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JUST A HAPPY SINNER

By Frank L. Stanton.

I.

He's just a happy sinner—
Happy all the time,
Whistlin, for a dinner,
An' dancin' for a dime.

II.

Never see him worried
As the Wall street fellows seem,
Isn't half as hurried
As a seaward-going stream.

III.

World where he's a-livin'
Is all the joy he knows.
Providence, forgivin'—
On his merry way he goes.

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JOHN BULL SEEING RED

BITTER as gall is the thrust taken at the United States by the editor of John Bull, a British publication, reported in Thursdays' news. This nation's war policy, and its reconstruction policy are attacked with such vehemence that Americans might ask: "Is Britain our friend?" rather than answer the editor's question, "Is America Britain's friend?"

The publication arraigns the United States for keeping out of war while accusing us of filling our coffers with European gold as a result. Now we have lowered the exchange rate to such a point that England, in reality, is not regulating the world's money supply. Britain has a chip on its shoulder because American prices are high. Americans are paying higher prices because European gold has inflated the circulating medium in this country, and yet holds no hostility towards Europe.

The editor of John Bull accuses America of standing aloof during the early part of the war to "fix her hold upon the world's markets." With one-half of one per cent of the captured shipping of the allies with which to spread its tentacles and a war built merchant marine that hardly replaced the vessels lost in the war, America's ability to wrap its tentacles about the marts of the world has not been profound. Even now it is doubtful if this nation has its just share of foreign trade, owing to delay in the ratification of the peace treaty.

The outbreak is evidence of a suddenly inspired grudge, it appears. It is hardly probable that the utterings in John Bull represent the sentiment of Great Britain, as absurd as they are shown to be.

CONGRESS AND SOLDIERS' PAY

TWO bills are pending in congress, the Crago bill in the house and the Wadsworth bill in the senate, which propose an increase of 20 per cent in pay for men in the army, navy, coast guard and public health service. Most of those men, it is understood, are receiving the same pay now that they did in 1910. It is a conservative measure of relief that is proposed.

But the relief has not been granted. It is only proposed. Why has not congress passed those bills? Surely there is nothing complicated about the proposition. Anyone capable of doing the simplest problem in arithmetic can see the necessity and justice of this modest wage increase. The question is not debatable.

The inertia of congress is proverbial. People accept it, rather tolerantly, as a rule. Sometimes, though, there is revolt. A notable instance was the action of the railroad brotherhoods which, in connection with the Adamson gill, "held a time watch" on the deliberations. Congress resented it. Public opinion did not approve such intimidation. But the wretched genius for procrastination unhappily characteristic of congress was responsible in large part for that demonstration.

The army and navy cannot compel congress to grant this scant measure of relief. But the failure of congress to do so is shameful, just the same.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

The I. W. W. at Montesano can get justice there as well as any place in the United States. They'll have to take the trial to Russia to get what their attorney calls justice.

AN OVERSEAS DIARY

(By Rev. J. E. Cornelison who served with the Y. M. C. A. overseas.)

Sunday, Sept. 15—It was a dirty job but by noon I had my Ford in order and just raring to go. But instead of resting I made several trips to get goods that the men had sent in for. On one trip I had the experience of loosing some 202 francs which I was bringing in from a canteen. I knew where I had left it so returned immediately. Some one had taken it, but I had the man so closely spotted that he put it back when I had turned away to report it to the officer in charge of the company. He called me back and I found it exactly where he had placed it. Thany you! So I didn't have to make the loss good out of my own pay.

KHAKI CLUB WILL TAKE KICK OUT OF HIGH LIVING COST

GRANTS PASS, Jan. 31.—The Khaki club of Grants Pass will be perfected at a meeting Monday night to take some of the kick out of the high cost of living by reducing the expense of new clothing for the business and professional men of the city, with a second purpose, that of spreading the fame of the climate of the Grants Pass district.

The members of the club will agree to wear suits of khaki during all business hours from now until fall, with a price limit upon the suits which they will purchase later. The agitation for such an organization was started several days ago, E. T. McKinstry being its promoter, and it has gained such headway that President Bramwell of the Chamber of Commerce called the meeting. It is proposed at that time to agree upon the type of suit to be worn. The buttons will bear the slogan of the city, "It's the Climate."

BOY, 6, IS BURIED UNDER AVALANCHE OF COAL IN N. Y.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—While hundreds of pupils of public school No. 10, One Hundred and Seventeenth street and St. Nicholas avenue, looked on and cheered the rescuers, Carl Sieman, a six-year-old pupil of the school was saved from suffocation when he slid down an open coal chute and was buried by an avalanche of soft coal.

