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IN CHICAGO

POOR Chicago! What with its gangsters and bombers, its prodigal official spenders and its inept business administration, it is having a tough time of it. It is getting plenty of front page publicity in all the newspapers but not publicity of a kind that makes people elsewhere want to go to Chicago to live. Not any. One living in another American city or town most anywhere and reading what the dispatches carry under the Chicago dateline from day to day can scarcely do other than ejaculate pharisaically "Thank goodness we are not as Chicago is!"

While one sitting at a distance may jibe Chicago's plight rather lightly, its financial condition is no joke for those directly affected by the shortage of money. Police-men, firemen, teachers, court attaches and employees in many other departments are without the pay that is due them and the aggregate of their dues is already over \$11,000,000 and growing. That is a serious matter for people whose pay is only moderate and who cannot be expected to have saved much money as they went. There is no money to pay mothers' pensions or to buy fuel for the schools and the county institutions. Such a situation means actual hardships.

Chicago's unsecured debt amounts to \$21,000,000 and half of this represents unpaid bills, while the other half is diverted trust funds applied in stress to immediate necessities. Besides this there is a floating debt of \$270,000,000 secured by short term notes. Besides the huge city deficit the county has accumulated \$7,000,000 worth of past due bills and the school board has set the district behind to the extent of \$24,000,000. For years these three principal government units have been anticipating their tax receipts by spending them long before they were received.

In all the recent floundering in this bottomless quagmire Chicago has not one official from Mayor William Hale Thompson down who has come forward with any sort of a practical suggestion for relieving the crisis or building for a future foundation. Recrimination is the order of the day and beyond that Chicago's official infatuation seems not to be able to go. A citizens' committee wants to advance a few millions as a loan but upon terms that would place Chicago in practical receivership.

The best view an outsider can get is that Chicago needs most of all a complete official housecleaning. It needs some officials who can manage.

Charles A. Lindbergh has just celebrated his 28th birthday anniversary. Hardly more than a boy in years he has accomplished what would be a life time of achievement for most. One wonders what his record will be by the end of another 28 years.

POEM FOR THE DAY

By LOUIS ALBERT BANKS

THE ROMANCE OF SPINACH GREENS

Tomopah, Nevada, is in the limelight with a promising new vegetable:

"Artichoke horseradish has invented Nevada, where, according to Mrs. Mary Hoot, assistant director of the Nevada agricultural extension service, it is especially adapted to soil and climatic conditions. In Europe it is called French spinach, mountain spinach or better known."

"Mrs. Hoot, always on the lookout for new vegetables, discovered the plant growing on a ranch near Reno, unable to identify it and applied to J. H. Hoot, University of Nevada gardener, who recognized it. It grows all during the growing season, attaining a height of five or six feet. A cow twenty-five feet long with safety a large family with all the green leaf vegetable needed."

"Seed houses list artichoke horseradish as an original plant but, Mrs. Hoot says, it probably will be widely used in Nevada as a food plant, used as a vegetable and as a crop. It is Mrs. Hoot's plan to plant out test plots in each of the state's seven teen counties."—The Evening Enterprise, Monday.

This tale of mountain spinach greens
All dressed as if for festive scenes,
In Artichoke Horseradish words—
Like feathers plucked from brilliant birds,
Recalls to us the wondrous truth
That, always, in its glowing youth
There's poetry in everything—
That something there will always sing.

We had this agricultural queen
On whom Nevada's name may lean;
She keeps a keen and watchful eye
On all that grows beneath her sky.
In those rare sunny days of old
This Tomopah was famed for gold,
But Mary Hoot's curious mind,
No doubt, will richer treasures find.

Three cheers for all these questioning souls,
They give us nature's richest folk.
Where'er we see a question mark
'Tis good for us to pause and think.
'Tis people never satisfied
Who give man kind its cause for pride.
In every sphere it is the same—
The questioner deserves his fame.

Men ride in airplanes in our day
Because the questions had their way.
Because of this rare thirst to know
We now can talk by radio.
Our Morse and Edison and Wright
Were all once questioners in the night.
A curious mind's worth more than gold;
It fills the world with wealth untold.

