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NOT ALL ROSES

THE private owner, finding his business operation losing a large amount of money daily, can turn the key in the door whenever he desires, closing temporarily until conditions change, or permanently if he sees fit.

But the public utility must continue to operate in the face of unavoidable loss.

There is a tendency in all quarters to view corporations with suspicion, a perverted philosophy which must end in the wreck of business if persisted in.

The association of individuals in a corporation, and the carrying on of the joint enterprise under a corporate name, does not end the individual problems of those who have lent their names and subscribed their capital.

Especially does the corporation operating for the service of the public, supplying the basic necessities, find its way beset with thorns.

We are reminded of this by perusal of notice that the Klamath Heating company has secured permission from the state public service commission to increase its rates for sixty days.

Losing money, its president says, at the rate of one hundred dollars daily, that devil stands on one side. No business could long stand such a drain. On the other hand is the deep sea of public opinion. Will the customers appreciate the reason and necessity for the temporary rate increase?

The public has, of course, a remedy. They may stop using heat, or use some other form of heat. But that makes a bad situation worse. It forces the utility further along the road to failure. Then, if the public desires to continue the service, it may step in and take over the utility. But will the public, in its inexperience, be able to operate the plant more successfully than those whom it replaces?

The temporary increase in rates offered the best solution, and the public service commission, burdened already with a load of criticism because of several unpopular decisions, courageously took the risk of incurring further criticism, and in the public interest followed the course indicated by the statute for dealing with such emergencies.

If the local customers of the utility will get the viewpoint that the increase is in their interests, brought about by unavoidable conditions, a temporary measure to bridge a community emergency, there will be a general recognition of the fairness of the settlement, despite the increase in consumer's overhead costs at a time when any increase can be so ill afforded.

HORSE CASE SETTLED

DORRIS, Litigation Ends, in Favor of Plaintiff

DORRIS, Calif., April 5.—Decision in favor of the plaintiff was rendered by Justice Harrison Wilkins in the case of Lewis Hawk against Pete Beck involving the larceny of a horse. The case was tried in the local justice court last Saturday with W. H. A. Renner of Klamath Falls acting as attorney for the defendant and J. D. Hammond of Medford for the plaintiff.

Hawk alleged that the horse in question disappeared from the George Madden ranch, of which he was in charge, some time in January of this year, and that upon seeing the animal in Beck's posses-

By Our Country Editors

MIDLAND

Mr. and Mrs. George Furber of this place are the proud parents of a 10-pound baby girl, born March 31. The little lady has been named Norma Louise.

Little Anna Burnett, who has been ill at the Warren Hunt hospital grew worse again after coming home. An effort was made Monday to remove her to the hospital, but failed, as the buggy broke down on account of the bad roads. She was taken back home again. The last report is that she is much better, and intends to resume her duties again at school.

Howard Wynant, government ditch supervisor of this section of the county, returned here Monday evening from Grants Pass. Wynant had gone there to help take care of his father, who resides on a large ranch near Grants Pass, and who was seriously ill. Wynant says his father is well enough to be up and around at present, so he returned, as this is the season for looking after his work in this part of the county.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jory left here Saturday evening for Shipppington to attend a surprise party given in honor of their daughter's twentieth wedding anniversary. Mrs. Jory says her daughter received many useful gifts, and that it was a complete surprise to her. About 20 friends were present. Jory returned Monday, while Mrs. Jory did not return until Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar L. Furber and son Lewis Edgar went to Klamath Falls Wednesday evening for an indefinite stay.

Earl Wilkins, from Odessa, was a Midland visitor Sunday. He came out in a jitney. The driver reported a bad road.

George Furber erected a 94-foot pole at his residence at Midland to replace the shorter one he now has to place his wireless, on. Furber bears music from different parts of the United States and Canada through this medium. As Furber understands the different codes he at times hears interesting conversations that take place in distant cities.

Last Saturday a number of Midland people and vicinity, on account of the bad roads, went to Klamath Falls in the good old fashioned way, as they "hooked up old Dobbin" in place of using their cars. Among those who went were Harvey Witherall, Matthew Del Fatti, S. L. Burnett and daughters Catherine and Pauline, Mrs. J. D. Hooper and son Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dupuy and John Robustien.

The young people of Midland are planning on giving a hard times dance here as soon as the roads are dry so that a crowd can conveniently get here without any trouble. Anyone who comes dressed up will be fined 25 cents. Announcement will be put in the paper later, as soon as it can be fore-

The roads in and about Midland district are being dragged, as they are sufficiently dry, on account of the recent sunshine. Nearly all the snow in and about Midland is melted, and on the sunny slopes of the surrounding hills.

MT. LAKE, FAIRVIEW
Jim Stewart has rented 60 acres of his place to Ever Mann.

Mrs. Albert Durant and little daughter, Dorothy and Arlene, spent three days last week with Mrs. Durant's sister, Mrs. Heselbine.

DORRIS

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By Justice Wilkins' decision, Hawk was given possession of the animal.

Roseburg—New concrete block building started.
Portland—Artisans to add four stories costing \$150,000.
Lancaster to build new 2-room school building.
State highway commission lets \$1,000,000 road contracts.

colt. Both bones in his wrist were fractured. He will be obliged to carry it in a sling for three weeks.

