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THE BOK PEACE PLANS

Some folks think that world peace is a dreamy ideal that can never be realized. These people may feel that no special results may come from the generous offer made by Edward W. Bok, of a \$100,000 prize for the best plan for promoting international peace. But evidently the 22,000 people who have submitted plans in this competition feel differently. As an eminent committee has been named to pass on these various suggestions, the winning plan should be worthy of attention all over the world. The first thing in promoting a great cause is to get people to talking about it. If people assume in a hopeless way that wars are inevitable, then there always will be wars. But if they once get it in their heads that the human race should have brains enough to stop the awful waste created by wars and the threat thereof, then the cause will make progress. The more world peace is talked about, the more people will come to realize that it is possible. The fine offer of Mr. Bok then promises to accomplish at least this, that it will stimulate a winning plan to a referendum of the country, so far as votes can be collected, the matter will figure prominently during the next few months. It might be a good idea, after the contest is completed and the referendum taken, to submit a number of the best plans for public consideration, so that the people can get some notion of the various suggestions. World peace is the greatest issue before the race, since the cost of wars is the heaviest burden that humanity has to carry. If the human race is capable of progress, and is not doomed to animalism and brutality, it will find ways to end this curse.

That was fine news that came over the wire yesterday that improvement of the Umpqua harbor would be taken up and a survey of the channel ordered made at an early date. All Douglas county should rejoice at any proposed project to better shipping facilities on the lower Umpqua. It is Douglas county's only harbor and while our highway to the coast is not yet complete, the day will soon come when we will to a great degree take advantage of this fine harbor.

We note in a weekly exchange at this office the slogan at the editorial mast: "A weekly newspaper with plenty of backbone." They should add, "and spare ribs." But what does backbone amount to anyway, unless it is long enough to keep a fellow from sitting down when he ought to be standing up? And then you don't have to tell the world about it. If it's a real virtue people will soon find it out.

The Siskiyou robbers and murderers are still enjoying freedom, but their chances of complete escape is still uncertain. Recent reports are to the effect that they are making a hurried tour of the eastern states.

The Umpqua Chiefs are just about ready to put on the war paint and hit the trail of the knocker. Arrows, with poisoned points, will be the means of destruction.

All indications point to the usual amount of rainfall for the closing period of 1923.

GATEWAY ROAD HEARING ON

The county court today conducted a hearing in the Arthur S. Mode gateway road. This matter has been in the courts for many months. It was once taken up on appeal and then new proceedings were started. Wharton Bros.

which has resulted in another hearing before the court. A large number of witnesses were present to give testimony in the matter.

An electric plant, complete with storage battery, for \$200.00. Cash at the new proceedings were started. Wharton Bros.

Something NEW For That XMAS DINNER

Heinz' 1923 Christmas Basket

Contents—India Relish, Fig Pudding, Chili Sauce, Plum Pudding, Tomato Ketchup, Cooked Macaroni, Peanut Butter, Mince Meat, Salad Dressing, Apple Butter, Cream of Tomato Soup, Sweet Mixed Pickles. Order this assortment.

Other Necessities for the Holiday Feast

Are Candied Figs, Bulk Figs, Stuffed Figs, Stuffed Dates, Stuffed Prunes, Almond Butter, Bulk Shelled Walnuts and Almonds, and Fresh Candy.

A new feature you will want is some of our

Fresh Mixed Shelled Nuts—Particularly Fine.

ORANGES, FRUITS OF ALL KINDS AND FRESH GROCERIES
EVERY PURCHASER A SATISFIED CUSTOMER HERE

THE ROSEBURG GROCERY CO.

Taylor & Sherrill, Props.

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PRUNE PICKIN'S

BY BERT G. BATES

GOOD EVENING FOLKS—
Those of us who
Were born in
The state of Oregon
Can grin at
The weather and
Brag about being
A webfoot.

DUMBBELL DORA THINKS
Hard boiled eggs are laid by Plymouth Rocks.

Its too late to say "shop early."

"Uncle Tom's Cabin" is coming and all small boys with poodles are advised to lock their canines in the woodshed. The show may be short of bloodhounds.

Wear your dark glasses Sat. night. The st. cluster lights are going to be turned on.

