

The Evening Herald

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THE LINK RIVER DAM.

Mr. Offield in his "Fourth" reason says "the most vital thing before the Irrigation District is to procure the release of the mortgages held by the Government against the land of the Water Users."

What are these mortgages for, since the water user is only guaranteed water for his land? Were they given as security for power sites, power possibilities, water rights, rights of way, headgates, flumes and other structures? Or were they just given to get the water on the land? If the latter, was it not a pretty high price for so small a return? If the former, then what right has Mr. Offield, or the Reclamation Service, or Secretary Lane or anyone else to transfer to anyone anything belonging to the project? Where do they get the authority to say that these things belong to the government when it was the security of the farmers that made them possible. Is it not downright fraud—robbery? What would be done to a private individual or a corporation that sequestered or dissipated any of the assets entrusted to their charge? Their punishment would be stripes and the penitentiary, and it is our judgment that the same medicine should be meted out to anyone who would attempt to do the same thing with any of the rights or property of the Klamath Project.

We are told the farmers did not pay for these things, and in the next line we are told the mortgages given—what for, but these very things—should be released. And how? By throwing away the choicest assets of the project that they might be used for the benefit of the California Oregon Power Company. We are told that we do not own them; have no right and interest in them. Then why ask the landowner to waive any right he may have in them. If he has no right to them, a waiver is not necessary. If he has right to them, then why take them away without due compensation? If the farmers own them they should have them without question, and if they are denied that to which they are entitled then no obstacles should be placed in their way to recover and hold them.

Mr. Offield was placed on the board of directors to protect the interests of the farmers, but instead of doing so, we find him standing in the way of the farmer himself protecting those rights. If he, as he claims, has the interests of the farmers at heart, why does he object to the joining of the District in the suit. It will not cost the farmers one cent more. He says he has consented to have the Water Users Association sue, then why not the District also, since they are one and the same, practically? There is some reason, and Mr. Offield has not made that reason plain. His excuse that it might interfere with the consummation of the contract between the District and the government is a poor one and one that is far from satisfactory to the farmers, as will be evidenced by the vote they will cast.

We want to ask owners and drivers of autos in this city if they want to give the police force a square deal? Some of them to date have not done so, and as a consequence they are getting the boys in bad with the mayor and the public. You know, and everyone knows, that there are fellows running machines in this town who are personal friends of the police force and they are mean enough to take advantage of that fact to speed up and down the paved streets, or open their mufflers or let their cars stand where they have no right to park them. The police officers are just plain human beings, like any of us and they hate to put a friend in a hole. The consequence is that they have been put in a hole themselves.

The Herald does not believe they have had a square deal, and it tells them to start right after any man, woman or child that violates the automobile ordinance and, if possible, to go after them at night so that they can lock them up in the city jail for the night. Someone will be killed one of these days, and then there will be trouble all along the line. The time to avoid such an accident is now and the way to do it is to land every violator of the ordinance before the police judge and let him do his duty. The public is tired of these infractions and it wants them stopped, and public opinion will stand solidly behind the police officers if they do their duty. Let 'em have it, boys!

EFFORT MADE TO FIND SOLDIER JOB

The following letter showing that an effort is being made here to find work for the returning soldiers has been submitted by Chairman C. C. Hogue of the County Council of Defense:

To returned Soldiers and Sailors.—"The National, State and County Councils of Defense are listing all returned soldiers and sailors, who wish work and are using their best endeavors to provide it. All soldiers are requested to give their names to the Chairman C. C. Hogue to be listed, and if they wish to secure, to state their past experience and the kind of work preferred. It is believed there will be a demand for help beginning in March, which will take care of all who wish work."

"Secretary of the Interior Lane is pressing for legislation to provide farms and monetary assistance for all former soldiers and sailors who wish to engage in farming. I have a few of the questionnaires which I will furnish to those who will let me know that they wish to look into this matter."

ALGOMA SOLDIERS HAVE RETURNED.

