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VETERANS

Veterans will meet here Sunday, veterans of World War I which was a crusade to end all wars and make the world safe for democracy. It didn't. But there was spiritual value in thinking it would. Few crusades have been successful but every one of them has lifted the participants to a new and higher level of citizenship.

These veterans now have an average age of 66 or 67 and there is not many of them left. They do not move with alacrity nor do they embrace new ideas with the fervor of the young and inexperienced. But, they do have the spirit to get together once a year and to preserve the organization they formed after the conflict was over.

These will be the men who went to war from Sherman County and who perhaps found more new experiences to change them than most of those in the American army of 1917. Nearly every one was of rural origin and unused to crowds and cities. They were accustomed to making their own decisions which no army permits. They first learned obedience.

So now they meet to reminisce as old soldiers have done since civilization progressed far enough to create soldiers. They filled their place and while the world is no more safe than it was it is the fault of politicians not soldiers. These men did the job asked of them; that is what soldiers are for.

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT

Alvin C. Eurich, vice-president of the Fund for the Advancement of Education, writes in the Saturday Review to plead for state committees for Education Development. He says that while everyone talks about education and how to improve it no one or no group is actually charged with the job. He talks about several failures of our school system to provide the education needed.

He attacks the teacher-pupil ratio theory that gives each teacher 30 elementary pupils or 25 high school pupils regardless of the quality of either the teacher or the pupils. Better teaching methods and better teachers would make it possible to have larger classes, he says. That is only one of the inflexible habits of our school system that handicap education.

Another is the theory that it is possible to judge education by the number of years spent going to school. One of our best respected bits of snobbery is the college degree which is little better way to determine ability than color of hair. Going to college does have advantages: it raises the social standing and keeps the college man from being lonesome on football Saturdays. It is not in these days assurance that the owner of a degree has knowledge of the literature, the philosophy or the science of civilizations past or present.

The theory is especially weak in its effect on selection of teachers who are trained through years and years in methods, largely obsolete. It does seem that teachers should be possessed of a great curiousity that they could impart to pupils. This we have failed to note.

Mr. Eurich notes that some school systems have started to give as much time to smart pupils as to retarded ones and praises this change.

He also decries the scattering of courses by which he means the inclusion of a lot of courses that belong in the home, the church or the youth clubs. If schooling was limited to educational courses a better job could be done. Every school these days has its curriculum half filled with merely mechanical training courses or other things (athletics) to take up the time and divert attention from education or training of the mind.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Bull and son were here Saturday to pack up the personal belongings of his father, M. A. Bull who is in a rest home in Portland.

SOCIAL SECURITY

Any comparison between social security and insurance can only result in greater interest in insurance. Any standard company will write a better policy than the government, will stay by their contract and not change it every year, will be specific about details instead of vague, will pay the full amount of the policy at any time after it is taken out, will permit a policy holder to make all he can after 65.

Some new faults of social security have come to light this summer in discussion of the now defeated Forand bill which would have tapped the social security money to give free medical care to elders. It is certain that there will be other raids on the money as politicians try to find some way to attract votes. If a private company was no more honest than government about sanctity of contracts it would be in the courts all the time.

The dollars workers paid into the social security fund in the 1930s were worth several times the ones they may get in the 1960s as governmentally engendered inflation has robbed the worker of half of what was to be retirement income. Probably the money is invested in some of the government projects that pay small rates of interest for political reasons. How government can give low interest for REA and public housing out of public funds and expect the people who pay into social security to get along on the meager returns is another problem.

FREIGHT RATES

The Oregonian is concerned over the possible effects of the grain rate reduction offered by the railroads and we think without cause.

It has long been an argument of the barge and truck owners that any reduction in rail rates were made for the purpose of running them out of business and that if they were out of business the rail rates would go up sky high. That is a bunch of malarky for rail rates are under the Interstate Commerce commission and theirs are not. The reverse is more nearly true, which is that if the rails were eliminated through loss of business the truck and barge lines would boost rates.

It will be remembered that barge lines always have a rate differential if and when they care to use it.

