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THE PROBLEM OF THIEVERY.

In the larger cities at least, and in many smaller ones, the problem of thievery is coming home close to a lot of people. Any shopper who visits these centers is likely to return minus the fat roll of money with which she started, the same having gone, not for the purchase of things desired for the home, but to support some one of the army of parasite thieves who are making their living out of small thievery. Many complaints about shoplifting are heard in the stores of larger cities. Shoppers who leave a handbag for five minutes on some counter may find it gone when they look for it. Cases of pockets picked on the streets and in crowds are so numerous that probably only a small proportion get into the newspapers. It is no longer safe to leave coats and suitcases in railroad trains and stations. The people who park their automobiles along crowded streets take many chances that robes and coats will be gone when they return. Conditions in these respects are far worse in the larger cities than they are in a place like Roseburg. Such losses are part of the price that people pay for living in or visiting congested centers of population. It behooves people, when visiting such cities, to keep their eyes wide open. It is one more reason for patronizing the stores of Roseburg that there is so much less of these forms of thievery in a city of this size. The crook element fly to the big towns as their natural habitat. The worst feature of it is not the money loss. It is that a big element of people are developing to make war on society, and living in a sneaking and yellow way by robbing other people of the fruits of their own toil. Such developments show that the need for teaching of morals and religion is greater than ever before.

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If the editor of this paper had the privilege—which he never expects—to serve in the state legislature, the first thing he would do would be to ask that county officials be paid a living wage. High class men cannot be encouraged to work for wages that require more than ordinary ability and a large degree of responsibility when a fellow can lead 'em a merry race pushing a wheelbarrow, so far as financial gain is concerned. Well paid officials would call for greater efficiency, and where efficiency is applied operating expenses are kept at a minimum. About the most poorly paid class today is the average county office holder and there seems to be a disposition to pinch him harder.

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Don't get discouraged if you are awaiting the return of a letter mailed to some dear friend and have received no answer. Two letters have just been returned to a Portland firm after a Rip Van Winkle sleep of thirty years. It's too bad some of the monthly duns mailed couldn't meet a like fate, or one or more of the tax statements now being broadcasted take to globe-trotting for at least half the foregoing space of time. Thirty years from now most of us fellows would be glad to hear from some of our creditors—especially the ice man.

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The United States senatorial fireworks will start tomorrow when Mayor George L. Baker, of Portland, makes his opening address at Salem, the home town of Senator McNary. It would not be surprising to note the appearance, in the not distant future, of the senior senator from Oregon appearing on the firing line before the primaries pass into history. His fences, in some parts of Oregon, are badly in need of repair.

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"Sinclair and six lawyers to fight for oil," is the glaring caption over a news item in the press yesterday. This ought to bring production up to the standard and fatten the pockets of a few distinguished senators—providing the six attorney's don't get in their work.

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California has had a four-minute shake—but it takes more than four minutes to shake the faith of the inhabitants of the Golden State. We rather admire a population that gets a jolt every now and then and still hangs on and boosts for its country.

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After making a general survey one is lead to the conclusion that most wives have convinced their husbands that bobbed heads add to their beauty. Leave it to the women—to put a thing over when fashion so declares.

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Have you enrolled on the list as a member of the Roseburg Chamber of Commerce? If not, step right up to the counter and place your "John Henry" on the dotted line.

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What is more distressing during the busy hours of the day than a giggling girl? A phonograph record with a bent needle, playing one of the latest creations.

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Used to be said that the politicians wanted to get in the limelight, but some of them are finding it is a little too bright for their complexion.

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The average man now lives thirty years longer than he did in 1800, remarks an exchange. He has to in order to get his taxes paid.

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Fears are expressed that the foot and mouth disease will spread. Symptoms of it might be found around the national capital.

PRUNE PICKIN'S

BY BERT G. BATES

GOOD EVENING FOLKS—

Portland is having
Grand opera and
Those who have
Been doing their
Sleeping in church
Have transferred
Their snoozing places
To the auditorium.

DUMBELL DORA THINKS

A wet nurse is one who has fallen in a lake.

Tie your hosses outside the armory Thursday night but bring your gats inside is the advice ye ed. wishes to peddle to its thousands of perusrs today in speaking of the Happy Canyon show which opens on that evening.

Isn't this an opportunity for Walter Camp to pick an all American team.

"Who do you like best?" asked one friend.
"Mother," was the reply.
"Who next?" asked another.
"Little sister,"
"Who next?"
"Aunt."
Father, who was seated at the back, opened his mouth and said: "And when do I come in?"
"At 2 o'clock in the morning," was the reply.