A Boston preacher got a crack on the jaw for kissing a bride. It's always best to let the groom do the kissing.

LIKE GOOD LITTLE GIRLS
'Twas the night before Christmas! And all through the house, Not a creature was stirring.

Not even the house mother, because she knew that all the girls were tucked tightly in bed, dreaming sweet dreams of old Saint Nicholas! Such is the power of the Yuletide season over the most alluring dance bida—and yet the press criticizes the modern college girl.

(But, oh boy, she'll make up for the quiet "night before Christmas" by that New Year's Eve party a week later. Just wait and see!)

A. B. C.—Always be careful.

There is just one man worse than a quitter and he is the fellow who is afraid to start.

Eventually the world's oil supply will be exhausted, but not in time to benefit the present generation of pedestrians.

This world is all a fleeting show, but most of us are anxious to witness the entire performance and then stay for the concert.



Have you purchased your quota of Red Cross Xmas Seals? Buy a bunch and see how much better you feel.

REFORM FROM THE BARNYARD
News note—Church owns cow, she's a Presbyterian, and gives the milk of human kindness.

Have you heard of this late evangelical fact?
'Tis a quaint innovation that isn't half bad.

Community children will be brought up now
On the milk of a good Presbyterian cow.

The next generation won't have to be taught
To leave off the many bad things that we ought—
But while they're converting the gentle cow brute

The other good people might well follow suit.
For what could be more moralizing, I beg.

Than a hen that could lay a strict Methodist egg?
A pig from a clean Congregational yard

Could yield out the purest of orthodox lard?
While the downiest feathers one ever might pluck.

Would grow on the breast of a Cambridge duck?
We'd have Holiness turkeys and sanctified geese.

Episcopal sheep with canonical fleeces?
And when they make Baptists of horses and goats,

May as men will let up on his sowing wild oats.

The moderns don't read "The Wanderer Jew." They probably think he was looking for parking space.

Did the Chicago man, in court on a charge of torturing a chicken, swipe her vanity box?

Strange in this motor age that Mr. Ford should entertain the hope that he might be a poliostrick dash horse.

A critic says the American wife doesn't work. Well, she has to sit the time for it after she finishes cooking, sweeping and mending.

It's the way a man sticks to a thing that makes him a success or a failure. Many a fellow has won out in the end just because he would not let go—Don't he quit.

"A woman sure gets a kick out of a fight out the house once a week."



HOTEL ARRIVALS

Hotel Grand

Portland arrivals: J. K. Ellis, R. L. Hughes and wife, J. W. Shaw, H. W. Trueblood, L. E. Spitzberg, E. B. Hengen, John C. Mitchell, wife and son.

Miscellaneous: H. B. McDonald, Mobile, N. T. McDonald, S. E. McDonald, Seattle; W. Hutchinson, San Francisco; J. Kelly, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dickey, Whittier; Frank Martin, L. H. Porey, W. L. Marsh, J. Jayes, Salem; J. W. Weatherford, city; O. E. Cook, C. W. Moore, Drew; J. P. Carson, Omaha; H. W. Pellice, Oakland; C. L. Southern, Irene Spooner, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Spooner, Guy Hickman, Jack Beery, Mrs. E. Jager, Bert Hughes and wife, Hickman-Bessey company; C. J. Linday, Redding; Helen Ryan, Victoria, B. C.; Alice Melvin, W. H. Anderson, San Francisco; Harold Henkelman, Klamath Falls; E. C. Edwards, Seattle; J. King, T. S. Doyle, Klamath Falls; G. B. Stoner, Astoria; Mrs. W. J. Adams, H. H. Adams, C. E. Adams, H. P. Thompson, Spokane; Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds and daughter, Tacoma; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Knight, Powers; Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Settle, Willows; K. Howe and wife, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Gill, South Bend; Mr. and Mrs. John Fohndock, Seattle; John Marbut, J. W. McCause, Pomroy; E. P. Reynolds, San Francisco; Joe Michell.

