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CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER.

Bible Thought for Today

THE BEAUTY OF HOLINESS.
Give unto the Lord the glory due unto his name; bring an offering, and come before him; worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.—1 Chronicles 16:29

Is It Another World War?

The world is trembling again. Failing to put the Turk where he belonged when opportunity presented may have laid the foundation and set the stage for a Holy war in Europe. We say it may have done so. Along with every other fairminded person we sincerely hope not.

When England orders her fleet to the Dardanelles, when she calls to her colonies for seasoned troops to be ready, just bear in mind that there is something more serious on right now than celebrating the Fourth of July.

England sees a peril also she would not shake the world with her orders. She sees danger to civilization lurking ready to strike. She sees the Christian people and the white race standing on the precipice fighting for their existence; fighting to keep the colored races from using their large numbers to overflow the white man and the Christian era.

Perhaps England is mistaken. Let us hope that she is. But in case she is not, there is little use to stand by and refuse to look Europe's situation straight in the face.

Getting ready for the county fair does not require near as much time as it once did. The new dresses and new harness of the old days are little thought of now. But, again we say, things have changed since father was a boy.

For fifty years the Grange has been consistently working to help the farmer. It has helped a great deal. It has made life worth while on the farm for it has advanced the social side of life very much.

Hall says of course he will run for governor. Why, certainly, he will run like a three legged donkey at a county fair. Hall's running days are over. He has guinnied up the cards.

Anyway, with all the world's troubles heaping up, this Indian summer in the Grande Ronde is the same good old brand that our forefathers had and so thoroughly enjoyed.

But there'll be some awful big pumpkins at that Elgin fair.

There are Round-Up days, and let us pick.

Editorials From Over the Nation

HELPING HUSBANDS.

Springfield, Ohio, News: If England whenever a man becomes involved in the political affairs of this or that district, his wife is generally found fighting by his side, making speeches, distributing political cards or in other ways mixing with the electorate. And the same is true about the men, when their wives chance to be candidates for some office. It is no uncommon sight for the wife to stand by the district for her husband, and the eloquence and appeal which women make, among their own as well as among the opposite sex, is pretty well recognized in Europe. We do not see much of this sort of thing in America. Why?

The question is not easy to answer. In some instances—perhaps in most cases—women haven't believed in the political affairs of the country to the same extent they are in England. Women's native disposition tends to remain in the background and "let the men fight it out," as we say in the expression. But the time is coming, if it is not already here, when the woman enters in the political campaign, going to have a lot to do with the ultimate results. And when she helps husbands in campaigns will be found in larger numbers in the immediate future than today.

SEEING OURSELVES AS OTHERS SEE US.
Capper's Weekly: The coal operators have broken away from the "right price" agreements they made several weeks ago and are charging the consumer what they think is well paid. As Secretary of Commerce Hawley makes this report we cannot doubt it speaks truly.

A letter to Capper's Weekly from a big business man writes that the members of every craft would step in front of a looking glass and take a square look at the man who fails to practice the Golden Rule.

The idea may be a good one, but we would extend it a little farther. We believe every man who stands in front of a looking glass, and sees only the glass himself, before he becomes too much critical of his neighbors and their faults, should look at his own reflection in the looking glass, and see what he looks like.

Generally, what we need in these times is a little more of the Golden Rule. It is not enough to see things from his angle. We need to see things from his angle. We need to see things from his angle. We need to see things from his angle.

SEGAR.
Empire Gazette: The tariff is a backslider. For years it has been the right to rob us of our money, and now it is the right to rob us of our money. It is the right to rob us of our money. It is the right to rob us of our money.

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THE OFFICE CAT

—BY JUNIUS—



SILLY, AIN'T IT?

Has he gone?
Is he gone?
Has he left me all alone.
He can never go to bed,
His can never come to bed,
It cannot be.

"What a funny little thing
A frog are!
Ain't he got no tail!
Almost hardly
When he hops, he jumps;
And when he jumps he sits
On his little tail!
What he ain't got
Almost hardly!"

A WISE BIRD

"Why have I never married?" the old bachelor said in reply to a leading question.
"Well, once upon a time, in a crowd, I trod on a lady's gown. She turned indignantly, beginning, 'You clumsy brute! Then she smiled sweetly, and said, 'Oh, I beg your pardon. I thought you were my husband.' No, it really doesn't matter the least. And when I came to think it over, I decided that maybe I'd just as well let marriage alone."

