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WANT TO LIVE IN OREGON
SAYING they are tired of destructive floods and tornadoes, numerous persons in various parts of America are writing the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce, asking for definite offers of properties on which they may locate in Oregon.

WHAT WORKERS CAN DO
The laborers of the nation, those who live by the price paid them for their effort and their toil, have had a bald picture, unpleasant though it may be, painted before them by President Wilson in his address to congress upon the underlying cause of continually increasing living costs.

ENGLAND GROWING TEETH
The British parliament is now engaged in framing an anti-inflating bill of "teeth." It gives the Board of Trade the power to investigate prices, costs and profits, to go into complaints of unreasonable gain whether wholesale or retail and to fix and enforce what it considers may be a reasonable price for any commodity.

WHERE DO WE STAND?
WITH road contracts outstanding whose final cost will exceed the preliminary estimate of ten or twelve million dollars, it is a prudent move on the part of the state highway commission to pause and consider its resources.

It is not clear why the robbers who held up the North End storekeeper and robbed him of \$65.01 stopped to take the extra penny, unless they needed it to pay their excess profits tax.

Hard to Crank
SPEAKER GILLETTE says he finds little of helpful suggestion in the president's address upon the high cost of living. May that doleful circumstance not be due to the speaker's lack of perspicacity?

It's Cool in Coos
The Oregonian on Wednesday devoted considerable editorial space to a labored account of the record of the weather under which Portlanders have been sweating, and a comparison of climatic conditions there with those which obtain in Coos county, giving Kansas the worst end of the deal as used to be always the case.

Old-Time Telephone Girl
John Anderson, a Swevedon, came along and, in vulgar business parlance, "sold efficiency" to the telephone company, when the telephone was real coming in here, in 1882.

More Money Circulating
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of storage in comparison with the price asked at the date of final release and sale? Undue profits could not stand the glare and would shrivel and die.

Responsibility for Race War
Federal Charter Invoked as Guarantor of Colored Men's Rights
From the Christian Science Monitor
While responsibility for a just settlement of the negro question in the United States is brought into broad relief by the race riots of the last fortnight in the national capital and in Chicago.

More Restitution
WORLD comes from Salem that the state land board has sold 2433 acres of swamp land for a total sum of \$53,968, an average price of \$23 per acre.

The Dock Commission
Portland, Aug. 5.—To the name and address of the president of the dock commission, or of some member if there is no such official.

Open Oregon
George Le Breton, First Clerk of Oregon Supreme Court
George Le Breton, an American, who was appointed, May 2, 1914, clerk of the supreme court of the provisional government, came to Oregon in 1840 on the brig Maryland.

Curious Bits of Information for the Incurious
Gleaned From Curious Places
Pigmies, apparently of a single racial stock, are scattered over many parts of the world, and nobody can give a plausible guess as to how their distribution was accomplished.

War Savings Stamps Bring Government Near Home
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COMMENT AND NEWS IN BRIEF
SMALL CHANGE
Is there no way of evoking testimony relative to the 1919 war garden?

Letters From the People
An Englishman wants to fight Dempsey and Dempsey doesn't want to fight an Englishman, there's not much in a name.

Impressions and Observations of the Journal Man
By Fred Lockley
acquire a quarter block at the corner of East Twelfth and Salmon streets. She made the price of this property so low that I was soon able to pay for it out of the earnings of the school.

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The News in Paragraphs
Oregon Notes
Marion county has 312,174 acres devoted to the raising of which 2829 acres are set to apple trees.

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Pendleton lodge of Elks has started a Thrift campaign to finance the construction of a new \$100,000 lodge building.

Oregon Notes
The big Portland cement plant at Oswego is turning out 1100 barrels daily and is employing 85 men and two women.

Oregon Notes
A yield of 60 bushels of wheat to the acre is reported by Vanderhaar brothers on a 40-acre farm seven miles south of Milton.

Oregon Notes
Ninety thousand pounds of Umatilla county wool of the 1919 crop were sold for a total of \$1,100,000.

Oregon Notes
Steps are being taken to establish a national cemetery at Camp Lewis.

Oregon Notes
Average wages paid in the Yakima fruit warehouses this season will be \$30 a week. It is estimated that 1000 persons will be employed.

Oregon Notes
The annual convention of the Loyal Legion of the United States will be held in Spokane September 8.

Oregon Notes
Forest fires in Yakima are said to have done more good than harm.

Oregon Notes
The war department announces that since the armistice 1,165,642 officers and men have been discharged from the army.

Oregon Notes
The Chilesen government has set free more than 1000 prisoners of war.

Oregon Notes
Food prices in Petrograd became fantastically high when the rationing was reduced.

Oregon Notes
Belgium has taken over the devastated areas of the battle zone, the owners to receive 5 per cent interest on the pre-war value of the property.

Oregon Notes
Some people give a bad reputation for their 'wise guys' sayin' nothin' particular about anything and sayin' it graceful and honored. Down on the Members River they lectured a fellow there named Socrates Brown for justice of the peace that couldn't read or write.

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