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THE KNOCKING MACHINE.

The vast machine of American industry, to use an automobile phrase, is "knocking" badly. The trumpet of the engine raises the question whether it can pull over the hill without backing down to the bottom and getting a fresh start on low gear. The most immediate difficulty is the question of moving the crops. With the roads short 225,000 freight cars, there are in the granaries of the central and western states, millions of bushels of wheat that should now be far on their way to the consumer. This stoppage ties up millions of dollars of capital. Then there are the new crops coming along in a few weeks, and many of the interior elevators still loaded with last year's grain. These elevators must be cleared, if the new crop is to be taken care of. And to move the crop, enormous credits are called for, but in the present tight money market these credits are out to be had. These movements of trade and industry seem so vast and incomprehensible, that the average citizen gazes at them helplessly. But there is just one thing he can do, by saving his money and banking it he can help finance this difficult situation. The average citizen can not provide freight cars. But if he will save some of the money he might ordinarily have spent, the banks will take his funds and use them to help move the crops. Then when the crops are taken care of, the money can be used to build the needed freight cars with.

The present difficulties are perfectly removable. But to meet them takes the co-operation of every citizen in his own quiet way.

"Shall those who are so fortunate as to possess great wealth urge the congress of the United States to appropriate \$500,000,000 to feed the people of Europe and raise it by a system of taxation," asked Senator William E. Borah, in commenting in the senate on the suggestion of Henry P. Davison, of J. P. Morgan & Company, to raise money for this purpose. "What will \$500,000,000 do in the way of reenergizing and rehabilitating Europe if Europe continues to refuse to go to work and continues to operate under its present financial and economic system? It will have no more effect than the \$100,000,000 which we appropriated a few months ago. People at the time it saved a few pennies from immediate want but it is claimed that Europe is in a worse condition than ever. We were assured that \$100,000,000 would start them on the way to permanent recovery. If we appropriate \$500,000,000 or a billion dollars and take it to Europe under present conditions in six months from now under the same policy the condition in Europe will be no better than it is now or worse. We have never refused the will of humanity and we never will do so. But it is worse than this to talk about the taxpayers of the United States feeding those in Europe who refuse to settle down and go to work. It is a task which would ruin us and would not even bring us one cent of European goods."

If Canada's expressed determination not to "revert to the old colonial status" indicates an intention to assume that "independent status" to which the laws of nature and of nature's God entitled her, then the United States will welcome her to the sisterhood of nations. As an actual independent nation, we shall be glad to meet her on an equality in any international agreement we may make. But so long as Canada is either technically or actually subordinate to Great Britain, our own self respect would not permit us to join in an international agreement in the form of a league of nations or otherwise, which gave the British Empire control of six votes to our one. We can get along very amicably with either Canada or Great Britain, as separate nations, as we can get along with Great Britain including Canada as an integral part. We have no quarrel with either. We have the best of wishes for the prosperity of both. But we have no need nor intention to subject ourselves to a humiliating position in our relations with either. Whenever we sacrifice our own self-respect, we shall forfeit the respect of every other nation—and we shall not do that as long as we are in our right minds.

It only took a jury a few minutes to declare Jack Dempsey not guilty of attempting to evade the draft law. The pugilist must have had an upper in reserve to gain such a prompt decision.

You can't make a lot of people believe that the sweet marmar of the running brook that the poets sing about, is equal to the gurgle of the escaping contents from the little brown jug.

It is generally agreed by business experts, that inflated credits are a leading cause of high prices and the existing business disturbances. The government's financial policy has permitted a vast expansion of credits, it encouraged an orgy of speculation, and led to very excessive borrowings of money. This spread abroad a false and artificial appearance of prosperity, in which money seemed so abundant that great masses of people rioted in extravagance. The result was greatly to enhance prices, and to raise the rate of interest so high as eventually to check production. It was perhaps to check production, to tolerate inflation, as an easy short-cut to increased production, regardless of price involved. But when the armistice was signed, the administration maintained a low federal reserve discount rate, which has increased inflation and made prices rise still higher. The steps recently taken to deflate the currency, should have been taken 18 months ago, had that been done, the tendency of prices would have been to go down shortly after the armistice, whereas they continued to rise.

