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LIVING ON ELEVEN CENTS A DAY

Forget it. The H. C. L. is a thing of the past. It is classed with the fall of Babylon or any other ancient news. Dr. Harvey W. Wiley says that eleven cents a day is enough to live on. A short time ago he stated that thirteen cents was ample to provide all the comforts of a full stomach; but on closer investigation he finds that he was grossly mistaken.

Eleven cents is enough and don't let 'em advise you differently. Dr. Wiley doesn't say that he lives on eleven cents a day, nor does he say that he wants to.

But he says it can be done. It's like this. Get a bushel of cornmeal. If you pay the current price of \$1.50 a bushel all you need is a pound a day. Then purchase eight cents' worth of milk each morning.

Your cornmeal costs you three cents for the pound and with the milk the total is eleven cents.

It offers a wide variety of nourishment, too. Today you can have your cornmeal and milk. Tomorrow you can put the milk on the meal and the next day the meal on the milk. And for Sunday you might mix the two. Should you become tired of this diet you might, just for variety's sake, have milk and cornmeal. The possibilities are really unlimited.

The Oregon Legislature is to be called in extra session. It may last three days. It may last six. And it may last twenty days. It is absolutely limited to that time, by the Constitution.

The taxpayers of Salem want their school teachers to be paid well for their work.

Your deal, Mr. President, on the peace treaty and covenant of nations.

The east shivers as it hopes for a settlement of the coal strike today.

Tell the world through The Statesman what you know about mint growing. It is important to Salem.

Many families are getting along with less sugar than they ever thought possible before. Sweet are the uses of adversity.

President Wilson took a Fall-out of Senator Fall's resolution proposing that congress call upon the chief executive to sever diplomatic relations with Mexico. The matter of a definite policy regarding Mexico will likely go over to the Republican ad-

BETTER THAN CALOMEL

Thousands Have Discovered Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets Are a Harmless Substitute

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel. For 17 years he used these tablets (a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil) in his private practice with great success.

They do all the good that calomel does but have no bad after effects. No pains, no griping, no injury to the gums or danger from acid foods—yet they stimulate the liver and bowels. Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets when you feel "loggy" and "heavy." Note how they clear clouded brain and perk up the spirits. 10c and 25c a box.

WHY THIS BANK HAS GROWN

If most people were called upon to answer that question they would say it was due to the opening of new accounts all the time.

Well of course that has something to do with it—but we look upon the growth of the old accounts in size as the most important end of the United States National's progress.



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every woman in the state of New York will oppose his re-election without regard to party.

OUR RIGNESS.

A recent issue of News and Views of Stocks and Bonds says:

The United States has only 6 per cent of the population of the world and only 7 per cent of the land, and yet we produce:

Twenty per cent of the world's supply of gold.

Twenty-five per cent of the world's supply of wheat.

Forty per cent of the world's supply of iron and steel.

Forty per cent of the world's supply of lead.

Forty per cent of the world's supply of silver.

Fifty per cent of the world's supply of zinc.

Fifty-two per cent of the world's supply of coal.

Sixty per cent of the world's supply of aluminum.

Sixty per cent of the world's supply of copper.

Sixty per cent of the world's supply of cotton.

Sixty-six per cent of the world's supply of oil.

Seventy-five per cent of the world's supply of corn.

Eighty-five per cent of the world's supply of automobiles.

We also refine 80 per cent of the copper and operate 40 per cent of the world's railroads.

Before the war we owed other nations five billion dollars. We have not only paid this debt, but foreign nations now owe us ten billion dollars. We now hold the largest gold reserves of any nation in the world.

MONKEYING WITH THE BUZZ SAW.

It was Josh Billings, we believe, who warned a waiting world of the dangers that lurked in the processes of monkeying with the buzz saw. Like many a work spoken in jest, there was the wisdom of the ages in this homely quip.

We are doing too much monkeying

with the buzz saw today. We have been monkeying with the laws of supply and demand. We have endeavored to amend or repeal economic laws that can no more be altered than the forces of nature can be altered. Amateur economists, visionary politicians and rampant reformers cannot, through the formation of boards and committees, the adoption of resolutions or the assembling of conventions, change the fundamentals of life one iota.

We do not need any more panaceas. All we need do is to get on the job and work, save, speed up production, eliminate waste, quit looking for Utopia and signing for the millennium.

The world will grow better only through the development of education and the adoption of wholesome habits of life by the people.

What we need above all things else is a better understanding of thrift and a closer application of its principles.

Let us quit monkeying with the buzz saw.—Thrift Magazine.

CONGRESS CAN'T END WAR.

Abrogation of war legislation and the exercise of war powers, together with resumption of international relations, are urgently required for the country's good. The proposal to bring the war to a legal end by a congressional resolution is open to grave objections. Such a method of doubtful legality and would result in the delay incident to an appeal to the supreme court for final decision.

Article I of the constitution gives congress the power to declare war, but nowhere does it say anything about ending it. Oppenheim on International Law lays down the principle that "It is not at all necessary that the power of declaring war and making peace should be vested in the same hands." Congress has only such powers as are vested in it by the constitution, and the power of making peace is not among those that are enumerated.