In our memory, which reaches back quite a ways by now, the barge lines have never asked for a rate reduction although they have the big subsidy from the government of paid right of way and absence of taxation. The theory that water transportation is cheaper has never been proven on the Columbia. Truck lines have a similar subsidy in that highways are constructed by the state.

We do not think lowered rail rates on grain are going to eliminate the barges or the trucks. The rails have been losing business because their rates were higher and now have decided to go after the business the same way they lost it—by reducing rates. That is an example of good old American competition and the farmers are going to benefit from it.

If barges and trucks cannot compete—even with their subsidies—they'd better hire a manager instead of howling about how valuable they are.

GARDEN YEAR

For the gardener this has been the year of the blighted tomato, the sterile corn, the ill-tempered radish, the blossom dropping string bean, the virgin squash bloom.

Almost nothing has grown as it should and whenever the gardener, through the liberal use of water or some other art of the green thumb tribe, gets a vegetable to growing a little better another ailment assails it. Everything has been grudgingly produced by nature which, instead of acting like an indulgent mother—as it should—has withheld aid in strange and unaccustomed ways.

It seems reasonable to suspect that spraying for the elimination of the town's few mosquitoes reduced the insect population so greatly as to interfere with pollenization.

It has not been a total loss. There are packages and jars of vegetables by which to remember the labors of the gardening year but they are not so numerous, nor so nearly perfect as heretofore.

Perhaps it is just as well to have a poor year now and then to keep the gardener from thinking he is in perfect tune with nature and able to solve her secrets at will. If so, the lesson has been well learned.

There have been requests that the information contained in the talk about Sherman County postoffices at the dedication Sunday be published in an article in this newspaper.

Alphabetically the 30 names given to offices here are as follows with brief description where needed: Badger was established December 1882 at DeMoss to which it was changed in 1887 and discontinued in 1923. Biggs was established in 1886, had many postmasters and discontinued in 1921. Biglow was started in 1894 and discontinued in 1902.

Croy was a postoffice on the John Day sometimes in Gilliam and sometimes in Sherman County depending on the residence of the postmaster. It opened in 1890. Deschutes was near the site of Carlisle's store before the highway relocation. This was also the site of Fultonville which opened January 1882. Deschutes was established in 1888. Col. James Fulton operated a store and commission business.

Early was a postoffice from 1902 until 1919 at the mouth of Biglow canyon. Emigrant and Emigrant Springs operated from 1887 until 1895 near the good spring at which emigrants often stopped.

Abel Erskine opened the Erskine postoffice in December 1882 and it lasted until 1907. Gordon was a postoffice at James Walker's place for six months in 1896. Gorman was at the Morrow Place on Starvation Point from 1892 until 1900 succeeding Grover which was in Hay Canyon from 1888 until 1890 when the Mercers left the county.

Grant was on the Columbia River and was first named Villard being established in 1880 and named in honor of the building of the railroad. It was discontinued in 1908. Grass Valley postoffice was started in 1882 and was the first to have a building built for postal work.

Grebe was down Spanish Hollow from Wasco and was also called Thornberry. It operated from 1916 until 1920. Kent was established 1887 by the Bennetts and is still a postoffice. Klondike was established when the railroad was built and was run by the Potter family until recently discontinued. W. G. McDonald ran the McDonald postoffice on the John Day from 1904 until 1922. There used to be more people making a living along the rivers than now.

Mrs. Ida Carlisle had a postoffice at Miller in 1911 and 1812. Monkland was established in 1886 and served the Hay Canyon country with names of original settlers found in the list of postmasters.

Rufus had a postoffice in 1886 and it is still in operation. Rutledge was a postoffice in 1884 and lasted until 1908.

Spanish Hollow was the first postoffice in the county having been established by Jess Eaton March 2, 1870. Wilson Barnett took it over in 1880 and it became Wasco in 1882 and has continued. Now a new postoffice building is contemplated for that town.