MODERNITY

Love comes once in a life-time, and then again and again.
The consolation of the rejected is that he lives to try again.

HEAD LANGUAGE

"Take this seat."
"What'll you have?"
"Here's your number."
"Yes. Two good seats left."
"Madam, does my petticoat show?"
"Thanks for the tip, sir."
"Police captures burglar."
"Take a souvenir home."
"Fried oyster here."
"Help yourself."
"I beg pardon."
"Have one on me."

We'll wait for this same wealth just about twenty years.

Will the ladies with bobbed hair look good in the office? Bobbed hair and high heels surely go together.

I don't matter much if you are broke, provided your spirit isn't.

It isn't polite to do it, but there are a lot of folks that need a good kicking after they are down.

WAIL OF A JUNE BRIDE.
When the last wedding silver is laid to rest.

And the bride's behavior has dried.
When all the rice has vanished.
And the old shoes look ashy.

We shall find, and faith we shall prove it.
That our friends didn't speak quite true.

When they said that the cost of living
Was as much for one as for two.

GAME COMMISSION RESTRICTS FISHING IN LADD CREEK

In a recent letter received by the secretary of the Wing, Fin and Fleet Club of La Grande, A. E. Burgh, State game warden, stated that the Game Commission had made a ruling that had to do with fishing in Ladd Creek. The letter is as follows:

"Complying with your request contained in letter of July 26th, the Game Commission at its meeting September 11th, passed an order regulating fishing in Ladd Creek, the order stating that it shall be unlawful to fish in Ladd Creek by any means whatsoever between the 15th day of July of each year to the 15th day of April of the following year.

"This order, coming at this late date, will not do much good this season, but it is the first opportunity our commission had to act on this matter since receiving your letter.

"With respect to getting some trout to be planted in your section of the country, please be advised that it is impossible for us to secure any trout this season, but if we get any next spring I will see that you get some for that section.

Yours very truly,
A. E. BURGH,
State Game Warden.

The letter is addressed to A. V. Andrews, secretary of the club, and is received by local sportsmen with delight.

OLCOTT SUES COSTER FOR RECOUNT COST

SALEM, Ore., Sept. 18.—Judge Coster today ordered William R. OLCOTT to pay \$2,000 costs against R. E. Coster, Jr., who had filed by attorneys for Governor OLCOTT in the Marion county circuit court today.

Coster was plaintiff in the contest instituted by OLCOTT against OLCOTT's nomination as the republican candidate for governor.

Contact expense incurred by Governor OLCOTT will exceed \$250, according to attorneys for OLCOTT, but only the amount of Coster's bond can be collected.

Thirty-four items of expense are listed in the record filed by OLCOTT, which is filed in OLCOTT's favor, for which there is a \$2,000 bond.

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PENDLETON IS READY TO PUT ON ROUND-UP

Everything Ready for Thirtieth Annual Round-Up to be Held September 21, 22 and 23.

(Special to The Observer)
PENDLETON, Sept. 18.—Pendleton is ready to stage its thirtieth annual Round-Up, September 21, 22 and 23.

A thousand banners flutter in the clear September air; in the Round-Up stables wild Mexican steers, fleet horses and bucking bronks are awaiting the events of the track and arena; the Indians have pitched their tents on the Round-Up grounds; cowboys and cowgirls are gathering and have entered the lists.

Among the sons and daughters of the range who are here for the show are Yukina Canutt and Hugh Strickland, holders of the world championship records in the bucking contests; Curdell, the champion all-around champion cowboy last year; Tommy Grimes, champion steer roper; Lorena Trickey, world's champion cowgirl and winner of the McAlpin trophy; Louisa Card Glover, Mabel DeLong Strickland, Vera McGinnis, clever girl riders, and scores of other performers who will win the superb livestock contest by the Round-Up Association, act as co-stars in the great outdoor drama.

One of the new features this year will be the announcement of events and winners by means of a radio magnavox. Three of these have been installed and will enable every person, from Grandstand to the remotest corner of the bleachers, to hear all announcements.

Among the special trains which will visit the Round-Up are the following: The Portland 1925 Special, to arrive Thursday; the Oregon Journal and T. P. A. Specials, to arrive Friday; and the Spokane special, to arrive Saturday.

