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Who elected Wilson?

Who built the Panama ca-

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Who sent the navy around the America asks nothing 'or herself but what the has a right to ask for humanity itself, -V OODKOW WILSON. vorld?

defense, but not a cent for CHARLES C. PINCKNEY.

God intends no man to live in this world without working; but it seems to me no less evident that he intends every man to be happy in his work ---Ruskin. Juan hill?

BUILDING A CITY

LETCHER LINN is a man whose right intention and sound judgment few, if any, courts is entitled "Lord vs. Chicawho know him will question. go." Whatever we may have sus-He has done much to build up and pected, we never really believed expand the industrial activities of before, that the time for such in-Portland, and of Oregon. He has tervention had arrived. done this in the face of conditions in the Northwest, of discouragement from those to whom he has gone for assistance and the other day he related some of the troubles that come to the upbuilder of business in this vicinity. Mr. Linn has personally helped to finance nine in the state and employing in the aggregate nearly seven hundred

men. As a consequence he speaks with authority, both from effort thrift. It gathers up twelve basand experience.

"Where there is no unity of ac- which have been left littered about tion nor cooperation in effort in- heretofore. dustries will not be built nor pay-Professor Peterson appears to rolls established." Mr. Linn says, be the parent of the new idea. It and he goes on to contend that this has to do with college debates. is the "common Portland fault."

You understand how these exer-Speaking of the men of large cises are conducted. The students capital who have been leaners and divide into two teams. Each side not lifters in the attempt to prepares itself by long study, inbroaden the boundaries of Port- vestigation and assiduous practice Portland. It would be of value to and plotters, from whom no part of land's industrial scope, Mr. Linn for the grand occasion. The great

Foster, Secretary Harry Moore and pleasant to think that under the want is a way to stop the miseries are so many ills they can't cure nor many others have set a standard people's rule the credit of the state caused by liquor. steadily grows more solid.

thirty-three thousand dollars worth of people to rule the other class, that

Letters From the People With what acerbity will the Hon-

The thought of conserving youth, orable Penrose view the new sen-[Communications sent to The Journal for publication in this department should be writ-ten on only one side of the paper, should not exceed 300 words in length, and must be se-companied by the name and address of the sender. If the writer does not desire to have the name published he should so state.] protecting marriage and awakening ator from California, when he and new responsibilities in the home Hiram Johnson first meet and give has been spread throughout Ore- one another the once over on the gon. The society's exhibit has been floor of the senate. And if Sen-

displayed in most of the remote ator Hiram Johnson remains stead-"Discussion is the greatest of all reformers It rationalizes everything it touches. It robe principles of all false encitly and throws them back on their reasonableness. If they have no fast and aggressive in the faith that has made him, what a circus of conserved youth for their life there will be in the senate when nableness. It ruthiessly crushes them ou of eristence and sets up its own conclusions in their stend."-Woodrow Wilson. service, great economic benefit has he and Penrose discuss the state

Complains of "Dry" Restrictions. the sickness and successful treatment Portland, Nov. 21 .- To the Editor of therefor. And they are born for this The Journal-Permit me through your calling and gifted, as the poet, valuable paper to express my views artist and numerous others, each fitted on the prohibition law. I am an to fill his destined place in the uni-American woman and mother of a large verse.

A the lumber business in Ore- family. I have always been very fond But many so-called doctors ought to gon were charged against the of our beautiful country, until lately. have been blacksmiths, carpenters, or A I don't want to be misunderstood by whatever other calling they were best anyone who reads this letter. What I adapted to, in place of doctoring for would like to know is, what right has wrong diseases. one human being to prohibit another I know what I am talking about.

youth are rendering service that industry by the new tariff, said human being anything he wants to eat have had experience with some of or drink, or dictate how he shall live? them. Show me one that can cure SUFFERER. Where is our liberty or freedom that grip. we read so much about? Is one class

> What Women Remember. From the Chicago Herald,

of Oregon lumber-10,799 carloads- we are prohibited from buying liquor. is lying in yards or at railway sidings awaiting cars which do not come. or want it? It is well known that our Jane Addams' new book, "The Long Every foot of it is sold. Every best and finest men and citizens are the subconscious race memory of womboard of it is needed and waited for not ashamed to both drink and smoke an as exemplified in regard to the in the New York World runs by some one on the other side of the and gamble. These so-called goody- mythical "Devil Baby" some years since continent. Every dollar's worth of it goody people should all live together troubling the peace of Hull House and would mean a dollar's worth of the some place, as I am sure some cities the more recent developments of war. prosperity for which Oregon has would prosper without them and thou- Miss Addams' thesis-that feminine sands of real people would not feel race memory dates back to old tribul that they were idiots to be treated like customs and traditions—is neither we are now, with such a humbug law. novel nor conclusive but it suggests an I consider the word alone, "prohibit," interesting vista of thought.

