### Inspection Day at O. A. C.

Corvallis, Ore .- Military Inspection Day, one of the really big days of the college calendar, has been set for May 16, 1916. Review of the cadet regi ment and inspection of equipment and military efficiency will be in charge of Captain Ross of the General Staff of the U. S. Army.

Military exercises will occupy the entire day. In the forenoon will be Allies Want 8,000,000 Feet Fir held a regimental review and general inspection. In the afternoon there will be individual and competitive drills held for the benefit of privates and officers. Upon the character of the work done in these exercises will depend the classification of the college cadets for this year.

Because the college cadets represent almost every portion of the state of Oregon a great many visitors are usually present on this day to witness the exercises. Leading state officers including the governor of the state and distinguished military leaders of the state and national divisions of the army are usually in attendance. Groups of Portland visitors and dele gations of other nearby places are expected to attend.

This is Captain Ross' first inspection at O. A. C. Heretofore, during the last two years, inspection has been performed by William T. Merry, also of the General Staff. Captain Ross will have charge of the inspection of the military departments of twentytwo colleges, universities and other schools. He will come here from inspection of the San Diego Army and Navy Academy, and after finishing the work at Corvallis will go to Seattle, Washington, to inspect the cadets of that university.

University Offers Tested Trees. During the coming spring the De-partment of Forestry will again send of the 8,000,000 feet.

to Idaho citizens a limited number of tested shade and forest trees approximately at the cost of growing same. A bulletin giving the size, age and cost of each species, as well as the

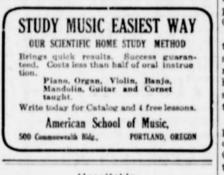
number which may be sent each person, will be mailed on request to C. H. Shattuck, Moscow, Idaho.

#### Fortunes of War.

First Recruit-What do you think of the major, Bill?

Second Recruit-'E's a changeable kind o' bloke. Last night I says to have been authorized to ask for bids in "Im. "Oo goes there?" An' he says. Portland and British Columbia. It is 'Friend;' an' today he hardly knows' presumed by local lumbermen, ship me."-Punch.

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SEEK SPRUCE TO BUILD AEROPLANES

For Cuts, Burns, Railroads Buy Material for Thousand Freight Cars-Order Must Be Filled in Three Months.

Portland-Lumber mills have been asked to bid on an order for 8,000,000 feet of trench posts and pickets for use by the allied powers in the war

The posts are to be 2x4 inches and four feet long, sharpened at one end, and will be used for stringing barbed wire along the trenches. They are to be used on the fighting front in France, and delivery will have to be made from Portland within 90 days. This will insure them reaching Europe, barring marine accidents, by September. The order may be for all or part

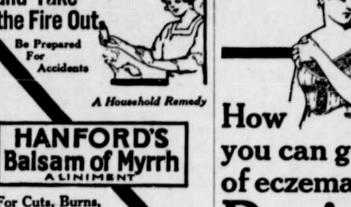
A large domestic order for lumber for railroad cars has been placed with the Douglas Fir Lumber company, of Portland. The order calls for 2,000,-000 feet of fir.

The European governments are also in the Portland market for as much high-grade spruce as can be obtained, it was learned on good authority here. This spruce brings \$30 to \$100 a thousand, and is for building areoplanes.

The allies' agents for trench posts presumed by local lumbermen, ship owners and agents in Portland that and the blood has been mopped up about 4,000,000 feet will be taken from the stage, Mr. Letts Lynchem about 4,000,000 feet will be taken from Portland. The posts would be cut from Douglas fir and tied in bundles of 10 to 20. The cost would be around \$15 to \$16 a thousand feet, bringing to Portland, if the order is placed here, between \$50,000 and \$75,-

000 for the 4,000,000 feet. The local river mills could turn out the order within less time than the specifications now in Portland hands require. The lumber posts could be handled easily by two of the large steamers, and the canal route could be taken.

The domestic order which has been placed with the Douglas Fir Lumber company of Portland calls for 2,000,-000 feet of Douglas fir to be used in the construction of 1000 automobile cars and 500 stock car for the Chicago to figure all expenses) they found they The Vicar-Hullo? What's all this? & Northwestern railroad. The order had served the state's chief executive Tommy-The funeral of the mole, was placed by the Western Steel Car & Foundry company, of Chicago. It will take 80 cars to carry it East. E. B. Hazen, vice president of the Douglas Fir Lumber company, said that the order has been put in the hands of local and Bridal Veil mills and would be finished in about a week. The order represents about \$50,000. The European powers, it was established beyond reasonable doubt, are actually seeking large spruce orders in the Pacific Northwest, principally Oregon. Local lumbermen admit that they were unable to fill the orders as fast as they were being received. The spruce required is of a fine grade and brings from \$30 to \$100 a thousand feet. In the last two years about 10,-000,000 feet has been taken out of the Northwest for the construction of aeroplanes for the European powers. This confirmation lends considerable credence to the report from Marshfiled that the Russian government was seeking 50,000,000 of spruce in the Coos Bay country.



