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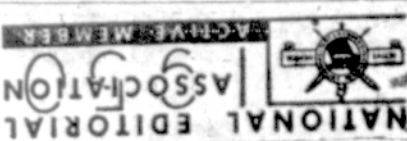
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PATRIOTISM

It has been some time since there has been general praise of the emotion of patriotism. Maybe it is old fashioned, too.

What we are hearing is praise for those noble souls who proclaim themselves internationalists, who spend their time planning to do something for foreign nations, who generously give away the dollars of Americans for what is hoped will be aid to other nations. For a man to announce himself as an American who believes in American principles of freedom and independence is to admit adherence to an old and apparently discredited political age.

An isolationist was a patriot. He thought of his own nation first.

After World War I there was a similar wave of internationalism. During its ascendancy we "loaned" money to Europe and dabbled in European affairs to the detriment of that continent as well as our own.

There is plenty of evidence that we are fooling no one but ourselves. Europe takes our funds and supplies and pays attention to our advice, wisely, no doubt. We have been trying to obtain freer trade between the nations we are aiding and have had absolutely no success. Governments of those nations are not willing to lose industries in order to aid those of some other nation which may be able to produce more cheaply.

We are engaged in an endeavor to enlist western Europeans in a combination that will take the first shock of a possible war with Russia and wonder why they do not agree with more spirit. Perhaps those nations should be anxious to take our arms and train as soldiers in exchange for our promised support in case of such a war. But so far they are not completely convinced.

Some day it will occur to us that we should stay at home and mind our own business. This in spite of the fact that the airplane has made the world small like an orange. Every nation has the same facilities for speed and proportionately none has an advantage any more than in the days of surface ships.

Well, it is about time the internationalists came to the end of their rope. Every post-war period must be given over to them and their ideas about substituting world patriotism for national patriotism. There may be a time when that is possible but it is not now.

SECRETARY ACHESON

The political wolves are after Secretary of State Dean Acheson and will probably make it impossible for him to remain long in the cabinet. It being a political year. Whether he remains or not is not so important as are the reasons back of the criticism of the department.

It seems probable that Acheson is the most able secretary the state department has had since Henry L. Stimson back in the twenties. He has a background for the position which should make him serve satisfactorily. The suspicion arises, however, that an administration motivated almost solely by partisan politics—and on the ward level—will not be able to have a strong state department.

We let communists into the state department years ago when to be "liberal" was the only requirement for favor. They have undoubtedly used their position and recent trials are proof of that. Good men do not easily enter such a department and the lack of them is apparent. Neither are good men inclined to enter a position where advancement is based upon abilities other than statesmanship.

The accusations now being made against the state department may not be true, but there must be some small fire where there is so much smoke. The lack of frankness on the part of the administration causes doubts perhaps greater than the facts warrant but there seems no in-

tention to stop these doubts with a clean breast of the facts.

A state department that has made so many mistakes as ours cannot expect to have the implicit confidence of a people. It looked carelessly eastward while China was being lost and the net result of our European ventures is open to much question. Our boasts of stopping Communism in western Europe may not be long lived for the forces of Stalin are getting stronger in Czechoslovakia, Hungary, and probably Germany.

The bi-partisan foreign policy was used for a time to keep information from the people. Now that it has broken down the people learn less than ever. They are given excuses after some fabulous plan has gone awry.

It may, however, be doubted if all this is entirely the fault of Dean Acheson. The lack of able men in the administration must reach to the state department where we need ability, public confidence, frankness and strength more than in any other place.

THE NEWER SLAVERY

History is replete with the complaints of slaves, men who had lost their freedom through war, crime or because of the accident of birth. They could not come nor go at their own desire and some, not exactly slaves, were bound to the soil and could not leave it.

Many of these slaves were well treated, were given an education when young and were kept in service when aged. They were fed and clothed in suitable fashion and good slaves were often respected.

In time there was a revulsion against slavery and men of spirit became free and also freed many who didn't care much about their status.