tween." It wasn't the tariff at all. a big insult to every American citi-Ever since the outbreak of war, t The tariff talk about lumber before zen. If Christ our Lord changed the particuarize, the feminine attitude water into wine I think it must be toward militarism has been the suball right. What is the world coming ject of tense and varied attention. It was put forth in a studied effort to, I wonder, when such humbug laws to deceive voters. The militarist wonders why women, in all ages and stages of the world's saloons are no worse an example to progress protected by arms, should so our children than the moving picture generally declare against war. The shows, which keep our girls and boys pacifist wonders why women, through board of it is needed and waited out at night, not to mention the autos, the world's tragic vicissitudes rarchy bearing arms, should now and then which have turned most of our women's support military movements. Double heads. Home will soon be a thing of explanation, berhaps, lies in some such the past, while man will be wanderdea as Miss Addams has advanced ing the streets-no job, no home or In periods of military excitement family, no rights, except to go to war. or danger, it may be, the subconscious which he will be compelled to do withrace memory of woman warns her of What a crime out being voted on. the need for armed protection. Her and a shame it is that strong men are first reaction echoes the call to aims forced to drink hair oil and polson But underlying and stronger than this alcohol when they should have all the beer they want, which is as harmless long gone battle terrors. 11

it was the tariff, "only the rail- the real people their rights, if we have any. AMERICAN MOTHER.

In Reply to Mr. Frank.

military connection, but Portland, Nov. 23 .- To the Editor of The Journal-I will thank you for of strife sickening. This, at least, may space to reply, briefly, to O. E. Frank, be one reason why so few women are Tuesday's Journal charges willing to countenance war. who, in

Great Britain with being responsible for idleness in Belgium, by prohibiting the importation into that country of nw material-to go on through to Ger-

Now Germany not only removed all all the machinery by which raw material is worked up, thereby rendering

What must be the state of mind of those persons who were deceived ers and compelling them to make mu-

even relieve. I have suffered more with the grip than the devil and all his imps have ever suffered, I be lieve, and I don't know how many cure alls I have used. But I might as well

have been drinking water, for all the good they have done me. I don't see why they can't invent a serum or vaccine to cure this feindish grip, the same as they do for typhoid or other malignant diseases. I think the rea-

son there are so many failures in doctors curing diseases is because they have missed their calling, for doctors are born with the gift, the faculty and insight to do those things, and with development and college training they become true and trustworthy physi-

concerned. cians and healers, understanding fully the

impulse surges the dread memory of date or the other turning on the count any invidious discrimination-by other desired to amuse as well as instruct

hidden memories" render the thought

Depew at 80.

lacies is the optimistic and inspirationaw material from Belgium, but also al insistence that what one man can do, any man can do. It is a beautiful and encouraging theory, but life gives it the lie on every hand. Chauncey M. Depew was once addressing an audience of newsboys, and he very encourboy present had just as many heads as he had, namely, one. "Yes, but what a

gium's deplorable condition in the first gallery.

The same optimistic Chauncey, hav ing happily passed his eightieth birthday, informs all and sundry that to live 10 years past the Psalmist's limit is no trick at all. He asserted that David's "three score and ten" has been the world is free. And it should not eans of cutting many a life pre-

PERTINENT COMMENT AND NEWS IN BRIEF

voted by

OREGON SIDELIGHTS

overflowing with the bumper crop."

voted by Wheeler county at the late election with which to build the Wheeler county link of the proposed

SMALL CHANGE

It is fortunate for the old woman who lived in a shoe that she did her living before the high cost struck the work leather market.

President Wilson gives token of what an approaching football game can do as an auxiliary to whatever one is taking for one's cold. "Allies Warn Greece to Give Up Katerina," says a headline. And now, if Katerina runs true to sex form, that clinches the case, so far as Katerina is state high

state highway from the Columbia river at Arlington through the John Day valley to the Idaho line. Carranza wires: - "Villistas fleeing all directions, pursued by cavalry." But what is needed worse than any-thing, in Villa's case, is some overtak-ing by cavalry. Fire prevention measures have been taken by the Medford council. An ordinance provides that all buildings with-The appointment of Russia's new

in the city shall be inspected by the fire chief or some member of the de-partment twice a year in the outlying by the government in the duma, is the districts and four times a year in the closely built section. Boosting for a proposed play shed, the editor of the Donald Record says: news report. An explanation by the Well, there government in the duma! has been motion, since Red Sunday.

