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The illusion that times that were are betthan those that are, has probably per vaded all ages. - Horace Greeley.

GOVERNMENT BY MINORITY

HERE are new and strange notes in America.

from time to time been heard of other per cent. strikes to be called to compel this or that branch of government to take

in Pennsylvania is doubtless sequel wages of street car employes to a death. to the long practice of steel and coal total advance of \$32,000 a month. The Before they go on crowded streets, tries where people were subjugated be entirely wiped out by the increase dent averted and a killing. When a about "internationalism." Poindexter is a political revolution. by force and governed without their in wages for the month of October." driver seats himself at the wheel of a believed to have a little the best of it. there to resist authority, and, since tem has spent out of operating rev- fairs and his family troubles behind. say about President Wilson. In an adthey were governed by force, to re- enues \$96,204 for improvements in the He must think all the time of that

They have brought their European of Pennsylvania are full of men who cannot speak the English language. The same is true of the coal mines of the country.

The result is threat by these erate persons and other radicals to strike as a means of compelling authorities to take such action as may be demanded.

But it is not government by ballot. It is government outside the constitution. It is government by the minority. It is a kind of government that carried to its logical ultimatum would mean chaos.

threat is a proposal, if a special session of the legislature is not called. to punish the public by denying that public the products and necessaries with the coal strike which denies coal to the public as a means of forcing coal operators to increase American life, and they must con- reau of the Red Cross. vince observers that the war left us men.

Several residences, a millinery store, a hotel, a grocery store and a couple of hold-ups were the over-Sunday score of the Portland banditti. It is as if all the yeggmen in the country had swooped down on Portland, but it is the exact experience of every large city in the country. Portland, with 66 square miles of area, has but 262 patrolmen, and that at a time when the whole world is running wild with ferment, force and ferocity.

GUESSWORK FINANCE

NLY three congressmen out of a total of 286 voted against the bill for a national budget.

President Taft, in his time, urged the plan. President Wilson, tem when he was yet in his 20's, transportation system. urged it upon congress when he came. to the presidency.

They held it to be an invasion of TT ILL Western railroads learn a their rights. It aroused the jealousy of all the house and senate committees that handled the appropriation horsepower of hydro-electric energy. bills. Members had long used appro- This is about a third of what would priations of gevernment money as a be necessary to move all the trains

constituents. It was a plan in which the real needs strike. There will never be a subof the government gave way to the stantial fear of the failure of "white personal desire of members to build coal" while the rains and the snow themselves up with the folks at home fall in the mountains.

by pork barrel raids on the treasury. The equipping of rail carriers with pointed days when the tots from or-

billions, producing a situation in gov- propulsion is in its infancy. ernment finance that could not be

ignored. The bill in the house for the budget sumed, but seeds only to be concenmade it necessary for every man to trated from the infinite resources of it was to do more for the happiness stand up and be counted. That but earth. It is like water, which in of the waifs of society. three congressmen in all the house use may change its form but is not Let his epitaph be that he was were willing to be recorded against lost, or like the rays of the sun, friend to the friendless. the measure is highly significant. The which shine wim consistency upon great body of congressmen eagerly the earth without diminution of light fought the reform in the dark, but or heat.

the United States or Mexico:

DAILY (MORNING OR AFTERNOON)

The same situation will prob The same situation will probably the Columbia gigantic potential ords. Presently people will come to rectification in accordance with necesbe revealed when the bill goes to the hydro-electric power dashes waste- understand that The Journal is right One year.....\$2.50 | One month....\$ 25 | senate, and there is full reason to fully while officials of the lines ponin its effort to forward a campaign expect that the latter body will surder and puzzle over fuel supplies. of education in the handling of au-

SEATTLE CAR FARES

CEATTLE faces the prospect of a six-cent street car fare.

cent for transfers may be added. A pending ordinance in the city council requires the street railway departtween tracks. The superintendent of of last year. public utilities, in a report, says the | The number of killed is larger by a year on the system, and the expense of 1918. cannot be met on present revenues.

in districts not served by the railway injuries and killings will naturally one cent to the present five cent fare, the sucrease in the number of cars. and a charge of one cent for trans-

There is threat of a general \$1000 a day to street cer revenues. for the whole of 1918. strike in Pennsylvania if the gov- The additional one cent fare and one There is an easy and sane way to paigned in several states, but he got no Christ to rivisit it. ernor refuses to call a special session cent charge for transfers would in- lessen the number of accidents. The of the legislature. Suggestions have crease revenues, he says, possibly 10 brakes on every machine must be

Ideas with them. As related by the the corresponding period of last year. cident.

should give new color and attraction to the coming Rose Festival. One men, by advice to their patrons, can date they still would not equal the voting suffering public to increase their political label.

