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PARKPLACE

(Too Late for Regular Page)

Alton Gabriel had a smash-up with a neighbor's machine Sunday afternoon. Turning the corner, by the store, at full speed so as to make the grade just ahead, he did not notice the train, which was coming, until it was too late, and he ran square into it. Luckily, no one was hurt, although there were several in the machine. The auto was quite badly damaged.

Mrs. Fellows, sister of the late Capt. Apperson, who formerly made her home here, spent over a week with Mrs. J. T. Apperson last week, visiting friends here. She returned to her home in Oswego Saturday.

Mrs. W. A. Holmes, who has been visiting her daughter, returned Saturday to her home. She has been away several weeks, and says it was hard to come home even when she did, for she left her first little grandchild, a dark-haired baby girl.

Mrs. Brayton spent Sunday in Portland. We heard the other day that there is not a child in Poland under four years of age. Starved to death. Can you imagine it? Poland is eating bread from moss and willow bark. Lots of food value there! And we can't even spare an extra slice of bread at a meal to help extend the flour supply.

Don't think you are saving wheat by eating graham or bran bread, or shrewd wheat biscuit, or pancakes made with graham or pancake flour. Of course you know better, but we have heard of folks who didn't.

Mrs. and Mrs. Arnold moved into Louis Himler's house this week from Toledo, Wash.

Several Parkplace people attended the Food Conservation talks, given last week at the court house. And they were fine, folks. Some of us "sort a waked up" a little bit as we heard those folks talk. Some how, we hadn't quite realized the importance of saving food in winning the war, and really, there are lots of people who don't realize that we might have his highness, the Kaiser, right here instead of a President. It would be a National tragedy to be forced to learn the German National hymn and have to quit singing our own, but it just depends on the amount of wheat you save.

MOUNT PLEASANT

(Too Late for Regular Page)

Yes, we are all Hooverizing. The latest 50-50 we have been working out is now about complete. Mr. Hoover says it is O. K. We have made some bread and it is all one could desire. To make a batch of bread, take one-third common clay, one-third sand (Columbia river is the best), and one-third flour. Bake in a hot oven.

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I cry sales anywhere, any time in Clackamas county. Live-stock Sales, Auctions, Community Sales, in fact any Sale that an auctioneer is needed.

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MILWAUKIE MAN EXAMINED SECOND TIME FOR INSANITY

Ludwig Falk, of Milwaukie, was Saturday examined on a charge of insanity, and turned loose by the officers, who found him perfectly sane. This is the second time Mr. Falk has been charged with insanity. The complaint was entered by his wife, and Sheriff Wilson took him into custody. At the hearing before County Judge Anderson, it developed that the charge was the outcome of a rather severe family quarrel, during which the defendant, aged 60, stated that his wife, who is 14 years his junior, struck him on the head with a heavy pan. He retaliated this blow with a slap in the face, and the wife straightway charged him with insanity. It is stated that the couple have had previous trouble, and it was on complaint of his wife's relatives that Falk was taken up for insanity once before.

After the examination, which was conducted by Judge Anderson and Doctors Norris and Mount, Mr. Falk stated that he would not molest his wife by his presence, but would leave home, for the benefit of peace in the family.

BEAVER CREEK RED CROSS HAS WAR WORK SPEAKER

At this afternoon's meeting of the Beaver Creek Red Cross auxiliary, Mrs. Elizabeth Hayhurst, of Portland, will speak on the substitution of flours to replace wheat, and on how to use the oils instead of the fats, which are needed for military service. The afternoon will be devoted to the discussion of the lecture, and to mending and patching for the Belgians. A request has gone forth in the district for all the clothing that can be utilized, to be brought in, and put in shape for shipment overseas. Garments for men, women and children are needed, and a hearty response is expected from this patriotic appeal. The Beaver Creek Red Cross is an auxiliary to the Oregon City chapter, and is in a thriving condition. At the last week's meeting about 20 members were present.