Multnomah county, on December 31, for the first time in 22 years, will have no balance in the treasury. Well, then, Multnomah county, on December 31, for the first time in 22 years, will know how the rest of us feel. "Of course, such things as play sheas were unheard of when you and I went to school, but we are living under dif-ferent conditions now. Other towns ferent conditions now. Other towns and schools are providing play sheds and other equipment, and it will soon be used to use to up to us to make good or get out

Some day there will be a story of a pair of parents who will leave the children at home with all the doors locked, while they go away to a dance; and the children will sleep safe and sound, while the parents perish in the fire that burns up the dance hall. One of Uncle Sam's consuls bess to Road of Woman's Memory," deals with and sound, while the parents perish in the subconscious race memory of wom- the fire that burns up the dance hall. One of Uncle Sam's consuls begs to go down and the last to recover. I go down and the last to recover. I Courier doubts that prices will ever report that the name of the new Rus-sian town and ice-free port at the ter-minus of the Murman railway has been changed from Port Murman to Romanoff-on-Murman. Which is quite agreeable, of course, but it will never get itself called all that in the good old U. S. A.

OUR WAY OF ELECTING PRESIDENTS

of president should be made to turn on house of commons-which, he it re- found dead there the next morning. the direct result of a count of voters membered, makes and unmakes the exthroughout the union always comes to ecutive, the ministry-is a farce. And the fore after a close election. And in a country like ours especially, a

men, since the world began, have of belated districts is merely an ag- ever any section had a special inter- as magic lantern lecture on Bible The real drunkard is no good, women inevitably have shared bitter as in itself intolerable. Thus an in- rest of the country viewed the question A sallor who possessed a gramocost of tears and loss and sorrow. dignant letter writer in one of yester- in a more disinterested way, the phone was secured to discourse ap-Dim recollection of ancient glory and day's papers, who happened to labor massed sectional vote would prepond- propriate music between the slides, triumphs sets strange pulses astir in under the impression that Hughes had erate in a manner most undesirable. The first picture shown was Adam more poignant a half-million plurality over Wilson in her the thought the popular vote, exclaims; "If this be the national standpoint," and Eve in the Garden of Eden. The sailor cudgeled his brains and ran a government of the people by the people, our system of counting the votes

for the presidency is a farce-for a president may be seated when only a minority of the people want him."

plan of direct vote would be an im-Nevertheless, it is safe to say that provement In the case of a close call the passing of a constitutional amend-It is necessary, under the present sysment to substitute a direct popular tem, to watch only a few points during vote for the present system of elect- dufing the final process of determining will not be the count. Upon these, the attention the president one of "the first duties" that con- of the party managers on both sides gress will perform, nor, for that mat- can be so concentrated as to make reter, one of the last. And this will not sort to fraud or trickery extremely be due to mere inertia or wronghead-

dangerous. If the result turned on the To begin with, there stares popular vote, every one of the hundred edness, us in the face a' practical fact, with thousand election districts in the counits roots deep in our history, which in try would be capable of contributing itself constitutes an almost insuperits share to the uncertainty. Moreover, able obstacle. The nation has tacitly in the campaign itself, the question of its color. Sally couldn't tell,

assented to the practice of the 11 states carrying the election would, as a rule. of the solid south casting their votes have far less point and reality. Dursolidly, as a matter of course, for the ing any such time, for example, as Democratic candidate. So long as the that long period in which the Republistates are regarded as separate entities can party was overwhelmingly in the dress?" asked mother, in this matter, there is some kind of ascendant in most of the states of the

[To this column all readers of The Journal are invited to contribute original matter-in tory, in verse or in philosophical observation —or striking quotations, from any source. Contributions of exceptional merit will be paid Superintendent Schantin and the high school boys at Sutherlin are at work on a commodious play shel. "Hood River city," says the News, "is veritably bursting with apples-every foot of vacant space in store, warehouse and basement is filled to for, at the editor's appraisal.]

As Bill Strandborg Would Say.

Rag Tag and Bobtail

Stories From Everywhere

WHEN George Turnbull, the for-Bonds amounting to \$80,000 were mer Waverly Country club golf professional, was passing a day in San Francisco last spring, en route from Coronado Beach to his new employ. ment at Midlothian Golf club, Chicago he stepped around to the Continental hotel to call on Manager Walter Mo-Credie, Dr. Leslie Clough and other members of the Portland baseball club.

then playing its first series in the bay city, Now if there is anything the big Scotchman prides himself on, it is picking out his countrymen, and the bigger they are the more enthusiastic he becomes, even though they don't drop their "burrs" over the landscape Turnbull felt thirsty, Clough rang for a bottle of grape-

juice and glasses. ing the porter a glass of the juice The

The porter gravely raised the glass beamed on Turnbull, and courteously

"Well, I'llbedamned,' exploded the

A Mighty Busy Coyote.

