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Why Farmers Complain.

SINCE the World War murmurings of discontent have been heard from time to time among the farmers. They contend that the prices of farm products have not risen fast enough to keep pace with their cost of living.

Some figures recently made public by the National Industrial Conference Board indicate the farmers are correct in their contention. These figures show the farm owner-operators, taken as a group by itself, and allowing them out of their farm investment a return of five and one-half per cent on their investment—which is the lowest rate their money would earn if invested in farm mortgages—realized but \$440 per farm owner-operator as the return on labor and management during the crop year 1925-1926.

Table with 3 columns: Crop Year, Aver. Labor Return Per Farmer, Average Earnings of Other Workers. Rows for 1914, 1924-25, 1925-26.

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The country generally should begin to realize pretty soon how truly our farming industry is the basis of our national prosperity and of most of our business in small towns.

Achieves His Aim.

ONE of the fortunate characteristics of President Coolidge which makes for the increased confidence of the people in his judgment, is his habit of establishing a goal for which he is aiming and allowing his associates to decide on the methods of approach or the means of accomplishment.

We're Goin' to Gran'ma's!

Advertisement for Lawrence Hawthorne featuring a cartoon illustration of a man and a woman, with text about a farm and a visit to grandma's.

publishing a goal for which he is aiming and allowing his associates to decide on the methods of approach or the means of accomplishment. This has been made clearly evident in his stand on the matter of tax reduction.

Directly following his announcement, the legislative and administrative experts began to pick flaws, and suggest amendments and reservations to the President's plan. A little less human man, under these conditions, might easily have become involved in a dispute, mild or tempestuous, according to his temper with his critics, the net result of which undoubtedly would have been a parliamentary and administrative tangle out of which nothing whatever would come.

Airmail and Printing.

ON MONDAY this item appeared in our news columns: "The United States government today prepared to withdraw entirely from the operation of airmail lines. The postoffice department advertised for bids for commercial operation of the New York-Chicago and Chicago-San Francisco airmail lines—the only lines still operated by the government."

Commenting on this announcement acting Postmaster General Glover was quoted as saying: "Commercial aviation has developed to such an extent that the government may now relinquish its last airmail lines. This is in accord with the government's policy of not operating public utilities after they pass the experimental stage."

To the printers of the country this statement by Mr. Glover is unusually interesting. This is not because any of them intend to go into the business of carrying mail by airplane nor because they have any other sort of interest in this activity. It is because of the showing that the postoffice department is willing to get out of a commercial business in which it competes with private enterprise.

The particular reason for the interest of the printers in this news is the fact that for many years the government has been competing

Dr. Frank Crane Says THE WORLD GOES ON

THE WORLD GOES ON

A SCIENTIST tells us that the world will not end for at least 999,998,000,000 years. So it appears that there will be time for a number of generations to carry on the accumulated knowledge and folly of their fathers and to make experiments of their own—the sum of which process is known as progress.

The idea that the world will spin on, bearing countless generations of changing men, is in itself a stimulating one. The old conception of a world that would end in a few years was a paralyzing one. If the world would surely end in a short time, men of former times asked themselves, why keep any accurate record of history? Why carry on extensive scientific experiments? Why bother about changing social conditions greatly? Why begin long-time projects of improvement when there would be no time to complete them?

The idea that the world will go on, to all practical purposes, forever, tends to turn men's minds to the problems of making it a better place to live in. It will force them to face the problems of getting along amicably with one another, which means the elimination of war. It will force them to turn their attention toward the combatting of disease and the installing of new sanitary improvements to safeguard health.

The same scientist says the earth has been in existence about two trillion years, or something like one five hundred thousandth of the length of time it will continue beyond us. This makes us realize that civilization is just beginning, that mankind is taking the first faltering steps on a long career. It mitigates the despair occasioned by the child-mindedness of the crowd, the lack of progress in mankind and the insanity of the late war.

