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PROBLEMS OF LEADERSHIP

From now until the 1960 election is settled we will have an opportunity to witness many kinds of leadership or attempts at it. There is no good textbook on the subject and everyone plays the game according to his own lights. One example is the congressman who sends out questionnaires to his mailing list which includes, probably, the names of those who have written him letters or pledged support. The congressman can then follow the opinions of the majority, and in theory, be re-elected. That is not leadership; it is the most abject following.

Over in Russia a national officer doesn't need leadership ability because he has so much power that no one in his right mind will oppose the dictator. The boss, over there, is so powerful that he does not get the opinions of those who may disagree with his decisions. From this comes extreme narrowness which is just the opposite to that in this country where anyone in office gets a multitude of opinions. If he is a politician he follows the majority; if he is a statesman he determines his concept of the proper course and follows that.

All governments must be granted power. Democracies and republics grant the least power and therefore require the highest degree of leadership. Leadership doesn't require much power. Any fool can play the lead role if given enough power.

A peculiar example is the case of Richard Neuberger who is trying to force a national park onto the citizens of western Lane county. A leader would have made the park available and then obtained it if desired. But the senator is so strong a believer in big government that he feels responsible for the welfare, the amusement and the housing of the people. Any they'll take it else. He could be a beneficent dictator until he ran out of money.

In any crew of men or any party of men, however brought together, there is a leader. He need not be chosen; he earns his power by use of better judgment, more effective psychology and more information. His ability gives him power and that is vastly different than the sort of leadership that comes from inherited or elected power.

Any popular government is based on the hope that leaders will arise who can manage the country with a minimum of power for popular governments were established by people who were afraid of power and generally had reason to be afraid.

COMMUNITY HALL

A proposal has been made—and we think it comes from the fertile brain of Major B. H. Roberson—that the Moro community build a hall for public meetings, that it be equipped with a kitchen, adequate heating and meeting room or rooms. He would like to have Chris Schultz Post, American Legion put its money into such a project and has talked to the Woman's club about it.

The Legion will have the larger part of \$1500 which it will receive from sale of its building for a post office site; the Woman's club has about \$1000. We do not share Mr. Roberson's optimism about the cost of such a building and believe that even with donated labor the cost would be well over \$10,000.

But we think the idea is excellent. No community needs a hall more than does this one. And it should be big enough to serve the needs of all organizations. The Sherman County club needs a place to meet but has no money; the Historical society has been planning a museum for years and has no money; the Granges could occasionally use a central meeting place; there is need for a free location for the library.

Those who have money, more than they can take with them, may be interested in leaving some to perpetuate their name in a useful building. If donated to a library or a museum it would be tax free. The plain fact is that there is an opportunity for this community to make an improvement in its conveniences. It can be done if the community wants it badly enough to try.

4-H PROGRAMS

The problem of 4-H clubs is in the same category as home and mother as far as any word of criticism is concerned. One might as well be in favor of sin as to utter a word about them. We do not think this is good for 4-H and while we have nothing of serious nature to say on the subject we think some opinions could be helpful if publicly expressed instead of privately imparted.

Monday we attended the dinner given by the Pacific Power & Light company for the purpose of giving honor to 4-H leaders and many received pins for their labors. About a third of the leaders attended which, to us, indicates some dissatisfaction. The leaders are very fine people who give their time and energy in an effort to teach children under the program as set up by the extension service.

It has long seemed to us that the 4-H program is too inflexible. The college has a set of rules that give too little opportunity for the use of ingenuity of the leaders. The college and extension service is too paternal and too insistent on having everything done according to the rules which no one else finds so perfect as to be sacrosanct. We know of no reason why such a program should be rigid.

Also it is our belief that this year is a good example of a county fair that was nearly exclusively a 4-H fair. We do not think that will work. Certainly 4-H participation aids our county fair, in fact, the kids bring most of the exhibits, but adult participation is necessary to broaden the interest. The 4-H affairs move slowly, here and elsewhere, leaving plenty of room for other activities.

We have great faith in youngsters. From the age of ten on they can do almost anything they can ever do, awkwardly perhaps, slowly certainly. To teach them the habits of adults and thus restrict their tendency for experimentation does not contribute to proper education.

The state leaders could well permit some flexibility in the program to prevent it from becoming too bureaucratic. It is not enough that every one praises 4-H; it would do better if it were controversial.

Rufus Personal

By Mrs. Geo. L. Fox

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jordan drove to Portland Sunday where they were dinner guests of Mrs. Jordan's sister and brother in law Mr. and Mrs. Trueman Smith. It was a beautiful day for a drive, and the trees with their fall dress make it a pretty picture to see along the highway. The Columbia river seems so pretty when it is calm.

Mrs. Harland McDonald announces that the cake baking contest at Pomona Grange was auctioned off that day and the proceeds were to go to the Spence Memorial fund. This fund is a scholarship fund for college students.

The Rufus PTA social club met Monday evening October 6 at the Rufus school cafeteria. Mrs. Joe Morris is this year's chairman and secretary combined. Mrs. Morris

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACTS OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912, AND MARCH 3, 1932.

