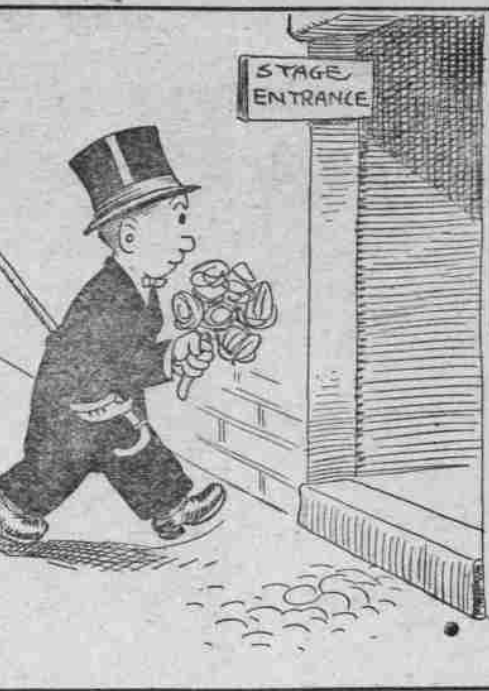
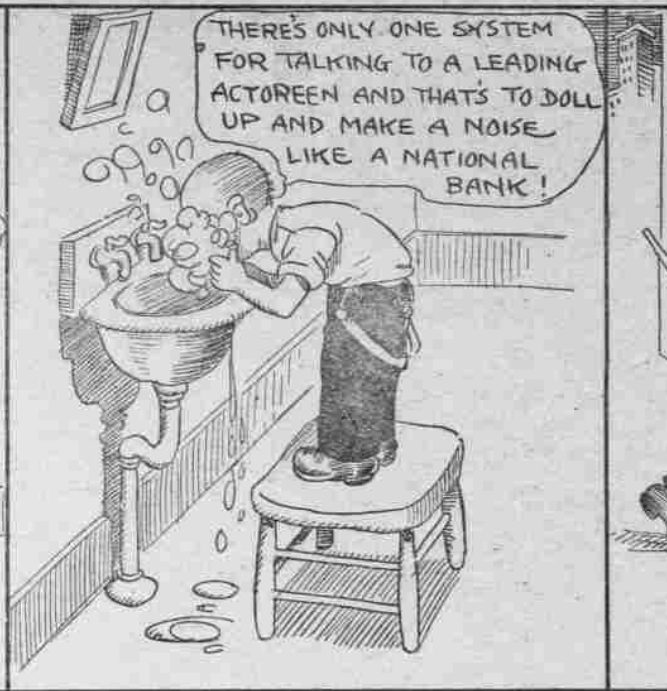


SCOOP THE CUB REPORTER

Next Time, Scoop, Flash Your Union Card

By HOP



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CITY OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER

March 13 In American History.

1867 - Russia ceded to the United States the territory of Alaska for \$7,200,000. 1901 - Benjamin Harrison twenty-third president of the United States, died; born 1833. 1911 - The United States supreme court affirmed the constitutionality of the income tax.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS. (From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 6:04, rises 6:15. Evening stars: Mercury, Venus, Saturn. Morning stars: Jupiter, Mars.

WHALING THE STAND. Some Deming straw army patriotic papers have set up a standing army man of straw and beaten the "everlasting stuffing" out of it. The standing army, as a matter of fact, is visible only in imagination. Slaughter of it by these valiant papers would be immaterial, if the editorial coup de grace did not have running through it the characteristic Democratic tone of contempt for and disparagement of the men who serve the United States in the army and navy. No man, not even the most ardent militarist, who retains his senses, advocates maintaining an army of 1,000,000 men in this country. The most extravagant military system devised by theoretical experts never contained such a provision.