Coyotes are becoming very numerous in this vicinity, writes the Baker Herald's Ironside correspondent. One

From the New York Evening Post. other there is a mere shade of dif- was neard in the pig pen of John "One of the first duties of congress ference for the opposite party, the re- Smith during the night and upon arwhen it reassembles," says the World, sult is nevertheless one to one as a riving at the scene Mr. Smith found 'is to take the necessary first steps matter of parliamentary power. If the animal ready to run with a pig. toward an amendment of the constitu- "our system of counting the votes for The coyote afterwards chased the tion to substitute a direct vote of the the presidency is a farce," then our poultry and sheep and finally lke Elmpeople for the electoral college in the system of determining the complexion dorf wounded it. It ran out of sight election of a president of the United of the house of representatives is a afterwards returning to the barn giv-States." The proposal that the choice farce, and the British system for the ing the horses a good scare and was

Adam Couldn't Have Beaten It. Young Mr. Hallowell was not much in the minds of many, the peril pre- great deal is to be said for mitigating of a preacher, but, much to his own sented by the delivery of a big block the influence of mere numbers-pro- surprise and everybody else's, he was of presidential electors to one candi- vided it is not done upon the basis of appointed chaplain on a battleship. He of a few score of votes in a handful elements. If we did not do that, when- his men, and to that end he arranged

through his reportoire, says the New

Even as regards the dangers and York Times, but he could think of no what seem the absurdities that attend a close election under the present syspiece exactly appropriate tem, it is highly doubtful whether the chaplain. "Play up, play up," whispered the

Suddenly an inspiration struck the sailor, and to the consternation of the chaplain and the delight of the audience the gramophone squawked out: "There is only one girl in this world for me.'

Getting the Goods on Mother.

A young Fortland mother was teach. ng her 3-year-old daughter to distinguish colors. She asked the color of various objects, and little Sally answered readily.

Pointing to Sally's apron, she asked "Oh, you know," persisted the mother. "Just think a minute."

At last Sally answered, "Blue," "Now what is the color of my north and west, the piling up of still stumped Sally, and glancing up at her The pale lavender of the "Oh. mother! You know! Just think a minute."

ing

From the Detroit News. One of the commonest human fal-

the people unable to employ themselves. Now she is deporting the worknitions of war for the purpose of agingly pointed out to them that each killing off the rest of their own peo-Germany is responsible for Bel- peach of a head!" shouled a lad in the

As to Ireland, there would have been ne trouble outside their factional an-Educational association held at tagonisms, but for German intriguers

of the prosperity for which Oregon has awaited" and in the words of the paper that before election said as tea. Away with such laws, and give roads stand between." Here is whether the town is wet or dry

organizations. It would many which the state depends for its

Why not tell the truth before election as well as after election?

before election and are now disillusioned by the very paper that fooled them?

It would be of value to have the place. annual convention of the National

HE BUILT IT.

more that it now says: This three and a quarter million HE Agricultural college has another good idea. Which is the sawmills and the maintenance of would mean continued operation by quite proper. It is natural working for us to look to the colleges mean profitable work for thousands

BEFORE AND AFTER

Wilson administration.

Three million, two hundred and

awaited. Only the railroads stand be-

"Only the railroads stand be-

election was deliberate humbug.

The fact that this 10,799 car-

loads of lumber is sold, that "every

for on the other side of the con-

tinent," shows how the before-elec-

tion statements of the lumber de-

pression were magnified for politi-

cal purposes. "Every dollar's worth

of it would mean a dollar's worth

FEW days ago, all the ills of

for ideas. If they gave us more we of men who presently are unem-ployed, and it would mean the circusubstantial industries all operating should be thankful. But they do lation through every channel of compretty well and we would not find merce of the dollars which it takes to fault without cause. This idea is run the mills and logging camps up-

in the line of thrift, intellectual greater welfare, kets of intellectual fragments

tween

to deceive voters.

says that the men who refuse to night arrives. There is a grand put their money into factories are outburst of vocal fireworks. Then as a rule splendid men, who ap- the pinwheels stop spinning, the prove the industrial growth of the rockets fall to the ground and it town, but who have the common is all forgotten. Portland fault. They will not

done and it must be his way or not out of it? Why not use the stuat all.

