

UNCLE SAM TO INTEREST CHILDREN IN GOOD ROADS

Bureau of Education Advocates Good Roads Arbor Day by Means of Illustrated Pamphlet World Center Is Planned.

(Washington Bureau of the Journal.) Washington, D. C., Oct. 25.—The bureau of education is striving to enlist the school children of the nation in the good roads movement by advocating a "Good Roads Arbor Day." To this end they have issued an illustrated pamphlet...

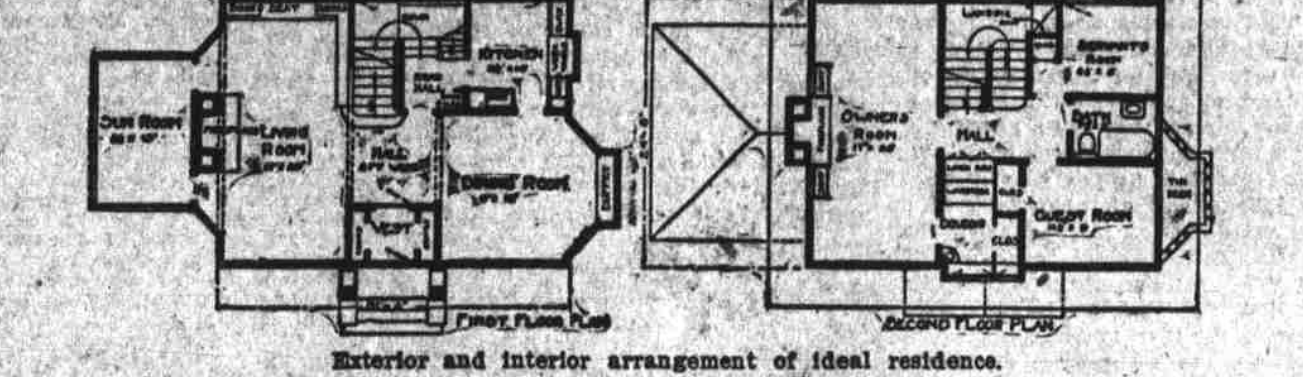
Plan is also outlined for the organization of the school children in a "Junior Highway Improvement League" for the purpose of arousing the community to furnish better roads and paths for school children.

A copy of the magnificently illustrated 225 page book of the World

PERTINENT HINTS TO HOMEBUILDERS ON TRICKS USED TO GET CONTRACTS

By Arthur C. Clausen.

Conscience society, an international society for the creation of world center of communication, was recently presented to the Smithsonian Institution and deposited in the library, where it is available to those who care to examine it.



Exterior and interior arrangement of ideal residence.

By Arthur C. Clausen. Two preceding chapters of this article dwell mostly upon the tricks of the building trade, with reference to the substitution of inferior grades of building materials with the idea of proportionately increasing the contractor's profit.

As a rule, dahlias in Portland are done too much with cold ice water and not fertilizer enough. Fertilize more and water less. Never play ice water on the bush; it hurts the buds; water the roots when watering.

Japan over a certain date, on which the building is supposed to be completed. The contractor then will suggest that nothing be paid to him for any days that he may come within that time, an arrangement which, unknown to the home builder, invalidates that part of the contract unless the home builder can prove that date was the amount of the daily fine.

Therefore, see that all penalty contracts read fair both ways. For the law interprets that it is worth as much to the home builder to get into his home each change is written up in the contract form that preserves the time limit.

While placing contractors under surety bond is not a complete solution of the troubles that might arise from the contractor's failure to complete the work, it nevertheless is the safest thing to do, but the home builder must carefully read and carefully follow all of the requirements and restrictions in the

bond as required by the bond company; otherwise he may find, if compelled to enforce payment on the bond, that he unintentionally is violating some important clause that releases the bond company either in part or in whole.

Before letting a contract it is well to get the contractor for references, preferably from people who have lived in their homes for several years. If he is an honest man he will be glad to be looked up that he may profit by the favorable recommendations that he knows his former customers will give.

With all respect to the intelligence of the average man, it is an undeniable fact that few men, no matter how successful and watchful they may be in their own line of business, are not capable of detecting many of the hundreds of little substitutions that a contractor can make.

DAHLIA BULBS MAY BE LEFT IN GROUND ALL YEAR ROUND UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS

By J. W. Seaberg. The rose has been an important factor in placing Portland on the map. Another attractive flower, the dahlia, the public has as yet to learn is most easily grown in our mild climate west of the Cascades.

It is planted, as it should be, about seven inches deep, it may truthfully be said that it will grow wild here, even as it grows wild in Mexico. But of course it responds to fertilization and care.