Former Secretary of the Interior, Albert B. Fall, early in life was a democrat. Then he turned to be a republican, but since the recent oil lease deals became public no party wants to claim him.

Much has been said and printed about blondes and brunettes; much has been said about red-headed women.

Some men, when they get old are subject to rheumatism. Others to reminiscences.

Ye ed. thinks "closed car comfort" has its little drawbacks, however, when three of the occupants persist in smoking.

An old maid always takes the chair with arms.

ROOTING DID IT

Mamie, the back room soprano, will now render that charming little ballad, "He was only a little weakling, but he had a husky voice."

It is always well for autoists to remember that there is no prize offered for beating a railroad train over a crossing.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

THAT your city is one where the sky is a little bluer, where the air is a little purer, where it is pleasanter to live and where you will live longer. STAY WITH IT!

THAT you should appreciate the charm of its environments and think of what you can do to make it even better and brighter. Help your city. STAY WITH IT!

THAT you boosters are doing you city a great service which will redound to their credit for years to come. Join them and STAY WITH THEM!

THAT a roseate horizon is stretched around your city, your sun is just coming up—great progress is before you—BOOST AND STAY WITH IT!

THAT with your great natural resources and with the benefits which are bound to come with their development, there is no limit as to what your city can do. STAY WITH IT!

THAT your city will grow rapidly, even more rapidly than it has in the past. STAY WITH IT!

Today is a great day for your city but she has greater days in store for the future, help her on her way—stay with her!

HOPE

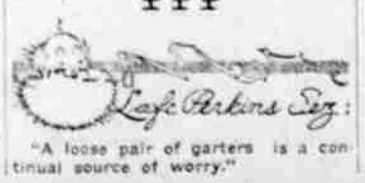
At eight each nite I study,
At nine I gaze over the street,
At nine-thirty a light glows ruddy
And at ten I'm in need of raw meat.

She takes off her hat at nine-fifty-one,
Then her shoes or her sox, (I'm not certain,)
And at nine-fifty-six (I'm a son-of-a-gun)
You've guessed it—she draws her curtain.

Still at eight each nite I study,
And at nine I've a room-ful of guests;
For they believe, as I believe,
That some nite she's gonna forget.

"Man's greatest troubles are caused by bacteria and microbes," says a prominent physician. Every true woman should resent being called names like those.

An onion a day keeps the doctor away and a kiss a day keeps the lawyer away. Yes, and an onion a day will keep kisses away.



"A loose pair of garters is a continual source of worry."

SOUTH IS HELD IN ICY BLASTS

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

ATLANTA, Ga., March 11.—An icy blast today held the south in a tight grip with temperatures reported below freezing in many sections.

Extreme cold weather was reported below freezing in many sections.

Extreme cold weather was reported in Virginia and the Carolinas and the freezing mark was registered in Georgia as far south as the Florida line. Low temperatures were reported in Alabama, Louisiana and Mississippi.

The thermometer here at 7 o'clock recorded 24 degrees.

NORTHWEST RUG CO.

Now showing plan two-toned colors made from your old material at the Singer Store. Phone 153.

OREGON'S WEALTH PUBLISHED TODAY

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Details of the wealth of six states at the close of 1922 were made public today by the census bureau. They are:

Iowa's wealth was $10,511,682,000, an increase of 37.2 per cent over 1912, with a per capita wealth of $4,274, an increase of 24.1 per cent.

Minnesota's wealth was $8,547,918,000, an increase of 58.9, with a per capita wealth of $3,443, an increase of 37.4 per cent.

Nebraska's wealth was $5,320,075,000, an increase of 44.2 per cent, with a per capita wealth of $4,004, an increase of 32.4 per cent.

Oregon's wealth was $3,419,459,000, an increase of 68.3 per cent, with a per capita wealth of $4,182, an increase of 50.4 per cent.

Colorado's wealth was $3,229,352,000, an increase of 40.9 per cent with a per capita wealth of $3,285, an increase of 22.8 per cent.

Montana's wealth was $2,223,007,000, an increase of 98.2 per cent, with a per capita wealth of $3,691, an increase of 33.5 per cent.

L. F. T. DANCE

Tuesday night, March 11, at K. of P. hall.

