid was one of the pioneer farmers of Sherman county who will be long remembered for the many acts of kindness performed during his life among us.

W. A. Tate and wife of Rufus were pleasant callers at the Observer office on Farm Bureau day. Mr. Tate said that the Port of Rufus was only sleeping and that shortly steps would be taken to put this matter to a successful conclusion.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dell Benson on February 21, an 8 1/2 pound daughter. The little stranger has been christened Anita Maple Ben-

son.
Grass Valley Journal:
Noah Hammons left Tuesday morning for Caldwell, Idaho, to look around and pick out a ranch. When he returns he will ship his household goods and some stock. Mr. Knights surprised his daughter, Mrs. Theo. Serrurier, last Saturday when he arrived by train for a short visit. Mr. Knights says if he lives until April he will be 80 years old. He has been spending several weeks in California and on his return visited at Forest Grove, and with his son, Willy, at Eugene.

LEGISLATIVE HIGH-LIGHTS

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legislative point of view. A readjustment of county salary payments has been asked but it is very hard to do and it is likely that a change in county organization will come before there is any very sweeping readjustment of county salaries.

Statehouse Gossip

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gross revenues in taxes. A smaller contribution by the power districts, it is pointed out, will necessitate an increase in the levy against other property in the district.

A bill to change the date of the primary election from the third Friday in May to the first Wednesday in September has the backing of at least 20 senators and is believed to have enough support in the House to insure its passage. Governor Sprague has also endorsed the measure as one designed for the relief of office seekers as well as the voters inasmuch as it will materially shorten the time of political campaigns.

While there does not appear to be any likelihood that the lawmakers will attempt to wipe out the milk control board there is much sentiment for some changes in the milk control act. One measure which has already passed the House would confine the operation of the act to the larger cities of the state. Senators Mahoney and Chaney who are sponsoring a bill to abolish the board have announced that they will carry their fight to the people if the legislature turns it down.

Birthday Dinner Given For Kent Boy

A birthday dinner was given for Luther Warren Davis at his home Tuesday evening, February 22. Those present included Johnnie Thompson and Robert Tatum of Shaniko, Eva Miller, Marian Gittings, Frances Gregg, Nellie Wilson, R. N. McGlasson, Charles Bothwell, J. C. Wilson and Donald von Borstel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davis and son Luther Warren, R. N. McGlasson and Charles Bothwell were guests at an oyster supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sather Friday. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Matthes, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Guyton and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sather attended the Valentine party sponsored by the Rebekahs at Grass Valley Wednesday evening, February 23rd.

The birthday anniversaries of J. H. Wilson and Frank von Borstel Jr. were celebrated Sunday, February 19th, for the 16th consecutive time at the home of the former. Those present included: Mr. and Mrs. Frank von Borstel and sons, Frank Jr., and Jackie; Vivian Fritts, Mrs. J. K. Wilson, Nellie Wilson and R. N. McGlasson.

Plans are being made for three one-act plays to be presented by the Kent grange, March 11th. Play practice will commence this week. Several musical selections are also being planned for intermission numbers.

Callers at the J. L. Davis home Sunday evening included: Mrs. Ida Davis and daughter Pauline of Moro; Mr. and Mrs. Glen King and Mr. and Mrs. Matt Simon of Grass Valley; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilson and daughter Nellie and R. N. McGlasson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Nelson and son George were at Kent Monday morning enroute to Portland being accompanied from here by the latter's mother, Mrs. J. C. Wilson. Mrs. Carl Schadewitz and Mrs. R. P. Barnett motored to Portland Friday for medical treatment.

SAFETY SONNETS

BAD BRAKES IN BUSINESS ARE DANGEROUS, IT IS TRUE.

BAD BRAKES ON A CAR ARE A GRAVE AFFAIR, TOO!

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR SHERMAN COUNTY SUMMONS

Fred Kruusov, Plaintiff, vs. J. Kenneth McKean, Administrator of the estate of J. C. McKean, deceased; J. Kenneth McKean and Velma McKean, husband and wife; Georgia Kinsley and Byron Kinsley, wife and husband; Muriel Jean McKean, a single person; Mark Skinner as Superintendent of Banks of the State of Oregon; Sherman County, a municipal corporation; the unknown heirs of J. C. McKean, deceased, and also all other persons or parties unknown having or claiming to have any right, title, estate, lien or interest in and to the real property as in the complaint described.