If our constitution specifically gave any person or body the power to end war that person or body would be the one to do it. As it does not, then naturally peace should be declared by the one recognized by international usage and law as the proper authority. This is the treaty-making power.

SWEETENING BOHEMIA.

France has sent 100,000 pounds of sugar to Bohemia at a price of about 20 cents a pound. Sugar seems to be sugar the wide world over.

MAKE ENDS MEET.

The country uses more pork and poultry than the city by 150 per cent; but the city partakes of veal and lamb to the extent of 120 per cent beyond the country. The question before the house is which lives best?

BITS FOR BREAKFAST

Salem will welcome them.

The members of all three houses—

But they will have to double up. Salem is already crowded.

Looks like a greater scramble all the time for all the loganberries, and all other berries. There will not be enough to go around, for years and years.

Harry up those apartment houses. In lieu thereof, tents are likely to be in demand in Salem.

The teachers of Salem get theirs. Or a part, anyway.

Men call G'Annunzio a patriot because he took Fiume. When an American citizen uses similar methods to annex a set of silver, we call him a thief.

No doubt the old-fashioned European statesman thinks of a republic in terms of rag-chewing.

A government by conference might do as well as any other if the conferees had any way to force their opinions on the public.

COUNTIES GIVEN RENTAL MONEYS

Distribution of Forestry Funds Is Made by Deputy Secretary Kozor

The distribution of the sum of \$115,405.74 which the state of Oregon received from the federal government a short time ago from forest reserve rentals, sales of timber, etc., from forest reserves within the state was yesterday made to those counties of the state in which forest reserves are situated by Sam A. Kozor, deputy secretary of state.

Under a law enacted at the 1917 session of the legislature, a settlement was effected between the counties and the amounts determined and fixed as between the counties which prior thereto were overpaid and those that were underpaid. Under the current distribution the sum of \$11,232.86 representing receipts in forest reserves in counties that were heretofore overpaid, is credited to

THE LATEST STRIKE



He who strikes last strikes best

those counties which were heretofore underpaid, which reduces the amount due the underpaid counties since the law went into effect in 1917, taking into consideration the apportionment in 1917 and 1918 from \$87,843.48 to \$34,516.11.

The amount of the distribution to each of the counties of the state of the receipts for the year ending June 30, 1919, is as follows:

- Baker, \$9,522.12; Benton, \$1.12; Clackamas, \$3,416.68; Clatsop, nothing; Columbia, nothing; Coos, \$282.63; Crook, \$2,875.78; Curry, \$1,738.81; Deschutes, \$1,491.69; Douglas, \$4,684.45; Gilliam, nothing; Grant, \$20,901.51; Harney, \$4,000.25;

- Hood River, \$1,115.82; Jackson, \$6,160.04; Jefferson, \$275.02; Josephine, \$1,585.82; Klamath, \$7,784.81; Lake, \$5,704.05; Lane, \$1,721.60; Lincoln, \$340.28; Linn, \$422.33; Malheur, \$89.16; Marion, \$524.73; Morrow, \$970.52; Multnomah, \$405.02; Polk, \$9.71; Sherman, nothing; Tillamook, \$178.39; Umatilla, \$3,160.30; Union, \$7,548.24; Wallowa, \$25,668.34; Wasco, \$1,323.78; Washington, nothing; Wheeler, \$1,267.60; Yamhill, \$65.12.

After an appropriate distribution of these amounts under the law the amounts remitted to the several counties participating in such distribution are as follows:

- Baker, \$11,232.53; Benton, nothing; Clackamas, \$2,701.12; Clatsop, nothing; Columbia, nothing; Coos, nothing; Crook, nothing; Curry, nothing; Deschutes, \$1,491.69; Douglas, \$4,684.45; Gilliam, nothing; Grant, \$24,760.07; Harney, \$4,010.08; Hood River, \$347.71; Jackson, \$8,658.59; Jefferson, \$211.57; Josephine, nothing; Klamath, \$8,594.99; Lake, \$5,704.05; Lane, nothing; Lincoln, nothing; Linn, nothing; Malheur, \$89.15; Marion, \$257.80; Morrow, \$988.45; Multnomah, \$247.81; Polk, nothing; Sherman, nothing; Tillamook, nothing; Umatilla, \$2,380.48; Union, \$8,683.05; Wallowa, \$26,720.75; Wasco, \$1,323.78; Washington, nothing; Wheeler, \$1,267.60; Yamhill, nothing.

Complete statements showing the acreage of the forest reserves within the counties as well as the amount of the receipts of each forest reserve falling to each county according to its acreage and the apportionment and distribution thereof have been forwarded to the county treasurers of the respective counties of the state for their information, so that they may verify the distribution if they so desire. The acreage in the respec-

tive forest reserves of the state has been furnished to the state department by the district forester as of June 20, 1919.

There is a shortage of overcoats reported in Paris. Here in dear old America they are wearin' 'em' longer.

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Eyestrain and eye defects yield only to perfectly fitted glasses and a disregard of the above mentioned symptoms only means a growth of the trouble and a greater and greater difficulty in overcoming it when the time comes that you are compelled to seek their aid.

Think this matter over well, and if your eyes tell you they are needing aid, let there be no hesitation. Do it now.

Do not imagine that you can preserve your present good sight if you disregard the call of your eyes for aid when help is necessary.

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