The idea that the world will continue indefinitely is humbling, stimulating and encouraging. It may inspire awe, but it will never stifle into stagnation as did the conception of the world as a temporary thing in which the end was eternally imminent.

with them in the printing of envelope corner cards. There is no more reason for this than for the government selling drugs or making shoes. This is a service that should be left to the printers just as carrying mail in the air is left to commercial fliers. If the department is ready to get out of the airmail business perhaps it will follow by quitting the printing business.

An Unparalleled Growth.

THE electric light has just passed its forty-seventh birthday. Think of it! Forty-seven years ago there were no electric lights. Thomas Edison's first lamps were not much like the Edison Mazda of today. For many years the electric light was enjoyed by but a few; it was too expensive for the masses. Today it is the cheapest kind of light. Its cost is so insignificant in the family budget that it is hardly considered.

It's About Time.

AFTER two and one-half years of dillydallying while all the loopholes afforded by the law's technicalities were being used to delay hearing of criminal charges against them, Albert B. Fall and Edward L. Doheny have finally been brought to trial. At last they must face the criminal allegations growing out of the oil scandals that are almost ancient history.

The mills of justice grind exceedingly slow, even though sometimes they grind exceedingly small. Entirely apart from a consideration of the guilt or innocence of Fall and Doheny, it is long past time for them to be haled into court. While their clever attorneys were taking advantage of every technicality in the law promising to delay the cases during the last two and one-half years, the court system of this country has been on trial before the public.

Whenever strong political or financial influences are brought to bear to protect the rich and powerful who are charged with some offense, the eyes of the public follow the case closely. They have been watching the Fall and Doheny case. And whenever in such cases, delays and postponements result, as they have in this, the faith of the people in the court is undermined. It is a sad thing for any country when its people come to believe the courts mete out punishment only to the poor and powerless

thereof applied to the payment of taxes, mortgage and interest, general indebtedness and costs and expenses of administration, to-wit: Portion of Lot 1. The East Half of Section 23, Twp. 2 S. R. 27 E. W. M.

Portion of Lot 2. The West Half of Section 26, Twp. 2 S. R. 27 E. W. M.

Portion of Lot 3. North Half of Northeast Quarter of Section 26, Twp. 2 S. R. 27 E. W. M.

Portion of Lot 4. The Southwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section 26, Township 2 S. R. 27 E. W. M.

Portion of Lot 5. The Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 26, Twp. 2 S. R. 27 E. W. M.

Portion of Lot 6. The South Half of the Southwest Quarter of Section 27, Twp. 2 S. R. 27 E. W. M.

Portion of Lot 7. The Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 27, Twp. 2 S. R. 27 E. W. M.

Portion of Lot 8. An undivided one half interest in and to the East Half of the Northeast Quarter, the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter and the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 27, Township 2 South, Range 27 E. W. M.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said court this 27th day of November, 1926.

GAY M. ANDERSON, County Clerk.

This alias citation is published pursuant to an order of the Hon. R. L. Benge, County Judge of Morrow County, Oregon, made in open court at Heppner, Oregon, the 27th day of November, 1926, and said order provides that the first publication of this citation shall be made on the 2nd day of December, 1926, and the last publication thereof on the 30th day of December, 1926; that alias citation be published for four consecutive weeks or five publications thereof in the Gazette Times, a weekly newspaper published at Heppner in Morrow County, Oregon.

EMMA WHETSTONE, Administratrix of the Estate of N. S. Whetstone, deceased.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT. Notice is hereby given that Millie R. Doolittle, administratrix of the Estate of Andrew Rood, Sr., deceased, has filed her final account in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, and that said court has set as the time and place for hearing on said final account, and settlement thereof, Friday, December 31st, 1926, at the hour of 2:30 p. m. of said day, in the Court Room of the County Court of Morrow County, State of Oregon, at Heppner, Oregon. All persons having objections to said final account must file the same on or before said date.

MILLIE R. DOOLITTLE, Administratrix of the Estate of Andrew Rood, Sr., deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have been appointed administratrix and administrator, jointly, of the Estate of Oscar O. Edwards, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, and that the undersigned have duly qualified as such administratrix and administrator. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned, duly verified, at the office of C. L. Sweek, attorney for the administratrix and administrator, at Heppner, Oregon, within six months from the date of first publication of this notice.

