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A NEW EMPIRE OF THE NORTH

Vilhjalmur Stefansson says the age of exploration of the Arctic regions is past and that the age of commercial development has begun.

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SWEARING BEFORE CHILDREN.

The other night we heard a father swearing before his young son. The father is a good father, proud of his boy and probably gave little thought to what he was doing.

When a mother teaches a child that swearing is wrong, what must the child think of the father who rips out an oath when something goes wrong?

That county fair this month must be the best one ever. St. Helens is a better town today than it was last year and Columbia county is a better county than ever before.

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INTERESTING ITEMS OF BY-GONE DAYS

HaPpenings in St. Helens and Nearby Communities as Chronicled in The Mist, Aug. 31, 1894

Yankton is the name which has been selected for the new post office to be established as what has been heretofore known as Mainville.

The sawmill at Vernonia was destroyed by fire on Wednesday night of last week. It is generally believed that the work was that of an incendiary who might have had some grievance against the mill company.

Mrs. F. L. Clear and Mrs. James Sheldon while out driving near Mainville last Friday, met with a serious accident. The horses became frightened and ran away throwing both occupants out of the vehicle.

Orpheus Lodge, K. of P. of Portland will give an excursion to St. Helens next Tuesday night.

E. E. Quick and S. Saulser were over at Vernonia Friday and came home Sunday.

W. B. Dillard is mingling with the festive trout at South Scappoose creek this week.

A merry camping party consisting of Thomas Cooper and wife, Misses Lou and Bernice Crouse and W. I. Sweetland left town Monday morning with full camping equipment for Scappoose creek where they will spend the greater part of this week.

W. T. Watts, the Scappoose sawmill man, was in town Monday.

The fill across Merrill lake at Deer Island is completed and County Judge Blanchard inspected and accepted the work last Tuesday.

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Strikes in 1921 cost labor \$132,000,000 in wages, according to estimates made by the national industrial conference board.

This year's strike bill is going to be still heavier. And to what purpose? The outcome, time and again, is only the temporary settlement of a single issue.

China owes much money to Europe, fully intends to pay—which is not the European fashion, and makes this suggestion:

"Let China pay gradually to the United States all she owes to Europe and let the amounts paid be deducted from Europe's debt to America."

The Chinese are an honest race—none on earth more so. They pay their debts and Japanese bankers hire them for positions of trust.

IRISH ARMY LEADER



Michael Collins, recently assassinated, was the potent factor in the rise to freedom of the Irish Free State, in the uniform of the Commander-in-Chief of the National Forces.

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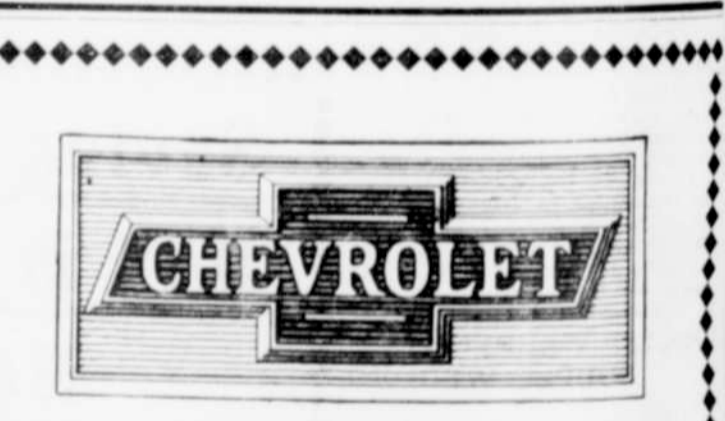
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