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FARMS AND MARKETS.

That the present marketing system of food products is on trial for its life seems evident. The farmers, who produced great crops this year under tremendous difficulties, have in many cases lost heavily when it came to selling. They have organized, as one farm magazine says, "without animosity, but with deadly earnestness. Some day they will be ready to act, and the time is not far distant."

The ultimate consumer is glad they have organized, and would also like to see a little action in this matter. For never before did the consumer pay more for his bread and for his meat than he has done this year. Somebody in between got the benefit of the great gap between selling price at the farm and buying price for the table.

That there is deliberate speculation and money-making out of nothing between the farm and home is apparent. Money-making without service is, at basis, nothing less than pure stealing. To eliminate the possibility of this speculation and profiteering in the necessaries of life is one of the great problems which must be faced in the coming decade.

The middleman cannot be wholly eliminated. He serves a useful purpose in the matter of collection and distribution. But to get the middlemen organized and controlled in some way to prevent waste both of food and of money is the next great problem.

It is going to be no trifling matter to take this sprawling chaos of distribution and out of it bring order, thrift and fair play to everybody concerned.

MISLEADING MAPS

The New York Times criticises the school cartographers on the ground that their maps are misleading as to area, and thus give the children a false idea of the comparitive size of countries. In most school geographies for example Australia is shown on a small scale, about one third as large as the United states, when in fact it is almost exactly as large. The Times wants maps all printed on the same scale so that comparison of the areas can be made easily by the eye without the need of figuring. It might do no harm, if there were books and paper enough, but what's the use. It isn't the area that makes a country great, any more than it is height or weight that makes a man great. The geography of a country is important only as that country is important in the world's business, history and literature. The only important part of Australia is a narrow fringe around the coast. What is the use of a map showing in detail the vast, unpeopled interior desert?

Movie men have the right idea. They give you a "close-up" only of important figures and faces.

Consider the relative value to the average American, of Massachusetts and Alaska. Who wants Alaska shown on a map 70 times the size of the Bay State. The latter, in the matters that really count, is 70 times the size of Alaska. Look for England on a globe-map, where everything is drawn on the same scale, and then look at Siberia. Yet, England plays a part in the world a thousand times as great as Siberia's.

It is people and what they do that make a country—not square miles.

The United States as a whole, is fortunate in having a great effective population as well as a great area, but the reasoning given applies to the small states as against some of the large ones. Sparsely settled states recognize this in their urgent quest for new settlers.

M. Viviani is said to be the man chosen by the French to negotiate with the United States the refunding of the debt owed by France to the American treasury. He is no stranger to this country, having headed the delegation that visited our shores soon after we entered the war. The reception accorded him and Marshal Joffre by the two houses of congress and at every point they visited is probably a lively memory with the former French premier. There can be no doubt that the cordial relations established in 1917 will be emphasized by M. Viviani's forthcoming visit. The evidences of indebtedness of the government of France to the United States are so explicit as to occasion little discussion. They are subject to refunding into long-time bonds whenever our secretary of the treasury may request it, and the matter for negotiation is merely the language that shall be used in the bonds. Repudiation or cancellation of the French debt to America is a suggestion that, happily, has never been heard.

The reorganization of the executive departments of the government is a project very close to the heart of the president. It is understood that each member of his cabinet holds views similar to his own. Reorganization does not mean that the departments are to be slashed for democratic office holders merely for the purpose of turning them out. It does mean that there will be an end of duplication of effort, of expensive rivalry between departments and bureaus, and of wasted time and money on useless activities. It will result in simplification, in consolidation of bureaus with similar duties to perform, and in large economies.

The new secretary of war announces that the names of persons who evaded the selective service law during the war will be made public by draft districts as rapidly as the lists can be compiled by the local draft boards, remarks an exchange. Why this just action was not sooner taken remains a mystery. The government owes that to the millions of men who went eagerly or willingly into their country's service when their country called. More profoundly it owes that act of pitiless publicity in justice to the gallant men who fought and fell and whose bodies will lie forever in distant graves across the sea.

The taxpayers of Linn county are receiving souvenirs from the sheriff announcing the amount of their taxes, which are the highest in the history of this country.—Albany Democrat.

THE LUCKY GUY

An auto bumped him on the shin,
A horse stepped on his face,
A car ran o'er his portable leg
And knocked it out of place,
A safe fell down from out the sky
And landed on his chest:
Caved in a dozen ribs and tore
Six buttons off his vest.
But when he sued for damages,
And finally got them, why,
His friends all murmured solemnly
"Gee, he's a lucky guy."
—Cartoons Magazine.