It all the Facine coast class are sooning about client to that Westerners consider a man's character and means to extract money from a contract money from a ster and ability of more value than his or Lincoln, has ever borne so heavy congressional district.

American, unless it were Washington or Lincoln, has ever borne so heavy congressional district.

Some of line in the raction of the larger eastern salaries, why not carry on a good work of line in the raction of line in the raction of the larger eastern salaries. which centers about the mythical by arrests and the courts by penalties the favorite sons of the West, their and at the same time eliminate to some Gorge of the Columbia. It involves | Nothing but team work and a gen-Klickitat and Mount Hood for Wiyeast. The weaving of this theme It would be unfortunate if these into the pageantry of the Rose Fes- that next year's windfalls of Oregon proposals multiply. The Pennsylvania tival involves endiess possibilities of apple orchards will sell for as much splendid drama

THE FIRST IN YEARS

of life. It is very much of a kind milE first cows' milk that thousands of Bohemian children have had since 1915, and the first that many of them ever had, was rewages 60 per cent and grant a six- cently distributed in Prague. The hour lay and a five-day week. Such milk came from 200 cows bought in things are a very discordant note in Germany by the American Relief Bu-

> and even millions of children in Eu- be the frequent incentive for strife. of milk diet is the oft reiterated story guilty of inspiring dissension. He is

monial of lofty purpose.

future policy of the Union Pacific ant phases of matrimonial infelicity, progress . just as Portland business men ex- the instruction found in the Bible will pected him to speak. "We will be act as a noteworthy preventive. Holy governed by what the people want Writ directs the newly wed to leave very pretty, though academic, quarrel in the way of service," he says. He father and mother and to cleave to between those who three months ago ference,"-The Journal, October 30, reis the right kind of a man to have each other. They must find shelter who had written in favor of the sys- the direction of traffic for the great under their own roof and happiness

HARNESS THEM NOW

The estimate is that in Oregon may be found 3,000,000 potential means of currying favor with their of the country. The rushing waters

Its result was to keep the treasury electric motive power is proven prac- phanages had their tousled locks empty and increase federal taxation. | tical. The C., M. & St. P. is spending trimmed without money and without It was a practice that members something like \$25,000,000 in the elec- price. could not defend in the open. Reform trification of its lines over the Rockwas long delayed by members stand- ies and the Cascade mountains. Elec- his establishment glittered brightly the first-and here Mr. Wilson's vision statesmen of the past should also be yelled. "Yo' 'listed foh de wah. Ya-s-s! souls down to hell."

direct issue. They were able to keep locomotives burning either coal or ed and whose presents were hung out necessary to enact treaty provisions the reform in the background until oil. Inventions that increase effi- of love for the abandoned and forthe war came on and expenditures by cier appear so frequently as to gotten. millions mounted to expenditures by suggest that the science of electric It was a habit with him to assume

forever. Electric power is not con- success to his friendly guidance.

Between the railroads that border day's toll. It shatters all past recenergy that would unfailingly move the nation's traffic.

FIVE DEAD

An additional charge of one N 10 months this year, the number of automobile accidents is 1600 greater than the whole of 1918.

The number of injured for the ment to stand the cost of paving be- 10 months is in excess of the total

paving will lay a burden of \$500,000 four than for the entire 12 months

If all conditions of regulation and He submits two methods by which driving remain the same, the accithe regulation of jitney traffic, re- multiply, because the number of cars

persons were killed. Five were Regulation of jitneys, the superin- killed in September. The total killed their memories for a parallel recall that friendly. They are as two dogs striving has observed in Oregon.] tendent says, will add approximately in the 10 months is 32, against 28

kept in repair. A defective brake coast two lively candidates, as Senator The system was bought by the is an instrument of death and acci- Hiram W. Johnson is already conceded city last spring at a cost of \$15,000,000 | dent. If the brake is ineffective, the and completed six months of opera- most prudent and the most expert the only Coast state without a candi-It is a new kind of procedure. It tion September 30. The net earnings driver cannot control his car, and date. Lying between the home states of W. J. Bryan advocated radical measis not a healthy or wholesome policy. for the period on a five cent fare if he cannot control his car, he is Poindexter and Johnson, Oregon is con-It is a very close approach to gov- was \$31.610. A new salary ordinance sooner or later headed straight for rival ambitions. ernment by coercion. Its appearance which took effect October i raises the an accident that may mean his own

bor from Europe as a means of beat- enues are increased or expenses de- tice to be able to fully control a car William E. Borah? All three are of the rs from Europe are out of coun- profits for the six months period will mean the difference between an acci-It was their habit over In the six months period, the sys- car, he must leave his business af- however, in thinking up mean things to sort to force whenever that course plant. The operating expense of wheel and of where his machine is the greatest pro-German in America. the system for the period was \$2.211,- going. If not, it is merely a matter This was so unique that it put the 786, against a total of \$1,629,509 for of time until he will figure in an ac-

