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RETURN OF THE OLD LEADER: Completion today of Woodrow Wilson's fifth year in the public eye...

ATHLETICS AND CITIZENSHIP: Dedication of a bronze memorial tablet at Multnomah Amateur Athletic club gymnasium...

DEATH OF "JIM" MCCOWN: To most men events beyond their own routine, apart from their personal and professional lives...

AWAY FROM POISONED ATMOSPHERE: President Harding has good reason for his determination that any conference of the kind should be held in Washington...

LOOKING FIFTY YEARS AHEAD: Though at first glimpse the plan of the American Tree association which proposes to begin preparations now to celebrate the centenary of Arbor day...

wholly on the defensive; in 1924 he will be able to take the offensive against Mr. Harding's policy...

NEW INVENTIONS USED BY CRIMINALS: Increased use of automobiles by criminals, both in commission of crime and in rapid flight...

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As soon as the sun resumes shining you will notice the days growing longer.

decide on some point between the two extremes of cost in this and competing countries which should be adopted as the basis of the duty.

When taking into account the various advantages and disadvantages of competing industries, is the commission under obligations to base its recommendations only on those costs of production which are incurred by efficiency and economy...

The problem can be solved more nearly correctly as a scientific than as a political problem. But the man who is threatened with business extinction by what he considers inadequate protection will inject the human factor into the solution...

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Stars and Starmakers.

The inevitable and to be expected has happened. The Hall-Mills murder trial has been dramatized. It was tried last week in Altona, under the title of "Who is Guilty?"

Laurette Taylor's next appearance will be in Fannie Hurst's dramatization of her own story, "Humoresque," rehearsals of which started last week.

Norman Selby, known the sports world over as Kid McCoy, a picture actor, and eight times husband, filed a petition in bankruptcy in Los Angeles last week.

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Those Who Come and Go

Romance in business is not dead, nor is opportunity to build fortunes from small beginnings in Oregon gone.

After living a couple of years in a quiet place like Rockaway, Tillamook county, an individual is somewhat frightened on being dropped down in the congested district of a city, who has been living at the beach resort, came to town for Christmas.

Rev. W. R. Riner, who may yet attain the distinction of being known as "the pardoning governor," is registered at the Benson.

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Burroughs Nature Club

Can You Answer These Questions? 1. Can a bluebird make a successful nest?

Answers in tomorrow's nature notes. 1. Does the Baltimore Oriole begin singing as soon as he comes north?

How many muskrats are there in a liter and how do they feel? Six to eight per liter, and occasionally two litters a year.

Does Man Who Makes His Own Quality as Good American? TAKIMA, Wash., Dec. 23.—(To the Editor).—What attitude does the government take in the way of enforcing prohibition in private homes?

My next door neighbor is a strong advocate of prohibition and a short time ago discovered that I was making wine in my cellar.

President Harding's recent address to congress dwelt considerably on strict enforcement of the prohibition law.

REAL SOURCE OF OUR LIQUOR: The federal prohibition director says: "Under the government prohibition laws, the mere possession or even the manufacture of intoxicating liquors is a crime."

Writer Thinks Public Taste to Blame for Violations of Law. OLYMPIA, Wash., Dec. 26.—(To the Editor).—Accept most hearty congratulations upon your editorial of December 25, about "Dramming Niagara."

Winnings Taxable as Income. PORTLAND, Dec. 17.—(To the Editor).—To settle an argument you kindly decide the following: (1) Is money won on an election wager taxable for United States income tax?

More Truth Than Poetry

REPUTATION: The man who wins his way by wise and prudent deeds. Who never walks away with the money that he needs.

The man who seldom speaks, but whose words are like gold. Because he values his words. For anything to say.

A Common Grievance. Uncle Sam complains that he can't get all the money due for income tax. Neither can the income tax payers.

In Other Days. Twenty-five Years Ago. From The Oregonian, December 28, 1922. Christmas trade was better this season than it has been for years.

Old Captain Peter McKay, better known as "Old Pete," the proprietor of the "Truthful Peter," is now first mate on the steamer Oriflamme.

JESUS CONDEMS HYPOCRITES: Attitude of Arbutuck Compared With That of Publican. PORTLAND, Dec. 27.—(To the Editor).—Your headline writer should have said "Scriptures Misquoted."

For anyone ostentatiously to take his stand in the eye of the public as an American citizen is a serious matter, but by no means as serious as to claim to be actuated by the teachings and spirit of Christ.

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