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CHINESE ON WAY TO HOMELAND

PEDRO, Calif., Jan. 18. (United Press.)—Four hundred restless Chinese as part of her cargo "Tantal ship" Esther Dollar, left for Shanghai, stopped here, and were returned to the east.

They were being carried back to China, and the Chinese who are financing the ship, according to the universal Chinese belief, that departed souls of these men cannot rest in peace in heaven until they have been buried in the soil of their ancestral land.

PARISH MEETING

OF ST. GEORGE'S MISSION

Members of Saint George's Mission will meet at the Parish House, business and social evening, Friday, January 19th. The ladies have arranged to serve a nice lunch at 6:30, and all communicants and those who are in the church are urged to attend this meeting.

Directed by the Reverend Archdeacon Black.

OTHER USE FOR

SUCCULENT PRUNE

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 18. (United Press.)—Now appears another use for the humble but succulent prune. That worthy fruit, famous to bachelors from Ketchikan to Lahaina, known also as purveyor of illicit intoxicants as affordable as a high alcoholic content, has

become allied with the tobacco industry. It seems that it has so allied for quite some time but few people have known about it. The secret was revealed in Oregon recently when a tobacco company went scouting for a few carloads of Oregon Italian prunes.

It is said by chombers of tobacco, one of whom was interviewed for the sole purpose of confirming the rumor, that prune flavor lends a piquancy to long plug not attainable or obtainable in any other manner or by any other flavor. It affords a higher fluid content, is sweeter, and lends initial velocity, higher trajectory, and greater accuracy to the user of plug as it is smoked.

Then, too, vice bites of dried prunes around into pulverized smoking tobacco are said to lead an enticing flavor and aroma to pipe smokers, and have been known to make that instrument of aromatic torture more endurable to the average housewife who ordinarily dreads her husband to smoke in the parlor.

Tobacco users are wondering if Luther Burbank, or some other naturalist, will not be able to so blend tobacco plant with the prune tree that the necessity for manufacturers combining the two will be done away with and an even more delectable flavor imparted to the smoke that cheers.

White rotary sewing machines \$50, less 10 per cent for cash. McKean, Dair & Baldwin.

NOTICE FOR BIDS FOR AUDIT OF COUNTY BOOKS

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the County Court of Douglas County, Oregon, at the Court House at Roseburg, Oregon, on Wednesday the 7th day of February, 1923, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. for the total cost of the audit of the books of all departments of Douglas County, Oregon, for the year 1922.

All bids to be addressed to Ira B. Riddle, County Clerk, of Douglas County, Oregon.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby expressly reserved by the County Court.

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FEDERAL OFFICER IS HONOR GUEST

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 18. (United Press.)—National Prohibition Commissioner Roy W. Haynes will be the feature visitor at the annual convention of the Northwest Association of Sheriffs and Police which meets here today for a three-day session.

Commissioner Haynes was invited to the Pacific Coast by Dr. J. A. Linville, prohibition Director for Oregon, for the express purpose of giving coast prohibition and narcotic officers an opportunity to acquaint the federal chief with first hand information concerning enforcement conditions.

In addition to addressing the sessions of the convention, the public at the Civic Auditorium tonight, and the state legislature at Salem tomorrow, Commissioner Haynes will make visits in leading coast cities principally San Francisco and Los Angeles, in the interest particularly of more drastic enforcement of the Harrison narcotic act.

Commissioner Haynes is expected to make his public address here tonight an appeal to the average citizen to lend moral and physical support to the efforts of federal and state officers in enforcing both the Volstead and the Harrison acts. During the sessions of the convention of police and sheriffs it is expected that Haynes will be appealed to for additional federal aid, both in appropriations of money and in allocation of agents, for the stamping out of the narcotic evil now said to be rampant on the Pacific coast.

SURE RELIEF FROM CATARRH.