CLACKAMAS TEACHERS IN SESSION ON SATURDAY

The Clackamas County Teachers' association will meet at Clackamas Station, Saturday, March 23, at 10 a. m. The following program has been arranged: Music, Clackamas school; "Arithmetic in first six grades," Miss Bertha Harbison, Milwaukie; discussion "led by Principal N. W. Bowland, Oregon City; music, boys' quartet, Barclay school; address "The teacher and the school from the standpoint of a school director," Hon. H. G. Starkweather, Concord; Noon, lunch hour.

1:30 p. m.—Music, Clackamas school; jargon, Messrs. J. R. and N. W. Bowland; folk dances, pupils, Eastham school; address, "The Oregon rural school," Prof. M. S. Pittman, Monmouth; business meeting.

ENEMY ALIEN? IF NOT, ATTEND THIS MEETING

Minute men, and comes to Oregon City from the speaker's bureau of the State Campaign headquarters. He is highly recommended for his platform ability, and no good citizen will pass the opportunity of hearing his message.

A band will dispense martial music and a special program of patriotic songs has been arranged. It is not only the opportunity, but the duty, of every loyal American to attend this meeting, and so familiarize himself with the issue of war stamps that the coming canvass of the city will meet with the 100 per cent response that is entitled to.

Sales Manager L. Adams announces the following captains to have charge of the sale of stamps here, and each precinct head will be assisted by six helpers. Those appointed are:

Precinct 1—W. L. Mulvey; precinct 2—Mrs. H. Henningson; precinct 3—Percy Caulfield; precinct 4—W. B. Howell, Jr.; precinct 5—Roy Cox; precinct 6—Frank Cross; precinct 7—N. W. Bowland; precinct 8—M. Amrine; precinct 9—Mrs. E. B. Andrews; precinct 10—Mrs. N. M. Aldredge; precinct 11—John Lewellen.

36TH BIRTHDAY SEES PAPER PROGRESSING

ler stands today at the head of advertising mediums in the county. We have hammered and hewn a path to the apex of newspaper activities, and we stand on a firm foundation of past records and accomplishments—an acknowledged leader.

With modern equipment for job printing and publishing in the week-day field, a splendidly arranged home, and with every facility for the gathering and publishing of news, The Courier, on this, its 36th birthday, extends its well wishes to its patrons and readers all over the country, and expresses sincere thanks to those who have enabled it, by their loyal support, to attain that enviable position of universal acknowledgment as "the best paper in the county."

The Courier and Farmer \$1.00.

Bruises and Sprains

Have Sloan's Liniment handy for bruises and sprains and all pains and aches. Quick relief follows its prompt application. No need to rub. For rheumatic aches, neuralgia, stiff muscles, lame back, lumbago, gout, strains, and sprains, it gives quick relief. Generous sized bottles.

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WOMAN REALTY OPERATOR FILES SUIT FOR \$10,000

In a suit filed here this week, Mrs. Rosalind Gibson, of Wichita, seeks to recover \$10,000 damages from the Continental Realty and Improvement company, and L. J. Barber, for alleged breach of contract. The plaintiff states that she entered a contract to handle the sales of a tract known as Holladay Acres, owned by the defendants, and that the company failed in their part of the agreement. Mrs. Gibson, who is the wife of a prominent Portland real estate man, made several sales of property for the company, and these contracts they refused to acknowledge, and it is further alleged that the company refused to pay the taxes on the property as was agreed in the contract. The plaintiff also accuses the defendants of fraud in transferring the property to L. J. Barber, and recording the deed, with the full knowledge of the existing contract with Mrs. Gibson.

LOWLY SPUD RECOGNIZED AS A WHEAT SUBSTITUTE

The recent drastic orders, that all purchases of wheat flour be accompanied by a purchase of a like amount of substitutes, has been softened to some extent by the governmental order permitting potatoes to be added to the list of substitutes. The scarcity of farinaceous supplies in the Willamette valley, and throughout the entire state, which come within the definition of substitutes, had the tendency to work a hardship on ordinary families, and the addition of potatoes will be welcomed. They will not be sold at the same ratio as other substitutes, however, as it will require four pounds of them to equal one pound of the other substitutes, such as bulk hominy, corn grit, corn meal, corn flour, edible corn starch, rice, rice flour, buckwheat, potato flour, soybean flour, and feterita flours and meals.

