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company. Human nature is the same in federal offices as in private.

The consumers are interested in obtaining their power at the cheapest rate possible with efficient service. Private power is probably the most efficient and the cheapest when properly supervised. Private power is supervised by the state and also by the federal government. State officials regulate it and they can be reached quickly and easily. Their understanding of a situation is equal to the problem involved. Public power is supervised by the federal government. Consumers in the northwest are a long ways from the controls.

It has not been demonstrated that the government can do anything as well or as cheap as private groups can do it. And then public power is so final. There is no way to get out of it, or really control it.

In Days of Old

From the Grass Valley Journal January 28, 1921

Wily Knights has a position in Portland with the Federal Reserve bank.

It was very much like winter Tuesday morning with snow and wind but the temperature was 24 above.

Farmers met in The Dalles to talk about a wheat marketing program.

From the Observer, Jan. 27, 1911

A Rufus hen lays an egg a day except Sunday. We do not know what denomination she belongs to.

John Tonkins sold his store building and hotel on Main street to Arthur Phillips taking land on the John Day in exchange.

Want Ads

FOR SALE: Fine gravel from the pit at DeMoss, you load it. John DeMoss.

THE BEST one man business in this area can be yours without capital investment. If you are over 21 and under 55, have car, and enjoy good credit rating, write J. R. Watkins Co., 137 Dexter Ave., Seattle, Wn. 13-19c

FOR SALE: Two late model John Deere 4-bottom tractor plows, \$300 each, including tractor hitch; One No. 36 John Deere Combine, 20-ft. header, all rubber mounted, stiff tractor tongue, Felberg 150-bu. trailer bulker or regular 65-bu. John Deere bulker. At Irby's ranch at Olex, Ore. Phone 3540 or write 709 W. 10th The Dalles, Ore. 14-13

AVAILABLE: A 4% Federal Land Bank long term loan has all six of the famous features of a safer farm loan. See The Dalles National Farm Loan Association, 308 E. 4th St., The Dalles, Oregon. "Owned by farmers for farmers." 13-19c

RELIABLE man with car wanted to call on farmers in Sherman county. Wonderful opportunity. \$15 to \$20 a day. No experience or capital required. Permanent. Write today. Mc-Ness Company, Dept. B, 2423, Magnolia St., Oakland 7, Cal. 12-13

FOR SALE: Cedar posts, 27c ea. On Evergreen highway at Underwood Store, Pk. 3711, Underwood Merc. Co., Underwood, Wn. 10-21c

HARTS CHIX—Order early for layers and fryers. Dryden White Leghorns, Parmenter Red Rock-Hampshire Cross and New Hampshire. Farm. Red and Leghorn cks. during Feb., March and April. Hatch every WED. year around. Prices and circular available. Harts Hatchery, Beaverton, Oregon. 10-14n

FOR SALE: The City of Moro will sell 100 sheets of 4 x 8 Fir-tex; 42 sheets 4 x 12 Fir-tex; and 10 sheets 4 x 8 half inch plywood.

FOR SALE: N. W. Thompson house in Moro, 6 rooms, full basement, oil furnace, hot water heater, fireplace, tile garage, chicken house, \$4750. Giles French, Moro, Oregon.

CUSTOM SLAUGHTERING — Meat cutting, wrapping, sharp freeze. Bring them in any day but Sunday. C & C Food Store, Grass Valley, Oregon. 21-12c

FOR SALE— Now available for immediate delivery Willys Jeeps and four-wheel drive pick-ups. Complete Willys Overland line of panels, station wagons and Jeeps now sensationally reduced in price. Contact Willis Motor Co., Third and Lincoln Sts., The Dalles, Oregon. 22-12c

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. C. S. Bennett, W. M. H. B. Pinkerton, 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

Bethlehem Chapter No. 78. O.E.S. Meets every second and fourth Thursday in each month; visiting members invited. Moro, Oregon.

Olive Young, W. M. Naomi Van Gilder, Secretary

Lupine Rebekah Lodge No. 116 Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month. Visiting members welcome. Helen Kruger, N. G. Lucille May, Sec.

FOOL... through the ages...



AN EARLY 17th CENTURY REMEDY FOR OVER-FASTING WAS ONE CLEAN SPIDER'S WEB.