Defendants. To the unknown heirs of J. C. McKean, deceased, and also all other persons or parties unknown saving or claiming to have any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in plaintiff's complaint on file in the above entitled cause and as in this summons described, DEFENDANTS:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You, and each of you, are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause within four weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons as hereinafter stated, and if you fail to so answer said complaint or otherwise appear or plead in this cause, plaintiff, for want thereof, will apply to the court for the relief as prayed for in plaintiff's complaint, to-wit: FIRST: For a decree that there is now due and unpaid on the promissory notes and the mortgage set forth and described in plaintiff's complaint, the sum of \$1,275.43, with interest thereon from December 8, 1937, at the rate of eight per cent per annum until paid; the further sum of \$451.51 as taxes paid by the plaintiff assessed against the real property described in said mortgage; the further sum of \$200.00 attorney fee, together with plaintiff's costs and disbursements. SECOND: For a decree foreclosing plaintiff's said mortgage and as recorded in Book "T" of Mortgages of Sherman County, Oregon, at page 415 thereof, and covering the following described real property in Sherman County, Oregon, to-wit: All of Lot Six and the West Half of Lot Seven in Block "C", Barnum's Addition to the City of Moro in Sherman County, Oregon, and decreasing that the said mortgaged premises be sold in the manner prescribed by law and that all interest or claim of interest on the part of each and all of the defendants herein be foreclosed and barred, excepting only the statutory right of redemption and for such other relief as to the court may seem proper.

Service of this summons is made upon you by publication in the Sherman County Journal, a newspaper of general circulation, printed and published weekly at Moro in Sherman County, Oregon, once a week for four consecutive weeks by virtue of an order made in this cause by the Honorable Carl Hendricks, Judge of the above entitled court on the 21st day of February, 1938. The date of the first publication of this summons is February 24, 1938.

C. L. Pepper Postoffice Address: The Dalles, Oregon. ATTORNEY FOR PLAINTIFF.

Too Much Territory "Marry me, Darling, and I'll make you the happiest wife in 48 states."

"Not me. I don't care to live in a trailer."

Eureka Lodge No. 121 A-F & A-M Meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings of each month. Visiting members cordially invited to meet with us.

A. B. Christianson W. M. C. V. Belknap, Secy.

Moro Lodge No. 113, I. O. O. F. Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays in the I. O. O. F. hall. Transient and visiting brothers are cordially invited to meet with us.

Vernon Miller, N. G. Joe Truitt, Secretary.

Bethlehem Chapter, No. 78, O. E. S. Moro, Oregon Meets Every Second and Fourth Thursdays in each Month. Visiting members Invited.

Rose Amidon, W. M. Ruth Sparling, Secretary.

Lupine Rebekah Lodge No. 116 Moro, Oregon Meets 2d & 4th Tuesday of each month. Visiting members welcome.

Rebekah Wilson, N. G. Florence Johnston, Secy.

SUMMONS

Cause No. 2518

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR SHERMAN COUNTY

SHERMAN COUNTY, a Political Subdivision of the State of Oregon Plaintiff, vs.

