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THE OLD INDIVIDUALIST

The old individualist came in with a bit of a hobble in his gait and with some stretching of arm adjusted the daily paper to his lengthening reading distance.

After the comparative ease of the headlines he started the body type that told of the announced reluctance of leaders of the English labor party to curtail "social" services in order to obtain further aid from the United States.

The old individualist is not one to complain, nor to feel badly at the good fortune of another so it was some moments before he got around to giving his opinion of the matter.

"Here I am paying taxes, bigger than I should, so the cockneys can have new teeth to eat the food we send 'em. Here I am putting up the dough so a government I don't like can do the things I don't believe in. Here I am stretching my arms to read so an Englishman can read his with new specks."

He stretched out his legs and laid aside the sheet while he lit his well seasoned pipe before he went on, "but it's lucky I am at that, I guess. With the little fellows over there getting things given to them they'll fall apart in a generation. It's better to give than to receive according to the Book; and it's also a site better for you."

NO ECONOMY

The senate has rejected a plan that would have enforced budget cuts of more than two billion dollars. That probably means that there will be no reduction in federal expenditures this year.

It was perhaps hopeful to expect them. In a democracy it is very difficult to obtain any economy. There are so many pressure groups with axes to grind and so many congressmen who are allied with them that economy comes only from an uprising of the people themselves and too few of them become interested at once. Furthermore a good many of the people of late years have profited by the lack of economy.

Perhaps it will go on until it ends because of its own weight, when the people can no longer pay, when even the largely augmented power of the government to create jobs and income reaches its limit. There is a portion of the economists who hold that there is no limit to spending, that by governmental manipulation spending can go on forever.

It is a nice trick if it can be done and a very fatal mistake if it cannot be done. Most practical persons hold to the old theory that there will be an end to it and that the bigger it gets the bigger will be the depression when it comes to an end. The administration, however, prefers to gamble. It has been gambling since it failed to cure the causes of the depression of 1929 which are still with us except for the personal indebtedness of citizens which was erased by the war. Had the government curtailed expenditures after the war, when it would have been possible to cut the debt it might have been able to come into the clear. Now, with the national debt up three billion, there seems to be no cheerful end in sight.

SKELETON IN THE STREET

Up in Dayton, Washington diggers have excavated the skeleton of a person whose existence as a living being does not remain in the memory of any present resident.

Whether the skeleton was that of an Indian who once roamed the grassy hills and whose spirit roused unfortunately to the sound of the war drum or whether he was white man soaked in the juice of fermented corn is not known. He might have been a personage in his tribe or community

the members of which listened soberly to his opinions or some ne'er-do-well whose "Good day" caused ordinary citizens to glance doubtfully at the sky.

Now the peace of his bones has been disturbed and he recks it not. His day on earth long done he is subject for a moment's speculation for those who think they own the earth, who strut proudly and hail their achievements as something progressively new or in keeping with the traditions of old.

His pavement covering was laid in 1922 when the world was something like it is now. It was a short time ago as time goes and most of us can remember it well. If he were Indian the time would have been years before that, but still a short time.

"This a sad commentary that none remembers him and it wounds the ego to consider that one's bones, frail and material things exist longer than the deeds, good or bad, one leaves for remembrance.

FANCY DUDS

It has been some time since Sherman countians brought their bright clothes out of the closet, pulled on their boots and went out to talk about a fair. They did it well once upon a time.

There didn't used to be any particular clothing for fair time a few years back and Sunday clothes took a beating around the barns and the tracks. Now we start off with shirts as bright as a school girls eye and boots and fancy pants until anyone can tell there's a celebration going on even from a distance.

It is only appropriate. If folks feel light and gay inside it is proper to let some of it outside in the form of colorful costumes. The women have been doing it for years and have attracted both comment and admiration to say nothing of whistles.

Fancy shirts in magenta, black, green or the less reticent reds can be obtained for a few bushels of wheat and they decorate the person and make a man look bright and fresh, like putting red, white and blue bunting around the old bandstand.