Hotel Douglas

Portland arrivals: C. E. Bigger, G. Edlund, V. A. Parker, D. L. Graves and wife, E. M. Kennedy, Chas. Young, A. C. Taylor, D. J. Campbell, Mrs. A. H. Winters, Mrs. D. H. Winters, Mrs. D. La Pine, W. O. Brown, F. J. Connolly, H. B. Hancock, P. E. Hammell, W. A. Coffin, M. C. Gregory, W. F. Anderson, W. S. Deavers, N. G. Nicholson.

Miscellaneous: Free Farmer, A. G. Gembella, R. Venson, Eugene; W. D. Wood and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Spencer, San Francisco; G. K. Wilshire, Bend; W. E. George and son, Salem; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dodge, Wenatchee; J. L. Spring, A. H. Martley, Joe LeBlanc, Seattle; F. C. Jenkins, Spokane; W. H. Baker, McMinnville; Mr. Forbes and wife, Seattle; Lyle Gowing and wife, Leavenworth; C. G. Stump and family, Spokane; A. D. Robinson and wife, Billings, Mont.; E. Lemmer, Marshfield.

Hotel Umpqua

Portland arrivals: N. B. Jonison, L. W. Shaw, S. W. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Parsons, A. H. Elsie, F. W. Stoll, R. Kierleir, F. R. Wagner, Walter Mackay, G. P. Burkhardt, John Lany, D. Osburn, G. O. Osburn.

Miscellaneous: N. V. Murray, Charlie King, Oakland; G. L. Jones, V. E. Yates, Seattle; R. S. Thomas, Eugene; C. J. Lewis, Wallace, H. E. White, Salem; C. E. Fisher, Houston, W. H. Selmer, Jr., W. Lake and wife, W. J. Sherman, Seattle; A. G. Rann, Redwood; H. L. Collins, Seattle; A. Westall, Marshfield; H. Lee Meyers, Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Larson, Seattle; W. S. Barzee and wife, Corvallis; Lester Manning, Sprague; R. J. Kalesow, Ed. Harvey, Eugene; Ed. Haskell, Redwood; Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Freeman, Sheridan; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Brail, San Francisco; R. W. Pollock, Oakland; H. W. Trueblood, Oakland; John Swanson, H. Lamer, Lewis Hall, J. A. Mosier and wife, Seattle; R. R. Ritzman, city; E. J. Scollars, Salem; S. A. Early and family, Spokane; A. Brund, Cottage Grove; C. H. Hubbard, Seattle; F. S. Hamilton, city; P. W. Marks, Eugene; Mrs. B. Wilson, Redwood; A. R. Bradhear, Rogue River.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our most heartfelt thanks to the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our dear brother, and also for the many beautiful floral offerings.

MR. AND MRS. L. L. SINGLETON.

Orchard and lawn road at Wharton Bros.

RED PEPPER HEAT

ENDS RHEUMATISM

Red Pepper Heat takes the "ouch" from sore, stiff, aching joints. It cannot hurt you, and it certainly stops that old rheumatism before it once.

When you are suffering to you can hardly get around, just try Red Pepper Heat and you will have the quickest relief known. Nothing has such concentrated, penetrating heat as red pepper. Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Heat you will feel the tingling heat. In three minutes it warms the sore spot through and through. Pain and soreness are gone.

Ask any good druggist for a jar of Red Pepper Heat. Be sure to get the genuine, with the name Rowles on each package.

STOP

COLD COUGHS

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

ESTABLISHED 1875
REFUSE SUBSTITUTES
W. F. CHAPMAN

JUDGMENT AWARDED

The jury in the case of A. Cresson against Otto Muezel, today returned a verdict in favor of Cresson in the sum of \$180. Cresson was suing on a promissory note in the sum of \$200, but however, the defendant claimed that only \$150 was owing. The jury awarded Mr. Cresson a judgment for \$180, which includes the \$150 admitted by the defense and interest. The jury was out only a short time.

American fence at Wharton Bros.

MICKIE SAYS—

WUNST THEN WUL AN EDITOR WHO RANGED HIS AD RATE AND 'M' MERCHANTS GOT SORE 'N ALL AGREED TO QUIT ADVERTISING FOR A MONTH 'T BRING HIM 'T TIME BUT TRADE FELL OFF SO THAT WHEN 'M TIME WUL UP, THEIR AD FOOT RACES TO HIS OFFICE 'T GET THEIR ADS QUIN' AGAIN!



