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## AND A LOT OF AMENDMENTS

What show would the Ten Commandments or the Sermon on the Mount stand with the Senate obstructionists if they were submitted to them for approval as new matter? There are a couple of the commandments, at least, that would have hard sledding.—Los Angeles Times.

Yes; and besides they would want to add all the way from twenty-six to ninety-six amendments.

## THE RED CROSS ROLL CALL

The recent Corpus Christi disaster in Texas is a reminder to all that the work of the American Red Cross never ends.

Answering the call for aid, immediately and without stint of effort, the Red Cross had relief trains and workers on the scene of the catastrophe within twenty-four hours.

As a result of the storm wave which devastated the southern Texas coast many thousands of persons were driven from their homes and nearly five hundred lives were lost, yet relief was soon directed to the stricken districts and the never questioned efficiency of the Red Cross workers accounted for the quick housing and relief of those affected.

November 2-11, 1919, inclusive, is the date of the Annual Roll Call of the American Red Cross.

This is not a fund campaign, but is a crusade for membership. A membership for the year, costs \$1.

The slogan of the Northwestern Division of the American Red Cross is "Universal Membership."

If not a member, why not? If you gave your dollar for membership during war time, keep your name on the rolls of the Red Cross during times of peace.

Do not forget: The war work of the Red Cross is not fully completed.

The Red Cross is the relief disaster agent of the American people. In case of epidemic, nation-wide Red Cross membership is essential.

SUCCESS OF THE WORLD RED CROSS MOVEMENT depends on SUCCESS OF ROLL CALL.

Salem must do her part. And Marion and Polk counties must do their part.

And all Oregon must go over the top, and do it first—the good old Oregon way.

He who builds a house where a house is needed is a benefactor of his race.

Salem is now being built on the Gibraltar of the mutual prosperity of the country and the city.

Even after the treaty is ratified, there will be a few questions yet sticking around. Mexico, for instance.

What we raise on the land and sell abroad brings new money every year. More acres and more to the acre will keep us going without a halt.

In spite of the decrease of airplane fatalities, due to the better control of the machines, it is still comparatively safer to remain on the ground.

The greatest danger is not from the rising prices. It will be when they begin to drop. Everything that goes up must come down—and the coming down may be too fast in this case.

Why is it that when one man sees another for the alienation of his wife's affections he fixes his damages at such a high figure? In the cases we have known of about 30 cents would cover the whole shooting match.—Exchange.

Possibly 50 per cent of the oratory heard in congress is sincere. The Republicans ought to take the advice of Chairman Hays of the National committee, to forget petty jealousies and carping criticism; and if they do they will be in a position to enact better legislation for the whole country.

Two air mail pilots have just flown from Cleveland to New York, 430 miles, in two hours and 59 minutes, carrying 35 pounds of mail. The possibility of statesmen personally officiating at the national capital and on the Pacific coast at practically the same time is seen to be approaching.—Springfield Republican.

## D'ANNUNZIO'S CRIME.

(Los Angeles Times.) It may be taken for granted that the question of Fiume will be settled along the lines suggested by President Wilson. This has been

evident from the first dispute with the Italian representatives at the peace table when France and Great Britain practically sided in with America against Rome. And with the settlement must come punishment for D'Annunzio.

The poet may be the most patriotic of patriots, but that cannot do away with the fact that he has insulted the United States as well as other nations.

The others can look after their own honor; it is for Washington to see that D'Annunzio is shown that he cannot flout the wishes of this country and get away with it. D'Annunzio deliberately upset a state of things at Fiume to attain which President Wilson went to the extreme course of appealing to the Italians over the heads of their representatives at Paris. He seized Fiume for Italy, though the great powers, with America at their head, had decreed it should belong to the Jugo-Slavs.

Moreover, he forced Americans, with other allied troops, to leave the city.

The Times, while freely acknowledging that Italy performed a great service in the war, remains firm in its conviction that President Wilson's course in regard to Fiume, dictated as it is by the loftiest motives, is the right one. It would be unthinkable for this country to desert the Jugo-Slavs now.

## NEW DANGER.

The magazines are pointing out a new danger; they say the Germans, now that they are bankrupt, will work hard to be economical and sensible, in order to get another start. The danger is, we may be forced to adopt the same policy, in order to keep up with them, whereas we are pledged to a policy of shorter hours and more extravagance. It is, indeed, a very grave danger.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

## HAD HIM SIZED UP.

The Indianapolis Star, which is independent Republican in politics and would ordinarily be in accord with Senator Johnson, describes his recent speech in that city as "the harangue of a demagogue and an appeal to prejudice under the stolen garb of patriotism."

