

W. C. T. U. COLUMN

BY MAY BENEDICT

TO OUR PIONEER SISTERS OF OREGON

O Pioneer White Ribboners, Your labor for our cause Shall not be vain— We'll fight to gain Enforcement of our laws, We'll carry on the banner won; The foe may sneer, attack This noble work, But we'll not shrink From duty nor turn back. Our union stands White Ribbon bands Are faithful to the trust; Our youth we'll shield, No point we'll yield— We're firm, so win we must, We'll persevere, dear Pioneer, Your courage gives us might, To still endure with faith secure Go onward for the right. Erna S. Hoffs, Portland in White Ribbon Review.

ASHLAND BREWERY

The following unique story told by Mrs. Ann Hill Russell, who was the first president of the Ashland W. C. T. U. in 1890. Although Mother Russell is 89 years of age she is still very bright and active for one of her age and is glad to tell of her varied experience as a pioneer crusader and W. C. T. U. woman in Jackson county. This story relates to the driving out of a brewery man who started to establish his brewery in Ashland, but for some reason sought to change his mind about locating here. After this party left Ashland some of our business men interviewed him down the valley and he said he liked Ashland very much and hoped to locate here permanently once but some old women got up a petition and busted him and that Ashland was no place for his business. The following is Mother Russell's statement of her experience with this brewery man:

"The wicked fleeth when no man persueth. Prov. 28:1. But he even left when one woman got after him in Ashland a few years ago. I will tell this to encourage any who feel weak to dare to obey God's call, for sometimes God wants such to do his work. His power is unlimited. 'He works in a mysterious way, his wonders to perform.' I am one of his weakest servants, still he used me to save Ashland from being disgraced by having a brewery, and I want to say 'Amen, praise the Lord' as any good Presbyterian might do. It was so long ago that many of the brave temperance workers of that time have been translated to where they receive their reward for good deeds. And those left who signed my petition, being instructed to perfect secrecy may have forgotten it because no stir was made that I know of. As I supposed the breweryman did not know of my petition to hinder his business, but somebody told for in a few days all the busy workers had gone, leaving the large foundation two feet high, where hired men had been working with pick and shovel, men putting up walls of stone teams on a trot hauling away dirt and bringing rock. I never saw men and teams in such a hurry (only in Indian war times building forts) That foundation stood for two years unfinished but is a business block now opposite the Vendome with several buildings upon it. It would have been a big business to make drunkards of every man and boy in Ashland, more jails would have been needed than schools.

When I stood watching and wondering what all this hurry meant, Dr. Parsons passed me and I asked him what it meant and he replied "a cold storage plant." A cold chill went down my spine—a brewery—I went on feeling so helpless and distressed, but I didn't cry, until a young mother wailed "and my children must pass a dirty old brewery everytime they go down town." My tears were changed into defiance and to do something was the next thought, but what or how? A sleepless night of planning followed by a busy Sunday in church, then I decided haste was important and secrecy also was best and I decided to surprise the city council with a petition from tax payers, women were not voters then but were taxed just the same. I drew up a petition in haste at home, then went to Judge Calkins to have him fix it up legally. This he did, but said the council claimed it a lawful business and they had no power to interfere with it. I told him I would have each one give the capital they owned opposite their names and would publish it in each of our three papers so that every one could see that the best and richest people opposed any brewery in Ashland. He commended the plan, but said the council wanted it, and considered it a revenue of great value, and that the ministers and temperance people wanted the brewery stopped but were much discouraged but this was a protest and was commendable. He typed my short petition and brought it to me and wished me success. He said he was leaving at day light to be gone two weeks but was glad I came to him. (He and his brother came to sign the petition after they came back "just wanted to see they said.")

For once in my life I ran after the rich folks. Early Monday morning I started. Mrs. O. Garnard was the richest woman I knew. I met a man I could trust on the way. He gladly promised to say nothing (as the petition was to be a surprise to the council) I rane Mrs. Garnard door-bell and in wash day she opened the door. I asked her if she wanted a brewery in Ashland. Mrs. Russell said "You know I don't," she replied.