THE FAMOUS WASSAIL BOWL OF SPICED ALE WAS NAMED FROM 'WAS HAEI,' AN ANCIENT SAXON TOAST MEANING 'GOOD HEALTH.'

IROQUOIS INDIANS SEASONED THEIR FOOD WITH CORN-COB ASHES, THUS UNCONSCIOUSLY OBTAINING NECESSARY MINERALS.

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People's Column

To the Editor:

Why don't we just offer \$13,500.00 to Prexy A. L. Strand of OSC to come and administer our high schooling courses? He would only have to ride herd on eleven teachers and two or three coaches now corralling our 115 secondary school pupils.

No, that's no pipe dream! That's just what our present three high principals are costing us and between 2 and 3 months vacation paid.

Just a minute now, before you do the same if you were in their respective places, and they are in all likelihood trying to do a job considering what they have to work with! Besides, if you want to look further under the rug, this little pile of dirt won't offend you, particularly. Later on I will be glad to roll up more of the rug for you. You could do it if you weren't so busy paying your taxes and collecting PMA payment for the purpose. I find that Wily has a myriad of these disturbing figures right at his finger tips and in apple pie order. By the way, this office is

just across the hall from the one each wheat grower has been educated to visit regularly in our court house.

For the present let us dwell a moment on what this \$13,500.00 would buy if it went for instruction: It would hire a Smith-Hughes instructor, trained and experienced in agriculture and in keeping our farm boys' interest centered on operation and managerial opportunities at home. It would equip him with

1. A complete reference library
2. Simple physics laboratory (for soils studies, seed testing, specimen and variety demonstrations in wheats, weeds, grasses, etc.)
3. It would also equip him with a very diverse farm shop where the boys could forge simple tools, repair farm machinery and project equipment and in so doing learn tool care and uses, welding, electrical physics,



REWARD FOR SPEED... The Harwood trophy and a kiss from Ruth Bride were rewards to George Sarrant, Freeport, L.I., for winning Harwood motorboat race on Hudson river in New York recently.

and wiring, farm building construction, engine and tractor principles and care also of many kinds of new machinery.

4. It would, through animal and grass feed projects, induce interest and financial responsibility and business management through a monthly study of project records.

5. It would teach the meaning of animal nutrition and management and keep him up on new discoveries in this through bulletin and periodical study.

Why would this be important? It would be a natural grouping for on-the-job instruction. (This is a must if you get anything over to motor-active boys.) It would stimulate interest in new crops needed in this county. It would make quite a section of our boys conscious of their own ability to work out their own futures. An off-the-seat social study free and independent of patronage for security.

*These three principals have elementary grades too—but any good elementary teacher will administer also for \$300 additional.

P. S. The cost of all standard Smith-Hughes instruction is paid for by 50-50 matching of State and Federal funds with local school funds. No standard department could be established with more than one high school in this county.

KENT NEWS
Mr. and Mrs. Jay McKay and family were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cox of Grass Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barnett and Mr. and Mrs. George Barnett and granddaughter, Johnetta, all of The Dalles were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jeffries.

