



### Corsets Are Not What They Used to Be

The corset for spring is a supple thing, low in the back, by way of compromise, but higher in front, and rather well boned. The new Gosard, front lace, and Warner, back lace, for spring are here, and choice should be made before selecting what is going to be worn on top of them.

HILL'S DEPT STORE

### MANY PRODUCTS HANDLED DAILY

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Mar. 8.—Vegetables and fruit made heavy demands on the transportation facilities of the country last year, a total of 430,000 cars having been required for carload shipments of fourteen fruits and vegetables. The department of agriculture announces: An average of 1,892 carloads was handled every day throughout the year, indicating the extent to which these fourteen farm products is moved from one part of the country to another. Last year's carload movement exceeded that of 1921 by 32,428 carloads, while the average for the six-year period, 1917-1922, was 324,157 carloads. The carload shipments of 1922 were:

Cars	
White potatoes	240,419
Apples	91,318
Grapes	56,825
Watermelons	46,559
Cabbage	38,491
Peaches	37,729
Cantaloupes	31,991
Onions	26,414
Tomatoes	26,152
Lettuce	21,823
Sweet potatoes	20,417
Pears	18,709
Strawberries	18,672
Celery	12,445

### DRUG HABIT IS EL PASO CURSE

(By Associated Press) EL PASO, Tex., Mar. 8.—El Paso has a drug problem of its own, and according to city and county officials, it is a serious one. Mrs. Emma Webster, county probation officer, in a statement asserts that more than 100 boys here are confirmed drug addicts. Half she is confronted by heart broken parents, who have just found that their children are using narcotics in some form. One belief expressed by those who claim to know is that a modern "Fagin" is teaching young people to use narcotics. Stunglers are believed to be the chief source of the supply. Mrs. Webster said that many children in Juarez are forming the habit or already are confirmed addicts to the use of various drugs. Curiosity is one of the chief factors in the forming of the habit, authorities say as many will try it once, ignorant of the misery that follows. A few years ago, according to Corporation Judge Charles Pollock, one could have counted the drug users on the fingers of one hand. Now he says, there is an average of one a day at least before him, not counting the many who fall into the hands of Federal officers and are sent to Leavenworth prison for cure. Drug addicts are not now confined to the poverty stricken, but are found in all walks of life, from the poorest to the members of rich social circles, college boys and girls and various employees of the business world, according to these authorities. Judge Manuel Ayala, of the Juarez lower court, declares that the tricks employed by the narcotic vendors are many and varied and constitute a difficult problem for the officers. One trick was discovered when a man was arrested for selling small match boxes to boys at 25 cents each. Investigation proved that a drug was wrapped in small papers and hidden beneath the matches. Another case is the hiding of the drug in cigarette packages.

### GIBBON PEOPLE SHORT OF HAY

GIBBON, Mar. 8.—Gibbon has three inches of snow on Sunday night but almost all of it melted Monday. Most of the ranchers are out of hay, and Harry Morris, Mr. Cantrell and Mr. Matt were in Gibbon Monday to try to buy some, but there was none to be had. John Thompson has ordered a carload which is expected to arrive almost any day. There was a fine dance at the Guy Hays home Saturday night. J. S. Rose and sons furnished the music and there was a large attendance. Supper was served after the dance. Misses Hazel, Gladys and Edna Cook of Pendleton spent the week-end in Gibbon, the guests of J. S. Rose and family. They attended the dance given Saturday night. Mr. Hazen relieved Mr. Cook of his duty as operator for a few days while Mr. Cook's sister, Mrs. Allen, and her 15-year-old son of Salem, Oregon, stopped off for a visit with Mr. Cook. They were returning from a trip to Chicago where they went to have the son's voice recorded, the boy sings fine and has a promising voice. Mrs. Mae Wells, second trick operator here, made a business trip to Pendleton Saturday. Lewis Bergman and wife went to Pendleton Sunday. Miss Ewgen Williams and brother, Burrell, went to Kamela Saturday to attend the dance. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bonifer went to Pendleton Monday. Bert Rose left for Portland Sunday night. J. S. Rose went to Pendleton Monday. Bob Gray, signal maintainer here, is on the sick list. The R. I. company's doctors came up to see him Friday night. Mrs. Bob Gray left for Hot Lake last night.