Apparently there are fewer men of spirit these days because the tendency is toward kind of slavery again. Working men who are getting the promise of pensions from big industry will have to remain on the job steadily to be eligible. Working men seem willing to trade 30 years of work for promised security in age, thus abandoning their own responsibility toward themselves in exchange for the promise of another's bread. History proves that a pension 20 years in the future looks much brighter than the realization for the value of the dollar, the measurement of of the pension, constantly decreases.

Men seem willing to put their future into the hands of the state, to be told when they can come and go, what they can sow and sell. They thus become slaves in spirit if not in the flesh. They are not of the kind of men who faced the future with confidence in their own abilities and courage to meet the next day. It is not surprising when it is considered that until recent times there have always been slaves among men. It must be in the blood of many to prefer easy bread to hard freedom. Courageous men should not be discouraged. There is a place for the bold and free.

FEEL BETTER

We were wondering what became of the vitamin craze.

It wasn't long ago that every kitchen window sill was filled with bottles of vitamins from A to Q with directions about taking. That son seemed to be taking 'pa's didn't stop anyone.

Now it may be cold cures that are filling the ledges around the kitchen and the stomachs of believing people. They may not be so harmless as vitamins.

Ground eye of toad, bitter lees of wine, chicken gizzard, sundry ill-smelling and ill-tasting mixtures have been used by man to relieve the symptoms of illness or drive away evil spirits. Witch doctors of ancient times have their prototypes today. It was only a few years ago we chanted "Every day I'm getting better and better" and there is a modern Happy club.

The human animal is a peculiar bit of life, cured by a suggestion and killed by an evil eye, lost by discouragement and made well by faith in a single pill.

Stockman Aids Power

To overcome the power shortage in the central and southern parts of Eastern Oregon, Congressman Lowell Stockman of the second district of Oregon has been successful in having the Bonneville Southwest Oregon Loop Service included in the appropriations bill which has been reported out of the House Appropriations committee, of which he is a member.

Representative Stockman stated from Washington today that getting the \$2,000,000 project approved by this committee and into the omnibus appropriations bill was the first necessary step and that he will also "support this item on the floor of the House."

ABOUT THE COUNTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Newcomb were business visitors in The Dalles Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Crews and daughters went to Kent Thursday evening where Mr. Crews attended a Legion meeting and Mrs. Crews and daughters visited Mrs. Ted von Borstel. Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Blaylock and family went to The Dalles Sunday to spend the day at the home of his sister, Mrs. Earl Sawtell and family.

Mrs. Olan Stark and son, Terry, returned home from The Dalles Saturday after spending a week there.

Mrs. W. D. Barnett and Mrs. Harold Owens and children were in The Dalles Thursday and visited Mrs. Olan Stark and son, Terry, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Matthes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brinkert, Mrs. John Rust and daughters, Geraldine and Phyllis, and Erma Wallace of Wasco were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Dugger. Erma Wallace of Wasco spent the week end with Geraldine and Phyllis Rust.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bayer and children, Julia and Byron, went to The Dalles Monday to the Granada Theater where Mrs. Borg's dance pupils presented the "Cowboy Revue" at the intermission. Mrs. Bayer's nephew Gary Wayne Brittain of Tygh Valley was one of the pupils.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fields had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Trace Fields of Rufus, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fields and family and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fields and daughter of Wasco, and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Fields and daughter, Susan.

Mrs. H. C. Morse of Vancouver, Washington and Mrs. Jack Morse of Hood River visited Mrs. J. S. Newcomb Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Tate's sister of Reedsport has been visiting here the past week.

Bring some weiners and come to the Joe Morris orchard's Friday night at 7 p. m. March 31. The weiner roast is sponsored by the Young People's society of the Rufus church and everyone is welcome.

The annual meeting of the Rufus church will be held Monday night April 2. The purpose of this meeting is to elect all the officers of the church and most of the officers of the Sunday school new for the coming assembly year. Every member is entitled to a vote and is urged to come.

The Rufus Missionary society met at the home of Mrs. John Mathieson last Thursday to have an all-day meeting and make up meetings they had missed due to the bad road. The February meeting was held in the morning then pot luck dinner served. In the afternoon the March meeting was held and roll call answered with a picture of a flower or something pertaining to a garden.

