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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mr. M. L. Burnett was in town over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Beck are here to spend the Fourth.

Mrs. Gladys Gibbons is next to have her hair bobbed. Who's next?

We are glad to see Lee Mead back on his old job again.

C. H. Furman is home again after spending a few days in Portland on business.

Mrs. McDonald has gone to Portland to visit her father and spend the Fourth.

Miss Edna Broyles arrived in Boardman Tuesday morning for a short vacation.

Chas. Hoffman of the Boardman Garage returned Sunday, bringing his family with him.

Mr. C. O. Beck is a measles victim. He is at La Crosse, Wash., at the home of his sister.

Truman Messenger and Alton Klitz are unloading a car of feed for the Boardman Trading Co.

Mrs. Tate and children returned Thursday from Condon, where they have spent the last few weeks visiting friends and relatives.

Mildred Stevens, who has been visiting at the Alex. Warrens home, left Friday for a few days' visit with relatives at The Dalles.

The pool hall has put on a new front and our leading Holstein dealer, A. P. Ayers, has given his new dairy barn a coat of paint.

Miss Belle Packard has been busy at the service station the past week during Irene Sprague's absence.

Don and Wanda Goodwin came over from Condon Sunday to spend the Fourth with their father, W. A. Goodwin.

Mrs. O. H. Warner is home again, very much improved in health after three weeks' vacation, visiting friends in Yakima, Wash.

J. R. Johnson and family motored to Wasco Sunday to spend the day with Mr. Johnson's mother. Rachel remained there for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Warren returned to Boardman Sunday evening, bringing their two little grandchildren, but Mrs. Clay Warren remained in Portland for a time longer.

TO PRESERVE HOME OF JEFFERSON DAVIS

Memphis House to Be Memorial for Two Wars.

Memphis.—The old home of Jefferson Davis in this city is to be repaired and preserved as a two-fold memorial of the Civil war and the World war. The quaint old structure is to be maintained in its original plan and design in the midst of a small group of mansions of other days which still stand in the heart of the downtown district.

Veterans of the World war have sponsored the movement, which has as its object not only the preservation of the Davis home for the historical value of its Civil war associations, but also to give Memphis post, No. 1, American Legion, a home that is to serve as a memorial to World-war dead.

Jefferson Davis lived in Memphis two years during the reconstruction period. His home was located at what is now Court avenue and Fourth street, almost within a stone's throw of Main street.

The house was the center of the city's social activity during the brief period the ex-president of the Confederacy and his family lived here.

But when Davis moved away, the dwelling was permitted to fall into decay, and as the business district pushed eastward from the river, it became enmeshed in a crowded district of business structures.

The Legion's appeal for funds has found ready response among the people of Memphis and in the surrounding territory. The Legion asked for \$50,000 with which to buy the property and pay for its repair. The major portion of the sum has been paid in, and the first two payments have been made on the purchase price of the property.

Looking Through the Fence

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

IT WAS an interesting crowd at the game, but those who filled the bleachers to the topmost row and followed the cheer leader in wild shouts were not more interesting than were those outside the field trying to see the game without paying the customary tribute to the gatekeeper.

There were delivery boys perched on top of their wagons, middle-aged men on stepladders, out-of-town sight-seers standing on their cars, and scores of the local riffraff swarming in the trees or looking through the fence in an endeavor to see the game without paying for it. Occasionally, more's the pity, one could detect a stray student, impecunious, or frugal, or imprudent, whose face lighted up as Jack caught a difficult foul, and once I caught sight of a high-browed instructor, stoop-shouldered from the heavy books he was carrying, crane his neck as he paused to satisfy his curiosity as to why Phil Armour was jumping into the air and waving his arms so frantically.

It was a popular sport, this trying to get something for nothing, but it has its dangers. A young chap who was balancing himself on the top of a motorcycle, unable to restrain his enthusiasm when the "ump" pronounced "Slip" safe on second, lost his equilibrium and in falling pulled the stepladder from under one of the middle-aged gentlemen and they both fell in the dirt.

It has its dangers, I say, and it does not always win one's respect, whether it be the man looking through the fence at a ball game or the student getting a passing grade by copying from the neighbor's paper.

There are various ways of looking through the fence. The man who is always broke when it is his turn to pay, the fellow who borrows and forgets to return the amount, the man who accepts an office or an honor without assuming the accompanying responsibilities, the employee who loafs on his job, are all watching the game through the fence.