ORA BELLE EDWARDS, Administratrix. R. A. THOMPSON, Administrator.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed her final account as executrix of the estate of Merritt F. Wadsworth, deceased, and that the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County has appointed Saturday, the 11th day of December, 1926, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, as the time, and the County Court room in the Court House at Heppner, Oregon, as the place, of hearing and settlement of said final account. Objections to said final account must be filed on or before said date.

SUE P. WADSWORTH, Executrix.

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OLA V. WARD, Administratrix of the Estate of M. C. Fuqua, deceased.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR MORROW COUNTY. Union Savings & Loan Association, an Oregon corporation, Plaintiff, vs. Nellie G. Anderson and Gay M. Anderson, husband and wife; Oliver R. Pate and Esther R. Pate, husband and wife, and E. C. Snodgrass, Defendant.

To Oliver R. Pate and Esther R. Pate, husband and wife; and E. C. Snodgrass, Defendants: 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 suit within six weeks from the date of first publication of summons, if published, or within six weeks from the date of service upon you if personally served without the State of Oregon; and if you fail to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in its complaint, to-wit:

For judgment against the defendants Nellie G. Anderson and Gay M. Anderson, husband and wife, for the sum of \$325.18 with interest at the rate of 10% per annum from January 31, 1926; for the sum of \$82.01 with interest at the rate of 6% per annum from April 23, 1926; the sum of \$39.20 with interest at the rate of 6% per annum from September 14, 1926; for the sum of \$5.00 attorney's fees; and plaintiff's costs and disbursements in this suit. That the court declare plaintiff's mortgage to be a valid and subsisting first lien on all of the real property in Morrow County, State of Oregon, to-wit: Lot 4 in Block 4 of Jones Addition to Heppner, Morrow County, State of Oregon. That plaintiff's mortgage be ordered foreclosed and the real property sold on foreclosure execution in the manner provided

by law, and the proceeds of such sale be applied to payment of plaintiff's judgment and the balance, if any, be disposed of as the court may direct, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem equitable.

This Summons is published by virtue of an order of the Hon. R. L. Benge, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, made and entered on the 27th day of October, 1926.

Date of first publication October 28, 1926.

C. L. SWECK, Attorney for Plaintiff. Address: Heppner, Oregon.

CALL FOR WARRANTS. All General Fund Warrants of Morrow County, Oregon, registered on or before January 31, 1926, will be paid on presentation at the office of the County Treasurer on or after December 10th, 1926, at which date interest on said warrants will cease.

Dated at Heppner, Oregon, November 24th, 1926.

LEON W. BRIGGS, County Treasurer.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON EXECUTION. Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a foreclosure execution duly issued out of, and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County on the 9th day of November, 1926, pursuant to a judgment and decree entered and rendered in said Court on the 14th day of June, 1926, in favor of Francis M. Broad and Clara M. Broad, plaintiffs, and against John Gray and Erma L. Gray, his wife, James E. Warfield and Dotty Warfield, his wife, defendants, for the sum of \$4500.00, with interest thereon from the 1st day of November, 1921, at the rate of eight per cent per annum, the further sum of \$360.00 attorney's fees, and \$22.80, the cost and disbursements of said suit and in which decree the following described real property situated in Morrow County, Oregon, was ordered sold to satisfy said judgment, to-wit: Beginning 8.91 chains South of the corners of Sections 9, 10, 15 and 16, in Township one (1) North of Range 23 East of Willamette Meridian, thence running South 11.09 chains, thence East 20 chains, thence South 40 chains, thence West 20 chains, thence North 10 chains, thence West 30 chains, thence North 41.09 chains, thence East 30 chains to the place of beginning. Now, therefore, in obedience to said execution, I will on Saturday, the 11th day of December, 1926, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the Court House at Heppner, Morrow County, Oregon, sell the above described real property at public auction to the highest bidder for cash for the purpose of satisfying said judgment. Said property being the property mortgaged to the plaintiffs and the same will be sold subject to the statutory right of redemption. Dated this 10th day of November, 1926.

GEO. McDUFFEE, Sheriff.

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