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FORESTALLING CRIMINALITY.

The whole country is aroused to the need of checking crime. More efficiency is demanded of the police, more cohesive action by the courts, more drastic laws and swifter justice. All of these things are important for the present situation, but if relief from crime is to be more than temporary, the great work of prevention must go forward among the children of this country as it has never done before.

While the attention of society is riveted upon the actual criminals, the potential offenders should not be forgotten, the boys, and in many cases the girls, of 10 to 14 years of age. There are many social welfare organizations to provide healthful amusements for these children, but most of them fall short, for they are heavily patronized by the children who need them least, and leave the ones who need them most cold. For every boy from a comfortable home enjoying the sports and lectures at the Y. M. C. A., or tramping with the Boy Scouts, there may be one from poorer surroundings hanging around corners, smoking in alleys, slitherine and destroying. The latter is the coming gangster and gun-toter. Until he is gathered into the fold of good citizenship the problem of dealing with crime is less a matter of progress than of vain repetition.

The schools offer the most available data as to the children of the community, what they are doing and what sort of homes they come from. A better co-operation between the schools and the citizens who have the public welfare at heart should prove invaluable in finding and reaching the child who, if he goes untouched or poorly influenced, will be the criminal of 10 years hence.

From all over the country—east and west, north and south—comes the cheering information that 1921 is going to be a good business year. Clothing factories in the east have already opened and have sufficient advance orders on hand to assure continuous operation. The lull in the business world is practically broken, the wheels of industry are beginning to turn, and within a very brief period normal conditions will prevail throughout the nation.

Senator Borah wants to cut down the congressional appropriations for the expenses of the presidential inauguration to $10. And the president-elect would doubtless agree willingly enough, if congress would cut down other expenses proportionately, including the postal franking privilege.

An eastern newspaper is publishing letters describing the first auto ride of the writers. If their first ride had been their last, some of them would be better off today.

This weather is a little crimpy during the early hours of the morning, but it is quite a desirable change over the weather dished out for the past two months.

"What will they do with that Nobel peace money when the league abolishes all the wars?" asks the Indianapolis Star. Why, give it to the league!

The "big gun" was fired at Salem today—and the echo bespeaks a sane and conservative session of the state legislature, with economy the watchword.

There ought to be special provision for enlisting in the army and navy all citizens who are opposed to a reduction of armament.

No wonder the price of silk goods is way down, with raw cotton at 15 cents a pound, and zinc a drug on the drygoods market.

After all, the world needs one more war—a war of extinction between the bolsheviki and the Turks.

Washington, D. C., isn't much on agriculture, but there's going to be a great crop of plums.

Make it short and snappy—the 1921 session of the Oregon legislature.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

LOCAL MACHINISTS INDORSE PUBLICATION.

Roseburg, Ore., Jan. 8, 1921.
To the Editor, News-Review:

As you have requested that I furnish you with a copy of the reply to my inquiry in regards to the Metal Trades Worker, and Messrs. Vanderhoff and McWade, I am herewith enclosing the reply, for publication.

At our regular meeting held last night, I was instructed by the members of the I. A. of M. No. 1236 to state that inasmuch as this organization has indorsed the Pacific Coast Metal Trades Worker as our official organ, that we take exception to the term, "alleged labor organizations" as appeared in your issue of Dec. 28. We want all concerned to know that this is a bona fide labor organization, organized by the International Association of Machinists, and affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

Will you kindly publish this statement, together with the reply, in your next issue and oblige.

Yours truly,
W. L. MOEN.

The letter received by Mr. Moen in answer to his communication follows:

Portland, Or., Jan. 4, 1921.
W. L. Moen, Fin. Sec.
Lodge No. 1236, I. A. of M.
Roseburg, Oregon.
Dear Sir and Brother:

Your communication under date of Dec. 29th at hand and in reply to same wish to make the following statements.

Brothers R. A. Vanderhoff and W. R. McWade are now and have been active members of Willamette Lodge No. 63 of the I. A. of M., and have been identified with the labor movement for a great many years.

Brother McWade has held many prominent positions in the Portland labor movement, both in the different councils and in his own organization, having represented the entire labor movement of Portland as a delegate from the Central Labor council to the state convention of the State Federataion of Labor held in Bend, Oregon, October, 1919.