Of Sherman County Journal, published weekly at Moro, Oregon for October 1959 State of Oregon, County of Sherman, ss. I, That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are: Publisher, Giles L. French, Moro, Oregon, Editor, Giles L. French, Moro, Oregon, Managing Editor, Giles L. French, Moro, Oregon, Business Manager Lela B. French, Moro, Oregon.

2. That the owner is: (If owned by a corporation, its name and address must be stated and also immediately thereunder the names and addresses of stockholders owning one per cent or more of total amount of stock. If not owned by a corporation, the names and addresses of the individual owners must be given. If owned by a firm, company or other unincorporated concern, its name and address, as well as those of each individual member, must be given.) Giles L. and Lela B. French, Moro, Oregon.

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5. That the average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed, through the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the twelve months preceding the date shown above is \$20.

GILES L. FRENCH
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24th day of September, 1958.
T. L. Johnson
notary public seal my commission
Expires July 11, 1960.

read the minutes of the last year's chairman, Mrs. Kenneth Spagle. The group voted to have a Halloween party at Rufus school Friday, October 30. Doughnuts, cider and coffee will be served. Mrs. Jack Beers will be chairman with Mrs. Sammy Tsubota, Mrs. Otto Peterson and Miss Lyla Hayes on the refreshment committee. Getting a movie and seeing about games and prizes will be Jack Lloyd, chairman, Mrs. Bob Byrd, Mrs. Loren Miller, Mrs. Morris Burnett and Mrs. Leland Medler. The cleanup committee will be Sammy Tsubota, Morris Burnett and Leland Medler. It was reported the first cub scout meeting will be Tuesday October 13 at the home of Otto Peterson. All boys between the ages of 8 to 11 years are eligible. Jack Lloyd, principal, announced that the next time the photographers came to take pictures at Rufus school, the preschool children are welcome to come in to have their pictures taken also. Dues which are \$1.00 per person are payable at this time. Mrs. Joe Morris asked each one to fill in a sheet as to which month they could serve as hostess. After the meeting some played volleyball, cards and just visited. Afterwards the hostesses, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Macnab and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Burnett served maple bars, doughnuts and coffee to all.

Mrs. Walter Morris has been under the weather from a fall suffered while she was out fishing. She was in bed for a couple of days, but is up now. Another Rufus person suffering a fall was George Blackburne while picking apples at Hood River. He is in a hospital in The Dalles.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weatherford and four children of Olex were dinner guests Sunday at the home of her parents the Geo. Fox's. In the afternoon they went to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fox on the John Day river. Jim Fox is an uncle of Mrs. Weatherford's.

The former John Day Cafe has a new sign and cocktail bar, and is now called "Scotty's" as the new owner is Charles "Scotty" O'Hara. The cafe also got a new coat of paint and birch cabinets all along one side and end giving the place a new clean appearance.

The Frontier Cafe has a new sign also which can be seen for some distance on account of its large size. The front has a new appearance and it was opened up the first of this month under new management.

The Sewing Suzies under leadership of Mrs. Myrtle Smith met Sept. 28 at 3:30 at the Grass Valley school lunch room.

It was our first meeting. Election of officers turned out as follows: Florene Crews, president; Carol Owens, vice-president; Katherine Reckman, secretary; Joy von Borstel, reporter.

In the future we hope to get our patterns and material. We looked at patterns.

The next meeting will be at 3:30 October 12.

Joy von Borstel, reporter

The Golden Thread sewing club under leadership of Mrs. Harry Stark met October 6 at 3:30 p. m. in the Grass Valley library.

We received our new flags and gavel with our club name on it. Nancy will bring refreshments for next meeting. Randy brought cookies and pop. We measured each other for blouse, apron and skirt. We practised sewing on the sewing machine.

Melva Alberty, reporter

WANT ADS

FOR SALE: Heavy hens, 50 cents each. Bill Buether, Grass Valley. FOR SEWING, Altering or but-

Bethlehem Chapter No. 78 O.E.S. Meets every second Thurs day each month. Visiting members invited. Moro, Ore. Imogene Hailey, W. M. Dorothy Heater, Secretary

Taylor LODGE A. F. & A. M. Wasco, Oregon Meets each First and Third Tuesdays Doug Shull, W. M. Carl Tuggle, Secretary

Lupine Rebekah Lodge No. 114 Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month. Visiting members welcome. Mary Brackett, N. G. Helen Martin, Secretary

HARLANDVIEW GRANGE Meets First and Third Mondays each month at 8:00 p. m. Helen Bruckert, Master Florence Bruckert, Secretary

Eureka Lodge No. 121 A.F. & A. M. Meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays evenings each month. Visiting members cordially invited to meet with us. Clarence Higley, W. M. Clyde Gillmor, 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. Floyd Haines, N. C. Leo Watkins, Secretary

tonhole making. Call JO5-3223. 49-52p

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Custom Slaughtering by appointment only. Meat cutting, wrapping, sharp freeze. Kenny's Market, Grass Valley, Oregon. Call ED 3-2345 for appointment.

