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FOREIGN TRADE TO CURE UNEMPLOYMENT.

One of the favorite topics for conversation among the parlor socialists has to do with the theorem that machinery is enslaving man. We will, say these pale pinks, be devoured by the very machines we have set to work for us, and the editors of the futuristic little magazines of dissent echo the wall.

Writing for the Journal of Wall Street, Secretary of Labor Davis presents the case of the machine in a light which at first blush might seem to uphold this theory. At the present time, says Mr. Davis, the machine is creating unemployment. With consumption of all products at a record mark, production of most manufactured articles has been increased, but the efficiency of the machine has made it possible to do this record amount of work with a smaller number of men than was needed when machines were less efficient and more workers therefore employed.

This surplus of workers over jobs is not actually critical, though it is estimated that present production is being obtained by 7 per cent fewer workers than would be employed were machine production efficiency what it was in 1919. It does raise the question of whether or not "motive power and automatic machinery are going to bring chronic and increasing unemployment."

To the layman, there is apparently no limit to the things which automatic machinery cannot be made to do, and if super-machines keep coming, requiring the services of fewer and fewer workers, the ultimate situation will be that the machine will have brought poverty.

Those who argue that machines are enslaving would solve the problem by limiting production and dismantling those machines which create unemployment. They would go back to the old guild system or, better still, go even further back to the day when every man was his own hewer of wood and drawer of water. This is of course arrant nonsense.

The Department of Commerce Year Book, just published, declares that the record prosperity of the current year can be traced "to increased efficiency of both industry and trade."

The hope of the machine-unemployment situation lies in the possibilities for the increasing efficiency of trade. Potential foreign markets to consume the increasing output of our efficient machines have barely been scratched, and it is not mere empty prophesy to predict that the development of these foreign markets can more than make up for surplus machine-age production.

ROSEBURG'S WATER SUPPLY.

Malicious reports to the contrary, Roseburg's water supply is of the highest standard. Samples taken from the North Umpqua river and submitted weekly to the state board of health show no contamination whatsoever. Always, during the extreme dry season of the year, there is more or less pollution in numerous small streams throughout the state, but the source of this city's water supply is of the highest standard, a mighty pleasing condition to our citizens generally. But, regardless of the fact that the local water company is taking every precaution possible for the benefit of the public, malicious rumors have already gained circulation here to the effect that our water supply is contaminated, which, of course, is a deliberate falsehood. If it were otherwise the public would have the facts through the columns of this paper for we are keeping in close touch with the weekly reports being received from the state board of health concerning the purity of our drinking water. A lot of damage can be done a community by circulating rumors concerning the city's water supply, particularly when there is no reasonable grounds for such reports. Our water supply is absolutely pure—it is being tested weekly—and there is no likelihood that any other condition will prevail during the summer months.

West Point Military academy's announcement that two soldiers from the ranks of the regular army had walked off with scholastic honors this year but parallels the experiences of many colleges and universities: the students from the ranks are most often found to have passed through the barages of examinations with best records. At Harvard, Yale and Princeton, men from the public schools always show up better in their studies than men from the private schools. In spite of tutoring and exceptional opportunity, the man with the pampered education cannot, or at least does not, hold his own with the man from the more unpromising source who has had to dig for his knowledge. Why the buck privates always seem to do best is something to make the educational theorists ponder long and deeply.

Science can predict an eclipse of the sun over a period of several years in advance, but cannot predict a blow-out over the week-end.

They say Lindbergh does not smoke, chew, drink or go to parties. It is no wonder he can fly.

The stockingless woman of today is probably the daughter of the bare-foot boy of yesterday.

The reason so many marriages are failures is because so many failures are married.

The worst smell is usually the best seller.

The "get" is the hardest part of the budget.

PRUNE PICKIN'S

By BERT G. BATES

GOOD EVENING FOLKS

Owin' to the fact
That the weather
Is a dern sight
Cooler today
It kinda leaves
This column
Without any
Subject to
Discuss.

We note that the newspapers from the metrop carried scare-heads today regarding the alleged findin' of the "Miss Doran" plane. Tomorrow's edition will take it all back.

You can always tell how good business is by the way the merchant grunts his "good mornin'."

Woman is an absolute necessity, a natural temptation, a most desirable calamity, a domestic Lorelei, an awful fascination and a painted evil.

But women are perfection, especially she who loves you.

And can you think of one dispute that had not its origin with woman?

The true test of a woman's character is what she thinks of other women.

And verily, I say unto you, no greater affliction is cast upon any man than that his wife shall discover that she is right upon a disputed question. This small triumph favors all her future conversation until death doth part them.

And verily again, if thou wouldst please thy women thou must endeavor to make them pleased with themselves.