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BILL WILL REQUIRE HISTORY IN SCHOOLS

SALEM, Jan. 17.—Senator Eddy wants greater emphasis to be placed upon studies dealing with American history and traditions in the high schools. A bill introduced into the senate this morning by the senator from Douglas county would make it obligatory upon every high school student to include in his work "a thorough course in United States history, thorough biographies of eminent patriotic Americans, the history and leading principles of American constitutional law in simple form, American literature, the English language, including grammar, composition, rhetoric, spelling, punctuation, penmanship, bookkeeping, practical operations in arithmetic, physiology and hygiene, emphasizing the rules of health."

Eddy's bill would permit the high school student to pursue other optional studies but not to such an extent as to interfere with his pursuit of the required studies.

"The objects of this act," the bill points out, "are to secure not only greater thoroughness in the teaching of fundamental branches but also to instill into the minds of the young a well grounded knowledge of and love for American institutions of government, American history and traditions and American principles of liberty, including the fundamental principle that our government is essentially one of liberty under law."

BROCCOLI GROWERS ATTENTION

Will take a limited amount of orders for imported fresh broccoli seed, delivered, March 1st, at the latest price. Per ounce \$2. Price per pound on application. Fred Schmidt, Dillard, Ore.

THE HARDSHIPS OF OLD AGE

(By A. Epstein, formerly director Pennsylvania Old Age Pension Commission; author, "Facing Old Age," now associate of Frank E. Hering, chairman Old Age Pension Commission, Fraternal Order of Eagles.)

Due to the progress made by medical science, the average length of man's life has been increasing. More and more people will now complete their journey to ripe old age. From 1910 to 1921, the average period of life, in the United States, was increased by four years.

This should be exhilarating news to everybody. From each joy, however, many aged workers are shut out. To them the advance in longevity brings uneasiness and anxiety. For it means only a prolongation of their misery from the poverty which too often overcomes old age.

The problem of the support of the old has been always with mankind. Each period has dealt with it in its own way.

In primitive tribes, aged individuals starved or were otherwise put to death. Later, when it was observed that knowledge is power, and that the memories of the elders were the chief treasury of experience and skill, the old man's authority was supreme. He was the head of the clan and was looked up to as the embodiment of wisdom. When everything was manufactured at home, the artisan or laborer continued to work as long as he could produce anything. In agricultural communities men and women are found still useful in their old age. And in business, professions, and public affairs, it is not rare to find men doing their best work at the age of sixty or seventy.

With the recording of knowledge in print and the increase of population—demanding an infinite supply of goods—an entirely new situation began confronting the aged laborer. Machinery was invented to turn out vast quantities of commodities—competing with hand labor to its disadvantage. Fatigue, produced by overworking, and the hazards and the strains characteristic of modern machinery, have shortened the period of effective service of industrial workers. Few persons can play any part in modern industry after they have passed three score years of age. At an age when workmen in agricultural pursuits are considered to be in their prime, the industrial laborer is found to have become worn-out and old. Thousands of such worn-out aged workers find themselves without friends or relatives to help or care for them.

It is this economic senility—that is, the inability to remain in industry after a certain age has been attained—which constitutes our present problem of aged destitution. And each progressive step, each new invention, each new machine, involves the replacement of the less efficient and eliminates further the necessity for skill. The old mechanic's experience is of less value. Industry today demands only the young, the healthy ones, the adaptable, the supple of limb and the alert of mind. Few industrial workers may expect to continue at their accustomed work until the end of their days.

The problem of securing new employment is not an easy one for the aged wage-earner. The "old fogy" is welcomed neither in the shop nor in the counting room. There are many industries that will not hire a laborer past the age of forty. The modern employer usually feels no responsibility for his workers, and it is not uncommon to find aged and decrepit toilers, who have by their brain and brawn helped in our social development, relegated to the industrial scrapheap as of no economic value. But what kind of poorhouse? Who can describe the dull, depressing days of isolation in an unfriendly, often scarcely habitable institution, which harbors every manner of disease and degeneracy? Who can describe the terror of the old man discharged from his job, and confronted with the prospect of having to end his days in the poorhouse?

To remove this terror from the minds and hearts of the aged and those of middle age, a system of Old Age Pensions should be established without delay.

L. C. Rusho, who recently sold his place near Edenhower, to Henry Andrews, has purchased 160 acres in the Rogue River Valley, and will move there with his family in the near future.

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