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## AN I. W. W. REPUBLIC NEXT DOOR—WATCH OUT AT HOME.

It is not generally known but there has been erected on territory adjoining our country a full-fledged experiment in I. W. W. syndicalism. It is President Alvarado's overthrow of constitutional guarantees and forcible seizure of government of the State of Yucatan.

Backed by an I. W. W. army the revolutionary confederation has overthrown church and state, middle class and capitalist, industries and property. The I. W. W. leaders have secured adoption of their entire legislative program and its enactment by offering free military service in exchange. Purely socialistic theories are now the fundamental laws of Yucatan and the I. W. W. are the ruling class, opposition meaning death or expulsion.

The Alvarado revolution was followed by destruction of churches and public property, including archives and records and registers of marriage. The property classes were at once properly reduced and duly subjugated, with railroads, docks and warehouses, telephones and banks "democratized."

Legislation is all by decrees of Alvarado and his I. W. W. council of state, some 2,000 laws promulgated, as by Lenin and Trotsky in Russia. They range all the way from abolishing all need of securing divorce to education of children and all teachers must become socialist propagandists. It is made the duty of school teachers to watch and inform on planters who are reactionaries, and socialist books are placed in all libraries. Every means is taken to expound only the most advanced revolutionary political thought, making warfare on property, state, church and family.

Alvarado, backed by his army of I. W. W. volunteers and syndicalist labor organizations is ambitious to extend his system to all Mexico. Here are some of the slogans of the I. W. W. regime: whose political warcry is, "Throw away your spade and get a gun."

"Whether God will it or not, the revolution shall go forward."

"The country before one's life; the revolution before God."

"Without God and without masters, here is the supreme aspiration of free men."

"The sacramental character of marriage is contrary to the spirit of constitutionalism."

Free press and free speech are abolished, the local newspapers being seized and converted into organs of the government for the revolution. Private banks are abolished and their stockholders and depositors are ruined and reduced to penury. Resources of banks are confiscated, worthless paper money substituted for their coin and securities. Alvarado says: "We need the money."

To get industrial justice workers are advised: "The man who wears shoes and collar and has property, got them by your labor. Take back your own." In this Utopia of I. W. W. ism strikers are protected by law and employers are forbidden to employ others or resume work until the strike is over.

In December last a pure aggrarian law was enacted, reciting: "Hereafter no one is exclusive owner of land any more than he can be of light or air." Owners of property who are opposed to Alvarado rule are reduced to submission and poverty by confiscation of same through taxation. The government seizes all crops and markets them for the planters, making returns less cost of the "Reguladores," or public marketing. Like the railroads under government operation, the planters must sell off livestock to make up deficits for high wages and cost of operation. In 1918, at the dictation of the shop hands railroad tariffs were doubled to provide extra wages, and to get cars shippers must bribe train crews. Crops for export like hemp and sisal are held to be public property and planters must run their farms under direction of workmen's soviet rule.

There is complete and arbitrary government for a particular class and nationalization of railroads, wire communication, shipping and banking. The uneducated natives are taught to look upon every employer and the wage-payer of any class as their natural enemies and robbers of labor. The lists of crimes, assassinations and arson are as wide as the state and increasing daily, and all who can get away are leaving Yucatan. The I. W. W. revolution in Yucatan was established through agitation by propagandists and radicals from this country and Mexico in German pay. For complete details read the article by William Gates in the May number of the "World's Work." Radicals of this same stripe are now trying to terrorize the United States and Canada with general strikes and bomb plots.

How long can they go unpunished?

## PARLOR BOLSHIEVISM

Users of revolution in our country emanate from two sources—the over-educated college theocrat and the under-educated dealer who takes all his ideas from the newspaper. Neither of them is a taxpayer.

The great middle class, who have homes and pay taxes, who read and think for themselves, who earn their living by labor or carry on business by their own initiative do not accept the doctrines of Bolshevism.

The son of a college professor at Boston, who is master of five languages has been arrested for Bolshevism and for the use of language which consigned the American flag to the hot place.

He graduated from Harvard at 16 and now he is twenty one years old and a full-fledged Bolshevik.

Chances are he would not know a pickaxe or crow-bar if he met them on the street, and could not distinguish the difference between a trowel and a derrick.

He is a horrible example of the kind of "workmen" who do all their laboring with their mouths and who absorb fantastic notions about labor.

People have been known to recover from this by going out into the open and doing some real work.

Mrs. W. C. Robhan, who has been in Portland for the past few weeks returned home Tuesday.

## COMBATING WESTERN DEVELOPMENT.

"The revengeful hatred of the privileged classes," is what the Non-Partisan League is said to be combating in western states.

This classification of hateful interests includes all big business enterprises, all private and public and quasi-public corporations.