AN OLD TIMER TALKS

In the days, dear children, when Green River denoted a liquor and not merely a liquid, your grandfather's voice could be heard caroling through the still night air as he staggered along in the starlight. Down the deserted street his joyous words went winging: "I wuz floatin' down the ole Green River!" Draped around a distant lamp-post, another adventurer of the night took up the refrain: "On ee good ship Roo' an' Rye!"

Ah, what beautiful harmony, what a rapacious understanding these two souls knew then as they bayed to the spinning moon! Kindred souls they were, answering with one accord the call of the boled.

Rock and Rye was truly the sweetest of all beverages. Into a small glass was poured a spoonful of rock candy syrup. Or, if the mixer had the time, he lowered into the glass a string of rock candy itself and toyed with it, the rye whiskey through the pure cry-

tal looking like molten bronze slipping over a chain of diamonds. This—this—

Dear children—forgive me—I can—say no more. I—I lived in those dim, far off pre-Volsteadian days—this memory of—Rock and Rye—is breaking my heart—I cannot—go on—I—

LAFE SEZ—
"Them gals with no sex are the life of the party for the mosquitoes!"

KELLEY, WILLOS
ESCAPE NOOSE
FOR 4TH TIME

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last sentenced to death by Judge Kelly.

Fourth Execution Stay
Developments last night and today mark the fourth time that Kelley and Willos have escaped the noose since their conviction on charges of first degree murder. In each instance, with the exception of the writ of habeas corpus proceeding in the Kelley case, reprieves were granted to the convicts pending appeals to the high court.

In case of decisions adverse to the convicts in the proceedings now pending it will be necessary again to sentence them to death.

ATTEMPT MADE
TO START WATER
SCARE IN CITY

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tanks are cleaned out regularly every two weeks.

Once each week a sample of the water is taken from a faucet supply and is sent to the state board of health for examination. This sample is tested in the state laboratory so that a systematic check is obtainable. The report on the last sample, which was taken on the 15 was received this morning the sample being given an "A" report, which means that there was no injurious bacteria present. This is the same report that is usually received regarding the Roseburg water which through these precautions is kept pure at all times and safe for all domestic purposes.

Statements that the city's water supply is contaminated are apparently being circulated with malicious intent and should not be heeded by the city residents. A careful watch is being kept over the water and there is absolutely no danger. Roseburg has always been furnished with clean, pure water and there is no reason for any statements to the contrary.

TWO styles, crocheted or knitted, either at \$3.00 at Carr's big dollar days. Saturday to Wednesday. Buy and save.

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Jack Lockwill at Summer Camp
BY GILBERT PATTEN
(Creator of Frank Merriwell)

"Who dares to swim a race to High Bluff and back to the float, here?" challenged Saunders, who was wearing his bathing suit. "I know Lockwill doesn't. All he can do is the fancy show-off stuff. I could beat him over and back by a quarter of a mile." Smiling, Jack came out of the water on to the float. "That would be a hard beating," he said. "I'll give you a chance to do it."



Immediately four other boys, one of them being Lizard Waffles, clamored to get into the race. A judge and a starter were chosen. "Ready!" called the latter.



Calling another boy to paddle, the judge sprang into a canoe and followed the swimmers. To the surprise of the spectators, Lockwill started off easily with the almost obsolete breast stroke. Saunders, however, fell into the turgid pool at once, and showed much more racing form. All the contestants took it easy at first. "Buck's win without half trying," said a watching lad.

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LEGIONNAIRES IN
PARIS RECEIVING
HEARTY WELCOME

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

PARIS, Aug. 19.—The vanguard of American Legion members, come to France for the convention in September, completed its occupation of Paris without opposition. Even the champions of Sacco and Vanzetti who were expected to create a disturbance with the arrival of the Americans, thus far have held their peace.

The legionnaires who landed at Cherbourg yesterday could not have hoped for warmer welcome from the girls they left behind or from the boys beside whom they fought for the cause. But nowhere was there such joy as in the families of French girls who accompanied American boys to America as their wives nearly ten years ago.

There being no public functions for the present, the visitors had ample leisure today to revisit Paris, which they knew as active members of the army during brief respite from the grim business of war. The newspapers extend a sympathetic welcome to the Americans, printing long illustrated accounts of their arrival.

GRANGE DEMANDS
INCOME TAX BUT
NO MORE LANDS

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 19.—The Gilliam-Wheeler counties Grange, in resolutions adopted July 30 and received yesterday by the Portland Chamber of Commerce, went on record as opposing the Columbia basin irrigation project, contending that the two million acres it would own to farming would compete with land already suffering from overproduction.

Another resolution threatened court action to restrain collection of taxes on agricultural and grazing land if a state income tax is not enacted.

ACCEPTED THEM

Friend: Did the editor take any of the things you sent him?

Author: Yes, the stamps for the return postage. Passing Show.

