

NEW AUTO LICENSE REQUIRES TITLE

SECRETARY OF STATE KOZER SAYS CERTIFICATE OF TITLE IS MANDATORY.

LIGHTING QUESTION IS ASKED

1926 Plates to be Refused Until Proof of Ownership Registered in State Office.

Automobile licenses for 1926 will not be issued unless title to the vehicle is shown by records of the state department, Sam A. Kozar, secretary of state, has announced. Owners who have neglected to register title to their vehicles will have to submit satisfactory evidence as to the validity of their titles, to the secretary of state, together with the \$1 registration fee, before new license plates will be issued, Mr. Kozar declares.

Conditions Absolute

The fact that an owner has been issued a license in preceding years, cannot be accepted as evidence of title under the new law, nor does it permit the issuance of a 1926 license if the owner has not secured a certificate of title from the secretary of state, that official says.

According to a report received by the Enterprise, 65,000 automobile owners in Oregon have failed to register title to their machines, and with applications for 1926 licenses coming in much slower than in former years, Mr. Kozar anticipates a great deal of confusion and delay in the last minute rush. He also points out that motorists who do not have their 1926 plates on January 1st are subject to whatever measures local authorities throughout the state see fit to adopt.

Under the ruling, applications for licenses will not be accepted at the sheriff's office, nor will they issue temporary license, unless the application is accompanied either by the certificate of title, issued by the secretary of state, or by the receipt issued in connection with the registry of title.

Other Provision

On the new application blanks for 1926 car license there is also a question asked regarding the adjustment of headlights, making compliance with the new lighting law another provision that must be complied with before 1926 license will issue in the state.

MALHEUR LEADS WITH HUNTING RECORD

W. C. SNYDER AND C. B. BROWN MAKE COMMENDABLE RECORD FOR NOVEMBER.

W. C. Snyder, government hunter of Vale, topped the list for November, by a small margin, however. It seems there was more than ordinary competition for the lead last month. Several counties were close behind Malheur. Mr. Snyder took 32 coyotes during the thirty day period. C. B. Brown, also representing Malheur, took 11 coyotes and 3 bob cats during November.

At the close of the news letter, Stanley G. Jewet, leader, says, "Hunters should charge all purchases, get a sales slip with each purchase, O. K. it and send slip to this office. No purchases should be paid for by the hunter. When ammunition is needed, request should be made of this office and voucher will be sent to cover purchase; never buy ammunition without authority from this office."

"Keep your territory well posted with poison notices; order more if you need them. Report all baits placed and animals killed for poison stations. Skins and scalps can be sent us any time when well cured, not before. Do not hold skins and scalps longer than necessary after they are well cured."

MRS. CALVIN COOLIDGE

DOES XMAS SHOPPING EARLY
The campaign for early shopping throughout the United States received a decided impetus in Washington when Mrs. Calvin Coolidge appeared in the stores to make her purchases so that the clerks in the stores and the employees of the Post Office Department might not be rushed at the eleventh hour. Mrs. Coolidge's example is being followed by many with the result that there will not be as much of the usual last week Christmas shopping jam as there has been in years previous.

\$5000 LEFT TO ACACIA LODGE IN ONTARIO

Under the terms of a will written in 1923 by Harry W. Jones, former resident of Ontario, who died in Portland November 26th, Acacia lodge of Ontario is to receive \$5000

to be used for the construction of a Masonic temple. The Ontario cemetery is also named as a beneficiary to the extent of receiving the earnings from \$5000 to be used in improvements, providing that once each year the Protestant churches of the city ytake a collection for a like purpose. The lodge is not to receive the money until after the death of Mrs. Jones to whom the earnings of the estate are to be paid until her death. There were other small bequests for relatives in Iowa and in Wales included in the will.

ANNUAL SESSION OF WOOL GROWERS' ASS'N

MEETING WILL BE HELD IN PENDLETON JANUARY 21ST AND 23RD.

Pendleton.—January 21-23 are the dates that have been selected for the 29th annual convention of the Oregon Wool Growers' association which will be held in Pendleton, according to Mac Hoke, secretary. The meeting will be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday and will follow the national convention which will convene in Boise, Idaho, January 18-20.

The program for the convention has not yet been arranged, Mr. Hoke said, but the Oregon association will draw on the talent that the national body attracts to Boise. Men of national repute in wool and mutton business are expected to be here for the meeting.

