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YOU DON'T WANT DEATH AS A PASSENGER—

THE publication of figures showing the number of injuries and deaths in motoring accidents never gets to first base with the public. The public is unable to visualize the dry figures in terms of blood and agony they represent. Even the statement that although Oregon as whole reduced its traffic toll last year, Malheur county had increased from two fatalities in 1934 to five in 1935, will mean but little to the average reader.

Nor will it mean but little when he learns that motor vehicle accidents for 18 months ending June 20 took a toll of 51,200 killed and 1,304,000 injured. This was far more than were killed and injured in the American army during the World War; but still it causes but little comment.

One has to see a car actually crash, with dead bodies strewn about, blood streaming from dozens of cuts; the groans of human beings suffering intense pain; broken limbs and screams of agony to really appreciate that 36,000 people were actually killed last year; many of whom were sacrificed on the altar of speed.

As W. R. McDonald, director of the Oregon State Motor Association points out, 'Serious accidents can be eliminated if every motorist handles his machine intelligently and observes traffic regulations, which, fundamentally, are nothing but rules of safety. To drive safely one must always take his job behind the wheel as a matter of life and death.

"Perhaps one of the greatest reasons for serious automobile smashups in this country is the inclination to drive at high speeds over the 'open' highways. Accidents occurring on roads that appear to be clear are more likely to prove fatal than those occurring in congested areas.

"If every motorist will observe a few fundamental rules of driving, I feel certain that the records at the end of the year will show a reduction. These, briefly are: Always keep full control of your machine, slow down after dark, observe the law and be courteous to the other fellow."

REPORT SHOWS EXTENT OF BUSINESS RECOVERY—

WE have gone a long way toward recovery, as shown by a report just issued by the Commonwealth, Inc., Business Survey. David Eccles, editor, points out that while there are still uncertainties in the business outlook, recovery moved onto solid ground last year when construction and other heavy industry began to show signs of life.

Speaking of the Portland area, the report says electric power production reached an all-time high of nearly a billion kilowatt hours. Lumber production was slightly better than 1934 despite the long tieup during the strike. Building permits were up 39 per cent; automobile sales 83 per cent; wool consumption 42 per cent and check payment 15 per cent.

Eccles points out that the rising level of rents is leading to a point when it will no longer be cheaper to rent than to build. The need for new residential building has existed for some time, he says, and considerable new building can be anticipated this year.

COMMENTS BY CLARK WOOD

Doubt is engendered as to whether the Italians are fighting the Ethiopians with bullets or bullets.

As handled by Congress, it doesn't appear to have been a bonus of contention.

We'd welcome radio gags were they used on crooners.

A dark outlook confronts the pugilists who faces Joe Louis.

The Democratic platform of 1932 is not, however, wholly forgotten. Ribald Republicans take pains to recall it.

England's "flying king" will likely be kept pretty much in the air in his efforts to remain a bachelor.

Homes and Gardens

By Mrs. C. W. Barrett

EDITORIAL NOTE—This week we start a column on homes and gardens, written by Mrs. C. W. Barrett, whose fame as a home gardener is well known. She will discuss in an informal manner subjects of interest to flower lovers. She will also answer questions in this column. If you have a puzzling problem in regards to your garden or flowers, write Mrs. Barrett, Ontario, Oregon; and she will answer your question through the columns of the Journal.

FLOWERS TO PLANT

To the new settlers who appealed to the Civic club members for information in regards to what flowers would grow here I would like to say there is such a long list of them it would take a good sized catalog to list them. To those who are growing a garden for the first time I would say plant the more common annuals such as calendula, petunia, larkspur, poppies, marigold, zinnia, nasturtium, snapdragon, calliopsis, cosmos, sweetpeas, allysum little Gem. If I could have only a few perennials I would choose the iris, delphinium, columbine, chrysanthemum, pyrethrum and sweet William. This gives us 12 annuals and 6 perennials that will give us blooms from early spring till cut down by frost.

Your own groceryman or hardware man can sell you just as good grade seeds as you can send away for and at just as low price. Visit all the good gardeners and see what they are growing. You will be surprised at how many friendly people you will find in gardens and also how many of them are willing to divide some-

thing with you. We have plenty of water here and the finest of soil so with a little care there is no reason we shouldn't have as fine flowers as grow anywhere.

G. T.—I will answer your question in this column. I think your geraniums are suffering from too large pots and too rich a soil to bloom well inside. They should have about five inch pots with just good garden soil and good drainage with all the light and sunshine they can get. Too large pots and too rich a soil will grow too much top or foliage at the expense of blooms. Re-pot and pinch them back.

L. M.—I am sorry I didn't send you a line about your lawn sooner. I am sure your mother takes the Journal if you don't; so will answer you through this column. I think your lawn needs a good mulch of pulverized manure preferably cow manure and it is not too late to do it this month. About the dandelions that is a problem I think a lot of you would like to solve. Dandelions are supposed to be a biennial; that is a plant that come up one year, blooms and seeds and dies the next year. But as it is blooming and seeding from spring till fall, most people think it is a perennial. I have found keeping the grass clipped often keeps it from seeding and keeps it fairly well in control. You need a shady lawn grass seed for your back yard and under the trees. There is a special mixture for shady places but as I can't give advertisers names in this column, if you will write again and include a postal card, I will tell you where to send for the seed. Next week we will talk about trees and shrubs for the farm home.