Against these hateful "beasts of the jungle" that represent capital in all its forms, the A. C. Townley organization makes warfare.

The program in its entirety is nothing more nor less than the program of class hatred exploited by the Red Russian Bolsheviks.

What has the west, that needs all its capital and all the capital it can get to develop its untold resources, to expect of Non-Partisanism?

Can a political movement based on arraying class hatred against capital succeed in our country?

Capital after all is said and done must produce seed for the sower and bread for the eater.

## WORDS OF PRAISE.

Before his death, Theodore Roosevelt said, "There are few serious thinkers nowadays who do not recognize in the Salvation Army an invaluable social asset, a force for good which works effectively in those dark regions where, save for this force, only evil is powerful."

## LOCAL NEWS

W. F. McBoe, of Fall Creek, was here on business Thursday.

Mrs. Johanna Woods, of Tigard, is here for a few days, visiting her son, Dr. Pollard.

Miss Tess O'Brien, of Marshfield, is here for the weekend, the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. Shea.

Mr. and Mrs. Nuet Griffin have purchased the Lettke cafe, and will operate it in the future.

The Misses Eva Hughes, Hazel Earl and Zoe and Mabel Trask, of Albany, are the weekend guests of Mrs. William Dawson.

L. N. Myers, with the State Highway Commission, of Salem, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Conway for a few days.

Hugh Sangatho, of the Springfield Garage, is able to be around again after being confined to his home for a few days with a severe cold.

Mr. M. Thompson, who has been in Seattle for several days on business, came home Thursday to enjoy the Jubilee. He will return to the Sound city next week.

Mrs. J. W. Coffin has received a cablegram from her son Ralph, who is in France with the American Expeditionary Forces, stating he would leave for home in a few days.

Ray Bally and Miss Edna Fisher were married Sunday, June 8th at the Christian church by Rev. Ted Leavitt. After spending a short honeymoon at Belknap Springs, they will return to Springfield, where they will make their future home.

Harold Perkins spent Thursday in Portland visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Perkins, and attending the graduation exercises of his sister, Audrey. Mrs. Perkins and Audrey will return to Springfield soon to spend the summer in their home here.

Harry Neat, employed at the Booth-Kelly mill, was painfully but not seriously injured Tuesday night. A large 2 by 4 timber fell from a car being loaded, striking Mr. Neat on the back of the head, knocking him unconscious. He is now able to be around again.

Many Animals Killed in 1918.—Indicative of the number of wild animals of a destructive nature in Lane county is the set of figures recently compiled by R. S. Bryson, county clerk, on bounties paid out during the year 1918. Following is the list: Wildcats, 179; seals, 71; coyotes, 16; wolves, 12; cougars, 5. A total of \$721.50 was paid out in bounty money. The state adds \$15 for each cougar killed and \$20 for each wolf.

## THE BEST ANSWER

On the whole, the experiment of government operation has been one of the most fortunate chapters in the economic history of the nation. It has tried an arrangement which formerly was an issue, and found it wanting.

Government control of 240,944 miles of America's railway system, according to official figures for first three months of 1919, shows cost to taxpayers to be \$176,116,965. The same period in 1918 showed a loss of \$146,622,325. And this with increased rates and reduced service.

## WILL PLEASE THE CHILDREN

The repeal of the so-called "luxury tax" which the President has recommended will bring joy to the hearts of the children for it will knock 5 per cent off the price of candy, which is not a "luxury" at all but a very necessary article of diet for children and also grown-ups.

## Classified Ads

For Sale, Rent, Wanted, Etc.