SILVERTON DOG IS GIVEN SIGNAL HONOR

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

SALEM, March 11.—Bob, the Silverton dog that some time ago walked all the way from Wolcott, Ind., to Silverton, Oregon, to join his owner, from whom he became lost in Indiana was yesterday presented a medal in a ceremony in Silverton. The ceremony was held at Eugene field auditorium and the medal was presented to the dog by Colonel E. Hofer, president of the State Humane Society who also spoke on present laws that are held objectionable by the Humane Society relative to restrictions placed on dogs. Robert Goetz, superintendent of the Silverton schools presided at the meeting, and the school children voted the dog the freedom of the city something that is hard for a dog to get at Silverton.

ATTENTION SIR KNIGHTS

Regular meeting of Ascalon Commandery, Tuesday, March 11.
NATHAN FULLERTON, E. C.

FORD MOTOR PLANT WILL SALVAGE WOOD

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

DETROIT, March 11.—Plans to salvage 85 per cent of the wood now thrown away as useless is the aim of an order issued by the Ford Motor company to all its branches to save all wood coming in and to use precautions to see that no board is broken unnecessarily.

According to Ford company officials it has been demonstrated in the last 30 days that a huge saving can be effected. Experiment at the Highland Park plant here show that where previously 36 carloads of wood was taken away each week as useless except for firewood under the new plan only four carloads are now consigned for such use.

The company's yearly requirements are 300,000,000 board feet of lumber.

MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS PLANNED BY CHAMBER

Plans are being matured by the Chamber of Commerce to hold membership dinners at more or less regular intervals during the coming year.

MOTHERS—

Don't you know you can turn a distressed, feverish, coughing child into a comfortable and happily smiling one simply by giving

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

No Narcotics

At Palm Beach, Newport—wherever smart folks gather—Lucky Strike is a reigning favorite.

at which meetings one or more speakers of more than local importance will appear and address the members. These meetings will be carefully planned to not last more than one hour and a half, and will be held at the regular dinner hour in the evening. The addresses will be along lines that will be of great interest and profit to those attending and should be warmly welcomed by the members of the chamber. The board of directors are determined that the membership of the chamber shall have something to say as to how the organization shall be conducted, and it is felt that no better way presents itself than well managed and carefully thought out dinner meetings during the year.

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URGE AMERICA TO ENTER THE LEAGUE

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

GENEVA, March 11.—What the audience interpreted as a plea for American, German and Russian adhesion to the league of nations, was delivered by Lord Parmoor today at the opening public session of the league council.

After pleading the British labor government to whole-hearted support of the league's policy and activities, Lord Parmoor declared that world wide or European problems could never be satisfactorily settled until all the countries interested in these problems became members of the league.

After Hjalmar Branting of Sweden had read a cablegram of condolence which the preceding president of the council had sent to Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, the new president of the council, Senor Guani of Uruguay, delivered an impressive eulogy of Mr. Wilson. The speaker alluded to him as creator of the league of nations "the illustrious leader who had contributed to the abolition of war by promoting the brotherhood of man through the foundation of an international organism of conciliation which had become necessary to the existence of the world."

Senor Guani predicted that President Wilson would go down in history as one of the great figures of mankind.

Foreign Minister Bennes of Czecho-Slovakia, who made his official entrance into the deliberations of the council, pledged Czecho-Slovakia's support to the league.

$35.00 SUITS

at Bernier, The Tailor

Upstairs Next to Umpqua Hotel

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IRRIGATION CONTRACT APPROVED YESTERDAY

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

SALEM, March 11.—The state irrigation securities commission at a meeting here yesterday approved a contract entered into between Morrison and Knudson of Boise and the Jordan Valley Irrigation district, whereby the contractors will build the work at about $379,900 and accept bonds of the district at 90. The commission certified bonds for the district in the sum of $400,000 and guaranteed interest.

Classified Section

ALL NEW ADS ON BACK PAGE

WANTED

WANTED—To buy baby buggy. Phone 452.

WANTED—Young girl to assist in light housework. Phone 512-L.

WANTED—Spading and gardening to do. Phone 101-R.

WANTED—Work, lawn mowing and gardening. Phone 88-L.

WANTED—Painting, paper hanging, and tinting. Etimates furnished. Phone 139-Y.

WANTED—Middle aged or elderly woman as housekeeper for elderly lady. Phone 402-R, or call at 443, Fowler St.

WANTED—Little girl of school age to go to school with little girl, six. Good home and excellent school. Phone 12F11, or address H. G. Hastings, Wilbur, Oregon Rt. 1.

HAVE an opening in this territory selling hosiery, underwear and aprons. You can make from $8 to $15 a day. Samples free. Answer "Hosiery" care News-Review.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Key ring with 5 or 6 keys. Finder please leave this office. Reward.

MISCELLANEOUS

HOME LAUNDRY will call for and deliver bundles. Washing, ironing, and mending. Phone 537.

