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SALEM IS THE WORLD'S DEHYDRATION CENTER

The word dehydration means merely taking the water out. The dehydration or drying of fruits and vegetables and meats and fish is as old as the race.

But dehydration under the patented processes of the King's Food Products Co., whose principal plant is located in Salem, is new. It is more than this. It is exclusive.

As Mr. Eddy, the banker, said in his address printed in this issue: "This company has the only system of dehydration which has ever produced dehydrated products for the commercial markets."

There are some thirty-odd patents under which this company operates, and more are pending.

These processes are in use only in the plants of this company at The Dalles, Oregon, and at Salem, and at two plants in California working independently under royalty agreements and marketing their products through this company. These two plants are at Santa Rosa and Gilroy, and they are putting up apricots and peaches, in order that the King's Products Co. may have a more complete line in their marketing operations.

So Salem is the world's dehydration center.

And dehydration under the processes used here is a great deal more than merely taking the water out. It means the taking out of just enough of the water (all but about 10 per cent) to leave sufficient in to preserve intact the natural food cells; and the taking out of the water in such a way as to allow all the flavor and all the freshness to remain, so that it may be restored at the point of consumption, at any time and anywhere under the shining sun, by the putting back of the amount of water there that has been taken out here.

That makes commercial dehydration. And that is the biggest thing in the world in food conservation. It will mean the saving of billions of dollars in freight charges, heretofore paid out in shipping water—

- And in shipping sugar,
- And in shipping glass jars and tin cans,
- And in shipping heavy crates and boxes,
- And in shipping ice.

Dehydrated products may go to the tropics or to the frozen lands near the poles, and brought to the full excellence of fresh ripe fruits and vegetables right from the trees and vines by the mere restoration of the water taken out at the factory.

And other billions will in time be saved by the dehydration of crops not readily marketable for any reason; on account of a glut caused by a strike or through any number of conceivable causes.

Commercial dehydration, with headquarters at Salem, furnishes the long sought missing link between an over abundance at any one point and a scarcity at any other point in the wide world.

It is the most important missing link ever invented by mortal man.

And for Salem this means great things. It means the absolute insurance, the absolute stabilizing, of a high tide of prosperity here.

It will make Salem the Fresno and San Jose of Oregon, rolled into one.

The present capacity of the Salem dehydration plant, though it will be worked to the utmost limit, will furnish only a drop in the bucket of the demands already being made for the products.

The marketing end of the business is "over," and over to stay; and now it is up to the producers to produce the raw materials, and it is up to the manufacturers to reduce what the farmers furnish to them to the marketable goods and to get them on the way to the consumers.

Great outlook, is it not?

But it is as true as truth.

This means that any industrious man may buy at present value any farm in the Salem district, and pay for it, and more, with the crops, under any reasonable amortization plan.

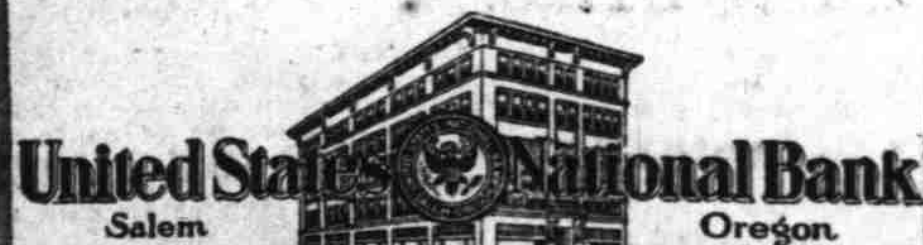
Every man in Salem and the Salem district who can possibly do so ought to take all the preferred stock he can handle, with the common stock bonus, in the reorganization proposition of the King's Food Products Co.

ONE'S STRONGEST RESOURCE

FRIENDS may come and go, investments may rise and fall in return, but the bank account with any sort of fair treatment at all goes on and grows on.

When you put your money in the United States National Bank you are assured of facilities and services unsurpassed in this section.

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The common stock will in time be worth more than the preferred; and it is a gift now.

It is bound to be so—for dehydration is on the map, and this is the only commercial kind.

This will enable the company to build this year a cold storage plant here, which is much needed by the company in its operations, and by the farmers hereabouts, too, for food conservation. This was later well shown in the freeze of last winter.

