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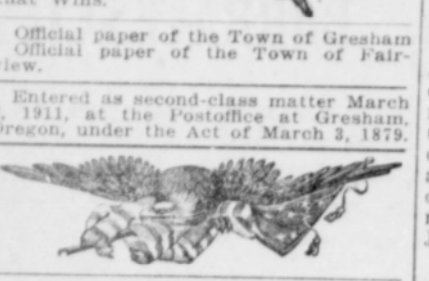
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WAR WITH AUSTRIA.

There is a strong and growing feeling that the United States should declare war on Austria-Hungary. The present situation is certainly anomalous. Our domestic policy is affected by it, since, under the espionage law and the trading-with-the-enemy law, it is impossible to deal effectively with the subjects of the dual monarchy residing in this country, since they are not enemy aliens. As a matter of fact we are already at war with the dual monarchy, though not legally so. For the monarchy is fighting our allies, and we are helping those allies in every way possible.

But the question is one of defining our legal rights and duties, and establishing the status of Austria-Hungarians in this country. Nevertheless the leaders of congress will be wise to consult fully with the president and secretary of state before they take final action, not because the views of these men should be controlling, but because the facts which they have should be known in advance of any congressional action. The case may be less simple than it seems to be on its face. What policy ought to be adopted can be known only by those who are familiar with the factor.

There is no question of principle involved, but only one of policy. And the only policy that is worth a moment's notice by patriotic Americans is that which will lead most quickly and surely to victory over Germany. The defeat of Germany will carry with it the defeat of her allies. Those who are without knowledge of the facts are hardly in a position to express an opinion, one way or another. Whatever action is taken should be based on knowledge. The surprising thing is that so many men are prepared to say what ought to be done without any knowledge of the facts. Yet it is very likely that war will be declared almost at once.

A JEWISH NATION.

A nation for the Jews—the ten lost tribes of Israel, perhaps—is almost certain to be an outcome of the war. The British will capture Jerusalem and will restore to the people without a nation their ancient birthright. After the war is over all the nations, the subjugated nations included, will protect it.

There have been many attempts to read prophecy into the present war, some of them curiously fantastic, but the certain conquest of Palestine raises questions that, taken in connection with Old Testament prophecies, are at least interesting. For here we have to do, not simply with the foreseeing power—assumed to be miraculous—but with questions of politics and statesmanship.

One can readily believe that a man can be great enough to see that forces operating in his time must work out into certain results. That is statesmanship—whether we think of it as inspired or not. The question in truth is, not one of being able to forecast the future, but of being great enough to understand and appraise the condition of one's own time, and the forces by which it seems to be governed.

Foresight is the product of insight, and that has always been true. And no man can have insight who does not understand that righteousness is the law of the life of nations, as of individuals.

The Old Testament is full of the prophecies of the return of Israel to its own land. Many of them, it is true, are purely spiritual—as "a righteous remnant shall return"—but others clearly point to the creation of a Jewish state in Palestine. One of the most interesting is that of Jeremiah, who was a pre-exile prophet. There is not, it is believed, any question as to the authenticity of the 23d chapter, which was written more than 500 years before Christ. In that chapter is to be found:

Therefore, behold, the days come, saith the Lord, that they shall no more say, The Lord liveth, which brought up the children of Israel out of the land of Egypt; but the Lord liveth, which brought up and which

led the seed of the house of Israel out of the north country, and from all countries whither I had driven them; and they shall dwell in their own land. Such was the prophecy of 2500 years ago. It's sweep is tremendous. There was, in the mind of Jeremiah, no question of a merely local triumph or redemption. The people were to be led back to their own land, not merely from Egypt or "the north country," but "from all countries whither I had driven them."

Mr. Balfour has written a letter to Lord Rothschild to be transmitted to the Zionist federation, from which the following extract is taken: His majesty's government views with favor the establishment in Palestine of a national home for the Jewish people, and will use its best endeavors to facilitate the achievement of this object, it being clearly understood that nothing shall be done which may prejudice the civil and religious rights of non-Jewish communities in Palestine, or the rights and political status enjoyed by Jews in any other country. In other words, the British government intends to restore Palestine to the Jews that they may have a nation similar to the other nations of the earth. A Jewish nation in Palestine would certainly be a fulfillment of Jeremiah's prophecy. "They shall dwell in their own land."

