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Young America Sends Vast Relief To Needy Abroad

Various relief projects of the Junior American Red Cross in European countries resulted in helping 227,000 destitute children during the last fiscal year...

When Ella Needed a Man

By R. RAY BAKER. Walter Creston accepted one of Mr. Clara's cigars, bit off the mouth end, lighted the other and settled himself in a chair.

She had cautioned her to remain close to camp and she had intended to obey; but the church was further than she had thought...

"No, she didn't turn me down cold," asked Mr. Clara. "You know, I've rather favored you for a son-in-law, and frankly I'd like to see you win out."

"You wish to see me?" he inquired rather listlessly. "There was a dreamy, discouraged look in his pale gray eyes."

"Yes," returned Mr. Clara as a wreath of smoke from his cigar merged with one from Clara's. He cleared his throat. "It's about Ella."

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OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Principal Events of the Week Briefly Sketched for Information of Our Readers.

Two cases of infantile paralysis have been reported in Clackamas county. The Record Publishing company at Klamath Falls has announced suspension of the Daily Record.

The total enrollment in the Eugene public schools during the first month of the fall term was 2499. John Kimmer Moore, 84, Oregon pioneer, died last week on the homestead in the Gold Hill district upon which he settled 52 years ago.

A total of 274 cars of wheat was shipped from Condon during August and September. Shipments are expected to exceed 500 carloads.

The Linn county fair last week is said to have been a great success, nearly 27,000 persons entering the gates during the five days.

The Elks lodge at Corvallis is the first organization to furnish a room at the Corvallis General hospital, now nearing completion on College hill.

A. F. Miller, president of the Bank of Gresham, has a life membership badge for the Oregon state fair which he purchased 58 years ago for \$3.

Starting of the third logging crew by the Brooks-Scanlon Lumber Company of Bend is delayed by the fact that sufficient men are not available.

The fine weather this fall has allowed Tillamook county to complete most of its road projects, some of which have been under way for several years.

Reorganization of the Congregational missionary board of Oregon was voted at the annual state convention of the Congregational conference at Eugene.

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\$4,589,741, or \$455,050.25 below the outlay for all municipal purposes this year.

A petition for a \$300,000 student union building, financed by the students themselves together with alumni and friends of the institution who wish to aid, has been approved by the board of Oregon Agricultural College regents.

H. M. McKeen of Alvadore and Elmer Yeoman of Creswell have been indicted by the Lane county grand jury on a charge of manslaughter, each having killed a hunter in the mountains during the past few weeks, mistaking them for deer.

The state board of control, at a special meeting held in Salem, offered Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Kuser of Eldora, a combined salary of \$5000 a year to come to Oregon, assist in the erection of the proposed new state training school for boys and assume management of the institution upon its completion.

George W. Riddle, resident of Riddle, Douglas county, were appointed commandant of the Old Soldiers' home at Roseburg to succeed S. W. Taylor, who has resigned to engage in other business.

Tubercular testing work was begun among the dairy herds of Lane county when Dr. L. E. Loder, sent to Eugene by Dr. S. B. Foster, in charge of this work for the government, went to Blachly in Lake creek valley to test 600 or more cows in that locality.

Hotel managers and clerks throughout the state, numbering several hundred, will join in the campaign to obtain an attendance of 200,000 or more at the Pacific International Live Stock exposition in North Portland, during stock show week, November 5-12.

The money expended by the Medford city council on the auto camp grounds this year was well spent, according to the record of the tourists and cars stopping overnight at the grounds.

Senator McNary's resolution requesting the chief of engineers for the army to review the district engineer's report on the Columbia and Willamette rivers below Portland with a view of obtaining a channel 32 feet deep and 600 feet wide was adopted by the senate commerce committee.

I. H. Van Winkle, attorney-general, has informed Frank Bramwell, superintendent of banks, that a sheriff, as collector of taxes, is required, under the Oregon statutes, to pay over to the county treasurer on the last business day of each week all taxes collected by him during the preceding week.

The Associated Oil Company of California has remitted to the secretary of state \$18,147.16, covering the tax on gasoline and distillate sales of the corporation in Oregon for the month of September. This money goes into the state highway fund and is expended for road improvements.

Grangers of the United States who attend the national grange annual convention in Portland November 1 to 25, will be shown the various points of interest about the city and entertained by a committee representing the Portland Chamber of Commerce. Plans now are under way to care for about 2000 delegates who are expected from all sections of the United States.

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Mrs. Mary Mallett of Portland was re-elected president of the W. C. T. U. for the state of Oregon at the convention held at Oregon City. Mrs. W. B. Andrews of Oregon City was elected vice-president. Other officers chosen were: Mrs. Iva Colcord, Evergreen, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Madge J. Mears, Portland, secretary; and Mrs. Jane M. Donaldson, Portland, treasurer.

New business in the lumber industry of the Pacific northwest was 25 per cent above production and 20 per cent above shipments for the week ending October 8, according to the weekly lumber review of the West Coast Lumbermen's association. This exceptional demand was characterized by the report as the second active selling week in nearly two years and was declared to be largely due to dealers buying to fill short retail stocks and wholesalers speculating on poorly balanced mill stocks.

In order to get a supreme court decision allaying fears which may be entertained by bond holders as to the legality of bonds offered under the recent state aid bill, or bonus act, Thomas Henry Boyd, commander of Portland post of the American Legion, filed a friendly injunction suit in the Multnomah county circuit court against state officials and the veterans' state aid commission. The action purports to be brought by Boyd as a taxpayer "in his own behalf and in behalf of all persons similarly situated," and names as defendants the governor, state treasurer, state auditor, state tax commissioner and Adjutant-General White, all of the commission. The attack is made on a purely technical point of legislative procedure in the adoption of the measure providing bonus and loan for ex-service men. The suit will be put through the local circuit court and the state supreme court so as not to delay the sale of bonds unnecessarily.

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"Very well," said Walter, "let's make it right now." "You foolish boy," she laughed. "Don't you know we need a minister and a license—and I've always wanted a church wedding."

"That's easy," he returned. "There's a minister in my party, and I've brought a license with me from the East; and what's that ruined building over there? It looks as if it might have been a church once."

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