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MALICIOUS PLANETS.

mail matter.

D ROF, GUSTAV MEYER, the lead. ing astrologer of Hoboken, N. J., has just issued his official prophecy for the forthcoming year. And here are some of the things in store for us, as the professor dopes it out.

To begin with, we are going to intervene in Mexico. That will happen next month. About the same time, be it noted, Spain is going to jump into the European war and German Zeppelins are going to blow London into smithercens. Then. just to start the new year off prop- nue emergency act, goes into effect voting, 10 cents; for conveying or erly, India is going to revolt against throughout the United States to- selling, renting, for collecting rent, England. There is going to be a day. heap of trouble for kings and emper- it will be necessary to put internal collection of dividend, 25 cents. ors, and Prof. Meyer hints at a revenue stamps (postage stamps will scandal in the English royal family, not do) on score of documents and acceptance, check or draft, 25 cent possibly a divorce-which would articles, under heavy penalties for stamp, surely be much more dreadful than the Zeppelins.

To return to the United States, we learn that there are going to be wine, documentary and proprietary. earthearthquakes in Albany, Phila-President Wilson will have seventeen unlucky days and also stomach troube fires and mine disasters and subway explosions and strikes and riots ing pictures are doomed.

All the trouble, it appears, is but by the planets Mars and Uranus. which are squinting at each other, or

ing but not absolutely convincing to four cents a gallon. a nation that prefers to run its own mism for the year 1915,

WITH THE TEA AND THE TOAST

GOOD EVENING.

He who ascends the mountain tops shall find The loftiest peaks most wrapt in clouds and snow;

who surpasses or subdues mankind

Must look down on the hate of those below.

-Byron.

THE SAME QUEER WORLD.

Queer world, my brother, under War's wild frown; One builds up the country-another tears it down.

One sows seeds of happiness far in field an' glen;

won't say "Amen!" Queer world, my brother, - that's the

way it goes; finds the rose; But somehow, I reckon, when we

hear the final call. We'll say: 'For all its surrow, 'twas a good world after all!"

F. L. Stanton. They are busy pulling wires today in city politics. Why doesn't Marcon!

or Edison get busy and invent wireless politics.

From the number of divorces being granted in Coos county, it looks as though the tle that binds was a slip-knot.

WHO IS SHE?

There was a dame in our town And she was wondrous wise, She planned to shop quite early

To everyone's surprise. But when her plans were finished With all her might and main, She shirked her Christmas shopping And found it filled with pain.

Some Coos Bay men are so tender-hearted that they even

sympathize with the people they owe money to.

Some Coos Bay men are like horses-won't work until they are "broke."

At the age of fifty some Coos Bay stamp. men are cured of the notion that they can get rich by industry alone. | untaxed,

COOS BAY TIMES TABULATED LIST OF ARTICLES THAT TAKE NEW WAR TAX

Entries for withdrawal of goods a

any custom house, not exceeding \$100

ue, a 50 cent stamp; exceeding \$500

from customs bonded warehouse, a

cent on each dollar or fraction there-

of of premium; policies of purely co-

operative or mutual fire insurance

companies or associations or corpora-

tions for their own protection and

Indemnity bonds, one-half on one

per cent on each dollar or fraction

Steamship tickets; value up to \$30,

Power of attorney or proxy for

Protests of notes, bill of exchange,

Proprietary Stamps.

metics and other similar articles and

stamps for chewing gum are the pro-

prietary stamps. These stamps must

be so placed on packet, box, bottle,

when cork is removed or box opened.

should be placed as follows: Retail

Stamps used on perfumery, cos-

one dollar stamp: \$30 to \$60, \$3

stamp; over \$60, \$5; tickets less than

Entry for withdrawal of goods

Insurance policies, one-half of one

in value, \$1.00,

56 cent stamp

not for profit, exempt.

thereof of premium.

\$10, exempt.

Penalty for Failure to Stamp Articles and Papers in value, a 25 cent stamp; exceeding -Read This and Save

WAR TAX DUE.

[By Associated Press to 1 nos Bay Times.] WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 1. The emergency war tax bill to raise \$100,000,000 in revenue goes into full effect today. The provisions of the measure levying taxes on tobacco, beer and wine went into effect November I and the remajuing sections are effective

Schedules A and H of the war reve-On and after this date selling or transferring stock, etc., failure to do so.

The stamp taxes affect a wide range of instruments and articles. There are three kinds of stamps-

Wine Stamp Taxes, Wine stamps must be put on all delphia, Baltimore, Chicago, St. still wines, when sold or offered for Louis, Washington and Portland, sale or consumption to consumers, as follows: up to one-fourth pint, onefourth cent stamp; more than onefourth pint to one-half pint, one-half ble. Congress will yield to the big cent stamp; more than one-half pint navy jingoes and build great quan- to one pint, one cent stamp; more titles of dreadnaughts. There will than one pint to one quart, two cents; in other containers, at the rate of eight cents a gallon.

