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SANTIAM ORES MUST HAVE A WAY OUT

H. H. Lotz, the experienced mining engineer who is a member of the Lotz Larson Company, doing pioneer work in the Santiam district, with his family, a Salem visitor last night, stopping over on their way to Portland on a business trip.

Mr. Lotz a few days ago sent to a member of The Statesman force a sample of the ore taken out of the tunnel they are driving, and this sample shows about as nearly pure copper as any sample of ore that ever came out of any mine in the world.

They are now 600 feet in on this tunnel—fifteen feet below the creek level, in the vadose period (that is, below the surface water level), and the showing is of better solidified ore all the way down. At 6 feet 6 inches across the tunnel, all the way across, a few days ago, they took out 35 to 50 pounds of rock, and hammered it all together and had an assay made.

It showed 8.88 per cent. copper, 2-100 of an ounce of gold, and 1 and 64-100 ounces of silver, on the ton basis. In other words, 177 pounds of copper, at 20c a pound, \$4 worth of gold, and, with silver at \$1.24 an ounce, making it more than \$41 ore; or about \$41.55 ore to the ton.

Mr. Lotz shipped many tons of ore that ran around \$8 a ton, in the Cripple Creek district.

He declares that if these mountains of ore were anywhere else in the world, excepting in the Santiam district, people would be going "crazy" over them—

And that, in due course of time, the Santiam district is going to be regarded as one of the richest mining regions in the world!

The Lotz-Larson people, as The Statesman said in its Salem Slogan edition on mining, have an offer from the Tacoma smelter for their ore, if they can ship in quantities, and regularly. The smelter people need this particular Santiam ore.

In some way or other, the people of Marion county, or Marion county as a county, ought to help these people to build the short stretch of road needed to get the shipments of ore out. It is only two or three or four miles. Already, many thousands of dollars have been spent by Marion county on a road leading that way.

But it does not lead quite far enough. The Lotz-Larson people can get the money to build the stretch of unfinished road, if the county can find a way to reimburse them later.

Again, this matter deserves attention. That mining district is at the back door of Salem. But, with that little stretch of unfinished road, it might as well be 1000 miles away.

The case seems hopeless. The only way, apparently, to get the price of sugar down is to elect a business administration at Washington, and one that will put the sugar profiteers in jail, where they belong. They are robbing the people of this country of a billion dollars, and there seems no present help for it.

Fred G. Buchtel is a candidate for the Republican nomination for Public Service Commissioner from the Western Oregon district, to succeed himself. He will get a large vote here in this part of the state, because it is generally recognized here that he is both able and honest. That is the ideal combination.

It is announced that Italy has agreed to the settlement proposed by President Wilson—whatever that may happen to be. We don't know.

We understand that the United States is to be in charge of Armenia, according to the edict of the supreme council. But this may be another thing that the supreme council is not able to put over.

The French government has re- What of the soldier vote in the

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coming election? Some say the ex-soldiers can be voted in blocks. We do not believe it. In the first place the records show that only about one in every four is a member of the American Legion; second, the constitution of the organization provides that it shall be absolutely non-political and shall not be used for the dissemination of partisan politics or for the promotion of the candidacy of any person seeking public office. And National Commander Colonel Franklin d'Olier says these principles mean just what they say.

OLD STUFF.

Another federal grand jury at Brooklyn has indicted the packers, but who should worry? A packer has now become so used to it that he can wear an indictment as easily as a night shirt.

Man over in Washington yesterday ordered a dozen copies of the Salem slogan edition of The Statesman on file, and booked his advance order for the same number of the next edition on file. If there is a next number—which there will likely be—it will be more complete than the last one. There will be a lot of additional data, for file, for the next edition. (Since that slogan edition was published, too.)

A drug garden is the slogan subject for tomorrow's Statesman. You will be interested.

Wanted, any former sugar beet growers in this section to tell The Statesman all they know about sugar beets, for the slogan edition of a week from Thursday. Let's get a start in sugar beet growing, looking to a sugar beet factory. Let's kick loose from the Mormon sugar trust.

PANGS OF MEMORY.

The movies are showing a feature in natural colors illustrating the making of various popular concoctions which were wont to warm the human tummy in the days before the eighteenth amendment.

The man with the white apron is shown mixing the creamy punch, pouring the liquid rainbow of the pousse cafe and heaping up the green crown of the fragrant julep. My! but it is tantalizing to the old-timers. Seems as if the humane society ought to do something about it. This smacks of cruelty.