This is not only a severe indictment, but it is the accepted belief have reasoned and out of his cogiof many besides Mr. Linn. Portland has suffered in the past from self complacency. The units of our civic life have each been too sufficient unto himself. There has been too little of the helping hand, too much of the hand closed and fast locked about its own possessions.

Portland men have looked too and diverse producing industries of structed. This is a fine advance the canal. the modern business world for the in extension work. We venture foundation of its advancement and to make a suggestion about it. prosperity. We have looked too something we had to sell and not teams of which they are proud. It his place to strive side by side Would there be any harm in it? with all of us to the betterment future.

and cities from them the world ticed opponents?

grow, but because in them dwelt college students than cut and dried pected.

and coordinated purpose for the progress of their communities. That

come to labor and live. -

the second s

ahead.

It is the current remark of a law publication that "The excitement of the election is over and THE bogey that the Oregon syswe can all now settle down to work, except those who were elected to office," which remark

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state. The devotion of its mem- capital flees in terror. bership to the society's ideal is a marked feature in the work.

What a waste. All this honest work together. Each has his own effort gone for nothing, or next idea of how the thing should be to nothing. Why not make more

the slides in Gaillard cut. dents' work over and over again? In his annual report, General So Professor Peterson seems to Goethals says the cut is 8.75 miles tation grew his idea. "We will long and that the slides have at no send these teams abroad on exten- time affected as much as a mile sion work. We will cause them to of that distance. There is no bog deliver, their debates in half a under the bed of the canal which treaty, for which his own people may dozen Oregon towns. The teams is forced up as the sides slump. shall go to any town where the The channel at the point is cut people care enough about live through solid rock.

tion.

questions to cooperate with us a The slides are not a sloping little." movement of earth from high

The questions debated are al- adjacent ground, but arise from ways vital. The preparation is vertical slumps of this high ground, much to lumber, too much to sound and honest. The speakers due to deformed or disturbed money lending, too much to real are in earnest. Audiences hearing underlying strata, in the course of estate, and too little to the varied the debates are entertained and in- which overlying material spills into

This high and slumping ground is being cut down, and "final rest Why not invite a little more co- will be secured when all the malargely upon the stranger who operation from the towns? Some terial that is in motion is recame to us as a customer for of them have high school debating moved."

General Goethals does not claim enough as a probable co-worker happens now and then that such that we have had the last of the who would, with friendly treat- a local team is ambitious to match slides, but he does assert that ment and fair encouragement, take itself against the college debaters. the difficulty is being gradually and certainly overcome.

Would it not add something to On such authority, America can and the enhancement of the city's the interest of this fine extension put aside apprehension and rest

plan if local teams were encour- secure in the conviction that the Towns have sprung from villages aged to pit themselves against prac- canal is safe, that the great investment in it is secure and that over, not because they were pre- . We think for our part that live the engineering feat of the ceneminently fitted or predestined to debate is far more profitable for tury will yield all that was ex-

men who breathed public spirit oratory. It is profitable, too, for and banded together with unity high school students.

Portland is to have a razor fac- five cents an hour to "stay on the city which is blessed with such tory in the immediate future with job and keep sober," and the citizens will be the place to which an initial pay roll of twenty men, company's statement is that "the

strong and progressive men will which ought to sharpen up condi- bonus is one of the best investtions still a little more. ments it ever made."

A RICKETY BOGEY

TERNATIONALISM was scotchtem scared capital away has grown thin and threadbare. Not quite. It lifts its bruised The wind howls dismally bedoes not exactly hold good in Ore- tween its fleshless ribs and wan- while and feebly moans. Per- may parole them without their having ries, his loud adjurations to his horse. gon with the legislature just ders disconsolately round in its haps it will grow lively again in

THE ONLY WAY?

empty stomach. Portland, which is an Oregon liveliest manifestation is in the hope of success. The result is that just as nourishing, and its consumer city and lives under the Oregon realm of anti-booze, a vast and only a few criminals are really pun- would be able to meet his milkman and system, has just sold a bunch of growing empire.