On all champagnes and other value up to five cents, one-eighth and things, but all these calamities sparkling wines, and upon all artipale before the revelation that mov. ficially carbonated wines, stamps one-half pint, five cents; more than value, three-eighth cent stamp; ex- the face of the stamp. one-half pint to one pint, ten cents: caused not by the kniser or the Turk more than one pint to one quart. or the exar or John Bull or Satan, twenty cents; and on all other containers at the rate of twenty cents

On all liquors (not whiskey), at the earth, from a wrong angle, or cordials, or similar compounds, something like that. The aspects of stamps should be affixed as follows: the stars are distinctly unfavorable up to one-half pint, one and one-half cents, more than one-half pint to to the well known human race for one pint, three cents; more than one here the last week. many moons yet, says Prof. Meyer. pint to one quart, six cents; on larg-

"These wine taxes," the collector says, "have been effective since Octo- turns out a fine article. affairs without any planetary inter- ber 23, but there being no stamps ference. We don't believe that times dealers were required to keep acare going to be bad. We don't be- count of sales. Stamps may now be had and dealers should order at happen to us. If the fool stars in- with order. They will then cancel work. sist on butting in where they're not stamps enough to cover their sales wanted, or scowling when they ought and return these with Form 672 fillto be content with twinkling, we'll stamp their stocks with the remained out to the collector. They will smash all the telescopes and make der of the stamps. They will not star-gazing a penal offense. Noth- stamp kegs or large containers uning or nobody can quench our opti- less they are sold as such with their contents to consumers, but us they draw off bar bottled or other bottles. they will stamp these. All bitters are taxed as 'other similar compounds,' except Abott's and Angustora, which are not taxed. Kimmel and rock and rye are cordials. 'Straight' brandy is not taxable, but blackberry and such wine brandles

Documentary Stamps.

The law makes it unlawful to record or register any instrument, pap. Louise Haberly, er, or other document required by law to be stamped unless a stamp ley,-Coquille Sentinel. or stamps of the proper amount shall have been affixed and cancelled as provided. The documents and instruments which must be stamped, together with the denomination, fol-

Municipal, state, county, town. bonds, etc., exempt. Stocks and bonds of cooperative

building and loan, mutual, ditch or that make loans only to their stockholders, exempt.

Bonds, debentures, certificates of One shouts "Hallelula!" an' one indebtedness (not bank certificates of deposit), 5 cents on each \$100 of face value or fraction thereof.

Sales, or agreemnts to sell, or memoranda of sales or deliveries or One reaps the red thorns and never transfers of shares or certificates of fraction thereof.

Sale, agreement of sale, or agreement to sell, any products or merch- end of one's little finger, andise, at any exchange, or board of for \$100 and one cent for each additional \$100 or fractional part thereof in excess of \$100; if sale is ne-

companied by bill of lading, no tax. Promissory notes, and for each renewal, 2 cents up to \$100, 2 cents ou each additional \$100 or fractional part thereof.

cent stamp On telephone messages for which charge is 15 cents or more, a 1 cent

Indemnity bonds, except such as required in legal proceedings, a 50

Certificate of profits or related instruments, on each \$100 of face value or fraction thereof, 2 cents.

Certificate of damage, 25 cents. Certificate of any description required by law not otherwise specifid in the act, 10 cents.

Broker's note or memorandum of sale of any goods or merchandise, GREAT INCREASE IN stocks, real estate, etc., not otherwise provided for, 10 cents.

Deeds or other instruments conthereon, when the consideration or creasing. A ton and three-quarters value exceeds \$100 and does not exceed \$500, a 50 cent stamp, and

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stamp will be destroyed. The arti- stamp, tract, toilet water, cosmetic, vaseline, package containing chewing gum or Marshfield cles covered are "any essence, ex-On each box, carton, jar, or other petrolatum, hair oil, pomade hair substitute thereof, of not more than dressing, hair dye, hair restorative, one dollar of retail value, a 4-cent Creamery hair dressing, tooth mash, dentifrice, stamp; for each additional dollar or tooth paste, aromatic cachous, or any fraction exceeding one dollar, a 4similar substance or article." Stamps cent stamp.

How Stamps Are Cancelled. Wine and documentary stamps are cent stamp; exceeding five cents, to be cancelled by writing or stampvalue to ten cents, two-eight cent ing the initials of the person using should be placed as follows: up to stamp; exceeding ten, to fifteen cents them and date of cancellation across

NEWS OF NEARBY TOWNS

ALLEGANY ITEMS.

There have been several frosts

Jack Baker of Loon Lake was out

couple of days at the Red Cross in nicely, the jewelry repair department to en-Here that anything bad is going to once, sending draft or money order able them to catch up with their Marshfield last Saturday, from where

Hall Saturday night. All had a good

Gould's camp is putting in lots of R. H. Walter. way by the use of the dams.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED.

John H. LaChappelle and Anna Thompson.

Thornburg. Shelly Cleveland McAlister and

John A. Ensele and Etla L. Shel-

BANDON ODD FELLOWS.

Bandon Lodge, I. O. O. F., held the semi-annual election of officers came up Saturday to look after his Wednesday night and served a big business interests and for a visit with banquet after lodge was closed.