Brother Vanderhoff has been very prominent in the east in his activities for the machinists' organization, representing the Utica lodge before the war labor board, and it was thru his efforts and the able way he protected the interests of the workers that the settlement of the Savage Arms strike was settled and the machinists gained the concessions asked for.

Brother Vanderhoff was called to the coast about a year ago by men very prominent in the Pacific Coast Metal Trades movement, to assist in establishing a paper in the interests of the metal trades men up and down the Pacific coast. The results of his efforts is the Pacific Coast Metal Trades Worker.

The Metal Trades Worker was indorsed as the official organ of the Pacific Coast Metal Trades District Council at its last convention held in Tacoma Jan. 12, 1919. This indorsement has been ratified by all the councils affiliated.

This indorsemeat has not been repudiated as stated by the Oregon Labor Press in any instance, and our sincere advice to you is to stand behind these brothers who are publishing a real labor paper for the benefit of organized labor and not for politics, as we know their efforts to be sincere, honest and above reproach.

The truth was brought out at the last meeting of the Central Labor Council, that the Oregon Labor Press is not owned and controlled by the labor movement, and that the council did not authorize Ryncrson to make this malicious attack.

Little over a year ago the delegates of the Central council refused to ratify another agreement with Ryncrson as editor of the Oregon Labor Press, and today he retains the position under protest of the Central body until a man can be found to fill the position.

Hoping you boys will retain your confidence in these brother machinists and the Pacific Coast Metal Trades Worker and give it all the support it justly deserves, we beg to remain with best wishes for a prosperous new year.

Fraternally yours,
FRANK BRANDON, Rec. Sec.
J. L. FOWLER, Bus. Agent.

A REAL GARDEN SPOT.

Dear Editor:

In looking over the columns of the Daily Oregonian of Jan. 1, I read of the Garden Spot of the World located 25 miles from Crater lake. I wish to say we have another such valley and that is the Umpqua valley, of southern Oregon. The climate is so fine that the early spring flowers are welcoming in the glad new year. The cattle are sleek with eating the nourishing wild grass, and the hogs which run at large in the pasture are rolling fat and fit for the market by feeding themselves on the luscious acorns.

The artesian wells we do not especially need, as the water comes in copious showers from the heavens above.

Goats thrive, and on account of the rolling hills, never have foot-rot, as in some other localities. Apples, prunes, berries, are as fine in every way as the Hood River products, which perhaps are more famous but no better. Also the valley is noted for its turkey and chicken industry.

CITIZEN.

Legislature Is Quickly Organized

SALEM, Or., Jan. 10.—Organization of the Oregon legislature was harmoniously and quickly perfected soon after the two houses convened here today in biennial session.

Roy W. Ritner, of Pendleton, was elected president of the senate, and Louis E. Bean, of Eugene, was chosen speaker of the house. Both were assured of election months ago, when they secured enough pledged votes to eliminate all chances of the usual bitter organization fights.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

Saturday afternoon, January 15, at 2 o'clock, at Empire barn. One 5 year old bay mare, one 14 year old bay horse, clean and sound. Other persons having stock for sale can bring it in for this sale.

MRS. J. J. RUSSELL, Owner.
M. C. RADABAUGH, Auctioneer.

The Melrose Orchard company today brought suit in the circuit court against Charles Olson and others, in an effort to foreclose on property purchased from the plaintiffs. It is alleged that there is still owing $1598. Attorney B. L. Eddy appears for the plaintiffs.

AIDED ITS BLIND COMPANION

Australian Stockman Tells of Bullock That Took Care of Another Which Was Sightless.

Peter S. Mitchell, a stock raiser from Melbourne, Australia, says that the cattle business is at present the best in the history of Australia. He says that his people are hard at work restoring the country to normal and that they are very anxious to get the world trade back to pre-war conditions.

"My father was first to bring the Black Poll cattle into Australia 40 years ago," said Mr. Mitchell at New York, "and they have developed to be the best for our section. They are hardy, flourish on ferns, tree leaves and bark, where other cattle would starve, and they grow to great size, with weight evenly distributed, and the fat running in hair lines through the rump steaks even. There is a quick market for anything on the hoof that is fairly fat, and prices are very good.