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#### The Byplay Minstrels.

"Mister Interlocutor, can you tell me why a room full of married people is like an empty room?"

"No, Mr. Bones, I cannot, Will you tell us why?"

"Because there is not a single person in it." "Good, Mr. Bones. And what have you to say this evening, Mr. Tambo?" "Can you tell me how many eggs a

man can eat on an empty stomach?" "No, Mr. Tambo, I cannot. Will you tell us how many?"

"One. Because after that his stom-ach wouldn't be empty." "After the smoke has cleared away

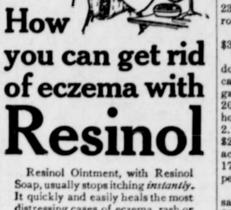
will render that pathetic ballad, 'Ten Million Squirrels Have Starved to Death Since Henry Ford's Ship Steamed Away."

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Costs Two Cents to Feed Governor of Washington.

University of Washington, Seattle .--Governor Ernest Lister was a guest recently at the practice cottage of the bile industry in the United States home economics department, and the trio of young women living in the cot- than is bestowed in any country. tage entertained him with tea. When the students figured up the expense of their boenitality 199 1 with tea, candled orange peel and wafers at a cost of two cents. The same girls found their breakfasts, for a period of nine days, cost 8% cents a plate; luncheons 8½ cents and dinners 17 cents.



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prevailing before the opening of the European war. By the use of electric magnets, scrap, which was formerly wasted,

is now carefully gone over and the iron and steel fragments automatigives keener attention (to details



fortyfold, 90c; club, 90c; red fife, 90c; red Russian, 90c. Hay-Eastern Oregon timothy, \$20

a21 per ton; valley timothy, \$16; alfalfa, \$20.

Millfeed - Spot prices: Bran, \$23@ 23.50 per ton; shorts, \$25.50@26; rolled barley, \$31.50@32.50.

Corn-Whole, \$37 per ton; cracked, \$38.

Vegetables-Artichokes, 75@90c per dozen; tomatoes, \$4@4.25 per crate; cabbage, \$1.25 @ 2.25 per hundred; garlic, 10c per pound; peppers, 171@ 20c; eggplant, 221c; sprouts, 8@9c; horseradish, 81c; cauliflower, \$1.15@ 2.25; celery, \$4.50 per crate; lettuce, \$2.25; cucumbers, \$1.25@1.50; spinach, \$1@1.15 per box; asparagus, 15@ 171c per pound; rhubarh, \$2,25@2.75 per box; peas, 121c per pound.

Potatoes - Oregon, \$1.40@1.50 per sack; Yakimas, \$1.50@1.75; sweets, \$3.25@3.50 per hundred.

Onions — Oregon, buying prices. \$1.50 f. o. b. shipping point.

Apples-Spitzenbergs, extra fancy, \$2.25 per box; fancy, \$2; choice, \$1.25@1.50; Yellow Newtowns, extra fancy, \$2; fancy, \$1.75; choice, \$1.35 @1.50; Rome Beauty, fancy, \$1.50@ 1.60; Winesaps, choice, \$1.15@1.35; Stayman, choice, \$1.25@1.35.

Eggs - Jobbing prices: Oregon ranch, candled, 191@20c per dozen; uncandled, 18c per dozen.

Poultry - Hens, 16@17c per pound; springs, 17c; stags, 12@13c; broilers, 25c; turkeys, live, 18@20c; turkeys, dressed, choice, 24@25c; ducks, 13@ 16c; geese, 10c.

Butter - Prices from wholesaler to retailer: Portland city creamery prints, 60-pound case lots, standard Methods of industrial efficiency grades, 35c; lower grades, 32c; Oresuch as are habitually ascribed to gon country creamery, prints, 60-pound lots, standard mckes, 32@34c; lower vail in the automobile industry of the grades, 31@311c; packed in cubes, 2c less. Prices paid by jobbers to producers: Cubes, extras, 30@31c; firsts, ticularly in the handling of waste 28@281c; dairy butter, 15@191c; butterfat, No. 1, 34c; No. 2, 31c.