The newly elected officers are: A. irrigating companies, and building Barrows, Noble Grand; L. I. Wheeler. ing Secretary; Harry Hunt, Financial Treasurer. Bandon Recorder.

CULLINGS OF COQUILLE.

sity in his yard now in the shape of a stock, in whatever manner made, 2 fig tree only about one foot in cents on each \$100 of face value, or beight, on which are growing a lot of tiny figs not quite as large as the

by Mr. Johnson,

are looking mighty fine in Coos where it grows. of shipment exceeds 5 cents, a 1 butter-and the pastures are all that to the city on this trip of the Grace could be imagined for a cow heaven. Dollar.-Port Orford Tribune.

FLORENCE TAX HEAVY.

When the Council met in the evening, O. C. Stanwood was elected Councilman to succeed D. M. Kyle. A tax levy of 20 mills was ordered to pay the outstanding warrants and meet the current expenses for the coming year.- Florence West.

EASTERN MAIL

The amount of eastern mail comteying title to real estate, exclusive ing to Coos county across the coast of the value of any encumbrance range from Roseburg is steadily ina day is the average. It is now being for additional \$500 or fractional part hauled by a four-horse team, but the thereof in excess of \$500, a 50 cent contractors expect that it will require eight horses before long .- Coquille ALWAYS USED. Phone 72. Pacific

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News of the Upper Coquille Valley As Told by The Enterprise.

Ellsworth Francis Coulter, n. 7 1-2 All of which star dope is interest- er containers at the rate of twenty- with a big load of cheese. Mr. Fish pound baby boy came November 20 is a veteran cleesemaker and surely to the home of his happy parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth E. Coulter. Ed Baker of Allegany put in a Both mother and baby are doing

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Adams went to the latter sailed on the S. S. Speed-There was a dance at the Allegany well for Pasadena, California, having been called on account of the serious illness of her father, Capt.

logs now, as there is plenty of water After an illness of nearly three in the river to keep them out of the months Mrs. E. E. McCracken (nee Ihrig) quietly fell to sleep Sunday evening at the age of 58 years, one month and 22 days.

NEWS OF SIUSLAW.

Earl Goldworthy and Emma Events There As Told in the Columns of the Florence Pilot.

> R. F. Averill, manager of the Tide Water Mill Company, returned from Gardiner this week. While on the Umpqua Mr. Averill made arrangements to have the barge Lawrence tled up for the winter at Reedsport.

> Henry Bergman, of North Bend. his parents.

The Chinamen having completed their contract with Wm. Kyle at the and loan associations or companies Vice Grand; J. L. Schoffeld, Record- cannery, left for Astoria via Eugene Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Leefe left Tuesday morning to spend Thanksgiving with

friends in Portland. Captain Robert Jones is moving J. H. Aker has a vegetable curio- into his new home on Front street,

CURRY WILL EXHIBIT.

Frank Cook and Gene Peirce have made 15,000 white cedar shakes on The lumber will here which has Sixes, which will be shipped to San trade, or other similar place, I cent been partially closed down during Francisco and used to cover the Orthe past two weeks begins running egon Fish and Game building at the again in all departments today. About Panama Exposition. They are being twenty men are employed there now donated by the Port Orford Commercial Club with the object of adver-The cattle in hundreds of valleys tising this rare wood and the section

On bills of lading, manifest or county now. We saw a bunch of The shakes are being hauled into other form of receipt where charge calves yesterday that were fat as town, and will probably be shipped

WED IN BANDON.

Wednesday evening at Haberia. the suburban home of Rev. and Mrs. A. Haberly, their daughter, Louise Adelphia, was married to Mr. Shelby Cleveland McAllister, Rev. Haberly officiating. Miss Haberly is a graduate of the Bandon High School and has been a successful school teacher, having just completed a term of school in Curry county. Mr. Mc-Allister is an enterprising young man and at present is employed in Sidwell's clothing store.-Bandon

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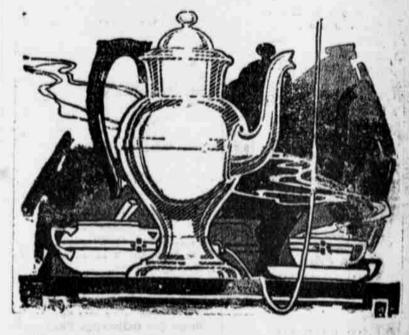
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Who are the men best known in any community! Are they not the advertisers? Do they not get the bulk of the trade. The people of every community spend about the same proportion of their incomes with the merchants, and is not the bulk of this proportion spent in the stores

Merchants who do a big volume of business decrease their seiling cost by reason of that volume, stille merchants who do not advertise and who do not get the volume of business, are compelled to sell their merchandise at a greater selling cost.

The merchant who will not advertise lets business slip through his fingers and permits it to go to the man who does advertise, who tells the public where he is, what he

has to sell, and how he sells it. It seems obvious that merchants who advertise sell their merchandise to the consumer much cheaper than the merchant who does not advertise. The public is wise in pa tronizing merchants who advertise.