The Indianapolis News, which is owned mainly by the estate of the late Vice President Fairbanks, com-

## SCHOOL CHILDREN'S EYES

Do your children complain of headache after a day at school? Children's eyes should be well looked after by taking care of the eyes when young.

Nothing disqualifies a person for life's work as to have poor eyesight. It is your absolute duty to pay attention to the child when it complains. No one is more careful in fitting glasses for the young folks than we are.

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ments on Hiram Johnson's statement that Americanism is the issue and he is the great American. The News says that "Mr. Taft is an American, Mr. Roosevelt was also an American, Mr. Root and Mr. Hughes are Americans. Even the president is an American. How is it, then, that Senator Johnson and the opponents of the league can claim a monopoly on the country's patriotism."

The paper adds that the Johnson argument indicated that "he had not read the covenant; did not understand it if he had read it, and deliberately misrepresented it if he did understand it."

Therefore, the California blowhard, trimmer and self-seeker does not seem to have added many cubits to his stature by virtue of his Indiana appearance.

## "QUAKER THIRST."

Philadelphia seems to have found it. Judge Dickinson of the district court rendered a decision in the Quaker city last week to the effect that it was not unlawful for a bartender to sell a drink of whisky for medicinal purposes.

Since that date a new malady has developed in Philadelphia which causes a thirst that whisky alone can assuage.

Perhaps it was an excessive supply of brotherly love that caused the judge to legalize the offering of a cup of intoxicating beverage to lips that are parched with an alcoholic thirst. Strange and weird maladies have swept the world in the wake of the war; and possibly this new disease for which whisky alone is the only cure is one of them. If it is once fully established that whisky is the sovereign remedy the disease is certain to spread to the west even faster than the flu.

It would seem that the dry forces

will have to find another cure for the "Quaker thirst" than that which Philadelphia physicians are prescribing before they carry their campaign to foreign shores. The rapid spread of the disease is indicated by the statement of one Philadelphia druggist that he had been called upon to fill more than 300 prescriptions of which whisky was the main ingredient in a single morning.

In Philadelphia bartenders are also permitted to fill prescriptions for whisky made out by physicians. The health records of Philadelphia are getting all muddled up, but for the time being, the intensive drought that began July 1 has been broken.

## DRESSED ALIKE.

Not as a war measure, but as an economic proposition in time of peace, England proposes to standardize the clothing of men and women. Under government control a million suits of clothes will be made of a definite material and pattern. They will be of excellent material and workmanship and will be sold at about \$20 an outfit for either sex.

But it is a safe wager that the experiment will not be repeated.

A man who wants the government to run his railroads, his coal yards, his bake shops and his foundries wouldn't care to wear the clothes designed by an official commission.

Convicts wear government apparel because they have to, but a man outside of jail would hate to don the toggery prescribed by an administration.

As for the gentle dames, they will have none of it.

To feel that they had to wear the same regalia as the skirt next door would fill their bosoms with wrath.

Not even were the cloaks made of brocade satin and trimmed with peacock feathers would they stand for universal duplication.

Women may be slaves to fashion, but fashion does not make all garments alike. No uniform for the ladies in times of peace. Neither will the men agree to having the women so dressed that the mother-in-law cannot be distinguished from the wife in the dusk.

## MAKING PRESIDENTS.

In spite of arguments, it doth appear that Hiram Johnson is Mr. Wilson's greatest political asset. It was the Johnson double-crossing of Hughes that made Wilson president in 1916 and the Johnson barnstorming against the league of nations may determine Wilson to run for a third term. And upon that issue the president could not possibly be defeated.

## POLITICS IN ARKANSAS.

We understand that Tom Terrill, the incumbent of secretary of state, has entered the race for gubernatorial honors of Arkansas. Take it from ye pastor of the Thomas Cat—Tom won't do. In the language of the old-time southerner, Tom "won't stand hitched." Tom has been in politics too long. He has learned all the slippery tricks of the adroit politician. Tom Terrill in the governor's chair is likened to a pewter handle stuck onto a golden mug. Comparing Tom Terrill to the weakest man in the race is like comparing a mewling kitten or a whinnying puppy to a roaring lion. Dear peepul, He won't do; pass him to the discard.—Arkansaw Tom Cat.

## EGGED OFF.

With eggs at 75 cents a dozen, the circumstance that Senator Reed was egged from an Oklahoma platform on attempting an anti-covenant speech, indicates the intense feeling on the part of the citizenry.—Exchange.

Fact is, he wasn't worth it—if they were perfectly good, fresh eggs.

And the same as to Hiram Johnson, only more so.

