

God's Acre
N the villages and country communities groups are faring
forth to the graveyards, there to labor at cleaning Itorth to the graveyards, there to labor at cleaning up
the earece grounds in preparation for amemorial day. It is
voluntary service but cheerfully rendered. Men will leave voluntary serves, but cheerfully renderes.
their businesses, their farms, their shopg and put in a half day, more or less, at mowing grass, and raking it in neat
piles; at trimming shrubs, and clearing away branches and litter. With
performed.
sually there is no organization. Everywhere there are anece of the ecmetery. At this time of year when spring rains
have made the grass grow rank, they will give out the call have made the grass grow rank, passed out at the church on Sunday, or a brief notice printed in the weekly paper.
Comes the day, and the folk gather, tools sticking out of car loors, flowers. They will stir the soil with hand trowels. They will see how the perennials on the family lot have come through
the winter. Usually they bring a fresh planting, some gerground for the dead.
Then when Memorial day arrives those who come of toil in cleared patho and trimed plotot. They will come of the cities, cars loaded with flowers, to lay their tributes
on the soil where loved ones rest in long sleep. They and others think of memorial day; but that group of faithfu memorial day, they deserve a word of praise. Theirs
humbel, faithful service; its reward lies wholly in their ow satisfaction.

Drive Against High Salaries
 ing iif out of the present congress some means of confiscating
the large percentage of incomes above moderate amounts is
not devised. Senator Nye made one such proposal, and He Loag another corporations. One law witholdas from an insurance company
any doles of its employese to to not. Cver $\$ 17,500$. Sompany insurance com-
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panies panieg have been criticised for increasing aready high sal.
aries doring the depression years. The big boys geta around
$\$ 150,000$ to $\$ 200,000$ a year. Rairroad presidents get less by about $\$ 50,000$
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the really big salaries are paid. Bethlehememsteel paid modest salaries but gave enormoos bonuses to high.-placee executives
Other companies have been equally generous with their offi cers.
domane the boards of directors and inne.effect fix their own
salaries salaries. Through the proxy system the management per
petuates its contro of an industry; and the stockholders ge
the tripping after the officials have gotten theirs in hig
tearios and boter salaries and bonuses. through the colander, it is not surprising that stockholders,
sore for lack of ines Sore for rack of income, are prying into the ealary budgets
of their companies. It seems no more tha foir that in all
companies where stock is widely distributed salaries of company officials should be printed in the annual reports
There has been a great deal of dead timber in business: to many vice presidents and sons.in-law. The same rule ough
to apply to the higher-ups as those lower down to apply
good wage $\qquad$
Dog Racing
 ture legalized. Californians have swarmed north to start th It is doubtful if they find pickings as easy as they antici ting, and that is the bait which the promoters rely on to
draw their crowds. With the general suspicion that has come over racing when betting is permitted, even though the par
mutuel system is supposed to limit the evils, there still may be the doubt if the races are on the upand-up.
The dog races may doraw a crowd of curious for a fe nights, but it seems a safe prediction the interest will quickly
wane, Baseball, motoring, goli?,-All have their appeals, and people may be slow
after a fake rabbit.

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## Johnson as Peace-Maker


 appointment will probably just feed his in the making. The There is a slim chance that he may eat out of Roosevelt's is that the only way to get anything solved at iondon is to to
give Hiram a big shot of chloroform, whether he is on the
delegation or left at home.




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