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ANNOUNCEMENT.

I have sold my interest in the Springfield News to S. H. Tyler of Seattle, who succeeds me in the business and as editor with this issue. I wish to heartily thank subscribers and friends of the paper for courtesies during my connection with its publication, and to express the hope that like good will may be extended to Mr. Tyler, as a necessary assistance in the building up of The News to be a newspaper worthy representative of the Springfield country.
LYNN W. MILLER.

PUBLISHERS' STATEMENT.

The undersigned desire to say to people of this community that we are here to stay; that we believe in the future of Springfield, and that we shall put forth our best efforts to further and promote the interests and welfare of our territory.

While the political policy of The News will be Republican, we shall not condemn the good that may come from the efforts of any other political administration, nor shall we bear ill will toward men of other faith. If at times policies or issues that we might believe to be at fault, emanate from the Republican party, we shall not uphold them.

We are emphatically in favor of everything that shall tend to make Springfield and Lane county a better, healthier and happier place in which to live, and we shall give unstinted efforts and influence to any such matters brought forth. We want to help promote better social and educational conditions in this community and throughout the state. We believe a closer community life and a spirit of cooperation will bring results that will be for the good of all; therefore we shall work toward those ends.

We stand for honesty and for square and fair deals in all matters, both in political and business life.

Nowhere else have we met a more cordial, kindly and sincere people than in Springfield and the surrounding territory. We promise our hearty cooperation in the daily life and tasks of this community.

SAM H. TYLER,
H. B. FREELAND,

We have just completed a street by street canvass for a dwelling house, being newcomers here. It was found that rental property was very scarce at this time. We believe the

situation warrants the building of new houses and repairing of others that shall be for rent to the class of people that wish to make their home here for a time and do not wish to buy at first. Many are coming in at this season of the year, and conditions at present indicate a steady growth of Springfield and community.

The November issue of the Pacific Legion has been received and we find that it is a real live, spicy issue, full of old time pep. Just as they say, "no pains or expense have been spared to make this issue one to be proud of." It is full of articles and illustrations on the business enterprises and the beauty and scenic wonders of the Pacific Northwest. The editors have done their full measure to help secure the 1920 convention of the American Legion for Seattle. Although Cleveland has been chosen for the convention next year, it is hoped by the westerners that the 1921 convention may be secured for the west.

A criticism of road conditions published in last week's News, under the caption "Isolating Eugene," should have been credited to the Eugene Register, the credit line having been inadvertently dropped in "making up" the paper.

THE CENTRALIA TRAGEDY AND ITS LESSON.

No palliation can be found for the dastardly crime of the I. W. W. in killing four and wounding three veterans of the great war at Centralia. The American Legion was celebrating victory in a war in which the United States had exerted its whole strength against an effort to subdue all free nations and destroy free government, when a band of I. W. W. opened fire. The attack was plainly the result of a deliberate conspiracy by a band of fanatics, inflamed by hatred of the American constitution to destroy the government by slaughter of its most valiant champions.

Although the lynching of Smith cannot be condoned, it can be explained. The people not the officers of the law, drove the murderers from their hiding place, captured them and took them to jail. The machinery of the law had broken down or there would have been no I. W. W. at large to commit the murders. For their own preservation the people of the city had been compelled to take again into their own hands the authority which their elected

officers had neglected to exercise. They had caught Smith redhanded, for he shot Hubbard in a final effort to escape. The Centralia tragedy should burn the fact into the minds of all persons entrusted with enforcement of the law that the I. W. W. and all similar revolutionary organizations are engaged in war on the United States. Though they are scattered through our own country, many of them American citizens and ostensibly pursuing peaceful vocations, they are as truly making war on us as were the Germans until a year ago.—Oregonian.

TOWN AND VICINITY

E. Flatt and family from Norwich, Kansas, have bought the Chris Anderson place, in what is known as the Douglas Garden section.

John Hastings who was injured internally at the local mill Thursday, November 6, was taken to the Eugene hospital last Sunday.

Mrs. R. R. Moon of Wendling who underwent a major operation at the Springfield hospital ten days ago is doing well and will return to her home in a few days.

Claud Vallier who is employed as a fireman on the Portland to Hillsboro branch line is visiting his mother and sister this week.

