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## Men Will Meet

Men are now under meeting of the Mar-Veterans' Association meet in Silverton, on August 3. The meeting will be for one day and will be held in the city. Adams has been selected as the address of welcome. Potter will speak; a quartette will sing, and a program features to be presented. Men from different points outside of the county present and the "boy's brigade" are planning to be remembered.

A French financier has figured it out that if the European war lasts another year it will cost a grand total of \$100,000,000,000. At 5 per cent, the interest on this would be \$5,000,000,000 a year, or a sum equal to one-half the value of the total annual crops of the United States. In other words the farmers of this country could just pay the interest with half their crops yearly. It would take all the crops of all kinds grown in the United States for 10 years to pay the debt without interest, and with 5 per cent added, it would take about 16 years.—Ex.

Scio citizens now are worrying because they fear that when they let their paving contract it will be gobbled up by some trust company.

## Poison Fly Paper

at Sloper's, also pyramid fly catchers—the kind that hangs up.

## Weatherford Will Draw Big Vote

Prof. O. V. White, of Scio has just returned from a two week's trip over the state, including mostly on the west side of the river. His work was in the interest of the temperance cause and also in the interest of the prohibition party's part of the candidacy of Mark Weatherford, for Congress. Prof. White states that he finds Mr. Weatherford a popular candidate every place where he has been, and while he will have the solid backing of the democratic party, he will also have the support of the prohibition party, which also endorsed him.

Prof. White says that Weatherford's chances to win from congressman Hawley are excellent, that the people want a new man in the place, one who is young and vigorous and will work for their interests all the time. He finds the prohibition party deeply interested in the congressional campaign, and Weatherford will be backed by the large majority of the party who are depending on him to be one of the leaders in congress in the fight for national prohibition.

Prof. White is county chairman of the prohibition party and in that capacity he has written several thousand letters to voters all over the district and has received but one reply unfavorable to Mr. Weatherford.—Albany Democrat.

## Mystery Surrounds Belgian Newspaper

For sixteen months La Libre Belgique (the Free Belgium), a little newspaper, has appeared in that country, breathing loyalty to the allies and to Belgium, despite German efforts to suppress it.

More than a year ago the German government, thru General von Bissing, the governor general, offered a reward of \$10,000 for information which would disclose the names of the editors and publishers and the place of publication of La Libre Belgique. That reward still stands, but it has failed in its purpose, and every week, sometimes on Monday, other times on Tuesday and sometimes on Sunday, the little paper mysteriously makes its appearance in all parts of Belgium. How it is circulated and the hour of publication are secrets that all the German efficiency in Belgium has been unable to solve.

The Germans have, however, been able to keep the paper in Belgium, and it was only a few days ago that a copy of it reached New York. It came to the Rev. Father J. H. Stillemans, president of the Belgian bureau. It is nearly a year old and had been smuggled out of Belgium into Holland, where it was mailed to Father Stillemans.

"I am certain that this is the only copy of La Libre Belgique," said Father Stillemans, "that has ever reached this country." The Germans search every person who leave Belgium, and it is practically impossible to get a copy of the paper across the border line into Holland. When this war ends the true story of this little paper, the only uncensored publication in Belgium, will come out, and I promise that it will be an interesting narrative. The paper is never published twice in the same place, and there are not more than ten persons in the world who know who its editor are.—Publishers' Auxiliary.

Note:—The sentence of a Jesuit priest the other day who was con-

demned to die by the German authorities in Belgium on account of his connection with the newspaper Libe Belgique, has been commuted to 12 years at hard labor and deportation to Germany. The secret publication of the paper still continues.

## Obituary

The Bull Moose is dead. He passed away in Chicago, June 27, aged four years. His father was Theodore Roosevelt, his mother, Mrs. Progressive Roosevelt. The little fellow at first appeared to be in good health but later, in November, the year of his birth, he received a backset which was followed by a wasting illness. The ablest physicians were called to diagnose the case but in spite of their utmost endeavors they could not check the ravages of disease. The little fellow nobly bore his sufferings but became weak and weaker as time went on. The best specialists of the country were helpless in the presence of the malady. Toward the end there seemed to be a slight rally and in the early part of June his condition seemed to improve, but was followed by a relapse and a sinking spell. He continued to grow worse until Tuesday, June 27, when the end came. Repudiated by his father and deserted by his mother, it is supposed he died of a broken heart. The burial was made in Political Cemetery. Sympathy is extended to the parents as he was indeed their last hope. May he rest in peace.—Ex.

## TOO TRUE

There is one class of men that most people will beat as quick as they will a newspaper—real estate dealers, says the Jefferson Review. A live real estate man is one of the best assets a town can have. He advertises the fact that he is here, and hundreds of strangers write him for information regarding his section, and he answers all of these inquiries. He puts in his time exploiting the advantages of his town and surrounding commonwealth. Occasionally he rakes down a wad of what looks like easy money, but he has earned every cent of it. Every town needs the live real estate agent, but has no use for a dead one.

This is canning time for the busy housekeeper, and she has her hands about full.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thomas leave this morning for Wilhoit Springs, where they will stay about ten days.—Statesman.

Speaking of fire escapes, we heard a woman say that her husband was the greatest fire escape on record—he had not built a fire in forty years.

## Good Pictures

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## Methodist Church

"The value of the church to the community," will be the sermon subject at the M. E. church Sunday morning by the minister. In the evening the minister and his wife will give short addresses on "The recent Chautauqua," and the "Recent Epworth League Institute," respectively.

The public is invited to both services.

E. B. Lockhart, Pastor.

Frank Silhavy came down from his mountain ranch to spend Sunday with his family and reports a good time as a bacheior. He says the road contractor is getting along nicely, but too slow for Frank, but will try his best to have the road open for passage by Aug. 1st. He says Road Supervisor Wm. Berringer made a good improvement in his district. He says that Road Supervisor Barham will have to dive in very soon to open the road east from the Silhavy place to have passage clear up to Elkhorn.

Louis Hill, president of the Great Northern, L. C. Gillman, president of the Oregon Electric and numerous other high railway officials made the trip from Cascadia east about 20 miles on horseback the last of the week, and rumors of another railroad are in the air. Surveys have been made by Oregon Electric surveyors from Albany to Cascadia and the people of that city are looking and hoping for a road to be built into the big timber tract above Cascadia. The Herald says if a road is built into this tract that Albany will put up one of the largest saw mills on the coast.

The residence of A. H. Trammell, at West Stayton, caught fire Tuesday morning and in a short time was in ashes. Mr. Trammell had arisen, built a fire in the stove and started out to milk. He soon noticed smoke coming from the roof of the building and in a very short time the fire was too hot to enter the building. Nearly all the household goods were lost.

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