Europe, to which we are accustomed to point as a horrible example of the crushing burden of an army, and to characterize as a great armed camp, has but one power which maintains under arms so many men as that, Russia, with troops covering a territory three times as great as our own, including our island possessions, and a population also three times as large, and far more heterogeneous, has a standing army of 1,200,000. Germany, the acknowledged leading military power of the world, keeps under arms 620,000 men. France 600,000, Austria-Hungary 390,000. Little Japan, with but half our population, and less than one-twentieth our area, keeps under arms 450,000 men. More than Germany, she is the terrible example of militarism. She is carrying the most crushing burden of war preparation in proportion to her

FOR SALE

Two 4-room plastered and hard-finished houses on 1 lot, each renting for \$6.00 per month.

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HOP CONTRACTS ARE IN BIG DEMAND

The market for hop contracts is rather active and firm at 15c a pound. Considerable business has passed at Willamette Valley points during the last few days, the aggregate being the greatest of the season to date. Most buyers have been operators and some of them have purchased extensively.

The market for spot goods is very quiet and somewhat inclined to show weakness. The future of the trade depends entirely upon the crop advised. Present prospects are for a good output but the season is still too early to say much regarding this. Many things may happen between now and picking time.

The best hops available are now being quoted at 15c a pound. This is fractionally lower than previous figures although quality considered the market is substantially the same as during recent days. Most of the hops left in growers' hands are of medium grade.

Prevailing Oregon City prices are as follows:

- HIDES—(Buying) Green salted, 7c to 8c; sheep pelts 7c to \$1.50 each. FEED—(Selling) Shorts \$25; bran \$24; process barley \$27 to \$29 per ton. HAY—(Buying) Clover at \$8 and \$9; oat hay best \$11 and \$12; mixed \$10 to \$11; selling alfalfa \$13.50 to \$17.00; Idaho and Eastern Oregon (timothy) selling \$19.50 to \$23.00. OATS—\$24.00 to \$26.50; wheat 90; oil meal selling \$40.00; Shay Brook dairy feed \$1.30 per hundred pounds. Whole corn \$23.

- Livestock, Meats. BEEF—(Live weight) steers 7 and 8c; cows 6 and 7 c, bulls 4 to 6c. MUTTON—Sheep 5 to 6 1-2; lambs 6 to 6 1-2c. PORK—9 1-2 and 10c. VEAL—Calves 12c to 13c dressed, according to grade. WEINIES—15c lb; sausage, 15c lb. POULTRY—(Buying)—Hens 11 to 13c; stage slow at 10c; old roosters; broilers 17c.

- Fruits APPLES—50c and \$1. DRIED FRUITS—(Buying). Prunes on basis 6 to 8 cents. VEGETABLES ONIONS—\$1.00 sack. POTATOES—About 35c to 40c f. o. b. shipping points, per hundred, with no sales at going quotations. BUTTER, EGGS. BUTTER—(1 yd). Ordinary country butter 25c and 30c; fancy creamery 75c to 85c roll. EGGS—Oregon ranch case count 14c; Oregon ranch candled 15c.

A Cure For Eczema. Eczema in any form, whether acute or chronic, is easily and rapidly overcome by the use of Meriol Eczema Remedy. Gives positive relief when all others fail, and we heartily recommend it to any sufferer. Jones Drug Company. Exclusive Agent.

Root of Evil. Love of money is the disease which renders us most pitiful and groveling.—Lombard.

War Scenes In Mexico City; Sharpshooters and the Slain



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WHEN the dogs of war barked through the streets of Mexico City in the recent uprising against the Madero government terror was spread on all sides. Such scenes as depicted in the upper picture here, when dead littered the highways, turned the foreign residents sick with terror. Many of the killed were foreigners who were picked off by the Diaz sharpshooters from the top of the arsenal and from behind granite block barricades in the streets. How these sharpshooters spit forth their glow but deadly fire is shown in the lower picture.

HEADQUARTERS FOR SPORTING GOODS

Base Ball Supplies of all kinds in stock and fair treatment assured.

Call in and see MILLER-PARKER CO.