> . The fundamental for reducing ac-Professor Wilder has an idea that cidents is an educational process.

the beauty quest of Loowit the witch eral purpose to have every driver woman, and the contested aspira- fully schooled in the requisites of tions of Wiyeast and Klickitat which safe driving can create in Portland a were shattered when the bridge fell. status of safety so helpful to one of It points to the crystal monuments the most delightful and healthful upreared above the rugged resting pastimes in the world-an hour in not wish Johnson to get out of bounds, places of these personages-St. the open in a smoothly gliding auto- however, and so they welcome the Poin-

> as this year's picked fruit. The windas the perfect fruit and cider is more in demand than it used to be.

ONE ROOF, ONE FAMILY

THE mother-in-law jokes are born of matrimonial tragedy if Judge Gatens' experience in the divorce court is to be an accepted criterion. Scores of dissolvents of the The relation of milk to child life bonds of marriage, he finds, impute a legacy of trouble that calls for is universally known. It is a most at least partial responsibility to the much work by cool heads and just important essential to adult life also, bride's mother. Her residence with But here were thousands of children the home building fledglings and her in Bohemia who had not tasted milk interference with the domestic affairs at all since 1915. How other thousands of the second generation are found to

> rope have suffered and died for lack | Father-in-law is less often found probably apt to be more appreciative The full service that the American of a home if he needs one established Red Cross has rendered during and apart from his own efforts. He is since the war will never be told. No likely to be less concerned with domoney more sacred was ever con- mestic matters, in which women take tributed to a cause. To be a sup- their greatest interest. Perhaps ex-

> > But if mother-in-law or father-in-

Father Cronin is indeed a soldier of the cross. It is only to be re- weeks old to the effect that the French gretted that he did not have one of have consented to cut down by one half the clubs wielded by the two cowardly thugs who attacked him. The

a wide roof to shelter two families.

yegg breed needs reduction. A FRIEND TO THE FRIENDLESS

of unceasing streams do not go on THE death of Frank T. Rogers may pass with little note because his works of kindness were quiet. When he was the head of at barbering organization he had ap-

At Christmas time the mirrors of ing together and secretly preventing tric motors operate dependably in the reflection of resplendent Christ-

the care of erring boys, and more were still under the effects of war. They Coal and oil once burned are gone than a few now credit manliness and were, indeed, in the semi-prostration that

When he gave up business activity

Sixty-five automobile accidents with 13 persons injured was Satur-

POINDEXTER'S CANDIDACY

By Carl Smith, Washington Staff Correspondent of The Journal

Washington, Nov. 4 .- Miles Poindexter, senator from Washington, is the first direct action" condidate for president writer to appear in the campaign of 1920. Over his own signature and from his own office comes the announcement that he

evenues may be increased. One is dents and injuries and killings will perienced politicians who frequent the friendly relations between capital and capital. The conventional attitude of a labor are possible while a competitive presidential candidate is to sit back in system maintains? These argue that "if, dignity and never admit that he is a if, if"-Yes, "if hell were not hot it candidate unless he is "forced" in by might be cold." Such theories are in lines. The other is the addition of increase in an ascending ratio, with his friends. Poindexter discards all ap- keeping with the sense of the cataplastic pearance of bashfulness. He simply goats and hens who launched the "peace

a New York lawyer, Henry D. Esta- for one bone. delegates. . . .

Poindexter's entry gives the Pacific to have the California delegation tucked under his arm. This leaves Oregon as sidered good fighting ground for these

On the east of Oregon lies another state with a potential candidate in another senator, for if Poindexter and Johnson are going in, why not Senator rival of the others in coining sarcasms desire. This nation is on the verge of dress in New York not long ago he Washington senator in a class by him-

nouncement. he was playing their game. They do dexter diversion.