We expect to have a snow storm before the winter is over, and to our subscribers in southern California and other torrid climates where snow never falls, we want to say that snow is precipitation taking the form of minute crystals of ice formed from aqueous vapors and usually falling in irregular masses or flakes—something of that sort.

Henry Ford tells the government that it can have his last dollar if it wants it. Henry was a trifle late in catching the war fever, but from the day he got it his patriotic cariburetor has never been under 111, and his fighting spark plug has been thumping steadily with every plunge of the piston rods.

Just as we expected, there are quite a few citizens, including some women, who think that next to electing them to office the most fortunate thing that could happen to the country would be the winning of the war.

The sacred traditions have been shattered. At last a democrat has resigned. It was Governor Neville of Nebraska who has become a colonel of Nebraska soldiers.

Los Angeles will soon have the distinction of being the driest city in California in other ways than climatically. And it will happen on the first of April.

The inquisitive subscriber wants to know what a Russian Bolsheviki is. We can't answer that question as too many of our readers are women and children.

Another trouble about this war work is that Americans are apt to stop right in the middle of the most important job to engage in joint debate.

That knitting industry doesn't seem to have extended to "mittens" for the khaki boys, judging from the records Dan Cupid is handing down.

Some folks have so much confidence in themselves that they try to describe an ache after a Thanksgiving dinner.

If Nick Romanoff had known what was coming he never would have changed the name of St. Petersburg to Petrograd.

A new map of the sky will no doubt reveal that the particular star belonging to the kaiser is on the descending.

Hoover advises everybody to eat hash. Well, you see, Hoover, everybody doesn't live at a boarding house.

If you deem it proper to avoid a waste of words, abstain from using "fresh" to describe those 40-cent eggs.

Fast freight seems to be the kind that is tied up in the railroad yards; but where is the fast mail these days?

Instead of giving the baby pennies to swallow, most people now use them for that extra one-cent postage.

Honey has at last gone up. Perhaps a quiet talk with the bees might accelerate production next season.

An inhibition against thoughtless days might cause some people to worry more, but it is needed.

Speaking of leather: pity for the poor blacksmith who has to buy an apron.

And we haven't heard of a single hat being won on the recent town election in Gresham.

The new definition of "Holy Russia" means Russia shot full of holes.

KEEP ON SAWING WOOD.

One reads a great deal about peace proposals and one gets many reports to the effect that Germany and her allies are in dire extremity. The dual monarchy of Austria, in particular, is said to be so near the end of its resources as to be unable to endure another winter of war. Cold and rain are said almost completely to have destroyed the crops in the richest regions of Hungary, and the demand for rolling stock for military purposes is reported to have rendered impossible the transportation of 300,000 tons of Roumanian cereals. A serious acceptance of all these reports at their face value would convince one beyond peradventure that our Teutonic adversaries were about done for and that there would be no necessity for our putting troops into the field against them.

It is not beyond reasonable assumption that this is precisely the impression which the doleful reports are designed to convey. The central powers know their European opponents—know their methods, their temperament, their efficiency; and know, too, their vulnerable points if these exist. An American army is as yet to them an unknown quantity, and they would much prefer that it continue so. Whatever boasts they have made, whatever contempt they have affected concerning American arms, there remains the incontrovertible fact that they know practically nothing concerning American fighting qualities, except what they have read in history or have seen demonstrated in individual instances in the present war.

They have never been up against a large body of distinctively American fighting men, nor have they any overweening desire for the experience—partly because of the uncertainty of the thing, and partly because they have on their hands about all they can comfortably attend to now. If they could be left unhindered to smash the Entente, and if by hook or crook they should succeed in accomplishing that rather imposing task, they would be so drunk with slaughter and triumph that they would hardly hesitate to tackle all America on our own continent, but they have no taste for American reinforcement of the Entente armies at the present juncture.

