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FORCE EUROPE TO PAY.

Why the public does not rise on its haunches and burst into a roar of laughter that would echo around the world when suggestions are made that Uncle Sam should cancel Europe's war debts, like the wisdom of the Lord passeth understanding.

Last year the easy Americans paid Germany \$960,000,000 for worthless marks. As fast as German printing presses could turn out the financial junk good American dollars were poured into Germany to bring them to the land of the free.

In addition to this stupendous folly American tourists spent in Germany \$750,000,000 which foots up just about 13 per cent of the entire war debt. And the end is not yet.

American money is even now turning the wheels of German industry. American brains are even now working to help solve the German national problem.

This year American children will play with German toys to the exclusion of toys of American manufacture.

Summed up, America stands today the world's great easy mark. Charged with being a nation of dollar worshippers, we find ourselves the easy victims of every shrewd European trickster and governmental propagandist.

It is time we put a definite end to serious consideration of debt repudiation. Now is the time to talk real strict accountability.

Let Washington announce that Europe to the last nation must pay her debts, and to the last farthing.

"SERVICE" THEIR WATCH-WORD

In the recent fire which wiped out 25 blocks in the city of Astoria, what were the first businesses to re-establish service, Public utilities.

People were lost without the electric light and telephone but before the smoke had cleared away these industries were stringing their wires and giving the people "service" before any other line of industry had recovered from the shock of the fire.

People take such conveniences as the telephone, electric light, gas and street railways as a matter of course. This is because these companies seldom, if ever, fail to give service when the customer wants it.

The Astoria fire illustrated again their energy and ability in serving the public.

TAKEN UP—One coming 2-year-old Jersey heifer with crop off the right ear and underbite in the left. S. Romtvedt, Nashville, Ore. 42-4t

Our Greeting to Each of You

W TRUST that your Christmas preparations have been satisfactory, that your gifts will produce a high degree of pleasure in recompense for the love and consideration which prompt them, and that you will spend the holiday suffused with the feelings of peace and joy which come from work well done and a knowledge that you have made others happier.

If the bestowal of Christmas remembrances were merely the following of a custom, and not inspired by a higher purpose, we believe that it would soon die out; for customs change. The fact that it increases from year to year shows that the spirit of good will, the desire to give pleasure to the unfortunate and the impressing upon friends that they have an important existence in one's heart are deeply rooted, flourishing sentiments. Such are attributes of the soul and point to that soul-growth which is the best augury for the future of mankind.

Our greeting to you is of cheer and confident hope. Our feeling toward you is of deep appreciation for the encouragement and patronage you have given us, and an optimism that if we continue to co-operate we shall be able to make this community more prosperous and better in every way. Our wish is that this may be the merriest Christmas you have ever spent.

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"Mother, tell me a fairy story, will you?"
"Wait until your father comes home and he'll tell us both one."

Two Jews had been to hear an evangelist preacher at a tent meeting. On their way home Isahwa asked, "How did you like the speaking, Isadore?"

"All he talked about was Hell, Hell, Hell," I don't believe there is any Hell," replied Isadore.

"Vy Isadore, if there is no Hell vare has business gone to?"
"Hasn't Marilyn come out of the water yet?"

"Yes, she has been in the bath house for several minutes."
"Oh, yes, she's probably got one of those new combination bathing suits and forgotten the combination."

"I overheard Wally to say I danced like a zephyr."
"He didn't say zephyr, he said you danced like a 'Heifer.'"

Mildred—"Is Bob bald? I can't remember."
Beatrice—"No. He's just awfully light headed."

"Are you the plumber?"
"Yes, lady, I'm the plumber all right."

"I wanted to caution you to be careful when working on my floors. They are all highly polished and in perfect condition."

"Don't worry, lady, I don't slip, I've got nails in me shoes."

"I hear you have given up Mable."
"Yes, I thought she was perfect, but last night I found something about her that I didn't like."

"What was that?"
"Bill's arm."

TAFT

The box social and dance given by the Taft Grange at the Robinson hall last Saturday night was one of the most successful gatherings ever held on Siletz Bay.

The dance was first class, good music, large crowd and conduct commendable.

One hundred fifty-seven and a half dollars was received for the twenty-three baskets—can that be beaten in Lincoln county? Had there been more baskets more money. The funds go to build a much needed hall here.

County Agent Beck came to Taft Monday to become acquainted with agricultural conditions and interview the settlers upon their various industries. He is making friends of all.

The high school has received another shipment of library books. The books now on hand and in the library are valued at \$938.

Chas. Norwick spent a week in Portland on business. Taft is becoming the trading center for northern Lincoln county. To see the wagons and boats that are loaded with merchandise at Robinson's store cause one to inquire, "Where do all the people live?"

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

Call in and inspect our line of Christmas goods when you do your Christmas shopping. We carry a nice line of pocket knives in fancy Christmas boxes, Ingersoll watches, Pyrex ware, aluminum ware, silverware, air rams, tools, percolators, electric irons, electric curling irons, tea pots, kettles, razors, safety razors, flashlights, etc. Better still, get your wife one of those splendid Universal Ranges. They are made in both the white and blue enameled finish, and are guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction.—Hayden Hardware Co. 43 2t

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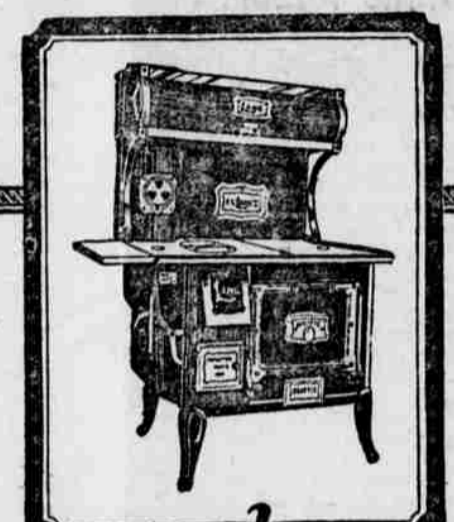
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