Mistakenly, our florists advise the digging up of dahlia bulbs in the fall, and know that this needless trouble and muss deters many from growing dahlias.

Another mistaken idea is that dahlia bulbs must be divided. Like all things in nature the old dahlia bulbs, when the bulbs are left in the ground year after year, pass away, and give place to new bulbs, which are created each year—much after the manner of potatoes.

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It over only three inches with mellow soil. When the shoots come up fill up the hole until the bulb is buried not less than seven inches in the ground.

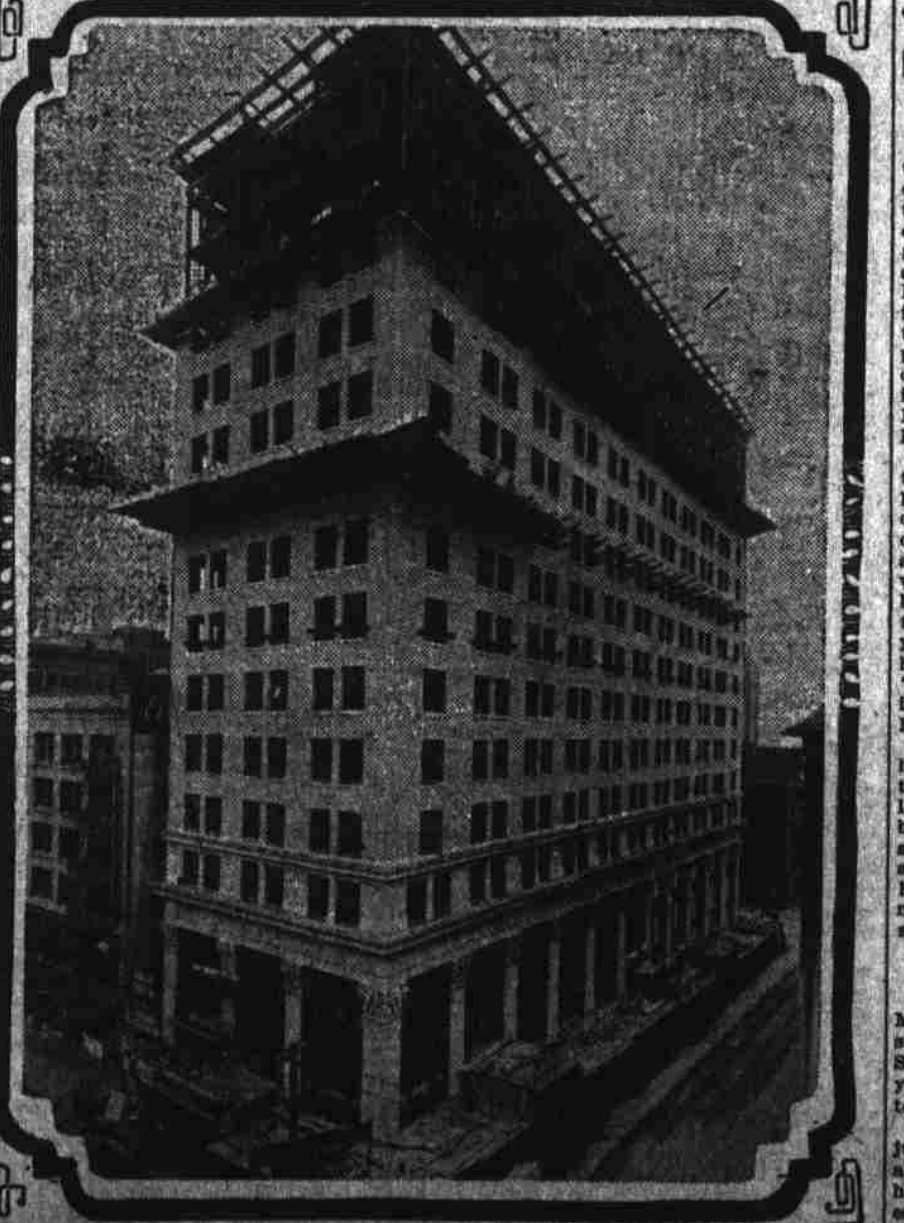
INDIANS WIN GAME FROM PACIFIC COLLEGE

Newberg, Or., Oct. 25.—Sixteen young Chemawa Indians were guests at a local hotel last night. They were in excellent humor, for during the afternoon previous they had defeated Pacific college team in a game of football by a score of 27 to 0.

Manager E. A. Smith of the Chemawa was pleased with the good feeling and fairness manifested by their opponents in Thursday's game. He was referee, and Slayter of the Newberg high was umpire.

