

CHILD LABOR LAW APPARENTLY BEATEN

Washington, D. C.—The child labor amendment to the federal constitution apparently has been defeated, for the present at least.

The legislatures of 13 states have taken unfavorable action on the amendment which would give the federal government power to forbid employment of anyone under 18 years old in factory, store or on the farm.

To be enacted the amendment had to be ratified by three-fourths of the 48 states. Thus 13 negative votes meant defeat. Advocates of the amendment will not consider themselves defeated as, according to all precedent, constitutional amendments are pending until ratified, the prohibition amendment being the only one ever passed with a time limit for ratification.

REPUBLICANS TO CAUCUS

Move to Bar Wisconsin Delegation Considered Likely.

Washington, D. C.—House republicans will caucus Friday night, February 27, to decide upon their candidate for speaker and a floor leader.

This decision was reached at a meeting of the republican committee on committees of the house.

Under a resolution adopted by the committee, republicans who will serve during the 69th congress, and are not members of the present house, will be invited to participate in the conference.

No action was taken as to whether La Follette insurgents should be invited to attend.

There were indications, however, that a move would be made either before the caucus or after it gets under way to bar the Wisconsin delegation and perhaps one or two other representatives from that and future conferences of house republicans.

Means Convicted, Given Two Years.

New York.—Gaston B. Means, one-time confidential agent of the department of justice under William J. Burns, was fined \$10,000 and sentenced to two years in the federal prison at Atlanta when a jury found him guilty of having conspired to obstruct justice.

Announcement was made at Portland that the Oregon Trunk railroad would build its own line from Bend to Klamath Falls if it does not receive common-user privilege over the Odell Junction-Klamath Falls link of the Eugene-Klamath Falls line.

Moderation of eastern Oregon weather has practically terminated danger to game birds, according to Otto M. Jones, educational director of the state game commission. Snow is still on the ground, but food is plentiful for pheasants, quail and ducks.

Portland's long fight for a permanent veterans' hospital has been won and appropriations of \$1,350,000 for an institution of 300 beds have been approved by Director Hines, according to a telegram received by Mayor Baker from Elton Watkins, representative in congress.

Company C of the national guard at Eugene was first in Oregon in 1924 in qualifying men for the national rifle shoot, according to Adjutant General George White, and has received a silver trophy from the United States government in recognition of its record.

The taking of salmon, shad or sturgeon in seines or drag seines in coast streams of Oregon emptying into the ocean south of the Columbia river within the district now known as No. 2 would be prohibited by the bill of Representative Winslow introduced in the house.

