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Speaking of Toveri, the disloyal newspaper published at Astoria, we would rather see its finish than its Finnish.

Uncle Sam may yet be compelled to undertake that job of "cleaning up" south of the Rio Grande.

We are hopeful that within a few years the nation will have settled down to calm forgetfulness of the present era of high prices, strikes and discontent.

An eastern wheezer thinks the crying need is to shed a profiteer or two.

Woodrow Wilson might have done better, perhaps, but we are confident his severest critics would have done worse.

Credit men are planning a nation-wide "pay up campaign," which will not, however, affect the man who pays down.

Together with the use of its spruce probe, the government is doing some Disqueing.

We observe that it will cost five million dollars to re-elect a democratic president—but it will be worth the money.

During the long "hot spell" which Weston has been more or less enjoying, the government instrument has registered 92 or 93 degrees above zero, maximum temperature, according to the local observer, Merritt A. Baker. Even so, Pendleton weather has been about ten degrees hotter. Its inhabitants probably need that much more preparation.

Certain senators are evidently trying to disrupt the League of Nations program and invite a war with Japan.

Helix is to pave eight blocks, which is concrete (or mebbe bithulithic) evidence of progress.

The mistakes the president has made aren't a marker to those in which the anti-league senators are trying to involve the nation.

We are inclined to think that Japanese soldiers would fight more willingly for Japan than American soldiers for China.

"The patient public is now appropriating the squeal that the packers never found a way to use," says the Minneapolis Tribune.

We are all of us consumers, and nearly all of us producers, and nearly all of us profiteering more or less—so the true solution of the price problem will in all likelihood have to be left to that great adjuster, Father Time.

A German Ambassador to the United States having been appointed, it might be a good idea to look him over with a spy glass.

That hogs will soon drop to $15 per hundred weight is one of the best little predictions of the day—to those who do not happen to be raising hogs.

Determined to tinker with the league covenant, the United States Senate may yet succeed in breaking it.

I'll pay cash for baled hay and straw. A. Phillips.

Standard Theatre

PROGRAM

National Paramount - Artcraft Week will be observed by all motion picture theatres showing the Paramount - Artcraft productions, under contract. National Week begins Sunday, August 31, and ends Saturday, September 1. There will be a good show every evening of that week at the Standard, the stars in seven superb productions, comprising:

Julian Eltinge in "Princess Charming," Pathe News and L-Ko Comedy, Sunday, August 31.

Douglas Fairbanks in "Wild and Woolly," and Fatty Arbuckle in "Goodnight, Nurse," Monday, September 1.

Griffith's big seven-reel special production, "The Girl Who Staid at Home," and Fatty Arbuckle in "The Bell Boy," Tuesday, September 2.

Billie Rhodes in "Hoop-la," the great circus picture, and a two-reel Harold Lloyd Comedy, Wednesday, September 3.

Wallace Reid in "Believe Me, Xantippe," and Mack Sennett Comedy, "Her Blighted Love," Thursday, September 4.

Mary Pickford in "How Could You, Jean?" and Charlie Chaplin in "Shanghaied," Friday, September 5.

All of above at regular prices.

The final picture of the series brings the great Nazimova on Saturday night, September 6, in "The Red Lantern," a superb seven-reel production, which with news feaures and prism picture, completes the program. The price of this show necessarily has to be increased to 25c for children under 15 years; that is, admission 22c, war tax 3c, total 25c; adults, admission 45c, war tax 5c, total 50c.

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WESTON, OREGON

Bigger and Better Than Ever

Walla Walla, Aug. 29.—Walla Walla will this year present a larger and better Frontier Days celebration than has ever before been undertaken. It will stage its big annual entertainment September 11, 12 and 13. The committees in charge are working earnestly to advertise the dates of the program, with the assurance to all that visitors will be amply provided with clean, keen, thrilling events in the way of wild west features.

Fay LeGrow, well known banker and rancher of Athena, Oregon, is arranging for a big pow wow of Indians from the Umatilla and other reservations. The Indians, two or three hundred strong, of many tribes, will pack their travois with gay feathers and brilliant hued blankets and pitch their teepees at the big fair grounds in Walla Walla where the Frontier Days program will be staged.

Riders of every degree of ability and skill will vie with one another for $6000 and the championship titles offered to winning contestants. The conclusion of peace with the Central Powers has released from the army many well known western cowboys who will participate in the Frontier Days events.

In addition to the Frontier Days program, the county fair exhibits will be presented, and a gigantic civic celebration with street carnival and night shows will be much in evidence. Particulars about the prizes and the arrangements may be had by correspondence with Capt. Fred Murray, former Montana showman, Box 453, Walla Walla.

Navy Needs $18,600,000.

Washington.—With the approval of President Wilson, Acting Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt sent to Secretary Glass for transmission to congress estimates for additional naval appropriations totaling $18,600,000 to "permit of expeditiously placing and maintaining in a proper state of repair all of the fighting ships of the fleet."

Ten Seattle Dealers Arrested.

Seattle, Wash.—Ten Seattle commission men were arrested here and charged with hoarding several hundred thousand pounds of potatoes in an attempt to increase prices. Four of the 10 were Japanese.

Information furnished Mayor Baker of Portland caused him to issue instructions to Assistant City Attorney Hindman to make an immediate investigation of an alleged price-fixing agreement among six or eight of the larger bakeries of Portland.

One hundred and forty head of elk that have been maintained in the national forest in Wallowa county for seven years, are to find new homes soon. Shortage of natural forage on the range has caused the state game commission to dispose of them.

That there will be plenty of text books on hand to supply the schools of Portland and elsewhere in Oregon when the public schools open in September, was the declaration of Portland dealers when asked about the report that a shortage was threatened.

Those counties in the Willamette valley that have organized farm bureaus are actively taking advantage of the recently enacted legislation affecting the control of the Canadian thistle, and for the first time a concerted drive is being made upon this dreaded pest.

WHAT ONE DENTIST HAS DONE

Nearly everybody in Weston has heard of Dr. Painless Parker. He is the most widely known dentist in the West. He is also the most successful, for he is at the head of what is known as the E. R. Parker System, which is employed by the largest dental organization in the world. This organization consists of twenty-four completely equipped dental offices, in each of which several dentists work together under a System that effects many economies. The advantages of the E. R. Parker System show in the skill of the dentists, the doing of work with fewer visits by the patients and the lowering of prices. The System is so successful that new offices are constantly being opened, the last one having recently been established at Pendleton. A number of people now living here have had dental work done at the Portland and other offices where the Parker System is used, and they in particular will be interested in hearing of this new office in Pendleton, where the service is the same as in all the Parker offices as regards quality of work and prices.

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