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THE WEEK'S BUSINESS.

The following is reprinted from Dun's Review:

There is the customary midsummer pause in mercantile and industrial activity, yet the volume of transaction continues large and confidence is fully sustained. Conservatism remains general in most channels, but this is tempered with a degree of optimism that reflects a favorable sentiment as to the future. That the trend of business still forward is evidenced by current statistics of trade movements, total bank clearings this week being 5.9 per cent. in excess of last year but 0.2 percent below 1911. This loss, however, is to a great extent doubtless due to the prevailing dullness in the speculative markets at New York, the increase of 7.7 per cent. at outside cities clearly indicating that the business of the country is on a stable basis. Expansion is still noted in traffic returns, railroad gross earnings for the first two weeks of July surpassing those of last year by 3.9 per cent. and those of two years ago by 5.7 per cent. The transporting companies continue to limit purchases of equipment to well-defined needs, but signs of improvement are apparent in iron and steel, with the leading producer reporting a slight enlargement in new orders. Spot goods in the primary dry goods market are in steady demand and prices are very well maintained, as stocks are limited. There is moderate buying of novelties and a better spring business in underwear and hosiery than last year, and in some cases bleached cottons are oversold for the next two months. Trading in sole leather is checked somewhat by scarce supplies and, as shoe manufacturers are operating only for immediate requirements, upper leather is accumulating. A good many footwear buyers are in the Boston market and current demand is larger than for some time past. Hot weather in the southwest had a detrimental effect on corn, but, generally considered, crop prospects reflect betterment, particularly in respect to cotton. The aggregate of foreign commerce for the latest week reported was smaller than for the same period of the two years immediately preceding, the decline being due entirely to a falling off in merchandise exports.

Each week records some progress in iron and steel, evidences of improvement becoming more and more apparent. One of the best features of the situation is the renewed buying by implement firms, 30,000 tons having recently been taken by those interests. Not only does the volume of new business show an expansion but some good sized contracts are pending, especially on bar business in agricultural machinery lines.

AUTOMOBILE EXPORTS.

According to figures just compiled by the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, department of commerce, forty million dollars' worth of automobiles and parts thereof were sent out of the continental United States in the fiscal year 1913, against about 1 million dollars' worth in 1903, a decade earlier. These figures of 1913 include twenty-six million dollars' worth of finished automobiles sent to foreign countries, about 2 1/2 million dollars' worth to Hawaii and Porto Rico, 4 million dollars' worth of tires, 2 million dollars' worth of automobile engines, and 5 1/4 million dollars' worth of parts other than tires and engines. It was only in 1902 that the exports of automobiles became sufficient to justify a separate record of this class of merchandise, the figures for that year, including the separate parts, being less than one million dollars. In 1907, five years later, they were but 6 million,

and in 1910, approximately 12 million dollars in value.

The number of machine exports to foreign countries in 1913 was 25,000, against 7,000 in 1910, and a little less than 3,000 in 1907, the first year in which the number was stated in the export records of the country. The average price at which they were exported was about \$1,700 each in 1907. The 1913 exports included about 1,000 commercial automobiles at an average valuation of \$1,800 each and 24,000 other machines at an average price of about \$1,000 each.

The imports of automobiles in the fiscal year 1913 were less than 2 million dollars' value, against over 4 million in 1907, and the average price of those imported in 1913 about \$2,300 each, against \$3,400 in 1907.

The distribution of American automobiles extends to all parts of the world, the figures for the fiscal year 1913 showing exports to 75 countries and colonies. Bulgaria, Roumania, Servia, Turkey, Greece, the Azores, the Canary Islands, the West Indies, Siam, the Dutch East Indies, Russia in Asia, Korea, French Oceania, Egypt, China, Japan, and India are included in the list of countries named as the destination of the exports of the year, while the list includes also practically every country of Europe, South America and North America.

THE ANNUAL TRAGEDY.

At midnight tonight the deer season in Oregon will open, and before daylight tomorrow morning many hunters will doubtless have started for the woods. Some of these will be experienced woodsmen; others will be novices—"tenderfeet" is the scornful western term. Some of them will know when to shoot and when not to shoot; others will not. Some of them will refuse to shoot at mere moving bushes under any circumstances whatever; others will not.

