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### NAVY RECRUITING PARTY COME MONDAY

A navy recruiting party will arrive in the city some time Monday from Portland.

The navy is now short some 125,000 in personnel. The recent bill passed by congress provides that all reserve men must be paid off by September and this has been done as rapidly as possible, at the same time reducing the personnel of the navy to a great extent. A navy of 225,000 is wanted.

Men from 17 to 25 can enlist for the radio school or for the aviation mechanic schools without any previous training. The two principle schools are in Chicago and San Diego.

The recruiting party, which includes Ralph Carr, E. C. Gates, G. Corcoran and Captain Hardy, will be in the city three days. Just where their office will be is not yet decided.

### ANOTHER HOMER FOR BABE RUTH

(By Associated Press to The Observer) BOSTON, Sept. 20.—"Babe" Ruth increased his home run record to twenty-seven today, winning the game for Boston over Chicago. It was "Ruth Day" here.

### SIN FEIN PAPERS ARE SUPPRESSED

(By Associated Press to The Observer) DETROIT, Sept. 20.—Sin Fein newspapers offices were raided today by the military and suppressed.

### Hungary Being Stripped of Railway Equipment; Situation More Critical

(By Associated Press to The Observer) ST. LOUIS, Sept. 20.—The situation here is growing more critical as the result of the military stripping the country of the means of railway transportation. The food supply here is insufficient, according to reports.

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powered the people's commissioner to begin peace negotiations with the allies on the basis of conditions laid by them, according to reports received from Petrograd.

### AGAINST WAGES FOR WIVES

Gathering of Women Includes the Idea of Launching it as "Communisticaling via Heres"

Wages for wives were sprang today by an audience largely of women here the other night after a debate on whether husbands should be required to pay such wages, says the Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

One speaker drew a dismal picture of the future of romance with wives working for wages.

"Imagine a scene like this," he said: "Honey, do you love me?" "Of course I love you." "Then will you marry me?" "Well, maybe. How much do you pay?"

"Suppose the wives were to join the soviet of waiters-up and charge triple wages for waiting up nights for husbands," he said.

"Imagine a wife going into society and being labeled a \$15-a-week wife. A woman can take a last-year hat and make it look like new. But when she signed a contract for \$15 a week there would be no hiding it from the neighbors."

Another speaker pleaded that "women shall not be brought down from her pedestal as a queen and made a mere employee of man." In depicting the future of romance under the wage system he said the marriage ceremony would have to be revised to read:

"With this ring I hire thee, and will pay thee \$15 a week by the aid of the world, the flesh and the devil."

Notices like the following he predicted would be published:

"Married—John Brown and Mary Smith, by Rev. Russell H. Conwell. They will live in Logan and the wife's wages will be \$15 a week."

Scenes like the following in court were forecast:

"Judge, he hired me for \$20 a week and he is now two weeks overdue in my pay. I'm going to get a new boss."

### LOOKING AHEAD A FEW YEARS

Remarks That Will Be Merely Ordinary When the Billip Has Been Finally Perfected.

Augustus Tolliver, the soap king, strode wrathfully out of his stateroom aboard the billip and seized the arm of the porter.

"Idiot," he roared, "why didn't you give me a call this morning? I told you I had to be in London for a directors' meeting at 9 a. m. sharp, and now London is Lord knows how many thousands of miles in our rear."

"Ah pounded on yo' door, boss, but yo' refusal to waken," replied the porter.

The soap king pulled out a watch. "Eleven-thirty," he grunted disgustedly. "Where are we now?"

"Just passed over St. Louis, boss; we'll be back in N'Yawk at 12:05."

"Oh! well," said Tolliver, "I can attend that 12:30 meeting of the soap powder people and catch the 1:30 billip for London."

### Rat Skins for Leather.

The suggestion has been made that the rat problem might be best solved by making use of the skins of the rodents for the purpose of leather.

Somebody with the gift of guessing computes that there are 10,000,000 in this country, and the damage they do would take at least 5,000 skins a day to supply a small modern tannery.

Nobody wants the rats, they belong to anybody that can catch them. That is the problem—to catch them, and then deliver the goods. There is not enough leather to go around.

Fish skins are susceptible of tanning, and there are rat skins which make good leather, large enough for many purposes.

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### REMAINS SENT TO PORTLAND

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verse, but the movement was so sudden that he killed the engine, with two wheels between the railroad tracks. Before either had time to save themselves, the train was upon them, completely demolishing the roadster.

The train was stopped immediately and backed the five miles into Baker, where the body of Rush was taken to the West Undertaking parlors and Hormes was hurried to the hospital.

It is understood that the daughter, Miss Violet, is on her way west from Chicago, for which point she left some two weeks ago for the National Kindergarten school. The wife and three sons are all in Portland now.

The scene of the fatal accident was visited by F. A. Raach, of the public service commission, who made a thorough investigation and reported the accident to the state authorities. According to Raach, the only objection he could find to the crossing is there is a very steep pitch in the grade of the road on both approaches to the tracks, and it would be quite an easy matter for any person to stall an engine on that crossing.

No. 20. Report of the Condition of THE COVE STATE BANK At Cove, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, September 12, 1919.

Resources Loans and discounts ..... \$ 74,257.01 Bonds and warrants ..... 6,279.45 Banking house ..... 3,790.06 Furniture and fixtures ..... 1,000.00 Other real estate owned ..... 3,578.20 Due from approved reserve banks ..... 58,450.77 Cash on hand ..... 6,251.85 Total ..... \$153,657.48

Liabilities Capital stock paid in ..... \$ 15,000.00 Surplus fund ..... 2,400.00 Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid, ... 386.91 Individual deposits subject to check ..... 98,354.23 Demand certificates of deposit ..... 2,400.00 Time and savings deposits ..... 25,000.21 Other liabilities ..... 19.00 Total ..... \$153,657.48

STATE OF OREGON, County of Union, ss:

I, Hugh McCall, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HUGH McCALL, Cashier. CORRECT—Attest: E. C. Rees, C. M. Ramsdell, Hugh McCall Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of September, 1919.

JOHN DEAN, Notary Public. My commission expires November 26, 1920.

### REMEMBERING THE BOYS.

A friend of mine performed a wedding ceremony for a young couple in our home town, after which the bridegroom took all the money out of his pocket, which was 75 cents, and turned to my friend, the minister, and said: "I will have to keep 50 cents of this to buy cigars for the boys," and handed him the 25 cents for the fee.—Chicago Tribune.

### MUSTERED OUT OF SERVICE

(Continued from page three.)

tem co-operated in the most satisfactory manner, and due to their help it was possible for the Red Cross canteen of La Grande to render service which has given it an outstanding reputation through the entire western country.

Several talks were made last evening by the ladies showing the true metal that is in them. Assurance was given of continued action if ever the country needed their services again.

It must be remembered that the canteen was a distinct department of the Red Cross. It was placed under military supervision because it dealt directly with the soldiers and sailors. For this reason discharge of the workers is now in order and very proper. But the Red Cross proper is a lasting organization. It is permanent. The great work done by La Grande chapter is a matter of pleasant history now properly recorded in the archives of the government at Washington, D. C. There will be no complete disbanding of the Red Cross, for it must last indefinitely. The remarkable women throughout the two counties who have worked hard and prepared so much are members of the different branches and as such must remain in readiness to assist when emergency arises. The canteen members also remain members of the Red Cross organization, the only feature being eliminated is the canteen.

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