

HOOTS! WHO-O!



O. W. L. (On With Laughter)

The only danger for some people in starting at the bottom is that they might stay there.

The man who carries a stick of dynamite around in his pocket is safe and sane when compared to the one who carries a love letter.

Life's Little Lies.

I called you up four times, but Central said the line was busy.

Another Version.

"Father, may I go with you?" "Yes, but not, my son, until you know the way, and just where you keep your money."

One of the most difficult operations and which is hardly ever successful, is that of taking the conceal out of some people.

The doctor who advertises that he can cure chronic laziness, will hardly ever get many voluntary patients.

"Thank you" is easy to say and a thousand times easier to listen to.

A Coincidence.

Hot passionate words fell from his lips.

She colored deeply. He was hunting for his collar stud. She was rouging her face at the mirror.

The only men who think a dun in an insult are those who would dodge payment if they knew how.

So Accommodating!

"Take a chair," said the affable young lawyer, as the visitor entered. "I'm going to take chairs, desks and everything," replied the visitor who was from the installment office, furnishers.

Talking about a time exposure, the Egyptian pyramids certainly got it.

Punctuality, what there is of it, didn't originate with the wrist watch.

A lot of people would cover their neighbors with pitch in order to whitewash themselves.

Returned explorer says a man on Malay peninsula can buy a wife for \$5. But, as usual, it is not the original cost so much as the upkeep that counts.

One reason red dye is so expensive is because the government uses so much to color its tape.

His Failure.

"After the Hon. Bragg Brizzle had been running for office a few years," stated Jig Fiddin, of Straddle Ridge, "he had to get a neighbor to call his hogs for him. They got so they wouldn't believe him on oath."

The human anatomy is a wonderful bit of mechanism, observed an apprentice. Yes, agreed the foreman. I patted Charles on the back and made his head swell.

Moscow Gets Hughes' Statement.

Moscow.—The statement made by the American secretary of state, Charles E. Hughes, several days ago in Washington that recognition of the Russian soviet government would not become a fact until the soviet government abandoned its present policies, was printed by the Moscow newspapers with comment. Unofficially it is learned that the Russian government cherishes no expectation of immediate recognition by the United States but feels certain "recognition will come sooner or later from an economic, if no other standpoint."

Coal Miners Ready to Strike.

Yakima, Wash.—Two thousand coal miners in the Roslyn-Cle Elum field, employed by the four companies operating there, are preparing for a strike on March 31, it was declared, though no formal strike call has yet been issued.

Rotarians Meet at Tacoma.

Tacoma, Wash.—Delegates from thirty-eight cities of Washington, Oregon and British Columbia, comprising the first district Rotary conference, were on hand Monday for the tenth annual conference.

Referendum on Three Oregon Laws.

Portland, Or.—Three laws enacted by the recent legislature are now the target for the referendum. The new-born statutes whose undoing is desired are: State income tax; anti-oleomargarine law; 1-cent tax on gasoline.

PERMIT IS ASKED FOR NATRON CUT-OFF

Construction Only Awaits Confirmation of Title to the Central Pacific.

Portland, Or. — Official announcement that the Southern Pacific has formally applied for permission to construct the Natron cut-off and that such application was filed with the interstate commerce commission in Washington, D. C., was made by William Sproule, president of the company.

That only the awaiting of legal confirmation of the company's title to the Central Pacific retards the actual beginning of construction on the cut-off from Kirk through Klamath Falls to Oakridge, was the statement made by Mr. Sproule upon his arrival in Portland to attend the interstate commerce commission hearing which opened Wednesday.

Mr. Sproule declared that affirmative decision of the commission will immediately result in work upon the 118 miles of construction between Kirk, on the south, and Oakridge, on the north. He estimated the cost of construction to be between \$10,000,000 and \$12,500,000.

HUGHES REFUSES TO RECOGNIZE SOVIET

Washington, D.C.—Secretary Hughes flatly rejected an appeal to recognize the Russian soviet government made to him by representatives of the women's committee for the recognition of Russia and in a formal statement, declared "the salvation of Russia cannot be contrived outside and injected." The statement, which was made to the delegation in reply to arguments it advanced, touched Russian government, trade, finance, economics and various policies inaugurated by the soviet affecting international relations.

Mr. Hughes' discussion of these subjects did not reveal any probability of action by the Washington government looking to recognition of the soviet although the hope was expressed that conditions in Russia would change in a way which would make America's helpfulness available to the people of that country. It is his dominant thought, Mr. Hughes said, to find a ground for helpfulness, recuperation and restoration of peace in Russia.

Will Probe Sugar Prices.

Washington, D. C. — Charges that there is a conspiracy in the sugar trade to raise prices were said at the department of justice to be of sufficient gravity to warrant a preliminary inquiry by the federal government's legal officers.

LIVE YOURSELF A LITTLE PERSONAL SERVICE

While passing an automobile service station the other day, I heard a motorist upbraid the attendant "I'm in a loud voice "Where is the service that you are talking about all the time?" Now, Mr. Citizen, while you are on the alert for service why not apply it to yourself? Do you know that you are running your human mechanism at high speed and are neglecting the personal service that is essential to maintain efficiency? Are you going toward until you are forty, or await the time when serious damages have been done, and the best you can look for is a little patching up.