Every year Oregon, along with other states where deer are shot, has to report a number of "mistaken for deer" fatalities. Ever year people go into the woods strong and hearty and full of life, and are carried out stark and cold, struck down by the bullet of some careless friend with a gun. Every year there is an increase in the number of those who mourn for lost relatives, and, scarcely less pitiful, those who regret forever afterward the rash act that made them the slayer of a fellow man.

All of this sorrow and heartache and tragedy is the result of carelessness. Some eager hunter with a rifle in his hands sees the bushes moving—possibly sees the indistinct outline of a moving form. He fires. The unkind fate that watches over such occurrences guides his bullet true, and there is a cry, and then stillness. In fact, if not in the eyes of law, the man who fired the reckless shot is a murderer. For the rest of his life his hands will bear the red stain.

The pity of all this is that it is so easily avoided. If the eager hunter will only stay his finger on the trigger till he sees the clearly defined form of a buck, his companions will be safe, and he will be spared from a lifetime of remorse.

It is a foolish moment when the man who has come far for sport sees a commotion in the underbrush, and believes that the leaves and twigs screen the quarry that he is seeking. The temptation to shoot first and inquire afterward is strong. But the price of a hasty shot may be the life of a companion.

It is better to let all the deer in the woods escape than to kill a man by mistake.—Eugene Register.

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SCHOOLS OF STATE GET ALLOWANCE OF \$360,711

State Treasurer Will Make Apportionment Today; Interest Paid on Fund.

Salem, Or., Aug. 1.—Interest on the irrevocable school fund for apportionment among the schools this year, as determined by the State Land Board, will be \$360,711.30, as against \$352,481.16 last year. The amount for each child this year will be \$1.83, as against \$1.80 last year. State Treasurer Kay will make the announcement of the apportionments today. The apportionment to be received by Linn county is \$15,253.05, having 8,335 children of school age. Benton county is to get \$6,926.55, having 3,785 school children. Lane county, \$21,670.86, with 11,842 children and Marion county \$24,606.18, with 13,446.

The front of Sam Worrrell's grocery store has been greatly improved by a coat of maroon paint.

D. P. Mason and family left on the noon train today for Newport.

ATTORNEYS ARE SCORED FOR PERMITTING INGLE INTERVIEW

Remains of Murdered Wife and Suicide Husband Taken to Woodburn and Corvallis.

Woodburn, Or., July 31.—Mrs. M. Bradley, mother of Mrs. Dora Ingle, is prostrated over the murder of her daughter. The body of Mrs. Ingle was brought here today for interment tomorrow.

Friends of Mrs. Ingle criticize her Salem attorneys for leaving Ingle and his wife in a room together. It is claimed that Ingle had made open threats to shoot his wife if she did not return to him and that the attorneys knew of these threats.

Corvallis, Or., July 31.—The body of Fred W. Ingle, who killed himself and wife yesterday was brought to Corvallis today. The funeral services will be held Friday, followed by interment at Newton Cemetery.

There is universal regret in this vicinity over the tragedy and much sympathy is expressed for the Ingle family. The parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ingle, and a brother, Calvin, reside here and there are three sisters elsewhere in the state.

CORVALLIS FIREMEN ARE PRACTICING FOR TOURNEY

Assistant Fire Chief H. L. Winkley had the boys out last night limbering up for tournament events. The boys got down to business, laid hose and then planned things for a sweeping victory here on September 1st. The fire boys say they can not expect to win, however, unless there is a greater turnout for practice. But a month remains and it will take some speeding.—Corvallis Times.

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County. Department No. 2.

H. H. Blough, plaintiff,
vs.
Mabel Blough, defendant.

To Mabel Blough, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled suit on or before the 10th day of September, 1913, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as herein required the plaintiff will apply to the above named Court for the relief prayed for in his said complaint, namely: for a decree of the above entitled Court forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between the plaintiff and defendant herein, and for such further order and decree as to the Court may seem just and proper.

This summons is published in the Semi-Weekly Democrat, a semi-weekly newspaper, published in and of general circulation in Linn County, Oregon, for six consecutive weeks, beginning with the issue of July 29th, 1913, and ending with the issue of September 9th, 1913, under and pursuant to an order of Hon. D. B. McKnight, County Judge of Linn County, Oregon, dated this 25th day of July, 1913.