Did you know that Germany, each year during the war, dehydrated more potatoes than were raised all together in the United States? But they had only crude processes, as compared to the Salem process. Think what the Salem process of dehydration would mean now, in case of any such paramount necessity.

BITS FOR BREAKFAST

Dehydration's the thing.

It takes the water out; the consumer puts it back.

Aye, there's the rub. That's the patent. It takes the water out in such a way that the putting of the water back restores the fruit or vegetable to its original fresh state, as to flavor and as to every least particle of its original food value.

And there is no other way, no other process under heaven by which fruits and vegetables may thus be saved for use at any time and at any place on the wide earth.

It is now up to our producers and our men with money.

The market is "over." If we do not supply it we will be recreant to our duty; we will not be living up to our opportunities.

To the last hour of every day till the spring time of next year, the limit of the capacity of the Salem dehydration plant is already sold.

And twice as much could possibly be produced with present facilities could be sold.

Things are surely coming Salem's way these days.

The big boilers at the Salem paper mill are now being put in place. As soon as they are ready, the sulphide end of the big mill will go to running—it will not be long now till that golden stream will begin to pour this way.

REVELATIONS OF A WIFE

The Story of a Honeymoon

A Wonderful Romance of Married GARRISON

CHAPTER 619

WHAT CONFIDENCE DID DICKY KEEP BACK FROM MADGE?

"Well, which way shall we go?"

Dicky asked the question as he accommodated his long stride to my shorter steps. I took a deep appreciative breath of the wonderful spring air before I answered.

"I should love to go over and see 'our brook,'" I said at last, for before my eyes had flashed a sudden vision of the pellucid winding stream Dicky had shown me upon my first trip to Marvin, and which is always at its best in the early spring. I felt that the sight of it would be a welcome respite from the grave problems with which my days had been filled recently.

"Another instance of the unity of our great minds," laughed Dicky. "I was just going to propose the brook. Suppose we walk up Chase avenue, turn down that road by the golf club to the Kissing bridge, and then go down to the brook to the water work's coming home by the railroad track?"

"We ought to be able to do that and get back home in time for luncheon," I said practically, "unless you're very hungry."

"What's All This?"

"Oh, you material creature," scoffed Dicky, "to think of food when a brook out-rivalling Tennyson's is awaiting us! But I don't mind telling you, confidentially, that I ate a substantial meal before coming out here, so I don't care how late luncheon is—unless you're hungry." He added with quick compunction.

"I'm not a bit hungry," I exclaimed indignantly. "I was only worrying about you."

Dicky laughed, caught my hand playfully and tucked it in his own. He knows that I love walking with him in this fashion.

"Then we're both suited," he said gayly. "Come along, let's shake a

FUTURE DATES

- June 14 to 17—Officers' schools for Oregon National Guard at Vancouver and Fort Stevens.
- June 17, Thursday—Graduation exercises at state school for deaf.
- June 17, Thursday—Iowa picnic at fair grounds.
- June 17, Thursday—Musical by Miss Beatrice Shelton's advanced pupils.
- June 19, Saturday—Pioneer picnic in Waldo hills.
- June 19 and 20—National spy-tour motorcycle events in Salem.
- June 20, Sunday—Baseball, Woodburn vs. Salem, at Woodburn.
- June 21, Monday—Musical by Miss Beatrice Shelton's advanced pupils.
- June 21, Monday—Annual school election.
- June 22, Tuesday—County Republican Central committee meets.
- June 23, 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 2, Saturday—Independence day celebration at Stayton.
- July 5, Monday—Salem business houses close in observance of Independence day.
- July 5 to 24—Summer school for rural pastors at Willamette university.
- July 6 to 26—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.

foot. I'm anxious to see the old place. We can go more slowly coming home."

We walked on without speaking for several minutes, both revelling in the tender green of the opening leaves, the first emerald of the lawns along the road, and the occasional crocus and early tulip beds we saw. Dicky was the first to break the silence.

"What's all this ritaromole Lil got off to me over the telephone?" he asked abruptly. "Something about wanting you to come every day for a while in order to help her out on some stunt."

"You'll Be Able To."

