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THURSDAY, MARCH 21, 1918.

A BIT OF FINANCIAL HISTORY.

The credit of the United States was so high and unquestionable that in 1909, two years after the Spanish war, 2 per cent bonds were offered at par and oversubscribed. This is a financial performance no other nation has ever equaled.

United States four per cent bonds in 1888 sold as high as 130 and in 1901 brought 139 7-8 on the stock market.

The United States has never defaulted on any of its bonds. Not one of its bondholders has ever lost a cent of principal or interest except those who voluntarily have taken losses by selling their bonds in a period of temporary price depression. One hundred cents on the dollar, principal and interest, has the United States always paid.

Back of the \$250,000,000,000 to \$300,000,000,000 of our national resources stands the rugged honesty of America. Liberty loan bonds are the safest security in the world.

The Oregon division of public information about the war has found another series of lies about the war. Stories are being circulated that unnamed privates have been sentenced to long terms in prison for minor offenses; that a number have been shot for insubordination; that certain officers have confiscated the supplies sent over for somebody's boy. Now listen. These are German propaganda stuff, and should have no attention from any loyal citizen.

The Oregon division of public information about the war has issued a statement in which it asks the people to be careful about whom they talk to at any time. Germany has a lot of spies in Oregon who are eagerly picking up any sort of information. Therefore, if you know anything keep it to yourself, or tell it directly to a representative of the government.

There are grave robbers and there are those who seek to capitalize the war and rob the government on army contracts. The grave robbers should feel disgraced to be classified with these others.

Sweden, Norway, Switzerland, Denmark and Holland have been watching the war so long at close range that they appear to be getting dizzy and may fall in.

Starvation over much of the old world ought to give impetus to the war gardening in the new, as otherwise there may be some starvation here.

Just when muckraking was understood to be tabooed, along comes a lecture on the "History and Work of Congress."

Pictures of French girls walking arm-in-arm with the Sammites ought to boost the spirits of young American nurses to the front.

Beer is no longer to be made in Germany, no, not even for the army. Now the strike situation may really go on the hop.

In this balmy weather we can turn our minds without a shiver from the coal shortage to the ice shortage.

Today was the first day of balmy spring. Take that suit of woolen underwear off and give it to the Belgians.

The revolution in Costa Rica is doubtless due either to German machinations or to Bolsheviki plots.

Dr. Davis, the Kaiser's dentist, is the only man who ever gave the all highest a successful gas attack.

Spring is here and with it the backyard garden—a good combination for a good community.

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FISHER'S

Live-wire Doings of City

Motor to Roseburg.

Ed. Stuller and family motored to the city in their Overland yesterday afternoon from their home at Riddle. During their stay here they visited with friends in this city.

Leaves on Business Trip.

Rosecoe N. Green and wife left yesterday for Portland, where they expect to be for several days. Mr. Green is school clerk of this district, and his trip to Portland is on business pertaining to his work in this city.

Leaves For Portland.

Mrs. G. G. Stewart, who is well known in this city, and whose home is in the vicinity of Edgewater, left yesterday afternoon for Portland where she will undergo a minor operation. Mrs. Stewart is intending to extend her trip, after recovering, to Minneapolis. She will be the guest of her many friends and relatives in that city.

To Visit Here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roe arrived in this city yesterday and will spend a few weeks in this vicinity visiting with friends and relatives. Mrs. Roe is from California where she has been spending the winter, and is now on her way to her home in Flambra, South Dakota. She states a lovely visit was enjoyed in the south, and complements this country and the vicinity of Roseburg very highly.

Installs New Machine.

James Hutchings & Son, proprietors of the Model Bakery, have added a very late and convenient improvement to their establishment. The new cake mixing machine, which is a very late invention, was installed in the bakery Saturday and is drawing much attention. It being the first of its kind to appear here. The new cake mixer is run by electricity and is a device which will save much labor.

Fred Rowley Visits Roseburg.

Fred M. Rowley, special representative of the Equitable Savings & Loan Association of Portland, arrived in Roseburg this morning to spend a few days attending to business matters for his association. Mr. Rowley is well known in this city, having made business visits here for

many years. His present trip to Roseburg is the first in nearly a year, however, and his many friends here are pleased to greet him again.

Two Unite With Church.

Two more people united with the church at the Christian church revival last night, and a large enthusiastic audience was present. The singer, Mr. Shaffer, is training a "Smile Chorus," which will have charge of the music Friday night. The subject tonight announced for discussion is "This Picture and That," and will be illustrated with a chart.

Make Extended Visit Here.

Mrs. L. L. Vincent and daughter, Juanita, are in this city visiting with J. L. Hendricks, proprietor of confectionery establishment, The Polyanua, who is Mrs. Vincent's brother. This is a time of reunion for them, being only their second meeting since 1893. L. L. Vincent is in business in Santa Barbara, Calif., but expects to make Roseburg their future home as soon as he can dispose of his business there, which will in all probability be within the next few weeks.

Oakland People in Town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cook and A. A. Cook, living a few miles west of Oakland motored to Roseburg yesterday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Bert Norris, of Melrose, who has been visiting for a few weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cook. The gentlemen, who are prosperous farmers, report work opening up auspiciously in their neighborhood. Stock has wintered fine, although they feed all of their cattle, and never depend on pasture during the winter months.

Planning Big Crop.