Hence the desirability from the Teutonic viewpoint, of throwing out reports calculated to check the velocity and relax the vigor of American preparedness. Hence, too, the importance to the United States of receiving these reports with a knowing wink of the eye, saying nothing and—sawing wood. Austria and Hungary have by no means arrived at their last expiring gasp, and Germany has several kicks left yet. Better by far that we should be over-prepared than that a Teutonic trick of playing 'possum should catch us napping.

In many cases throughout the country automobile owners have learned to drive their own cars or have given them up entirely that their chauffeurs might be released to give their valuable specialized service to the army.

There's many a slip between the coal mine and the furnace door.

Christmas comes on the fourth meatless day in December.

Knitting, like sawing, is all right till you strike a knot.

Hoover hasn't announced any gossipless days yet.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the County Court for Clackamas County, State of Oregon. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Frank Eder, Sr., deceased, by the County Court for Clackamas County, State of Oregon, and has qualified. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same duly verified as by law required to the undersigned at Gresham, Oregon, or to the office of C. G. Schneider, Gresham, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. P. B. EDER, Administrator. C. G. SCHNEIDER, Attorney. Dated and first published Nov. 9, '17. Last publication Dec. 14, 1917.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Multnomah County. Dastie Delores Hunter, Plaintiff vs. Roswell Garland Hunter, Defendant.

To Roswell Garland Hunter, the above named 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 case on or before January 4, 1918, (that being six weeks from the date of the first publication of summons herein, and in default whereof plaintiff will apply to the court for a judgment against you dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore made and entered into by and between you and the plaintiff, and for the custody of her minor child.

This summons is being published once a week for six successive weeks in the Gresham Outlook, a newspaper published in Multnomah County, Oregon, date of first insertion to be Friday, November 23, 1917, and last insertion Friday, January 4, 1918. A. W. LAFFERTY, Plaintiff's Attorney. 426 Pittock Bldg., Portland, Ore.

HONOR ROLL.

Young men who have enlisted from eastern Multnomah and vicinity.

- ERNEST J. ANDERSON
ISAAC ANDERSON
FOREST ARNOLD
ALVIN AUSTIN
TOM BAKER
ELMER BANKUS
EILBERT BASLEE
ERNEST BATES
BYRON BELL
LESLIE BERKE
OTLEY BERKE
HENRY BOTTLESON
CECIL BOZARTH
SGT. BOYD BRASWELL
EDGAR BROOKS
EMERSON BROWN
LEON A. BUDY
A. CAMP
ED. CANNIFF
RALPH CRANDALL
SEC. LT. FRED CRANE
FRANK CRAWFORD
EDMUND G. CONVILL
FRED DAVIS
W. DEAVEN
CHAS. DEHAVEN
EDWARD DICKINSON
RAYMOND DUNBAR
ED. DUNN
W. EASTMAN
VENCH EVANS
ED. EVERETT
ELIS FORSGREN
DEWEY GIBBS
WILLIE HALEY
OLIVER HAMBLIN
CLIFTON H. HARRIS
THEODORE HARRIS
FRED HARTT
C. HENDRICKS
CARYL HESLIN
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CHARLES HICKS
JAS. O. HILLYARD
WILLIAM HILLYARD
VICTOR HOLM
JOHN HONEY
HERBERT H. HOSS
HERBON HUMASON
RAYMOND HUMASON
CORP. GUY JONES
ALBERT JOHNSON
GUSTAV JOHNSON
ALBERT JONSRUD
FRANK KENNEY
GLEN KESTERSON
RAY KESTERSON
RICHARD KNARR
GEORGE KNIEREM
EMIL LAUBER
LLOYD LITTLEPAGE
ALTON LOVELACE
SHERMAN McCARTER
ELDRIDGE McCULLOCH
CHARLES MAYER
SGT. LEE MERRILL
JOHN MILAN
THOMAS P. MORGAN
EDWARD NOREEN
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ROY OLSEN
RAY PALMQUIST
TOM PARKER
VERL PARKER
IRVIN PARKLEY
PAY P. POTTER
EARL POUNDER
CECIL PULFER
DEXTER QUESINBERY
EARL RADFORD
ELMER RADFORD
LLOYD RADFORD
JESSE RADFORD
G. REYNOLDS
L. E. RICHMOND
WARD RICHMOND
VICTOR RICKERT
W. RICKERT
CLAUD ROBINSON
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FRED MURRAY SMITH
EARL STANLEY
SGT. WILBUR STANLEY
SGT. VERNE SLATER
C. STILLIONS
OSCAR STONE
LESTER TALLMADGE
LLOYD TEGARTY
SEC. LT. ERNEST THOM
EDRIC THOMAS
GEORGE TOWNSEND
LESLIE TOWNSEND
ALFONSE VAN DONINCK.
S. O. VEKIN
JOE VERETTI
EDNER WEDIN
ALBERT WEISS
WALLACE WILKINSON
GLEN WOLFE
GUY E. WOLFE
LEM W. WOLFE
ROY E. WOODWARD
LEWIS YERGER
HENRY ZENGER
Engineers Corps
CORP. FRANK G. BELL
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SGT. FIRST CLASS
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Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War, estimates the losses up to June 1 of the British expeditionary forces in deaths in action and from wounds at 7 per cent of the total of all men sent to France since the beginning of the war. He adds that the ratio of losses of this character today, because of improved tactics and swiftly mounting allied superiority in artillery, is less than seven to every 100 men.

