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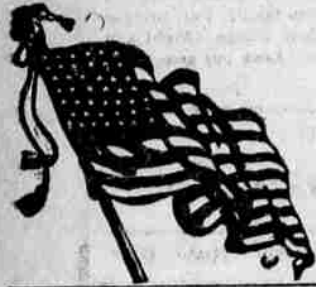
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PREPAREDNESS.

Today is notable for the great outpouring of people in various portions of this country to take part in an expression for proper preparedness of our nation against any aggression from a foreign foe, and thousands upon thousands of enthusiastic cheering citizens are marching in serried ranks to aid in giving proper effect to the demonstration. The tremendous armaments of the old world, and the terrible struggle of the past two years which shows no signs of abatement, have opened the eyes of patriotic citizens to our own defenseless position, should envy, or jealousy or premeditated misunderstanding make a combination. On this same day, in the national capital, another meeting is being held in the interest of maintaining the peace of the world through a combination of the strongest forces in the world, this force to be used as one great police supervision over the peace of the globe. It is possible that something defin-

ite in the nature of eternal peace may develop from the demonstrations and gatherings of this nature in a neutral and peaceful country like ours, and that the impression thus made will reflect more and greater credit on institutions such as compose a republic of the people like ours.

A direct result of the combinations of nations which has resulted in keeping the European slaughter continued for two years, is seen in the cable advices from Russia that if the United States desires to make a new treaty with that country, it must be on the agreement that no interference with internal affairs will be allowed. In other words, and plain ones at that, we are told to manage our own affairs and Russia will attend to hers, so far as any interference with the government of her citizens is concerned.

About the only thing one hears now on the streets in a political way, is the chance this man or that has to be nominated for president on the republican ticket next week at Chicago. And every argument ends with the same conclusion that if Hughes doesn't get the nomination on the second ballot, why such and so will land the coveted prize. From all present indications, it would look as if the chief concern of the convention will be to pick out a suitable running mate for the head of the ticket, and that the first choice has already been made, with the very strong certainty that his name will begin with H.

Young man, don't for a minute imagine that there are no openings in this world any more, and that you are handicapped by having no influence or capital. Fifty years from now the obituaries of other men will be written which will read like that of J. J. Hill who passed away today. The records of the largest percentage of the men who are today at the head of great industries, and who fill the most important places show they started their lives at the very foot of the ladder.

Roseburg will not celebrate the "Glorious Fourth" this year, but will wait until we can have a big doings at the driving of the first spike in the railroad to the timber centers.

FROM THE WORLD'S STOREHOUSE OF INFORMATION

CHICORY, cultivated in Belgium, the Netherlands, Germany, France and the United States, is used perhaps more than any other adulterant. In France the manufacture of chicory into a commercial product is quite an important industry. Certain coffee substitutes, including chick peas, roasted acorns, &c., are used quite extensively in several European countries. More than one hundred factories, said to be engaged in the manufacture of coffee substitutes in France, produce 53,000,000 pounds annually; 568 such establishments, including 412 factories for the manufacture of coffee substitutes from figs, are reported in Austria-Hungary; in Germany nearly fifteen thousand people are employed in the coffee substitute trade, and the annual production is approximately 100,000,000 pounds. The imports of chicory and coffee substitutes into the United States are comparatively small in recent years.

A triangular tray to hold a piece of the unharmed in a lunch box has been patented.

Paris has the highest railroad station in the world, 15,865 feet above sea level, at Thello.

For cleaning bath tubs there has been invented a flat metal handle to be covered with toweling.

A floating buoy made of concrete is used for mooring vessels in the harbor of Kingston, Jamaica.

Folded paper drinking cups, bound together like a check book, are a novelty for travellers.

Separate shaft drive for each wheel features a new motor truck of large capacity and power.

About the only uncertainty over the election still remaining, is that for one of the judges in this district. Three has been such a wide divergence in the figures that it is hard to say just who is ahead between the two candidates from this county. Enough has come in, however, to definitely decide that the race for the third nomination lies between these two.

If nature does not deal a little kinder with us next year, we certainly will have to change the name of the carnival from "Strawberry" to something more appropriate, even if not quite so high sounding and palat-

The first women students ever sent by the Chinese government to the United States to receive university education are Miss Y. T. Law and Miss F. Y. Liu. Travelling with these young ladies were twenty-seven Chinese young men who will enter universities in the Eastern States. With four exceptions the students are graduates of the Canton Christian College and were selected after competitive examinations. They are being educated at the expense of the new republic. All are from Kwang Tung province. Miss Law enters Mount Holyoke University and Miss Liu studies medicine at Ann Arbor, Mich. The young men will be distributed among the universities of Yale, Harvard, Johns Hopkins, Cornell, Illinois and Princeton.

When the Empress of Japan desires to express herself emotionally she writes poetry. In this way she commemorates all occasions of national anxiety, of rejoicing and of mourning. It is in verse that she draws near to her subjects and tells of her love and compassion for them.

After the success of the first step: car in New York city 150 of the same sort are being built. The entrance is in the centre, there is more room for the passengers and no alighting while the car is in motion. Hence the safety of the new models.

For quick destruction of buildings and for blasting intruders rapidly: a new military explosive has been invented, handled like dynamite, but with greater safety and more effect.

A Chilean province has established two floating schools to enable the residents of its many islands to obtain education.

able, for they were certainly a scarce article this time compared to former years.

We wonder if those babies in the eugenics contest had become mixed up in some way, last Saturday, and the picking out of their own had been left to the daddies, whether every one would have taken the right one home?

My, "what a quietness," as the Katzenbeller kids would say, after the noise and bustle and confusion and carnival days.

CARRANZA AGENT ARRIVES IN WASHINGTON, D. C.

WASHINGTON, May 29.—Mexican representative Arrendondo announced that Carranza Agent Mendez had arrived from Mexico City, but that he knew nothing of the note he is reported to be carrying to Wilson. Arrendondo explained that he was expecting a transcript of the Scott-Obregon conference, which possibly led to the report Carranza was sending a note demanding the withdrawal of the American troops.

INVESTIGATE FLAX FIRE IN OREGON PENITENTIARY

SALEM, Ore., May 29.—The prison authorities are investigating the report that the convicts are responsible for the recent fire in the flax plant as a reprisal for Minto's order restricting the monthly allowance of tobacco and sugar. Minto denies that any threats have reached him, but admitted dissatisfaction over the order.

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NATIONAL GUARDSMEN PRACTICE ART OF WAR WITHIN SIGHT OF U. S. CAPITOL



National guardsmen in Washington; capitol dome in distance.

Since the recent trouble in Mexico began it has been the ambition of every national guardsman around Washington to qualify as a first-class gunner. For the convenience of visiting guardsmen, and for others who have to utilize odd moments snatched from their work, army officers have set up field pieces on the capitol grounds. Here contestants go through all the motions of loading, aiming and firing under the spur of stop-watches and expert supervision.

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