THE new report of the Oregon bonds at a fine fat price. They There is now proposed a union has a constitutional right to a fair Social Hygiene society is ready ran up to something like eight of all the "temperance" forces in and impartial trial, and this right per cent premium. This looks the wide, wide world without re-

The organization has made comfortable for a ruined and im- gard to race, language or previous victed some degree of punishment itself a factor in the life of the poverished community from which condition of servitude. This is in- proportioned to his offense, should be ternationalism with no mask on. The premium will give the city A temperate world would be a

a nice little sum to lay up for a world filled with sound sense, self-Men like A. Wolfe, W. F. Wood- rainy day, which is pleasant to respect, kindliness and moderation. ward, Rev. W. G. Elliot, Dr. W. T. think of. But it is still more What the world's statesmen there are so many doctors, when there is asoline than on the 20-cent stuff with submerged nationalities, full of fierce

Portland and value to the associahe forgotten that -- like the American olonists against hired Hessians-Ireand suffered her worst persecutions Chauncey. under the Hanoverian Georges; German tyrants on English soil. The

HE man who, because he built English people were not responsible. it, knows more than does and never in sympathy with these acanybody else about the Pan- tions; in fact, they became rebels themselves, and for the last half cenama canal has set at rest vaury and more have done everything rious discouraging reports about in their power to help right Ireland's

kingdom that Great Britain and Ireland can exist.

Greece brought her troubles upon terself. She was by treaty bound to go to the assistance of Serbia, but her king, under the influence of the kaiser's sister, his queen, ignored the et punish him.

It is true that other nations besides Germany have done things that would not have been belleved of them before the war, yet the heroic French refuse to resort to reprisals in retaliation for German cruelties to prisoners, for

which they have the admiration of the as he. whole world, outside of Germany. C. B. PYE.

Assails Reformers.

McMinnville, Or., Nov. 23 .- To the Editor of The Journal-The Oregon State Bar association has completed things were said and some foolish assertions were made. The meeting of this association affords an arena for the "half-baked" reformers to blow off steam.

We have in Oregon pretended reformers who are really anarchists, and they want to change nearly everything connected with the administration of the law. Their rulling principle seems to be. "Whatever is, is wrong." Indeed, "sigh for change and spend their they lives for naught."

One judge is reported to have said that in the administration of the criminal code, judges were compelled to resort to "subterfuges," and he wanted changes made. If any judge, in the administration of the law, resorts to Every one who has the mental and "subterfuges," there is need of reform physical well being of the milkman in the judge rather than in the crimnal code heartily the idea of giving this impor-

Our criminal code was compiled by the late Honorable M. P. Deady, an

A Johnstown, Penn., corporation able judge and good writer, and it hours. Letting him bring us our milk is paying its employes a bonus of in its consist of changes in it made by our pretended reformers It may be proper to make some

Under the system that seems to be unattractive times of the day. How

uplifting to restore the milkuan to his popular with the pretended reformers of the criminal law, the commission of family by the simple scheme of changcrime is really encouraged. Men dis- ing his hours! posed to commit crime know that many offenders are not found out; ed by the big war, not killed. that if they are proceeded against by they are likely at any time from 3 to chance of being acquitted, and, if they clump of the boots of the lacteal emisand battered head once in a should be convicted, the trial judge sary, the jangle of the bottles he carbeen punished, and, if he fails to turn These things occurring at 6 a. m. them loose, the pardoning board and would not be nearly so disconcerting. some far future. At present its the governor may be appealed to with Milk at 6 or 7 would be just as timely, ished for their crimes.

should be accorded in every instance but when an offender is lawfully conmeted out to him, unless he is shown to be innocent. JUSTICE

From a Grip Victim.

Portland, Or., Nov. 24 .- To the Editor of The Journal-I can't see why

ation.

maturely off. A man dies when he ground-whether good or bad is not to wants to die, and not before, says the present purpose-for letting this larger majorities in those states mother she answerd sleeping dog lie. But the moment that would have had little or no real sig-

Given Chauncey Depew's constitu- that point of view is abandoned, the nificance; yet it would have countertion laid deep in the simple life of the moment the voters of the south count acted the winning over of the same early "York state folks," given his far- simply as to many individual Ameri- number of voters by the opposition ulty of seeing the sunny side of chings, can citizens, acquiescence by the north party in states where party prejudice given his ability to ingratiate himself in the virtual suppression of a large was less rigidly established and diswith men of vast fortunes and to make part of the negro vote in the south cussion more real and significant. himself useful to them, given the easy would become unthinkable. It is poswrongs. But it is only as a united in some of the older railroad and polit. Carolina's or Louislana's vole as her in some of the older railroad and polit- Carolina's or Louislana's vote as her ical practices that are now under the own affair; it would be impossible to ban-in brief, given an easy-going na- tolerate the spectacle of the individture never seriously balked by failure, ual voters of the south, through the puted fact that the electors are in self that it was only Colonel Bill snor-