John E. Walker of Algoma is rejoicing these days. Both of his boys have returned home safe from the service of Uncle Sam. John E. Walker Jr., was discharged from Battery F 30 field Artillery Camp Funston, Kansas, January 30th. Arrived in Algoma February 4th. His brother, Sergeant L. I. Walker, shipped from Kelly Field San Antonio Texas, the same day to Camp Kearney, Calif. There discharged Feb. 4th. He arrived home Feb. 10th.

Sergeant L. I. Walker left Algoma February 15th for Camp Lewis Washington, upon receiving his appointment from the Surgeon General at Washington D. C. as Civilian Reconstruction Aid at Base Hospital at Camp Lewis. He did not know his brother was home, until he reached Klamath Falls.

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MANY CASES OF RHEUMATISM NOW

SAYS WE MUST KEEP FEET DRY, AVOID EXPOSURE AND EAT LESS MEAT

Stay off the damp ground, avoid exposure, keep feet dry, eat less meat, drink lots of water and above all take a spoonful of salts occasionally to keep down uric acid.

Rheumatism is caused by poisonous toxin, called uric acid, which is generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine. The pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this uric acid which keeps accumulating and circulating thru the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink which overcomes uric acid and is beneficial to your kidneys as well. —Adv.

PERSONAL MENTION

LITTLE SIDELIGHTS ON LOCAL HAPPENINGS AMONG THE PEOPLE OF THIS CITY AND VICINITY, GOINGS AND COMINGS OF LOCAL FOLKS

T. J. Flowers is here on matters of business from Worden.

I. R. Mallory is in the city on matters today from Medford.

E. S. Cattron is in the city for a short time from Portland.

J. A. Peters is here for a short time on business from El Paso, Texas.

Mrs. Ira Ashworth came in yesterday for a short visit here from Pine Ridge.

C. N. Walton and B. Lee are among the County seat visitors today from Chiloquin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mitchell are here from San Francisco and are stopping at the Hall Hotel.

R. H. Clay bought supplies from Klamath Falls merchants yesterday for his ranch near this city.

D. M. McLenore, a well known cattle buyer was among the train arrivals last night from San Francisco.

Mrs. May Vance is a recent arrival from Eureka, California. She is registered today at the White Pelican Hotel.

See Charles S. Hood, Klamath Agency, the real estate agent. He will write your contracts and other legal papers. 12-1f

See Chilcote & Smith for fire, life, accident and health insurance. 683 Main street. 24

HOUSTON'S Metropolitan Amusements

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STAR THEATER —TODAY— Select Pictures Presents CONSTANCE TALMADGE —In— "THE STUDIO GIRL" —Also— Two Reels of Comedy. Admission 10 & 25 cents. Show Starts 7:30 and 9:15.

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Triangle Presents Wm. S. HART —In— "THE APOSTLE OF VENGEANCE" And Hearst Pathe News Latest Current Events. Admission 10 & 15 cents Matinee 2:30. Evenings 7:30 & 9.

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TRUTH BADLY MANHANDLED BY THE SOLDIERS

LONDON, Jan. 13.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—Incidents of men stretching the truth considerably to get into the British army when England needed every man and then resorting virtually to mutiny to get out after the armistice was signed have been shown at Folkestone during investigation of the first demobilizations there. After several hundred men had declined to embark for France at the end of their Christmas leave the military authorities began investigating each case separately.

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"I had serious bowel and liver trouble. Lost 50 pounds and could eat only liquid food. Began taking Adler-I-ka and now weigh more than ever. Eat and sleep splendidly." (Signed) George LaFond, Little Falls, Minn. One dose Adler-I-ka relieves sour stomach, gas and constipation instantly. Removes all foul matter which poisons system. Often cures constipation. Prevents appendicitis. We have sold Adler-I-ka many years. It is a mixture of buckthorn, cascara, glycerine and nine other simple drugs.—Whitman Drug Company.—Adv.

Spotting Them

Bosses' Wife—"I hope you answer people properly on the 'phone?" Office Boy—"You bet. When a person calls up and says 'Is Mister Jones there?' I say, 'Yes, sir,' and when a person calls up and says 'Is Charlie in?' I say 'Yes, Ma'am.'"

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