BASEBALL
STANDINGS
OF LEAGUES

Pacific Coast		
Oakland	91	623
San Francisco	53	64
Seattle	51	63
Sacramento	53	73
Portland	70	74
Hollywood	67	80
Mission	65	82
Los Angeles	54	92
National		
Chicago	69	41
Pittsburgh	64	46
St. Louis	63	47
New York	63	51
Cincinnati	59	60
Brooklyn	48	65
Boston	44	64
Philadelphia	42	69
American		
New York	82	53
Washington	66	47
Detroit	62	48
Philadelphia	63	52
Chicago	53	62
Cleveland	48	67
St. Louis	43	69
Boston	26	76

COAST LEAGUE
RESULTS

(By The Associated Press.)

Portland took its third straight game from the Seals yesterday by a score of 5-1 in a nip-and-tuck game. They were aided by Elmer Smith's 25th homer.

Although defeated by the Mission Bells, the Oaks did not lose ground in the pennant race, as both San Francisco and Seattle, their closest rivals, also met defeat. The Missions won by a 6-2 score.

Sacramento made it two out of three from the Hollywood Stars by taking a one-sided engagement, 10-1. Severald and Hoffman hit for the circuit.

The lovely Angels turned upon the Killifer tribe and beat Seattle 11-1 for their first win of the week.

MAJOR LEAGUE
RESULTS

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

The New York Yankees today were 15 full games ahead of Washington in the American league pennant quest. While the lowly St. Louis Browns were trimming the Senators in extra innings, the Yankees were battling 12 exciting stanzas for a 5-4 victory over Chicago yesterday. With only 39 games remaining on the schedule the Yankees could lose 25 and still tie Washington even if Ducey Harris' team won every one of its remaining 41 games.

Alvin Crowder, formerly of the Washington pitching staff, received credit for the St. Louis victory over his ex-team mates. Crowder relieved Bailor in the fifth inning and pitched eight scoreless innings, St. Louis winning in the twelfth, 6-5.

After three victories in a row over Cleveland, Philadelphia bowed to the Indians, 2-1. All games in the national league were postponed by rain.

THE TINYMITES

STORY BY HAL COCHRAN—PICTURES BY KNICK

"Now, there's a dandy garden spot," said Scouty. "See, it pays a lot to go ahead and do things when you know they must be done. We've worked really hard I was admit, but what's the dirt? We're feeling fit. And after all, it wasn't work, but really lots of fun."

"Oh, you may think so," Clowny said, "but, honestly, I'm nearly dead. As king, I order all of you to get a good night's rest. So everyone began to roam right over to the Goofy's home. Right soon they all were seeking sleep because they thought it best."

Next morning, when the sun was high, the whole bunch heard wee Clowny cry, "Get up, you lazy Tinymites and Goofy Goos, be quick. You had a good long sleep last night. To lie in bed is just a fright, it sleeping does one any good, you all should feel real sick."

"We do! We do!" the whole bunch cried. And soon they all had run outside. They found a freshening water and they asked themselves up clean. "And now," said Clowny, "let's go back and find our little garden tract. I'm really very curious to see what can be seen."

The whole bunch ran up over the hill and soon they got a mighty thrill. "Oh, look," exclaimed Goofy Go, "Just see what we have grown." The ground that once was quite forlorn was covered now, with beans and corn. "Oh, my," said Clowny, "I just wish that this was all my own."

The beans were large. The corn was tall, and there was plenty there for all. "We'll have a feast," yelled Scouty, "and we'll do the thing up brown. I'll have the time of my young life. Say, who has



READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE

got a pocketknife? Just lend it to me now and I will cut the long beans down."

(The Tinymites plan a feast in the next story.)
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GOVERNOR AND
HIGHWAY BOARD
SEE COAST ROAD

County Judge Quine and commissioners Beckley and Dough left this morning for Reedsport, where they will meet with Governor Patterson, the members of the highway commission, members of the bureau of public roads and other officials who are on an auto tour over the Roosevelt highway.

Governor Patterson, accompanied by the members of the highway commission, federal officers representing the bureau of public roads, including C. H. Purcell, chief of that organization; members of the state supreme court and other dignitaries, went to Reedsport today by way of Drain.

From Reedsport they go south over the highway to the state line, making the trip as an inspection in order that future policies may be outlined.

The trip has a more significant bearing, however, for Douglas county as it is the first time that the state officers have ever been over the Drain-Reedsport section of the Umpqua highway. The county has been trying for many years to have this road recognized by the highway commission and there is no question but that the officers will be impressed by the beauty and value of this road as a result of this trip, and it may be that through this more definite knowledge they will be more inclined to favor the road in future decisions.