and nver seriously clouded by setbacks, suppression of opposition voters in practice merely the mechanical vehicle ing. She suggested the occurrence as and nver seriously clouded by seconds, suppression of opposition voters in of the vote, the death or disqualifica-it is not difficult for him at 80 years their own states, directly nullifying tion of an elector ought not to be ai-to feel that all the other septuagena-millions of votes cast by their co-equal to feel that all the other septuagena- millions of votes cast by their co-equal rians or octogenarians have been un- fellow citizens in other sections. wise if they have not fared as well as But quite apart from this peculiar he. His back unbowed, his peach-andand accidental circumstance, the case occurs the remaining electors from the

cream complexion unscarred, his gray for a direct vote of the people is far same state shall fill the vacancy. As hair never bowed in sorrow, his hands from being so clear as might be has been the case in other matters consoft as a child's, his place asthought at first blush. In the first nected with the presidential successured-he has a right to be happy, but place, it should be noted that the whole sion, we have been very slow to make And Woodrow's back for four years he scarcely has a right to berate as system of representative government. proper provision for difficulties or anwho have not come through unscathed as it has historically existed, recog- omalies of this kind. But as for the

Anyway, merely to live to be 80 is nizes something else than sheer nu- general method, while it has come into not a signal triumph. There are some merical superiority as entitled to in- existence in a blind sort of way, and fluence. A majority in the house of while no doubt some other method commons, a majority in the house of may be superior, neither the change to who can only prove they have men lived long by showing the number of their years-nothing else indicates il. representatives, may easily represent a direct vote of the people nor any a decided minority of the poters. If other that has thus far been proposed

its session and adjourned. Some good The Milkman's Possible Emanci- in one district the voters are almost seems to present a balance of advantunanimous for one party and in an-lage over the existing system.

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From the Spokase Spokesman-Review. Probably the milkman is the lonepollywogs in it, and the number of patriotism, which in modern times scmest of mortals. He pursues his revolutions of the wheels to make a have never had a separate national I jearned later when 1 met a car full calling at a time when on the streets man walk back five miles when some- government. There are fractions of of detectives whirling out of town on is no one to whom he can look for in- thing goes wrong with the steering nationalities, like the Roumanians in his track, was a fleeing bank embeztellectual stimulus or social compan- gear, and how deep a gorge a machine Transylvania, the French in Alsace, sier." While he goes into or at least can actually lesp into with perfect the Danes in Schleswig and the Serbs ionship. While he goes into or at least can actuary leap into the parts in Schleswig and the Serbs up to, the best homes, he does it at a safety to its occupants. That's the in Austria, which retain their identity up to, the best nomes, he does it at a safety to its decour children need so though long cut off by governmental mally steeped in slumber. The milk- that, when they graduate and launch boundaries from the main body of maily steeped in siumber. The milk- that, when they statute first motor their people. There are nationalities man meets, it is true, others of his first the will possess sufficient com- mingled with one other, as in Austhese, while excellent citizens in every mon sense to run them. tria-Hungary and most of the Balkan

way, can hardly provide the variety and richness of intercourse that is so essential to the thorough, all-round development of one's personality.

People of the Soil. and love it, yet whose national ideals From the Sau Francisco Bulletin. Commenting on the report that Rus-

are as distinct as though they were a thousand miles apart, These things are not alleviated by sia is planning to induce vast num- immigration, nor will they be perat heart must be inclined to indorse bers of her Polish subjects to emimanently adjusted by war, They grate to South America after the war, an almost ineradicable feature of the old world acress the water. The tant functionary a change to dayiight a writer in Free Poland observes: "One thing is certain-that we do floods may come, fire may burn,

able judge and good writer, and it nours. Letting him oring us our milk not solve national issues in this sim- sword and pestilence may kill, reyal seems to me that the principal defects at 6, instead of 3 would mean so not solve national issues that the Poles at 5, instead of 5 would mean 50 ple fashion any more, that the Poles dummies may go down like in Russian Poland will cling to their pins, and the peasant-the common ground for doubting that they have native soil with their surprising te- man of those old races-will still be ground for doubting that they have nacity of old, despite the ruins and found clinging to his plot of ground. And, looking at the matter from the home circles which they must leave in nacity of old, despite the ruins and found clinging to his plot of ground. And, looking at the matter from the standpoint, Mr. Leslie's contenschemes of the wild-eyed reformers the small hours of the morning and there, no matter what the results of ditions, his old folk stories and legthe present war may be." ends and the old songs of cradle, har-In America we have grown to think vest, marriage fete and burial day. of emigration as an easy and natural This fact yields a grave sort of en- just a year to the day, and the latprocess, and it is hard forus to under- couragement. The

stand that abiding love for a given man of the soil may outwear his op- the anniversary of "All Fools' day" The milkman's customers, too, would piece of land which causes people to pressors and live until the dawn of approached. Knowing that Tom was profit by a change of this sort. Now suffer all manner of hardships rather a new democracy.