TILLIE THE TOILER

OH, I HAD SUCH A LOVELY TIME WITH DR. PHILLIPS - HE SAID I WAS PERFECT



WELL, I HAVEN'T DECIDED ON TAKING THE INSURANCE YET



IT'S OKAY WITH ME, DOC

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A Bad Risk

I'VE MADE MY MIND UP AND YOU HAVE TO AGREE WITH ME ONCE FOR A CHANGE



OH, ALL RIGHT, I'LL GO OVER AND SEE THE DOCTOR



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YOUR INCOME TAX

No. 4
When husband and wife, living together, file separate returns, either may claim the exemption of \$3500 or they may divide it between them. The husband, for example, claiming \$1000 and the wife \$2500.

Many errors have occurred in the returns of couples married during the taxable year. The revenue act provides that if the marital status of a taxpayer changes during the year, his personal exemption shall be determined by apportionment in accordance with the number of months he was single or married. For example, a couple married on October 14 may file a joint return and claim an exemption of \$3,125, which is 9/12 of \$3,500, or \$1125 for the husband, while single, plus 3/12 of \$3,500 for the wife while single, plus 3/12 of \$3,500 for the period during which they were married. Should they file separate returns, each is entitled to an exemption of \$1,562.50, which is 9/12 of \$3,500, plus 3/12 of \$3,500.

A similar provision applies to the head of a family. A taxpayer who on October 14 ceased to be the head of a family, a taxpayer who one household of a relative or relatives being discontinued, is entitled to an exemption of \$300, which is 9/12 of \$3,500, plus 3/12 of \$3,500.

With respect to the \$400 credit for a dependent, the taxpayer's status as of the last day of the taxable year determines this credit. If his support of such dependent ceases before the end of the year, he is not entitled to this credit.

CORWOOD WANTED

Sealed proposals will be received on one cord (more or less) of 4 ft. wood, first growth or second growth firwood or first growth fir wood (no round wood or wood under six inches in diameter will be accepted). Prices to be F. O. B. Oregon State Soldiers' Home, Roseburg, Oregon. Delivery to be completed by Oct. 1, 1930. Specifications and blanks for bidding will be furnished upon application at the Oregon State Soldiers' Home, and at the office of the under signed.

Bids will be opened February 10, 1930 at the office of the undersigned, and must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of 10 per cent of the total amount bid, made payable to the Oregon State Board of Control, which sum will be held by the Board as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into a contract to furnish the amount awarded.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept any part of a bid.

NEW HOUSE DRESSES, \$1.00
Now shipment in today. Includes long and half-sleeve numbers, also sleeve styles. Sizes 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46. (We have also the extra sizes, 48 to 54 at \$1.15). Every dress well made, well styled and of very pretty fabrics. Every dress is "washable without fading" and is so marked. These make splendid \$1.00 values. See them at Carr's—Adv.

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Here's a safe and effective pain and irritation reliever of great service for those disorders where pain, itching and congestion demand relief. Use it in cases of headache, neuralgia, rheumatism, lumbago and strains. Sold only at Rexall Stores.

Nathan Fullerton

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LOCAL DENTISTS GO TO CONVENTION

Dr. J. C. Finley, Dr. J. Chapman, Dr. Clair K. Allen, Dr. L. A. Dillard and Dr. R. L. Bathrick, Roseburg dentists, left yesterday for Salem, where they will spend several days attending a dentists' convention.

FINE GOLD

White gold can be made as fine as 90 per cent gold or about 20 Roseburg dentists, left yesterday for Salem.

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COOKING SCHOOL NEWS

Honey Bran Muffins

(Mixing time: 10 minutes)

Nature's oldest and purest sweet—honey—joins two other natural foods—fruit and whole wheat—in these quick muffins. And Crisco, the sweetest, freshest-flavored shortening you could possibly imagine, lends its freshness and pure flavor to the ensemble.

4 tablespoons melted Crisco
1 egg, beaten
1/2 cup honey
1 1/2 cups thick sour milk
1 cup whole wheat flour
1/2 cup bread flour

2 cups bran
1/2 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/4 cup raisins or chopped dates

Light and set oven at 375° F. (medium oven). Melt sufficient Crisco for recipe and to brush into muffin tins. Beat the egg, stir in the honey and sour milk. Sift the two kinds of flour with soda, salt and baking powder, mix with the bran and stir into the first mixture. Add raisins and melted Crisco and beat well. Fill Crisco muffin tins half-full with batter. Bake in medium oven (375° F.) from 20 to 25 minutes. This makes 24 large muffins. I have related these muffins when they were a week old and found that Crisco had kept them fresh and moist.

