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OREGON MEN FOR OREGON FORESTS

From the present complexion of the forest employment act it appears that large crews of men are to be recruited in the cities and sent into the National forest to work. While there are plenty of men in this and other vicinities close to the national forest for all the work available the policy no doubt will be to take men from the congested centers where the situation is regarded as more acute.

Only strenuous opposition to the plan from local government and civic organizations and individuals with the aid of Oregon congressmen may alter this plan. There are several very good reasons for hiring men locally. Among

1. That a greater percentage of those employed will understand and be able to perform the type of work demanded, thus giving the government adequate value for money expended, while most of the men coming from the large cities will not be able to perform this kind of labor satisfactorily and many will be a positive liability in the

2. That by employing men locally the recruiting process and army disciplinary training will not be necessary.

3. That because that one-third of the area of Oregon is in the National forests and removed from the tax rolls this state is handicapped in raising sufficient tax money to care for her own unemployed.

If Lane county and Oregon wishes to see the greater majority of this employment within her state go to her own people it behooves county courts, cities, chambers of commerce and local relief organizations to get busy and make demands for it at once.

SERVICE CUT SEVERE

The president cuts \$400,000,000 from the Veterans' federal aid and asks them to bear up bravely while he trims other items of governmental expenditure. The amount he cuts from the Veterans is more than half what has been paid annually for this aid. No motion the president has made yet will cut anything like this percentage from the other government payrolls.

We are told that greater emphasis is to be placed on service connected disability yet those cases have also taken a 20 per cent cut. Veterans organizations have always fought first for the service connected disability cases yet it should not be necessary in a grateful country. Certainly if a country is going to force a young man to go to war the

least it can do is to aid him when he returns disabled. A cut in federal aid was no doubt needed but one without regard to individual cases is wholly unjust and will work great hardships on many. Not all ex-soldiers have grafted off the government, there are many among us whose service records show service disability and who have never applied for any aid, simply because we wished to see those less fortunate adequately provided for.

THE HOME-TOWN NEWSPAPER

The country paper is still the favorite paper with the women in the big city, according to the questionnaire that has been answered by college women, members of the Panhellenic association, at the Panhellenic Hotel in New York City of twenty-one national fraternities.

The questionnaire showed that the novelists are right when they call New York City a big place where the small town people meet. Members of the Panhellenic association were asked a number of questions about their favorite papers, their favorite news topics, and their favorite news writers. After giving their answers to these queries they remarked that their favorite paper was still their home town

One woman answered: "I read every item in the paper the family sends me because it gives me news about all the neighbors that my family never write me about. My family's weekly letter tells me the news about themselves and that's about all. The paper gives me all the facts about the friends I have known since I was knee-high."

Another successful woman in New York City wrote: "After all, the news we care the most about is the news about the people that mean the most to us, and they are at

Professor Albert Einstein was insulted because an American consul presumed to question him before issuing passports to come to the United States a few months ago. Yet while the professor was away the Germans disowned him and confiscated his bank account. When it comes to harsh treatment this country is only in the elementary class.

At last the Democrats have done something about the "forgotten man." Two dollars a barrel tax just placed on flour ought to about touch every one of them.

Tomorrow, April 7, will no doubt be celebrated hereafter as "Good Friday," for it is then a man is supposed to be able to drink a glass of beer without being a criminal.

THE WEATHER

It is a common saying that the winters are getting milder and the summers hotter. Now comes along the United States weather bureau, which has been studying the weather conditions directly for more than sixty years and by references to old records for more than a hundred years back, and confirms the belief that the past few years have been exceptionally mild.

Since 1908 the United States, especially that part of it east of the Rockies, has been enjoying the longest "warm spell" in history. The average annual temperature has been steadily rising for twenty-five years. Perhaps it has begun to change. The winter just passed was not as mild as the last one, which was the mildest in a century. If we have a cool spring, weathersharps say, we may look forward to a cooler Autumn.

Just after the war of 1812 there was a long warm spell, lasting more than ten years. There was another soon after the Civil War. But from 1875 to 1912 the summers kept getting colder.

What causes these fluctuations in average annual temperature is not yet clearly understood, but knowledge of them is important. For one thing, these changes of climate have a decided influence upon agriculture. They determine the length of the growing season. Wheat production has been extending farther and farther north in Canada for a good many years now. A change of only two or three degrees in the average temperature, shortening the growing season, might materially cut down the wheat area of our northern neighbor. Similarly, the northward limit of the cotton belt is fixed by the average annual temperature.