"We discovered a blind bullock in one of the herds that came in, and another bullock had adopted it and fathered it all the time. It was found to be blind only when we noticed that its companion signaled to it constantly and led it to water, through gates and narrow runs. If at any time it got lost its friend would never rest until he had located it.

"None of the other bullocks paid any attention to the blind one and the protector the foster parent gave to the unfortunate bullock was a never ending source of comment and speculation. When both, fattened after 18 months on our place, were driven to the shipping station 60 miles distant the blind one was led through the difficult places by his friend and generally cared for day and night."

WANT LANGUAGE UP TO DATE

Common Sense Behind "Literary Revolution" That Is Now Prevailing In China.

What is termed the literary revolution in China aims at a reform of the language used in books, magazines, newspapers and public discussion. The outsider will jump to the conclusion that this means an attempt to encourage a phonetic substitute for ideographic characters. Not at all. There is a movement to supplement ideographs with phonetic signs to show their pronunciation, the aim being quite as much to standardize pronunciation as make it easier to learn to read. But this movement arouses no such interest and excitement as the literary revolution.

The latter is an attempt to make the spoken language the standard language for print. Literary Chinese is as far away from the vernacular as Latin is from English, perhaps further. It is a speech of 2,000 years ago, adorned and frozen. To learn it is to learn another language. The reformers were actuated by the practical impossibility of making education really universal when in addition to the difficulties of mastering the ideographs, children in the elementary schools are compelled to get their education in terms of a foreign language.

They are actuated even more by the belief that it was not possible to develop a literature which shall express the life of today unless the spoken language, the language of the people, is used. Apart from the employing and enriching of the vulgar tongue, it is not possible to develop general discussion of the issues of today, social, moral, economic.—New Republic.

To Develop Wild Pears.

The world's largest stock of pear seedlings of a wild, blight-resisting variety found in Manchuria, is located on the Loma Rica ranch near Grass Valley, Cal. The young trees are from seeds brought directly from China and number about 100,000.

Three pomological experts from the United States Department of Agriculture, Professors Allison, Wright and Kingsman, recently inspected the stock and approved the experimental work.

The original trees, known as the Pyrus usuriensis, are found growing in the ancient bursing ground of the kings of the Manchurian dynasty, and it is only since the overthrow of the dynasty that the seeds became available. The tract is said to be vast and to be grown to trees of immense size.

By grafting the commercial varieties of pears upon this stock good results are expected to be obtained.

Pyrenees Put to Work.

Efforts to harness the water power going to waste in the Pyrenees and transform it into electricity are being intensified.

Engineers have surveyed entire mountain ranges and have succeeded already in controlling many torrents and making them furnish power. Altogether 200,000 horsepower now is furnished and capital amounting to [illegible] pesetas have been invested.

Every day sees additions to the amount of power available, and engineers employed in the work estimate that in a few years Catalonia will be able to do without coal.

A Change of Calling.

"You are going to have some sad disappointments," said the mysterious Egyptian.

"I've already had one," said the client.

"How is that?"

"When this carnival company came through here last year you were selling hot dogs and pink lemonade."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

MEETING STARTS OFF WITH RUSH

First of Tabernacle Meetings Results in Extraordinarily Good Service.

SINGING IS A FEATURE

Big Choir Under Direction of Mr. Lewis Leads Singing in Which Audience Participates—Mayor Hamilton is Honored.

(By C. H. Hilton.)

Did you ever have a good feeling start right at the end of your spine and work its way up your back to your head, then through your entire body? Well, that is just the way the people felt last night at the big tabernacle when that large choir began to sing. They carried us with them to the skies. Some people say that religious services have lost their "pep." They have no "ginger." They are dull and dry. Well, if anyone says that about the big tabernacle service you can give them the merry Ha Ha. "Ginger" "Pep" will be the middle name for this revival meeting. That chorus sure stirred, and the chorus is supplemented by an orchestra that is going to grow with the days, and oy a lady who can just make that old piano talk. The "Jazzers" will all have their laurels taken away from them if they do not watch their step.