Moro, the new postoffice, which was dedicated Sunday, had its first postoffice April 1, 1884 with Andrew Zumwalt, a homesteader as postmaster. John Scott succeeded him and then William and Dora Williams, the active John M. Parry with many strings to his bow, Robert Urquart, the bluff George Bourhill, Jay Freeman and now Lloyd Johnson, who become postmaster in 1950.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Executrix and Executor respectively of the Estate of C. A. Tom, deceased and have qualified as such Executrix and Executor.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same, duly verified to the undersigned at the residence of the undersigned Susie A. Tom in Rufus, Oregon, within six (6) months from the date of the first publication of this notice. The date of the first publication of this notice is September 2, 1960.

Susie A. Tom, Executrix, and
Charles A. Tom, Executor of the Estate of C. A. Tom, Deceased

Brown & Van Vactor
Attorneys for the Estate
The Dalles, Oregon
Sept. 2, 9 , 16, 23, 1960

CARD OF THANKS

We want to give our sincere thanks to the friends of the family who gave us their sympathy and who expressed sadness over the death of our husband and father, Curtis A. Tom.

The C. A. Tom family

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All persons having claims against the estate of WILLIAM ROOS, deceased, are hereby notified to present them, with the proper vouchers and duly verified, to the undersigned, the duly appointed, qualified and acting Executors of the Estate of William Roos, deceased, at the office of T. Lester Johnson, Attorney at Law, Moro, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: September 2, 1960.

Howard Roland Ross
Executor
Frances Bertha Thompson
Executor

T. Lester Johnson
Attorney for Executors
Sept 2, 9, 16, 23, 1960

NOTICE OF HEARING FINAL ACCOUNTING

All persons having objections to the final accounting of Elsie Fulton, administratrix of the estate of Geraldine Doheny, deceased, shall file same before the 10th day of October, 1960, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m., which is the time fixed for settlement of said account and the County Court Chambers at Moro, Oregon, is the place fixed.

ELSIE FULTON
Administratrix

DICK & DICK
The Dalles, Oregon
Attorneys for the Estate
Aug. 26, Sept. 2, 9, 16, 1960

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned executors of the Estate of Etta M. Moore, deceased, have filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Sherman County, their final account as such executors, and that the 13th day of September, 1960, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m., has been fixed by said Court as the time for hearing of objections, if any, to said report and the settlement of such estate.

CECILE L. MORSE
LEO V. MOORE
Executors

C. L. Gavin
Attorney for Estate
502 U. S. Bank Bldg.,
The Dalles, Oregon
Published August 12, 19, 26, and September 2, 1960

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed as administratrix of the Estate of Harry O. Kunsman, deceased, and has qualified as such administratrix. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned at her residence at First and Court Streets, Moro, Oregon, within six months from the date of first publication of this notice. The date of the first publication of this notice is August 12, 1960.

MARJORIE MARVIN
Administratrix of the Estate of Harry O. Kunsman, deceased.

BROWN & VAN VACTOR
The Dalles Oregon
Attorneys for Estate
Published: August 12, 19, 26, & September 2, 1960

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

In the Matter of the Guardianship of the Estate of
EDITH REID,
an Insane Person

C I T A T I O N

To Edith Reid, the above named insane person, and to all persons interested in the estate within the State of Oregon of the said Edith Reid, an insane person, other than Emma Reid, Charles W. Reid and Laura Noel Oro, the petitioners for the appointment of a guardian of said estate of insane person, and to Public Hospital for Insane, City of Westminister, British Columbia, Canada.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: you and each of you are hereby required to appear before the above entitled court within four weeks from the date of the first publication of this citation as hereinafter stated, to show cause, if any exists, why the prayer of the petitioners for the appointment of Frank Reid, as guardian of the estate within the State of Oregon for Edith Reid, an insane person, should not be granted.

Service of this citation is made upon you by publication in the Sherman County Journal, a newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in Sherman County, Oregon, once a week for four consecutive and successive weeks by virtue of an order made and entered in said court and proceeding on the 10th day of August, 1960, said period of publication being the period prescribed by said order.

The date of first publication of this citation is August 12, 1960, and the date of the last publication is September 2, 1960.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court affixed this 10th day of August, 1960.

Marie Hoskinson
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