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THE MEMORY OF WASHINGTON

The people who have been reading Beveridge's life of John Marshall would be in a good position to give a Washington birthday talk, as they must realize better than ever before what a genius Washington was. The campaign of Washington's patriot army was one of the most daring adventures of history. It had to fight the veterans of the most powerful nation on the globe, who were well furnished with munitions of war and other supplies. The colonial army seemed hardly more than a joke. Soldiers came when they wanted to and went home when they got sick of it. At times the army was down to a very few thousands. It suffered incredible hardships, particularly in the horrible experience at Valley Forge. It was stricken by disease, starved by famine, it lacked munitions of war. It was poorly supported by Congress, and men were always deserting because they had not got their pay. Public sentiment in the colonies was to a large extent discouraged and indifferent. The attempt to secure independence was regarded by many men of sound judgment, as a fantastic and hopeless scheme. Washington's great soul and his marvellous military skill took this seemingly hopeless situation, and made it the beginning of a mighty nation. He won these starved and ragged and poorly armed soldiers to an unquestioning loyalty. He fought the British with one hand and traitors at home with the other. All the benefits of prosperity and enlightenment that have followed the gift of freedom to our people, was his work more than that of any other one. He was tremendously assisted by great and patriotic souls, but his was the commanding genius that won the military success and gave the nation's soul its chance to grow.

In some places automobile speeders are being put in jail, with results favorable to the public safety. There is still another way of getting at them, in cases where the offense does not seem sufficient for a jail sentence, yet where fines are wholly inadequate to handle these people. And that is to prohibit these people from driving for a considerable period. At Toledo, Ohio, such a penalty has been imposed in many cases for 30 to 60 days and it has proved very effective. Many convicted speeders need their machines to carry on their business, and to be deprived of their cars for such a period makes a reckless man stop and think. Also the names, addresses, and license numbers of convicted speeders are printed in the Police Bulletin of Toledo, and 25 per cent of such offenders have been sent to the workhouse. Taking cars away from such drivers is a good deterrent, and many reckless drivers would be influenced by such treatment who would laugh at an ordinary fine.

Putting the Golden rule to work in every day life is the way the members of the local Rotary Club explain the world wide citizenship campaign they are staging this week in observance of the eighteenth anniversary of the organization of the first Rotary Club in Chicago February 23, 1905. Ninety thousand Rotarians in twenty-seven countries are observing this anniversary and practically all of them are enlisted in the citizenship campaign which will continue throughout this week. The sole business of Rotary is to make the principle of service to the community as well as to the individual the object of all Rotarians. For this purpose each Rotarian has subscribed to a definite code of business ethics and is striving to put this code into effect in his own business and to bring about the adoption of similar codes in all business associations.

It's getting about so that a modern daughter hates to invite a young man to her home for fear her modern mother will vamp him away from her.

If you make your interviews with busy men brief enough, you'll gain a reputation as a good business man yourself.

The less speed the fewer the fines.



THE VILLAGE RHYMESTER
by Carlyle Emery

Dear Folks:

Within the month I've met a man whose heart is true as steel, a man who looks you in the eye and somehow makes you feel as tho you'd like to trust him with your pocket-book or life, and when he took me to his home and said "This is my wife" I saw his face light up with pride, with love both strong and true that seemed to say "Here is my mate, my pal and comrade too."

What joy, tho! I, to live a life so wholesome, good and sweet and so I said "I'm going to learn the secret of friend Pete. Just why he has so many friends who like to have him 'round, and what's the magic in his voice and smile that's always bound to make you feel so much at ease and glad you're where you are, for Pete is not a wealthy man, by that I mean so far as having things material with which to draw a crowd. In fact it's folks who have the means to make a noise that's loud who seem to want him near at hand when something's to be done that may be full of business, or that may be full of fun."

I found he used the Golden Rule in weather dark or fair, and that he never made a move, not strictly on the square. That's all, and yet I wonder much if anything can beat the combination of the two that made a man like Pete.

