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WHAT IS WRONG WITH OREGON?

What is the matter with Oregon? What is the matter with the Willamette valley? What is the matter with Lane county financially? Some say it is the Democratic administration. Others say it is the result of the Democratic free trade policy. Still others say it is the war in Europe. Who is right?

Does an administration, or tariffs, or a war that is remote to the people of this state claim the responsibility of causing a financial depression in our commonwealth? It seems that products produced and sold on the markets of the world should have a strong influence on a state's wealth. Does Oregon produce enough manufactured or agricultural products to make it financially independent? Is this state not short in her production of marketable products? Does this condition have any relation to our financial prosperity?

We hear it stated many times that the free trade policy of the Democratic administration has caused disaster to Oregon's lumber trade. This policy may have caused many mills to cease operation, but this condition should not effect the whole state. The lumber produced in Oregon in the best times has only been one seventh of the state's total commercial production. Practically three fourths of the products of the soil that are sold on the foreign market are products of the soil. Oregon is primarily an agricultural state. The people of Oregon must depend largely on their natural resources and on the products of the farm for their incomes. If our main source of wealth is the land then we should develop the land.

Besides wealth derived from timber and mines in Lane county our largest income is from the farm. There are 682,592 acres of tillable land in Lane county that are privately owned. Only 125,932 acres, or less than one fifth of the available land for cultivation is put to actual use in this county. If we want prosperity in this part of the country why do we not secure more real farmers to till the land. We need agricultural advancement in this county more than any other kind of industrial progress. We have the farms, but we do not have the farmers. We need to raise crops to sell from our land instead of raising capital to hold the land for speculation.

WAR BENEFITS
 During the first nine months of 1916 the United States exported \$3,991,880,000 worth of commodities. At least 25 per cent of the total or \$997,970,000 was received for munitions of war. This is the greatest export business this county has ever known. In spite of the fact that most of the business is done with Eu-

rope and that is only temporary there is a certain kind of trade that is being developed by American exporters that will be permanent.

Before the war in Europe the United States ranked fifth or sixth in the trade with South America, Germany, England and France controlled practically every market in South America. The merchants and manufacturers of the United States could not compete with Europe for this trade.

When German banks were closed after the war opened, Americans went into the same cities and opened up American branch banks. When English and French manufacturers could not fill their orders on account of the war manufacturers stepped in and sold their goods to the merchants of Latin America.

With this new trade new steamship lines have been started between ports in the United States and those in the Southern continent. Means of communication have been improved. New York has become the world's financial center in place of London and Paris. All things have favored the American trader in South America. This will be permanently established business that will increase each year and will remain after the war in Europe is ended.

At the Christian Church, Chris H. Jensen, Pastor.

Next Sunday will be observed as "members homecoming day." A genuine surprise has been planned, the same to be sprung at the close of the morning sermon. All members are especially invited to be present. We also extend a hearty invitation to all others who wish to attend. Be on hand to enjoy the surprise.

Subjects for Sunday are as follows: Morning, "Three Great Questions;" Evening, "The Christian Soldier."

C. E. topic, "Why Christianity is The Hope of Our Country." Come to a well attended prayer meeting next Wednesday evening. Subject, "The Temptation of Jesus."

HALLOWE'EN

(By Mary E. Sullivan, Marcola, Ore.)
 This old festival once known as All Saints day, has sort of taken another nature. It might now be referred to as All D-s day.

In England, Scotland, and Germany. It was originally a sacred, fire-side gathering evening, referred to in Burns poem Hallowe'en.

Have you heard of the Hallowe'en of long ago?
 Before the world got wicked and heartless you know,
 Before our present age of gold in a German legend 'tis handed down,
 And this is the story it told.

In the far distant days, when saints walked about
 Wore hats, coats and rather crude shoes,
 And that was of course, before cigarette and rats,
 Short skirts, and the daily news.

Well all young folks were saints,
 It was long ago bear in mind
 Everyone was loving, Germans, and true,
 Thoughtful, genial, and kind.
 And Hallowe'ens was always the night to shine
 Not in Jewelry and fine away
 But to see who could help the needy and poor,
 Thus bless and hallow the day.

At eve when the cows were milked,
 And the pigs and the hens were fed,
 And the dishes were washed, and the bread in the sponge,
 And the dear old folks tenderly tucked in their bed,
 And a candle beside them and chair
 And water to drink, and matches there,
 Then the young folks were ready to go.