Thursday evening Dr. Seaman, a returned medical doctor from Africa held a service at the Rufus church. He was a special doctor at the Fitkin Memorial Nazarene hospital in Africa and told of many interesting experiences of his among the natives. Dr. Seaman showed some colored pictures of the country and several pictures of the wild life in Africa.

Thursday agroup of men gathered at the new church and worked putting on the brick siding. They also helped dis-

George G. Updegraff Attorney at law

MORO Monday, Wednesday, Friday Afternoons

THE DALLES

211 East Third Street Telephone 3209

Lupine Robekah Lodge No. 118 Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month. Visiting members welcome. Helen Kruger, N. G. Lucille May, Sec.

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 L.O.O.F. Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays in L.O.O.F. hall. Transient and visiting brothers are cordially invited to meet with us.

Marvin Howell, N. G. Leo Watkins, 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

pose of the pot luck dinner given by the Missionary women at the Mathieson home.

Saturday April 8 in the afternoon there will be an Easter egg hunt at the church grounds in Rufus. All the children and young people that want to come are welcome. An Easter program will be given during Sunday school hour Easter Sunday.

A driver may win on a thousand chances taken—but he can lose only once.

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NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING Notice is hereby given Guy C. Andrews, Administrator of the Estate of Antone B. Sandvick, deceased, has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Sherman County, his final

Account and the Court has set the 25th day of April, 1950, in the office of the County Clerk in the County Court house at Moro, Oregon at 10:00 o'clock a. m. as the time and place for the settlement of said accounting and for hearing objections to the same, if any.

GUY C. ANDREWS Administrator

J. Tracy Barton The Dalles, Oregon Attorney for the Estate 20-23c

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF WASCO IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN KARLEN, DECEASED.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION'S SALE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, as the Administrator of the Estate of John Karlen, deceased, under and by virtue of an order of the above entitled Court, made and entered on the 23rd day of March, 1950, in the matter of the Estate of John Karlen, deceased, will sell at private sale, in one or several parcels, to the highest bidder, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned, and subject to confirmation of the above entitled Court, on and after 10:00 A. M. on the 2nd day of May, 1950, at the office of T. Lester Johnson, attorney at law, in Wasco, Oregon, the following described real property situated in the County of Sherman, State of Oregon, to-wit:

(1) Northwesterly one-half (1/2) of Lots Nine (9) and Ten (10) in Block Five (5) of original Town, now City, of Moro, Oregon.

(2) Lots Ten (10), Eleven (11), and Twelve (12) in Block

Thirteen (13) of Clements Addition to the City of Grass Valley, Oregon.

(3) An undivided one-half interest in Lots (10) and Eleven (11) in Block Six (6) of original Town, now City, of Grass Valley, Oregon.

(4) Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of Section One (1) in Township Five (5) South, Range Sixteen (16) East of Willamette Meridian.

The terms of said sale will be: Cash, lawful money of the United States, ten percent (10%) of the purchase money to be paid at time of sale, balance on confirmation of sale by the Court. All bids or offers must be in writing, and may be left at the office of T. Lester Johnson, attorney or said administrator, at Wasco, Oregon, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before making of the sale.

Dated this 31st day of March, 1950.

Emanuel Karlen Administrator

THE OREGON pioneers who blazed the trails now have descendants who burn up the roads.

At the present rate of deaths and injuries, one out of every two Americans alive today either has been or will be injured in a traffic accident during his or her lifetime—or will die as a result of such an accident.

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DANCE Harlandview Grange Ben Hockman's Ork April 1st

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh "Curfew Shall Not Ring Tonight" Our ten o'clock curfew lasted for 50 years, but the town council voted it out. I dropped in at the meeting in Town Hall last week just in time to hear Smiley Roberts. "The curfew is old-fashioned," says Smiley. "We ought to be grown-up enough by now to behave like grownups. Seeing to it that our kids get to bed is the responsibility of each family." Then Judge Cunningham adds, "Most of us are in bed when the curfew horn blows anyway. It wakes me up just when I'm getting to sleep!" What the Judge said was good

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