Some one predicted the other day over his signature, contains little beyond running on my premises, committing Special Correspondence to The Journal and The The theory of these Leipzigers might be denunciation of radicalism and of any 'wise economy," "an ample merchant marine," "an extensive system of nafalls make as excellent a beverage tional roads," and expenditure of "surplus revenues" in the "liberal extension of land reclamation and internal improvement." Aside from these generallleave the decision as to future interven- to school. tion in world affairs entirely to the

How the Treaty Works Where It Is Working

From the New York Evening Post and Johnson are thinking of amending the bane of landlordism. But amid the the treaty to death. And everywhere hills and dales of Columbia's happy porter of such an organization is both perience has taught him a caution not the two great protagonists, have been will that toll be unrestricted, and those a personal satisfaction and a testi- shared by his teacher, the mother-in- active in the execution of peace terms. The repatriation of German prisoners has begun. Negotiations for the movement of German labor into France for Harry' Adams has spoken of the law is a prime mover in the unpleas- the work of reconstruction have made

tion? There is the making here of a soul. condemned the treaty as a completed porting Major Gilbert. iniquity and a crime and those who accepted the treaty because they regarded in their own companionship. It takes it as in many vital matters a tentative instrument to be changed and perfected in accordance with right and necessity Little attention has been paid in this country to a news item now several the annual delivery of 40,000,000 tons of 40,000,000 tons, it is obvious that a significant change in the treaty of Versailles has been effected with almost routine quiet.

It is now admitted that an honest endeavor can be made to "work" the unworkable." They will be dropped: but not quietly in the sense of shamefacedly. various commissions with broad discre-

which it was foreseen could not hold, the complete answer is in the temper and psychology of the time when the treaty was being framed. The nations follows the fall of the fever. They

were swept by the irritations and the hypochondrias of early convalescence. Bluntly put, it was the task of the their peoples until convalescence had reached the point where the hard truth could be revealed without undue shock. Violent critics have called this a policy of deception. It would have been a cruel deception if the treaty itself had not contained forewarnings of the truth, if the treaty did not provide for its own sity. All this aside from the fact that the treaty makers were confronted with traffic, would be a valuable employe in problems so complex, and so vastly be- the sheriff's office. yond all precedent, that with the best intentions in the world many of the proyond all precedent, that with the best guesswork. In guessing, the peace con- guard in a regular country. ference gave the allies the benefit of the doubt. But it provided for sounder afterthought.

Letters From the People

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Advises Nationalization

Vancouver, Wash., Oct. 30 .- To the s a candidate and will make an active Editor of The Journal-Your editorial of campaign for the Republican nomination. today regarding the impending strike is Poindexter's announcement has caused worthy, but is it not incomprehensible half bad. that there are those who imagine that his friends. Poindexter discards all appearance of bashfulness. He simply says he wants to be president, and he is going after it.

Some of the politicians in scanning with the sense of the catapiastic pearance of bashfulness. He simply goats and hens who launched the "peace pilgrimage." No angle of social repose to pilgrimage." No angle of social repose with the sense of the catapiastic pearance of bashfulness. He simply goats and hens who launched the "peace pilgrimage." No angle of social repose to pilgrimage." No angle of social repose to pilgrimage. The catapiastic peace pilgrimage. The catapiastic peace pilgrimage. The catapiastic pilgrimage of president will not obey the strike order. Some president will not obey the strike order. State convention in Connecticut. Governor will not obey the strike order. The catapiastic pilgrimage of pilgrimage. The catapiastic pilgrimage of president will not obey the strike order. State convention in Connecticut. Governor will not obey the strike order. The catapiastic pilgrimage of pilgrimage. The catapiastic pilgrimage of pilgrimage. The catapiastic pilgrimage of president will not obey the strike order. The catapiastic pilgrimage of president will not obey the strike order. The catapiastic pilgrimage of president will not obey the strike order. The catapiastic pilgrimage of president will not obey the strike order. The catapiastic pilgrimage of pilgrimage or pilg Nothing under God's sun, brook, announced himself as a candi- other than nationalization of industry, date by direct action in 1916. He cam- can bring peace to the world or induce J. HAROLD.

Radicalism

The Journal-I have read with much interest your editorial on radicalism. To the committee, also became a member confident that everything will come out a certain degree it was true, but it must be acknowledged that radicalism Constitution of Atlanta, Ga., became a "I had great sympathy with the suchas made better government. In 1836 member two years before that date. W. J. Bryan advocated radical measures that we are enjoying today, and be was called measures that we are enjoying today, and he was called worst than a Bolshevist. Radicalism is the only thing that will get us out of the ruts of industrial slavery. There are different forms of radicalism. The extreme radicals are the hold the position of vice chairman till tion. I was charmed by Governor Wilrevolutionists who want to force their I was elected chairman, February 26, sons coronany and I recognized his ability. I felt that crease of 8 cents he should be nominated, and I had a railway employes. ing down wages. The illiterate work- creased in some manner, the net in a crisis. One second of time may same lik in their bitterness toward the And there are political revolutionists. have visited every debatable state, League of Nations, and Borah is a close The later are the kind of radicals we traveling over 20,000 miles.

> cialism in America. EDWIN A LINSCOTT.

