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DO IT FOR YOUR OWN SAKE, FOLKS!

We have with us in this community many valued citizens whose home towns are in other parts of the country.

Circumstances that are our good fortune as much as theirs, have made it to their interest to settle here. They have established homes and built for themselves many warm friendships.

But the "old home," the home of childhood, is somewhere else. Oft must come to them fond recollections that go back to the home of their girlhood and their boyhood days; back to the people there whom they knew and loved; back to the scenes that were so familiar and will always remain intimate until the last call arrives to still another home.

It is no reflection on a man or woman that his or her heart retains a place for the old home town and that he sometimes dreams of it. Sentimental? Certainly, but such a sentiment is good and wholesome and is the mark of a human heart that can be trusted—and loved.

To these of our fellow citizens we address this suggestion: That they take advantage of the idea behind the coming "Subscribe to the Home Paper" week, in order that, during the coming year, they shall receive regularly each week their old town newspaper and see the names and hear of the people they used to know in the happy old days when they lived in the good old home.

It might also be a good idea, for those who are new here, to have this paper sent to the home folks in the far away home town of yesterday.

You know the paper's name, fellow citizen! Send on your subscription, telling that it is for "Subscribe to the Home Paper" week and we will see to it that the paper starts going to the home folks during that week.

EFFICIENCY IN BURNING MONEY

We call your attention, kind reader, to the world's most efficient "burner of money." Referring, of course, to the modern battleship.

Uncle Sam is on the eve of putting into commission the tremendous dreadnaught "Maryland." She will have cost FORTY-TWO MILLION DOLLARS from start to finish, enough money to build and equip 200 handsome school houses in the state of Maryland—each handsome and big enough to house 1,000 pupils.

The Maryland has eight 16-inch guns, each of which cost \$256,000. A few shots—a dozen or so—puts such a gun in the scrap pile; burns up a quarter of a million dollars in a sort of off-hand manner.

But in addition, each shot costs \$18,000 for powder, metal, shell mechanism, etc. You couldn't shovel \$10 bills into your furnace fast enough to equal the Maryland's little trick of burning up money.

Then for upkeep each year the Maryland will cost \$750,000—three-quarters of a million, not counting salaries. The wage bill is another \$100,000 a month—which amounts to one million, two hundred thousand a year. Thus, it will cost two million dollars a year to keep the Maryland in commission. You could hire one thousand professors a year for that sum.

Whither are we drifting? How long can this country stand such expenditures?

Bloodshed, barbarism and the utter bankruptcy of mankind are not far ahead unless the nations "come to" pretty soon.

Were the barbarians of the stone age any worse than we are now?

"DICTATED, BUT NOT READ"

Did you ever get a letter from somebody or other with the notation at the bottom "Dictated but not read?"

If you did, which probably you have, you remember what you did with it—dumped it into the waste paper basket or the coal hod.

You dumped it firstly, because if the man who dictated the said letter didn't have enough interest in what he wrote about to read it over, why should you have any interest in it?

Secondly, you gave it the back-hand flap because it was an open insult to you. He, the great man forsooth, didn't have time or incli-

SCIENCE NOW TESTS BABE RUTH'S HOME RUNS

Why and how does Babe Ruth, the great ball player, make so many home runs? With electrical and



other special apparatus, the scientists of Popular Science Monthly have been trying to find out. This copyrighted picture, which we print by special arrangement with Popular Science, shows the Babe swinging with the bat while the device is measuring the force and speed. The cross on his knee shows the height at which he hits the ball best. The test showed that Ruth's physical hitting efficiency is 90 per cent compared with the average man's 60. His eyes are 12 per cent faster than the average. His ears function 10 per cent faster. His bat swings at the rate of 110 feet a second. The scientists decided that the Babe would hit the ball even further if he didn't "hold his breath" quite so long—a fraction of a second shorter.

nation to read what he himself had to say to you, but arrogantly felt that you must find time to read what he had to say to you, misspelt words, bad grammar and all.

