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building. They will take the entire building from basement to the roof and there will be no room to spare. In other words our federal building is actually needed. It is long overdue.

Yet the construction of this building and similar buildings in other important towns throughout the nation, together with the improvements in rural routes, the establishment of new routes and the improvements of rivers and harbors is what lays the basis for the "pork" charges made against the administration and congress.

"Pork" is an appropriation for internal improvements when made by an administration of the opposite political faith. When the republican party was in power republican newspapers did not brand these appropriations as "pork."

Oregon has gotten no "pork" that is not fully and thoroughly justified. It is safe to assume that the same condition exists in other states.

The cry against "pork" is 99 per cent buncombe and the political contingent that has to rely on such charges confesses its own impoverishment for a legitimate issue.

THE MEN ARE AT WORK

HAPPY is the land where the men are all at work and the women do not have to scan the war bulletins for news that their loved ones have been slain.

This is the condition of the United States. A news report

from Denver says that there is no idle skilled labor in the entire west. Workmen are everywhere employed and in numerous instances wages have been advanced. In the east the labor situation is even better than in the west because of the rush that is on in all manufacturing lines.

The nation is in good shape and calamity howls will not get far this year.

Excessively bright auto lights often cause disaster to motorists as well as to pedestrians, and the proposal for an ordinance requiring dimmers will be greatly approved.

Mr. Hughes made 22 speeches in Nevada; that is a speech for almost every family in that sparsely populated state.

As to the exact details of the strike settlement the country is not worrying; what is wanted is a settlement.

There is a chance to arrange "Happy Canyon" in such manner the place will be good for many purposes.

The railroad presidents are looking for a soft place to light; let them have it.

If the interventionists had their way it would not be safe for sentinels to sleep.

A month from today will be the Sunday after.

Wilson works while his opponent orates.

HERMISTON SHIPS FIRST CARLOAD OF MELONS HERE

Are of Monte Cristo Variety, Excellent Flavor and Quality—Other News Notes.

(East Oregonian Special)
HERMISTON, Aug. 24.—The Hermiston Melon Growers' Association is shipping their first car of water melons to Pendleton today. These melons are of the Monte Cristo variety and their flavor and quality are of unusual excellence this season. Another car will be ready for shipment next week, which will also go to Pendleton.

Tom Marxen gave another of his delightful dances Saturday night at the Auditorium. Music was furnished by a local orchestra composed of H. C. Walber, piano; Mrs. E. E. Stewart, violin; Paul Miller, cello; E. M. Sanders, traps. The affair was largely attended, many coming down from Echo and Stanfield, and all report a most enjoyable time.

Quite a number of Hermiston folks motored out to the Cold Springs reservoir Sunday afternoon where they enjoyed a swim in the cool waters of the big lake. Among those going out were Dr. and Mrs. C. O. Wainwright, Mr. and Mrs. George Rayhill, Miss Essie McPherson and H. C. Walber in the Wainwright car; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Fraser and son Hugh; Mrs. Mary Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rees and children in the Fraser car; Dr. J. A. Campbell, H. T. Maltby, Thom Campbell, and E. F. Knapp in the Maltby car; Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Voyer and Miss Clara Voyer in the Phelps car.

Frank L. Waller, who has been visiting at the homes of his brother J. L. Waller, and his sister, Mrs. F. P. Phipps, left yesterday for Los Angeles where he will open an en-

agement on the Orpheum vaudeville circuit as piano accompanist for Violet Romer, song and dance artist. He will later go to New York where he has been engaged as accompanist for Lillian Russell when she opens her engagement there.

Dr. W. W. Hisey has received word of his having successfully passed the state board of medical examiners of California. Dr. Hisey has just recently returned from Los Angeles where he has been taking post graduate work in the College of Osteopathy for the past nine months.

Miss Clara Bryan and nephew, Hugh Fraser, have returned from a vacation spent at Seaside.

Harry Maltby has disposed of his auto livery service. Ed Hitt has purchased the same and will take possession Monday. Mr. Maltby will probably leave soon for Detroit, Mich., to accept a position with an automobile firm of that city.

Frank W. Kehrl, U. S. dairy expert, formerly of this city, but now stationed at La Grande, is here this week. He is accompanied by his father, Mr. Kehrl of Portland.

Miss Katherine Skinner, private secretary to Dr. Rose of the North Pacific Dental College of Portland, is here upon her vacation, visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Skinner.

John F. Rehl of Seattle, spent a few days this week at Silver Maple Ranch, the home of his mother, Mrs. Charlotte Rehl.

S. R. Oldaker has returned from a fishing and hunting trip in the mountains near Heppner. He reports having been successful in bagging a deer, besides getting lots of fish and grouse.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Swazey and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kinkle, with their families, returned this morning from Hildaway Springs where they spent a most enjoyable ten days fishing and hunting. J. Herbert Strohm of Portland is looking after business interests here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Voyer of Boardman, spent Sunday in the city. W. B. Finley, state biologist, was registered at the Hermiston Hotel Saturday. Doone Watson came in from Yakum last night.

Enthuse Local Dealers!

SUCCESS or failure for the manufacturer's product is made over the counter of the local dealer.

What the storekeeper says carries weight with customers, sways the jobbers, and makes for repeat orders.

When you are considering a national advertising campaign, Mr. Manufacturer, ask yourself this question:
What is most likely to impress the storekeeper and to gain his favor? Profit-making goods that sell quickly.