The great coal

Calls for High Tax on Dogs

strike will force the beginning of so-

Fortland, Nov. 3 .- To the Editor of les all the way from \$15 to \$100 per. The friends of Johnson are not es- which no doubt will put a number out pecially pleased by Poindexter's an- of business. Now, while our city offi- lieve that personality counts more large- aloof. states. Split two or three ways between and increase the license on city dogs It is suspected, also, that some of the understand why chickens and rabbits standpatters of the East are sacretly are tolerated, which means some source pleased when they gaze on the Poin- of help to the family funds, and if they dexter hat in the ring, for they are not lare not kept strictly on their own pre-They mises, trouble ensues for their owners. have been glad to encourage Johnson in Not so my neighbors' dogs, unless they his tours against the league, for in that are tied up, and then they are not out of sight and sound, which is some wearing on one quietly inclined. If every dog owner paid \$20 a year into the city treasury and \$30 each for females. I could stand with better grace the very Poindexter's platform, as circulated valuable canines that would survive, nuisances among my flowers and foliage,

SANITARY SUBSCRIBER.

and polluting my kitchen garden

More About Hungry Children Athena, Nov. 1 .- To the Editor of The Journal-We see pensions quandered on more fortunate ones who have no need, ties, he is "against" on other issues. He and justice denied those who are unfors against revolution, communism and tunate and needy. We see great mausoclass dictatorship; he wants American leums dedicated to those who all their soldiers withdrawn from everywhere whole lives sought their own aggrandizeforthwith, and the disarmament plan of ment and who ever waxed eloquent in the League of Nations "should be de- worthy patriotism at a dollar a word. nounced as treasonable." He would And we see little children going hungry

And what are we going to do about exigencies of the future. For world it, to prevent little children from going peace and progressive legislation he has hungry to school in the richest and most productive country in the world? aly eron worth raising we are throwing under the juggernaut of Mammon. We might expect hunger in London, where there is a legally recognized social caste, fostered by centuries of selfish- there who will make a practical appliness, or in Berlin, where a crowd of cation of it? Let him be heeded. war lords ruined their country trying these United States, Messra, Borah to shackle the world, or in Dublin under the treaty is being accepted as an ac- land, why should it be? Is the remedy complished fact! Postal and wire com- in promoting the interests of piled up munication has been reestablished be- wealth, or is it the overthrow of that tween the allies and Germany. Trade system that makes the plutocrat and s resumed. The various commissions the pauper? As long as the idea holds established by the treaty are busily at that capital is an entity, self created. work. Especially France and Germany, and entitled to a toll on labor, so long who labor be despoiled. And when you despoil a race you debase it. F. W. WOOD.

Criticising Major Gilbert

Walla Walla, Wash., Oct. 21 .- To the

What does the major suggest now to make our souls O. K .- another war? Would a million or more murdered men complete our suffering? I thought this an intelligent age. A. JOHNSON.

The Mood for the Treaty Portland, Nov. 3 .- To the Editor of

coal by Germany prescribed in the treaty question. It is unfortunate, in- see nothin' of the kind, of course, but treaty. If we recall how much stress was deed, and yet it seems hard now to go some young fellers is mighty hopeful laid upon the inevitable crippling of Ger- back or retrace. It must be fought out, and perfectly harmless. man industry by the requisition of the perhaps. How far or in what direction should the United States be played as to the operations of the proposed league? This seems to be the crux. The best minds of the nation should engage question. It is no time for intrigue or peace arrangements "by quietly drop- bargain and sale, or what is called inclined to loaf on their work of loading but such things as railroads and teleping those parts of the treaty which are small politics. The issues are too box cars with provisions for the army of graphs are impossibilities and rank inture ages for untold generations. Our was especially lazy he exclaimed: The amending process was civilization itself may be at stake. It foreseen from the first. Hence the is a time for caution and self-inspection; not cowardice, but a careful "tak tionary powers. Hence the League of ing of stock," both of ourselves and our ovuh. Nations, which has been recognized from concerns. Light from the best men or is completely justified—as the great brought in. And the Bible, that great An' also foh de duration of de wah. Now, a budget system from coming to a winter and summer at less cost than mas trees whose candles were light- treaty. And if it be asked why it was wouldn't hurt in the premises. Who is ation, hit's jes done begun." amending agent and executor of the source of wisdom and cansolation.

COMMENT AND NEWS IN BRIEF

SMALL CHANGE

The alcoholic content in near beer is nothing to the discontent. "Commodore" Hardy has gone on his

last cruise. His familiar figure will be missed in Portland. If Gompers has a good plan to end the coal strike, our only hope is that he will put on his rompers and romp to

Anyone who is up sky-gazing at 1:30 o'clock in the morning is likely to see "light phenomenon," or almost any other old thing.