The weather is one topic of perennial interest. Everybody talks about it although, as Mark Twain remarked, nobody ever does anything about it. It is of interest to everybody because it affects everybody. We have heard of lands of perpetual sunshine, in which the temperature never changes from season to season, where nobody ever has to give the weather a second thought. We have often wondered what the people of those happy isles found to take about. And we also wonder whether life doesn't get entirely too monotonous where Nature itself never changes.



Twelfth Installment

SYNOPSIS: Pauline, sentimental, trustial, sincere and loving love, becomes engaged and marries Dennis O'Hara in the belief for their blissful happiness will continue unmaneed thru all the years. On her wedding bornine she awakens with a strange prehonition that maybe love does change, a hought buried in her mind by a le tes from ler closest friend, Barbara the night before. Fauline adored Barbara who had been married, was the mother of a child which died, aut now divorced and living a life which some of her friends could not understand. Between Dennis and Barbara is a scenning wall of personal dislike by both. Six months after Pauline's wedding, Barbara comes for a short stay. During this visit Rarbara confesses to Pauline that there is a man she really loves, but she refuses to tell his name. Barbara decides suddenly to go home and Pauline linsists Dennis drive her to the station. 'tritated, Dennis drive her to the station.' rritated, Dennis drive her to the station.' rritated, Dennis drive her to the station. 'tritated, Dennis drive her to the station.' rritated and they are in a crash. Barbara escapes injury but Dennis' leg is broken. As he returns to conciousness he learns who the man is that Barbara loves. It's himself, Dennis spends everal weeks in the hospital. Barbara stays only one day after Dennis' return from the bospital. Much against his will Dennis finds a new attraction in Barbara, who plays the same cool and detached role as formerly. A fortnight after Barbara's return to New York, he receives a letter from Pauline that she and Dennis are coming to New York for a little vacation, Upon their arrival a round of gay entertainment gets under way—throwing Dennis and Barbara much into sach other's company. Dennis is in love with Barbara. He breaks thru all barriers and tells her of his love. Pauline is called home by the illness of her mother. Dennis stays on. Barbara is happy. Both fight against love—but it's over powering. Dennis declares his love and Barbara admits she loves him. NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

Then he heard Barbara's voice, a little breathless and nervous.
"It's Jerry—I made him come in. him a drink, will you, Dennis, while I go and make mysed look beautiful."

Dennis turned quickly. Jerry Barnet was already in the room, and Barbara had escaped.

Jerry nodded stiffly. "How do

Didn't expect to find you here." His eyes were more unfriendly than his voice, and Dennis answered columb We've just been to see my wife at Paddington. Her mother is ill-she was sent for."

Dennis knew that this man must make you pay for this—you—" felt her eyes ridiculously filing with have seen the tears and flushed dis- For a moment she thought he was tears as she answered. "Nothing. I tress of Barbara's face.

"Have a drink?" he asked with an effort.

"No, thanks." The silence fell once more and remained unbroken till Barbara returned. "Richard's himself again!" she said lightly. "I've been unbur-dening my soul in a fit of tears," she informed Barnet. "Too many late nights and too much to drink, so Dennis has been telling me." She lighted a cigarette and pushed the box across to him. "Aren't you going to drink, Jerry?"
"No thanks."

anyway," she said.

Dennis took up his coat. "I'll be his heart, and yet he knew that for sie—you really would think he's shy if—if there was to be a baby? She Barbara's sake he must show noth- of me!" ing of what he felt.

ting calmly on a big humpty stool by the fire, smoking and turning the

pages of a magazine.
"We'll have tea when Mellish comes in," she said without up. "Does your head ache, ferry, that you won't drink? Mane does,

Barnet made no reply, but he shut the door behind him with a little slam and came forward. "Have you seen this picture of Evelyn?" Barbara asked. "Not too

like the very devil."

good, I think-look!"

Barnet tore the magazine from her

hand and flung it across the room. "What's that fellow doing here?" he demanded. For a moment Barbara sat motionless; then she looked up.

'My dear Jerry!' "What's that fellow doing here?" Barnet demanded again. "I've sus-dected him all along. That night in the theatre—every time he's been in "I don

our company—"
Barbara rose to her feet.

LANE WOMAN HEAD OF NEW HOME COUNCIL

A state home economics extension council for Oregon was organized at the third annual conference for the study of home interests held at Oregon State college early in April. The purpose of the council, which includes representatives from every county maintaining extension work in home economics. is to encourage adult education in this field.

