

The AMERICAN LEGION

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DADDY OF AMERICAN LEGION

E. Lester Jones of Washington, D. C., Founder of the Movement Back in 1919.

E. Lester Jones of Washington, D. C., because he was the founder of the American Legion movement in America, was called the "daddy" of the organization back in 1919 and the title has stayed with him ever since.

Mr. Jones was one of a handful of veterans who met in Washington, March 7, 1919, and formed what was known as the John J. Pershing post of World War Veterans. Later, when the several societies of those who had fought the World war combined under the name of the American Legion, Mr. Jones was made commander of the newly-formed George Washington post No. 1. When the department of the District of Columbia was formed, he was made departmental commander.

Legionnaire Jones was an enlisted man with the District of Columbia National Guard prior to the World war. During the war he rose from private to colonel, taking all the grades.

LEGION HONORED ALL DEAD

Organization Participated in Services at Final Interment of Men Brought Home.

Army transports in which many of them went across eager for the conflict have carried back the last of the 45,000 A. E. F. dead, those relatives had requested to be returned to this country for permanent burial. The graves registration service of the army, which had the work of returning these bodies in charge, did an almost superhuman task. But this service could not give the comradely human touch to the handling of these bodies after they reached the United States that seemed due them.

No organization was so well suited to perform the last rights of honor and respect for these soldier dead as was the American Legion. The men of the Legion took upon themselves the obligation. Forty ship loads of bodies came to eastern ports during a period of two and a half years. It was not always possible to have an elaborate service, because the arrivals were too frequent, but in every instance there was at least a prayer by a chaplain of the Protestant, Catholic or Jewish faith, an address by a prominent citizen or army officer and a rifle salute.

A number of times, however, the services were noteworthy. President Harding delivered an address at services arranged by the Legion, May 23, 1921, when the Princess Matolka arrived with 451 bodies. General Pershing and Senator Lodge spoke when the Somme and the Wheaton arrived, July 10, 1921, with 7,000 dead. The last cargo of bodies arrived in Brooklyn, in April, 1922, on the Cambria. On that occasion, the body of Private Charles W. Graves, Company M, One-hundred and Seventeenth Infantry, Thirtieth division, was borne in a caisson through the streets, lined with silent throngs, to the army base. Where simple ceremonies marked the close of the last public demonstration for America's returned dead.

RAN TOWARD BERLIN IN 1913

Clarence De Mar, Winner of 25-Mile American Marathon Race, Interested in Boy Scouts.

Clarence H. DeMar of Melrose, Mass., winner of the 25-mile American Marathon race, got some of his endurance as a long-distance runner while running toward Berlin in 1913, and he undoubtedly gained a good deal of his agility and sureness of foot while dodging Fritz's missiles. De Mar finished fourth in a long-distance race between the men of the A. E. F. and the other allied nations in the Pershing stadium in Paris.

His chief interest, however, does not seem to be in racing, but in the welfare of a troop of boy scouts of which he has been in charge for several years.

Ten Years to Displace the Blue. It will require about ten years to clothe all French troops in khaki despite the efforts of the higher council of war to equip all branches of the French army in uniforms of that color. The horizon blue and steel gray cloth on hand must be used up and it will take ten years to do it, the ministry of war declares.

PASTEUR'S FIRST CURE



This is the statue which stands at the Pasteur Institute in Paris, France, to symbolize Doctor Pasteur's conquering of hydrophobia. The boy shown fighting a mad dog was Pasteur's first patient and was cured.

Heppner Herald Want Ads bring home the bacon.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF GUARDIAN'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR MORROW COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Guardianship of May Helen Groshens, a minor.

Notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, made and entered on the 5th day of July, 1922, the undersigned guardian of the person and estate of May Helen Groshens, a minor, will, from and after the 9th day of August, 1922, at the office of S. E. Notson, in the Court House at Heppner, Morrow County, Oregon, offer for sale and sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash, and subject to confirmation by said County Court, all the right, title, interest and estate of said May Helen Groshens in and to the following described real property, situate in Morrow County, Oregon, to-wit: An undivided one-fifth interest in

and to the following described real property, subject to the dower interest of Helen Groshens McCullough and to a mortgage in favor of the State Land Board, of Oregon, for \$2,200.00:

SE 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 13; E 1/2 NE 1/4, SE 1/4, S 1/2 SW 1/4, Sec. 24; E 1/2 NW 1/4, W 1/2 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 25; NE 1/4, SE 1/4, SW 1/4, E 1/2 NW 1/4, Sec. 36; all in Township 4 South Range 26 E. W. M. W 1/2 NW 1/4, SW 1/4, SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 18; W 1/2 W 1/2 Sec. 19; W 1/2 NW 1/4, Sec. 20; S 1/2 NW 1/4, Sec. 31; all in Township 4 South, Range 27 E. W. M. SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 16, Township 5 South, Range 27 E. W. M. Also, beginning at the southeast corner of the Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section 18, thence running North one mile, thence East 1162 feet thence South to the Section line between Sections 7 and 18 to a point 412 feet East of the Northeast corner of the Northwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section 18, thence South to the place of beginning, being all the land in the above boundaries lying west of the now established county road, and all being in Township 4 South, Range 27 E. W. M. Also Lot 5, Block 5, City of Heppner, Oregon.

HELEN McCULLOUGH, Guardian of the person and estate of May Helen Groshens, a minor.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF MORROW

Freda Bishop, Plaintiff, vs. Andrew J. Bishop, Defendant.

To Andrew J. Bishop, the above named defendant:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you are hereby required to appear and answer plaintiff's complaint filed against you in the above entitled court on or before six weeks from the date of the first publication of this Summons, and if you fail to so appear or answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to said court for the relief prayed for in her complaint, to-wit: That the bonds of matrimony now existing between you and the plaintiff be forever dissolved and that the plaintiff have an absolute divorce from you, and for such other and further relief as may be just and equitable.

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