Veal-Fancy, 91@10c per pound. Pork-Fancy, 101c per pound.

Hops-1915 crop, 10@13c per pound; 1916 contracts, 111@12c. Wool-Eastern Oregon, 20@30c per

pound; valley, 27@28c; mohair, Oregon, 28@29c. Cascara bark-Old and new, 4c per

pound.

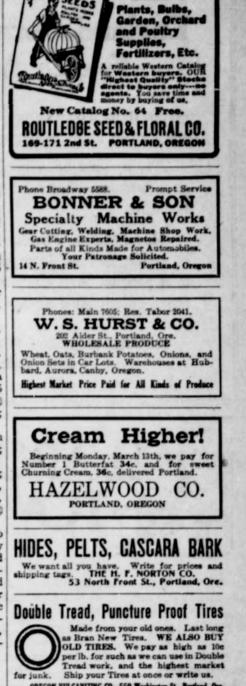
Cattle - Prime steers, \$7.50@8.10; choice, \$6.50@7.50; good, \$6.75@7; medium, \$6.50@6.75.; choice cows, \$6.50@6.75; medium, \$5.25@6; heifers, \$4@7; bulls, \$2.50@5; stags, \$3 @5.25.

Hogs - Light, \$8.50 @ 9: heavy, \$7.50@8.

Sheep-Yearlings, \$7@8; ewes, \$6 @7; lambs, \$8@9.25.

Wool Season Opens. The new

Washington coal operators are feeling the competition of the oil fields, according to Dean Landes, but the mines are nevertheless fairly prosperous. The hard coal of Washington will only conservative comment. draw Dean Landes describes it as in the prospective stage, and says only development work will tell the story of quantity and quality.



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#### State's Coal Resources. Reported to Government.

University of Washington, Seattle. -The United States Geological Survey will shortly publish a compre-hensive bulletin on Washington's coal resources, bringing together in one report what has heretofore been printed in fragments. The bulletin is being prepared by Dean Henry Landes, of the college of science, during his year's leave of absence.

New fields, such as the Whatcom county anthracite and Lewis county lignite beds, will be the subject of discussion in the report, in addition to the better known King, Pierce and Kittitas county fields.

Hospitable.

father. The Vicar-But I thought you buried Mr. Mole last week.

Tommy-Yes, but we dug him up, 'cos we've got friends to tea .- Passing Show.

#### Confused.

"Do you admire Raphael?" said the young woman. "I should say so. He's better than Sherlock Holmes. "I said Raphael."

"Excuse me. I thought you said 'Raffles.' "-Washington Star.

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#### Progressing.

"I've taken up a course in memorizing. "When does the class meet?"

"I've forgotten whether it's on Mondays and Thursdays or Tuesdays and Fridays.'

Accommodating.

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Her Father-The fact is, I can not give my daughter a dowry-just at present Suitor-That's all right, sir. I can love her for herself alone in the mean-time.—Boston Transcript.

For The Schoolboy.

Wise-I'm glad I won't be going to school after this war. One-Why is that?

Wise-Just think how much more history there will be to learn .- Siren.

#### His Natural Bent.

Grubbs-Do you believe that Mr. dangerous for shipping by the mani-Bryan is sincere in his opposition to festo of February 4, 1915." preparedness?" Stubbs-Certainly. He is sincere

#### Obliged to Leave Early.

"Daughter, your new beau doesn't remain very late. The last one used to hang around until the milkman called."

"Well, you see, dad, this one is a milkman."-Louisville Courier-Journal

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## Blame Denied by Berlin.

Berlin-No German submarine could have been in the vicinity of the spot where the Dutch liner Tubantia was sunk, and no German mines had been laid in this region, the German admiralty announces. The official statement says: "A German submarine is out of the question in connection with the sinking of the Tubantia, as the place where the accident took place is less than 30 miles from the Dutch coast, which means that this place is within the territory declared to be not

Hospital Ship Is Sunk. Berlin-The Austro-Hungarian hospital ship Elektra was torpedoed Saturday in the Adriatic sea by an entente allied submarine, according to the

Overseas News agency. One sailor was drowned and two Red Cross nurses were seriously wounded. "Vienna reports that the hospital ship Elektra, of the Austro-Hungarian Red Cross, was torpedoed in the North Adriatic by an enemy submarine. The steamer stranded. The Elektra was not unkown to the enemy as a hospital ship, and was provided with visible marks."