Heading the list of state officers s Miss Alice Hanley of Jackson county as honorary president. Miss Hanley, sister of the noted "Bill" Hanley of Burns, has been active in county home economics extension activities since 1918. Other officers are Mrs. Ralph Laird, Lane county, president; Mrs. Vern Livesay, Deschutes, and Mrs. Alice Lindsay, Josephine, vice-presidents: Mrs. G. W. Thiessen, Clackamas, secretary; Mrs. O. H. Schwerdtman, Multnomah, treasurer, and Mrs. A. M. Winn, Columbia, re-

CRESWELL GIRL DIES FUNERAL SATURDAY

Alice Sutton, 17, daughter of Mr

flat and never come back." was a tragic silence, broken only by Barnet's heavy breathing; then sudkin asked. denly his anger fell from him and he began to plead.
"I'm sorry. I was mad. Forgive

The sorry. I was had. Forgive me. I didn't mean it. I was jealous. You drive me mad, Barbara."
"You can go out of my flat and never come back," Barbara said again. "I've done with you."

"No! no!" His distress was pitiable. "You know how much I care for you. Forgive me, Barbara, and "I see."

done that you can walk out of my necklace Dennis had given her for a flat and never come back." There wedding present. "Still as radiantly happy?" Peter-"Of course. Dennis is a darling,"

said Dennis's wif Peterkin emptied his wineglass. "Why isn't he here?" he asked

Pauline flushed. "He would have Pauline flushed, to come, only I come—he wanted to come, only I knew it would be so dull for him with

"Is Mrs. Stark looking after him?"

"A penny for your thoughts,"

married, and her love for O'Hara

"Of course he is!" he said loyally.

'He'll be jolly glad to have you

And Pauline brightened instantly

and flushed and dimpled and talked

eagerly of her own little home. Then

It came to her mind when she was

undressing that night, and she sat down on the side of the bed and

had never heard him say he would

And then she cried a little because

Dennis always teased her about

"Such a baby," he said, but she had

kind of feeling that all the same

Dennis liked her to pray for him.

And she prayed for him now in

simple faith and love, and she prayed or Barbara, too, little dreaming that

t that very moment those two were

for her sake fighting desperately

against their passionate love for each

Pauline slipped into bed and fell

asleep almost at once, only to waken

about two hours later with a fast beating heart and a feeling of fear

her prayers.

ine hurriedly changed the subject.

still hurt him.

back.



"Of course. Dennis is a darling," said Dennis's wife." swear it will never happen again." | Pauline was offended. She thought

"No." Her eyes were hard and Peterkin was silly to be so relentless. He fell back from her, fashioned. reathing hard.

eathing hard.

"Do you—mean this?" he asked Peterkin said suddenly.

"I asked her to," Pauline said "I never meant anything so much quickly, and then wondered why she in all my life," Barbara answered. ha! spoken defensively, and then "So I'm thrown over, am I! After quite suddenly a wave of sheer home-

all this time-after all I've done for sickness for Dennis swept over her. you. Kicked out like an importunate There was an awkward silence, and tramp. Very well! we shall see. I'll Peterkin said suddenly, and Pou'ine

going to strike her; then his arm was just wondering If Dennis is missfell to his side. "I'll make you pay- ing me as much as I miss him." my God, I'll make you pay to the last farthing!" he shouted, and was got used to the fact that Pauline was

Pauline stayed with her mother for week. She was not unhappy, but she was

restless and preoccupied. "It's as if someone is walking over my grave," she told her mother once, with a little excited laugh. "Do you

believe in premonitions. Mumsie? I she broke off and flushed, and Peter-never used to, but just lately I've had kin kept his eyes on his plate. Paulthe sort of feeling that something is She made a little grimace at his going to happen, something—some-moody face. "Well, mix, one for me, thing I shan't like. It's not Dennis anyway," she said.

Dennis took up his coat. "I'll be off." He was hating Barnet with all off. "I'll be off." She laughed. "Densis be pleased to the bed and down on the side of the bed and started down at the carpet, lost in thought. Would Dennis be pleased

"Go and see him out, will you, Jerry?" Barbara said coelly. She nodded to Dennis, "Good-bye—ring me up some time."

"Go and see him out, will you, could not quite make up her mind would be a son—a son with Dennis's about her daughter's marriage. Pauline seemed happy enough. "The first ine's simple mind leaped ahead and year of marriage is always a little Pauline's mother smiled. She like to have a son, for of course it was lost in a mist of rosy dreams.