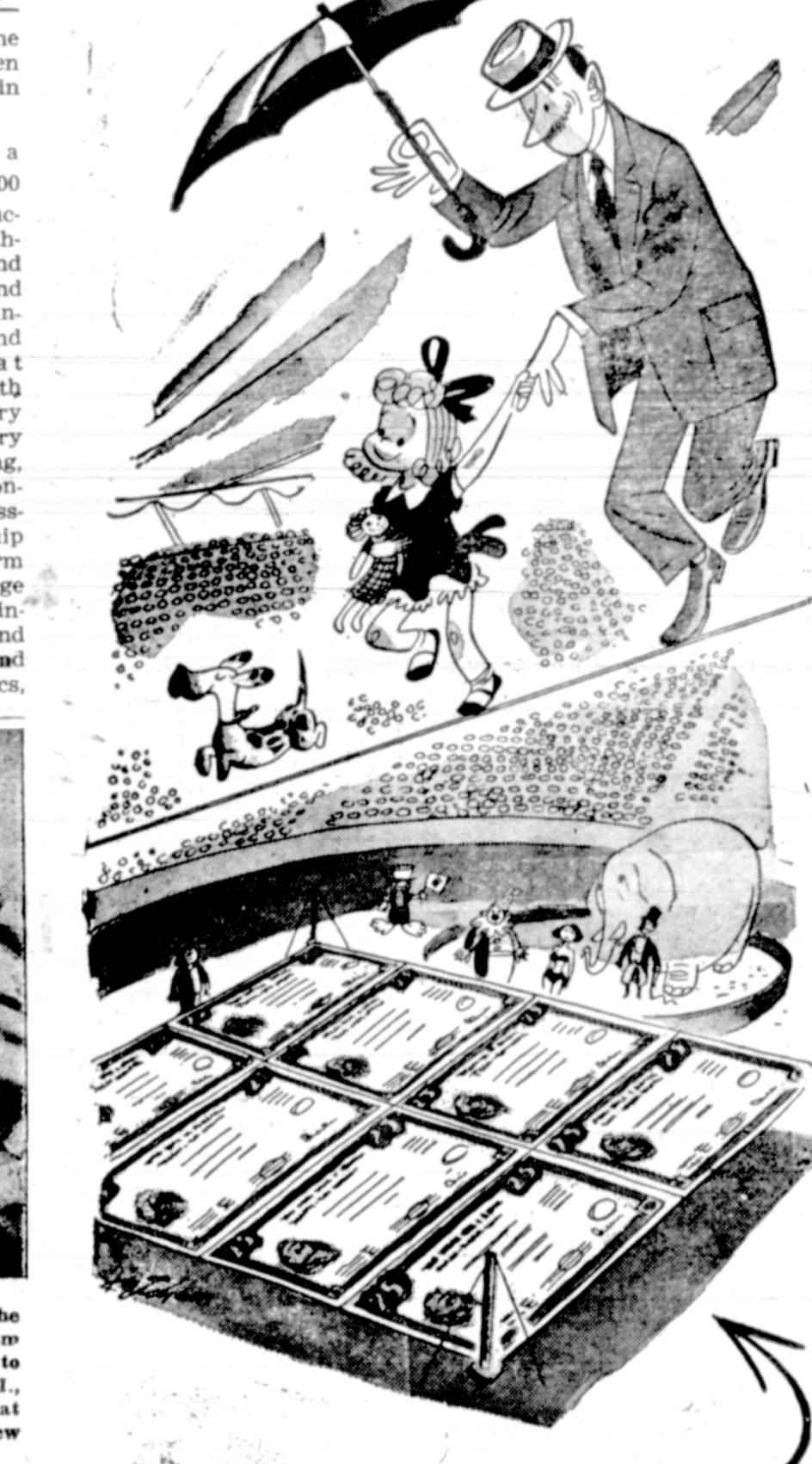
Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wilson and family were dinner guests Saturday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Noel Smith of The Dalles.

T. Lester Johnson
LAWYER
WASCO MORO

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All persons having claims against the estate of Walter A. Medler, deceased, are hereby notified to present them, in proper form, to the undersigned, the duly appointed, qualified and acting Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of the above named deceased, at the office of Geo. G. Updegraff, Moro, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice, to wit: January 13, 1950.

Fay Helmick Medler
Geo. G. Updegraff
Attorney for Executrix 11-14



Custom Curing
Let us do yours
Lawrence Tidyman
At Marshalls, The Dalles

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh
Give Us Back Our Sidewalks, Slim!

I wrote that over an article in the Clarion last week, but I didn't like doing it. After all, the man it was aimed at—Slim Henderson—is a good friend of mine.

Slim came into quite a windfall last month, and bought the old Clarke place. The deed gave him title to all the land—right down to the street. Then Slim started to take up the sidewalk to make his lawn look better.

I felt it wasn't fair to the town and said so in my article. Next morning Slim comes around and wants to know what I mean—get-

ting folks riled against him. I felt ornery myself, and we had quite a set-over the whole business.

From where I sit, that was foolish. Once we'd cooled off (over lunch and a bottle of beer at Andy's Tavern), Slim decided the sidewalk should stay—for the common good and I promised next time I'd take a good look at the other fellow's point of view before writing any articles about him!

How about this "Net" for you and the family?

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