Auto Kills Bridal Pair. Dubuque, Iowa. - T. J. Fitzpatrick, an attorney, and his bride of two months, were killed, and Mrs. Margaret Morrison, mother of the young woman, and Mrs. David Hack, daughter of President Gorman, of the Rock Island railroad, were injured when their automobile left the road and fell down a 10-foot embankment near here. The occupants were pined under the car. Mr. Fitzpatrick is believed to have lost control of the machine.

#### Not Snobbish.

"Old Van Geld, the railroad king, is quite a democratic sort of a chap, isn't

"Yes, indeed. When he travels he never thinks of using a special train. He just has his private car hitched on to a regular train and travels quite like one of the common people."

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## Soothing.

Editor-Your jokes are good dope, old man. Contributor-That so?

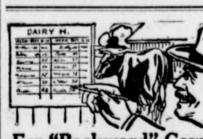
Editor-Yes, they put me to sleep twice .-- California Pelican.

#### Do Him Good.

"I've got to sit up with a sick friend tonight," he said. "Well," she retorted, "I hope you do him good," and from the way she said it he knew that he hadn't got by. -Detroit Free Press.

#### The Aspect.

"My family has a very high de scent.' "Yes, I understand it took a big tum ble."-Baltimore American.



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#### School Candy.

Bobby-Won't you give me some cough drops, auntie? Aunty-Why you haven't a cough, child.

Bobby-No, but I'm going to school, and that's the only kind of candy we can eat there .- Boston Transcript.

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Spring months. Try it.

n is getting der way in the Yakima country, where shearing has started. The few sales already made, which range in price up to 27 cents, are in line with quotations

Shearing will not begin in Eastern Oregon until about the middle of next month, and in the meantime it is not thought that much business can be put through, as buyers and sellers are apart in most sections. Isidor Koshland, of Portland, has contracted for 50,000 fleeces in Baker county at 20 to tent of the business done in Oregon to As soon as the value of Peruna date. There has not been as much contracting to date in Western Idaho. The London market continues irregular, and for this reason the feeling in the trade is still rather nervous.

Fine reports are received from the

More than 80 per cent of the wool clip of Utah has been contracted by A course of Peruna never fails buyers from Eastern houses and prices paid for 11,200,000 pounds under contract range from 21 to 28 cents, according to Dr. S. W. McClure, secretary of the National Woolgrowers' association, says the Salt Lake Herald-Republican.

## Apple Storage Stocks Declining.

Portland-The office of markets has issued its report of apple holdings on March 1, showing that on that date there were 2529,238 barrels in 411 storage houses in the country. The same storages reported 1,767,214 boxes of apples on the first of this month. On February 1, 407 storages reported 3,457,999 barrels and 2,651,908 boxes, or a reduction of 928,761 barrels and 883,994 boxes during the past month. The holdings of barrel and box stock are about 750,000 barrels more than this time a year ago. Present holdings of actual barrels are more than last year, while the stock of boxes is some less.

Total exports of apples to March 4 were 223,958 barrels, against 97,924 barrels the same week last year. Total exports for the season up to Saturday of last week were 1, 196, 838 barrels, against 2,431,902 barrels the same period a year ago.

Grain Bags May Be Cotton.

Pendleton, Or. - If a satisfactory quality can be furnished and the price HOSTETTER'S is agreeable, it is probable that many of the Umatilla farmers will use cot-Stomach Bitters ton sacks this year instead of the jute bags which have been exclusively used. ton sacks this year instead of the jute The situation was discussed thoroughly at a recent meeting of the Inland Grain is a splendid medicine for the Growers' association. The farmers grain agency had about decided to construct elevators to take care of the crop, but many are loathe to go into the proposition because of the expense

"Sadderman seems to be always worrying about something."

"Yes; he is generally troubled with three kinds of trouble at the same time-all the trouble he has ever had, all he has now and all he ever expects to have."-Puck.

## Retort Courteous.

"I suppose there's nothing doing for a live wire like me in this stupid town of yours?

Well, I don't know. There are several live wires like you doing time here."-Baltimore American.

## Liked the Eats.

"Did the new cook come this morn ing?"

"Dropped in at 12."

'How do things seem to suit her?" "Well, she liked the lunch I gave her so well that she has agreed to stay for dinner."-Louisville Courier-Journal.

"He was on fire with love when he called on her.'

"Well, what happened?" "Her father put him out."-Baltimore American.

## Including Himself.

Wife-What do you say to taking baby to church with us this morning? Hub-No, no; she might wake peo-ple up.-Boston Transcript.