It removes inhibitions, too. No man can be very stiff and formal in a hand decorated purple shirt. He's got to act like a hall fellow to keep up with his clothes.

So when you meet a man decked out like a flower garden you'll know he's really a live wire who's decided to help the fair along.

From the Observer, Sept. 5, 1930  
Miss Zella Burnet of Moro and William Schilling of Kent were married last week, according to word received from them sent from Eugene the first of the week.

E. A. Tucker, Moro school coach and Miss Berniece Turley were married August 23 at Toppenish and are now at home in the apartment over the Farmers Elevator company offices.

Rev. and Mrs. Earl Cotton and two children spent the week end at the home of her cousin Mrs. W. C. Bryant and family. Rev. Cotton, Methodist minister, is in charge of an Indian parastate located near Klamath Falls.

ABOUT THE COUNTY

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bayer returned home Monday from a trip to Portland, Sheridan, Albany, and McMinnville where they visited relatives.

Mrs. Wallace May left Monday for Hood River to spend a few days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walter.

Among those attending the Pendleton Round-Up were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fields, Estel Hartley, Jim Jones, Joe Harvey, James Hartley, Mr. and Mrs. James Easter and their household, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jones and daughter from North Carolina and Mr. and Mrs. Dick King from Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdine came up Friday from Portland to visit their daughter, Mrs. William Brinkert and family, who took them back to Portland Monday and will visit until Thursday with them.

Mrs. John Rust and Mrs. John Block will be hostesses at a bridal shower for Miss Barbara Duncan at the I.O.O.F. hall Friday afternoon September 9. Everyone is invited.

Mrs. Leo N. Huls (Eliza Morrison) was here from her home in Klamath Falls to look after her farm property in Sherman county.

Mrs. Roy Norene was here this week to visit her long-time friend, Mrs. Edna Melzer. The Norenes live in Portland again now.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. (Chub) Johnson of Aloha are visiting at the home of his son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. J. K. McKean were at the Round-Up Friday returning home that evening.

Mrs. W. D. Barnett Mrs. Olan Stark and son, Terry, and Mrs.

Harold Owens and daughter, Carol Ann, were business visitors in The Dalles Monday.

Among those going to Redmond to the fair Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young, Mr. and Mrs. Max Brown, Bill Barndahagen, Grover Young and Roy Guy.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Blaylock and family motored to Hood River Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Henry Osibob and Mrs. Blaylock's sister, Mrs. L. H. Tallman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Andersen and son, Dennis, left Sunday for Portland on a vacation and to shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Alley have as their guest her cousin Mrs. Betty Gaines and son of Portland who arrived Sunday.

Mrs. Dick Huhman and daughter, Mrs. Boyd Fisher of Sandy were dinner guests Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dell Olds.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brinkert left Thursday for Vancouver, Washington to visit her sister and also to attend the Battle-ground fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Con Buckley of The Dalles were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Simon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gould arrived Friday from Portland to visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Bruce Alley and family.

Saturday the Alleys and the Goulds left for Pendleton to see the Round-Up returning Sunday and the Goulds going to their home in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and son, Larry, and Carl and George Kelly went to The Dalles Sunday to visit the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Gus Smith and to attend the carnival.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kelly and family returned home Saturday from two weeks visit with his father, who is ill in Independence, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Peters and family arrived Saturday from San Francisco, California to visit relatives here. They will stay at the home of her sister, Mrs. Kenneth Crews and family while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Payne and their son in law and daughter,

Paul K. Keller M.D.

EYE, EAR, NOSE & THROAT  
Chapman Building  
The Dalles, Oregon  
HOURS: 9 to 5, closed  
Thursday afternoon  
PHONE 2170

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR SHERMAN COUNTY  
Anna M. Middleton, Plaintiff vs Lawrence E. Middleton, Defendant NO. 2730

SUMMONS

To: Lawrence E. Middleton. IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before four weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail so to appear and answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for a decree of absolute divorce from you and the sole care and custody of the two children of the marriage, the relief prayed for in plaintiff's complaint.