I came down to the realities of life abruptly. For a few minutes I had succeeded in forgetting all the sinister possibilities of the meetings with Harry Underwood which Lillian had planned for me in her desperation at being unable to ascertain the truth concerning the infamous work of which we suspected Grace Draper.

I realized that I must preserve an appearance of calmness in order that Dicky might not suspect the real nature of the work Lillian wished me to do.

"Why, she has a big order on," I explained, as soon as I could school my voice to matter-of-fact tones. "and it is one that requires some accurate historical knowledge as to costumes, etc."

"And Lil, being rather shy on that end of the game, naturally wants the advice of the most accomplished history shark in captivity." Dicky interrupted, bending toward me with an exaggerated bow and laughter in his eyes.

But it was mirth, not mockery that his eyes held, so I didn't mind his gibing. His next words were more serious.

"I don't see any reason why you shouldn't go," he said. "Mother is getting along splendidly. She really doesn't need you, and I like to oblige old Lil whenever I can. Then I'll be around home a good deal this week."

He hesitated oddly. When he spoke again I had the instinctive feeling that he had been on the brink of a confidence and had put it away from him.

"I've got the order for the illustrations for that big aviation serial of Black's I was telling you about."

"Oh, Dicky!" I breathed admiringly, for the novel of which he spoke was the important one of the year.

"Yes, I'm pretty pleased myself," he rejoined, "and it means I've got to spend some time over in the field at Forest City. It took quite some pulling of wires, I can assure you, to get me a chance over there, but the powers that be think this serial is going to be a wonderful bit of propaganda, so they're willing to stretch a point for the illustrations. I shan't go into the city for a week or two, and probably shall have a good deal of time at home, so you'll be able to oblige old Lil without any trouble."

A feeling of thankfulness leaped within me. There would be no chance for the thing I had dreaded, the possible casual entrance of Dicky into the Public Library in the theatrical exhibit of which Lillian had planned I should encounter Harry Underwood.

(To be continued)

Calls Wave of Luxury Buying in U. S. "Dance of Industrial Death"



J. H. Tregoe.

In a letter sent to members of the National Association of Credit Men, J. H. Tregoe, secretary-treasurer of the organization, called the present wave of luxury buying in the United States "The Dance of Industrial Death." He added: "The nation is sound fundamentally and the soundness will continue if people will give up their folly, become diligent and work as human beings should work during a time of stress and strain."

It's a Long, Long Way to San Francisco



CHERRY CROP FOUND HEAVY

Lowlands Are Producing Well Notwithstanding Freeze of Last December

The freeze that was experienced in western Oregon last December has had no serious effect on cherries for trees in Marion and Polk counties, and, it is said, throughout the central Willamette valley, are burdened with a heavy crop. Even in the lowlands where the cold spell hit the hardest the crop will not fall short of normal to any serious degree.

Rain is Beneficial

The heavy and beneficial rain that has fallen in western Oregon in the last ten days came just at the right time, when it did a world of good to all growing crops and not late enough to split the ripening cherries. This fruit will be at its best about July 1.

Tributary to Salem in Marion and Polk counties, it is estimated that this season there are 1000 acres of bearing cherries, enough to place this district ahead of any other in the state in cherry production. Local fruit experts place the Eugene district in second place in cherry production and The Dalles third.

Big Acreage Listed In this district the main commercial varieties are Royal Annes, Bingas, and Lamberts. Numerous other varieties are produced, but are used mainly for local consumption.

In this district and elsewhere the Oregon Growers' Cooperative association has listed for this season's activities about 800 acres of cherries. Other acreage listed by the association is: prunes, 12,000 acres; apples, 7,000 acres; pears, 5,000; walnuts, 900; berries, 200, a total of about 26,000 acres.

KIWANIS SHOW GROWTH

PORTLAND, Or., June 16.—How the Kiwanis movement has grown from the 83 isolated clubs of two years ago to a strongly co-ordinated organization of 275 clubs in the United States and Canada was told here today by O. S. Cummings, secretary, at the first business session of the national convention of Kiwanis. A feature speaker of the day was M. A. McDonald of Vancouver, B. C., whose subject was "Kiwanis Spirit a World Need."

Tonight there was a concert and a ball in honor of visiting delegates and their ladies.

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