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The Judge:—Proving Cases Are Decided In the Jury Room—By M.B.



The public service commission has issued an order suspending proposed new gas rates of the Southern Oregon Gas company, which operates at Medford, Ashland, Grants Pass and Roseburg. A public hearing probably will be held at Roseburg or Medford.

Portland, compared to other coast cities, is relatively free of influenza, according to reports by the government health service at Washington, D. C. Since the first of the present year there has not been a single death from influenza reported in Portland.

Members of the Wing, Flin and Fleet-foot club of La Grande have issued a statement attacking any installation of fish racks in inland streams in eastern Oregon, specifically the Walla Walla river, and in favor of a referendum vote to prevent commercial fishing in the lower Columbia river.

The recent freshets in the Santiam river and Hamilton creek worked a great benefit to the shingle industry of Lebanon. The Super Shingle company had a large number of shingle bolts in Hamilton creek, which they were unable to get down the stream to the mill at Lebanon. The high water became of the right stage to easily float the bolts, and the company got to the mill nearly 2000 cords of shingle bolts.

A copy of the income tax initiative measure sponsored by the Oregon state grange and the farmers' union was filed with the secretary of state at Salem, together with a request that it be referred to the attorney-general for ballot title. In event sufficient signatures are obtained the measure will be referred to the voters of the state at the general election in November. The measure is similar to the income tax measure that was repealed by the voters of Oregon at the general election in 1924 with the exception that it increases slightly the exemptions and eliminates fractional percentage rates.

Wild geese that have become in-trepid and, due to the closed season, are immune from the ordinary menaces of hunters and shotguns, have made their winter home in Gilliam county, near Arlington and Blalock. A man has been employed by the game commission to drive constantly up and down the wheat fields in an automobile to frighten the geese away, due to complaints received several weeks ago from farmers that their wheat fields were being despoiled, but the geese have become so tame that this has so far had little effect, the geese going no further away from the fields than is necessary to keep from being actually run down. In the neighborhood of 50,000 to 75,000 geese are estimated to be encamped in the region.

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Ten thousand pine trees, beetle-infested, in the Spencer creek watershed, west of Klamath Falls, will be sacrificed this year by three lumber concerns in a desperate effort to stamp out the parasite infestation. The three concerns are the Weyerhaeuser Lumber company, the Long-Bell Lumber company and the Oshkosh Lumber company. It is estimated that the 10,000 trees that must be cut represent between 8,000,000 and 10,000,000 board feet of timber. At \$4 a thousand the stumpage would cost between \$35,000 and \$40,000. The pine beetle control camp, composed of 20 men, has commenced control work.

An eclipse can be predicted accurately to the day, hour and minute, 1,000 years hence, and it looks as if we will have to take their word for it.

Many people have resolved to take their holidays late in the season to avoid the rush of people taking their holidays early in the season to avoid the rush.

Dealers are complaining because bobbed hair has put a crimp in the sale of hairpins, but they should realize the boost it has given the curling iron business.

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of the Great American Insurance Company

of New York, in the state of New York, on the 31st day of December, 1925, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the state of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Amount of capital stock paid up	\$12,500,000.00
Income:	
Net premiums received during the year	\$19,179,870.98
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	2,080,474.44
Income from other sources received during the year	1,929,346.53
Total income	\$23,189,691.95
Disbursements:	
Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses	\$10,567,548.58
Dividends paid on capital stock during the year	2,000,000.00
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	6,172,904.81
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	651,496.84
Amount of all other expenditures	1,654,088.83
Total expenditures	\$21,045,938.26
Assets:	
Other assets	\$4,461,569.04
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)	\$1,750,454.00
Cash in banks and on hand	1,438,421.06
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1925	3,399,708.94
Interest and rents due and accrued	858,453.50
Total admitted assets	\$10,774,001.54
Liabilities:	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	\$2,964,472.30
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks	\$8,231,587.98
Due for commission and brokerage	50,000.00
All other liabilities	594,900.00
Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock of \$12,500,000.00	\$11,780,960.26
Business in Oregon for the year:	
Net premiums received during the year	\$143,299.84
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	\$9,544.00
Losses incurred during the year	\$3,064.83

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Statutory resident attorney for service, Will Moore, Insurance Broker, Portland, Or.
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SYNOPSIS OF THE ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE United States Merchants & Shippers Insurance Company

of New York, in the state of New York, on the 31st day of December, 1925, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the state of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Amount of capital stock paid up	\$1,000,000.00
Income:	
Net premiums received during the year	\$2,906,467.91
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	206,478.50
Income from other sources received during the year	85,898.56
Total income	\$3,198,844.97
Disbursements:	
Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses	\$1,487,680.92
Dividends paid on capital stock during the year	\$0,987.93
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	\$902,404.10
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	\$8,501.88
Amount of all other expenditures	178,876.06
Total expenditures	\$2,578,450.89
Assets:	
Value of stock and bonds owned (market value)	\$4,087,341.74
Cash in banks and on hand	\$30,979.61
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1925	\$51,708.02
Interest and rents due and accrued	\$5,851.54
Total admitted assets	\$4,175,880.91
Liabilities:	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	\$12,301.06
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks	\$3,389,412.07
All other liabilities	\$27,901.81
Surplus over all liabilities	\$1,397,116.20
Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock of \$1,000,000.00	\$3,429,724.94
Business in Oregon for the year:	
Net premiums received during the year	\$9,544.00
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	\$9,544.00
Losses incurred during the year	\$3,064.83

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Sherman County.
Eugene A. Amidon, plaintiff, vs.
Stella B. Amidon, defendant.

To Stella B. Amidon, the above named defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon:
You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order of publication, to-wit: on or before the 14th day of May, 1926, and if you fail to so appear and answer, plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief as demanded and prayed for in the complaint filed herein against you, to-wit: for a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between the plaintiff and defendant on the grounds of desertion, and for such further relief as to the court may seem equitable and just.

This summons is served upon you by publication thereof for a period of six consecutive weeks in the Sherman County Observer, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published at Moro, in Sherman county, Oregon, in pursuance to an order of the Hon. S. D. McKee, County Judge of said Sherman county, Oregon, duly made on the 26th day of March, 1926 and the date of first publication thereof is the 2nd day of April, 1926.

W. C. Bryant, post office address, Moro, Oregon, and VanVactor & Butler, post office address, The Dalles, Oregon, attorneys for plaintiff.
Date first publication, April 2, 1926.
Date last publication, May 14, 1926.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Sherman County. In the matter of the estate of Sarah McClelland, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Sarah McClelland, 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 and first published this 26th day of March, A. D. 1926.
ESSIE McKEAN, Administratrix of the estate of Sarah McClelland, deceased.
Date last publication April 23, 1926.
W. C. Bryant, Attorney for Administratrix. 5th 2nd 23

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 James Brisbane, 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 5th day of April, A. D. 1926 at the hour of 10:00 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 1st day of March, 1926.
Sam P. Brisbane, executor
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First publication, March 5, 1926.
Last publication, April 2, 1926.

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Moro, Oregon, March 1, 1926.
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(Signed) L. D. Eakin.

Grass Valley, Ore., Oct. 26, 1925
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I harvested over four hundred acres with it using eight head of horses on level land and twelve head of horses on the rough land. I hired one man with myself and we did the whole job.

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Yours Truly,

(Signed) John Boether.

Sundale, Wash. December 4, 1925
International Harvester Company
of America, Portland, Oregon.

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Yours truly,

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