EIGHT DECREES OF DIVORCE GRANTED

Circuit Judge Campbell has granted decrees of divorce in the following cases: Josephine Hayes against F. J. Hayes, plaintiff awarded care of two children; Blanch Blount against Walter H. Blount, plaintiff awarded custody of child; Kathryn Martin Smith against Chester J. Smith; Lillian A. Hamilton against Edmund E. Hamilton, plaintiff's maiden name, Lillian A. Broughton, restored; Lorena Culver against Eugene M. Culver, plaintiff awarded custody of three children; Kate M. Ellis against Henry O. Ellis; Charles H. Jackson against Marguerite Jackson, and Eva R. Hart against F. P. Hart, plaintiff being awarded the custody of their children and \$10 a month alimony.

He Filled the Bill. A stranger when dining at a foreign hotel was accosted by a detective, who said to him: "Beg your pardon. We are in search of an escaped convict, and as a matter of form will you oblige us by showing your passport?" "Do I look like a convict?" "Possibly not. In any case I shall require to see your passport." The stranger, feeling annoyed, presented the officer with the bill of fare, and the latter commenced to read, "Sheep's head, neck of mutton, pig's feet." "Very good," he observed. "The description tallies. You will please come along with us."—Boston Traveler.



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Swissco is on sale everywhere by druggists and drug departments at 50c and \$1.00 a bottle.

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MISSIONARY SOCIETY TO MEET THIS AFTERNOON

The Ladies' Missionary Society, of Gladstone, will have a meeting at the home of Mrs. Gault this afternoon at 2 o'clock. A special Easter offering will be taken.

Forced Benevolence. "Every one speaks of your benevolence, madam, and that you provide so many needy ones with food." "Yes, yes; when one has three daughters learning to cook at the same time."—Flegende Blatter.

Wants, For Sale, Etc.

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FOR SALE—The New American Encyclopedic Dictionary, and Comprehensive Encyclopedia. 10 large volumes, a bargain. OTIS RAY DAUGHERTY, Route No. 1, Molalla, Or.

FOR SALE—Two grey 4-year-old brood mares, well matched. Inquire James Petty, Oregon City, Oregon.

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Rising Prices the Greatest Blessing of the Human Race

By Professor IRVING FISHER, Political Economist

AFTER FIFTEEN YEARS OF RISING PRICES WE HAVE HYPNOTIZED OURSELVES INTO THINKING THEY ARE AN UNMIXED EVIL. BUT RISING PRICES ARE, IN FACT, THE GREATEST BLESSING TO THE HUMAN RACE.

How fervently the men of the nineties prayed for them! Each generation is MORTGAGED TO THE ACCUMULATED CAPITAL OF THE PAST and has got to meet the interest and principal of its debt. It is twice as easy to meet these payments with prices rising as it is with prices falling.

Rising prices strike off the shackles of our debt to the past and open the doors of opportunity of the future. CAPITAL LOSES, BUT HUMANITY GAINS. The rise in prices in the sixteenth century helped the people of Europe to shake off the inherited burdens of the feudal system and to clear the stage for the entry of modern commerce. FALLING PRICES, ON THE OTHER HAND, MAKE COWARDS OF US ALL. They slam the door of opportunity in our face.

IT ISN'T THE RISE IN PRICES, BUT OUR FAILURE TO ADAPT OUR ECONOMIC MACHINERY TO IT, THAT CAUSES ALL THE TROUBLE.

Wages don't respond like prices. They lag behind prices. They are the last to rise and the last to fall. They never rise as high or fall as low. There is the same lag in the interest rate. This lag in wages and interest gives to the adventurous and bold the chance of profit and CAUSES TRADE EXPANSION.

Reputation For Fair Dealing

Worth A Fortune

By John P. Fallon

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The merchant who is in business to stay knows that fair dealing and absolutely truthful advertising is the only way to get customers and keep them.

These are the essentials of success. They are the principles by which reliable merchants who advertise in THE MORNING ENTERPRISE do business.

You can rely upon the advertisements which appear in this paper every morning. The merchants who pay for these announcements cannot afford to risk their reputations. They know it pays them to advertise only so long as they continue to give their customers superior merchandise at honest prices and provide efficient service.

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