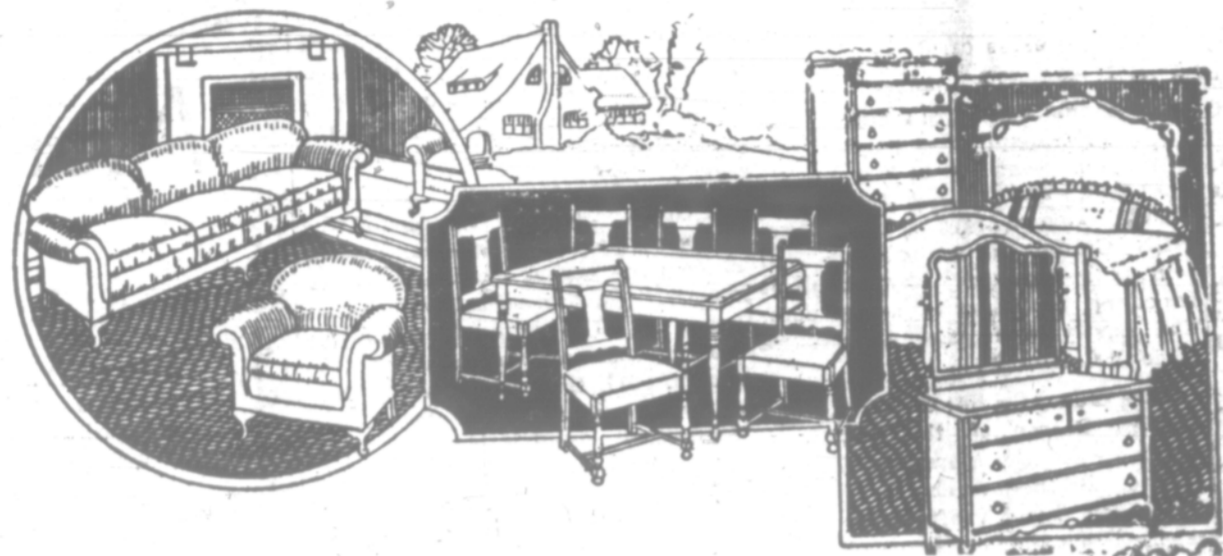
THE MARKETS

Portland
Wheat—Hard white, \$2.18; soft white, \$1.97; northern spring, \$2.00; hard winter, \$1.95; western white, \$1.92; western red, \$1.93.
Hay—Alfalfa, \$19.50@20 ton; valley timothy, \$19@20; eastern Oregon timothy, \$22@22.50.
Butterfat—(5c delivered Portland)
Eggs—Ranch, 31@33 1/2c
Cheese—Prices f. o. b. Tillamook: Triplets, 31c; leaf, 32c per lb.
Cattle—Prime steers, \$7.25@7.75.
Hogs—Medium to choice, \$9.75@11.50.
Sheep—Lambs, medium to choice, \$11@16.50.

Seattle
Wheat—Soft white, northern spring, \$2.00; western white, \$1.96; hard winter, \$1.98; western red, \$1.95; Big Bend bluestem, \$2.20.
Hay—Alfalfa, \$23; D. C., \$28; timothy, \$26; D. C., \$28; mixed hay, \$24.
Butterfat—45c.
Eggs—Ranch, 34@35c
Cattle—Choice steers, \$7.50@8.00.
Hogs—Prime light, \$11.75@11.90.
Cheese—Washington cream brick 180; Washington triplets, 190; Washington Young America, 210.

Spokane
Hogs—Prime mixed, \$11.50@11.50.
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The Judge: What Does He Care For a Dollar, by M. B.



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OREGON NEWS ITEMS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

Brief Resume of Happenings of the Week Collected for Our Readers.

Registration in Portland schools has passed beyond the 47,000 mark.

An educational conference will be held at the Oregon City high school building Saturday.

Seth French was elected president of the new Retail Merchants' organization at Albany.

Beggars will be compelled to work on the streets of Eugene, according to an edict of the police department.

Emery J. Newton was elected sheriff of Benton county to succeed the late Sheriff S. N. Warfield by the board of county commissioners.

Practically all the unacademized roads in Klamath county were impassable because of a thaw which followed snow and cold weather.

Probably the oldest married couple in Oregon, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stillwell of Bandon, last week celebrated the 69th anniversary of their wedding.

State officials with a big snow plow began work last week in an attempt to clear the McKenzie pass of snow. The snow is estimated to be 15 feet deep.

The Elverton Health officer has issued an order that all school children be vaccinated or remain home from school during the present smallpox epidemic.

Miss Agnes Johnson, who for many years was a teacher in rural schools of Douglas county, has been temporarily appointed school supervisor for

GENERAL WEIGEL



Maj. Gen. William Weigel, who has assumed command of the United States forces in the Philippines.

the county.

Packing has been started by the Lane County Co-Operative Prune Growers' association, a branch of the state organization, at the Scarbrough plant at Creswell.

Jetty construction on the north side of the entrance to Coos bay now extends almost one mile to sea, while trestle work is more than one mile from the receiving plant.

During the season of 1924 there were 76 forest fires in the Umatilla national forest, burning 276 acres of valuable timber. The total cost of

suppressing the fires was \$3284.

There will be no increase in charges for grazing cattle and sheep on national forests during 1925 and 1926, Secretary Gore of the department of agriculture has announced.

As an indication that deer are plentiful in the Cascade mountains 11 were seen at one time in George N. McLean's meadow on what is known as the Rigdon ranch above Oakridge.

