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NO THIRD PARTY

There is no possibility of a new party or a group of leaders satisfying their constitutancy on such issues as power, prohibition and farm relief, says Senator Borah, insurgent, when the senator meant is that the independents do not agree among themselves on any one thing and hence are incapable of forming a third

There are those who think that progressiveism is being stifled and hail the insurgents as saviors. Truth is the insurgeants are obstructionists. Take away their opportunity for protest and give them leadership in making legislation and we would soon be disgusted with them.

Reform and progressive legislation lays not in elevating these men in a third party movement but through change in the old parties. Progressives will do their case more good to work reform in the old parties from the inside.

Former President Coolidge has summed up the real attitude of most Americans when he said "Our people are not third party minded. They believe all necessary reforms can be secured within the old parties and that they are the best instruments of government."

STATE FORESTS NOT NEEDED

We can not agree with Governor Norblad that the national forests should be turned over to the state. The state is in no position to conserve the national forests as they are now nor to administer them as at present. There should be no doubt but that the present forest service policy is best for the country.

With the lumber industry as it is now it would be folly to offer this timber on the market in competition to privately owned stumpage. Neither is there a demand for whatever farm land there might be found in the forest at the present time. There is no real reason why marginal lands should be brought into production at this time, when the farmer is having a hard struggle and the government is spending millions of dollars in relief programs. What we need is more intensive cultivation of the best land in order that production costs may be kept two motives-money or reputation. down to a point where the farmer can show

a little profit. when the lumber market is good, and reforesta- their power. tion should be carried on by the federal governowned timber to take care of immediate needs and at present it is a drug on the market. Why world. the state should go into the timber business is beyond us.

The Federal farm board has already lost 25,-000,000 on wheat and \$40,000,000 on cotton trying to keep the price up for the farmer. Still world, and then quietly die and get out of the there are some people who claim the government way. is not doing anything for farm relief. This probeven the low price in this country would be quaintanceship with parents or relations. much lower if it were not for the buying of the farm board.

The way the endowments have been rolling into Notre Dame proves that it pays to have a good football team.

SPRINGFIELD'S GROWTH

The official census figure for Springfield is 2364 and for Lane county 54,493 according to the population bulletin just issued by the census

bureau. Eugene's population is 18,901. Growths in every precinct over 1920 is seen in the

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census report as follows:		
	1930	1920
ringfield city, total	2,364	1,855
Precinct 1	525	499
Precinct 2	511	383
Precinct 3	596	474
Precinct 4	732	499

This highway construction work to relieve unemployment is all right. It should be done right away instead of talking about it. Tackle the jobs that can be done now rather than wait for those which engineering and red tape will require months to get ready. As long as wages are so low hand labor will compete on an nearly even interviewed during the Norris uprising. What basis with the machine and road costs will not NORBLAD SEEKS GIFT

> There will be no relief for poor families keeping dogs, the Red Cross announces. Cases have been found where the dogs were better fed than the children in a family it was said. The old maxim "You can tell a poor man by the number of dogs he keeps" seems to be true in Lane county.



A young professional man took me to a country town to call on his parents. The old couple have raised eight children, of whom six are living and doing well. The father runs a small store.

"I wanted you to meet my people," my friend said later. "They are poor, but I'm very proud of them. When any one talks pessimistically about marriage or human life in general, I like to remember the record of those two old folks."

On my way from a summer hotel to a near-by golf course I picked up a caddy, a bright-eyed youngster of thirteen.

"Are you staying at the Inn?" he asked. I nodded.

"Have you met the night engineer?"

I said that unfortunately my contacts had been

entirely with the day staff. "You should meet him," the youngster said

proudly. "That's my father." It is assumed by those who view the social to far over fifty per cent of the area ported in this state for the past

structure with disfavor that men work from only I venture to say that after one has laid by a

few extra dollars and has seen his name in print Judicious cutting of over-ripe timber at times a dozen times these two motives very rapidly lose public lands be turned over to the at 42,042,000. Far stronger and more enduring motives, I

ment in order to conserve our timber supply for take it, are the calm appraising eyes of one's future generations. There is plenty of privately children. They are our judges; their opinion counts more than that of all the rest of the

Samuel Butler thought it was a great mistake that the generations over-lap. He pointed with approval to the example of the moths and beetles which spin their cocoons, surround the new life with enough food to start it successfully in the

It would be much better, he said, if each one ably is the first time that Liverpool has not of us could come into the world wrapped in fixed the price of wheat in this country. Wheat twenty thousand dollars, which would see us prices throughout the world ase so low that through to maturity, unencumbered by any ac-

Such a world would make just as much progress as the beetles have made in the past ten thousand years.