Lucile Dawson was absent from school last week on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hannon were callers in Mt. Lake Sunday.

Jim Stewart, Scott Thompson, Bert Dawson, Billy O'Brien and R. F. Cheyne hauled gravel and made a walk at the Fairview school last week.

Jerry and Jack O'Connor are hauling part of the old flume to Con Curtain's sheep-ranch.

Herbert Horton of Cheyenne, Wyoming is visiting C. A. Hill and family. Horton was an old neighbor of Hills in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Cheyne were business visitors in town last week.

The Fairview grocery of Klamath Falls is hauling potatoes from C. A. Hill's farm.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McClellan were callers in Fairview last Tuesday.

Bernice and George Dawson are at school again after being absent for a few days on account of illness.

Albert Durant worked on his ditches Friday.

Mrs. J. S. McClellan, the Mt. Lake school teacher, is ill. The school was dismissed Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Scott Thompson helped Bert Dawson break a colt Friday.

Jim Stewart, Walter Stewart, Leslie Stewart, John Barnes and Miss Avis Barnes were Klamath Falls visitors Saturday.

TULE LAKE
Mrs. Wm. Free and son, Christian, returned home from Klamath Falls where they have been visiting for the past week.

John Faught spent last Friday with John Bailey.

Jack Parker moved, with his family to the L. M. Hatch homestead where he will locate for several years.

Mr. Fisher and family have moved out to the Ben Daniels ranch which he bought for a home. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher comes from Klamath Falls and recently from Montana.

Roy Fogle has started the season with plowing. Mr. and Mrs. Fogle and little daughter are back to the homestead.

DORRIS

DORRIS, Calif., April 1.—Donald M. Apel, reporter for Bradstreet, was in town yesterday on the annual visit for the purpose of obtaining information used by the company in credit rating.

George M. Madden is here for a few days from his home in Berkeley, visiting old friends and attending to matters of business. Mr. Madden was formerly one of Butte Valley's leading ranchers.

An election for the purpose of filling the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of Mrs. Margaret Kerwin on the school board was held yesterday. R. D. Craig was the only announced candidate.

to the store and postoffice building just prepared by Mrs. Kerwin, the newly appointed postmistress.

Walter Nicholas has accepted a position with the Taber & Wise garage.

Lon Evans, has gone to Sacramento, where he will probably remain for several weeks on business and pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Stitzer expect to leave Dorris for Lakeport, California, where they will make their future home. Stitzer having purchased interest in one of the banks of that place.

M. Evans, who has been confined to his home for several days, and who was reported critically ill a few days ago, is recovering and is able to be about town again. He is one of the early pioneers, and is past 80 years of age.

A dance for the benefit of local union box workers will be given at the Knights of Pythias hall this evening.

PORTLAND MAN SAYS IT KEPT HIM ON THE JOB

Was Afraid His Working Days Were Over But He Feels Just Fine Now, Says Burkhisier

"Tanlac made a brand new man out of me and I am strong for it," said L. B. Burkhisier, 1140 Maryland St., Portland, Ore. "Three years of stomach trouble and kidney disorder had pulled me down until I was almost past going and nothing I ate agreed with me. My liver didn't work right and my back right over my kidneys hurt me so that I couldn't bend over and straighten up again without suffering agony. "I was very much alarmed for fear that my working days were over and I am convinced that they would have been if I hadn't gotten Tanlac in time. "This medicine has benefited me in every way and I eat, sleep, work and feel better than in years."

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CLASSIFIED ADS

MISCELLANEOUS
FOR SALE—Some building lots at your own price. See Dick, 240 Broad St. 1-3

FOR SALE—Wheat, marquis and blue stem. J. H. Barnes, R. F. D. No. 1, Klamath Falls. 1-4

WANTED—Practical nursing; maternity cases especially; good reference. 441 Michigan ave. or Hales Meat market. Phone 296W. 1-4

FOR SALE OR RENT—3 room cottage, Klamath and Payne. 1-6

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two story brick business block, 27 1/2 x 60. Lot, 100 feet deep, Main street, Astoria. 6 rooms on second floor and big store room main floor. Will trade for house or acreage or sell at snap. Owner—Room 409, Medford Bldg., Medford. 13-3

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, Lorenz apts. 125 N. 6th. 31-1

Saw mill machinery for sale. One 60 x 16 ft. Butt seam steam boiler, 125 lb. steam pressure allowed by Hartford Insurance company. Nearly new.

One 12 x 16 Houston Stanwood & Gamble center crank engine, fine condition.

FOR RENT—Furnished four room apt. Phone 273J. 30-1

FOR SALE—A good logging outfit in A-1 condition, 5 ton truck and 8 1/2 ton trailer at half price. Box 285, city. 29-4

FOUND—String of beads on Ninth street. Owner may have same at Herald office by paying for this ad. 30-2

FOR RENT—400 acres good irrigated land. Cash or crop rental. Inquire Box 2, Herald office. 30-4

FOR RENT—Furnished four room apt. Phone 273J. 30-1

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