Between August 1 and December 1 the railroads transported 1,500,000 men to training camps and embarkation points. To insure the safety of the men in transit the railroads have adopted an average speed of 25 miles an hour except when freight cars need for the transportation of equipment are included in the trains. The speed is then reduced to twenty miles.

Save a loaf of bread a week. Help win the war.

List of Letters

Remaining letters uncalled for in the Gresham postoffice for week ending December 8, 1917: Gentlemen—R. H. Johnson, Tom Hallet, Walker Cole, E. Andrew, Frank Welch, R. J. Carroll, Bull Buchanan, Ray Perry, John Dickson, Jessie Giese. Ladies—Mrs. Geo. Weatherill, Clara Matheny, Mrs. C. M. McIntosh, Mrs. D. Cassidy, Margaretto Hemmers, Mrs. W. Coplen, Mrs. Chet Bateman. These letters will be sent to the dead letter office on Dec. 17, 1917, if not delivered before. In calling for the above, please say "advertised", giving date of list. D. M. ROBERTS, P. M.

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COWS

STRAYED—A 2-year-old black steer. Please hold and notify H. G. Knox, Boring, phone Gresham 6733.

PIGS

FOR SALE—One full blood Duroc Jersey sow, 2 years old. Had 16 pigs last October. Have five of the litter unsold, weighing 45 pounds each. If interested address W. K. Corbin, Estacada, R. 1, Oregon.

Poultry

"SUCCESS" OAT SPROUTER, 250-hen size, for sale. Also 10 White Leghorn cockerels if taken within the next 10 days. H. W. Cooley & Son, Gresham. Phone 434.

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MISCELLANEOUS

FRESH WALNUTS for sale, 21 cents a pound. S. C. Jones, phone 91.

LOST—An Ayresdale dog without collar. Long tail. Answers to name of Tom. Call Gresham 133.

LOST—The dog of E. R. Byford's wife, pair of binocular field glasses, made in London. In leather case with shoulder strap. Send information to the Outlook.

SAVE YOUR HIGH PRICED OATS. You can, by calling A. Heiney, phone 98 and buying the best quality of baled timothy hay at \$1.50 per hundred weight.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the County Court of Multnomah County, Oregon. In the matter of Bernhard Lundbom, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Bernhard Lundbom, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Multnomah County, and that he has qualified. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same, duly verified as by law required to the undersigned at 324 Henry Building, Portland, within six months from date hereof.

Date of first publication, November 23, 1917. EARNEST T. LUNBOM, G. E. HAMAKER, Attorney for the Estate.

Professional and Business Ads.

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