We keep going, not so much for money or fame, but in the hope that our kids can say with pride, "That's my father."

By Terry Gilkison

PINKY DINKY



In Father's Footsteps



Sons of the late Robert LaFollette of Wisconsin, Philip (left), governor-elect of Wisconsin, and Robert, Jr., U. S. senator. Philip (left),

OF SIUSLAW FOREST

FROM U. S. DOMINANCE

the state of Oregon by the federal to work for P. N. Laird. government. The recommendation will be made in his message which he measles at the home of Mrs. Hitch- of the first publication of this notice. is now preparing. He contends that cock in Eugene. much of the state is now dominated and held under the control of the government has title to far more than take up work Monday, January 5. fifty per cent of the entire area of the state.

The part of his message to the legislature dealing with forest lands follows:

"Some time ago a bill was introduced in Congress which would allow at his mill at Enterprise. of national forest lands, the proceeds play the Creswell teams at Pleasant from the sale of the lands and the Hil Friday night, January 2. forest products thereon to go to the vigorous opopsition to the move on with measles. the part of the federal forest service and many member of Congress on the OREGON FARMERS PLANT grounds that it would set a precedent and it would be only a short time until all state would make a silimar would be undermined.

state, should the state see tit to accept this gift. However, these vagovernment to properly administer city. them as custodian of the lands. Furthermore, some individuals view them as a questionable asset even after they are rehabilitated, and under the present plan it would be a state responsibility to see that they are again brought back to production. Perhaps the people of the state should not look a gift horse in the mouth, but they can be permitted a little skepticism when upon closer examination it resembles a nice large white elephant However, there are plainly two sides to this argument and many feel that the state will not lose anything by taking the lands. On the other hand there is the universal opinion that the state is not getting any wonderful present.

"So if the government is in the mood to give the state some land, why not take something that will be an asset, and more or less solidly blocked.

"The Siuslaw national forest, totaling 546,000 acres would be a splendid piece of land for the state to acquire. It lies in the Coast range and extends from Tillamook to the Coos Bay region within the borders of Tillamook, Lincoln, Lane, Douglas and Coos. It is the only national forest in the area. The original stand of merchantable timber was upwards of 25,000,00 M board feet, but through fire than ran in the area in the fifties. the stand has been reduced to about six billion board feet with about a billion board feet that is at present available to the market. Favorably situated as to climatic conditions and containing good soil, it offers an excellent opportunity for the continued

production of timber products. "Prominent forester's have often stated that the state forest policy should look to the state acquisition of forest lands, thus making forest land ownership divided into the private, federal and state holdings. Under present conditions the national forests of the state comprise more than sixty

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per cent of the forested area. The NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT some of their area to the state.

suitable legislation be passed to the end that the state may acquire the Siuslaw nationl forest and that following such acquisition some means of said County, directing this notice and appointing Friday, the twenty-third day of January, 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M. for the hearing of objections to said account and the settlement of said estate. be provided to insure revenue to the Dated at Eugene, Oregon, respective counties within which is twenty-fifth day of December, 1930. located the boundaries of said forest."

. UPPER WILLAMETTE

Miss Erma Laird, who teaches in the high school at Bend, has been spending the Christmas vacation with her parents at Edenvale. She will return to Bend Saturday.

the Pleasant Hill high school will ceased, by the County Court of Lane entertain a number of young folks County, Oregon. All persons having ata watch party New Year's eve.

