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WHAT COAL STRIKE IS COSTING.

Now is the time for the government to dig out actual facts regarding the coal situation. It is worse than childish to go on year after year grinding the public between the nether millstones—it is vicious. The present strike is costing \$5,000,000 a day, and the reward of this sacrifice is public suffering. The charge is flatly made that the average net income of 31,979 miners in the central Pennsylvania district in 1921 was \$760. This means that a miner must provide for the support of his family on \$14.60 a week. It may be all very well to state that the men work only 122 days a year, which is two and one-third days a week and therefore their rate of pay is excessive, but if these be the facts then the problem is one of unemployment rather than of wages, and it should be approached from that angle. An industry that employs vast armies of men for a third of each week and cannot keep them employed the rest of the time needs some kind of reorganization. The situation breeds discontent and when the peculiar characteristics of foreign labor are considered sometimes worse than that. Plain facts stand out and will not be denied. First in the handling of a great national necessity, it is evident that the private owners of the coal mines make vast sums of money and the men who dig the wealth from the ground are compelled to face starvation or next to it. It seems futile to suggest a commission of inquiry unless there be put behind such a commission means of enforcing its findings. The American commission of inquiry has come to be the joke of the world. The former Attorney General, Mr. Palmer, can testify to that. Surely, however, the country is not in such a supine condition that it cannot solve the coal problem.

Oregon Guard News of Local Interest

The current number of the Oregon Guardsman gives the following news items of local interest:
Headquarters and Headquarters Co., First Separate Infantry Battalion, Gresham, has been changed to Headquarters and Headquarters Co., 1st Battalion, 186th Infantry.
Sergeant Guy D. Jones has been transferred from Company G, 162d Infantry, to the Quartermaster Detachment, S. C. and D. Sergeant Jones is a prominent jeweler in Gresham and requested the transfer because of the fact that the drill night of Company G conflicted with his business.

NEW BOOKS RECEIVED AT THE LIBRARY

Just received at the library is "An Anthology of Mother Verse," edited by E. McCracken, which is a beautiful little volume of verses, inspired by "Mothers."
Ruth E. Kelley has given us a helpful little volume in her "Book of Hallowe'en," which gives the origin, beliefs and customs of the holiday in different lands, together with some practical hints for celebrating it.

The many who have enjoyed her other mystery stories will welcome Carolyn Well's new one, "The Mystery of the Sycamore." A story which you spell bound until the genius of Fleming Stone solves the puzzle.
Several new books for children are also ready for circulation this week. Among them "The Boy's Book of Mechanical Models" by W. B. Stout, which gives simple directions for making such toys as, an airplane railway, toy phonograph, writing telegraph, X-Ray machine, walking policeman, climbing bear, etc.

Eighteen-year-old Judson Pitcher is the hero of Mr. Carruth's "Track's End." He relates the thrilling adventures and narrow escapes experienced during a winter in South Dakota. Indians, coyotes and outlaws figure in the tale, which is one sure to appeal to many young readers.
With Paul Revere as his hero and Boston, just before the Revolution as his setting, Mr. Dyer gives us a story crammed with fighting, perilous horseback rides, plots, counterplots and half-breadth escapes, which he calls "Sons of Liberty."

A new James Willard Schultz book which will delight his many friends is, "The Dreadful River Cave." It is the story of a young Indian brave, Black Elk, and his adventures which center about a mysterious cave behind a waterfall.

FARMERS MUTUAL HAS PROSPEROUS YEAR

\$13,000,000 in Force, Jan. 1, 1922.
The Farmers Mutual Fire Relief association made big gains in 1921 having written \$4,466,000 in risks, gained 1700 new members and paid \$28,000 in fire losses. January 1st the association adopted a uniform rate of 30c per hundred dollars insurance on all farm property. This low rate will enable every farmer to carry insurance. H. W. Snashall was re-elected president. Any one desiring to see him about insurance may call at the Gresham fair grounds. Phone 2101.

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JUDGE DEICH IN FAVOR OF WOMEN JURISTS

In a talk before the Multnomah Grange last Saturday Judge Richard Deich of Portland spoke favorably of women becoming jurists.

"It is not necessary," according to Judge Deich, "to have a jury as any level minded judge could decide cases but he does not often care to assume that responsibility. The law steps in and says there must be a jury."

Women jurists are giving satisfaction. During the past three months, since women have been called for work on the jury, there has been a different atmosphere about the courthouse. The rooms have taken on a more homelike appearance. Men hesitate about smoking and swearing in the corridors. Their conversations are not carried on in such a loud tone of voice. At first the ladies were timid about making their appearance and only a few could be seen in the hall. Now that the women have a definite place there, a great many more can be seen.

