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WHILE YOU WORK IN YOUR GARDEN

The next time you are out turning the soil in your garden think about the following beautiful words written by Hobart Franks:

"Today I picked up a clod from my yard, broke it, and as it sifted through my fingers I realized for the first time that this was more than dust: this was a tiny piece of America! I owned a rare treasure—a bit of the only soil left in the world today where a man can stand free and unafraid, I was standing on a piece of America, a few feet around and a thousand miles deep! Here alone in all the world could I build my future, knowing that it would be secure; and rear my children with the assurance that they, and their children, could enjoy that same security. I could stand on my piece of America, think freely and say what I thought, do what I pleased, shrink from no man, and call upon whatever God I chose. Three deeds protect my land. One is locked in my strong box—my purchase deed. The others are enshrined and locked in the hearts of every American—the Declaration of Independence, and the Constitution. I am a fortunate man, the indisputable owner of my own life, and the land on which to live it. I am an American!"—Selected.

AND THE ACCIDENT TOLL RISES

Perhaps the mounting accident toll over the state in recent weeks may have impressed you or maybe you missed reading about several traffic deaths caused from trying to drive too fast in a fog. For the next few weeks fogs will take their toll of lives on the highway unless extreme care is used. The best of fog lights and the most careful driving might not save your life, but these safety devices will help.

Another thing to remember, too, is that thin, worn tires won't stand the prewar speed limits. A good many question the right of the state to remove the war-time speed limit with the average tire in an unsafe condition.

STILL THE SAME OLD PROBLEM

If you read the old file column of news from the Sentinel 30, 20 and 10 years ago you will note that the business people created the same problem a few years ago as they are doing now by parking their cars along the main drag and leaving them parked all day. It's a short-sighted policy.

It does not make sense to try and go to work to invite customers into town and then proceed to use the most convenient parking places to leave the family auto all day long, while people who are in a hurry to do their shopping must either double park or park away so far the walking is uncomfortable.

Guy Smith, chief of police, has a good plan to secure two or three parking lots, fix them up and persuade the business people to use the lots. So far this has not been done because difficulties have been encountered in trying to get the lots, but this is still a possibility, if the business men will have energy enough to use them.

Leaving the parking space for the out-of-town shoppers to use costs a little courtesy and a little effort, but it's worth it and we mean also the curbstone brokers.

And above all don't ache about this being a one horse town, if you are not willing to do something about it.

OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat

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MARTIN MOTORS

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AMERICAN HEROES

by WOODY COWAN



PVT. E. E. FRYAR single-handedly destroyed twenty-seven Japs in a rifle fight on Leyte Island and saved the life of his commanding officer. When a Nip rifleman arose from a ditch alongside the road and aimed at Fryar's platoon leader, the private jumped in front of his lieutenant and received seven bullet wounds in his chest and stomach. A medal of honor was awarded to Pvt. Fryar. At home we can help to keep such heroes adequately fed and equipped by buying War Bonds.

U. S. Treasury Department

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From Old Files

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Frost and Mrs. Thompson visited at John Allen's Sunday.

20 YEARS AGO

A petition presented this week to the county court asked for construction of a three mile road to connect Lynx Hollow with Cottage Grove-Lorane highway.

Oregon world war veterans who accepted the cash bonus from the state have until June 30, 1926 to return the money and make application for state loan.

The city property on reservoir hill is to be fenced with wire.

Mrs. F. M. Hambrick of this city and Mrs. Lucy Armstrong of Eugene returned Sunday from a visit in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McQueen, Miss Kathryn McQueen and Jerry Wilkinson motored into Bohemia.

Mrs. S. L. Mackin was hostess to the Utopia club this afternoon.

10 YEARS AGO

Criticism of business persons for parking cars for long periods on Main street has been voiced by rural residents who come to town on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schaefer, Miss Florine Strausen, George Trembley and Fritz Horn spent Sunday at Florence.

Miss Carolyn Grannis, U. of O. student, spent the week end at home here.

The William Petersen family visited at Grants Pass Sunday.

Damon Scott was in Portland several days this week on business.

Remove Mildew

When mildew is found on linens, wash with soap and water and hang to dry in a sunny spot. For stubborn mildewed areas, cover the affected places with lemon juice and salt, then hang in the sun. A more drastic treatment is in order for mildew spots that have a firmer start. Soak white fabrics in a sodium perborate solution of about four tablespoons to each pint of soapy water. (This is the same sodium perborate commonly used as a mouth wash.) Rinse thoroughly and hang in the sunniest and airiest place you can find.

Veterans Seek Farm Aid From Co. Agents

Veterans in steadily increasing numbers are making requests for agricultural information and assistance in all parts of the state, according to reports from county agents received by William L. Teutsch, assistant director of extension at Oregon State college. These increasing requests reflect the more rapid rate of discharge which is expected to see an estimated total of from 5000 to 8000 Oregon servicemen released between now and the end of the year.

