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GAME COMMISSION PAYS FOR ITSELF

There still lingers in the minds of many Oregon taxpayers the mistaken idea that they are annually assessed for the carrying out of the work of the state game commission, according to Harold Clifford, state game warden. On several occasions complaints have reached the office of the commission to the effect that taxpayer's money was being wasted by various activities in the propagation and protection of fish and game.

"Not one cent of state revenue goes into the treasury of the commission," says Mr. Clifford. "Our main revenue comes through the sale of licenses. The sportsman annually pays for his license and that money, in its entirety goes into the game protection fund. Where arrests are made and convictions obtained one half of the money from fines goes into the treasury of the county in which the arrests were made. The other half goes to the commission. Thus it may be seen that the commission takes from rather than adds to the load of the taxpayer."

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RECLAMATION AN INVESTMENT IN LIFE

That reclamation is an investment in life, homes, the greatest assets of national wealth, is shown by the data in the recent statement of the assistant director of reclamation economics.

Reclamation projects have been an important factor, he says, in creation and maintenance of 212 towns in the western part of the United States in recent years. On the more than 40,000 irrigated farms is population of more than 150,000 people. Largely because of the production and population of the projects 212 towns have sprung up with populations totaling 451,000. In those towns are 135 banks with deposits of more than \$147,600,000. There are hundreds of retail stores. There are 687 schools. There are 689 churches. As a result of the projects more than 600,000 people have been able to make their living.

In addition, reservoirs, canals, ditches and drains have been built requiring labor and materials. Miles of pipe have been laid; tunnels, bridges and culverts have been built; flumes have been constructed, and millions of yard of dirt have been excavated. Thirty-five power plants have been built and thousands of miles of telephone lines extended. Thus, through the reclamation projects, thousands of acres have become productive, towns have been reared, more than half a million people have been given an opportunity to make their living, and a heavy demand has been created for labor and materials in construction.

The Vale project is a local example soon to be realized. Where only jackrabbits and coyotes inhabited a sage covered area will blossom the homes and fields of the new settler. The Vale and Owyhee will constitute an empire reclaimed.

WHY NOT SELL IT

On every farm there is machinery, implements, stock or other things that are not being used and should be turned into money to be used for other purposes.

In every home there is furniture, trunks and other articles that might be sold. The money could be put to use in a bank to draw interest. Why not sell such things now?

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Correct this sentence: "She doesn't play a very good game, but she is a cheerful loser."

With many the making up of the income tax returns this year will be merely a mathematical exercise.

A scowflaw declares that Volstead has made more law-breakers than any other man in history except Moses.

Experience is about the only thing in this world you cannot buy on the easy payment plan.

A timely health hint is to have coal in the bin, potatoes in the cellar, fruit in the can and a kindly heart.

A California man was sent to jail for branding his wife, but it may be that he wanted to be able to identify her after she came from a beauty shoppe.

Home is where man can cut the head lettuce with a knife.

Don't worry about the younger generation. Worry merely makes the older generation older.

A lot of men are not appreciated at their true worth. Which is fortunate for them.

According to measurements just made by scientists the earth is twenty-six miles greater in girth than it is in height. Yet most of us will be just as well pleased if Mother Earth doesn't start any reducing exercises.

A Pennsylvania boy came up alive and smiling after falling over a cliff. This ought to get him a job in the Wild West movies at Hollywood.

Scientists say there is no such thing as pure air but this evidently refers to atmosphere and not hot air.

It is stated that counterfeiters are now engaged in issuing fake \$1,000 notes. This is something that doesn't concern us any, personally.

Of course football in America is a 100 per cent American product of our soil; just read the names of the All-American football team—Nagurski, Cariedo, Cagle Schnoover, Seight and Welch. And there are six-elevens of them.

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If she can make herself look cute while her bobbed hair is growing out, she has "It."

Young people are not necessarily going to the devil just because the road has been improved.

It is said that opposites should marry. How about a rich guy and a gold-digger? Or an heiress and a bum?

Peru has two vice-presidents. But we have no information as to where their women folks sit at state dinners.

An English court has decided that a woman is a person. A wise decision if the learned judges are married men.

Washington state leads in the production of apples, but Washington city has the greatest output of apple sauce.

A township trustee in Indiana has given it out that he won't help poor people who own automobiles. Good gosh! They're just the ones who need help.

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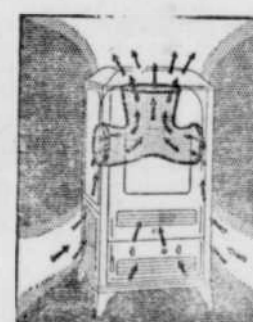
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