Every spring every careful man has his automobile overhauled and adjusted because he knows that this is a good investment and not an expense. This you recognize as a prudent measure. The man that waits until his machine breaks down is "penny wise and pound foolish." You can replace the automobile with a new one when the old one is worn out. The human mechanism is the greatest machine that we know of and is the result of many ages of development, but has this handicap that when once worn out it cannot be replaced.

The importance of properly caring for this intricate and automatic mechanism cannot be overestimated. A careful examination of the records of human bookkeeping reveals the fact that the greatest number of deaths are due to degenerative diseases which are to a great extent preventable. These lives could have been extended had the human mechanism been given intelligent care.

The best rule is to have a thorough physical examination made every Spring by a competent expert who can advise you how best to tune up your vital forces for the ensuing year. Now is the time! Make 1923 your best year! In the words of the great scientist Pasteur: "Persevere in Daily Work. Look Upwards. Explore the Unknown. Strive Always to Rise." Live longer by careful and intelligent perseverance.

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FARM TOPICS

(Farm Notes from O. A. C. Experiment Station.)

COUNTY AGENT CALKINS TENDERS RESIGNATION

County Agent C. C. Calkins returned from Spokane and other Washington points last night where he has been for several weeks introducing his new smut treating machine. He has met with such success that he has wired his resignation as county agent to O. A. C. and is arranging to move to Spokane where the machine will be manufactured.

GARDEN SOIL TO BE FINE SMOOTH, FREE FROM CLDS

The successful gardener knows that all time spent in putting the soil in fine physical condition is used to good advantage. Vegetable seeds are small, and in order for them to germinate evenly in the seed bed and promote a uniform stand of plants, the soil must be fine, smooth, and free from coarse material such as clods, rocks, sticks, and straws matter. Such a soil condition can be obtained only by diligent work in pulverizing the ground thoroughly and afterwards harrowing or raking it well.

Soils of a light character can be well prepared by spring working but the work should not be hurried. Hurrying the work through in the spring is often responsible for soils being plowed or spaded when too wet. In any event the plow or spade should be followed by a thorough disk, harrowing, and pulverizing when the moisture is right.

GARDEN WEEK APRIL 2-7

National garden week as sponsored by the national federation of women's clubs has been set for Oregon April 2 to 7. The movement is endorsed by President Harding, dates to be arranged by the several states. The Oregon date as arranged by Paul V. Maris, director of college extension, and Mrs. Ida B. Callahan, president State Federation of Women's clubs, is two weeks ahead of the national date because of earlier spring. County and home demonstration agents and boys and girls garden clubs will cooperate with local communities wherever the women's clubs call public meetings. The extension bulletin on vegetable gardening in the home, prepared by A. G. Bonquet, head of vegetable gardening at the college, will be published in larger editions, the first having been exhausted in less than a month of publication.

MOSAIC DISEASE CAUSED BY LOWLY ANIMAL FORMS

Important Crops Attacked Are Tomatoes, Potatoes and Other Members of Family.

The cause of the mosaic diseases is a lowly protozoa, according to a report received by the botany department at O. A. C. This organism, which is the simplest form of animal life, has been found in the tissues of plants affected by the mosaic. The discovery is considered one of the most important in the field of plant pathology in recent times. "The latest report came from the Michigan agricultural experiment station, and it seems to be confirmed by the fact that men at widely different points have obtained similar results," said C. E. Owens, associate professor of plant pathology at O. A. C.

"Pictures and a description of the protozoa were published in a Hawaii experiment station bulletin in 1921, and an account of its discovery was given in two papers read by members of the plant pathology department at the University of Wisconsin."

The most important crops attacked by the mosaics are potatoes, tomatoes, and other members of the same family. The peach yellows may be another form of the same disease.

The disease is readily recognized by a mottling of the leaf, sometimes presenting a beautiful mosaic structure, from which the name "mosaic" is taken. Affected leaves remain on the plant for a time, but eventually lose all their coloring. Curling of the leaves, resembling the curling produced by green aphids, is another symptom of the mosaic.

TREATY CHANGES SOUGHT

Canada Negotiates With Japan for Immigration Modification.

Ottawa.—Canada is negotiating with Japan for modification of the immigration treaty between the two governments, under which not more than 400 Japanese laborers are allowed to immigrate to Canada yearly. Premier King informed the house of commons.

There has been only one year in the last ten, the premier stated, in which more than 400 Japanese, the number permitted under the "gentlemen's agreement" has entered Canada.

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Department of the Interior, United States Land Office at The Dalles, Ore., March 15, 1923. Notice is hereby given that Claude White, of Boardman, Ore., who, on Aug. 1, 1917, made Homestead Entry No. 019112, for E 1/4 SW 1/4 NE 1/4, E 1/2 NW 1/4 SE 1/4, being Unit "C", Unutilized Project, Section 24, 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, United States Commissioner, at Boardman, Ore., on the 25th day of April, 1923.

Claimant names as witnesses: Homer J. Cason, Eugene Cumins, S. H. Boardman, Chas. Nizer, all of Boardman, Ore. J. M. DONNELLY, Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Ore., Feb. 23, 1923. Notice is hereby given that Benjamin F. Atteberry of Boardman, Ore., who, on Jan. 14, 1918, made Homestead Entry No. 019555, for NW 1/4 NW 1/4, being Unit "E", Section 20, Township 4 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, United States Commissioner, at Boardman, Oregon, on the 11th day of April, 1923.

Claimant names as witnesses: C. H. Atteberry, S. Atteberry, Frank Otto, W. A. Price, all of Boardman, Ore. J. W. DONNELLY, Register

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