There are a lot of people who feel that patriotism is obsolete. They believe that we shall all become united in one great international brotherhood, in which national lines will become a negligible factor. To get any efficient work done in this world, you have got to identify yourself with a somewhat limited community. The nation can do many things that the world can not do. States can do many things that the nation can't do. If we are all to become internationalists, we shall be single atoms in a great formless mass, too inefficient and too little organized to do anything well. If we remain loyal to our country, we shall be able to organize life on a good working basis, and accomplish the things that need to be done. The people of the United States owe their prosperity and their enlightenment to this form of government. They will resist and develop an association that is so beneficial.

Remember your duty as a loyal and progressive citizen. Be at the meeting tonight to initiate a real, live commercial body for the city of Roseburg. There's plenty of pep and gliver left in the old town to put over most any kind of an enterprise and the one real necessity at this very moment is the handing to one of our people to support a chamber of commerce that will be a credit to the city and community at large. Let's hit her up tonight and put the proposition over with a bang. Don't pass the buck—be on the job in person and we'll all pull our coats and put the vim and vigor into the enterprise that will assure its success.

The fact that the Danes are shipping butter and other produce to America will doubtless induce the starving Austrians to believe that there is something rotten in Denmark.

No sooner does the primary election pass into history and the big time at Chicago become stilled when a school election boils up right in Roseburg to keep the ball rolling.

Remember the old-fashioned restaurant where the counter clerk waited on you in his shirt sleeves and slipped you a pint of steamp with each dish of hearse.

"Say it with flowers" is a popular way of expressing sympathy, but a lot of people would like to say it with decayed vegetables to some of our soap box orators.

Formerly people used to be arrested for working seven days a week. Now some of 'em get in bed if they work more than five days a week.

Some of these draft dodgers will discover that they should have remained under cover nursing their disabilities for a good while longer.

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MULES MUST GO.
The mule must go, he's had his day, it costs too much to feed him hay, and he demands three pecks of corn each time they blow the whistle, whereas a tractor, rake or plow, will munch on oil and call it fun.

But that's not all, a mule will shirk, and ston and kick if made to work, and even good men to tear their hair and weep in a truck will never balk or make the least driver wince.

BALL GAME ENDS
IN TIE SCORE

Christians and Baptists Stage Interesting Battle at Field Last Evening.

FLUKE BRINGS RUNS

Baptists Lead Game With 3 Runs Until Last Inning When Christians Are Able to Bring the Score to a Tie.

The ball game of the twilight league last night was one of the most interesting games of the entire series, not because it was so well played, but because of the closeness of the score, which ended in a tie, the game being called on account of darkness.

The Baptists had the game well in hand until the last inning, when by a series of misplays they allowed the Christians to tie the score. Grimm topped the game for the Christians with a clean two-bagger, and was sacrificed to third by Althaus, Reibel crashed first on an error and Grimm scored. Some more errors allowed Reibel to make his way round for the second score. For the Baptist after Carl Black had gone out Cecil Black got a thump with the ball, and smacked to first, an error, and a hit by Singleton brought him home. The Christians scored again in the second. Quinn opened with a clean hit, and Lloyd took a base on balls, sending Quinn on. Henry also got a base on balls as did Louis Althaus, forcing Quinn home. At this stage of the game Shields, who had been pitching for the Baptists, was removed, and McClintock took up the burden. With three men on bases things looked good for more scores, but McClintock pulled out of the hole in good shape, as he also did in the third when the bases were again loaded. The third inning was the big one for the Baptists, who put over three runs in that inning and took the lead. Carl Black got a base on balls. Cecil Black hit for three bases, scoring his brother, and an error permitted Cecil Black to score. Stephenson who reached first on the error managed to work around and scored on Singleton's hit. The Baptists scored two more in the fourth and looked as if they had the game sewed up in a sack. After two were out Carl Black again reached first, this time on an error, and was again brought home by Cecil Black's second three-bagger, which was a beautiful hit to the fence. Cecil Black scored on an error. The game remained six to three until the last inning, when by a series of bores dropped flies, and misplays in general, the score was tied at six all. Althaus was hit with the ball, and went to first, but was retired at second on a fielder's choice. Reibel had already gone out. With two out it looked easy for the Baptists, but then they got all the errors they had out of their system, and with fumbles and two dropped flies that fell squarely in the fielders' hands, Bush, Perry and Quinn were able to score, and two others were on bases when the last man went out. The Baptists had one more chance, and Singleton bled it up with a stunning single. It looked good for a score, for although this was a Sunday school ball game, Singleton had no companions of consequence, and immediately stole second, and then piffered third, but he was arrested right there, for he never got home. The next three men Bush struck out as fast as their arms to the bat, making a beautiful ending of an intensely interesting game. The interest was so great at the last that the score could hardly watch in front of him the best game will be an Friday between the Baptist and Presbyterian teams.