FOR SALE: Washed sand and gravel at mouth of John Day River. Also road gravel. Columbia Rock Products, Box 688, Rufus, Ore. Ph. Rufus 17. 27tn

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom house in Grass Valley on 2 big lots, \$3,000. Mrs. Marie Oltmanns, Box 811, Goldendale, Wn. 46-9c

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All persons having claims against the Estate of Geraldine Doheny, deceased, are required to present them with vouchers to the undersigned at her residence in Sherman County, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. The date of the first publication of this notice is September 18, 1959.

HOWARD DENT, JR., Plaintiff,

vs. MILDRED SMITH, Defendant,

SUMMONS

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON you are hereby required to appear and answer the Complaint filed again-

st you in the above entitled cause on or before four weeks from the date of the first publication of this Summons, and if you fail to answer for want thereof, the Plaintiff will take judgment against you as follows:

For the sum of \$64.92 plus costs and disbursements incurred herein, said judgment being limited, however, to being satisfied from the proceeds of the sale of the property attached in this action.

This Summons is served upon you pursuant to an Order Directing Service of Summons, dated the 14th day of September, 1959, and signed by the Honorable E. H. Howell, Circuit Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Sherman. Said Summons to be published four consecutive and successive weeks and requiring you to appear and answer within four weeks from the date of the first publication of this Summons. The date of the first publication of this Summons is the 25th day of September, 1959.

BURDA, HALSTEAD & CUSHMAN, Attorneys at Law, 106 E. 4th Street, The Dalles, Oregon

September 25, October 2, 9 and 16, 1959. 47-50c

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

BONNIE F. MAY, Plaintiff,

vs. CLAUDE L. MAY, Defendant.

NO. 18826

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an execution, judgment order, decree and order of sale issued out of the above entitled Court in the above entitled cause, to me directed and dated the 24th day of September, 1959, upon a judgment rendered and entered in said Court on the 23rd day of July, 1956, the 7th day of November, 1957, the 17th day of November, 1958, and the 13th day of February, 1959, in favor of Bonnie F. May, Plaintiff and against Claude L. May for the sum of \$75.00 per month each, or a total of 150.00 per month as and for the support of the minor children of said parties until further order of this Court; said payments to be made through the clerk of the Court, semi-monthly on the 1st and 15th day of each month; the first such payment to be made on or before July 15, 1956, or the date of this Decree, whichever is later; and the further sum of \$50.00 per month as support money for Plaintiff for a period of two (2) years from the date of this decree, said payments to commence on the 1st day of August, 1956, and continue to and including the 1st day of July, 1958, and said payments to be made through the Clerk of this Court; and the further sum of \$250.00 attorney's fees, and the further sum of \$50.00 attorney's fees, and the further sum of \$50.00 attorney's fees, and the further sum of \$68.68 costs, and the further sum of \$4.75 costs, and for the further sum of \$4.75 costs and disbursements and the costs of and upon this writ commanding me to make sale of the following described real property situated in the County of Sherman, State of Oregon, to-wit:

Lot 1 and 10, Block 16, ORIGINAL TOWN, now City, of Moro, Sherman County, Oregon.

Order determining amount due on Decree and Judgment filed September 17, 1959, reads as follows: "that there is presently due, owing and unpaid on said decree and judgment, the principal sum of \$3,070.00 together with interest thereon to the 1st day of September, 1959, in the sum of \$181.20, with interest on said principal balance at the rate of 6% per annum from September 1, 1959, until paid, and the further sum of \$150.00 attorney's fees and \$9.50 court costs;"

Now, Therefore, by virtue of said execution, judgment order, decree and order of sale and in compliance with the commands of said writ, I will, on Wednesday, the 4th day of November, 1959, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. at the front door of the County Court House in Moro, Sherman County, Oregon, sell at public auction (subject to redemption), to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which the within named Defendant and each and all of them in the above entitled suit had on the 17th day of July, 1957, the date of the filing of the transcript of judgment herein, or since that date had in and to the above described property or any part thereof, to satisfy said execution, judgment order and decree, interest, costs and accruing costs.

Dated October 2, 1959.

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GEORGE J. GIESER, JR. Sheriff of Sherman County, Oregon. 48-51c

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Tiny Gets His "Licks"

Our Editor, Chief, Tiny Fields, started a "4-day-walk" drive for the "Moro" day. It ended the same day.

Tiny's idea was basically good. He got a few dozen green lollipops and stood on the corner, across the street from the grade school. As the kids came out and crossed the street with the green light, he'd give each a green lollipop.

Trouble was, when the kids spotted the candy, they made a beeline for Tiny, ignoring the light... running helter-skelter across the street. Tiny quickly

had to abandon his project. From where I sit, we can all profit from Tiny's experience: "Think through" your good intentions before you "follow through" with them. But don't let that stop you from giving really good intentions, like tolerance, the "green light." Respect all the rights of a neighbor... even his right to enjoy his favorite beverage. Whether a man chooses beer or milk—it's his choice to make, and our job to respect it.

Joe Marsh

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