Many of the services available to veterans at the county agent offices result from the formation in every county of a veterans' advisory committee, consisting of local farmers and civic leaders, many of whom are veterans themselves. Most of these committees have developed either printed or mimeographed reports on agricultural conditions and opportunities in each county. These reports are available free of charge.

Services available at all county agent offices include subject-matter information, latest information on agricultural opportunities in each county, examples of sound lease and purchase contracts and up-to-date information for those who want to work on farms or who seek further agricultural education. In addition, all home economics extension units are completing plans to contact families of veterans, invite the wives to make use of the extension services in homemaking and to enter into the activities of the local extension unit.

Custard Sauce

A custard sauce, served at room temperature, tastes sweeter than the same sauce made into frozen custard.

CITY CAB

PHONE 97

Office at Greyhound Bus Depot

Rates Out of Town



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Your local representative for STANDARD OF CALIFORNIA

Sheep Numbers in World Show Drop; Wool Stock Big

World sheep numbers in 1945 are placed at 718 million head, or 8 percent less than the wartime peak reached in 1942, and 5 percent less than the average for the 5-year period from 1936 to 1940. The greatest decreases have been in the United States, Australia, the union of South Africa and Uruguay.

The decrease is attributed to several factors. These include rising costs of production, large accumulations of wool on hand, and severe drought in Australia, the union of South Africa, and some parts of Argentina. The wool situation is still somewhat complicated by very large holdings, however.

Stocks in five southern hemisphere exporting countries are now around 3 billion pounds. Except in Argentina, most of this wool is held by the British government. The increase in stocks has been at the rate of about 500 million pounds a year, but the increase is expected to be checked as world trade is resumed following the war. In the prewar years, the total international trade in wool was around 2 billion pounds a year, with the usual carry-over only around 200 million pounds.

Wool production in the United States in 1945, at nearly 323 million pounds, is the smallest since 1928. It is 7 percent less than 1944 and 18 percent below the record clip of 1942. There was a proportionate decrease in the number of sheep. The number shorn in 1945 was 8 percent smaller than in 1944 and 18 percent below 1942. The lamb crop in 1946 probably will be smaller even than this year owing to somewhat fewer ewes being kept.

The farm price of wool in Oregon at mid-September was 159 percent of 1935-1939. The United States average price is about 130 percent of parity. Wool prices probably will be sustained somewhere near present levels by the government support program that applies to all wool offered to the

JUST WHAT IS CHIROPRACTIC?

Chiropractic is a system of restoring and maintaining health through the correction of structural misalignments of the human framework, particularly the spine with the object of removing stresses and strains on nerves and on internal organs. This method is performed by the hands, no drugs being administered.

DR. H. A. HAGEN

Migraine Headaches

Migraine headaches occur in both sexes, although they are two or three times as frequent in women as in men. Symptoms include a dull or throbbing pain, blurring vision, dark spots before the eyes, bright flashes of light, double vision, dizziness, numbness or tingling of the hands or feet, flushing, chills and pallor.

Rich in Vitamin C

Nasturtium leaves furnish an excellent source of vitamin C, having been found to contain four times as much vitamin C as an equal amount of lettuce.

THOUGHTLETS

By Carl B. Balch

Principle should never be sacrificed for popularity.

"Double talk" is not confined to professional politicians.

If we are not careful this nation will become a labor dictatorship. Truth told tactlessly is often worse than silence.

An outward personal charm may conceal a vicious and depraved spy.

Sometimes the only value of an antique is its antiquity.

By the same token, mere newness does not recommend something new.

Religion that does not reach the purse is empty.

If beverage alcohol is not harmful why are liquor stores closed at times of great emergency?

Every person demands honesty from the other fellow.

Every man measures his neighbor's motives by his own.

Froth and frivolity furnish false fun.

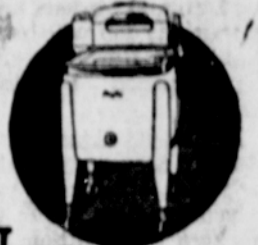
Medicine Wheel

The "Medicine Wheel," high on the Big Horn mountains in northern Wyoming, is constructed of stones forming a circle 78 feet in diameter. Other rocks, projecting from an altar-like hub, form 28 spokes and six small cairns on the rim. Who built the stone wheel and why are mysteries.

Seed Corn

If one detassels five acres, the seed from those acres will produce 50,000 bushels of corn.

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Under present conditions, we, the undersigned, believe that it will be to the best interest of our patrons as well as ourselves to shorten our store hours, therefore beginning Saturday, October 20, we will open for business at 9:00 A. M. and close at 6:00 P. M. each week day including Saturdays.

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