The new ruling was telegraphed to Judge Anderson, of the County Defense league, by State Food Administrator Ayer. It is not expected that the arrangement will be permanent, as other substitutes will be arranged for, and the lists made to include those articles that are more easily obtainable.

MEXICAN DRAFT EVADER HELD FOR U. S. COURT

Joe Moralis, the Mexican who left Montana to escape the draft, and who was taken in by local officers on his arrival here, has been bound over to await the action of the United States court. He was sent from the county jail here to the federal authorities in Portland, and was Tuesday brought before United States Commissioner Drake. Moralis is charged with being a draft evader. He was registered, but failed to leave any address when he left Montana, so that his questionnaire could be forwarded to him.

Assistant United States Attorney Latourette and Sheriff Wilson went from here to attend the hearing in Portland. Moralis was formerly a member of the Villa band of raiders in Mexico, and came north to escape enforced service under the bandit leader. He was remanded to the federal jail to await the action of the higher court.

EUGENE HORTON RETURNS TO CALIFORNIA SERVICE

Eugene Horton, of West Linn, who has spent the past month here on furlough, returned on Tuesday afternoon to California, where he is connected with the land forces of the national fighters. Young Horton was called home some time ago by the serious illness of his father, and returns after a 30 days leave of absence. His father is much improved.

Sunday, Eugene was tendered a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Robinson, neighbors at West Linn. Others present at the delightful little affair were Dr. W. P. Schultz, and Roy Mitchell, and his sister, Miss Mitchell of Portland.

SCHOOL CHILDREN MAKE MANY GOOD DISH RAGS

County School Superintendent Calavan started a great thing when he wrote letters to the schools of the county, asking them to gather four sack dish rags, and assemble them for shipment to his office on the 15th. Fully 5,000 fine cloths, hemmed, washed and ironed, and neatly folded ready for packing, have been sent to Mr. Calavan's office. They will be turned over to Mrs. Pearl Wissinger, of Milwaukie, one of the originators of the idea of having the school children gather and send in the rags. Mrs. Wissinger is a member of the Milwaukie school board, and will send the dish rags and towels directly to France.

New Auto Damaged

Jack Busch, an employe of the Crown-Willamette paper mills, suffered from the acts of vandals a few nights ago, when some unknown persons entered his new garage, and destroyed the tires, the upholstery, and the top and cover of his car, by shredding them to pieces with a sharp knife. The machine was a new one, and the garage was not yet completed, easy access being made by the miscreants through a temporary canvas door. Mr. Busch, who has long been employed at the local mills, is at a loss to understand the cause of the attack, and intends to punish those responsible, when discovered, to the full extent of the law.

Weekly Market Letter
Cattle receipts today, 1000. There was a very active tone in the opening trade for the week in all class-

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OREGON CITY, OREGON

MY DEAR MISS PATIENCE:—

I am not displaying my face for any political purpose, but my dream of years is about to blossom forth in a full realization.

Owing to delay in materials necessary for construction of our splendid new department store we will not be in a position to open our spacious quarters until Monday, April 15th.

We will have our store overflowing with all the nice things so dear to the hearts of the women folks.

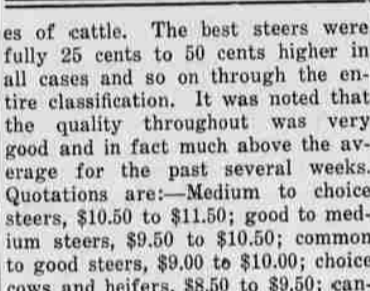
So don't forget, bring mother, sister and all your girl friends as we will have a souvenir for all of you on opening day.

Remember now, April 15th, and by the way, bring dad and brother along.

Sincerely yours,

A. A. PRICE,
General Manager

PRICE BROS. DEPARTMENT STORE



A. A. PRICE, General Manager

es of cattle. The best steers were fully 25 cents to 50 cents higher in all cases and so on through the entire classification. It was noted that the quality throughout was very good and in fact much above the average for the past several weeks. Quotations are:—Medium to choice steers, \$10.50 to \$11.50; good to medium steers, \$9.50 to \$10.50; common to good steers, \$9.00 to \$10.00; choice cows and heifers, \$8.50 to \$9.50; canners, \$4.25 to \$6.25; bulls, \$5.00 to \$9.00; calves, \$7.50 to \$12.00; stockers and feeders, \$6.50 to \$9.50.