"Yes, I do know you don't or I wouldn't ask you to sign this paper. I read it 'To the Honorable Mayor and City Council; We, the undersigned tax payers, beg you not to grant leave of any brewery being allowed in the city of Ashland until it is so decided by the majority of tax payers.' After signing Mrs. Garnard sent me to her daughter, Mrs. Lottie Peiton and I obeyed. I walked three hours and obtained 40 names of the best and richest people living in Ashland at that time." This ends Mrs. Russell's narrative for this time but we can easily see why the brewery man decided that Ashland was not the proper place for his business and concluded to move on.

JURY CALL ANSWERED IN SPIITE OF YEARS

When Mrs. Mary Jane Philpot, veteran dry crusader, was summoned to jury duty at Waterloo, Iowa, she declined to ask exemption on account of her 77 years. But neither she asserted, did she take to the court room any prejudice against persons accused of law violation, despite her long leadership of the W. C. T. U. She sympathized particularly she said, with young men accused of liquor law violations, whom she believes often to be "more sinned against than sinning." Mrs. Philpot has been an officer in the W. C. T. U. for 54 years.

A VALUABLE TESTIMONY

A well known Salem man made an automobile trip of 7000 miles last summer. He made a trip of similar length summer before last. He visited most of the big cities of the United States. He traveled on most of the main highways. He was in the auto camps, the hotels, the playgrounds of the country, and the marts of trade— And he declares that he did not see a single drunken man or woman; that no one asked him to take a drink of intoxicating liquor; that he did not consciously encounter a whiskey breath. Anyone knows that would not have been possible a few years ago. He would have seen many drunken men and women, and much drinking and offering of drinks. It has sobered up very fast, considering the obstacles to the process.—White Ribbon Review.

AROUND THE COURT HOUSE

(Reported by Jackson County Abstract Co., Sixth Street and Central Avenue, Medford)

- CLERK'S OFFICE**
 P. S. Provost, as Provost Bros. vs. Pacific Lumber & Shaleries Ince, foreclosure of lien.
 H. C. Witham, vs. Warren Smith, chattel lien.
 Clifford L. Yarbrough, vs. Thomas Gregsby, summons.
 P. S. Provost, as Provost Bros. vs. F. G. Shinn, et al, foreclosure lien.
 Nellie Johnston, vs. Bert Johnston divorce.
 Ethel Klengle, vs. George, Klengle divorce.
 John W. Flick, vs. George W. Lance, Ella Lance, Marion Lance, Minne E. Lance, mining lien.
 Frank R. Flick, vs. George W. Lance, Ella Lance, Marion Lance, Minnie E. Lance, mining lien.
 P. L. Durkee, vs. George W. Lance, Ella Lance, Marion Lance, Minnie E. Lance, mining lien.
 Oscar Lewis, Daisy Lewis as Lewis & Lewis, vs. P. Smallwood, for money.
 Oscar Lewis, Daisy Lewis as Lewis & Lewis, vs. F. C. Varney et al, for money.
 Oscar Lewis, Daisy Lewis as Lewis, vs. Anna Haas, for money.
 Oscar Lewis, Daisy Lewis as Lewis, vs. B. Earl, for money.
 Big Pines Lbr. Co., vs. F. W. Pames summons.
 Walter Zimmerman, vs. Jesse L. Voss, writ of attachment cost of attachment.
 State Industrial Accident Commission, vs. William A. Aitken, judgment, cost bill.
 J. M. Keene, vs. Jesse Robinson, et al, affidavit order.
 Federal Land Bank of Spokane, vs. C. C. Gilchrist et al, affidavit order.
 Federal Land Bank of Spokane, vs. Mary A. Hildrett, et al affidavit order.
 Mason Ehrman Co., vs. F. L. Bedding, motion default and judgment.
 First National Bank of Cottage Grove, vs. Hazel Pennington, judgment, cost bill.
 State Land Board vs. Charles H. Brown, et al, cost bill.
 V. D. Phophy et al vs. Spokane Orchards Co., Inc. motion order judgment.
 State Land Board, vs. Charles H. Brown, et al, decree.
 Big Pines Lumber, vs. F. W. Jones, for money.
 S. F. Reichert, vs. W. M. Kinsel et al, affidavit order.
 Mark Ray Koozts, vs. Charles M. Hulkey, summons.
 Homer Neal, vs. Letha Neal, summons.
 L. Pennington et al vs. Ben Geary et al, decree cost bill.
 Maggie R. Jones, vs. E. R. Jones, summons.
 N. T. Hodges, Jr., assumes the business name of "Metropole orchestra."
 Arthald A. Brown (dec) estate, admitted to probate.
 Maria S. Balch, estate, notice, inventory and appraisal.
 Catherine K. Thomas (dec) estate admitted to probate.
 George F. Bourne (dec) estate,