The country is full of business men who are making this and similar mistakes in every letter they send through the mails. And then wondering why so many of their letters are ineffective.

Letters are at best a poor facility of communication in business matters. They are cold bits of dead black and dead white. They are from one who is thinking along one line on a certain subject—and not putting down all his thoughts on it by any means—to another who is probably thinking along another line on the same subject. Then if you'll add just a bit of offensiveness to the mixture, the letter might better have never been written.

No man should permit himself to splay in his letters in the smallest degree. No really good business man does.

LARGE REWARD IS OFFERED

Near Turlock, Cal., about 10 a. m. on the third day of this month, C. W. Upton was shot down in cold blood by an unknown assassin who sprang suddenly from a place of concealment. The motive is presumed to have been one of robbery. Mr. Upton, a service salesman in the employ of the Standard Oil Co. (California), was at the time on his way home, and was accompanied by his wife and another lady. Upton was shot to death on the spot.

The Standard Oil company has posted a reward of one thousand dollars for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the murderer. Anyone who might come into possession of such information should communicate at once with Sheriff R. L. Dallas, at Modesto, Calif.

THE ROUND-UP

The annual Round-Up held in Pendleton was considered a great success. It is surely a great surprise to one who has never seen it, and a still greater to one who has never known frontier life, wild horses and cattle. Excitement runs high, and the whole afternoon's entertainment is a round of breathless excitement, thrills and expectancy. No one was injured in the two days performance which made it doubly successful.

The day was perfect, balmy air and clear sky with plenty of sunshine and airplanes floating like birds over the 17,000 people—Friday's attendance.

Everyone was in holiday attire, making a brilliant display. The Indians were in their native regalia with their beads and feathers and gay colored robes. The sun shone on their tepees, and on the green trees in the background, making a suitable sitting for the occasion. The state band from Eugene played superb music. There was an Elks band and a band from La Grande, also.

The performances were carried on in rapid succession. There was the usual steer roping and trick riding, races and buckaroo performances.

The girl riders were remarkable and showed wonderful skill and training.

About a dozen wild horses were trained to ride. This was one of the most daring features of the occasion and fraught with the greatest danger and interest to the audience.

Saturday was the banner day, there being 27,000 present. Among the celebrated visitors were Governor Olecott, Robert Stanfield and others.

Yakima Canutt won the bull-dogging championship from a field of ten contestants. Tommy Grimes of Los Angeles, is the finest rider in

the field, and is a steer roping champion. He won the \$1200 prize by roping his steer in 32-15 seconds.

Miss Trickey won in a race with Mable Strickland and Kitty Canutt. There were many races—cowboy and cowgirl and chariot and stage coach, Indian and champion and other interesting features. You will have to see it to appreciate it. It was all worth while.

Third Quarter Taxes Total \$500,000,000.

Washington. — Income and profits taxes collected for the third quarter of this year totaled \$500,000,000, the treasury department announced. An additional \$25,000,000 is expected.

President Harding Honored by Masons.

Boston. — President Harding was elected to receive the thirty-third degree in Free Masonry.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
U. S. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, ORE., SEPT. 17, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ralph P. Finley, of Lexington, Oregon, who on October 23, 1919, made homestead entry, No. 021072, for E½, Section 10, Township 2 north, Range 26 east, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. G. Blayden, U. S. Commissioner, at Boardman, Ore., on the 5th day of November, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Joseph Pringle, of Boardman, Ore. W. H. Boardman, of Lexington, Ore. Claude L. Finley, of Lexington, Ore. Crockett Duvall, of Lexington, Ore. H. FRANK WOODCOCK, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
U. S. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OREGON, SEPTEMBER 6, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that Lewis Henry Carpenter of Boardman, Oregon, who on May 19, 1917, made homestead entry, No. 018903, for SE¼ SE¼ (Unit "D" Unatilla Project,) Section 14, Township 4 North, Range 24 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. G. Blayden, U. S. Commissioner, at Boardman, Oregon, on the 24th day of Oct., 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Eugene Cummins, T. E. Hendricks, A. W. Cobb, Claude White, all of Boardman, Oregon.