Go to shed blessings on the young and the old
 Not to destroy property, so the legend told,
 A cake must be given to old Mrs. Brown,

Who long since with the measles has been taken down,
 Another must be given to poor old Ned,
 Who hasn't a tooth in his old gray head,
 A bright rag doll for poor little cripple Bess,
 Some chicken for the minister
 And for his wife a new dress,
 And so they went from home to home,
 And I can't begin to tell you

The good that was done.

Well a change has come and the young folks now
 Would not feed a pig nor milk a cow,
 They would not even put their old parents to bed
 And if they asked for a drink
 They would throw it at their head.

And as for giving a tender cake, to poor old Ned
 He'd be to blame if he did not have false teeth
 In his gray old head.
 Of Twenty Century hair dye, golf shoes
 'T would be his own fault to be old
 If he did not improve the chance
 And these new slim legged pants.

If Mrs. Brown caught the measles they must be slow,
 Let her get rid of them where she got them, that's all I know.

But I for one will go without the chicken and cake
 Rather than live in an age
 Where the people had no more learning than a garden rake
 And when girls wore twelve breadth
 In their every day gown,
 And the men were as awkward as a circus clown

When no one could say, or turkey trot
 And when they had to pay cash for all that they bought
 Where the preacher was so solemn that he could not wink
 I'll stay with old nineteen hundred and sixteen I think.

SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION IN FORECLOSURE OF TAX LIEN

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Lane County
 H. L. Studley, Plaintiff,
 vs.
 Marilda J. Neal McClure, Albert Neal, Mary M. Feris, John Doe Feris, Charles R. Neal, Mrs. Charles R. Neal, Ervin F. Neal, James Neal, Silvie M. Neal, Mrs. Albert Neal, and all persons unknown, if any, having or claiming an interest or estate in and to the hereinafter described real property. Defendants.

To Marilda J. Neal McClure, Albert Neal, Mary M. Feris, John Doe Feris, Charles R. Neal, Mrs. Charles R. Neal, Ervin F. Neal, James Neal, Silvie M. Neal, Mrs. Albert Neal, and all persons unknown, if any, having or claiming an interest or estate in and to the hereinafter described real property the above named defendants.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You are hereby notified that H. L. Studley the holder of Certificate of Delinquency numbered 1229 issued on the 7th day of October, 1912 by the Tax Collector of the County of Lane State of Oregon, for the amount of \$10.80, the same being the amount then due and delinquent for taxes for the year 1912 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:

N. E. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4; S. 1/2 of N. E. 1/4; N. W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 Section 26 Township 16, South Range 2 East of the W. M. in Lane county, State of Oregon, being 160 acres more or less.

You are further notified that said H. L. Studley has paid taxes on said premises for prior or subsequent years with the rate of interest on said amounts as follows:
 On March 21, 1914, the sum of \$12.19 taxes for the year 1913.
 On March 31, 1915 the sum of \$13.33 taxes for the year 1914.
 On April 5, 1916, the sum of \$13.00 taxes for the year 1915.
 All of which amounts bears interest from date of payment at the rate of 15 per cent per annum.

Said above named defendants as the owners 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 H. L. Studley 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 this summons exclusive 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 John S. Coke Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Lane and said order was made and dated the 13th day of September, 1916 and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 14th day of September 1916.

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

L. M. TRAVIS
 Attorney for the Plaintiff
 Address Eugene, Oregon
 Sept. 14, 21, 28, Oct. 5, 12, 19, 26, Nov. 2, 9, 16

SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION IN FORECLOSURE OF TAX LIEN

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Lane County
 H. L. Studley, Plaintiff,
 vs.
 Adam Keller, Mrs. Adam Keller, and all persons unknown, if any, having or claiming an interest or estate in and to the hereinafter described real property, the above named defendants.

County of Lane, State of Oregon, for the amount of \$2.49, the same being the amount then due and delinquent for taxes for the year 1912 together with penalty, interest and costs there on 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:

Lot number fifteen (15), in block number forty two (42) in Chicago Addition to the Town of Florence, Lane county, State of Oregon.
 You are further notified that said H. L. Studley has paid taxes on said premises for prior or subsequent years with the rate of interest on said amounts as follows:
 On March 31, 1915, the sum of \$.56 for taxes for the year of 1914.
 On April 5, 1916, the sum of \$1.22 for taxes for the year of 1915.