admitted to probate.
 Abegard Ripley Smith, estate, application order.
 Charles Garrison, estate, order final account.
 Henry W. Fehl (dec) estate, admitted to probate.
 Edith May Robinson et al, estate, report order.
 Wilheam John Smith, estate, petition order.

RECORDER'S OFFICE

- Bertha S. Barnum et vir to Will H. Wilson W. D. \$10, Lots 1 and 2 S 1/2 of lot 2, Blk 29, Medford.
 J. W. Clark, et ux to Harry Childers et ux, W. D. \$10, Lot 4, Blk 26, Gold Hill.
 J. J. Deakin et ux to I. D. Yerian W. D. \$10, Lots 34 and 35, Block C A. R. Add to Ashland.
 John L. Dewaide to Edna M. Dewaide, W. D. \$1, Ld in DLC 46 Twp 38 E. R. 1 West.
 John Westergaard to Fred Gray et ux, W. D. \$1, Ld in Sec. 23, Twp 36 S. R. 2 West.
 Lavernia Walden to O. S. Walden, W. D. \$10, Ld in DLC 61 Twp 37 S. R. 2 West.
 George S. Mathewson et ux to P. O. Berg et ux, W. D. \$10, Ld in DLC 61 Twp 37 S. R. 2 West.
 F. O. Fahs et ux to E. W. Gebhardt Q. C. D. \$1, Lots 3, 8, 9, 12, 17 and 18 Sec. 27 Twp 36 S. R. 1 West.
 Clara M. Wood to B. H. Wood et ux deed \$10, Ld in DLC 59 Twp 37 S. R. 2 West.
 George R. Lindley et ux to Fred N. Cummings et ux W. D. \$10 Lot 3, Blk 3, Siskiyow Heights Add to Medford.
 R. H. Toft et ux to Harry E. Rinabarger et ux W. D. \$10 Lot on East Ninth street, Medford.
 Barney W. ody et ux to Sam S. Randles et ux W. D. \$600 Lots 6 and 5, art lots 1 and 2, Blk 16, Jacksonville.
 Edward E. Tsh et u to James Harve Howe, W. D. \$10 Ld in Sec. 3 Twp 34 S. R. 1 West.
 O. J. Rathbun et ux to Charles B. Haney et ux W. D. \$10, Ld in DLC 45 Twp 39 S. R. 1 East.
 Maryaen Graves et vir to Frank Childers et ux W. D. \$10, Lot 3, amended plat of Riverside subdivision.
 Earl W. More et al to Ada L. Williams, W. D. \$10, Ld in Sec. 32 Twp 34 S. R. 4 West.
 W. E. Thomas et ux to J. W. Noon chester, W. D. \$10, Lots 1 to 9, Bloc 3 summit Avenue Heights Add. to Medford.
 Saint Anthony, Inc., to Charles A. Wing, Q. C. D. \$10 Ld in Sec. 19 Twp 37 S. R. 1 West.
 C. F. Tilton et ux to Andrew V. Hood et ux, W. D. \$10, N 1/2 of NE, of SW of NW Sec. 14, Twp 39, S. R. 1 East.
 Irma wood et vir to Clara M. Wood deed \$10, Ld in DLC 59 Twp 37 S. R. 2 West.
 J. W. McBride to C. H. Howell, et al, W. D. \$10 Ld in DLC 60 Twp 37 S. R. 2 West.
 Earl Godding et ux to L. E. Stennett, et ux, W. D. \$10, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, Block 45, Railroad Add. to Phoenix.
