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EDITORIALS

AN EYE-OPENER

The publicity departments of the various Federal bureaus which publicize Federal electric power projects, have caused many uninformed persons to think that such plans have made our war production program possible.

What should be understood is that without the private electric industry which has furnished better than 85 per cent of all the power required in the United States for all purposes, our war production would have been impossible. It has met every war requirement without delay and without impairment of its peacetime service to the public.

Figures have just been released that will be a shock to persons who have come to believe that Boulder Dam, Bonneville and Grand Coulee dwarf private electric generating capacity. Now it appears that the output of the highly-taxed Pacific Gas & Electric Company of San Francisco, alone, exceeds each of the tax-exempt Federal projects mentioned, and almost equals all three combined. The P. G. & E.'s 1944 capacity will be 90 per cent greater than Boulder Dam, and 48.7 per cent greater than Bonneville and Grand Coulee, 1,764,611 horsepower.

Likewise, the P. G. & E. far surpasses the Federal systems as to the number of war industries, served with electric power. During 1943, for instance, Bonneville and Grand Coulee served 15 large war industries, including 6 aluminum plants, which took nearly four-fifths of the system's power, and 15 military establishments.

In contrast, P. G. & E. served approximately 27,100 industrial plants and affiliated operations, which took half its power, the rest going to domestic, commercial and agricultural users. Included in the industrial plants were 40 shipyards and allied plants, 33 iron and steel plants, 4 magnesium plants, 7 cement plants, 43 oil fields, 4 oil refineries, 26 chemical plants, 126 food processing plants, 111 miscellaneous enterprises, and 26,700 small industrial plants. The company also served 80 military establishments.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Copinger and daughter of Roseburg were in Central Point to attend the funeral services for Mr. Wallace Casbeer.

A BUS DRIVER'S VERSION OF HITLER NOW AND LATER

Over there across the waters
Rules a beast in form of man
And the simple people trust him
Tho with blood he dyes the land.

How he sprang up from the gutter
To the ranks of one supreme
Reads just like a fairy story
Or perchance one's wildest dream.

When he scowls, the people tremble,
They crawl off and hide in fear
For they know if they displease him,
Death for them is very near.

Young men, brave men, countless numbers
As in an ever-flowing stream
Born and raised for cannon fodder
To fulfill the demon's dream.

And for years he's planned destruction
Now he struts and shouts in glee.
No one must be left in Europe
Who doesn't think the same as he.

Ah! tho in the world he conquers
He shall some day pass away
And when he stands at the portals
I can hear St. Peter say.

You have killed and slaughtered millions
In your greed for power and might
Go thou to the lower regions
Into ever-lasting night.

And I'm sorry for the devil
And the sinners there below
For you will pollute their kingdom
But it's there you'll have to go.

So you need not ask for mercy
For it was never in your line.
The folks on earth know your destination
And ther think it's plenty fine.

—Smithy.

South America As Seen by Local Lady

Mrs. Mildred Swain is writing to her mother, Mrs. E. E. Scott, from South America, where she is with her husband, who is employed by the government rubber research.

Continued from last week

Last week we were without water in the house for three days because of a shortage of labor to supply wood for the water pumps of the city. We have two storage tanks in the house—one over the laundry room and one over the bathroom upstairs, however when the force is weak the water will not flow into the tanks and consequently we and thousands of others were hauling water. Some people have trucks or can hire them from Brazilians however there were not enough American houses in this district to warrant a truck load of water and since they won't haul less our only means of getting water was via taxicab loaded down with containers. Finally a trickle of water started in the park out in front of our house and servants from the block-square park ran post haste to get water, including our own. I should say all our servants except the Brazilian laundress and when I told her to get some buckets and hurry, hurry before the water went off, she smiled her silly smile and slowly shuffled to the entrance and hid behind the door. I came out a minute later and found her there and, for the first time since my arrival here, I was able to sputter a string of Portuguese a mile long, get her back to the kitchen and pay her off on the spot. Usually when I get a bit angry or provoked with the girls I can't think of anything but English to say to them, of course, they Nao Comprehend. It was lunch time and Joe was home and when I came back to the dining room he was laughing away and said: "Don't ever tell me you can't think of anything to say in Portuguese when you get mad for it sounded like a Tommy gun going off."

Anyway she was out of the place in three minutes. The laundress problem is settled now, I hope, with this elderly woman doing the work.

(To be continued.)

First Grade News

We have 49 children in the first grade now.

We have a new boy.
He is Jimmy Wayman.
He went to school at Prospect.
We are happy to have Jimmy.
Carl can not come yet.
Get well, Carl and come soon.
We want to see you.
Raymond and Darrel are not happy today.

They can not find their little puppies. Please help to find them. The boys will be happy to see their pets.
Where, Oh where did they go?
Darrel's puppy is brown and white.
Raymond's puppy is brown with white feet.
We buy stamps on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Griffiths, Raymond and Patty Lou were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Glass Sunday.

FIVE YEARS AGO THIS WEEK

Mrs. Henry Kilburn entertained with a birthday party in honor of her daughter Muriel's 17th birthday

this week. Dainty refreshment were served and every one reported a jolly time.

Mayor A. E. Powell sets Wednesday, April 5, as annual clean up day.

Everett Faber gives message to the civic club Wednesday afternoon.

Nevita Chapter gives Natal day quarterly party. The group having the first quarter, used the valentine motif and won the prize. Mrs. Ed Vincent was in charge. Second quarter group was under Mrs. Della Tex and Mrs. Bertha Bonney. Third group, July, August and September were Mrs. Ellis Clark and Mrs. Merritt Swing. Mesdames Carl Bennett, Walt Massie, Montella Freeland, Paul Anderson and Marie Stone had the last quarter and were winners last year. Each group fixed up a table using some occasion, typical of their months.

A group of friends gathered for a surprise birthday party on Mrs. Lettie Gregory.

Miss Carol Furry has contract for school, starting next fall at Prospect. She will teach the 4th and 5th grade.

TEN YEARS AGO

Miss Helen Smith was an overnight guest of Mrs. Maynard Putney Saturday.

Mr. Woodbridge bought a harness of Alexander's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Noel of Rose-

NOMINATE—

William P. Tucker

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NORTHBOUND LEAVING CENTRAL POINT

4:19 A. M.
8:39 A. M.
11:24 A. M.
11:34 A. M.
2:19 P. M.
10:09 P. M.
10:49 P. M.

SOUTHBOUND LEAVING CENTRAL POINT

5:46 A. M.
6:16 A. M.
10:41 A. M.
6:31 P. M.
10:16 P. M.
12:36 A. M.

Procure Ticket from Driver for The Present



GREYHOUND

SERVING THE NATION WITH DEPENDABLE TRANSPORTATION

burg were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Scott last week.

D. D. Randall, Ted Hill and Albert Milton were elected new members of the Federated Church board recently.

Little Johnny Deuel is on the road to recovery after an attack of the chicken pox.

The Carnation club met last week with Mrs. Clem Gleason.

Mr. and Mrs. Perl Bonney were shopping in Central Point Tuesday. Mr. Bonney is much improved but is not able to work yet.

Legal Notices

SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR JACKSON COUNTY

JOHN JONUSKA, also known as John Janeska, Plaintiff,
ANNA JONUSKA, also known as Anna Janeska; also known as Anna Rusnock, Defendant.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT, ANNA JONUSKA, also known as Anna Janeska, also known as Anna Rusnock:
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 four weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and to fail so to appear and answer is a complaint, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to

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