DANGERS OF A COLD.

Roseburg People Will Do Well to Heed Them.

Many bad cases of kidney trouble result from a chill or a cold. Congested kidneys fall behind in filtering the poison-laden blood and backache, headache, dizziness and disordered kidney action follow. Don't neglect a cold. Use Doan's Kidney Pills at the first sign of kidney trouble. Follow this Roseburg resident's example:

Mrs. Laura Kimball, 232 S. Flint St. says: "Doan's Kidney Pills helped me wonderfully and I can't say too much for them. My kidneys were always weak and if I took cold it always settled in my back, and I suffered dreadfully. I couldn't hold out to sweep the floor and the action of my kidneys were irregular. Doan's Kidney Pills always relieved these attacks, strengthening my back and kidneys and benefitting me in every way."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Kimball had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

OLDEST OF AVIATORS

Charles Dickinson, a retired millionaire of Chicago, and president of the Illinois Aero club, made his first solo flight in an airplane the other day. Mr. Dickinson, who is sixty-three, has made several air flights.

O. A. C. BOY SEES GRIM TRAGEDY

Starving Chinese Clamor For Garbage Thrown From Diner.

Conditions too appalling for description and misery too awful to look upon were witnessed only six weeks ago in the famine districts of North China by W. A. Sellwood, Y. M. C. A. secretary and graduate of O. A. C., who has just returned from 18 months' service in Russia and China, and who travelled 10 days, covering 800 miles, through the famine-stricken section from Pekin near the northern boundary, to Nanking, near the Chinese coast.

"That ten-day journey was one long horror," said Sellwood. "I am haunted yet by the memory of the drawn, despairing faces and the pitiable cries for food of the starving, half-naked men, women and children who crowded under the train windows, lifting up their arms in desperate supplication to us, every time the train slowed up or stopped. There are 45,000,000 Chinese confronted with starvation in the famine district, and the daily death rate is 15,000 a day. Typhus and pestilence are adding their toll to that of wholesale starvation, and conditions are simply beyond any adequate description.

"In Russia I have seen corpses stacked up like cordwood, and many other things very shocking to people who live comfortable, well-ordered lives here in the United States, but these were nothing to the tragic things that were visible on every hand all along the 800-mile journey through the famine districts of north China. The corpses were not stacked up in orderly fashion as in Russia. The survivors are too weak and wasted to undertake any such task, and those who perish are left to lie where they fall, or are rolled into streams nearby. Almost at any time we could look out and see bodies floating in the streams or lying about on the ground. It is a common thing for famine victims to succumb while digging for roots to eat, and the mute evidence of this last futile effort to secure some morsel that will sustain life a little longer, is visible on every hand; the dead bodies of men, women and children may be seen lying beside the hole in the ground that has been dug with sticks, or with the wasted claw-like hands of the starving. Long ago all dogs, cats and even rats have disappeared in this land of horrors, except for a few wild, half-crazed dogs that are dreaded by the emaciated human creatures because they fight so tenaciously for food and sometimes attack the children in their desperate hunger. Everything eatable has been eaten except leaves, roots and grass, and these are rapidly being exhausted. Where there are trees the bark from these is also used, and most of the trees are dying as a result. This vegetation is ground up into a sort of meal, and made into a kind of cake by mixing with water. It is baked when fuel can be obtained. Millions of Chinese are living on this diet alone.

"One of the most pitiable incidents of the journey was the wild clamor all along the railroad at points where the garbage from the dining car was dumped daily. Knowing approximately where to expect this garbage to be dumped, thousands of gaunt, starving creatures gather for hours in advance and await the passing of the train. The railroad company, to prevent the frantic people from throwing themselves under the wheels in the struggle for this garbage, have built fences two or three feet from the train, and the pails are emptied outside this fence. Policemen stand guard along the fence to hold back the older and the better-nourished people while the children and the weaker adults are let through to get the first pickings."

Sellwood also tells of a desperate Chinese mother who tried to sell him her little three-year-old daughter for 50 cents. Recognizing the face of an American at the window of the train, this woman crowded to the front, holding up the child in her arms, and imploring him to buy it. It was explained to Sellwood that all Chinese mothers in the famine section are eager to sell their children, particularly to Americans, as this means that the child will be fed and have a chance to live, also that the returns from the sale will also mean a little food for the children that are left and for themselves.

Cooked food sale April 2nd at Kidds' Grocery, for the benefit of St. George's Guild.

HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER RECOMMENDS TANLAC

Professor Gross Of Kingston Says This Medicine Has Done A Wonderful Work In His Case.