CAR OWNER—Don't forget to call 553 when in need of auto parts. Sarff's Auto Wrecking House.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One 2-room apartment at 242 So. Rose St.

FOR RENT—Safety deposit boxes, Roseburg National Bank.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms. 246 So. Parrott St.

FOR RENT—House, suitable for two families. See N. A. Williams, 1124 Corey Ave.

FOR RENT—Nice front furnished room with heat. 221 W. Washington St.

FOR RENT—5-room cottage; block from P. O. and S. P. depot. Inquire 320 W. Cass St.

FOR RENT—Garage building at Dillard, Oregon, low rent. Wm. I. Keller, Dillard.

HOUSE. 5 big rooms with about three acres good soil. Will rent; land or house separate to reliable tenants. Address F., care News-Review.

FOR RENT—Thirty acre tract, good house, orchard and garden land. Berries, house furnished if desired. Some farming implements. 2 mi. South of Melrose P. O. F. E. Gates.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Used player piano rolls 50c each. Phone 370.

USED CARS—Hudson 6 touring..$150
Studebaker 4 touring 200
3-4 ton Republic truck 300
Buick six touring 550
Nash 6 sport touring 850
Glenn H. Taylor, Service Garage, 332 N. Jackson.

DODGE CAR—For sale cheap. J. Willard.

FOR SALE—Fine plan... Jacob Sawyers, Elkton.

FOR SALE—100 cords ... Ermel Briggs, Myrtle Creek.

FOR SALE—Good ... and grocery counter. ... rant.

FOR SALE—Dry well ... wood. $3.50 per tier. ... ter. Phone 176-Y.

FOR SALE—Bull dog, ... change for fox terrier ... 1st. Ave. South.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred ... eggs for setting. 40 cents ... 1164 Military St.

FOR SALE—12 year old ... Good as new. Less than ... 816 Winchester. Phone ...

THOROUGHBRED White ... Rock hatching eggs. ... W. R. Kinsel, Wilbur, Ore.

FOR SALE—Tanered and ... White Leghorn hatching ... per 100. Ray White, Dee.

FOR SALE—Seasoned ... wood, $3.50 a tier. ... spring oats. Boyer ... 14F14.

FOR SALE—Dry Oak ... wood, $4. 12 in. 16 in. ... tier. Phone 408 or call ... garage.

FOR SALE—One good ... was fresh the first of ... mile north of Looking ... Walter Vashaw.

SEED CORN for sale. ... at 5c per pound on the ... grade. J. P. Williams, ... north of Dillard on highway.

FOR SALE—9 room ... Sell on easy terms or ... Portland property. ... 1180, E. Kelly St. Portland.

FOR SALE—Prune trees, ... berts, pears, peach, apple, ... etc. At going market ... this fine stock before you ... L. Ellis Nursery Yard.

FOR SALE—By owner, ... coll river bottom seed ... county. See Joel Sharp, ... Valley. P. O. ... Rt. 1.

FOR SALE—Clean ... torgo Maure equip... ... dition. Has Arwine ... system. For particulars ... write R. J. Fauley, ... Oregon.

FOR SALE—75 cents ... gressive Everbearing ... pants that bear fruit ... frost kills the blossoms ... J. W. Hall, 112 Dean ... burg, Ore.

ITALIAN PRUNE TREES ... eight feet, 12c; ... 10c; three to ... prices on Bartlett ... cherry trees. ... Salem, Ore.

FOR SALE or TRADE—... improved 160 acre ... in good dairy ... plowed ready for crop, ... ing well. New house ... and other buildings. ... 5-passenger car ... 1922, as part ... fred J. Johnson, ...

M'KENZIE BILL ... HANDS OF ...

(Associated Press ...

WASHINGTON, March ... McKenzie bill providing ... ance of Henry Ford's ... Muscle Shoals, passed ... yesterday was in the ... senate today, but how ... taken up in senate ... not been determined. ... Norris already has ... tion to the Ford ... members of the ... criticized terms of ... lease. The house ... pared to resume with ... of appropriation and ...

Lawn mowers of ... ell's Furniture Store.

Leather Leggins Spe...

Either Buckle or Lace. Per Pair this week . . $3.45

Bargains in Work Shoes for Men and Bo...

Mattresses, 40-lb. Clearance Sale, up . . $7.50

A special Price on Bed Springs for this ...

Men's Furnishings—Shirts, Work Pants, and Rain Proof Wear.

BERGER'S BARGAIN STO...

Cass and Pine Streets