T. J. STITES,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

July 29, A4-11-18-25

CITATION

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Linn County.

In the matter of the estate and guardianship of D. C. Flint; an incompetent.

To D. C. Flint, Mrs. William McCoy, Herbert Barber, Mrs. Alma Cummings, Rolla A. White, Lillian H. White, Harry Leon White, Mrs. L. M. Howe, Mrs. C. E. Bailey, and Mrs. J. H. O'Brien, and all others interested in said estate, greeting:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Linn, at the court room thereof, at Albany, in said county, on Tuesday the 2nd day of Sept., 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any, why an order of sale should not be made by the above entitled court in the above entitled matter authorizing and empowering A. G. Knapp, as guardian of the person and estate of D. C. Flint, an incompetent, to sell all of the real estate of said incompetent, to-wit: Beginning at the Southwest corner of Claim sixty (60), township ten (10), south, range two (2) west of the Willamette Meridian, in Linn county, Oregon, running thence east forty (40) chains to the southeast corner of Section thirty-four (34), thence north on the east boundary of said section thirty-four a distance of seven (7) chains to the center of Crabtree creek; thence down said creek to a point eight and fifty hundredths (8.50) chains north from the south boundary of said Claim sixty (60), thence west thirty-four (34) chains thence south eight and fifty hundredths (8.50) chains to the place of beginning, containing thirty-three (33) more or less, all in Linn County, Oregon.

Witness, the Hon. D. B. McKnight, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Linn, with the Seal of said Court affixed this 24th day of July, A. D. 1913. (SEAL) W. L. MARKS, Clerk.

July 28-A4-11-18-25

LIFE-SAVING DRILL IS BIG FEATURE

Summer Visitors at Newport Appreciate Rare Sight and Marvel at Crew's Skill.

Newport, Or., July 30.—(Special to Democrat.)—One of the most distinctive features of Newport as a summer resort is the regular weekly drill of the U. S. life saving crew. Every Wednesday the crew gives a drill on the jetty beach and a capsizing drill on the bay.

These drills furnish a rare sight to summer visitors. There are but 14 life saving stations on the Pacific Coast, only three or four being on the Oregon coast.

The Newport crew, consisting of Captain Charles D. Smart, Joseph Briggs, Crosby Matthews, William Allen, Rich Chatterton, August Blatter, L. F. Going, Beryl King and Anton Gustafson, is considered to be one of the best on the coast.

The station is located in the old lighthouse in the north entrance to the harbor and is one of the many places of interest in this vicinity.

Albany people seen at Newport recently are numerous. Miss Vera Mixer is enjoying an outing at Nye Beach.

Mrs. R. B. Miller is a guest at the Bradshaw. Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Cox are passing a few days at Nye Beach.

Misses Lilly Button and Bertha Michelson were passengers on the steamer Newport Saturday.

O. E. Hodlin, was a Saturday visitor here. Mrs. George Dorr is spending a few days at this resort.

Mrs. H. J. Kavanaugh and sister, Mrs. Neil Berry, of Portland, are enjoying an outing at the resort.

Mrs. I. C. Hammett and daughter, Miss Blanche, spent the week end here as guests of the Abbey.

C. L. Thrasher left Friday after spending two days at the seaside.

F. C. Pate and wife arrived on Saturday's boat and registered at the Nicolai.

Lele R. Bigbee was an arrival on Friday night's boat. Mr. Bigbee is recovering from an accident which occurred to him a few weeks ago.

Clay Bain is a guest at the cottage of S. M. Garland, of Lebanon, for a few days.

Mrs. Pearl Leibold is camped at Nye Beach. Neil Bain, cashier of the Albany State Bank and sister, Miss Elsie, were week-end guests at the Garland cottage.

Professor J. C. Burton of Burton's Business College, registered at the Nicolai Sunday.

Dr. W. B. Wallace is in Newport for an outing. Last week Mrs. Rocky E. Mason entertained the following guests at the Nicolai cottage: Nye Beach: Miss Florence Barrett, of San Francisco; Mrs. Eva Corbett and Mrs. E. I. Stratnam, of Chicago; Mrs. P. A. Vance, Miss Flora Mason, Miss Eva Simpson, Harry Morton, Harry Hawkins and Robert Roberts, of Albany; C. W. Feick, Phillip Von der Kar, and Richard Mullen, of Portland.