"What I needed was just an all around building up and Tanlac has done that very thing," said Prof. W. L. Gross, popular instructor in the high school at Kingston, Wash. Mr. Gross is also a ranch owner and is prominent in the civic and social affairs of the community.

"For several months I suffered from loss of appetite and gradually became badly run down. My strength seemed all gone, I scarcely had any energy and my work became tiresome. I ate so little that I lost considerable weight and at times I had headaches when it seemed that my brain was just one bunch of throbbing pains, and I felt tired and drowsy all the time. Then, too, I was suffering with rheumatic pains in my hips which sometimes became so severe I could scarcely walk, and at night I seldom got any sound sleep.

"Observing the advertisements of Tanlac relative to its reconstructive properties, I decided to try the medicine to see if it would restore me to health.

"Well, I have taken six bottles now and my appetite is splendid. I relish every meal and have gained considerably in weight. My strength has returned and my work is once more a pleasure. Besides building me up and relieving me of that tired and drowsy feeling, Tanlac has helped my rheumatism so much I scarcely notice it any more. The fact is, the medicine has done a wonderful work in my case and I am glad to recommend it."

Tanlac is sold in Roseburg by W. F. Chapman; in Dixonville by John Hatfield; in Brockway by I. B. Nichols, and by leading druggists everywhere.

LIGHTNING MADE A SNAPSHOT

Picture of Railroad Yards Formed on Window—Explanation Given by Photographer.

The recent stories of the picture of a wreath that appeared on a window pane in a Columbus residence, and which glass experts pronounced nothing more than a defect in the glass, which had been there from the time it was made, but only noticed after there had been a death in the residence, recalls to a prisoner in the penitentiary a similar case that came to his attention when he was employed by the Pennsylvania railroad at Altoona, Pa. It was traced to another though equally scientific cause.

One night the private car of President Roberts of that railroad was shunted onto a siding in the yards at Altoona and before morning there came a heavy thunderstorm with intensely vivid lightning. Next morning when the cleaning crew began cleaning the car there was found on one of the window panes a very good picture of the yards that lay directly in front of it. It was just like a fairly well-developed photographic plate, and there could be no question but that the scene in the picture was the yards before it.

A photographer who was called to look at it, concluded that there had been a thin film of oil on the window, which in some way became sensitive to intense light and a flash of lightning had imprinted the scene before the window on the pane. — Columbus Dispatch.

Floats for Boats.

S. E. Van Horn of Manhasset, N. Y., is the inventor of a scheme for making boats unsinkable. The safety boat is provided with a couple of umbrellas of rubberized fabric, one on the port and the other on the starboard side, attached to the gunwale by a sort of outrigger.

When not in use the umbrellas are collapsed and take up little room, the outriggers being swung alongside of the craft, out of the way. But in case of danger the outriggers are hastily swung outward into position, the umbrellas spreading automatically.

CAPT. J. R. RANSON

Capt. J. R. Ranson, O. B. E., commander of the Adriatic and well known to thousands of Americans, has retired after 30 years as commander of ocean liners.

MICKIE SAYS

Huge Stone In Roosevelt's Honor.

The greatest chunk of stone ever quarried or transported in the United States or anywhere else on earth is going to be hewn and brought to Washington for the monumental Theodore Roosevelt national memorial. The memorial is to take the form of a lion, some 36 by 40 feet in dimensions, and it is to be carved by Carl Ethan Akeley out of a solid block of rock.

Where the stone is to come from appears not yet to be determined. One authority suggests it may be necessary to build a special railroad and equipment to bring it to Washington. The memorial will be the biggest job in stone, it is said, since the sphinxes were set up on the plains of Egypt.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

P. F. HIRSCH, VIOLIN INSTRUCTION.—No. 7, Kohlhagen Block.

RADABAUGH, Auctioneer, gets high $. 530 N. Pine St

MRS. F. D. OWEN—Cut Flowers. Phone 240. 403 W. Cass.

DR. M. H. FLYLER — Chiropractic Physician. 222 W. Lane St.

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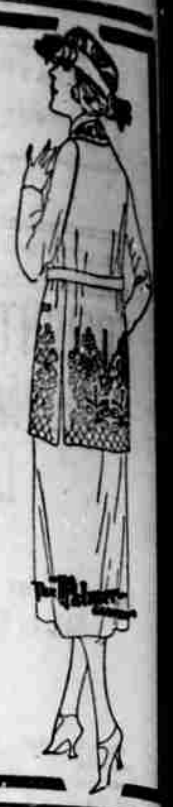

Attending to Business—

Mr. and Mrs. E. Gance of Hillsboro, Oregon, spent a few days in this city attending to business matters, leaving last night for Medford.

