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CRY FOR BREAD

Pathetic Appeal That Has Rung Through All Ages.

Seemingly No Portion of the World's History Has Not at Some Time Recorded Famine.

"Give us bread," "give us rice," is the appeal heard from many lands. The cry of hunger is a world-old story, declares a communication to the National Geographic society concerning fearful famines of the past, from which the following is quoted: "Among the earliest authentic records of history is the famous 'stele of famine,' recently discovered carved on a tomb of granite on the island of Sahal, in the first cataract of the Nile. Egyptologists differ as to the exact antiquity, but there is evidence to prove that it was chiseled in the time of Tcheser (or Tosorthus), who held sway over Egypt nearly two thousand years before the time of Abraham.

"A period greater than that which stretches between the Crucifixion and the present day elapsed after the famine of Tcheser's reign before Joseph arrived to hold sway over this same land of Egypt. As the chief administrator for one of the Hyksos Pharaohs, he prepared for seven lean years which were to drive his brothers and his aged father, Jacob, out of Canaan, down into the valley of the Nile in search of corn.

"One of the earliest chiefs of systematic famine relief work was Augustus Caesar, who was at war with the Parthians when summoned back to Rome by the disaster of 23 B. C., when the Tiber overflowed, causing widespread suffering.

"The starving plebeians proclaimed him dictator and urged him to assume control of the corn supply, which he did with exceptional skill and industry. He sent ships to many quarters of the Mediterranean to collect corn, and placed his stepson, Tiberius, in charge of the work of unloading the grain at Ostia and transporting it to the capital, all of which was done with great dispatch.

"From the time of Augustine, throughout the days of the empire, Rome seldom suffered from famine—a striking contrast to the frequency of this affliction in the days of the infant republic.

"Probably in no other country of the world has a people been brought to such a low ebb of morality or become so completely lost to all semblance of rational humanity as in the series of famines which swept over Egypt during the tenth, eleventh and twelfth centuries, under Mohammedan rule. A low Nile in 967 A. D. resulted in a famine the following year, which swept away 600,000 people in the vicinity of the city of Fustat, G'ahwar, a Mohammedan Joseph, founded a new city (the Cairo of today) a short distance from the stricken town and immediately organized relief measures.

"The story of famines in England has been a gloomy one from earliest times.

"While backward seasons were contributing factors, the responsibility for the two great famines of Henry III's reign is to be laid at the door of the government itself. In the first of these (1235) 20,000 persons are said to have died in London alone. The suffering in 1257-1259 was even worse.

"Ireland has been a land of many woes, and not the least of these have been the famines which from time to time have taken such heavy toll of the island's manhood. As early as 963-964 an intolerable famine visited the country, and parents are said to have sold their children in order to get money with which to buy food. On at least three occasions the peasantry has been driven to cannibalism."

Little Animals Do Good Work.
Though mice and chipmunks often damage food supplies, and have an appetite for pine and fir seeds that interferes much with reforestation burned areas, their work appears to be sometimes beneficial. The director of the Wind River forest experiment station reports that much of the young fir growths of Oregon and Washington is evidently a product of seed buried by small rodents. The Douglas fir produces a heavy seed crop every two or three years and the rodents bury large quantities for winter food. Much of this store, lost to the animals under deep snow or displaced soil, remains in the ground ready to germinate when lumbering clears space for a new forest to start.

Radium for Goitre.

Dr. A. N. Claggett, writing in the Illinois Medical Journal, believes radium should be given a trial in exophthalmic goitre, because there is no mortality, no scar, no pain and only three or four days' hospitalization. Its advantages over the X-ray are that it produces no discoloration of the neck, there is less time consumed in the treatment and it is simpler to apply. The selective action of radium destroys the harmful cells, while not disturbing the healthy cells. Surgery has not been necessary in any one of 47 cases extending back over three years.

Back at the Beginning.

Backward, turn backward! Uncle Si Parks of Sullivan county, New York, aged one hundred and one, has just had his last tooth pulled, which puts him where he was in 1830.—Boston Transcript.