 Austin L. Taylor et ux to Earl Moore et al Q. C. D. \$1, Ld in Sec. 32 Twp 34 S. R. 4 West.
 Charles A. Obenchain et ux to Charles A. Edmondson et ux, W. D. \$10, Lot 4, Blk 6, Butte Falls.
 City of Medford to William E. Pinne et ux, W. D. \$1, Lot 13, Blk 1, Medford Heights Add to Medford.
 Owen Oregon Lumber Co., to Charles Edmondson, deed \$10, lot 1, Blk 21, Butte Falls.
 Frank A. Pefley et ux to R. A. Atwood et ux, W. D. \$10, Ld in DLC 42 Twp 37 S. R. 1 West.
 City of Medford to Harold Leonard et ux, W. O. \$1, Lot 17, Blk 2, Medford Heights Add.
 R. V. Williams et ux to Earl W. Moore et al, W. D. \$10, Ld in Sec. 3 Twp 37 S. R. 2 West.
 County of Jackson to C. H. Howcell et al Q. C. D. \$1, East 200 ft lot 3 Blk 1 of Beattys Add to Medford.
 R. V. Williams et ux to Earl W. Moore et al, Q. C. D. \$170, Lot 1, Blk 2, Oak Park Add. to Central Point.
 Carl A. Hellstrom et ux to Olof Olsen et ux W. D. \$10 Ld in DLC 42 Twp 37 S. R. 2 West.
 Maude Farlow to Pine Belt Banking Co., deed \$10 Ld in Secs 11 and 13 Twp 37 S. R. 2 East.
 Dominic Brace et al to L. H. Gallatin, Q. C. D. \$10, SW of SE, SE of SW, E 1/2 of SW of SW Sec. 17 Twp 38 S. R. 1 East.
 J. C. Barnes et ux to A. W. Ma-? son e. ux W. D. \$10, Ld in DLC 88 Twp 37 S. R. 2 West.
 K. M. Moty et al to William A. Walters et ux W. D. \$1, Lot 3, Blk 6, Park Add. to Medford.
 J. T. Garner et ux to Charles Avery et ux, W. D. \$10 Lots 17 and 18, Block J, Railroad Add to Ashland.
 Alma Bray to The Grosvenor Inglish Holding Corporation, Inc., deed \$10, W. 100 feet Lot 8, Blk 33, Coolidge Add. to Ashland.
 Annie Maria Parker et vir to Flora E. Barnes, W. D. \$10, Lots 3, 4, 5, and 10, Parker Place Add to Medford.
 Flora E. Barnes etv ir, to Henry G. Wolff, W. D. \$10, Lot 3 and pt lot 4, Parker Place Add. to Medford.
 Roy E. Cochran et ux to Ida Mae Smith et vir, deed \$37.50, 1-8 int in lot 6, Blk 32, Central Point.
 Ida Mae Smith et vir to G. B. Hopkins et al W. D. \$20, lot 6, Blk 32, Central Point.
 Carroll S. Bertelson et ux to Anna M. Bertelson, W. D. \$1 Lots 1, 12, 13, 14, 15 16, 17 Creson Heights Add to Medford.
 Bert Anderson to Eva Evans Anderson, W. D. \$10, Lot 12, Blk 1, Highland Park Add. to Medford.
 Bert Anderson et ux to T. W. Miles deed \$10, N. 90 ft lots 8 and 9 N. 90 ft of W. 5 ft lot 7, Blk 55, Medford.