About five tons of soft coal were on the sidewalk ready to be placed in the cellar of the school when the children came out for the noon recess. As carl started to ru nacross the pile the coal started to slide and he disappeared.

He was under the coal eight minutes, while excitement reigned among the children. Carl was finally pulled out unconscious, by Patrick Burke, Janitor of the school, and Patrolman McConville. After considerable effort the child was revived by a surgeon from the Harlem hospital an dwas sent to his home.

The senate committee has examined a conscientious objector who, besides being a believer in non-resistance under any and all circumstances admitted being also an anarchist and an atheist.

The German government appears to be on sufficiently good terms with the former kaiser to obey his suggestions in little things like suppressing films that are unfavorable to him.

And shipping is saving 48 hours between Havana and New York.

PASSES UP FORTUNE

MAY GERTRUDE DEAN

CANTON, O. — May Gertrude Dean, 16, and pretty, has turned down an offer of marriage that carried with it a fortune of $75,000. She refused to marry William Bennet Hoffman, 31, after the license had been secured and the minister summoned.

COMMISSIONERS REPORT

List of Warrants issued by the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Umatilla, at the January 1920 term of said Court, except those allowed by Statute.

General Fund.

Pendleton Tribune, Adv and supplies	$ 48.90
S. P. Hutchinson, Grand Jury Bailiff	28.00
Boyden & Boyden, examination in case of State vs Keiser	25.00
C. Z. Randall, Circuit court	50.00
A. A. Roberts, et al, Grand jury witnesses	411.90
G. W. Bradley, et al, grand jury	209.20
Joseph D. Cole, repairing typewriter Recorder's office.	7.50
Joe H. Parks, J. P., State vs. Kennedy	5.95
Joe H. Parks, J. P., State vs Arthur Hatton	3.95
Joe H. Parks, J. P., State vs. Cecil Ledgett	3.70
Joe H. Parks, J. P. search warrant	3.45
Western Union Telegraph Co., Sheriff	14.63
Crescent Ribbon & Carbon co., do, office	6.00
T. D. Taylor, board of prisoners	45.08
W. W. Gardner, Sheriff office, hire of car	2.00
Glass & Prudhomme, clerk's of.	6.17
Bushong & Co., dog collars and and licenses	75.00
Hamley & Co., dog collars	5.25
Bushong & Co., supplies clerks office	28.75
Kilham Stationary & Printing Co., Assessor's off. supplies.	1.79
W. J. Burns, do	4.00
R. O. Hawks, Assessors off	135.00
Frankel Carbon & Ribbon Mfg. Co., do	1.00
Joseph D. Cole, repairing typewriter supt.	7.50
H. W. Ireland, supplies all of	43.25
R. T. Brown, postage all of	85.00
Parker Taxi Co., do	1.00
L. G. Frazier, supplies all of	12.10
East Oregonian, adv and sups	75.80
Pacific T. & T. Co., all offices	185.98
Oregon State Library	668.07
Anna Brown, Conducting teachers' examinations	12.00
W. W. Green, assistant and expenses	116.60
Lula B. Green, giving teachers' examinations	4.00
I. B. Sevy, do	6.00
Remington Typewriter Co., supplies sup't.	4.00
Pearl E. Bronson, et al, widows pension	447.50
Van Petten Lumber Co., court house	548.10
Pendleton Water Works, do	15.70
C. P. Miller, do	3.14
Guy Cook, do	5.00
J. L. Heath, et al, hauling snow from sidewalks	20.25
Chas. Milne, Court house	13.65
Independent City Scavenger, do	1.00
Pacific P. & L. Co., do	40.00
United Chemical Co., do	9.00
J. L. Vaughan, do	6.70
Sam Crawley, bringing man to hospital, poor	1.52
A. C. Koeppen, County farm	49.40
Frank Neagle, do	6.00
Van Petten Lumber Co., do	69.60
J. B. Measamber, burial of Chas. Frederick	35.00
Murphy Bros., Co. hospital	1.25
J. L. Vaughan, do	6.00
E. M. Mortimore, do, supplies	260.00
Mrs. W. H. Musselman, care of Mrs. Halversen	35.00
Boys' & Girls' Aid Society	10.00
George & Miller Co., for E. H. Vaughan	12.01
T. C. Elliott, for G. E. Putman	14.68
Taylor Hdw. Co., Co. farm	40.59
Economy Grocery, for Laura Blanchett	21.56
Tum-A-Lum Lbr. Co., for E. Putman	3.50
B. S. Kingsley, Mrs. Christian	20.00
J. A. Schmidt, Merc. Co. for Mrs. Boyce	34.42
Tum-A-Lum Lbr. Co., for E. Putman	11.15
Alta Auto Radiator Works, Co hospital	6.00
William E. Chase Co., do	12.95
E. M. Mortimore, supplies Co. farm	108.88
Mrs. E. E. Mortimore, county farm	75.00
Paul Mortimore, do	30.00
Walter Brogg, do	75.00
St. Anthony's Hospital, care of Wes Noble, John Noble and John Murphy	261.00
West End Grocery, county hos.	61.16
Simpson Auto Co., do	6.80
Umatilla Flour & Grain Co., do	104.08
Peoples Warehouse, do	49.80
Dean Tatom Co., do	94.80
Cruikshank & Simpson, do	38.80
Van Petten Lumber Co., do	12.00
Pendleton Cash Market, do	1.00
U. S. Commissary, jail	35.00
Geo. C. Baer Co., do	7.70
Fenland Bros., court house	2.33
Max Baer, jail	21.20
T. D. Taylor, board of prisoners	218.81
Dr. D. J. McFaul, examination of Charlotte Kennedy, John Murphy and William Brown insane	15.00
Aubrey E. Perry, watermaster	161.90
D. J. McFaul, Health officer	15.00
Chas. H. Marsh, county judge, county library	716.72
T. D. Taylor, tax refund	56.35
John Hailey, Jr., Juvenille of	148.85
Warren W. Roeder, miscel.	70.00
T. D. Taylor, transportation of prisoners	6.34
T. D. Taylor, do	18.92
T. D. Taylor, do	10.62
M. A. Beauchamp, miscel.	17.50
Lee Moorhouse, bond of B. S. Burroughs	9.00
W. H. Lyday, traffic officer	50.00
C. W. Lassen Co. Vet.	17.60
G. L. Dunning, county com. sal.	65.00
R. E. Anderson, do	65.00
A. C. Funk, Deputy sheriff, do	150.00
J. C. Marin, do	130.00
J. A. Blakely, do	130.00
C. C. Proebstel, dep. clerk, do	125.00
Joyce Hays, stenographer, do	95.00
B. S. Burroughs, Dep. Recorder	135.00
Dr. D. J. McFaul, health of., do	24.50
Ruy Cook, do	100.00
E. M. Mortimore, Supt. County farm	100.00