Going to Europe—

Mrs. Isidor Wollenberg, of San Francisco, and formerly of this city, will leave on the 15th of April for Europe where she expects to make an extended visit.

CLASSIFIED COLUMN

ALL NEW CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS WILL BE FOUND ON LAST PAGE UNDER HEADING "NEW TODAY."

WANTED.

WANTED TO RENT—Furnished house. Phone 281.

WANTED—Position as maternity nurse. Phone 161-J.

GIRL WANTED for confectionery work. Apply Foutch's, on Sheridan St.

WANTED—Girl or woman for general housework. Call Myrtle Creek. Phone No. 204.

WANTED—Woman to keep house for man and two children. Address Box 2, Looking Glass, Oregon.

WANTED—Clerical work; books audited, systems installed. P. F. Hirsch, Accountant, No. 7 Kohlhagen Block.

WANTED—The best motorcycle I can get for cash. Wm. Johnson, Curry Ranch.

WANTED—To borrow $1500 to improve Roseburg property. First mortgage for security. Address H., care News-Review.

WANTED—Middle aged woman to take care of two elderly people. Work will be light. Address L., care News-Review, stating wages expected.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms. 211 Mosher St.

FOR RENT—Good house at once. Phone 500-L.

FOR RENT—Safety deposit boxes. Roseburg National Bank.

FOR RENT—4 room furnished house. No children. 922 Mill St.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front room, well located. Phone 209-R.

FOR RENT—2 nice furnished rooms. 703 S. Stephens St., Roseburg, Ore.

FOR RENT—Furnished room with bath in private family. Phone 181-J.

FOR RENT—Rooms and apartments. 527 West Douglas St. Phone 88-L. W. L. Hash.

MISCELLANEOUS.

TAILORING, dressmaking of all kinds. Phone 187-R. Mrs. Guthridge.

CURTAINS carefully laundered. Call at 552 So. Pine St., or phone 106-Y.

TO EXCHANGE—11 acres orchard, prune and apple, for town property. J. M. Judd.

PRIVATE money to loan from $1500 to $1800. Address M. S. A., care News-Review.

LOOK at some of our work in Sam Sykes' window. Bruton's Taxidermy and Tanning Co.

WILL TRADE lumber for one or two good work horses suitable for logging. Smith Lumber Co., Umpqua.

EGGS for setting from purebred heavy laying strain of Rhode Island Reds. Box 206, or Phone 15-F21. C. W. Bradford, West Roseburg.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Thursday afternoon, man's pocketbook in or near business section. Return to News-Review office and receive reward.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—1917 model Buick. Four cylinders. D. Coon, Dillard, Ore.

FOR SALE—Motorcycle, cheap. Roseburg Garage.

FOR SALE—One gasoline drag saw. At Deer Creek Barn.

FOR SALE—Nice, dry oak and laurel wood. Order quick. Judd and McMillan.

FOR SALE—6 room house, garage and barn. One block from high school. P. O. Box 521.

FOR SALE—Big fine young team, sound and straight. Weight about 3300 lbs. See them at Empire barn. Judd & McMillin.

FOR SALE—A few thousand productive Everbearing strawberry plants at $15 per 1000 in 500 quantities and over, or $2 per 100 in small lots. E. M. Mathews, Looking Glass.

FOR SALE—Baby bassinet and [illegible] bed. 737 E. Douglas St.

DODGE—Practically new, for [illegible] Snap. C. A. Lockwood Motor Co.

FOR SALE—One 1800 lb. stallion, [illegible] fect draft type. Rice Bros., [illegible]

HAY FOR SALE—Edenbower Orchard Tracts. Fred Fisher. Phone [illegible]

FOR SALE CHEAP—Two cows, will [illegible] fresh soon. Chas. H. Ha[illegible] Roseburg.

FOR SALE—1st class stallion, [illegible] trees, 6 to 8 ft, $30 per 100. [illegible] Ellis.

WHEAT FOR SALE—$2 per bushel [illegible] ranch. Arthur R. Weeks, [illegible] Oregon.

FOR SALE—Protectograph check [illegible] er, good as new. Inquire at [illegible] Review.

FOR SALE—Loganberry tips and [illegible] year-old plants. W. E. Archa[illegible] Sutherlin, Oregon.

FOR SALE—500 strawberry plants [illegible] Wellington Marvel, 1 cent each. [illegible] W. Oak St.

FOR SALE—White Leghorn egg [illegible] hatching, $5.50 per 100 or [illegible] H. C. Dawson, 625 2nd Ave. So.