The first day, Thursday, is expected to be given over almost entirely to committee meetings. The forest advisory board will probably meet in the afternoon to consider permits on the national forests. Permittee associations will also meet during the same afternoon.

On Friday and Saturday the program of talks and discussions will be given. Entertainment features will be provided by the Pendleton Commercial association.

WEST POINT EXAM TO BE HELD SOON

EMERGENCY VACANCY IN SECOND OREGON DIST. MUST BE FILLED AT ONCE.

Congressman N. J. Sinnott has announced that he will fill an emergency vacancy for the Second Oregon District in the U. S. Military Academy at West Point by means of a district wide competitive examination.

The examination, which will be conducted for the congressman by the U. S. Civil Service Commission, will be held Jan. 9, 1926 at 9 o'clock a. m., at the post office building in Ontario.

The competitor given the highest rating by the Civil Service Commission on his papers submitted in this examination will be appointed principal cadet by Congressman Sinnott, the next highest first alternate, etc. The successful candidates may then take official examination on March 2, 1926.

Appointees must be actual bonafide residents of the Second Congressional District of Oregon, not under 17 years of age nor over 22 years of age, and not less than 5 feet 4 inches in height.

Time allowed for the examination is 6 1/2 hours on the following subjects: Algebra, Plane Geometry, English Composition and Literature, United States History, General History and English Grammar.

Prospective competitors may get further information regarding scope of the examination by writing or telegraphing Congressman Sinnott at Washington. Those intending to take the examination should write him at once and should report to the Secretary of the Local Civil Service Board in that city above named not later than January 9, 1926.

PLEADS GUILTY TO BREAKING LIQUOR LAW

BLUFORD SMALL OF WESTFALL SENTENCED TO FOUR MONTHS AND FINED \$450.

Bluford Small of Westfall is the unfortunate principal of a bootleg case. He was caught with the goods, an 8 gallon keg of moonshine, by Sheriff C. W. Glenn and deputy the last of the week, so had no loophole of escape. He simply pled guilty before Judge J. D. Rogers on Monday morning and took his medicine. It was rather a strong dose for the sake of a little drink or two but it might have been worse than the \$450 fine and 4 months jail sentence given. As a result of his sin, Mr. Small is now lodged in the county jail.

STORY OF ORIGIN OF CHRISTMAS SEAL TOLD

FIRST INCEPTION IN COPENHAGEN POSTOFFICE BORN OF HUMANITARIAN IMPULSE.

The Christmas seal, the biggest little thing of its kind in the world, had its inception in Copenhagen, Denmark. A Danish postmaster by the name of Einar Holboell conceived the idea as he handled the Christmas mail bearing greetings of the season. He thought, if each letter or card could carry a little stamp which would not only say Merry Christmas but would be the means of starting a fund for some great humanitarian purpose. This postmaster was particularly interested in the little children who were crippled through tuberculosis and as he thought of them, and handled the Christmas greetings, the idea of the Christmas seal was born.

The next step was to present the idea to the king and queen of Denmark, who graciously gave their consent to the printing of a postage stamp which should bear a Christmas greeting. A small fraction of the amount paid for the stamp was to be put aside for the building of a sanatorium for crippled children.

One day Jacob Riis, our own philanthropist, received a letter bearing the little Christmas stamp. Immediately interested, he wrote to Denmark to inquire into the history of the stamp. Upon receiving it he wrote the story of the Christmas stamp in the Outlook.

In our own country there was a woman, Miss Emily Bissell, deeply interested just as the Danish postmaster was, in building a sanatorium for little crippled children. She read the story of the Christmas stamp and adopted it forthwith for her own purpose. Using her own money and securing donations from her friends she got a Christmas seal printed and sold \$3000 worth the first Christmas, 1904. Delighted with the returns, she persuaded the Red Cross commission to print the seal the next year.

The National Tuberculosis association, founded in 1904 after President Theodore Roosevelt had called the International congress on tuberculosis, was organized and formulated its campaign against tuberculosis. Therefore the Red Cross suggested that they print the Christmas seal and turn it over to the national tuberculosis association to sell. They stipulated that the tuberculosis association should act as sole agent, sell the seals and use the proceeds to finance the campaign against tuberculosis. That partnership existed until 1917, when the Red Cross was widely organized for war service. It then decided to turn over with its blessing the seal entirely to the tuberculosis association. Since 1918 the seal has borne the double-barred cross, the emblem of the world wide fight against tuberculosis.