Registration of Land Title.
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County.

In the matter of the application of Allan C. Stelmacher to register the title to the lands described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the South boundary line of Block No. 63, in the City of Albany, in Linn County, Oregon, which is 66.92 feet Easterly from the Southwest corner of said Block; thence running North 9 degrees West parallel with the West boundary line of said Block, 110.07 feet; thence North 81 degrees East parallel with the South boundary line of said Block, 66.89 feet to the middle of said block; thence South 9 degrees East parallel with the West boundary line of said Block, 110.07 feet to the South boundary line of said block, thence West on the South boundary line of said Block 66.92 feet to the place of beginning, and commonly known as Lot 7 in Block 63.

All Whom It May Concern, Defendants:
To All Whom It May Concern: Take notice, that on the 26th day of July, 1913, an application was filed by said Allan C. Stelmacher in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County, for initial registration of the title to the land above described. Now unless you appear on or before the 10th day of September, 1913, and show cause why such application shall not be granted, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree will be entered according to the prayer of the application and you will be forever barred from disputing the same.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Circuit Court this 26th day of July, A. D. 1913. (SEAL) W. L. MARKS, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County. HEWITT & SOX, Attorneys for Applicant. July 29 A 3-12-19-26

SCORES OF ALBANY PEOPLE ARE OUTING AT CASCADIA

Dennis Merrill and G. T. Hockensmith Have Prettiest Camps on Grounds.

Cascadia, Or., Aug. 1.—(Special to Democrat.)—This delightful summer resort is well visited by people from Albany and other valley towns.

Because of the late rains the crowds have been slow in coming but the last few warm days are bringing them in fast. Among the prettiest camps on the grounds are those of Dennis Merrill and G. T. Hockensmith of Albany and R. C. Glover, of Salem, secretary to Congressman Hawley. However, all the camps are very attractive.

Bonfires and taffy pulls are a popular diversion of the evening. The young people of F. H. Coffin's camp, "The Kikers," of Lebanon, gave the largest affair so far this season.

Fishing has been good and everybody has had their share of fish through the generosity of the lucky fishermen.

The hunting season promises big results as W. C. Burkhart has seen several deer while fishing. Mr. Burkhart has gained a reputation around the hotel by his long tramps in fishing or exploring the mountains.

Several parties have gone to the top of Hurricane Deck this year from which a view of the surrounding country is wonderful.

The weather is delightful here and the soda water and hot baths are very popular. The roads are in good shape again and many cars are coming in.

Among the Albany people seen around the Springs the last few days are: W. C. Burkhart and wife, Dr. R. C. Hunt, Dan Johnston, Rufus Russell, Henry Volstedt, Miss Mary Lines, Dr. V. C. Litter and wife, Dennis Merrill and wife, G. T. Hockensmith and family and Miss Sanders, Miss Wilma Davis, Miss Sadie Smith, Miss Vienna Smith, and Mr. Veal and family.

YESTERDAY WAS WARMEST DAY OF SEASON HERE

Electrical Storm in Mountains Serves to Cool Atmosphere of Evening.

Yesterday was the warmest day of the year when the mercury shot up the tube to 100. The maximum was registered in the afternoon between 3 and 4 o'clock.

The severe heat was not so noticeable in the afternoon but shortly after 12 o'clock the heat wave increased in severity and from then on an almost perceptible rise in the mercury could be noted. The temperature, however, did not remain at the 100 mark very long as an electrical storm appeared in the Cascade mountains shortly after 4 o'clock, serving to cool the atmosphere.

The storm raged through the rest of the afternoon and a portion of the evening. Flashes of lightning from masses of heavy clouds overhanging the Cascades at intervals brightened a clear sky over this section of the valley throughout the evening. The minimum temperature recorded last night was 54 degrees.

COMMERCIAL CLUB TO AID MINES BUREAU

The Albany Commercial club will co-operate with the Oregon Bureau of Mines and Geology toward the development of the mining industries of this section of the state. At the request of the bureau the club has named a special committee upon mining, which will work with the bureau toward that end. This committee consists of A. M. Hammer, Waldo Anderson and John McChesney.