General Road Fund

Ben W. Olcott, Secretary of State, hire of cars and trucks	299.00
E. D. Hoon, et al, labor, dist 2	141.25
Ed Hoon, et al, labor	110.75
Williams & Olinger, supplies	84.48
Pritchett & Sons, do	1.60
O. F. Wilson, et al, labor District No. 3	161.75
O. F. Wilson, supplies	51.50
Jones & Jones, do Dist. 5	26.49
Geo. F. Gerking, et al, labor, Districts 8 and 9	26.25
Dale Slusher, strawing roads District 16	22.50
Compton Transfer Co., draying, District 17	6.00
Newport Cons. Co., concrete pipe	30.00
E. E. Thompson, barn hire, District 18	5.20
W. H. Cargill et al, labor, District 19.	59.00
Thomas Jacques, et al, labor	60.00
L. E. Roy, do	4.50
M. E. Hascall, do	23.04
John M. Winn, et al, labor, District 23	132.00
A. D. Hileman, et al, labor, District 24	37.00
C. G. Brasher Hdw. Co., sups.	1.90
W. W. Slaughter, do Dist. 26	8.75
Chas. Fly, do, District 24	41.02
E. E. Gibbs, do District 26	326.07
J. F. Thompson, et al, labor, District 29	60.00
W. J. Clarke, supplies	10.60
J. E. Kimball, et al, labor District 31	245.00
W. J. Clarks, supplies	4.40
W. S. Campbell, labor,	16.00
D. Cheesman, et al, laborf, District 34	6.00
E. L. Jackson, do District 36	25.44
Harry C. Rogers, do Dist. 41	179.00
E. F. Sommers, labor and supplies	2.00
J. R. Thompson, et al, labor District 42	14.25
D. B. Watson, do District 43	72.00
Inland Empire Lumber Co., supplies, District 44	9.70
R. Thomas, et al, Camp "B"	459.61
J. M. McCary, do Pendleton-Athens-Pilot Rock	888.33
R. E. Phelps, office	340.01
C. Clark, et al, labor, Camp "C"	520.60
Jack Finnerty, do Silk's payroll	450.56
Kilham Stationery & Printing Co.	2.85
Penland Bros. Transfer Co., barn rent	7.50
Fleucken Auto Springs Works supplies	6.00
Round-Up Garage, shoeing horses	13.00
Union Bridge Co., paint for bridges	928.50
Geo. C. Baer & Co., supplies	25.05
Grattan Transfer, supplies for stock	84.25
Taylor Hwd. Co., supplies	163.05
C. F. Bowman, Supplies, Little Walla Walla river	28.00
Oregon State Highway Com., rent of trucks	593.83
Pendleton Auto Co., supplies	44.99
W. J. Burns, do	174.45
Mrs. Lula Case, barn for horses	6.14
Alexanders, supplies, Camp H	192.25
Frederick Post Co., Roadmaster's office	7.33
J. W. Nelson, barn rent and feed bill	40.50
Murphy Bros., supplies	51.00
Simpson Tire Service Station	57.69
Electric Service Station, sups.	45.00
Allen-Knight Co., do	16.51
Oregon Lumber Yard, do	11.07
McClintock & Simpson, do greases and oil	2321.32
Thompson's Drug Store, sups.	6.25
Eastern Oregon Motor Co., do	119.67
A. P. Burgin Blacksmith Shop	3.50
Alta Radiator Works, do	4.85
W. I. Gadwa, do	6.40
Cheshire Hdw. Co., do	18.10
Pendleton Auto Co., do	56.42
Grace A. Gilliam, Co. Treas., refund on freight	171.15
J. L. Vaughan, Mayor, supplies from Army store	518.76
E. M. Shaw, overtime in Roadmaster's office	35.00
R. E. Phelps, Roadmaster, general expenses	91.90
H. W. Ireland, supplies Roadmaster's office	35.69
Oregon Motor Garage, supplies	18.05
Fenner Mfg. Co., do	855.36
Tum-A-Lum Lbr. Co., do	48.15
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co., phone Roadmaster's office	7.00
W. J. Clarke, supplies	328.76
Penland Bros. rent for building	7.50
Aubrey E. Perry, viewing and surveying roads. o12.05h.	10.00