There is only one reason why women jurists are not as satisfactory as the men. They are inclined to be compassionate with men and are apt to be too harsh with their sisters. The same thing is true to a certain extent of men jurors and the opposite sex. A mixed jury corrects both weaknesses. It comes nearer to insuring the rendering of justice than any other plan tried heretofore.

"No one ought to be ashamed of the fact" said Judge Deich "that Oregon has women on the jury."

Bids Wanted.

Bids will be received by the district school board of Union High School District, No. 2, Clackamas County, Oregon, for the contract to drill and case a well of standard size on the high school grounds at Sandy, Oregon.

All bids must be in the hands of the district clerk on or before 1 o'clock p. m., May 2, 1922. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. R. HALL, Clerk Union High School District No. 2, Sandy, Oregon. Phone Sandy Ex. 291.

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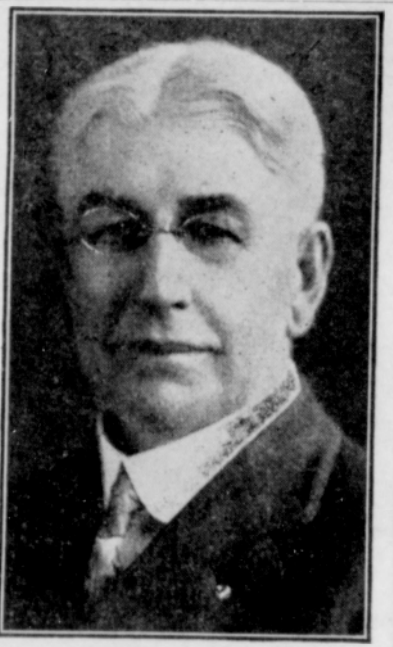
Notice is hereby given that the clerk of the board of School District No. 26, Clackamas county, Oregon will receive sealed bids for the purchase of the following described property to-wit:

The old union schoolhouse and site, commencing at the southwest corner of Section three (3) Township two (2) south of Range three (3) east of the Willamette Meridian, running north fifteen (15) rods thence east twelve (12) rods thence south fifteen (15) rods thence west twelve (12) rods to place of beginning, containing one (1) acre more or less situated in Clackamas county, Oregon.

Separate bids are required on building and site.
Bids will be received up to the hour of 2 o'clock Saturday, April 22d, 1922.

Bids to be opened at the hour of 8 o'clock p. m. on same date.
The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

For information regarding bids and terms of said property, apply to the clerk.
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OLOF GRAN, Chairman.
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NINE-YEAR-OLD BROWN MARE for sale. No. 1 horse, sound and well. Weight 1500. Samuel Konitzer, 2 miles south of Sycamore store on Rock Creek road.

FOR SALE—Bay gelding, age six years, weight 1450. Well built and sound. R. A. Palmquist, 1 1/2 mi S. E. Gresham.

FOR SALE—Good 6-year-old mare, weight 1400; also 3 1/2-inch good farm wagon. Call Camplan Vulcanizing Shop, Gresham, or phone Gottlieb Fudickar, Gresham 314.

FOR SALE—One riding pony, weight 900 pounds, \$50; 1 bay team, 7 years old, sound, weight 2800, \$250; 1 bay team 6 years, weight 2600, \$200; 1 horse 7 years old, weight 1300, \$100. W. A. Hessel, phone 1141.

FOR SALE—A good heavy team. John Brown, phone 2501. tf

COWS

FOR SALE—One large Jersey cow, will be fresh May 5. Price \$75. F. Herz, Boring, Oregon.

WANTED—Day-old calves. W. R. Johnson, Phone 253.

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FOR SALE—Six-room modern house, full basement, some fruit. Lot 50x105. Excellent soil and drainage. One and a half blocks from A. W. Metzger's store. Price \$2200. Terms. B. W. Thorne, at Bank of Gresham.

SEVERAL NICE HALF-ACRE tracts in Kirkland addition, Gresham, for sale at reasonable price. Cash or terms. S. S. Thompson, owner. Phone 1947. tf

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FINE 40-ACRE RANCH in the alfalfa district, near Ontario, Oregon, for sale, or would consider an exchange for acreage near Gresham or for residence property in Gresham or Portland. Address A. care Outlook.

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WANTED—Small furnished house or apartment for the summer. Leave information at Outlook. tf

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Acres and half acre, two blocks from Mt. Hood depot, also close to high school. Price \$500 an acre, 30 per cent cash. T. E. MERCER, Gresham, Oregon, phone 506.

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