And what are the quick-sellers for him? Products that are advertised in the newspapers that are read by all his possible customers.

Once again the charts of the past and present and future seem to point to THE DAILY NEWSPAPER.

No questions as to "past performances" for two successive International Window Display Weeks conducted by the newspapers have written the greatest story ever of continent-wide "dealer influence."

There are other methods of rousing the "dealer interest," of course—but they "as salt on the tail" compared with the close-bore shot-gun methods of game bagging.

Sending the salesman around with the proofs to "ginger up" the storekeeper is not so important when the manufacturer advertises his goods in the Newspaper.

Newspaper advertising is a "self-starter."

Storekeepers are educated to co-operate with it—educated by the newspapers, educated by their own experience. The appearance of the advertising is a signal to the dealer to put the goods in the window—and prepare to play the sales intermezzo on the keys of his cash register.

Ask the Bureau of Advertising, American Newspaper Publishers Association, 806 World Building, New York, to send you the book "Your Messenger," which tells you more about it.

- AUGUST.**
- Now came fulfillment of the year's desire.
 - The tall wheat, colored by the August fire
 - Grew heavy-headed, . . .
 - And blacker grew the elm trees day by day.
 - About the edges of the yellow corn.
 - And o'er the gardens grown somewhat outworn
 - The bees went hurrying to fill up their store;
 - The apple-boughs bent over more and more;
 - With peach and apricot the garden wall
 - Was odorous, and the pears began to fall
 - From off the high tree with each freshening breeze.
- William Morris.

IS A NATION'S CONSCIENCE WORTHLESS?

JUSTICE HUGHES asserts that the Wilson Mexican policy has caused the United States to lose 50 per cent of its prestige. With Hearst and Otis and some others including Charles Taft our prestige has been lowered more than 50 per cent. But with the rank and file of Mexican people and with about 99,000,000 in the United States the Wilson policy is well regarded. It looks to justice for the common people of Mexico and sustains the self respect of the American people by conforming to our hereditary principles on the subject of liberty and popular government. It is strange that Mr. Hughes should estimate the nation's conscience as something of less value than the good will of a handful of Mexican land grabbers who are strongly suspected of plotting both murder and war in hopes of proving up on some "investments" that were based on shady processes.

THE W. C. T. U. AND THE NORMAL

THERE is logic in the endorsement of the normal school measure by the W. C. T. U. of Pendleton and elsewhere. Education is the foe of intemperance and proper normal instruction is at the bottom of efficient educational work. It leads to the improvement of the common schools of the state. It means that school teachers who handle grade pupils will be trained in modern methods and instilled with the best ideals of the teaching profession. Teaching is a high calling and the standard of education among teachers should be in accordance with the importance of the work that is done. It is not a proper situation when only 13 per cent of Oregon's teachers are normal graduates and the remaining 87 per cent are insufficiently trained. The most efficient results cannot be had and they cannot be expected under such a state of affairs.

OUR BIT OF "PORK"

ON September 3 the postoffice and the other local federal offices will be moved into the new postoffice

RETURNING FROM "NO-MAN'S LAND" WITH TROPHIES



TOMMIES RETURNING WITH CAPTURED RIFLES ©INTL. FILM SERVICE.

This picture shows several British Tommies returning to their trenches with captured rifles, after a trip to "No Man's Land," the narrow strip of dangerous ground, between their trenches and those of the enemy.

WALTER PIPP AFTER HOME RUN HONORS

Miss Virginia Todd, of Pendleton, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Todd.

Mrs. E. L. Smith, Mrs. Cyrus Sturgis, Ben and Hubert Smith and Cyrus Sturgis, Jr., returned from Long Beach this morning where they have been passing the summer.

Carl Cooley returned from a trip to San Francisco this morning.

Marshall Spell returned from a short trip to Portland.

Fred Hoffman of Nolia was in town yesterday.

P. N. Parson, wife and daughter of Spokane, passed through the city today en route home from an auto trip to Portland.



WALTER PIPP

It is not beyond possibility that Walter Pipp, first baseman for the New York Yankees, will finish the season leading the American league in home run hits. Last year, Pipp, then playing his first season in the majors, slouted out four circuit hits. He already has seven to his credit this year, the number with which Bobby Roth grabbed the honors in the American league last year. Frank Baker has eight home runs to his credit this year, but he made them all before he caved in his ribs in that memorable collision with the grand stand.

PIANISTS MAKE OWN RECORD.

New Invention Reproduces Music as You Play It.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The Daily Express says that Herman Darewski will soon present to the public the "most wonderful invention in the world of musical mechanics since the coming of the automatic player piano." It is a piano typewriter, which reproduces in ordinary musical notation whatever the performer plays.

A pianist can make a copy of any piece of music by merely playing it through. By the insertion of carbon papers half a dozen copies may be made in one operation, as with an ordinary typewriter. The inventor is an Italian.

TWO SNAPS IN RIVERSIDE—IF TAKEN AT ONCE.
Fine large new house and nine rooms, barn, chicken houses, orchard and 14 1/2 acres of land all for \$3,000, \$1000 down and balance to suit purchaser. Owner must sell. This is a splendid buy.

Another 4 1/4 acres of alfalfa land, full bearing orchard, good six room house, barn, chicken houses, horse and buggy, cow and some of the best laying chickens in the state. All goes with the place except the furniture in the house. Is selling on account of sickness. Price \$2500. Terms.

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By C. S. Hamlin, Governor.

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