Otis Alley Estate, Wasco American Legion, Moro American Legion, George P. Amo, Jessie Amos, Emil Andersen, Ida M. Andrews, G. T. and Ida M. Andrews, G. T. Andrews, James C. Ashley, Andrew Barnett Estate, George Baker, Emaline Belashee, John Biggs Estate, Eva Pearl Binder, Mary E. Booth, J. W. Booth Estate, J. H. Bottemiller, J. N. Boyd, S. P. Brisbine Estate, Mrs. C. J. Bright, Mary K. Britton, M. A. Brock Estate, Brugman Timber Company, Mrs. L. A. Bruley, Elva A. Bryant, S. O. Clodfelter, B. F. Cochran Estate, George E. Coesen, Bert S. Cox, George W. Coy, Hattie Craig, George N. Crosfield Estate, Pierre Cutchierre, J. E. Davis, W. K. Deal, C. E. Deal, Juanita De Poe, Nancy J. Dunlap, Flora Dunlap, S. P. Brisbine Estate, Eastern Oregon Trading Company, J. W. Eaton, J. M. Eddy, R. G. Edwards, J. A. Ellis, Gertrude Epperson, Ernest Eslinger, M. Estey, Roy Feeley, Myrtle Walker Fenwick, Harvey J. Ferrell, Nellie Dingle Fields, Nellie Dingle Fields, T. L. Fields, I. E. Fields, Fred R. Fortner, F. E. Fortner, L. R. French, Hattie E. French, The First National Bank of Kelso, Grant Garland, W. A. Gentry, Sadie Gideon Estate, R. J. Ginn Estate, Ma. y Girt, Ira J. Goin, Ray Hansel, C. A. Harper, Heath and Sons, Arthur L. Helliwell, Godfrey Hendricks, Bertha Glenn Heroux, Maggie Higinbotham Estate, Herbert Hill, L. S. Hines, James Hoag, Etta Hoag, Walter E. Holman, Charles and Anna Hull, J. K. Irby, Lucy Isaacs, Emil R. Jaekel, Joe James, John Day Power Company, Elia Jones, John Karlen, Grace L. Kelley, W. A. Kentner Estate, H. Laughter, Mary Leonard Estate, May Lowdon, Emma E. Lucas Estate, H. B. Lusk, Charles McAllister, Charles McAllister, P. W. McDonald Estate, A. W. McFarland, M. McKenzie, Leroy H. Martin, Glenn E. Maurer, Jessica Maurer, Elsie L. Miller, Bertha F. Moon, Moro State Bank, Edgar L. and James A. Muckle, Natatores, Inc., Emmett Olds Estate, L. A. and Ida Olds, Dean Olds, D. C. O'Reilly, Anna Packard, Margaret W. Peetz and W. C. Bryant Estate, Ronald A. Perrault, George S. Pershin Estate, Ruby B. Pettys, Guy W. Pickard, Russell Piersoll, Fred and Genevieve Pickett, Anna Provost, E. P. Rich, Mrs. B. J. Robertson, L. W. Ross, Bertha Sagawe Estate, Andy Sandvig, Andy Sandvig, Emma Sayrs, Louis Schadewitz Estate, Joseph Scheurer, T. E. Sink Estate, Lottie Sirginson Estate, Laura Smith, Mamie E. Spoonmore, Earl D. Stack, Zoe S. Thompson, K. F. Thompson, Alice M. Thorpe, Laura Tomlin Estate, United States Trust Company, Jennie Van Gilder Estate, Jennie Van Gilder Estate, Jennie Van Gilder Estate, H. A. Van Gilder, J. C. Freeman, Virginia A. Mo se, Farmers Elevator and Supply Company, Henry Schadewitz, Thomas Silverthorn, C. H. Van Hutton, B. M. Vanlandingham, Mary E. Wall Estate, C. E. Ward, Wasco Motor Service, E. L. Weld, E. L. Weld, E. L. Weld, H. H. and Cora White, Wesley J. Wilde, Wiley, Hannafin and Walsh, James Woods Estate, Nell J. Woods Estate, and all persons, corporations, known or unknown, claiming any right, title to or interest in any of the real estate hereinafter described, Defendants.

To each of the defendants above named, and each and every person owning or claiming to own or having or claiming to have any interest whatsoever in the hereinafter described real property.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that Sherman County, a duly organized county of the State of Oregon, is the owner and holder of certain certificates of delinquency issued on the 1st day of October, 1938, to said county by its Sheriff and Tax Collector, said certificates, in the aggregate amount of \$18,881.89 and numbered from 1 to 217, include all the real properties appearing on the tax rolls of Sherman County on October 1, 1938, the date of the issuance of said certificates of delinquency, upon which taxes have been delinquent for more than three years from the earliest date of such delinquency and two annual instalments of such delinquent taxes have not been paid in compliance with Chapter 5, Oregon Laws, Special Session, 1935, as amended by Chapter 96, Oregon Laws, 1937, and against which no other valid and subsisting certificate or certificates of delinquency are outstanding. The total amount shown by said certificates of delinquency to be due and owing against each parcel of real property described therein includes all taxes, 1937 and prior years, which were unpaid and delinquent at the date of the issuance of said certificates. Such certificates so issued to said county were filed by the Sheriff and Tax Collector in the office of the County Clerk on the 5th day of December, 1938, and constitute and are a public record open to the inspection of all persons interested therein.

The numbers of each of said certificates of delinquency, the names of the person or persons appearing on the latest tax roll in the hands of the Sheriff and Tax Collector of Sherman County at the date of the first publication of this summons as the owner or owners of said properties, and if unknown, so stated, followed by a description of each of the separate parcels of property, together with the total amount of delinquent taxes for 1937 and all prior years with interest thereon to October 1st, 1938, the date of the issuance of said certificates of delinquency, are as follows:

Table with columns: Certificate number, Name of Owners and Description of Property, Sec. or Lot, Township N or S, Range E. W. M., Total Delinquent Taxes Including Interest to October 1, 1938. Rows include Otis Alley Estate, American Legion, George P. Amo, etc.

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