Attorney Albert Abraham made a visit to the Melrose country yesterday and states that he found all the farmers busy getting land ready for seed. Indeed, much grain has already been planted, but a great deal of work remains to be done, and these fine days are being hooverized to the limit. Every farmer in the country is said to be planning to do more this year than any previous season, and providing weather conditions are normal an immense harvest is assured for the fall of 1918.

Condition No Better.

Ed. Singleton, a well known rancher of the vicinity of Dole, was in this city yesterday and had an incision made in the back of his hand to remove a splinter, which was an injury received about two weeks ago. Mr. Singleton was repairing a fence when a good sized splinter was run through the back of his hand. At the time the piece was removed and it was thought that it would give him no more trouble, but on account of it causing him great pain for the last two days, he arrived in this city yesterday, and after careful inspection by local surgeons another splinter was removed.

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Live-wire Doings of City

Mrs. James Arrance, of West Roseburg, will leave this evening for Los Angeles where she will spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. C. S. Smith, formerly Miss Ivy Arrance, of this city.

Secures Broccoli Supply.

J. O. Holt, manager of the Eugene Cooperative Fruit Growers' Association, spent Tuesday morning in Roseburg, going there for the purpose of securing a supply of broccoli from the Umpqua Valley Fruit Union. In this mission, he was successful, and shipments will come to Eugene cannery as needed.—Eugene Guard.

Many Are Enrolled.

The membership of the student body of the Roseburg high school is increasing every day now and in a very short time there will be enough enrolled to carry on action. The student body fees are \$1.00 and this admits the student to any high school activity. The student body has already carried on some very important business, and it is readily seen now the need of the students' co-operation, which they have never had before.

Men Are Still Quarantined.

Mrs. W. H. Palm received a letter from her son, Claude, yesterday in which he states that 12 members of the 65th regiment which passed through Roseburg three weeks ago, are still in quarantine at San Francisco, but that they expected to at once embark by train for the east to join their company which is now at Camp Merritt, New Jersey. On the way from Fort Stevens to San Francisco a case of measles broke out among the soldiers on one car and the entire bunch were quarantined as a result. In his letter the young soldier expressed the opinion they would take their departure Wednesday of this week.

NEW WALL PAPER HERE.

New wall paper for the spring of 1918, new patterns, new prices, are now at Strong's Furniture Store for inspection and sale to the public. A number of very pretty bed room patterns are in this shipment. The public is requested and invited to inspect these papers at their pleasure. Do not forget the worth of Museo Kalsomine, its velvety tone and its capacity to lap without showing a line.

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TROTTERS DANCING CLUB.

Masquerade party Friday March 22 at Elks hall. Music begins at 8:45. Admission tickets must be secured in advance. m20

OLCOTT ONLY DEMOCRAT POSING AS REPUBLICAN

Pointing out that never before in the history of the republican party has the republicanism of a candidate seeking office under its standard been sufficiently adulterated to make imperative an assurance to the electorate that if elected he would not appoint democrats to office, republican leaders today pronounced Secretary OLCOTT's recent announcement that, if elected governor, he will not appoint his democratic brother-in-law, ex-Governor West, United States senator, should a vacancy occur, the most unique political document ever indited by a candidate, says today's Portland Telegram.

"The announcement is humiliating to the republican party, and must be humiliating to the secretary," said a prominent republican in commenting upon it. "That the editor of the Cottage Grove Sentinel should question the republicanism of the secretary of state was not surprising, for, besides managing the gubernatorial campaign of ex-Governor West and receiving as a reward appointment as secretary of state, democratic political war horses have been promoting his candidacy. I was amazed, however, to learn that the secretary would assume that the rank and file of his party questioned his republicanism to the extent that he considered necessary a public promise that if successful at the polls he would not appoint a democrat to the highest office within the gift of the people."

"The republican party in Oregon is indeed in a sorry plight when a candidate for governor on its ticket must assure the voters that he will not appoint a democrat to the senate if elected," said another. "Incidentally the republicanism of the candidate must also have been reduced to a sorry state, and he himself regards it as such. Instead of convincing me that he is really a republican, the statement of the secretary has caused me to believe more firmly than ever that he is a democrat masquerading in the republican fold."

Repeatedly a story has been published that Senator Chamberlain contemplates resigning near the close of his term and accepting a position on the appellate court at San Francisco, and that the secretary of state was being groomed by democrats for governor that he might appoint ex-Governor West as a successor to Senator Chamberlain. Apprehensions that this story and his democratic alliances were militating too heavily against him is believed to have prompted the secretary to issue the statement.

GET BEHIND AND BOOST.

One of the most honorable and worthy organizations in Roseburg is the Home Guard. Its purpose is to guard and protect the ones left at home, to settle all disturbances, and protect our property in general. Is it not worthy of our support? Does it not benefit you as well as me? Its benefits are mutual. Then buy a ticket to the Home Guard Dance, Tuesday, March 26, 1918. Proceeds to be used for uniforms. Tickets for sale at the

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Douglas county. In the matter of the estate of John W. Hornbeck, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 6th day of March, 1918, by order of the above court duly made and entered, appointed executrix of the last Will and Testament and estate of John W. Hornbeck, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same properly verified with vouchers attached to the undersigned at her residence at 549 South Stephens St., in Roseburg, Oregon, or at the law office of John T. Long, in Douglas National Bank Bldg., Roseburg, Oregon, on or before six months from date of first publication of this notice.

Date of first publication of this notice is March 7, 1918.

PRESCILLA E. HORNBECK, Executrix of the estate of John W. Hornbeck, deceased.
 JOHN T. LONG Attorney for the Estate. D-4

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