L. G. Lansberry returned Wednesday to his work with the Carl Fischer Lumber company at Meredith after a few days visit with his family in Springfield.

Miss Gladys Nichols of Sutherlin and Miss Rose Martin of Creswell are spending the week-end in Springfield as guests of Miss Dorris Sikes. They will attend the U. of O.-O. A. C. game and home coming celebration. Both were Willamette university students last year. Miss Nichols is a niece of Mrs. L. A. Tobias of Walterville, who is known here.

Earl Hill of Cottag Grove visited this week at the Riley Snodgrass home. Mr. Hill's wife is convalescing at the Snodgrass home after serious illness at Mercy hospital.

O. D. Metcalf has returned to this city after a two months' absence, and is located on C street between Eighth and Ninth.

Dr. S. Ralph Dippel, dentist, Springfield, Oregon.

NOTICE OF ROAD DISTRICT MEETING

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the legal voters being resident taxpayers and owners of real property in Road District No. 23, in Lane County, Oregon, will be held at the hour of two P. M., on the 22nd day of November, A. D. 1919, at the Unity School House in said Road District, to determine whether said road district shall levy a special tax of eight mills upon all the taxable property in said district for the purpose of providing funds for road purposes.

H. L. BONN,
County Judge.
M. H. HARLOW,
E. R. SPENCER,
County Commissioners

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NOTICE OF ROAD DISTRICT MEETING

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Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the legal voters being resident taxpayers and owners of real property in Road District No. 16, in Lane County, Oregon, will be held at the hour of two P. M., on the 22nd day of November, A. D. 1919, at the Woodman Hall in said Road District, to determine whether said road district shall levy a special tax of five mills upon all the taxable property in said district for the purpose of providing funds for road purposes.

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ALL MONEY-BACK GUARANTEE

SPRINGFIELD MILL AND GRAIN COMPANY

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Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the legal voters being resident taxpayers and owners of real property in Road District No. 2, in Lane County, Oregon, will be held at the hour of two P. M., on the 22nd day of November, A. D. 1919, at the Blue River School House in said Road District, to determine whether said road district shall levy a special tax of five mills upon all the taxable property in said district for the purpose of providing funds for construction of road, between "Mason Grade" and "Neal's Place," in Sec. 3, Tp. 17, 3 E.

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Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the legal voters being resident taxpayers and owners of real property in Road District No. 11, in Lane County, Oregon, will be held at the hour of one P. M., on the 22nd day of November, A. D. 1919, at the Cloverdale School House in said Road District, to determine whether said road district shall levy a special tax of three mills upon all the taxable property in said district for the purpose of providing funds for graveling, grading and general repair on county roads in said district.

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Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the legal voters being resident taxpayers and owners of real property in Road District No. 3, in Lane County, Oregon, will be held at the hour of two P. M., on the 22nd day of November, A. D. 1919, at the M. W. A. Hall, Marcola, Oregon, in said Road District, to determine whether said road district shall levy a special tax of three mills upon all the taxable property in said district for the purpose of providing funds for road purposes.

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Do you carry an account at the First National Bank in Springfield? If not, why not?

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Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the legal voters being resident taxpayers and owners of real property in Road District No. 12, in Lane County, Oregon, will be held at the hour of two P. M., on the 22nd day of November, A. D. 1919, at the Lost Valley School House in said Road District, to determine whether said road district shall levy a special tax of five mills upon all the taxable property in said district for the purpose of providing funds for road purposes.

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Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the legal voters being resident taxpayers and owners of real property in Road District No. 55, in Lane County, Oregon, will be held at the hour of one P. M., on the 22nd day of November, A. D. 1919, at the Minney's Hall in said Road District to determine whether said road district shall levy a special tax of 2½ mills upon all the taxable property in said district for the purpose of providing funds for general road work in said district 55.

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Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the legal voters being resident taxpayers and owners of real property in Road District No. 5, in Lane County, Oregon, will be held at the hour of two P. M., on the 22nd day of November, A. D. 1919, at the Lower Camp Creek School House in said Road District, to determine whether said road district shall levy a special tax of three mills upon all the taxable property in said district for the purpose of providing funds for road work, one-half to be used on Walterville Road and one-half on upper Camp Creek road.

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W. M. Green, Mgr.