If a name counts for anything, that man LaPossee, convicted of illicit liquor manager-commission form of city gov-

visions of the treaty could only be army may not amount to a corporal's things done." "Hun people wished rule by military,

what happened.

We read with interest that Paris is already alarmed because of the coal shortage threatened as a result of the coal miners' strike in America. We'd always believed that life in Paris was always hot stuff-coal or not.

They say that motion pictures are gradually finding their way into the the highway from Bend to La Pine, public schools as educational adjuncts.

Mr. Lockley was present at Klamath public schools as educational adjuncts.
And when the first lesson of the morning shall become a one-reel thriller featuring "Bill" Hart, take it from us

Mr. Lockley was present at Klamath businessmen's froil there and made the trip over The Dalles-California highway, a description

OREGON SIDELIGHTS

"Crane is the little wonder town of Eastern Oregon," declares the American. "There is more life and activity here than can be found in cities 10 times as large. Travelers passing through town remark of this feature."

Noting the profits of the berry growers

Concluding an argument in favor of a

ernment for Vale, the Enterprise says: Every council in the past 10 years figured on improving the streets. There has been no city manager, no business "When two barloads of tourists are

unable to get hotel accommodations in Agricultural college,
Bend and have to go back to Deschutes The county court chutes correspondent. It suggests," says bonds at about \$1.06%. the Bend Bulletin, "the need of increased hotel investment here."

"We are glad," writes the Walker
Basin correspondent of the Bend Press.
"to see men like Fred Lockley of The
Journal voice our sentiments concernthe past several days ing leaving the pine trees standing along ment of 100,000 pounds of prunes to Eng-

IMPRESSIONS AND OBSERVATIONS OF THE JOURNAL MAN

By Fred Lockley

mings also discusses certain political phases he look was in my state. I said:

"'Connecticut will undoubtedly present the name of Governor Simeon E. There are only two men who have Baldwin as a candidate for president: served on the Democratic national com- hence I am unable to discuss my attimittee as long as Homer S. Cummings, tude as to your candidacy. You may chairman of the committee. "I became be interested to know, however, that a member of the committee in 1900," my wife is for Wilson, first, last and county men. Portland, Oct. 31.-To the Editor of said Mr. Cummings to me a day or so all the time.' Governor Wilson laughed in 1900. Clark Howell of the Atlanta all right so far as I am concerned."

> mitteemen longer than myself. I have been elected unanimously ever since my splendid constructive work he had done man of the committee. I continued to vanced in years to secure the nomina- W. C. A. has been placed at \$31,600. very strong feeling that he would be the Democratic candidate. "Take, for example, your state. I

"Since that first meeting with Presi- herds by importation of better breeds. wouldn't want to acknowledge that dent Wilson I have met him frequently.

Oregon was a Republican state, but let I have studied him closely and analyzed quiam for more than a year appeared at us concede that there are quite a few his qualities. I think he is one of the a drug store Naturday Republicans in the state. In spite of greatest men America has ever pro- possession of a mill employe for four the claims of the Republican national duced. My feeling for him is one of afcommittee that Oregon is a Republican fection and devotion. I have never The Journal-I have read the state- state, you elect Democratic senators met a man who, to my mind, had a traila, the Victory and the Olympic ment of licenses raised on motor vehi- and governors-men of the type of greater intellect nor as sure and serene will continue to operate, thus insuring Senator Chamberlain and Governor a knowledge of essential things. There West. What is the explanation? I be- are those who say he is remote and ised by Poindexter's anof business. Now, while our city offilf all the Pacific coast class are looking about them for ways that Westerners consider a man's char- American, unless it were Washington Representative Summers of the Fourth

suitable posts for generations to come.

200,000 marks on a psychological lab-

Olden Oregon

Lieutenant Howison's Report on the

souls, of whom 2000 are not natives of

the United States, or descendants of

native Americans. Nearly all the in-

southern cottage being on St. Mary's

river about 100 miles from the Columbia.

Twenty or 30 families are at Astoria

toria and Vancouver but one white man

resides on the bank of the river for cul-

tivation purposes and he is a retired

25 miles above Astoria. His house is the

Cars Now Rumble Over Their Graves

From the Lewis Bulletins The school board at Lancaster, Ohio,

in 1828, refused to permit the school-

house to be used for the discussion of

the question as to whether railroads

"You are welcome to use the school-

There is nothing in the Word

house to debate all proper questions in,

of God about them. If God had designed

ly forced it through His Holy prophets

Many other kinds of "boards" are

way.

that His intelligent creatures should

Population in 1846.