William Lovelace, who escaped from the state penitentiary at Salem October 7, 1922, has been apprehended in Los Angeles and will be returned to the prison to serve out his unexpired term.

The projected expenditure of \$3000 in beautifying the upper Columbia river, Sherman and John Day highways by planting trees was announced at The Dalles by the state highway office.

John R. Chesem, farmer living on the Lorane highway five miles south west of Eugene, was found guilty in justice court of cruelty to animals in allowing 11 head of cattle to starve to death.

Herbert E. Allen of Bend, assistant general manager of the Brooks-Scanlon company, has been elected president of the recently organized Central Oregon Council of the Boy Scouts of America.

Approximately \$39,294,000 had been expended in constructing irrigation works in this state at the close of 1924, with 1,343,000 acres of land involved, according to the biennial report of the state engineer, filed with the legislature.

C. O. Hawkins, cashier of the Western State bank at Newport, pleaded guilty to three charges in the circuit court at Toledo and was sentenced to serve three years in the penitentiary. He was charged with misappropriation of funds.

SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION IN FORECLOSURE OF TAX LIEN

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Sherman County.

Lawrence Martin, plaintiff vs. Albert Miller, also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the complaint herein, defendants.

To Albert Miller, also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the complaint herein, the above named defendants.

In the Name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby notified that Lawrence Martin is the holder of Certificate of Delinquency numbered 95 issued on the 21st day of November, 1923 by the Tax Collector of the County of Sherman, State of Oregon, for the amount of Seventy Six and 62/100 (\$76.62) dollars, the same being the amount then due and delinquent for taxes for the years 1919, 1920, 1921, and 1922, together with penalty, interest and costs thereon upon the real property assessed to you, of which you are the owner as appears of record, situated in said County and State, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit: The east one half (1/2) of section eight (8), township one (1) north, range nineteen (19) east of the Willamette meridian.

You are further notified that said Lawrence Martin has paid taxes on said premises for prior or subsequent years, with the rate of interest on said amounts as follows: Years tax 1923; date paid June 3rd, 1924; tax receipt No. 909; amount \$20.69; rate of interest 12 per cent; interest paid \$21.

Said Albert Miller as the owner of the legal title of the above described property as the same appears of record, and each of the other persons above named are hereby further notified that Lawrence Martin, the plaintiff will apply to the Circuit Court of the County and State aforesaid for a decree foreclosing the lien against the property above described, and mentioned in said certificate. And you are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the first publication of the day of said first publication, and defend this action or pay the amount due as above shown, together with costs and accrued interest, and in case of your failure to do so, a decree will be rendered foreclosing the lien of said taxes and costs against the land and premises above named.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable E. D. McKee Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Sherman and said order was made and dated this 26th day of January, 1925 and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 30th day of January, 1925.

All process and papers in this proceeding may be served upon the undersigned residing within the State of Oregon at the address hereafter mentioned.

I M. Peterson, attorney for plaintiff, advised Moro, Oregon. Last publication March 27th, 1925.

Birds and the Weather

Knowledge of coming weather changes shown by birds is attributed to the atmospheric pressure on their nerves.



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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Sherman:

In the matter of the estate of Agnes Brisbine, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the estate of Agnes Brisbine, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Sherman County, and has qualified. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified, as by law required, to the undersigned at the law office of W. C. Bryant, Moro, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated this 14 day of January, 1925. Sam P. Brisbine, executor of the estate of Agnes Brisbine, deceased. W. C. Bryant, attorney for executor. First publication Jan. 16, 1925. Last publication Feb. 13, 1925.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Sherman:

In the matter of the estate of Katherine Burmester, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the above entitled court his final report and account of his administration of said estate and that Monday the 16th day of February A. D. 1925 at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day has been by order of the court appointed as the time and the county court room in the court house at Moro, Oregon as the place for the hearing of the said report and account, the objections thereto, if any, and the settlement of the said estate.

Dated at Moro, Oregon this 12th day of January, A. D. 1925. Herman Burmester, Administrator of said estate.

W. C. Bryant, attorney for administrator. First publication Jan. 16, 1925. Last publication Feb. 13, 1925.

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