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Louis Simpson Gets Busy.

PORTLAND, Dec. 12. (Special.)—When Louis J. Simpson, of North Bend, learned that he was appointed Coos and Curry county chairman of the Christmas membership drive for the American Red Cross, he got busy at once.

Not only did he complete organization inside two days of every precinct in the two counties, but he made the remarkable offer that he would finance any citizen of those counties who was unable to put up the \$1 required for membership in the Red Cross.

"I will provide the \$1 membership fee for everyone in Coos or Curry counties who furnishes a genuine excuse for inability to join the Red Cross," said Mr. Simpson.

If any such are found the names

will be turned in by campaign workers and each will secure a membership with the compliments of Mr. Simpson.

Mr. Simpson declared that both Coos and Curry counties will go over their quotas when he called at campaign headquarters in Portland. Henry E. Reed, state campaign manager, assured him there were other counties that would equal his record, if not surpass it.

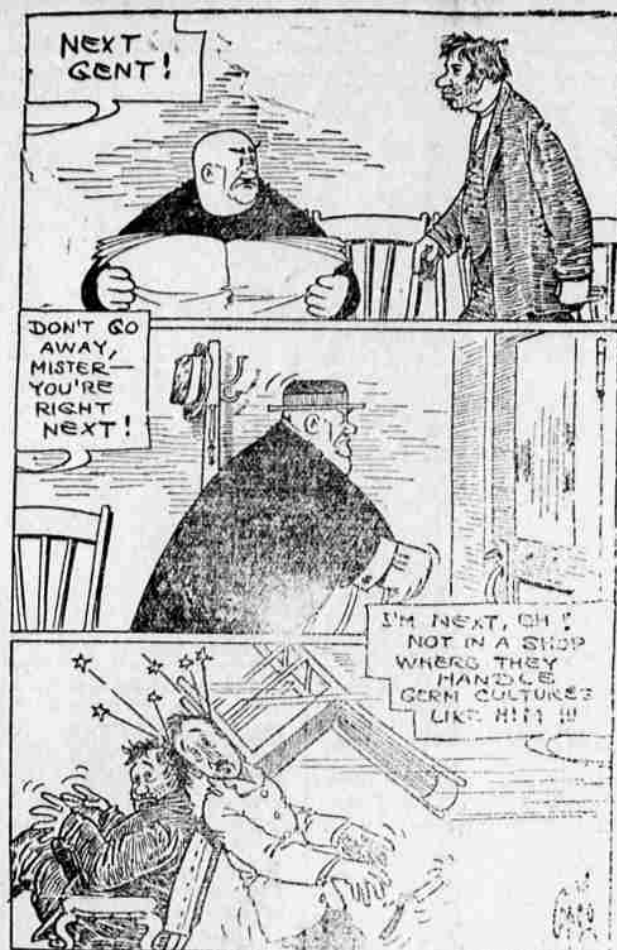
Smelt Are Late.

PORTLAND, Dec. 12.—Columbia river smelt evidently have become an ally of the central powers.

Smelt usually make their appearance in the Columbia before Thanksgiving, but to date none have arrived.

Donald—Feed mill and warehouse to be built here.

OUTBURSTS OF EVERETT TRUE



RIDDING THE FLOCK OF TUBERCULOSIS

If your chickens are free from tuberculosis, every precaution, within reason, should be taken to keep that freedom. I don't know that it is spreading any faster than usual, but the interchange of birds, the buying of fowls on the open market for fattening purposes and allowing chickens to follow infected herds of cattle are some of the things that spread the disease, says a writer in Farm Progress.

Tuberculosis is tuberculosis wherever it is found. If there happen to be a consumptive patient in the family or near the premises, see that the birds are kept away from any and all the patient's secretions. If the common-sense plan of burning the sputum and all other discharges is adopted, there will be little danger from this source.

A chicken that acquires tuberculosis is a menace to the whole flock. Fowls suffering from this disease scatter it through their droppings, from open breaks in the skin and from the secretions of the nose and mouth. The germs of the disease are dropped in the dust, they are scattered through the yards, in the scratching places and the dust holes and on the edges of feeding troughs and watering vessels.

Of course the best way of getting rid of the disease is to kill off the whole flock, burn the bodies, disinfect the premises and start all over again. But it is not very practical where you can ill afford the loss of the whole flock, to say nothing of having to start once more at the very beginning. This should not be done unless there is every indication that it is really tuberculosis that is killing off the birds. Sometimes the cholera is at fault when tuberculosis gets all the blame, but one is about as bad as the other.

If the disease is known to exist in the flock and it is decided to fight it, no half-way measures will be of any use. The fight will have to be persistent and radical measures must be used. Every bird that shows signs of the trouble may as well be killed at once. There will be enough of them infected without any early external indications to make the slaying of the evidently diseased ones a necessity.

Burn all the carcasses. There is no other way of getting rid of them. Where it is possible new yards and houses should be established for the apparently healthy birds. The old houses may as well be burned to the ground. They would be dangerous for years if allowed to stand.

Where the houses are well built and of a permanent character they should be left standing, but all the fixtures, nesting equipment and other fixtures, should be torn out and burned. Keep the droppings cleared away daily and use plenty of gericide on the walls, the floor and the roosts.

China's Great Man Power.

Of the 400,000,000 persons in China, it is estimated that at least 40,000,000 are men capable of carrying arms or doing some sort of labor directly connected with the war. Of this number, 2,000,000 are living within reasonable distance of transportation facilities and could be mobilized were it necessary. China has such an abundance of men that millions could be spared to the advantage of those remaining at home.

SUSPECT CABLE CONNECTS GERMANY AND ENGLAND

(United Press.) BUENOS AIRES, Nov. 15.—(By Mail.)—Submarine cable experts in Buenos Aires strongly suspect the existence of a cable connection between some northern point on the English or Scottish coast or one of the immediately adjacent British Isles to the northward and a port on the German seaboard, Emden being most frequently mentioned.

It is hard to tell whether this surmise is based only upon mere guesses by the cable experts here, upon hints from England or upon both theory and definite information.

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The supposition is that the cable, if one actually is in operation, was secretly laid before the war began, though perhaps a connection was not finally established until later, and that it has been in operation ever since.

The men who advance this supposition say the work of German air raiders upon the English coast and into the interior has been so accurate and up-to-date as practically to preclude the idea that the Germans lack telegraphic information. They assert that the operation of a secret wireless station of sufficient range to convey such information from the British Isles is a virtual impossibility, but that the thing might be done by cable.

Dinner to Miss Marvin—Miss Cornelia Marvin, state librarian, is in La Grande today. She will be the guest of the present members and the past members of the library board tomorrow night at dinner at 7 o'clock.

Hal Rees returned yesterday from a business trip to Spokane.

Geo. Gilbert of the Standard Laundry left for Puget Sound points on business.

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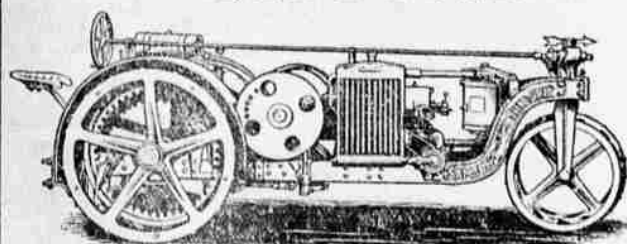
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