"When did I first meet President Wil- years is written and understood, these cific Lumber agency at Aberdeen, the will be recorded as golden years stock to be 1912. At that time he was a candidate in American statesmanship, achievement used in the oil fields. for the presidential nomination. Some and leadership. The critics of the presfriends had heard that I was ident will be remembered, if they are favorable to his candidacy. They asked remembered at all, as men of ungenerme to come to the Knickerbocker hotel ous minds who in a period of great in New York City to meet Governor difficulty sought to embarrass one of Wilson. At that particular time we the world's greatest leaders."

PICKING A TELEPHONE GIRL

By Bassett Digby

Stockholm.-How ought one to choose men and women for the right jobs you telephone girl? That question was do not have to bother with any effiout to the president of a large firm here ciency propaganda and experts. Choose by two leading lights of the Institute for good tools to begin with. They see great Experimentelle Padagogik und Psychol- scope for psychological tests in industry, ogi, at Leipzig, who are visiting Sweden in fact, nothing short of a new and into lecture and demonstrate the latest dispensable profession. Good-looking ethods of testing efficiency. The pres- girls will continue to get the pick of the ident replied that he ascertained that stenographic jobs, and there will be the aspirants to the honor of running wives' younger brothers of fearful and his phone board must have tidy hair and wonderful inefficiency flourishing in un-

manicured finger nails. The German experts do not think that But these experts are enthusiastic over goes far enough. They think that em- their vision, which sees all employes ployers are extraordinarily inefficient in first passing a psychologist subjecting picking their hired help. They object them to tests that will lead the best to the Munsterberg and Taylor tests, as folks to the best work for them. One hey stigmatize them, as trying to get great industrial firm in Germany spent he greatest amount of efficiency out of a man or woman instead of first ascer- oratory and claims that it paid for itself taining whether or no the subject of ex- in the first year. periment is a round peg in a square hole. Copyright, 1919, by the Chicago Daily News Co.

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Curious Bits of Information

For the Curious Gleaned From Curious Places

According to the Mexican census of 1910 some 7000 families of Spanish Creole dians may be set down now at 9000 Or., and a prominent laundryman of Sa of Mexico; and since Mexico measures some 750,000 square miles, it follows that habitants except those connected with these feudal estates average more than the Hudson's Bay company are settled Labor, on Sunday voted six to one a hundred square miles each. Many in the Willamette valley, the extreme against surrendering their charter in a hundred square miles each. Many in the Willamette valley, the extreme against of them are immensely greater. The How are the terms of the peace of Editor of The Journal-"America has Terrazas estate in Chihuahua contains Versailles working out in the applica- not yet suffered enough to purge her some 13,000,000 acres, an area as large and the Clatsop plains. Between As-No word of supplication was as Holland and Belgium combined. And raised to the Creator at the peace con- there are estates in Mexico said to contain 15,000,000 acres.

Uncle Jeff Snow Says:

Arthur Herbdasher excused his rushin Arthur Herbdasher excused his rushin' seat of hospitality and his large family to all the shows in Portland lately by of quarterbreeds are highly respectable sayin' to the bunch of lads that hangs and well behaved. From Fort Vancouver out at Bert's barbershop, that he's ex- to the Cascades, 40 miles, but a single pectin' some night to see a suspender family has yet settled on either side bust and them 'leven-inch dresses some of the river." The Journal-The lines seem to be of the stage gals wears most all blow drawing more sharply in regard to the the waist line drap off. He won't never

Worst Is Last

On the Bassans docks at Bordeaux, was recently called to mind by an old France, an old-time sergeant of a negro document that reads as follows: themselves for the settlement of this regiment was having trouble with a detall of men of his own race who seemed weighty. They will or may affect fu- occupation. Addressing one negro, who fidelity. "Come on, you. Git to wuk, dah!"

"Shucks, sahgeant," replied the lazy travel at the frightful speed of 15 miles one, "Ah 'listed foh de wah, an hit's an hour, by steam, He would have clear-

"Yo' all's a duhn fool," the sergeant It is a device of Saian to lead immortal nigguh, de wah hit's ovuh, but de dura- talking about efficiency in the same

in other sections, the Cloverdale En-terprise asks: "How about your idle hill land that is good berry land? As soon as the acreage justifies it Cloverdale is promised a cannery. Why not hurry it along by putting in a few acres."

enumerators.

says a newspaper correspondent, writing from Berlin. Moreover they seem to have had their wish granted—and see last week, according to our Deston Portland the \$44,000 issue of road

County Superintendent Frost reports 90 per cent of the teachers

The big plant of the California Pack-

land: Military credit toward graduation is

Cheeks mailed by the industrial acci-

aggregated \$105,000.

have furnished plans for a municipal uilding that were never paid for. Actual work of boring a well to test out the oil prospects in the vicinity of Lacomb will be begun in a short time

Steven Linn, aged 21, claiming to be

Construction charges for the current project will total \$101.013.43

The Clarke County Dairymen's asso-

plenty of coal for Chehalis and Centralla. Edwin J. Franzen of Palouse, a

y of Sentile, convicted of obstructing draft, has been removed from the eral pentientiary at McNeil island to Fort Leavenworth, Kan. In double commemoration of the sign-

has proclaimed November 11 as a state

hollday.