All of said amounts bear interest from date of payment at the rate of 15 per cent per annum.

Said Adam Keller 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 H. L. Studley 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 this summons exclusive 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.

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 Attorney for Plaintiff
 Address, Eugene, Oregon.
 Sept. 14, 21, 28, Oct. 5, 12, 19, 26, Nov. 2, 9, 16

LEGAL NOTICE OF SALE OF \$671.09 IMPROVEMENT BONDS OF THE TOWN OF SPRINGFIELD, OREGON

Sealed bids will be received for the purchase of \$671.09 Town of Springfield Improvement Bonds, by the Town Recorder of said Town at his office in the Town Hall, until the 20th day of November, 1916, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock P. M. of said day, at which time and place the bids will be opened and considered by the Common Council of said Town.

Said Bonds will bear interest at a rate of not to exceed 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, shall be dated January 1st, 1916, shall be in denomination of \$100.00 excepting one bond of \$71.09, as may be convenient.

Said Bonds will be sold for the highest price obtainable, but not less than par and accrued interest. Bids will be considered for the purchase of all or any part of said bonds.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. A certified check of \$35.00 will be required as evidence of good faith on the part of the bidder to accept said bonds, if awarded to him, and for failure to accept said bonds if so awarded such check shall be forfeited by the bidder.

These bonds are based on street improvements and offered under the terms of the Bancroft Bonding law as provided by Chapter V, Title XXVI of Lord's Oregon Laws, and as directed by ordinance No. 429 of the Town of Springfield, Oregon.

Dated October 16th, 1916.
 HERBERT E. WALKER
 Town Recorder
 Oct. 19-26-Nov. 2-9-16.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, at Roseburg, Oregon.
 November, 4, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Frank P. McCann, of McKenzie Bridge, Oregon, who, on January 20, 1913, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 08532, for Lots 7 and 8 and S. W. 1/4 S. W. 1/4 Sec. 15, and N. W. 1/4 N. W. 1/4 of Section 22, Township 16 S. Range 5 E, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before I. P. Hewitt, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Eugene, Oregon, on the 18th day of December, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
 Charles L. Taylor, of McKenzie Bridge, Oregon.
 Arthur Belknap, of McKenzie Bridge, Oregon.
 George H. Moody, of McKenzie Bridge, Oregon.
 Walter Boons, of McKenzie Bridge, Oregon.

W. H. CANNON, Register.
 Nov. 6, 9, 13, 16, 20, 23, 27, 30, Dec. 4.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon.
 November, 4, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Charles L. Taylor, of McKenzie Bridge, Oregon, who, on October 25, 1910, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 04697 for the S. 1/4 S. W. 1/4 S. E. 1/4 S. 1/4 S. E. 1/4 S. W. 1/4, Sec. 15, and N. W. 1/4 N. E. 1/4 N. 1/4 S. W. 1/4 N. E. 1/4, N. 1/4 S. 1/2 S. W. 1/4 N. E. 1/4, N. E. 1/4, N. W. 1/4 of Sec. 22, Tp. 16 S. R. Serial No. 08574 for the S. 1/4 S. 1/2 S. W. 1/4 N. E. 1/4 of Section 22 Township 16 S. Range 5 E, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before I. P. Hewitt, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Eugene, Oregon, on the 18th day of December, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
 George Croner, of Eugene, Oregon.
 Alcee Croner, of Eugene, Oregon.
 George Fernald, of McKenzie Bridge, Oregon.
 Arthur Belknap, of McKenzie Bridge, Oregon.
 W. H. CANNON, Register
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The careful man doesn't allow himself to be talked into haphazard investments—he puts his money in the Bank where it is safe for some good business opportunity.

EVERYONE KNOWS THE STORY OF THE ARAB WHO COULDN'T SAY NO, AND WAS FINALLY CROWDED OUT OF HIS TENT. SOME PEOPLE CAN'T SAY "NO" TO THE GLIB STRANGER WHO HYPNOTIZES THEM INTO INVESTING IN SOMETHING THAT EXISTS ONLY ON A PIECE OF PAPER. SOME PEOPLE "BITE" AT THE "GET-RICH-QUICK" SCHEME BECAUSE THEY BELIEVE A STRANGER INSTEAD OF THEIR OWN BANKER. LISTEN, IF THAT GET-RICH-QUICK SCHEME IS SO GOOD, WHY DOES A SMOOTH STRANGER HAVE TO PEDDLE IT TO YOU?

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