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OUR POSITION IN RUSSIA. Who can blame the American troops in the Archangel province of Russia for their reluctance to go to the front?

These are valid reasons why we should make war in Russia, not on the Russian people but on those who have betrayed the Russian people.

HUMANE WEEK. "Humane" week, which will be observed throughout Oregon during the seven days ending with April 27, gives us another opportunity to fortify our hearts.

GOVERNMENT IN INDUSTRY. The controversy between Director General Hines and the industrial board of the department of commerce is an example of the evils growing out of government intervention in industry.

President Wilson has pledged aid to Russia, and has plainly intimated that he regards the bolsheviks as allies of Germany.

Every proposal with regard to accommodation in the west carries with it a reservation with regard to the east.

THE DECLINE OF WALKING. One significant phase of the action of forty Philadelphia business men recently in pledging themselves for a five-mile "hike" is that a leading Philadelphia newspaper should have regarded it as a mere incident.

Walking is an exercise not only for the legs but for the whole body. Even the automobile owner can with profit resort to it occasionally.

SITING FARM SUPERSTITIONS. Scientists of the department of agriculture are about to undertake an important job—the classification of farm crop and weather lore.

Have you any old clothes? They do no good hanging in the closet. They would do much good in the war zone.

High-up Germans assert Germany will not sign the peace treaty for one reason and another, but she will sign.

California backs down on the Oriental immigration proposition at request of Amigo Park, Baring and filling company to California.

Those Who Come and Go. "An artillery school for South Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Washington, Alaska and Oregon will be located at the Oregon Agricultural college.

Companionship. Have you ever been in a wonderful mood? With myriad glad thoughts winging across the space to a dreamy place.

Other Strange Circumstances Told of Land Now in Public Eye. Corea, erstwhile "hermit nation," scene of extensive riots, and petitioner to the Paris peace conference for independent sovereignty.

Are we forgetting how to walk? It is estimated that there are 2,500,000 automobiles in the United States.

When I first came out this way all the merchandise in the northwest could have been displayed in the lobby of this hotel.

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THE SUNDAY OREGONIAN. When Bridget the cook got a job in the munition factory, where she packed steel rations for the Hun.

In Other Days. Twenty-five Years Ago. From The Oregonian of April 12, 1894. The republicans yesterday nominated the following candidates for state offices.

Seventy athletes have entered for the indoor games for which the First Regiment Athletic association has been preparing for two months.

Construction crews for the Central Pacific railroad will try to lay ten miles of track between sunrise and sunset today.

PORTLAND, April 11.—(To The Editor.)—The population has changed completely in Oregon since the days of our grandfathers.

CHURCH AND STATE DIFFER. One Holds Marriage Sacred; Other Makes Continuance Optional. PORTLAND, April 11.—(To The Editor.)—I was much pleased to read in The Oregonian what Mr. Merced said.

WEALTH AND POPULATION. HILLSDALE, Or., April 10.—(To The Editor.)—To settle a discussion, kindly state how much capital is figured to each individual of the United States.

ARE WE COMING TO THE EIGHT-HOUR MAID?—A QUERY IN THE SUNDAY OREGONIAN. When Bridget the cook got a job in the munition factory, where she packed steel rations for the Hun.

WITH THE HELP OF GOD AND A FEW MARINES.—At Chateau-Thierry the German spear-point bore directly upon Paris—the civic heart of the strife against Prussianism.

AND HERE IS A PAGE BY BRIGGS.—Seeing as how there is never quite enough of Briggs, delightful depicitor of human frailty, in a single cartoon.

IT'S ALL THERE.—Not an item of the world's news, of moment and importance, is missing from the columns of the Sunday issue.

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