It depends altogether upon the size of the pocketbook. If she is rich, she is temperamental;" if she is comfortably well off, she is "afflicted with nerves," while if she is poor in this world's goods, she is just an ordinary "scold."

Come early if you want the one you want at 1|3 off, Georgette Crepe Waist. Raders.

Some people are so public spirited they want a dollar's worth of advertising for every nickel they spend in building up this town. They get it—and realize it when too late.

15 fancy silk skirts at $14.98, value, $30.00, Raders.

In the old days a poor appetite was a cause for complaint. Now it is one for thanks.

America

... thee,
Sweet ... of liberty,
Of thee I sing:
Land where my fathers died,
Land of the pilgrims' pride,
From every mountainside
Let Freedom ring.

My native country, thee,
Land of the noble free—
Thy name I love;
I love thy rocks and rills,
Thy woods and templed hills;
My heart with rapture thrills
Like that above.

Let music swell the breeze,
And ring from all the trees
Sweet Freedom's song;
Let mortal tongues awake,
Let all that breathe partake,
Let rocks their silence break—
The sound prolong.

Our fathers' God, to thee,
Author of liberty,
To thee we sing;
Long may our land be bright
With Freedom's holy light;
Protect us by thy might,
Great God, our King.
—SAMUEL FRANCIS SMITH



## FARM REMINDERS

**Seasonal Suggestions on Things Often Overlooked, As Seen By The State College**

Poultry— A college bred hen whose commendable effore in making an egg-laying record makek her a figure of some inportance, is reported from G. W. Coon, Corvallis. She laid 89 eggs without skip to June 2, and shows no sign of weakening. "Biddy" is an early riser and has her day's work done by 7:30 o'clock. She is apparently training for double duty later on to lay two eggs daily.

Farm Management—The essentials to consider in constructing a silo are a solid foundation—preferable concrete—walls strong, air tight, smooth and perpendicular and the height should be at least twice the size of the diameter.

Soils—Phosphorus is one of the necessary plant food elements for the growth of all crops. About two-thirds of phosphorus taken by the crop goes to the seed. The only way to remedy the increasing shortage is by the purchase of a phosphate fertilizer.

Pountry—Cull out the slacker hen by trap nesting or by physical tests. Non-laying is indicated by the shriveled condition of the comb, wattles, and ear lobes, the closeness of pelvis bones and the contracted or hardened condition of the abdomen.

### A TRIBUTE.

The years are but as moments, and
your spirit, Lafayette,
Remembers, as you come to us, the
mighty men you met
In the epic days aforetime when you
stood, as we today,
Where the breezes fanned our faces
from the bosom of the bay.

Joy was then within the soul of you,
and youth was in your eyes,
As the flag that conquered tyranny
was flaunted to the skies;
And there, mayhap, a vision for a
moment came to you,
And the Future told the wonder of
the deeds we were to do.

Far across a sea of peril you, a
knightly sword, had fared,
And embalmed in song and story
are the valiant feats you dared;
You were Chivalry in action, with a
splendor in your gaze,
And our fathers, victor freemen,
crowned your youthful brow with
bays.

Did you see that yonder the faces of
our horses turn back from France,
And the light of high endeavor that
was shining in their stance?
Did you see your bold crusaders who
had crossed the seas you sailed
To fight for freedom far afield and
by their might prevailed?

Ah, then, you saw your very soul in
eyes that gleam today
With dreams that led you, Lafayette,
upon your splendid way;
What they have done for stricken
France, in that heroic past
You did to save a nation that has
paid its debt at last.
—Edward S. Van Zile.

One big lot of Voile Waists at 98c. Raders. Adv.

## OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

**Principal Events of the Week Briefly Sketched for Information of Our Readers.**

The Dalles cherry harvest is under way.

By a vote of 1162 to 732 Eugene voters have recalled School Director E. M. Hodson.

Visitors can reach Crater lake in their autos as the road to the lake rim was opened Saturday.

A. H. Lea has tendered his resignation as secretary of the state fair board, effective July 1.

Three men have been arrested for fishing in the north fork of the Molalla river, a closed stream.

September 29 and 30 and October 1 and 2 have been selected as the dates for the Grant county fair.