Well, what about the preacher? How does he look? How does he act? what did he say?—Hold on there; one question at a time. He looks just as pre-announced, long, lean, lank and bony. How did he act? He acted as if he were a live wire. Any way, if you hear him, you will know he is not dead. Put him in the ring with old man Sin, and he may not completely knock him out in ten rounds, but he will give him a pair of black eyes, a bloody nose, and a few other discolorations that will make the old man look mighty sick. Say, he is some preacher. Don't believe me, come and see. Are things going to really be lively at the big tabernacle? I'll tell the world they are. What did he say? He said enough for people to want to hear more. When you want a good laugh believe me, you will not have to tick'e yourself in the ribs to make yourself laugh, because if your face can ge' open at all, the laugh will burst out. He gave us pathos, and he gave us comedy. He was gentle as a dove, and at times he was like a pile driver. He took us on the wings of oratory and he let us down with a dull thud. He said, "What think ye of Christ? Do you think he was a man; then in our enlightened, superior age, why not produce a better. Do you think he was God; then why not accept Him? Do you intend to let him alone; then this is dishonest. What do you think of him from the standpoint of his resurrection? What do you think of his personality? Did 500 people all dream that he arose and all dream the same night. Did 12 men evolve this character out of their brain? What do you think of his mission? He stepped into the ring with four other gentlemen one night. He gave Mr. Evolution a punch in the solar plexus, and he dropped for the count; he pasted Mr. Atheism in the short ribs, followed suit with a knockout to Mr. Skeptic and hit Mr. Infidel such a slam that they all threw up the sponge on the spot.

A great program is on for this week. This is church week. The Presbyterians have tonight as their own. They are a classy bunch and will show up well. The Methodists come Tuesday evening. They are full of enthusiasm and will put one over. The Christian church has Wednesday night, and they will come with open minds and open Bibles. The M. E. South have Thursday evening, and having just had a great meeting they are ready for the fray. The Bapt'sts finish the week. We suppose the singer being of the persuasion saved his own for the climax. On Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoon just after school, there will be meetings for young people between the ages of 8 and 18. Special features, stunts, yells and gymnastics. Last night at the Presbyterian church, the young peoples societies of the town had a union lunch and a follow meeting that had real life to it. This will be done again next Sunday. Every morning of Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, there are prayer meetings all over town. Come on everybody, get in the swim. Come on in while the going is fine. Get this while the getting is good. Tonight at 7:30, great song service, great time, great sermon. You cannot get anything better. She was full to the limit last night and you will get full too, if you come.

The evangelist was introduced last night by Mayor Hamilton, who kindly accepted the invitation to do so. After the introduction, the evangelist stated that he was glad at last that he had found one man as homely as he himself was. He thought that he and Mayor Hamilton made a good team in that regard. Even the Mayor cheered this statement. This gave the meeting a good send off. Dr. Banks, of national temperance fame, was also present and loaned his support to the meeting.

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Oregon Lawmakers Ready for Action

SALEM, Ore., Jan 10—The thirty-first bi-ennial session of the Oregon legislature opened here today. In the senate there are 27 republicans, one democrat and two independents. The membership of the house is composed of 58 republicans and two democrats.

The program for the opening day consisted of organization of both of the houses, and the scheduled delivery of the message of Ben W. Olcott.

Among important measures to be proposed during the session, according to forecasts made by members before the opening of the legislature today, will be legislation dealing with the Japanese situation, bills for $10,000,000 more bonds for highway construction, regulating highway traffic, re-organizing the fish and game commission, making the fish commission one body and the game commission another, a measure for consolidating the Portland dock and port commission, an amendment changing the tenure of office for the Portland school teachers, payments to soldiers, sailors and marines for services during the world war, promoting the tourist in traffic, and in mending syndicalism and the workmen compensation laws.

Roseburg is one of the very few cities in Oregon where there is no snow according to reports. Both to the north and south of the Umpqua valley, heavy snows have fallen.

Archie Taylor, of the Roseburg-Eugene stage line is negotiating with a North Bend firm engaged in the manufacture of automobile bodies for a 16 passenger car to be used on a run between Roseburg and Eugene. He expects to be able to use a 16 passenger car with the completion of the roadwork on the highway north.

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