FOR SALE—Will sacrifice Chevrolet car for $350. Owner needs [illegible] money. See it at Roseburg Garage.

FOR SALE—Ford taxicab, just [illegible] thing for jitney business. See it at the Roseburg Garage.

FOR SALE—Another fine fresh cow, [illegible] fine alfalfa hay; Grant auto [illegible] dairy feed cheap. Judd & McMillin.

FOR SALE—We have a few [illegible] Rhode Island Red cockerels for sale at $2.50 to $5 each. Phone 3-F[illegible]

FOR SALE—Light team wagon [illegible] harness, all in good condition, [illegible] reasonable. J. F. Barker & Co.

FOR SALE—Prune dryer, including [illegible] trays; 300 brick and the latter [illegible] half the price of the trays. [illegible] 2-in. wagons cheap. Phone [illegible]

HOUSE FOR SALE—Small payment [illegible] down, balance monthly payments [illegible] same as rent. Inquire at [illegible] Main St.

FOR SALE—8-room house, three [illegible] All kinds of fruit and berries [illegible] place. Inquire 1224 Prospect St., [illegible] phone 228-R.

FOR SALE—1918 model Studebaker [illegible] Good mechanical condition. Will [illegible] take suitable small car in trade. [illegible] Phone 421-J.

FOR SALE—12 O. I. C. gilts, [illegible] 8 weeks old; also 5 sheats about [illegible] lbs. each. Fletcher's Ranch, [illegible] way, Ore.

FOR SALE—Singer sewing machines; [illegible] also repair all makes of machines. [illegible] Inquire of Singer Sewing Machine Co., 238 N. Jackson.

FOR SALE—1920 Ford car, starter [illegible] lights. Zenith carburetor [illegible] and runs like new, all new tires. [illegible] it at D. P. McKay's, Wilbur, Ore.

FOR SALE—Well bred 3-year-old [illegible] about twelve hundred, second [illegible] loose clover hay. Mile east [illegible] burg. F. C. Gurnee. Phone [illegible]

FOR SALE—Pride of Multnomah [illegible] the Money Maker potatoes for [illegible] use, at $1.50 per hundred at the [illegible] Flower Ranch, opposite [illegible] Home cottages. Phone 49-F[illegible]

FOR SALE—About 30 yearling [illegible] crossbred Cotswold and Rambouillet [illegible] also a few Bourbon Red [illegible] toms. N. L. Conn. Phone [illegible] Roseburg, Ore.

CHOICE, well developed loganberry [illegible] tips. Write for prices on [illegible] wanted. Interesting, reliable [illegible] information free. 25 or over [illegible] postpaid. Checks sent [illegible] Richardson, 2282 Front, Salem, Ore.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—10 acres [illegible] land adjoining Cottage Grove, [illegible] cultivation; fenced with water [illegible] small orchard. Address E. [illegible] 826 North Jackson St., Roseburg.

FOR SALE—Single comb White Leghorn baby chicks and [illegible] hatching. Chicks all sold up to [illegible] 21. Hatching eggs sold only [illegible] tings of 15. Bonnieview Farm, [illegible] W. Burt, Roseburg. Phone [illegible]

FOR SALE—Strictly fancy alfalfa [illegible] $24 per 11 lbs. Med. Red Clover, $28.50 per 100 lbs.; White Dutch Clover, $22 per 100 lbs.; Alsike [illegible] $28.50. Write us for samples. [illegible] arch Seed & Feed Co., Medford, Ore.

FOR SALE—Strictly fancy dodder [illegible] alfalfa seed; tests 99.84 per [illegible] pure and 91 per cent germination. No better seed was ever offered [illegible] $24 per 100 lbs. Write for samples. Monarch Seed & Feed Co., Medford, Ore.

TREBLA, the new strawberry for [illegible] canner, and outside all [illegible] Choice, inspected plants [illegible] quantity. Postpaid $1.25 per [illegible] red; $7.50 per thousand. [illegible] $6.50. Check or money order. [illegible] varieties at lowest prices. Send [illegible] list. Ward K. Richardson, [illegible] Front, Salem, Oregon.

FOR SALE—Bing, Lambert, and [illegible] Ann cherry trees, 2 to 4 ft. [illegible] Bartlett pears, 2 to 4 ft. [illegible] trees. Some Italian and Petite [illegible] on hand. Can secure most everything for the family orchard, including walnuts, Filberts, loganberry plants and strawberries at reasonable prices. H. L. Sills, Roseburg, [illegible] miles west.

THE CLANCY KIDS

So There's an End of It

By PERCY L. CROSBY

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