Court House Filings

Real Estate Transfers Recorded

M. E. Crume et ux to Rosalie Hiss Cohen W 1/2 of Lot 19, Blk 5, Villa Park Addn, Ontario. 1-10-36. \$100.
The Ontario Townsite Co. to B. F. Nott, Lots 9 and 10, Blk 15, Ontario. 9-27-1902. \$200.

Wm. E. Lees et ux to E. M. Lanterman, Lots 9 and 10, Blk 15, Orig. townsite, Ontario. 1-3-36. \$1.
C. W. Glenn, Sheriff to D. C. Lindville, SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 10-21-46. 1-20-36 \$200.

Edmund S. Fraser et ux to Tim-ottia Echanis, E 1/2 of Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, Blk 4, Villa Park Addn, Ontario 1-20-36. \$10.
F. P. Ryan to Grace A. Ryan, Lot 6, Bl 277, Ontario. 1-16-36. Love and affection.

Roberta Trulock to H. L. Sharp, Lots 6 to 10 incl., Blk 20, Teutch's Adn. Nyssa. 4-20-31. \$10.
W. T. Downs et ux to Olive M. Walker, Lots 7 to 10 incl., Blk 45, Ontario. 7-29-35. \$1.

Wm. J. Rerwine et ux to Leota M. Taylor et al. S 1/2 SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 15-31-41, cont. 20 acres. 1-18-36. \$10.
Lizette Roberts et vir to T. S. Boston, All that portion of the NE 1/4 Sec. 8-16-43, lying north and east of the Hlway, cont. 1 acre. 8-21-33. \$1.

C. W. Glenn, Sheriff to J. H. Russell, SW 1/4 NW 1/4, less 10 acres in SW corner, Sec. 14-19-44. 11-16-34. \$75.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Leonard Joseph Brown and Edna Willow May. 1-21-36.
Earl Mackey and Mary Ellen Lane 1-21-36.

Clarence Earl Sager and Pauline E. Wolfe. 1-23-36.

Floyd Adam Hager and Helen Winifred Diven. 1-23-36.

Harry M. Edwards and Melba Lenore Tschue. 1-24-36.

Complaint Filed in Circuit Court
J. D. Gallagher Scott vs. A. W. Conover, Adm'n, et al. 1-22-36. \$3500. Foreclosure of Contract.

Petitions Filed in County Court
Estate of Stuart Donald, dec'd. 1-21-36.

Estate of Levi J. Crull, dec'd. 1-24-36.

Estate of Elbert Butler, Jr., dec'd. 1-24-36.

VALLEY VIEW NEWS

Valley View—There will be a program and basket social at the Valley View schoolhouse in the near future. The Health club is going to sponsor the event and make some needed improvements in the school with the proceeds.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Williams are moving into the Arcadia district this week.

Blaine May featured in a minor accident Wednesday when his car collided with a truck of the Consolidated Truck Lines.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Farnsworth and family moved into Ontario Saturday. The Cheerio club met at the schoolhouse Friday evening. Mrs. C. Rees and Mrs. Pete Countryman were the parents present.

Miss Delva Beers was a guest of her sister Friday evening at the Valley View Cottage.

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We are pleased to announce that we now have an organized choir under the direction of Mrs. J. W. Poague. Choir practice every Tuesday evening.

Official Board meeting at the close of the morning service.

Epworth League 7 o'clock. Eldon Morse, president. Social hour from 8 to 9.

LEGAL ADVERTISING

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

On Saturday, February 8th, 1936, at the Main Entrance of the County Court House in Vale, Malheur County, Oregon, and at 11:00 o'clock A. M., I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash certain real property located in said County and described as follows, to-wit:

All of Lots 38 and 39, in Block 1, of Riverside Addition to the City of Ontario, Malheur County, Oregon.

This sale is made under execution issued December 19th, 1935, out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Malheur County, and to me directed, in the real estate mortgage foreclosure case of Eastern Oregon Federal Savings and Loan Association of Baker, a Federal corporation, plaintiff, vs. Leonard Stowell and Vivian Stowell, husband and wife, and Credit Service Company, a corporation, defendants, decree in said case being rendered November 23rd, 1935, and entered December 8th, 1935: so much of said lands, and and of the several interests therein of said defendants, will

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Dated this 3rd day of January, 1936.

C. W. GLENN, Sheriff, Malheur County, Oregon
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF MALHEUR.

In the Matter of the Estate of Reuben McKinley Gordon, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the County Court of Malheur County, Oregon, administrator of the estate of Reuben McKinley Gordon, deceased, and having qualified, notice hereby is given to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to present them, duly verified as required by law, within six months after the date of first publication of this notice, to said administrator at the office of Carl H. Coad, in Nyssa, Oregon, said place having been designated as the place where said administrator will receive such claims.

C. C. MUELLER, Administrator of the estate of Reuben McKinley Gordon, deceased.
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