WONDERS OF AMERICA

By T. T. MAXEY

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OUR GREATEST ZOO

FANCY a beautiful 254-acre park with lakes and a waterfall. People it with about 3,400 animals, representing 950 different families. Set it down eleven miles north of New York city's city hall and—presto, you have a zoological park which outstrips all similar institutions.

The occupants of this animal world range in size from a four-ton elephant down to a pigmy field mouse weighing probably less than an ounce. The oldest inmate, a giant tortoise, tilts the beam at 225 pounds and is believed to be 200 years old. Give me a word with the stork and I'll tell you the age of the youngest member and to which family it belongs.

A giant anteater is probably the most peculiar animal and the 22-foot-long regal python, weighing 170 pounds, the most unwelcome from the public's standpoint. The bears make a strong play for popular approval, but the apes are past grand masters in attracting attention to their "monkey shins." The woodchuck seems always to be "in the dumps," while the jolly little prairie dogs appear to be happy always. The sloth is the slowest-moving animal, while "Baldy," the big chimpanzee, leads when it comes to quickness of intellect and ability to receive training.

The most discordant chorus greets one in the large bird house, where the commingled shrieks and squawks vary from that of the macaw which can be heard a mile to the lower utterances of the less noisy fowls—but, for a mixture of queer sounds, just step into the insect house.

OREGON NEWS NOTES

To protect the city water supply system from possible injury Medford has filed an injunction suit against the Rogue River Valley Canal company and the Medford irrigation district, asking a temporary restraining order to prevent building along and over the right of way of the city's water pipe supply system.

Continuance of federal aid in the sum of \$100,000,000 annually for the states, with an additional \$10,000,000 for forest roads, was asked in a telegram prepared by the state highway department and addressed to the Oregon delegation in congress. The telegram was signed by R. A. Boo, chairman of the commission.

The Oregon Growers' Co-operative association, with headquarters in Salem, now has a total of 1804 members, and controls approximately 30,723 acres of land in the western part of the state. When the association was organized, August 1, 1919, the membership was 137 and the acreage did not exceed 3000 acres.

Several months will elapse before the machinery is in shape to enable the soldiers' bonus bill to function. The distribution of a bonus and loans to the service men will be in the hands of a commission consisting of the governor, the secretary of state, the adjutant-general of the state and two other members to be appointed by the governor, one of whom shall be a service man. These members are to serve without compensation.

Sherman county, which for many years has had the distinction of being the first county in Oregon to file returns of elections with the secretary of state, now has to take a back seat. Yamhill and Washington counties share honors for first place in filing the results of the special election with the state department. The returns from these two counties reached the secretary of state Friday. Canvassing the votes probably will start this week and probably will be completed before July 1, according to the secretary of state.

The city of Warrenton has made application to the state engineer for permission to appropriate 20 second feet of water from the Lewis & Clark river to supplement its present water supply. The project contemplates the construction of a new pipeline 20 miles in length at a cost estimated at \$500,000. The additional water supply will be used by the cities of Warrenton, Fort Stevens, Hammond and Seaside.

The law enacted at the last session of the legislature, making it unlawful to dig up, cut down, injure or destroy any trees growing upon the right-of-way of any state highway without first procuring the consent of the state highway commission, will be strictly enforced, according to a statement issued by Governor Olcott following the receipt of complaints to the effect that people in various parts of Oregon are cutting shabby and damaging trees along the highways.

Rather the Contrary.

Carried away by the beauty of the heroine on the screen, he murmured, unconsciously, "Isn't she lovely!" "Every time you see a pretty girl you forget you're married," snapped his better half. "You're wrong, my dear; nothing brings home the fact with so much force."

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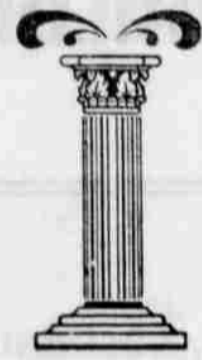
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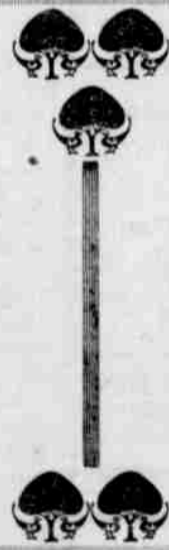
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