Chief of Police Christensen of Eugene has filed a suit charging L. R. Edmunson, an attorney, with criminal libel.

The First Methodist church of Albany is out of debt now and held a mortgage-burning ceremony Sunday morning.

A birthday party given by Lucile Torbet of Albany was unique in that every child attending had the whooping cough.

The tenth musical festival and convention of the United Swedish Singers of the Pacific Coast convened in Portland Saturday.

While the Mosier cherry crop will be only half as large as last year, it is stated that the fruit will be of excellent quality.

The census bureau has announced the population of Eugene as 10,593. This represents an increase of 1584, or 17.6 per cent.

The new concrete bridge at The Dalles, across Sixth street, is nearing completion and will be open for travel about August 1.

Governor Olcott has appointed R. M. Fox as a member of the state board of forestry to succeed G. M. McLeod, who has resigned.

Good catches of salmon have been made by the gillnetters during the past week in practically every section of the lower harbor.

W. G. Beattie, superintendent of schools at Cottage Grove, as resigned to accept a position on the faculty of the State Normal school.

The forest service at once will erect an office building and storeroom at the Three Rivers ranger station near Hebo, in Tillamook county.

The sum of $1750 was paid by B. M. Halbert of San Angelo, Tex., to William Riddel & Sons of Monmouth, for a two-year-old Angora buck.

Carlton grange has decided to establish a gasoline station for the members, who are going on a card system in order to relieve the shortage.

The ballot title for a measure initiated by W. D. Bennett of Portland to curtail the authority of the public service commission has been prepared.

Professor George F. Skyes of the department of zoology, Oregon Agricultural college, has been elected secretary of the Pacific Fisheries society.

Mrs. George Bates, for more than 18 years a resident of Bend, committed suicide at her home by taking poison. It is believed that ill health caused the act.

Arthur E. Holgate of Corvallis, who was wounded in battle near Cantigny, also at Soissons and the Argonne, has been cited for gallantry by his division commander.

Lane county post of the American legion will make an effort at the state convention of the legion at Astoria to elect Eugene as the meeting place for next year.

The Oregon Normal school at Monmouth opened Monday morning with an enrollment of 440 and in all probability will reach 500 before the end of the session.

The predatory animals office of the biological survey is making an effort to organize the farmers of Coos county for the purpose of exterminating moles and other rodents.

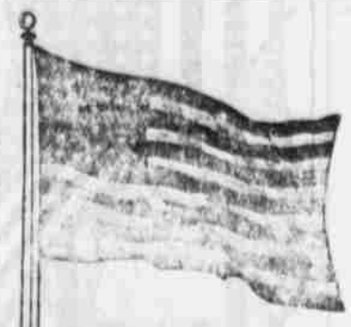
The Hood River Anti-Asiatic association has approved the action of Governor Stephens of California in asking the state department to cooperate in the exclusion of Japanese.

According to Frank L. Calkins, assessor, one-third of the special school tax levies voted in the various school districts of Douglas county are void because of failure to give proper notice.

Voters of the Klamath irrigation district have ratified the proposal to enter into a contract with the federal government for the expenditure of $225,000 for the improvement, of the Klamath project irrigation system.

The strike called recently by the clerks' union of Bend was ended by the Bend merchants' association when an agreement with the union was signed which amended the contract previously submitted by the clerks so as to eliminate a clause calling for the closed shop.

## Fourth of July



Day of glory! Welcome day!
Freedom's heroes greet thy ray
Pour huge cannonade they pay
With the morning breeze
On the seas where gallant
bound
On the heights where squadrons
wheeled
When a tyrant's thunder peeled
O'er the trembling seas

God of armies! dri thy stars
On their courses smite his cars,
Blast his arm and wrest his bars
From the heaving tide?
On our standard, let they burn,
And, when days like this return,
Sparkle o'er the soldier's urn
Who for freedom died.