In the past 17 years the sale in the United States has amounted to nearly \$40,000,000. In 1923 over \$4,000,000 worth were sold. It is the so-called support of the campaign against tuberculosis. Through its instrumentality the death rate from the great white plague has been cut more than in half.

MALHEUR GETS SMALL FOREST APPORTIONMENT

\$106.46 RECEIVED FROM FOREST RESERVE RECEIPTS LYING IN MALHEUR COUNTY.

Secretary of State Sam A. Kozar has completed the distribution, among the counties of the state, of the moneys received by Oregon from the United States government, representing 25 per cent of the receipts from forest reserve rentals, sales of timber and other sources of revenue from the national forest reserves within the state for the year ending June 30, 1925. According to the state office, Malheur county will receive \$106.46 for the percentage of reserves which lies in this county, in the Malheur and Whitman reserves, comprising 3,751 acres in this county.

The money is to be divided 75 per cent to the road fund and 25 per cent to the school fund of the county.

Harney county received \$2,741.30 for Malheur and Ochoco reserves.

GOOD VENTILATION IN CLOSED CARS IMPORTANT

Keep the inclosed car well ventilated. The exhaust gasses generated by the engine and the exhausted air from the lungs in a closed car cause a gas poisoning that may make the driver reel in his seat and the other passengers get that "sicky" feeling which they usually attribute to the motion of the car.

County Statistics

Real Estate Transfers Recorded

U. S. A. to Mell E. Carter, N 1/2 N 1/2, S 1/2 NE 1/4, and N 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 20-16-46. 8/2/1916.

Hugh Edward Blaylock to Wm. L. Blaylock, S 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 21-23-37; Lots 4 and 5, Sec. 6-24-38; S 1/2 NE 1/4, and SE 1/4 Sec. 1-24-37. 12/9/24. \$1.00.

Malheur County to Ontario National Bank, N 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 10-18-48. 11/7/25. \$208.32.

Harper State Bank to Jones Mercantile Co., Lots 1 and 2, Block 4, Westfall. 12/2/25. \$10.00.

Jones Mercantile Co. to Mrs. Hazel S. Fenton, SE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 36-20-40; Lots 2 and 3, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, and N 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 1-21-40. 12/7/25. \$10.00.

Fred J. Clemo et uv to Ontario National Bank, Lots 19 and 20, Block 139, Ontario. 6/19/25. \$1.00.

J. J. Sarazin et ux to Lillian R. Clore, Lot 4, Block 36, Park Add. to Nyssa. 12/5/25. \$1,500.00.

Sheriff C. W. Glenn to The Western & Hawaiian Investment Co., Lots 3, 4 and 5 of NW 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4 NE 1/4 SW 1/4, and S 1/2 SW 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 6-19-44. 12/8/25. \$3,512.90. (Certificate of sale.)

Harry C. Edwards et al to H. W. Champeys, Trustee, NW 1/4 NE 1/4, SW 1/4 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, and NE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 2-16-43; all Sec. 35; NE 1/4 NW 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, W 1/2 NE 1/4, and W 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 36-15-43. 10/23/25. \$1.00. (Q. C. Deed).

Sheriff C. W. Glenn to Chas. E. MacLean, SE 1/4 NE 1/4, and part of NE 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 31-18-45. 11/21/25. \$1,018.07.

H. D. Jackson, Receiver, to F. E. Reed, Lot 8, and part of Lot 7, Block 19, Vale. 11/25/25. \$5,000.00.

Malheur County to Albert Ball, SW 1/4 NE 1/4, W 1/2 SE 1/4, and SE 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 32-17-46. 11/4/25. \$79.04.

Complaints Filed in Circuit Court

Pacific Savings & Loan Assn. vs Sarah L. Cain et vir. 12/7/25. Recovery on note. \$600.00.

Dora Shelton vs J. E. Shelton. 12/9/25. Divorce.

Clarence Barber vs Gold Hill Mining Co. et al. 12/11/25. Foreclosure of liens. \$844.45.

R. J. Barter vs T. H. Moore. 12/11/25. Recovery on note. \$316.80.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION IN SCHOOLS VALUABLE

BISHOP WALTER T. SUMNER FAVORS FOOTBALL FOR STRONG DEVELOPMENT.