Miss Belle Olson is ill with the Oregon, within six months from this 18th day of December, 1930, the date Pleasant Hill public school and

Pleasant Hill public school and Wells & Wells, Attorne ys.
Enterprise public school resumed D.18-25-J.1-8-15 forest department because the federal classes Monday. High school will ~ Bonnie Jeanne Tinker is confined

to her home with the measles. Lyman R. P. SCHROEDER, Plaintiff, Tinker severely sprained his ankle while practicing basketball at the IVY SCHROEDER, Defendant. University of Oregon and is going To IVY SCHROEDER, Defendant about on crutches.

Fred Papeinfus is installing a phone

the state to select a million acres | The Pleasant Hill basketball team

NORMAL WHEAT ACREAGE

Oregon farmers have a total of "However, in view of the peculiar next summer, according to a report by publication thereof in the Springsituation existing in Oregon, is it such of the United States department of field News, a newspaper published an unusual request? At the present agriculture. This is about the same and of general circulation in Lane time the federal government has title number of acres of wheat as was reof the state. A reduction of this area year, but is considerably over the Barnard, Judge of the County Court might result in the suggested action average of 751,000 acres for the wheat of Lane County. Oregon, made and of the Department of the Interior producing states. The estimated averthat the surface rights of the vacant age winter wheat acreage now is set

Small Boy Ill-Arthur Prochnow. cant lands are a liability, made such young son of Mr. and Mrs. George through the failure of the federal Prochnow, is ill at his home in this



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balance is almost wholly private, the state owning less than one per cent.

The undersigned, administrator of the Estate of Elizabeth E. McCornack, deceased, has filed his Final Account. It would not be out of line to expect in the matter of said estate with the the federal government to turn over County Clerk of Lane County, Oregon, and an order has been made and en-"I recommend at this time that of said County, directing this notice

KENNETH McCORNACK, Administrator of the Estate of Clizabeth E. McCornack, deceased. James K. King

410-11-12 Miner Building Eugene, Oregon Attorney for Administrator

D.25-J.1-8-15-22

MARY WEISS.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS Notice is hereby given that the un-Miss Helen Settle, a freshman at trix of the estate of Fred Weiss, dethe legislature that it seek to have the Siuslaw national forest given to hereby notified to present the same,

SUMMONS

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You are hereby required to appear and answer the com-plaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before four weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons in the Springfield News, the date of the first publication Reeva Wheeler, daughter of Mr. of which is December 11, 1930, and and Mrs. Cecil Wheeler, is in bed if you fail to so appear and answer sald complaint, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in plaintiff's omplaint which is that the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing be-tween plaintiff and defendant be disolved and plaintiff be divorced from request and the national forest policy would be underwined.

Oregon farmers have a total of defendant and that the care and customized tody of the minor child Betty Lou now which will be harvested early Schroeder be awarded to the plaintiff.

County, Oregon, once each week for four successive weeks, pursuant to entered on the 6th day of December, 1930, directing publication thereof once each week for four successive weeks in said newspaper, and which order requires you to appear and answer plaintiff's complaint within four weeks from the date of the first publication thereof which is December 11, 1930.

DAN JOHNSTON, Attorney for Plaintiff, Post Office Address 817 Willamette St., Eugene,

D. 11-18-25-J.1-8

SUMMONS In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Lane. EDWARD TUHY, Plaintiff,

DOROTHY TUHY, Defendant, To DOROTHY TUHY, the above med Defendant:

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 Court and Cause on or before the 5th day of January, 1931, said date being more than four weeks from the day of the first publication of this Summons herein entered of record and if you fail so to appear and answer for want there of the plain tiff will apply to the Court for the relief in his complaint against you demanded to-wit: For a judgment and decree of Divorce dissolving the bonds matrimony now and heretofore existing between you and the plaintiff on the grounds of desertion and for such other relief as to the Court may seem meet. This summons is served upon you by publication thereof in the Springfield News, a newspaper of general circulation pursuant to an order of the Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Lane duly made and entered of record on the 8th day of December 1930 ordering that this summons be published once each week for four successive and consecutive weeks in the Springfield News and that the date of the first publication shall be the 11th day of December, 1930 and the date of the last publication shall be with the issue of 8th day of January, 1931. FRANK A. DePUE,

Attorney for Plaintiff, Residence, Springfield, Oregon. D11-18-25-J.1-8