PRUNE PICKIN'S

BY BERT G. BATES

GOOD EVENING FOLKS

This being George Washington's Birthday the banks Were forced to close Owing to the alleged Crookedness of the Father of Our Country At the time he hacked Down the cherry tree Which historians say might Have been caused By the frost.

Washington couldn't tell a lie but he never had the provocation of being compelled to listen to a neighbor who bragged about his gasoline mileage.

Spring bonnets are causing the super-sex much worry these balmy days but not half so much fretting as it is the sterner sex who persists in looking at the price tags.

Following out the spirit of this festive season, Gavage's natal day, many housewives today opened a can of cherries.

LEAVES

Leaves have long been both the subject and the object of poem and prose. They are produced by Nature and by paper manufacturers. Sometimes they are extremely green, as also are some of the people who write upon them. Among the most celebrated leaves are those which are bound into books and find their way into libraries, and those that are bound into mattresses, and find their way into hotel beds. It is evident, therefore, that among other uses leaves are intended to put people to sleep, and this result is most quickly accomplished by those which are the driest. Some leaves are so dry that they are dead, and others are dry because they are cluttered up with different kinds of dead languages. Leaves are spoiled by frost and by good ink. It is quite cheerful to have the trees take on leaves, but it is frequently quite the reverse to have leaves take on ink. Many leaves do not get as much of a frost as they deserve.

Waddaya think about our little prune trees between the paragraphs, folks? They need prunin, don't they?

HASN'T SCRATCHED YET

Dear Prunes: Honest to goodness, now, do you think a girl should use a little paint? Anne.
Friend Anne: Sure, use not a little, but all you can pile on. Aren't some people advertising to the tune of several thousand dollars just to tell us that if you save the surface you save all?

DUMBELL DORA THINKS

Napoleon Rice is a descendant of the famous Bonaparte.

The Spit and Argy Club met as per usual this a.m. at Harry's harness shop the topic of discussion today being "Is France justified in invading the Ruhr?"

Have you noticed how hard it is to believe that a man is a liar when he praises you?

Some men continue to wear wrist watches, having nothing else with which to try to make people believe they were in the war.

ONE THING MORE

The hero who recently tore his telephone loose from its moorings, carried it to the home of the telephone operator, and shield it through her window, has one more duty to perform before he dies.
He should leave his radiator at the janitor.

Noah is said to have had no home, but belonged to what is known as the floating population.

It isn't increasing a man's pay that makes him work harder. If he hasn't natural ambition or energy money won't give it to him.

RESULTS OF IGNORANCE

One third of the men in the State penitentiary can't read and write and less than one-tenth of them have a high school education.

SIMPLE PROBLEM

Wimble, the inventor, wore a puzzled frown when he greeted his visitor.
"What's the problem today?" his friend queried.

"I'm inventing a parking space that can be followed up and delivered with every new car, but I don't know how to furnish the place where it can be used," he answered.

THEN AND NOW

When the old fashioned child had it, the parents didn't know it was complex, so they used a shingle and cured it.

Girls are better looking than boys. Naturally. No, artificially.

Life Begins Now.

"The county jail ain't the kind of a place we'd pick out for a love nest."

50 GOOD CIGARETTES 10¢

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LOCAL NEWS

In Town—
W. H. L. Osborn of the Monte Alto Ranch of the North Umpqua is in Roseburg today transacting business. He will return to his home in this city after his visit there.

To Medford—
C. O. Thomas left last night for Medford where he will remain for several days on important business. He will return to his home in this city after his visit there.

From Myrtle Creek—
Ralph Weaver is among the out of town visitors in this vicinity yesterday. Mr. Weaver is a well known resident of Myrtle Creek and will return there this evening.

Here On Business—
G. West, representative of the Wood Threshing Machine Company of Portland is in our city today looking after prospects. Mr. West will remain here for some time.

Frank Riedel left last night for San Francisco where he will attend several meetings of the S. P. officials. Mr. Riedel is president of the locomotive firemen organization of this city and is representing the grievance committee on this trip.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. McVeigh returned to their home in Glendale this morning after attending the Price meetings here for several days. Mr. McVeigh is pastor of the Presbyterian church in Glendale and is a well known resident of that city.