When Barnet returned she was sitdifficult," her mother said gently,

Barbara could be godmother "and I think my little girl is manag-ing very well from what I can hear." kin would be godfather, and if it She paused, then asked, "And what is Dennis doing in New York with- Peterkin O'Hara.

"Oh, I think he's quite all right,
Pauline said. "Dr. Stornaway is up
there, you know, and that's nice for
Dennis. And then there is Barbara,
I think he's seen her once

Lithink he's seen her once

Lithink he's seen her once "Oh, I think he's quite all right,"

"Poor Barbara!" said Pauline's nother.

The girl looked up quickly. "Why do you say that?" she asked. "Barbara's quite happy—at least I think she is. She's got a nice man she goes about with; his name is Jerry Barnet. He adores her, but don't think she cares very much for him. But there is someone she loves. She told me so once. I wonder who it is," she added almost to

"I don't think Barbara is a very faithful lover," Pauline's mother said, but this Pauline would not al-low. "She is! I understand her.

Barbara rose to her feet.

"If you're going to be a cad, Jerry, you'd better go," she said.

"Oh, yes, go! to make room for him, I suppose," he almost shouted. He caught her arm roughly, swinging her round to him. "Has he been making leve to you?" he demanded. "How dare you!"

He laughed. "Oh, I dare very well. I know you, Barbara—anything for a new conquest. And you his wife's friend, eh?"

Barbara's eyes blazed in her white said. She hoped he thought.

Said, but this Pauline would not allow. "She is! I understand her. Once she really loves anyone nothing would ever change her. Of course she doesn't wear her heart on her sleeve."

She said something of the same sort to Peterkin when he arrived to dinner one night, having driven forty miles through the cold and rain to see her. They had dinner alone, as Pauline's mother was still in bed. "Oh, what is it, darling, darling!" Pauline said. She hoped he thought

new conquest. And you his whe siend, eh?"

Barbara's eyes blazed in her white ce.

"It's nice to see you, Peterkin,"
Pauline said. She hoped he thought she looked well and happy. She had face.

"Let go of my arm," she said in put on one of her prettiest frocks in his honour and she wore the pear!

Continued Next Week and Mrs. C. M. Sutton of Creswell.

Funeral services were held Saturdied last Thursday morning at the day from the Schwering chapel in Eugene hospital. She is survived by Creswell. Rev. Harry Neat, pastor her parents; two sistersfi Vera and of the Lighthouse temple in Eugene, Thelma; and five brothers, Dale, officiated and interment was made Milton, John, obert, and Dalton. in the Creswell cemetery.

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A complete wardrobe for a high school girl can be purchased at a yearly cost of \$24.85, according to Mrs. Azalea Sager, extension spe cialist in clothing and textiles at Oregon State college, who has worked out a budget especially to aid relief workers and homemakers whose clothing dollar is at a minimum.

"This clothing allowance repres ents the absolute minimum require ment in number and kind of garments to maintain comfort, health and decency, says Mrs. Sager. "Such a budget can only be used as a guide and may have to be revised to meet specific needs of individuals."

Home Sewing is Necessary

Making the dresses and undergar ments is necessary under this plan, and no allowance is made for purchasing patterns. The best dress is made of dotted Swiss, dimity, voile batiste or similar material which costs about 25 cents a yard. Undergarments are made from bleached or unbleached muslin at 10 or 15 wear are not included in the budget cents.

A few of these garments, as indicated on the chart, will serve two Wright. years, depending upon the wear and care given the crothes. Although the budget is planned for girls from 14 to 18 years, it can be easily Dibblee made a business trip to adapted to younger girls at a slight Portland Tuesday afternoon.

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The original cost of this clothing is \$30.35 but the yearly expenditure will average only \$24.85. The amounts are based on Portland and Corvallis prices and will vary alightly in other communities.

SCOUTS HAVE ROLLER SKATE PARTY FRIDAY

Members of the Springfield Girl Scout troop held a roller skating party Friday evening in the basement of the Methodist church. Following the skating, a program and refreshments were enjoyed.

Committees for the affair were: refreshments, Fern Cornell, Edna Vest, Bessie Cox; entertainment, cents per yard. Silk hose for party Collene Cornell and Faye Holverson; decorations, Hazel Nesbit, Ila and would cost an additional 49 Putman, Frances Cornell, Peggy Wright; and clean-up, Florence May, Leota McCracken, and Teddy

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