Hazel I. Haberly et vir to Charles Avery et ux, W. D. \$10, Lots 17 & 18 Blk J, Railroad Add to Ashland.
 E. R. Barker to Walter H. Stickel et ux Q. C. D. \$1 Lot 9, Glk 2, Gold Hill.
 G. H. Layman et ux to W. B. Short W. D. \$10 NE of SE Sec. 23 Twp 39 S. R. 2 West.
 Ingvall Ingvallson et u to Albert I. Ingvallson et al W. D. \$1, Lots 3 and 4, S 1/2 of NW Sec. 2 Twp 33, S. R. 4 West.
 T. B. Roberts et ux to eorge A. Traux et ux, W. D. \$2100 Ld in Sec. 6 Twp 38 S. R. 4 West.
 Louis J. Gay et ux to Charles B. Gay, W. D. \$10, Ld in Sec. 10 Twp 37 S. R. 3 West.
 G. A. Chinnock et vir to R. A. Corliss et ux, W. D. \$1, W 1/2 to Sec. 28 Twp 40 S. R. 2 West.
 Laura V. Edwards et al to A. Belle Anderson deed \$1, Lot on Main St., in Ashland.
 Ida J. Alexander et al Ida Mae Smith et vir, deed \$393.75 7-8 int in lot 6 Blk 32, entral Point.
 Florence F. McCudry to O. O. Alenderfer et ux W. D. \$10, Lot 3, Blk 1, umjhery Knight Add to Medford.
 T. W. Miles et ux to Bert Anderson et ux deed \$10 N. 90 ft lots 8 and

9 and 7, Blk 55, Medford.
 Flora E. Barnes et vir to Henry G. Wolff Q. C. D. \$1, Lt 3 t lot 4, Parker Place Add. to Medford.
 William Ulrich et ux to James E. Stanfield et ux Q. C. D. \$1, Lot 7 Blk 1, Grays Add to Medford
 E. T. Newbry et ux to Elsie Newbry Williams et ux W. D. \$1, Ld in DLC 57 Twp 38 S. R. 1 West.
 E. T. Newbry et ux to E. Lester Newbry et ux W. D. \$1, Ld in DLC 57 Twp 38 S. R. 1 West.
 N. H. Harrison et ux to D. J. Howe et ux W. D. \$1, No. 20 feet of Lot 9, Blk 4 Park Add to Medford.
 It is an everlasting duty—the duty to be brave.—Thomas Carlyle.
 Never attempt to bear more than one kind of trouble at once. Some people bear three kinds—all they have had, all they have now, and all they expect to have.—Edward Everett Hale.
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The National Farm News will give a \$250 cash prize to the person who sends in the largest list of correctly spelled words made from letters in "FARM PROTECTION," provided the list is accompanied by \$1.00 to cover one new yearly subscription to The National Farm News. There are no strings tied to this offer—it is all right before you in this announcement. Just make up your list of words on a plain sheet of paper and send it in with one yearly subscription to The National Farm News at \$1.00. There is positively nothing else you need do.

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1. The object of the Contest is to make as many words as possible from the letters in "Farm Protection." A letter may be used only as many times in a word as it appears in "Farm Protection." For instance, a word may contain only one "E" as that letter appears only once in "Farm Protection."
2. All words shown in the dictionary will be counted in case they contain only the letters appearing in key word. Words spelled alike with different meanings will be counted as one word. Both singulars and plurals may be used, and both be counted provided they are in the dictionary.
3. The Contest is open to anyone living any place in the United States. No regular salaried employee of The National Farm News or any of their relatives may enter.
4. Collaboration is permissible but collaborating parties must not submit more than one list. Any list sent in that may lead the judges to believe because of duplication of similar try—they have been compiled by one and the same person or group of persons, will be rejected and not counted.
5. In case of a tie, duplicate prizes will be awarded.
6. Webster's New International Dictionary, 1926 edition, will be used in determining the correctness of words.
7. Words must be written on one side of the paper only and must be numbered consecutively. No list will be counted which does not conform to this rule. Prepare your list neatly. Name and address must appear on each sheet.
8. These executive officers of The National Farm News will act as judges in the Contest, and contestants agree to accept their decision as final and conclusive.
9. All lists of words and accompanying subscriptions must bear a postmark not later than Saturday March 24, 1927. Each list must be accompanied by a yearly subscription to The National Farm News at \$1.00, and all such lists will be promptly acknowledged. Winners will be announced in The National Farm News.

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