Leading all parades will be Queen Theima Thompson. She will wear a cowgirl costume of white fringed buckskin and will ride a black horse. With her, also in cowgirl costume and mounted on white horses, will be her maids, Miss Edna Stone, of Portland, Miss Jessie Drumheller of Waha, Wyo., and Miss Althea Thompson, of La Grande. Each member of the quintet of attractive maids is an accomplished horsewoman.

ELGIN FAIR HAS PREMIUM LIST

Elgin, Oregon, whose people had the courage to say to the world that they are going to have a Union County Fair at Elgin this year, has issued a premium list, and, true to the Elgin spirit, liberal prizes are offered in every department, which is used in a first class county fair. Added to this is the Speed Ring, which furnishes very fine attraction with ample purses for each event. The fact that H. H. Weatherston, E. G. Bailey, Lee Tuttle, S. E. Harris, Guy L. Patton, Bernard D. Hines, and E. L. Chandler constitute the Board of Directors is sufficient proof that the fair at Elgin will not only be a successful event from the point of exhibits and display, but that it will also be an opportune occasion where the people of Union county can thoroughly enjoy themselves.

MARION COUNTY SERVICE FLAG

SALEM, Sept. 18.—A gold star on which will be engraved the names of all Marion county men and women who lost their lives in the service of their country during the World War will be placed on a redwood tree here, according to a decision reached by the Salem chapter of the American War Mothers.

The number of men and women whose names will be engraved on the memorial is not accurately known as yet, according to Mrs. J. A. Carson, president of the war mothers. However, a complete check of all veterans entitled to the recognition will be made as a complete record of all those who made the supreme sacrifice.

The redwood tree will be surrounded by an iron fence and the gold star tablet will be illuminated at night, Mrs. Carson added. All branches of the service will be included in the memorial, Mrs. Carson said.

The tree on which the memorial will be placed has been the center of much interest here for the past few weeks. About a month ago the city council voted that the tree, which is in Sumner street, should be cut down so as not to endanger traffic. Many local residents were opposed to seeing the tree go, as it has a number of historical associations. A resolution has been circulated asking the council to rescind its action, and A. N. Bush, of this city, has offered to furnish all material necessary for having the tree lighted, and to arrange for suitable protection for traffic.

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OUR SCHOOL SHOES

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STYLISH COATS

For the Little Miss

Are attracting the attention of the girls and their mothers too. Our selection this season is unusually large. Coats in many different materials—some with fur collars and cuffs and some plain. They have belts and large pockets—following very latest styles. These are for girls of 8 years to 16 years, and are priced from \$9.00 to \$25.00.

They are "Gage" Hats for her, too—just like mother's.

PREDICT CHANGE IN LOGGING

Belief that recent national legislation permitting the exchange of privately owned logged off lands for government stumpage will result in logging methods which will mean continuous reforestation rather than logging so intensive that reforestation is made virtually impossible, is expressed by William L. Hall, timber exchange expert at Chicago, formerly of the United States forest service, says a Portland daily. Hall arrived in Portland after spending several days in Bend investigating cut-over land which may be considered in early exchanges. "The principle underlying the enactment of the legislation," said Hall, "was that the federal government alone is able to grow timber for future generations, and in order to do this to advantage, it is necessary to have control of all the lands which are suitable only to the growing of timber, and to have these lands in a corporate body. "In Oregon alone," continued Hall, "there are over 2,250,000 acres of privately owned lands lying within the boundaries of the national forests. These lands were acquired prior to the creation of the national forests and their disposition is a problem that has received much consideration, resulting in the passage of the exchange bill.

"Private owners were seldom concerned when they logged their lands, in adopting methods which would protect their young trees, preserve the humus in the soil, and insure an early reforestation of the cut over lands. They were not concerned for the reason that they knew that raising another crop of trees was beyond their province. It was a function of government rather than that of the individual."

"In some instances, a marked change is already noticeable in logging methods since the adoption of this legislation. The logger is now cutting the trees with a view of preserving the young growth, and care is being exercised in burning the brush so as to preserve the humus of the soil, and meet the requirements of the government."

"One company, which recently acquired a piece of timber from the forest service, not only followed government regulations to the letter in logging the tract, but afterward continued application of the rules practically intact in its own timber, with the result that the later cut over areas contain all the smaller timber, 12 inches and under, and that great care is taken in burning, thus preserving the underbrush, the seedlings and the humus of the soil.

"As a contrast to these tracts we saw areas where unrestricted logging methods were used and where a number of years ago and only now have the seedlings taken root in the soil which was rendered unproductive when unchecked fires swept the cut over lands.

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