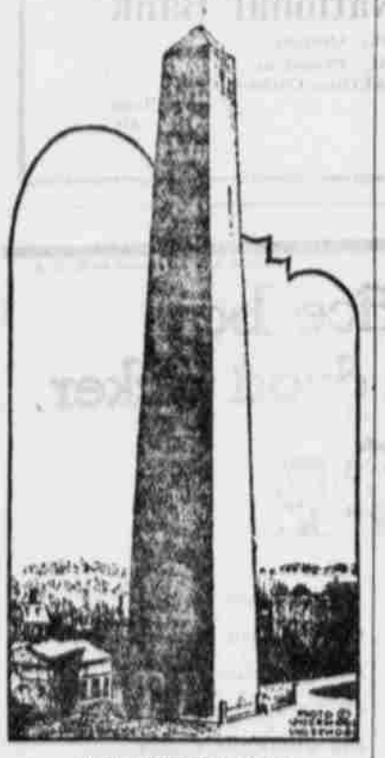
God of peace, whose spirit fills
All the echoes of our hills,
All the murmur of our rills
Now the storm is o'er,
O let freemen be our sons,
And let future Washingtons
Rise, to lead their valiant ones
Till there's war no more!
—JOHN PIERPONT

## GRAND MONUMENT IN DANGER

**Obelisk That Marks Earliest Revolutionary Battle Must Not Be Allowed to Crumble.**

The people of New England are much concerned over the report that Bunker Hill monument is crumbling and is in danger of a fate like that of the Campanile in Venice which collapsed a dozen years ago.

The granite obelisk known as Bunker Hill monument, which commemorates the earliest real battle of the Revolutionary war, is the most conspicuous object that catches the eye as one approaches Boston by sea. The shaft is 30 feet square at the base and is 220 feet in height. Inside is a hollow cone around which winds a spiral flight of stone steps by which ascent is made to the top, where there is an observatory. The monument was begun in 1825 when the cornerstone was laid by General Lafayette and when Webster delivered the famous



Bunker Hill Monument.

oration that is familiar to every schoolboy. Because of a lack of funds it remained unfinished for nearly 20 years; then, largely through the efforts of American women, the necessary money was raised and the complete structure was dedicated in 1843.

Efforts are being made to re-enforce the crumbling granite in hopes that the monument may remain a Mecca for many generations of patriotic Americans.

**Lafayette—"The Beechwood."**

Etymologists have discovered the origin of the famous name which during the recent years of war has become dearer than ever to Frenchmen and Americans alike. Lafayette came from the part of France known as Auvergne. He was born at Chavagnac, near Brionde, and his ancestral home stands not far from the village of Aireis-Fayette. In this part of the country the word "fayette" means a wood of "fayards," and "fayards" comes from the Latin word "fagus," which in the dialect of the country has come to mean "hetre" or beech tree. A "fayette," there, is a beech wood. Etymologically, then, the word "Lafayette" is the equivalent of "The Beechwood."

## TRAINED FARMER FINDS BEST ROAD TO SUCCESS

**Farm Surveys Show That Education Is Worth Many Times Cost of Getting It.**

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, June—"The man with the best training for farming has the best chances for success in the business", says H. D. Scudder, chief of farm management at the college. "Surveys of farm earnings in a number of states show clearly that a good education is worth far more than it costs."

The reason cited by Professor Scudder for this fact is that modern farming is a highly complex business and a strictly competitive commercial enterprise.

In a certain representative township in New York state, where general farming was practiced, a record was obtained of the year's earning on every farm in the township. The 573 farmers whose annual business was recorded, were classified into three groups—those who had attended district school only, those who had attended high school, and those who had attended college. The labor income was used as a basis of comparison of their business success in order to eliminate the direct effects of fariable amounts of capital on earnings. The labor income is the net cash earnings of the farmer for the year after the interest on his total capital investment, as well as all operating and overhead expense, has been deducted. The record from this survey gave the following facts:

| Education | No. Farmers | Labor Inc. |
|---|---|---|
| District School | 398 | $318 |
| High School | 165 | 622 |
| More than high school | 10 | 847 |

**Baker Heads Water Power Board.**

Washington.—Secretary Baker was named by President Wilson to be chairman of the board provided for in the water power bill to carry out the provisions of that measure. Secretaries Meredit and Payne were named at the same time to be members of the board.

**Women in Democratic Convention.**

San Francisco.—An examination of the temporary roll shows 308 women delegates and alternates in the democratic national convention. They will be divided as follows: At large, 41; alternates at large, 39; district delegates, 63; district alternates, 165.

No reserve, they are all going at half price, those fancy silk dresses at Raders.