Lady Warwick as Playright. London, Oct. 25.—In her new capacity as moving picture playright Lady Warwick will certainly have no lack of material so far as picturesque historical scenes and incidents are concerned in the records of Warwick castle.

IMPOSING MILLION DOLLAR BANK BUILDING



Northwestern National Bank building, Morrison, Sixth and Broadway, rapidly nearing completion.

REPRESENTATIVE BYRNES PATS HIMSELF ON BACK

Washington, D. C., Oct. 25.—Every time the House of Representatives and treasury committee holds a meeting, Representative Byrnes, of South Carolina, a Democrat, pats himself on the back and congratulates himself that he is no longer a member of that particular committee.

Oldest Woman Drinks Cognac. Marseilles, Oct. 25.—Mrs. Madeline Marella, residing in the Rue Danton, is said to be the oldest woman in France. She has just entered upon her 110th year. She lives with one of her daughters, who is 73.

SUFFRAGETTES LIKELY TO ESCHEW PARISIAN 'MAN MADE' FASHIONS

No, Sir—They Are Fighting Men's Laws So Why Not Dresses Also. New York, Oct. 25.—The suffragettes and the suffragettes of Gotham are expected this winter to appear in full-width, entirely-sewed skirts, high-necked waists, "box" coats and corsets.

They will not become the "flap-breasted, slab-hipped, pancake-footed trumps" that Elmer Glyn said some American women wear, but they do not doubt will eschew frills and furbows. Why? Because the present Parisian fashions prevailing alike on Broadway and the Avenue are "Man-Made."

That'll be about all for M. Poiret, so far as the suffragist enthusiasts are concerned. They say they will wear no more Parisian styles. They are fighting against man-made laws. Why wear man-made clothes? No, sir.

PRIMARY EDUCATION IN THE PHILIPPINES IS RAPIDLY DEVELOPING

Past Year Has Seen Marked Development in the School Training of Filipinos.

Washington, Oct. 25.—The greatest primary school system in the world is the reference to the existing school system in the Philippines. The thirteenth annual report of the director of education of the Philippines shows in an event that the Philippines are being given the kind of education best suited to their needs and offering the greatest promise for their future development.

Specialized Studies Emphasized. Within the year the course of study has been amplified. Conditions in the Philippines demand early specialization. In the prescribed course of study this specialization is introduced in the first year.

It is planned to establish at least one school offering the course in farming in each division. At present six plan school sites are in operation, while one additional school offers more extensive instruction in agriculture.

There are 359 intermediate schools offering the general course, 98 the housekeeping and household arts, 49 the teaching course, 40 the trade course, six the farming course, and two the course in business.

Three Millions for Education. Aside from the appropriations for school house construction there was expended for the schools in the Philippines the sum of \$3,150,316.68. Of this amount over one-half came from insular sources and the remainder was appropriated by provincial and municipal governments.

Automobiles Kill 35 Persons in Month. New York, Oct. 25.—Automobiles killed 35 persons in Greater New York in September, an average of more than one a day, according to a police report just made public.

More Than Scholastic Training Is Needed. London, Oct. 25.—At the recent meeting of the British Association, England's famous body of scientists, Professor E. H. Griffiths, of Cardiff, presiding over the educational section, declared that general Sir Robert Baden-Powell was the greatest of all modern educators.

LONDON'S IN DANGER OF BIG POSTAL STRIKE AT CHRISTMAS TIME

Such Action Would Cause a Tangle of Indescribable Confusion and Loss.

By Phillip Everett. (By the International News Service.) London, Oct. 25.—The British post office is in danger of a big postal strike at Christmas time. The strike would cause a tangle of indescribable confusion and loss.

London Escapes Strike. Here in London we just escaped by the skin of our teeth a transportation strike, which would have paralyzed the city completely and caused a loss of millions of dollars.

Christmas Would Be Terrible. It is not only that many millions of Christmas cards would be stopped, and that good wishes for the New Year and hopes for a happy Christmas would come dribbling in up to the end of February.

Railroad Ties With Springs. An inventor to whom a patent has been granted believes he has overcome the objection to steel or concrete road ties by providing ties with springs to support the rails.

The New Corset For Fat Women



The new corset designed to correct over-fat ladies into the new style gowns has three sets of strings. When you have one set adjusted you still have two more strings left. Think of that—three strings.

Teeth Without Plates

Advertisement for teeth without plates, featuring a large illustration of a tooth and text: "As solid and firm as your own teeth. Eat anything. All you need is two or more roots or teeth in either jaw. Fully guaranteed." Includes a price of \$5 and a logo for "Wise Dent".