Hog receipts today, 1700. Receipts were a little better than last Monday. The previous week's receipts were fairly good considering and somewhat made up for the short supply a week ago. This week is starting out on practically the same basis, the trading, however, was somewhat slow and the tone a little weaker. Top hogs were selling as high as \$17.05 as against \$17.15 a week ago. Quotations are: Prime lights, \$16.85 to \$17.00; prime heavy, \$16.50 to \$16.85; pigs \$14.00 to \$15.25; and the bulk \$16.85 to \$16.95.

Sheep receipts were 2000. Nearly all the sheep received were direct to killers. The top of the market is Canby Women Visit Here

Mrs. James Deayo and Mrs. Andrew Kruger, of Canby, were here during the past week, where they visited with Mrs. William Robinson at her home in West Linn. The ladies are old time friends, and a social day of great interest was enjoyed.

Linn, on the charge of using insulting and offensive language, to which he pleaded guilty. Ott, who is a leader in the strike movement here against the paper mills, is alleged to have accosted Jim Vlahos, one of the mill employes, and to have threatened him, for his "scabbings." Ott was arrested the following day, on a warrant from the West Linn recorder's office, and voluntarily appeared and paid his fine.

Noted Lecturer to Speak

The anti-saloon league has secured Louis Albert Banks, noted lecturer, to speak here March 26th at the Congregational church on prohibition topics. Dr. Banks is a well known author, traveler, and speaker, and has been an evangelist of considerable note. His books consist of over fifty volumes, and make a religious library covering a wide range of topics.

Contract Default Asked

In a suit filed here Monday, the Oregon Iron and Steel company seeks to have a contract defaulted, holding J. Fred Bischoff, Jr., as defendant. Property at Lake View Villas, which Bischoff contracted to purchase, is involved, and the plaintiffs ask to be reimbursed for the \$210 due on the contract, with interest on back sums alleged to be due.

Two Taken in at Riverside

Bert Taylor and R. J. Strieff, of Lents and Portland, were arrested at the Riverside Dancing Park Sunday night, on the charge of having intoxicating liquor in their possession. The men each advanced \$15 with the officers to guarantee their appearance in court, but they failed to show up, and the money was forfeited.

Striker is Fined

West Linn Recorder Assesses George Ott Five Dollars

George Ott was assessed a fine of \$5 in the recorder's court, at West



IN THE SPRING

will be the great test of a life and death struggle on the Western front. In the everyday walks of life, it is the spring time that brings ill health. One of the chief reasons why the run-down man finds himself in a bad state of health in March or April, is because he has spent nearly all his hours for the past four or five months penned up within the walls of a house, factory or office. It is the reason for our diminished resistance—that is, lack of out-door life, coupled with perhaps over-eating, lack of good exercise, insufficient sleep, and constipation. In other words, we keep feeding the furnace with fuel but do not take out the "clinkers," and our fire does not burn brightly. Always keep the liver active.

There is nothing better for health than taking an occasional mild laxative, perhaps once a week; such a one as you can get at any drug store, made up of May-apple, jalap, aloes, (sugar-coated, tiny, easily taken), which has stood the test of fifty years of approval—namely, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. But for the "Spring Fever," the general run-down condition, the lack of ambition, the "blues," one should take a course of treatment every spring; such a standard tonic as "Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery," now to be had in tablet form in sixty-cent vials. Watch the people go plodding along the street. There's no spring, no vitality. A vitalizing tonic such as this vegetable extract of Dr. Pierce's gives you the power to force yourself into action. The brain responds to the new blood in circulation, and thus you're ready to make a fight against stagnation which holds you in bondage. Try it now! Don't wait! To-day is the day to begin. Gain a little "pep," and laugh and live. Vim and vitality are the natural out-pouring of a healthy body. It does not spring up in a night. Try this spring tonic, and you gain the courage that comes with good health.

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