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GERMANY AND PROTECTION.

On May 2, 1879, Bismarck, the Empire Builder, said in his speech fellow who cut off the pup's tail an before the reichstag: "One thing is inch at a time in order to be humane, clear, that, through the widely open doors of its import trade the German market has become the mere storage space for the over-production of other countries. We must therefore, shut our gates and take care that the German market, which is now being monopolized by foreign wares, shall be reserved for native industry. Countries which are ensed have become great, and those which have remained open have fallen behind. The question before us is not a political, but a financial one, and we should put all personal sen-sibility behind." On July 7 of that year the reichstag, by a vote of 217 to 117 passed a protective tariff bill, and to the protective policy has Germany adhered since that time.

In 1878 Germany's import of in dustrial articles alone was 570 million marks. The year following the introduction of the new tarm the import of these articles totaled 395 million marks, a reduction of 31 per cent, while for the same period industrial exports rose from 1,026 to 1.368 millions, an increase of 34 per cent. In 1880 the United States imported \$52,000,000 worth of all kinds of goods from Germany, and so rapidly did industrial Germany develop under protection that 34 years later, in 1914, our imports from that country had grown to \$190,-000,000 mainly manufactured articles. At the same time Germany had been extending her commerce in a still more marked degree through-out the world. She had reached a dominating position in South America, and she was raising havoc even in the home market of free-trade England, whom she had grievously crip-

pled in foreign and colonial trade. America under the republican tar iff policy set the example for Ger many. The democratic policy makes no appeal to her. The allies have learned many things from Germany in the waging of this war. Throughout all history the conqueror has learned many useful things from the conquered. Some of the tactics used by the kaiser do not meet the approval of the allies even by way of reprisal. Some of Germany's trade trickeries will not be countenanced by the allies, while it remains to be seen whether our Webb bill will give birth to something resembling the pernicious cartel system of Germany. This much, however, is certain: Germany's tariff policy has appealed to the allied powers and they have already taken precautions to insurpost-war industrial development through the instrumentality of tective tariffs and international cotwo years and a half to arm for war; and that the republican party is n:cst be favorably reported in more than capable of drafting protective legis-lation has been proved time and The

THE CHILD THAT LAGS.

his age, we should never tag or label work with every child. We must not ening the channel to Reedsport. measure him by any common standards. Above all, we must not apply to him the cold, inhuman, scientific quired to raise only \$76,000 addinormally because of the unsocial made today

conditions, so foreign compared to the child's everyday life, under which the tests are made.

In trying to remedy the weak-ness of a child we must particularly bear in mind three points: First, to study and work with the child as an individual. Second, in establishing new habits, work with him only a brief period at a time; otherwise he will get tired and fatigue will wipe out the new and helpful impressions. Third, our work must be centered upon the particular deficiency or weakness we wish to correct. Above all else, bygones must remain by-gones; misdeeds of the past must not be alluded to. The soul of our effort must be to bring a new, sympathetic, good habits in him-and through practice and repetition establish them so positively and firmly that they will displace old habits and faults and weaknesses, so that even-tually the renewed and happy child will lose all memory of ever having been anything else.

Those more or less excellent people who want an inconclusive peace are the exact mental replicas of the

Fashions change in music as in other things. No concert program, however, classical in its standards, is considered complete without "The Star Spangled Banner."

Anybody who assumes leadership in Petrograd must expect some nihilist to take an occasional shot at him. experience is a time-honored perquisite of the position.

If your wife spends her day, or part of it, in working for the Red Cross, don't for God's sake, jump on her and the dinner.

THE SAMMY LADDIES.

where, tell me where did your Sammy laddies go? where, tell me where did your Sammy laddies go? They sailed away to France,

For to help to fight the foe, And until they are victorious they'll not return. I know.

Oh, why, tell me why did Sammy laddies go? why, tell me why did Sammy laddies go?

They went to fight for freedom, And their dear old U. S. A., And I bid them God speed for could not bid them stay.

when, tell me when will you Sammy lads return? when, tell me when will your Sammy lads return? When this cruel war is over,

And peace eternal reigns; Then beneath the Stars and Stripes proudly they'll return again

suppose, Sammy lads should die! Oh suppose that you Sammy lads should die! Then taps would softly play,

As they laid them there to rest And my heart with pride and grief would fill my aching breast. -Mrs. I. H. Cunningham, Dixon ville, Oregon,

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5 .- The secoperation. America, under democratic retary of war today approved and ic rule, still lags, and would wait sent to congress a report of the army legislation—but their efforts have until the establishment of peace be-fore acting. That we must return to the republican policy is a foregone trance to the Umpqua river at a to-conclusion; that we should do so be-tal cost of \$553,000 on condition that fore peace is declared is as certain as that we should have made use of improvement.