This summons is served upon you by publication thereof for a period of four consecutive weeks in the Sherman County Journal, a newspaper published in Moro, Sherman County, Oregon, commencing with the issue of August 12, 1949, the date of the first publication of this summons, by virtue of an order of the Honorable D. N. Mackay, Judge of the above entitled court, made and entered on the 5th day of August, 1949.

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The Dalles, Oregon  
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Let US Worry  
If your Cattle eat your Neighbor's Crop  
If your Combine pulls down wires  
If your Cow wrecks a Car  
If you have an auto accident  
If your Dog bites someone  
(If you bite the dog—it doesn't count)  
DON'T WORRY Let our Farmers Protective Policy Protect You  
The above losses have occurred in SHERMAN COUNTY — Don't YOU BE CAUGHT UNPREPARED  
or PHONE WASCO 231  
GRIFFITH & MEEKE  
INSURANCE — REALTORS

In Days of Old

From the Observer, Sept. 7, 1900  
W. C. Johnston has purchased Wm. Holder's interest in the cigar store next door to the Observer office. In the future the business will be conducted by L. D. Holder and W. C. Johnston. Miss Nelly Holder opened her school at Rufus last Monday.

Wheat is coming into Moro very rapidly now; Saturday was the farmer's day for the Union warehouse, they received 2600 sacks of wheat during the day.

From the Observer, Sept. 2, 1916  
Win Pike has sold his auto. The Cherry City Grocery keeps him too busy to be an auto boss. Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Tonkins August 28 a son.

Tuesday evening August 30th several of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart met and went to the Stewart home expecting to give them a surprise on the occasion of their tin wedding anniversary. On arrival Mr. Stewart was away on business, but the celebration continued up to a late hour in games and music. A bountiful luncheon added to the pleasures of the evening.

Lapine Rebekah Lodge No. 116 Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month. Visiting members welcome. Sallie Martin, N. G. Clara Houston, Sec.

Bethlehem Chapter No. 78. O.E.S. Meets every second and fourth Thursday in each month; visiting members invited. Moro, Oregon  
Elsie Jones, W. M.  
Edna Melzer, Secretary

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

Leo Watkins, N. G.  
John DeMoss, Secretary

Eureka Lodge No. 121 A.F. & A.M. Meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings each month. Visiting members cordially invited to meet with us.  
L. V. Henrichs, W. M.  
H. B. Pinkerton, Secretary

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Fulkerson and family of The Dalles returned home Saturday from a vacation trip to Klamath Falls on into California to see the Redwoods and up along the Oregon coast to DeLake before returning home. The Fulkerson family left Sunday for their home in The Dalles.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stark and daughter, Lorraine, were business visitors in The Dalles Friday.

SHANIKO  
James Rees and Harry Rees of Portland and Seattle were at the senior Rees home Saturday to get their parents to take them for a vacation trip. They went to Portland to get the James Rees family, then to Seattle and Victoria B. C. to visit relatives at that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Andrews of Fossil have moved to Shaniko to live at the Amanda Fine home. Mr. Andrews is an employe of the state highway department. They have one small girl, Marilyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Nordyce of Prineville were here to visit her father, Dewey Lofton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson were here this week. Mr. Wilson is working on the Criterion section of the highway.

W. D. Hanks is painting the home of Frank Wagner. He has also been building sidewalks in that block.

Miss Margaret Olsen is post-

JOE AMORE

LIGHT & HEAVY TARPS  
Made to Order  
REBUILT ARMY SHOES  
The Dalles 610 E. Second  
Oregon

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Sherman County his Final Account and Report as Administrator of the Estate of W. A. Raymond, deceased, and that Monday, the 12th day of September, 1949, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the courtroom, in the courthouse, in Moro, Sherman County, Oregon, have been fixed by the Court as the time and place for hearing of objections to said Final Account and Report and for the settlement of said estate.

Harry Kunsman  
Administrator  
T. Lester Johnson  
Attorney for Administrator

master while Mrs. Garrett is taking a vacation.  
Make Greta's your headquarters for nylon hose in shades to go with anything.  
GRETA, The Dalles

T. Lester Johnson  
LAWYER  
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