IDAHO. The State of Idaho will contribute toward the \$3,000,000 national nancial

Twelve hundred men are now employed in the larger mines of the Coeur d'Alene district of Northern Idaho, and this number will be doubled within the

GENERAL

Petrograd has been without bread for

night. John T. Hutchings of Alamogordo, N. M., was shot and killed Sunday while piloting an automobile to Lanark. Four

On Sunday a bronze palm was laid on ociety known as

Oregon exclusive of thoroughbred In-Thomas J. Casey, born at Woodburn,

He was despondent over

A country-wide drive to improve of the 6,000,000 boys in the United States between the ages has been launched at Washington by the public health service.

the service on his own application

views, photographs, lectures and fun. These are its seven sections. Let's

Busy Reader. OREGON NOTES

The Oregon Country

Northwest Happenings in Brief Form for the

Farmers of Polk county have adopted resolution asking for the appointment

of a county agent On their way from Canada to Mexico, two aviators in a Curtiss machine landed at The Dalles Sunday without injury. The big steel bridge across the Wil-

entirely within the next few weeks. Henry Jungwirth of Turner has returned to his year with the United States forces in Siberia.

Thirty-seven applicants, 10 of whom Albany Saturday for positions as census

Albany college will send three representatives to the student volunteer conference at Des Moines, Iowa, during the

county signed up to Join the State

the past several days preparing a ship

ng camps in the United States and

an officer in the United States aviation corps and to have several million dol-lars in a Scattle bank, was found wandering in the country several miles from St. Helens and is now in the county jail to be examined as to his sanity.

Washington's quota in the \$3,000,000 national financial campaign of the Y. The Washington Water Power com-

Hulet M. Wells, former employe of the

ing of the armistice and the twentyminth anniversary of the admission of Washington as a state, Governor Hart

summed up thus: If you get the right financial osmpaign of the Women's Christian Association.

> A decree has been issued granting a constitution to Cyrenalca, which is under the sovereignty of Italy. Cyrenalca will have its own parliament.

scene of the crime shortly after inid-

men and four women are held for the murder. the grave of Quentin Roosevelt by deputation of women representing

Reporting on Oregon in 1846, Lieutenant Howison of the United States navy said: "From the best information I tial candidates for the presidency of United States. The neutral is Hercould procure the whole population of

> business matters. Knoxville, Tenn., union police, affili-ated with the American Federation of that organization.

officer of the Hudson's Bay company built up the army air service to the named Birnie who has fixed himself point of efficiency, has retired from

glance at them. Section One, the main news section, presents the news of the day in an orderly fashion and contains the page of editorial comment. Sports and business news are assembled in Section Two together with the Want Ads. Section Three is devoted to news of the week in the fields of society, women's clubs, fraternal organizations etc., and to illustrated features Drama, photoplay and music news find their place in Section Four, together with more attractive features. Section Five, the automotive section. is dedicated to the motor car, truck and tractor. The Sunday Journal Magazine, an 8-page quality feature, constitutes Section Six. Section Seven is the incomparable four-paget comic in color. And all for five cents

the copy.

Christmas holidays, A. E. Brandt, just arrived from lowa State college, has been appointed in-structor in farm mechanics at Oregon

being allowed by the University of Ore-

by the Oregon Petroleum company, a corporation composed entirely of Linn

WASHINGTON

crease of 8 cents an hour for its street

Two coal mines in the vicinity of Cen-

A single order for over 1,000,000 feet "When the history of the last six of lumber has been placed with the Pa-

next few weeks

two weeks and thousands are dying daily of hunger. A dispatch states that 40,000 persons have died within a month. Paul Jones, a negro accused of attackng a white woman Sunday at Macon.

Abroad. Sixteen Democrats, 21 Republicans and

Colonel William L. Kenly, who rose to major general during the war and who

Seven Reasons Why Sunday Journal Excels There are seven reasons why the

Sunday Journal excels in news, re-

dent commission to laboring men for time lost because of accidents during the month of October totaled 4168 and Only two producing coal mines are in