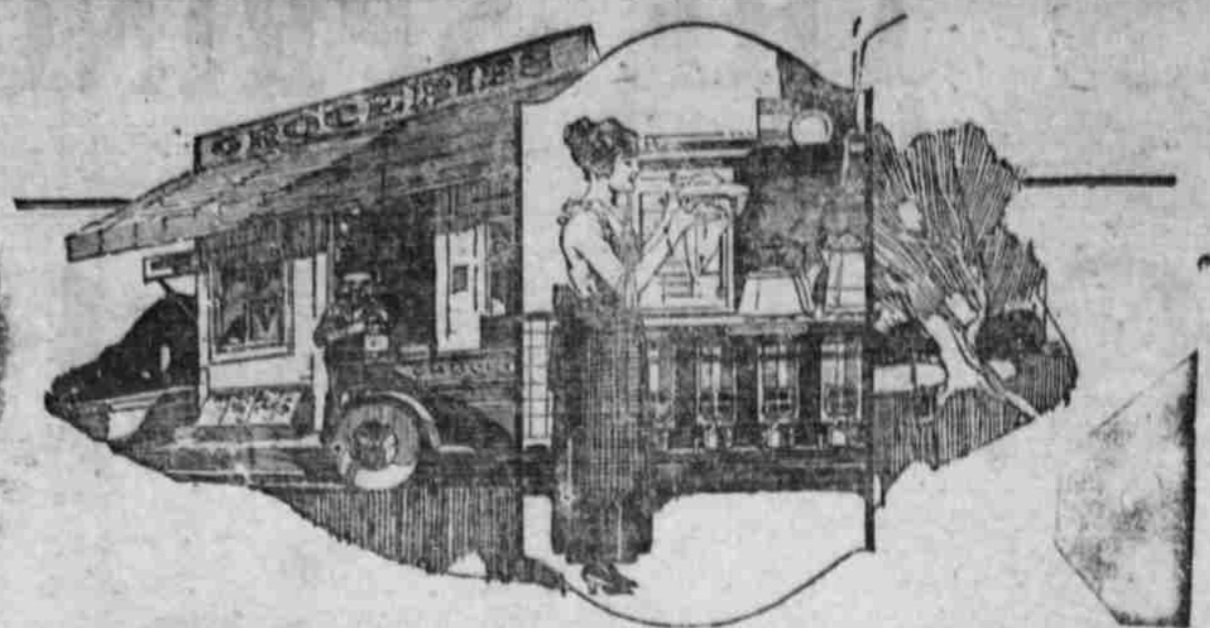
LOST—Five-dollar bill. Finder return to News office.

FOR SALE—A good 8-room house nearly new on C street between 8th and 9th. Make an offer. J. Green, American Hotel. J13

FOR SALE—Corner Lots on north C and Mth streets for \$210.00 cash or Liberty Bonds. No incumbances. Inquire of D. S. Jordan, 1011½ Water St., Raymond, Washington. Je 27.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the county court of the State of Oregon for the County of Lane administrator with the will annexed of the estate of William B. Wooten, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby notified



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to present the same properly verified to Frank A. DePue, attorney for the estate, at his office in Springfield, Oregon, or to William Wooten, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated May 2, 1919.

WILLIAM WOOTEN, Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of William B. Wooten, Deceased.

Frank A. DePue, attorney for the estate. First publication May 16; last publication June 13.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Reedsburg, Oregon, May 14, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that William D. Glaspey, of Fall Creek, Oregon, who, on April 9, 1912, made Adjoining Farm Homestead Entry, Serial No. 67926, for Lot 5 of Section 6, Township 19-S, Range 1-W, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before E. O. Hummel, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Eugene, Oregon, on the 25th day of June, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses: Bill Hille, of Fall Creek, Oregon; L. H. Morehouse, of Fall Creek, Oregon; Bill Renfrow, of Fall Creek, Oregon; Emory Callison, of Fall Creek, Oregon. W. H. CANON, Register. First publication, May 16, 1919; last publication, June 13, 1919.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR LANE COUNTY.

Summons for Publication in Foreclosure of Tax Lien.

H. L. Studley, Plaintiff, vs. Arnt Anderson, Marie Anderson, his wife; National Surety Co., a corporation; Mary T. O'Brien and J. T. O'Brien, her husband, and all persons unknown. If any, having or claiming an interest or estate in and to the hereinafter described real property, Defendants.

To Arnt Anderson, Marie Anderson, his wife; National Surety Company, a corporation; Mary T. O'Brien and J. T. O'Brien, her husband, and all persons unknown, if any, having or claiming an interest or estate in and to the hereinafter described real property, the above named defendant.

In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby notified that H. L. Studley, the holder of Certificate of Delinquency numbered 1616, issued

on the 7th day of April, 1917, by the Tax Collector of the County of Lane, State of Oregon, for the amount of \$52.57, the same being the amount then due and delinquent for taxes for the year 1914, together with penalty, interest and costs thereon upon the real property assessed to you, of which you are the owner as appears of records, situated in said county and state, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

S. W. ¼ of N. W. ¼ and W. ¼ of S. W. ¼, Section 30, Tp. 18 S., R. 5 W., W. M., Lane County, Oregon.

You are further notified that said H. L. Studley has paid taxes and premiums for prior or subsequent years with the rate of interest on said amounts as follows:

On April 7, 1917, the sum of \$30.51 for taxes of the year 1915.

On April 7, 1917, the sum of \$32.18 for taxes of the year 1914.

On April 5, 1918, the sum of \$27.59 for taxes of the year 1917.

On March 21, 1919, the sum of \$33.20 for taxes of the year 1918.

All of the above amounts bear interest at the rate of 15 per cent per annum.

Said Arnt Anderson 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.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable G. F. Skipworth, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Lane and said order was made and dated this 28th day of May, 1919, and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 30th day of May, 1919.

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

WALTER B. JONES, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Address: Eugene, Oregon. (First publication May 30, 1919; last publication Aug. 1, 1919.)

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