H. FRANK WOODCOCK, Register.

OREGON DAIRYMEN'S LEAGUE SEND ENCOURAGING REPORTS

Very encouraging reports come from the new manager of the Oregon Dairymen's Co-operative league, K. C. Eldridge. During the one month of his incumbency overhead expense has been cut over \$4,000, and this without sacrificing a bit of efficiency. The organization, as is too often the case with such concerns, was beginning to get a bit topheavy with overhead expense, and the first act of Mr. Eldridge was to cut out all unnecessary help and eliminate duplication of duties with the result as above stated.

The league is undoubtedly on the right track to help the dairymen of the state and if the rancher will only stick and not listen to the siren call of the big creameries and condensaries an airtight organization is bound to be perfected—and one that spells success.

In its workings thus far it has shown the benefits derived from an elimination of the middleman, and just so soon as more and larger markets are created, what now seems like a slow return to the farmer and

Let us print those butter wrappers.

apt to shatter his confidence will be obliterated.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
U. S. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, ORE., SEPT. 17, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that Claud L. Finley, of Lexington, Oregon, who, on Jan. 8, 1917, made homestead entry No. 017187, for W½ Sec. 10 Twp. 2 north, Rge. 26E, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 3 year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. G. Blayden, U. S. Commissioner, at Boardman, Oregon, on the 5th day of Nov. 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Joe Pringle, of Boardman, Oregon. Ralph Finley, of Lexington, Oregon. Crockett Duvall, of Lexington, Ore. W. H. Boardman, of Lexington, Ore. H. FRANK WOODCOCK, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
U. S. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, ORE., SEPT. 17, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ralph P. Finley, of Lexington, Oregon, who, on March 21, 1917, made homestead entry, No. 018622, for NE¼, SE¼ NW¼, Section 18, Township 2 north, Range 26 east, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. G. Blayden, U. S. Commissioner, at Boardman, Oregon, on the 5th day of November, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Joe Pringle, of Boardman, Oregon. Claud Finley, of Lexington, Ore. Crockett Duvall, of Lexington, Ore. W. H. Boardman, of Lexington, Ore. H. FRANK WOODCOCK, Register.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
U. S. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, ORE., SEPT. 17, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that William Henry Boardman, of Lexington, Oregon, who on May 18, 1917, made homestead application, No. 018896, for W½, Sec. 12, Twp. 2 north, Rge 25 east, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 3 year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. G. Blayden, U. S. Commissioner, at Boardman, Ore., on the 5th day of November, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ralph Finley, of Lexington, Oregon. Claud Finley, of Lexington, Ore. Joseph Pringle, of Boardman, Ore. Ed McDaid, of Lexington, Oregon. H. FRANK WOODCOCK, Register.

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U. S. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, ORE., SEPT. 17, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that Joseph Pringle, of Boardman, Ore., who, on May 18, 1917, made homestead entry No. 018895, for E½, Section 12, Township 2 north, Range 25 east, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. G. Blayden, U. S. Commissioner, at Boardman, Oregon, on the 5th day of November, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: W. H. Boardman, of Lexington, Ore. Ralph Finley, of Lexington, Oregon. Claud Finley, of Lexington, Ore. E. K. Mulkey, of Boardman, Oregon. H. FRANK WOODCOCK, Register.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
U. S. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, ORE., SEPT. 17, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that Emmett Callahan, of Boardman, Oregon, (Morrow Co.), who on March 3, 1917, made homestead application No. 018526, for SE¼NW¼ (Unit D), Section 18, Township 4 north, Range 25 east, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. G. Blayden, U. S. Commissioner, at Boardman, Morrow county, Oregon, on the 4th day of November, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Eugene Cummins, A. W. Cobb, Samuel H. Boardman, John L. Jenkins, all of Boardman, Oregon. H. FRANK WOODCOCK, Register.

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