FUTURE DATES

- May 3 to May 6—Second annual Oregon Jersey jubilee.
May 5, Thursday—Banquet of Jersey cattle breeders, armory.
May 6 to 9—State Sunday School convention in Portland.
May 7, Friday—Baseball, Salem high vs. Estacada high, Estacada.
May 7, Friday—Robert E. Wagner, field secretary, National Automobile Dealers association, to address Salem dealers.
May 8 and 9, Wednesday and Thursday—Baseball, Willamette University vs. Stanford University.
May 7, Friday—Willamette university Junior class play, "Lady of Lyons" at Grand opera house.
May 8, Saturday—Baseball, Salem high vs. Mollalla high, Salem.
May 8, Saturday—"Yokohama Maid" to be staged by Willamette university students at Grand opera house.
May 9, Sunday—Mothers' day.
May 10, Monday—Clean-up week begins in Salem.
May 10, Monday—Marion County Women's Republican club meets at city hall.
May 11, Tuesday—Intercollegiate debate, Willamette vs. O. A. C.
May 12, 13 and 14—Northwest art exhibit at Mason hotel under Salem Art league.
May 13, Thursday—Community federation meeting at Hubbard.
May 14, Friday—Baseball, Salem high vs. U. of O. rocks, Eugene.
May 14, Friday—Debate between Willamette university and Oregon Agricultural college.
May 14 to 16—Older Boys conference in Salem.
May 14 and 15—Nineteenth annual convention of Oregon State Association of Master Plumbers in Salem.
May 15, Saturday—Baseball, Salem high vs. Eugene high, Eugene.
May 15, Saturday—Educational day.
May 18, Tuesday—Pacific Coast Ad club automobile excursion passes through Salem.
May 21, Friday—Portland Drama league presents plays at Grand opera house for benefit of University of Oregon Women's Building.
May 21, Friday—Baseball, Salem high vs. Newberg high, Salem.
May 21, Friday—Special and primary elections in Oregon.
May 22, Saturday—Baseball, Salem high vs. Jefferson high of Portland, in Portland.
May 23, Sunday—Memorial Sunday.
May 26-27, Wednesday and Thursday—Apollo club concert, Grand theatre.
May 27, Thursday—Baby clinic at Commercial club.
May 29, Saturday—Baseball, Salem high vs. Eugene high, Eugene.
May 29, Saturday—William Howard Taft speaks at armory.
May 30, Sunday—Decorations day.
June 4, Friday—Baseball, Salem high vs. McMinnville high, McMinnville.
June 11, Friday—Salem schools close.
June 14, Monday—Play day.
June 14 to 17—Officers' schools for Oregon National Guard at Vancouver and Fort Stevens.
June 19 and 20—National gypsy-tour motorcycle events in Salem.
June 22, 23 and 24—Imperial conclave of Mystic Shrine in Portland.
June 23, Wednesday—Imperial conclave of Mystic Shrine to visit Salem.
June 24, 25 and 26—Portland Rose festival.
June 26, Saturday—Letter Carriers' convention in Salem.
July 6 to 20—Annual encampment of Oregon National Guard, infantry and engineers at Camp Lewis, artillery at Fort Stevens.
July 22, 23 and 24—State Elks convention in Salem.
September 27 to October 2—Oregon state fair.

It has now been figured that Attorney General Palmer will get as many votes as he has saved us dollars in his campaign against the high cost of living. That means he won't come within a mile of the nomination.

WHEAT AND FIGURES.

According to returns gathered from 2000 farmers, Kansas lost 43 cents an acre on the record-breaking wheat crop last year, in spite of the guaranteed price. The figures show an average cost of \$25.20 to raise an acre of wheat, while the farmers only received \$24.77 for it. That is why most of them are driving Fords instead of Packards. If the Kansas wheat crop keeps on growing the state will soon become bankrupt. Possibly it would be best to change statisticians before it gets too late.

VICTORY FOR VENIZELOS.

From the clash of giants Venizelos, the strong man of Greece, has emerged victorious. Reporting the results of the San Remo meeting of the supreme council of the allies the Associated Press remarks that the Greek premier "seems pleased over the extension of Greek territories by the addition of Thrace and Smyrna, ancient possessions of the Greek race."

The Associated Press is renowned for its conservative method of reporting, but none would have accused it of exaggeration if it had declared that the "Ulysses of the peace conference," as Venizelos has been called, is greatly elated.

In his fight for Thrace, Venizelos has conducted a wonderful campaign. It began as soon as the armistice was signed. The Greek statesman journeyed first to London to enlist the support of the British foreign office and then he turned his attention to wooing President Wilson. He never won the American, for the president has always stood up for the claims of Bulgaria. Nevertheless, by diplomacy, he softened considerably the opposition of America's representative. The document in which he set forth the demands of Greece has been described as one of the great state papers of the time. His case is a masterpiece, says one admirer. Yet such was the strength that Bulgaria, despite its treachery, could draw upon that month after month passed before the Greek leader saw victory in sight. It has come at last, and Venizelos is justified in feeling more than pleased.

MARS IS DUMB.

Everybody must be asleep on Mars. Not a whimper was heard from the red planet on the nights that all the astronomers and wireless operators on our little old earth were trying to kick in.