The Reedsport Chamber of Commerce has made arrangements for the entertainment of the party to night. A seafood banquet is to be given and other entertainment provided. The members of the county court will officially represent the

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For 4 days, Saturday to Wednesday, we offer several dozen items at a special price of \$1.00 each. Dresses, bed spreads, aluminum, glassware, pottery, rugs, purses, serving trays, etc. Many at half price at \$1.00. See the display at Carr's—where you save.

STEAMER SERVICE FOR
REEDSPORT ANNOUNCED

SAN PEDRO, Calif., Aug. 19.—The steamer Dan F. Hanlon, which has been plying between Tillamook and this port, will open a new service to Reedsport, Oregon. The announcement was made here by Captain A. Jacobson of the Dan F. Hanlon. The steamer, owned by the Dan F. Hanlon estate, has been under charter to J. Ramselius.

MARKETS

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 19.—Butter steady; extra, city 43¢; standards 42¢; primo 41¢; firsts 40¢; firsts 39¢; firsts 38¢; creamery prices: Primo 5 cents above cube standards; butterfat 43¢ l. o. b. Portland.

Milk steady; bids to the farmer: Raw milk (4 per cent) \$2.25 cwt. l. o. b. Portland; butterfat 43¢ cents l. o. b. Portland.

Eggs steady; current receipts 23 cents; fresh mediums 24 cents; fresh standards firsts 27 cents; do extras 28 cents.

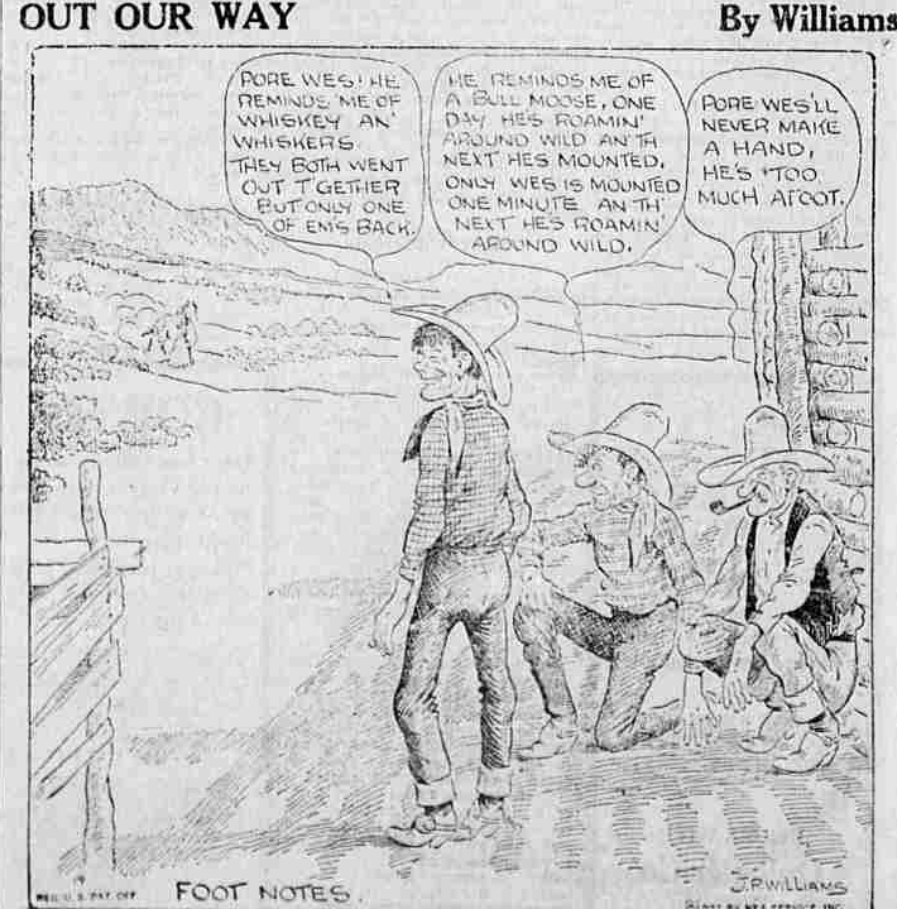
Poultry steady; (less 5 per cent commission). Heavy hens 21¢@23¢; light 12¢@14¢; springs 20¢; broilers 18¢@19¢; pekin white ducks 18 cents; colored nominal; turkeys alive nominal.

Onions steady; local \$1.75@2.00; potatoes \$2.50@3.25.

Nuts steady; walnuts 27¢@31¢; almonds 24¢@26¢; Brazil nuts 14¢@16¢; Oregon chestnuts 17¢@20¢; peanuts 9¢@11¢.

Cascara bark at 45¢, 76¢ cents; Oregon grape root nominal. Cons steady; 1926 crop 17¢@19¢.

OUT OUR WAY



FOOT NOTES
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