Burford Payne will leave August 9 for Berkeley, California, to enter the state university for a four years' course in economics.

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County. Department No. 2.

Chas. Kolb, Plaintiff,
vs.
Elizabeth Kolb, Defendant.

To Elizabeth Kolb, the above named defendant:

In the Name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff in the above entitled court and cause, now on file in the office of the clerk of the said court, on or before the 26th day of August, 1913, the same being the last day of the time prescribed in the order for publication thereof; and if you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as herein required, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint, viz: a decree of divorce dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem just and equitable.

This summons is served on you by publication in the Semi-Weekly Democrat by order of the Honorable D. B. McKnight, county judge of Linn County, made the 10th day of July, 1913.

The date of the first publication of this summons is July 15, 1913. The last date of publication is August 26, 1913. ELMER RICHARDSON, Attorney for Plaintiff. WJy-15-22-29-A5-12-19-26

WAGE NOT FACTOR IN STRIKE THREATS

Trainmen Ask Interchange of Jobs from Electric to Steam Lines.

Portland, Or., Aug. 1.—(Special to Democrat.)—No question of wages or conditions of employment enters into the controversy between the Southern Pacific company and its conductors and trainmen who are threatening to call a strike unless their demands for interchange of positions between the steam and electric lines or from electric line to steam road, alone enters into the situation.

QUESTION OF SENIORITY IS INCLUDED IN ISSUE

President Strahorn Makes a Statement Concerning Attitude of P. E. & E.

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This difficulty has arisen through the electrification of a part of the Southern Pacific's steam lines radiating out of Portland and the proposed strike is of peculiar interest here.

It is regretted that the statement has been made in newspapers that the proposed strike of trainmen on the Southern Pacific system is based on the announced intention of the management of the Portland, Eugene & Eastern electrical system to reduce the wage scale of conductors and trainmen," said President Robert E. Strahorn.

There is no controversy as to wages or hours of labor involved in the proposed strike.

The strike hinges on the demand by the train crews that conductors and brakemen employed on the steam lines of the Southern Pacific system shall have interchangeable rights on the electric interurban trains of the Portland, Eugene & Eastern system, which is separate and distinct and separately administered.

There is as much difference between operating a steamboat and an automobile. The men who are skilled in steam operation are not familiar with handling electrical trains, and in the interest of public safety this company is insisting on employing train crews in whose care it believes it is safe to intrust the lives of the thousands of passengers it will carry each day.

If the company conceded the demands of conductors and brakemen the electric company would be compelled to accept the services of any steam trainmen who was next in line for promotion. If we needed a man we would be expected to notify the Southern Pacific officials and they would be compelled to tender the position to the first man on the list, regardless of his skill and efficiency.

At the meeting with the committee from the unions at San Francisco it was agreed that the Portland, Eugene & Eastern Railway company would retain every conductor and brakeman employed on the electrified lines in the Willamette valley at the present union scale of wages when such line should begin operation under the management of the electric company.

It is to be regretted that the strike situation has developed just at a time when the money market of the world are in a bad condition. The influence of the threatened strike will be far reaching and will further embarrass plans of financing our great Oregon development scheme and needed extensions thereof.

AGED PIONEER OF UPPER VALLEY PASSES AWAY AT 80

Eugene, Oregon, July 31.—John Moorehouse, a pioneer of the Upper Willamette river country, died at his home at Jasper, Sunday, aged eighty-two years. He had been a resident of the Upper Willamette for thirty years and was well known to everybody in that section. In later years he became a great angler and caught more trout in the river than any other man in that neighborhood and was always sought by outside fishermen as a guide. He is survived by his wife, four sons and two daughters. The body was interred in Mount Vernon cemetery. Rev. R. G. Callison, a personal friend of the deceased for many years, conducted the services.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has this day filed his final account as administrator of the estate of Henry Muehlenhoff, deceased, and the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, has fixed Monday, the 11th day of August, 1913, at the hour of one o'clock p. m. for the settlement of said account and the hearing of objections thereto. Any and all persons having objections to said account are hereby notified and required to be present in the above entitled Court at said time and present such objections as they may have to said account.

Dated July 3, 1913. LLOYD G. ANDERSON, Administrator of the Estate of Henry Muehlenhoff, Deceased. GALE S. HILL, Attorney for Administrator.

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