University of Oregon.—Pointing out the value of a comprehensive physical education program, Bishop Walter T. Sumner, who recently completed his week at the University for the eleventh consecutive year, declared that an important part of this education is a well developed and successful football team, coached by an expert.

"I believe if we are to have all-around citizens, we must develop the all-around man, which includes not only the mental and spiritual but the physical as well," Bishop Sumner said. "I am therefore interested in all of the athletics at the University, and tremendously impressed with the splendid progress of the University during these ten years. Sports have a real place in college life, according to Bishop Sumner. A team that crashes its way along does not make the impression on the public or the students as does one that is clever, well coached in elements of the game, and uses good strategy. This is mentally stimulating to the players and has great "carry-over" value to the student in other fields of endeavor, Bishop Sumner explained.

EIGHTEENTH SEAL SALE ON

Money to Finance Anti-Tuberculosis Fight in Oregon

Christmas Seals, selling for one cent each are expected to raise \$50,000 in Oregon between Thanksgiving and Christmas, in the 18th annual Seal Sale. Ninety-five per cent of the money will be kept in Oregon, where it is the sole source of income for the Oregon Tuberculosis Association, and provides most of the funds used by the County Public Health Associations.

Every city, village and community in the state will have a chairman or group of workers actively interested in selling the seals. Women's clubs and organizations are giving it enthusiastic support, and a large number of Parent-Teacher Associations are lending aid to the "Give Health, Fight Tuberculosis" campaign which the seals finance.

DOING THE SHOPPING

If human nature were not what it is, the Christmas season might not be one of rush and worry over what to buy, and sales forces in stores might not be rushed to exhaustion in the two or three weeks before the event. If people did their shopping when it could be done under the least congested conditions, it might extend over months instead of weeks, and it would not be less seasonable.

However, none but the exceptional person thinks of doing shopping until it cannot be put off longer. Then it becomes an ordeal and is so strenuous that it tends to rob the season of the "cheer and good will" that attach to it sentimentally. The "good will" might actually pervade the shoppers were they not overworked trying to find what they want and struggling to get it. Yet it would not be Christmas for a lot of people were it otherwise. They have become so accustomed to waiting and then making a hurry-up job of it that they would not feel right were it done betimes.

Human nature is a peculiar thing despite the fact that all of us have it. It wouldn't be human nature if it wasn't odd. If we did everything in a reasonable and sane way we would not be human beings. We would be super-human and that is too much to expect. It is the prerogative of human beings to do as they please and of course most of us please to delay as long as we can the doing of what we cannot avoid. There may be those who are forehanded in Christmas shopping but they are rare and so different from the mass that they are odd, too.

By the way, we must do our shopping pretty soon.

WOOLING THE VOTERS

Without reference to his politics, it must be said that Calvin Coolidge does not employ the cave-man stuff of boisterous politicians who used strong-arm methods often prevalent in past generations.

In his message to Congress he gently outlines a program of development that is alluring to the coy, shy and diffident maiden whose front name is Taxpayer.

He is outspoken on lines of economy, reduction of taxes, and a constructive agricultural policy.

He gently coaxes the European maidens to fulfill their financial dance cards.

He asks the ladies of our own political sewing circle to make their dollars go a little further, instead of making more dollars go, which tickles Miss Columbia in the midriff and she sweetly smiles.

Worry makes thin people thinner and fat people fatter.

An optimist is one who believes that the static will disappear presently.

Somehow there is less doubt concerning the sincerity of an openly avowed "wet."

Just think: 1926 will soon be here with 52 lovely special weeks to celebrate.

Those who get caught are easier to convince that honesty is the best policy.

He is a diligent man who takes as much interest in his affairs as his neighbors do.

It is said that bootlegging sleighs along the Canadian border may be fitted with rum runners.

People might do more walking for their health if there were any safe place in which to do it.

France will not give up her submarines so long as Uncle Sam continues to buy them for her.

Another perversity of human nature is seen in the placing of fire hydrants right alongside the best parking spaces.

From the looks of some of them it is hard to believe that no automobile is more than a quarter of a century old.

Probably a lot of senators are trying to think up something nice to give Mr. Dawes for Christmas. Also, probably not.

Telephone Patrons:

The new issue of the telephone directory will be out about January 1st. Any new listings, contemplated changes in numbers or advertisements must be in at once to be listed in the new directory.



Wishing patrons a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

MALHEUR HOME TELEPHONE CO.