Here it was said that the men of Mars were trying to signal us or get in touch with us, but when we give them the best opportunity we know how they seem to be as dumb as oysters. Guess we'll have to accommodate

Another Royal Suggestion MUFFINS and POPOVERS From the NEW ROYAL COOK BOOK. BREAKFAST is too often eaten as a duty rather than a joy. The success of the day may depend upon the spirit of breakfast. The Royal Educational Department presents some breakfast dishes that will send the children to school with a hip hip hurrah and his majesty man to his daily duties with the "up and doing" feeling which knows no discouragement. Muffins: 2 cups flour, 3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder, 1 tablespoon sugar, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 cup milk, 2 eggs, 1 tablespoon shortening. Sift together flour, baking powder, sugar and salt; add milk, well-beaten eggs and melted shortening; mix well. Grease muffin tins and put two tablespoons of batter into each. Bake in hot oven 20 to 25 minutes. Eggless Muffins: 2 cups flour, 4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder, 3 tablespoons sugar, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 cup milk, 3 tablespoons shortening. Mix and sift dry ingredients, add milk and melted shortening and beat until smooth. Bake in greased muffin tins in hot oven 20 to 25 minutes. Corn Muffins: 1/2 cup corn meal, 1/2 cup flour, 4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon sugar, 1 cup milk, 2 tablespoons shortening, 2 eggs. Sift together corn meal, flour, baking powder, salt and sugar; add milk, melted shortening and well-beaten eggs; mix well. Grease muffin tins and drop two tablespoons of mixture into each. Bake about 25 minutes in hot oven. Popovers: 1/2 cup flour, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 3 cups milk. Sift together flour and salt. Make a well in flour, break eggs into well, add milk and stir until smooth. Pour into hot greased muffin tins and bake 25 to 30 minutes in a very hot oven. If taken out of oven too soon they will fall. SENT FREE: New Royal Cook Book containing scores of delightful, economical recipes, many of them the most famous in use today. Address: ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 115 Fulton Street, New York City. "Bake with Royal and be Sure"

that careless gink who wants to ride to Mars in a rocket. Maybe he could wake 'em up if he should happen to hit the front door. But if he got lost in the milky way he might flutter around till the cows come home. As for the rest of us, if we can't reach Mars by advertising or the mail, we'll let him alone.

BITS FOR BREAKFAST

Johnson has California. But that will not be enough.

He will have less than 150 of the 900 delegates at Chicago; and the less than 150 backed by such forces as will make his candidacy an insult more than a prospect.

The East Willamette association of Congregational churches at its annual meeting at the First Congregational church in this city is having some royal meetings.

Mrs. B. W. Firmin, the founder and warden of the Firmin settlement house in Chicago, is present. She is to speak this afternoon and this evening.

Mrs. Firmin is one of the leaders of Congregationalism of the world. All these meetings are open to the public.

The people of the Willamette valley can beat the Mormon beet sugar trust by raising sugar beets on every farm, and making a foundation for a beet sugar factory in Salem.

Why should our fruit growers pay tribute to the beet sugar trust, and endure all the exactions of the robber, leeches and profiteers, when they can raise their own beets and make their own sugar, and at the same time add to the fertility of our soil? See Salem slogan issue of The Statesman of a week from tomorrow, on beets. SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES: Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath. The Pittsburg Camp Manual advises men in training to use Foot-Ease in their shoes each morning. It prevents blisters and sore spots and relieves painful, swollen, smarting feet and takes the sting out of corns and bunions. Always use Allen's Foot-Ease to break in new shoes.

NOTICE: Owing to the cancellation of two numbers on the Salem Lyceum Course a percentage of the paid admission will be returned to season ticket holders at the Armory Box Office from 4 p. m. to 6 p. m. on Thursday, May 6, 1920.

SIX IN A ROW: You will enjoy eating this Bake-Rite bread fresh from our ovens, baked by men who have the "know how" of bread baking. Try one of our loaves and see the difference. BAKE-RITE BAKERY: 457 State St. Phone 268. Image of a baker with a tray of bread.

Whatever Else You May Have To Do Be WAITING AT THE DOOR. When The Clock Strikes 9:30 This Morning, For At This Time Our Doors Will Be Thrown Open and Salem's Greatest Shoe Sale. Will be in Full Swing. This Is An Event Of More Than Passing Interest Since It Means An Opportunity To Buy Shoes For The Whole Family At ABOUT ONE-HALF PRICE. Wanted! If You Can Sell Shoes We Want You To Apply To Manager at 9 A. M., Ready To Go To Work. For Full Particulars and Price Quotations See Full Sheet Posters Which Were Left at Your Door or Mailed To Your Address Yesterday (Tuesday)—Make No Mistake, Look For the Banners. The Bootery At The Electric Sign "SHOES" Salem, Ore.

PENDULUMS DO SWING BACK. THAT'S a natural law which applies to financial—as well as material conditions. The pendulum of business has swung away out in one direction since the war. Will it turn back, and how far? If your bank balance at the United States National is growing, it proves that you are amply prepared if it should. United States National Bank Salem Oregon. Image of the bank building.