This recipe has been tested and approved by cooking authorities. You will get best results by using level measurements and the ingredients specified.

Taste Crisco's sweet, fresh flavor

TASTE a cooking fat? And why not? You taste milk. You test eggs. Now, taste Crisco—then any other shortening. Then you'll understand why Crisco's own sweet, fresh flavor so improves the taste of your cakes, pies, hot breads, cookies and fried foods.



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Attractions AT THE MOVIES

ANTLERS—Today and Saturday, Bonnie Love in "The Girl in the Show," all talking.

THE wide expanse of the west that provides the picturesque locale for "Romance of Rio Grande," the feature all talking picture with Warner Baxter, Mary Duncan and Antonio Moreno, announced for the attraction at the Antlers theatre Sunday.

Massive scenes of the Rio Grande region, plains dotted with enormous herds of cattle, and the rare grandeur of the old Mexican estates, give pictorial testimony to the dramatic scale on which Fox films staged this compelling romantic picture of the west, which is an Alfred Santell directorial effort.

"Conquistador," title of the novel from which "Romance of Rio Grande" was adapted, relates the triumph of man over country. Through it runs a pulsating romance and the arduous adventures of those daring pioneers who set out to conquer an untamed nation.

Brightened with the dialect the picture version is said to be the most engaging western drama to appear since the advent of the talkies.

"The Girl in the Show," now playing at the Antlers theatre, is rated as one of the most amusing "backstage comedies" ever written. It tells of the trials and tribulations of a stranded "Uncle Tom's Cabin" troupe. Cute Bonnie Love appears as "Little Eva," the fourth of her family. Raymond Hackett is "Simon Legree," and also "Eva's" heavy lover. The picture was directed by Edgar Selwyn.

EDITORIALS ON THE DAY'S NEWS

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lines for the movement of commerce.

Here in Oregon we have to appeal to the interstate commerce commission to FORCE the building of one east and west line across our state.

CALIFORNIA advertises her attractions to the whole world, and brings in an annual tourist business of \$100,000,000.

Here in Oregon we do little or no advertising of our attractions, and think we are marvelously lucky when we get an annual tourist business, principally from California, of \$25,000,000 a year.

WE OF Oregon cry for markets and more markets, shouting

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Scientific Stomach Treatment Goes to Source of Trouble—Removes Cause.

Bi-Rex, a famous, guaranteed, secret scientific formula, performing a valuable duty in the treatment of ulcers by neutralizing excessive acids, removing toxic congestions, stimulating a healing antiseptic for disordered parts in the stomach and intestines. It soothes the inflamed, which in turn builds the body in tone, vigor and vitality.

The pleasant, mild action of Bi-Rex will relieve you. You can feel its soothing effects in 10 minutes or less after you have taken a teaspoonful in a little water.

No matter what your condition—whether it is incipient stomach trouble, or a chronic case of long standing, you owe it to yourself to use what wonderful relief you can gain by using Bi-Rex.

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loudly that if we could only get the markets we could provide the production and become rich and great thereby.

Yet we disregard the sure way to bring about market expansion, which is by right insistence upon standards that will insure products of the highest and most dependable quality.

WHAT is the matter with Oregon?

Here is the answer to that question, which is asked so often in this potentially great commonwealth of ours:

A STATE OF MIND!

WE ARE too much inclined to listen to those who say: "It can't be done." We are too much given to following the old, easy ways of the past, which requires little or no risk, instead of taking up the newer and better ways of the present, and striking out to get somewhere if we die in the attempt.

SINCE it is a state of mind that is holding us back, it follows that this state of mind must be changed if we are to go forward. The way to change a state of mind is by substituting new ideas for old ideas.

SO WE come back to the newspapers, whose leadership is exercised by the dissemination of ideas.

This writer, who knows the newspaper men of Oregon, knows them to be able and sincere and eager above all else to see Oregon occupying her rightful place in the procession of progress, which is well up toward the head, appeals to them to take their share of the burden of CHANGING the state of mind which is holding Oregon back.

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Gas is Effective
Gas is Convenient
Gas is Dependable

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"The first normal bowel movement I have had in years I owe to Sargon Soft Mass Pills. My gratitude to the Sargon treatment is beyond words."—Mrs. Wm. N. Cochran, 1147 Harrison St., Portland, Ore.

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