where she will spend some time. Mr. and Mrs. Cook, railroad agent, went to Pendleton Saturday. Mr. McLaughlin and wife went to Pendleton Saturday. Mrs. Itchell Itchy and Mrs. Ralph Farrow were also among the visitors to Pendleton Saturday. Miss Florence Kruckshank, Gibbon's teacher, went to La Grande for the week-end. HARRISBURG SCHOOLS CLOSED HARRISBURG, Ore., Mar. 8.—The local schools were closed today while workmen installed a new furnace in the school building. The work had been in process since last Friday.



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### METAL INQUIRY BOARD IS NAMED

Senator Passes Resolution Calling for Creation of Silver and Gold Inquiry Commission.

### DOORS OF RUSSIAN SHOPS ARE CLOSED

(By Associated Press) MOSCOW, Feb. 3. (By Mail).—High rentals exacted by the government, and high taxes imposed upon business brought about the closing of scores of shops all over Russia during the month of January. Private merchants who last summer wore smiles of contentment and felt that the era of free trade meant high profits and a return to the conditions of the days before the war, are now lugubriously wondering how to make ends meet. In some localities of Moscow, particularly in the principal shopping streets, the rentals imposed for 1923 are three times the gold value of before the war. One dealer in agricultural implements closed his shop when he found that the space occupied by one plough during the month cost more in ground rental than the value of the plough. Protests against this situation have been made by a number of private merchants, but the openly announced policy of the government which contemplates the favoring of government trusts in order to drive private competitors out of the market, apparently is being enforced.

### 41 Year Old Captain Graduates With Honors

(By Associated Press) LEXINGTON, Mar. 8.—When W. M. Phipps, captain of the 149th Infantry during the World war, receives his degree "with high distinction" from the University of Kentucky in June he will be the first student that has gone through the institution without having had high school work. Incidentally, Capt. Phipps' seven-year-old grandson will be an interested observer at the commencement exercises. The rules of the university permit students who are of age to enter as special students without the usual entrance requirements, and to be graduated only if sufficient standing is maintained. Four years ago Capt. Phipps entered the university for training under the provision of the Veterans' Bureau and matriculated as a special student. He was 40 years old at the time. Capt. Phipps preparatory work was done in the country schools near his home. "When I was a lad," the captain explained, "there were no high schools in forty miles of me. I have no entrance credits to offer." Wounded during the war, Capt. Phipps declared that he wished to study for a life of quiet on the farm. He has won distinction in chemistry, his favorite study, and is interested in soil technology. A few politicians think they are public servants; but most of them think they are public opinion.

### LINN TAXES \$1,109,371

ALBANY, Ore., Mar. 8.—Tax statements are being issued for Linn county by the sheriff's office and the total number is given a 12,000. This will bring \$1,109,371.13 into the public funds. The assessed valuation is given at \$29,871,618.

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LAST DAY

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**USE PARACHUTE**

RANTOUL, Ill., Mar. 8.—All persons filing in government owned aircraft are now required to wear a parachute on every flight, according to officers at Champaign Field here. A parachute course has been added to the training courses at the field and during the last year, fifteen naval air service and marine air service men came here from the United States and Hawaiian departments for instruction in this course. The course is extended over ten weeks of intensive training during which time each student is required to make several jumps and is instructed in the care, construction, repair and use of the parachute. The air service has adopted two styles of parachute, according to the officials. One is the seat pack and the other the lay pack. The seat pack folds up and sets as a cushion for the man to sit on. Both styles are about 28 feet in diameter when open and are made of a high grade silk, having a tensile strength of 45 pounds to the square inch. These styles have been in use for about one year and in date have never failed to open, according to the officials, who state that thousands of tests have been made under every possible condition, such as using knots in the cords, folding the parachute in packages and releasing them in all kinds of weather. It is stated that when the riser cord is pulled the parachute will open in about three-fifths of a second and with a two hundred pound weight attached will fall at the rate of about 16 feet a second.

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