## UNQUESTIONABLY.

There was a prominent lawyer who prided himself on his astuteness in questioning Chinese witnesses. He was very near-sighted, so failed to note that the dress of a Chinese witness was of finer texture than that worn by an ordinary coolie.

Instead of asking the usual question as to age, occupation, etc., the following dialogue ensued:

Q. What is your name.

A. Sell Lung.

Q. Do you live in San Francisco?

A. Yes.

Q. You sabe God?

A. Mr. Attorney, if you mean do I understand the entity of our Creator, I will simply reply that on Thursday evening next I shall address the State Ministerial association upon the subject of the Divinity of Christ and shall be pleased if you will attend.

To the day of his death the celebrated lawyer will never escape the question: "Do you sabe God?"—San Francisco Star.

## DAMNING WITH FAINT PRAISE.

Vice President Marshall really does very well when duty calls him to officiate at some important and impressive event, considering that his natural inclination seems to be to try to be funny.—Ohio State Journal.

## TOBACCO HABIT DANGEROUS

Says Doctor Connor, formerly of Johns Hopkins hospital. Thousands of men suffering from fatal diseases would be in perfect health today were it not for the deadly drug Nicotine. Stop the habit now before it's too late. It's a simple process to rid yourself of the tobacco habit in any form. Just go to any up-to-date drug store and get some Nicotol tablets; take them as directed and the pernicious habit quickly vanishes. Druggists refund the money if they fail. Be sure to read large and interesting announcement by Doctor Connor soon to appear in this paper. It tells of the danger of nicotine poisoning and how to avoid it. In the meantime try Nicotol tablets; you will be surprised at the result.

## JEALOUS MINER KILLS WIFE AND SELF WITH KNIFE IN PLAIN VIEW OF 9-YEAR-OLD SON



—Leishmann Telegraphed Picture Service

BUTTE, Oct. 3.—In plain view of his 9-year-old son, Charles Antila, a miner residing at 1112 East Park street early this morning killed Mrs. Antila by cutting her throat and then ending over the dead body clapped the corpse in one arm and cut his own throat. Antila was dead when the officers arrived in response to a telephone call a few minutes later. The trouble was said to be due to moonshine whiskey and unfounded jealousy.

## HERPICIDE MARY SAYS:

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## BITS FOR BREAKFAST

Build more houses in Salem.

How many more? John McNary said 500 more, at the Salem Commercial club meeting yesterday, to accommodate the new people who will come to work from three corners—the paper mill, the Phez company, and the dehydration plant, in the next year.

So 500 will not be half enough; for every other industrial concern in Salem is growing, and in the indirect growth will be larger than the direct.

And new concerns are coming.

A thousand new houses will not be enough, in the next year.

And the growth in the following years will be greater than in the next year.

Salem is in for a continued dearth of houses. It will be a chronic condition.

But we must make the best of it, and hurry the new houses as fast as possible.

The thing the world needs most is a steam roller that will roll, in the United States senate.

The senate has confirmed Brand Whitlock as ambassador to Belgium. The splendid work of Whitlock when American minister to Belgium is well recognized by this diplomatic promotion. If Edith Cavell were only here to witness the honor!

## VICTIMS OF OUR OWN CARELESSNESS

WHEN the war ended—we knew the world at large required great quantities of food, clothing and miscellaneous equipment.

Yet we have helped increase that demand by wanting to buy more and produce less. Naturally we automatically become "bidders" against one another in our efforts to get what EACH desires—and the prices climb, climb, climb.

Every person can help take up the "slack" by producing more and spending less



# Odd Lots Cleanup Sale

Girls' and Boys' Union Suits size 4 years to 14 years. Today's price 59c a suit

at the Remnant Store, 10 Days Only. While I was in the East I picked up a lot of Jobs and Odds and Ends in Remnants and children's and ladies' underwear. Read the prices and be convinced that you can do better at the Remnant Store.

32 to 35c Remnants, Outing Special 25c yd.	Today Only—\$10 Grey Wool Blankets at \$7.29 pair	Today Only—36 in. Cotton Serge Dress Goods 48c yard, grey or black.	Mill Remnants of Fancy Sateen Furs for Lining, 49c yard	65c Knitting Yarn, today only 49c ball.
Remnants of Apron Gingham, 19c yard	Today Only—\$2.50 Heavy Thread Underwear, Special \$1.89 suit or 2 suits for \$3.50	Today Only—Men's Wool and Part Wool Sweaters at 25 per cent less.	Today Only—42 in. Blue Forest Serge \$1.39 yard. Regular \$1.75.	Today Only—50c Fancy Ribbon 39c yard

Silk Sale, values to \$3.50 now \$1.95 yard. Ladies' Hats, values to \$7.00, at \$4.98

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