the officers of the law, they stand a 5 in the morning to be aroused by the than go away from it. As a nation we have no such attachment to the soil. All of us who are able get away from our native places when we grow up and hunt fortune elsewhere. few people who are still living in occupied could all join the regular army without bringing it up to anywhere near the standard demanded by Mr. Roosevelt. But because we

tention of an operator. The machine are a wandering people, and have also will select special records and been made up of wandering people render them, or reproduce a single one from other parts of the world, we as many times as is desired. Another must not suppose that all others are feature of the apparatus is that rec-

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The old arithmetic is becoming more like ourselves. There are farms in ords of different sizes with starting Such taxes help out the empty lot and more obsolete every day. The mere some parts of Europe-not estates of and ending grooves of various diame- owner some, and that is what licenses adding and subtracting of figures has nobility, but plain farms-which have ters, can be employed. Small regulat- is mostly for. In Ohio one, time the come down from father to son in an ing knobs permit an operator to omit, farmers got the legislature to put a We want a book to take the unbroken line for hundreds of years. repeat, or stop the rendition of any place of the arithmetic, one that will There are races which have lived on particular selection. Furthermore, it less'n two years nobody in Ohio hat place of the arithmetic, one that will There are races which have lived on particular sound is possible to set the machine to stop any carriages 'ceptin' some of the tell us how much more mileage an the same tract of ground since the is possible to set the machine to stop any carriages 'ceptin' some of the tell us how much more mileage an the same tract of ground since the is possible to set the machine to stop any carriages 'ceptin' some of the tell us how much more mileage an the same tract of ground since the is possible to set the machine to stop any carriages 'ceptin' some of the tell us how much more mileage an the same tract of ground since the is possible to set the machine to stop any carriages 'ceptin' some of the tell us how much more mileage an the same tract of ground since the is possible to set the machine to stop any carriages 'ceptin' some of the tell us how much more mileage an the same tract of ground since the is possible to set the machine to stop any carriages 'ceptin' some of the

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Canned Music; Canned Operator.

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From Popular Mechanics.

Bill's Bugle Blew.

A lady told us that she was passing and heard the most fearful noise as if There are minor defects in the exist- some mule were choking to death by cured; but there is no difficulty in man's Weakly Bulldorger. After her remedying these. Since it is an undis- first fright she said she convinced herlowed to make any difference in the following lines are the best with which result; but this could be provided for the subject could inspire us:

by simply providing that whenever it What is that deep, resounding Like breakers pounding on the shore That issues from the bedroom door at issues from the bedroom door Colonel William Warhorse Moorel

now I know. 'Tis but the snore one who's glad election's

Motorist Uber Alles.

"The other day at some distance from town I was trying to mend a punctured tire when an automobilist stopped and asked if he could help me

"Motorists frequently do that as a matter of courtesy.'

"But this was an extraordinary case and shows how strong is the force of habit. The man who spoke to me, as

An Incorrigible Neutral.

Up to within three or four days of election Burt Leslic, traveling repre-sentative of a Portland wholesale house, maintained a strict neutrality as between President Wilson and Charles Evans Hughes, and even now states, which occupy the same land, declares his principles were carried out to the last ditch, notwithstanding his ballot was cast for Mr. Hughes.

"It was this way," he explains, "Two of my friends bet \$5 each one on Wilson and the other on Hughes, and I. a.r.o being a neutral, was given possessi of the stakes. And still being neutral het the \$10 on Wilson and voted for Hughes. And now, honest, don't you thing my acts squared me up as an unflinching neutral, especially an I gave the \$10 I won to Mrs. Leslle?" And, looking at the matter from the tion seems fair enough.

He Copped the Copper.

Tom had given Fred the "once over" long suffering ter's memory had been refreshed as oming over to his home that morning, I'red placed a new penny on the hot stove, and as Tom was about to enter the house the penny was placed on a card dated "April 1" and handed to been made by an eastern inventor who owe it to you." Tom, unsuspecting, the houses which their grandfather has designed a phonograph that is cap- accepted the coin, but dropped it in a able of playing several disk records in hurry, with the remark: "It's red hot." "Sure, it's hot," answered Fred. "It's a brand new one; my Uncle Sam makes

Uncle Jeff Snow Says:

them."

Down to Marshfield they tax wheelbarrer as a wheeled vehicle tax of \$10 a year on carriages. In all had phaetons and barroughs.

to know him as a human being instead of as an invisible force of nature. Modern Education. Zim in Cartoons Magazine,

lost its flavor with the present gener-