This is the first Oregon project to

The local engineer in recommendagain. The heart of the party is in ing this improvement showed that it, the brains of the party are be-60,000,000 feet of marketable fir and able for pulp, and this, to be moved economically requires deeper water In trying to cure the case of a over the bar. The local engineer child that lags behind the average of estimated that two jetties at the mouth of the river would cost \$981,him with his deficiency, put him, so 000, and to dredge a channel 16 feet to speak, in the dunce's corner; let deep to Reedsport would cost \$57 .us remember that almost invariably 200. He concluded that at this time there is a cause, says Miriam Finn only the north jetty should be built; Scott in Good Housekeeping. This sates, if necessary, the south jetty means that, both analytically and can be authorized. Present comconstructively, we must do individual, merce, he held, does not justify deep-

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GREAT POLITICAL BATTLE IN OREGON

1918 Elections of Greatest Importance to the People Of This State.

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Necessary to Beat Half Baked Politicians and Men Whose Personal Ambition is Only Reason for Being in the Legislature,

The following article from one of Oregon's progressive business men, tells some wholesome truths that may well be considered by voters. It a hand in the matter from a thoughtful, interested viewpoint, and lift the splendid state from the rut into which it has apparently fallen in respect to freak legislation. The writer says:

ASTORIA, Feb. 5.—The next great political battle will be fought in Oregon. It will be a battle of deepest concern to every man, woman and child in the state. It will be a battle that will effect the development of our rsources and industries; it will be a determining battle and the result will decide whether the state of Oregon shall take that proper posi tion in the great family of states to which its tremendous physical and natural resources, as well as latent initiative and capacity entitle it, or whether it shall continue to be outdistanced in the procession of progress that is constantly growing on the Pacific coast. Vital issues will be involved, and if the future welfare of our state is to be assured it will be necessary for us to take a deeper and more active interest, not only in the issues that are to be placed before us, but in the men whom we are to elect to solve them, it is therefore imperative that we consider the election of our state senators and representatives with more than the passive indifference that has characterized our elections in the past. Oregon, through its misrepresentation has established for itself a reputa-

tion as an experimental station for all sorts of freak legislation from coast to coast. Laws essential to our eco nomic expansion have been carefully and adroitly avoided, while so many needless, useless and throttling laws have been enacted that it would take a miracle to save our state from utter stagnation if they were all enforced. Inefficiency, timidity and undesirable influences have strangled the efforts of the progressive ele ments of our legislature and have re tarded our growth and hampered our progress. Our legislative halls have been filled with young lawyers concerned more with their personal ambitions and the establishment of reputations, than with the welfare and requirements of the state. Men incapable of managing an enterprise requiring even mediocre executive ability have been delegated by our voters to manage the affairs of the state, and they have been moulding our destiny, not with a due regard for our commercial and industria expansion, but in that narrow, limit MOUTH OF UMPOUA ed manner that always accompanies personal and selfish motives. Of ed manner that always accompanies course, here and there we have elect ed a few good business men and broad visioned representatives, have done exceptional work in the

I suggest, therefore, that public spirited citizens of every county in Oregon, and every commercial club and civic organization interest themselves in the vital issues that are now more than ever confronting us. and see if we cannot by discriminating effort elect representatives who large quantities of smalls pruce suit- will not hesitate to legislate, not upon immaterial problems, but upon questions pertaining clearly to the welfare and development of the state and its resources. Let us select men who are not afraid to come out in favor of definite, constructive policies and let us compel them to commit themselves in advance. Let us this year, concern ourselves with issee if we cannot by concerted and forceful action free Oregon from the rut she has been relegated to by the political legislation that has been heaped upon her in the past. Never to him the cold, inhuman, scientific quired to raise only state of ity for state betterment and never then not cause a child to react abseason for beneficient changes. we all put our shoulders to the wheel the next primaries should produce candidates that will make the next session of our state legislature the turning point in our history and it is our plain duty to do so. For if we fail this year to elect men whose backbones are strong enough to sup-port their consciences we can not hope to secure that recognition from without that should long since have been ours. The issue is squarely up to the individual.

measures were adopted.

"THE WOMAN GOD FORGOT."

Geraldine Farrar, the noted prima donna, will make her debut under the Artcraft trade-mark at the Antlers theatre next Monday and Tuesday, February 11 and 12, in "The Woman God Forgot," a spectacular photodrama written especially for her by Jeanie MacPherson, and produced under the personal direction

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 7 .-The United States government is in need of several hundred expert cost accountants to fill vacancies in the accounts section of the finance department of the equipment division of of the signal corps, war depart-ment, and in other branches, for duty in Washington, D. C., or in the field, according to an announcemen just issued by the United States civil service commission. The salaries ofis suggested that the electorate take fered range from \$2400 to \$6000 a year. Men only are desired.

The duties of appointees to the signal corps will consist of the deter-mination of production costs of airplanes and airplane motors, either as supervisors in charge at one or more of the several plants, or as assistants, or appointees may be assigned to duty in Washington, D. C.

Applicants will not be assembled for a written examination, but will be rated upon the subjects of education and experience, as shown by their applications and corroborative

The commission states that on account of the urgent needs of the service applications for these positions received until further notice and that papers will be rated promptly and certifications made as the needs of the service require.

Complete information and application blanks may be obtained by communicating with the secretary of the local board of civil service examiners at the post office in any of the larger cities or with the United States Civil Service Commission Washington, D. C.

GLIDE GLIDINGS.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Shaw and son.

Donald, of Miles City, Mont., are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Doss Miss Pearce, teacher at Fall Creek spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Morgan.

T. V. Gurney and Mrs. Alice Shrum were Roseburg visitors Monday. Mr. Gurney went to take his physical examination. Alvin Schloeman will appear in Roseburg Tuesday for his examina-

Lieutenant W. L. H. Osborne, of American Lake, is home on a visit.

He expects to leave Tuesday to take Thanksgiving and Xmas menus were recently received by Mrs. B. F. Doss from her son, Claire A. Vaughn who is a member of the 1st infantry band at Schofield barracks, Hono lulu, T. H. The menus were very unique and their contents express all the holiday delicacies would tempt the appetites of our

hungry boys Mrs. MacDonald was a visitor at

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