At The Hotel Douglas—

Among those registered at the Hotel Douglas are: R. H. Sawyers, Portland; O. A. Copeland, Portland; C. Cohen, Eugene; J. E. Plummer, Portland; George McLowe, City; A. N. Townsend, Eugene; W. C. Kogler, Portland; W. E. Walder and family, Portland; L. A. Taylor and wife, Los Angeles; J. H. Young, Portland; L. L. Roberts, City; Howard Kincaid, City; and W. A. Anderson, Portland.

IMPROVEMENT CLUB MEETS

The Garden Valley Improvement Club met at the club rooms on February 15. After a very pleasant afternoon dainty refreshments were served. The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. D. Young, March 1.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS

New Oregon and Gold Dollar strawberry plants, \$1.25 per thousand f.o.b. Roseburg. W. J. Meredith, Looking Glass, Ore. Phone 23 F-2.

We just received a shipment of Mitchell wagons. Wharton Bros.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Sales made during January, 1923, by Chas. Evers, local agent. Thomas Milliken bought property in Riverside belonging to E. T. Cyrus and consisting of a 6 room house and 2 lots. Frank Cruse bought the 8 room furnished house Stephens street from Chas. Wilson. Joe Rose traded his cottage on Cobb street to W. R. Brown for property on Mill street. Chas. Wilson traded his 7 room furnished house and 4 lots on N. Jackson st. to L. N. Hannah, for 27 acres near Wilbur. Mrs. Mary E. Elrod sold a 6 room apartment house on the corner of Pine and Burke streets to Chas. L. Wilson. All buyers took immediate possession.

Vaughan drag saws and wood cutters tools at Wharton Bros.

MICKIE SAYS—

IF YER PAPER DONT COME, LET US KNOW RIGHT OFF AND WE'LL SEND YA ANOTHER! SOMETIMES A PAPER JEST WANDERS OFF 'N GITS LOST AN' WE DONT KNOW IT TILL 'TH' SUBSCRIBER MAKES A HOLLER, SO DONT BE BASHFUL, FOLKS!



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FLOWERS are easy to grow in the home garden and every home can be made more enjoyable by them. It is surprising how many packets you can select for a little money, from the Sterling Seed Box. No better seeds obtainable at any price.

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LOCAL GUARD OFFICER HAS ENVIABLE RECORD

Under the Caption "A Good Service Record," the Oregon Guardsman, the official publication of the Oregon National Guard, carries the following article, regarding Alvin M. Knudson, first lieutenant of the local machine gun company:

Alvin M. Knudson, who has been promoted to be first lieutenant of Company D, 162d Infantry, Roseburg, and who has come up from the ranks of that organization, has an excellent record of service during the World War.

After serving two hitches as an enlisted man in the National Guard of South Dakota and of Wisconsin, Knudson attended a training camp where he received a commission as a second lieutenant of Field Artillery. He was promoted to first lieutenant while serving at the front in 1918.

Lieutenant Knudson, served in the following sectors and engagements: Toul sector, Alsace sector, Alsace-Marne sector and offensive, Oise Alsace offensive and Meuse Argonne offensive.

He was decorated with the Croix de Guerre for bravery in action.

First Sergeant Harley J. Watson, a veteran of the World War and Mexican border, was promoted to second lieutenant to fill the vacancy created by the promotion of Lieutenant Knudson.

This is a Studebaker year.

DELIGHTFUL SURPRISE PARTY

About twenty-five friends of Mrs. R. W. Gilvin surprised her with an enjoyable evening party in her honor last night. They came to her home about 8 o'clock, bringing a delicious lunch. The evening was enjoyably spent with games and music.

Mrs. A. F. Stearns well known resident of Oakland spent the day in Roseburg yesterday on important business. She returned to her home in that city last night.

For Colds, Influenza and as a Preventive

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E. W. Brown

30c.

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