1883

1923

This Bank Has Really Been a Training School For Roseburg Bankers

Mr. A. C. Marsters, President of the Roseburg National Bank, and its Vice President from 1901 to 1907. Mr. John M. Thorne, cashier of the Umpqua Valley Bank, began his banking career when he entered the employ of the bank in March of 1904, serving as teller and assistant cashier until 1908. Mr. G. V. Wimberly, cashier of the First State Savings Bank, came to the bank in 1907 and was bookkeeper, teller and assistant cashier until the end of 1913.

Both Mr. Thorne and Mr. Wimberly left the bank to engage in other work, and both were with it through the panic of 1907.

Mr. E. L. Parrott became Vice President in January, 1914, and has since so served. Mr. W. H. Fisher, now a Roseburg merchant, succeeded Mr. Thorne as assistant cashier, and in January, 1909, was elected cashier, acting as such until February 2, 1915, when he assumed the cashiership of the First State Savings Bank, which had been purchased by the share holders of this bank on that date. He was succeeded by Mr. H. H. Stapleton who came to the bank as assistant cashier in 1911.

On January 25, 1909, application was made to the Comptroller of the Currency for a charter under the National Banking Act, which was granted under date of March 27, 1909.

In line with its early announced constructive policy, the bank in 1905 financed by direct loan the building of the Elks Temple, which was dedicated on June 6, 1905. In 1909 it also financed through a bond issue the construction of the Masonic Building.

It was a hard matter to begin paying on the streets of Roseburg, but on April 1, 1908, there was held at the old Armory room in the Elks Temple a mass meeting that was attended by nearly one thousand people. Both in point of numbers and enthusiasm it was the greatest meeting ever held in Roseburg. It went on record for paving, and the action brought about the first issue of \$25,000.00 of paving bonds. Western municipal bonds were not much sought after at that time, and even to the recent financial panic, difficulty was found in obtaining a loan until this bank purchased the entire issue at par. And so Roseburg has its first pavement.

These are but few of the improvements in city and county that the bank has supported in the many years of its existence, and it hopes to assist in many more in the future. Its policy has brought appreciation and the bank has been prosperous. Since coming under the power management in 1901 it has missed but one semi-annual dividend to its shareholders—the one for the six months following the 1907 panic being voluntarily passed owing to the expense incurred in sold statement.

The Douglas National Bank

Forty Years of Service.

COUNTY COURT IN SESSION

The county court remained in session today considering a number of important matters. The court met for a short time with the budget commission and went over the county budget for the coming year. Several road delegations were before the court with local road matters. The court has received the statement of quantities on the Redwood road job, and can give this information to any contractor who desires to bid on the job.

SNOW ON PEAKS TODAY

The higher hills and peaks in the county were this morning tipped with snow as the result of the storm last night. Although in most places the precipitation was in the form of a heavy rain, on some of the higher elevations the snow fell to a depth of several inches.

From Garden Valley—
Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Hamilton, residents of Garden Valley are spending a few days in Roseburg attending to business.

KEARNEY'S GROCERY

300 West Cass Street

Specials for Saturday

Crisco in 9 lb. Pails, per pail
Crisco in 6 lb. Pails, per pail
Crisco in 3 lb. Pails, per pail
Snow Drift in 8 lb. Pails, per pail
Snow Drift in 4 lb. Pails, per pail
Snow Drift in 2 lb. Tins, per tin
Snow Drift in 1 lb. Tins, per tin

Amazo, Wesson Oil and Mazola in 1 gal. cans
In 1-2 gal. Cans, per can
In quart Cans, per can
In pint Cans, per can

Post's Bran Flakes, 2 pkgs. for Kellogg's Bran Flakes, 3 pkgs. for Kellogg's Corn Flakes, per pkg.

Yellow Corn Meal, in No. 10 sacks, per sack
White Corn Meal in No. 10 sacks, per sack
Swan's Down Cake and Pastry Flour, pkg.

SERVE YOURSELF AND SAVE AT

Kearney's Grocery

THE STORE THAT BROUGHT 'EM HERE