Bond Road Fund

Oregon State highway Com	$40,000.00
Wm. Kidd, et al, labor, Camp B	1279.31
W. D. Caywood, do Camp A	819.28
Snow & Calgiani, Gefeke & Bain, Bridges	3.25
E. G. Atkins & Co., do	11.61
George & Miller, do	23.32
Echo Mercantile Co., Gefeke & Bain	14.15
Gust Nylander, et al, Freeland payroll	296.35
Jones-Scott Co., Gefeke & Bain	43.75
W. A. Leathers, do	20.00
J. Hinderman, et al, Camp D	1630.91
Concrete Pipe Co., pipe	395.14
John Temple, et al, horse hire	170.31
R. E. Phelps, Roadmaster, freight	35.54
Geo. C. Baer & Co., Camp D	44.35
Gray Bros. Grocery, do	91.25
Cheshire Hdw. Co., do	.80
Clyde Equipment Co., Gefeke & Bain	693.75
Tum-ALum Lbr. Co., do	142.95
E. F. Sommers, do	272.13
H. M. Bain do	10.92
Union Bridge Co., do and Weston-Milton	846.88
Jones & Scott, Camp "D" 2	71.52
Dallas Bain, et al, Gefeke & Bain payroll	1150.49
Overland Sales Co., Camp B	38.14
W. J. Clarke, Camp "D"	266.97
Pendleton Trading Co., Camp C	1054.40
Alexanders, do	257.73
Grattan Transfer, Camps A and B	903.00
Taylor Hdw Co., Camp A	202.59
Swender Blue Print Co., Havana-Helix, Sunnyside-Umapine	36.45
Downey's Market, Camp A	161.68
Peoples Warehouse, do	22.20
Pendleton Meat Co., Camp B	17.55
T. C. Elliott Co., Camp D	3.60
Inland Empire Lumber Co., Pendleton-Morrow county	24.75
Joe Hodgson, Camp A	809.11
Weston-Garage, supplies and rent	38.05
Weston Mercantile Co.	55.30
O. Hodgen, Camp D	66.80
Preston-Shaffer Mill Co., do	50.05
Coast Culvert & Flume Co., Cabbage Hill	44.65
Stanfield Auto Co., Gefeke & Bain	4.00
Smythe-Lonergan Co., Camp B	18.20
W. C. Warden, do	12.00
Gillanders & Burroughs, Camp A	9.18
I. K. Shotwell,	85.00
I. W. Nelson, horse hire	55.25
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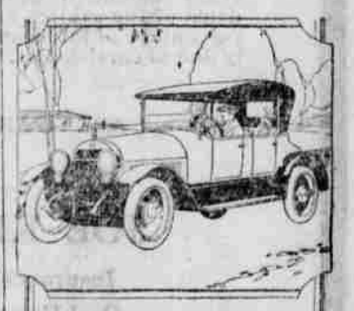

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