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GOOD YEAR

NEWS SNAP SHOTS

To Portland for Visit—Mabel Johnson left this morning for Portland, where she will visit over the Rose Festival.

To Take Summer Course—Prof. H. W. Gustaf left this morning for Eugene to take a course at the university summer school.

To Oregon City—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bond departed this morning for Oregon City, where they will visit with whom they will visit a short time.

S. J. Jones Leaves—S. J. Jones left on the morning train for Eugene and Springfield, where he is to spend a short time attending to business matters.

Take Father to Idaho—Mrs. L. A. Shriner went to Caldwell this morning to make arrangements to take her father, J. W. McKee, to Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

Will Visit Son—Mrs. R. F. Strang left this morning for Salem, from which place she will go to Chehalis, Wash., where she will visit with her son, Dale.

Open Refreshment Stand—Miss Gladys Hunt has opened a refreshment stand on Jackson street adjoining the Abraham building. She is being assisted by her brother, Aubrey Reibel.

Retires Home—Mrs. T. H. Chadwick, of Canyonville, spent yesterday in Roseburg shopping and attending to business matters, returning to her home on the evening train.

Country Men Leave—D. A. Frost and D. J. Matthews, of the Respect Cattery Co., who have been depending a short time in Roseburg looking over the cattery property in this city, left this morning for Portland.

Leaves for Salem—Mrs. E. R. Hannan left this morning for a short visit at Salem. Her husband accompanied her as far as Trout, where he spent the day attending to business matters.

Buy Lot in Overlook—C. W. Wharton of this city yesterday completed the purchase of a lot in Overlook addition from J. W. Hamilton, and intends to erect a modern home there some time in the near future. The lot was sold thru the Rice & Rice real estate agency.

NEW SNAP SHOTS

The Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, will hold a cooked food sale at Vossburg Bros' store Saturday, June 19.

It is adjacent to the Napoleon Rice home, with a frontage on Kane street, and is very advantageously located for building purposes.

Dance at Riddle Tuesday—The management of the Riddle open-air pavilion today announced that on next Tuesday evening the second dance of the season will be given. Dancing will start at 9 o'clock and continue until midnight, with the Jazz-O-Four of this city furnishing the music.

Neighbors Arrive Home—Edwin N. Eldridge, local manager of the Independence creamery, and wife, nee Mrs. Jennie Barnum, who were married in Roseburg last Thursday, arrived home Sunday night and have apartments at the Barnum. Last night a number of their friends had lots of fun with Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge, who were captured at the Barnum apartments, made to dress in ridiculous garb and head a parade thru the business section and back to the music of bells, tin cans and auto horns.—Medford Mail-Tribune.

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Visit Mother—Dolly Smith went to Yoncalla this morning to visit with her mother for a short time.

Leave After Visit—Mr. and Mrs. Hugh J. Houston, of Klamath Falls, who have been visiting in Eugene, left this morning for Eugene, where they will join their children, who are studying at the university.

Visit in Grants Pass—Mrs. P. H. Whitney and baby son, who have been visiting here at the W. W. Hays residence, left this morning for Grants Pass, where they will visit for a short time before returning home to Portland.

To Medford—Mrs. Clara Corum left this morning for Medford where she will visit for the next two weeks with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Victor Burrell. She has two children, who have been making an extended visit at the Burrell home in that city, will return with her.


Has New Position—Mrs. Story Musson of Marquette has accepted a position as telegrapher at the Southern Bell freight office.

Inspects Station—Forest Supervisor W. F. Randall left yesterday for Rajada, where he will inspect the station and the work being done there.

Arrived This Morning—Mrs. Warren Briggs and baby son, accompanied by Mrs. Briggs' sister, M. J. Shoemaker, of this city, arrived in Roseburg this morning. Mrs. Briggs, who was formerly Mrs. Ed Briggis, of this city, will spend the summer with her parents here. She is now residing in Cleveland, Ohio.

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