"It is easy for the man to talk," you say, "who has the money to get into the game; but how about the fellow who is broke?" An old neighbor of mine never saw a baseball game nor held office, yet he lived an honorable happy life and died respected. One can walk to Savoy or stay at home and read O. Henry or work in the garden. It is more honorable not to see any of these games of life at all than to see them through the fence.

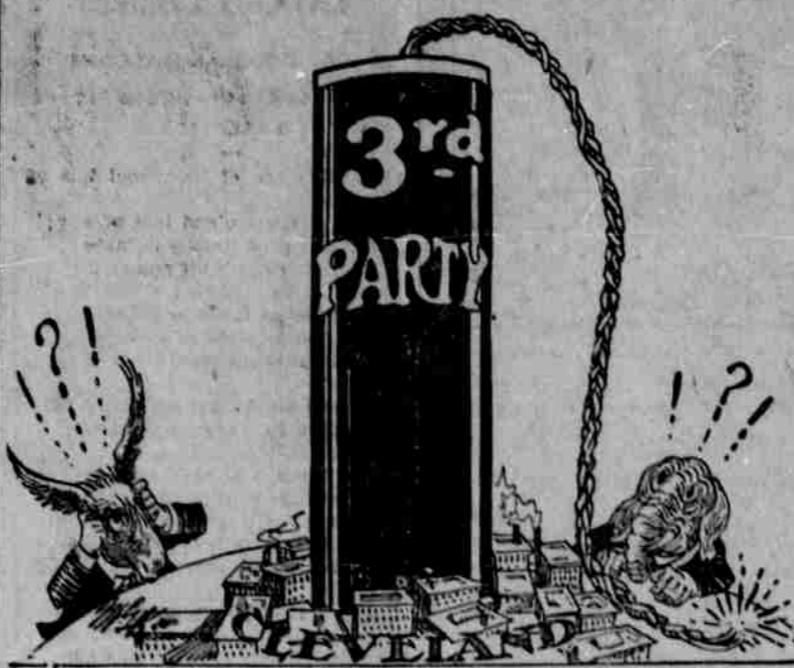
Last year France was concerned about how high her air fleet could go; now she is worried about how low the franc may go.

The French positively are lacking the sense of humor. Otherwise the duel would long ago have been laughed out of existence.

The card party given by the Grange Saturday night was not very well attended as it was not known by many. The prizes are to be given at a real game some time in the near future.

Quite a crowd was out to the rabbit drive Sunday and a large number of rabbits were killed. But there will have to be several more drives before we can miss any rabbits as they are more of them this year than ever before.

What Will It Be?



"LIBRETTO"

The small paper-bound volume which contains the text and words of an opera or extended musical composition is known as the "libretto." This word is a diminutive of the Latin word "liber" which means book. Familiarly with the "libretto" usually adds to the enjoyment of the opera. The pronunciation is "lib-ret-to," with the accent on the second syllable.

HOW DOES THE HOUSE FLY PASS THE WINTER MONTHS?

Where does the annual crop of flies come from, is a question frequently asked of the Bureau of Entomology, United States Department of Agriculture. The prevailing opinion that the house fly lives through the winter as an adult, hiding in cracks and crevices of buildings, appears to be erroneous. Under our door conditions house flies are killed during the first really cold nights—that is, when the temperature falls to about 15 degrees or 10 degrees F. In rooms and similar places protected from winds and partially heated during the winter flies have been kept alive in cages for long periods; but they never lived through the entire winter. There is no reliable evidence whatever that adult house flies emerging during October and November pass the winter and are able to deposit their eggs the following spring, although they may continue active in heated buildings until nearly the end of January. On the other hand, there is evidence that the house flies pass the winter as larvae and pupae, and that they sometimes breed continuously throughout the winter. In experiments at both Dallas, Texas, and Bethesda, Md., house flies have been found emerging during April from heavily infested manure heaps which had been set out and covered with cages during the preceding autumn. In the southern states, during warm periods in midwinter, house flies may emerge and become somewhat troublesome; they frequently lay eggs on warm days.

The second way in which the house fly may pass the winter is by continuous breeding. House flies congregate in heated rooms with the approach of the winter season. If no food or breeding materials are present they eventually die. However, where they have access to both food and suitable substances for egg laying they will continue breeding just as they do outdoors during the summer. Even in very cold climates there are undoubtedly many places, especially in cities, where house flies would have opportunity to pass the winter in this manner.

IRRIGON NEWS ITEMS
By N. Seaman

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Akins, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dickie and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meier of McCredie Station on the North Bank road, about thirty miles west of Irrigon, motored to Irrigon Saturday and looked over Irrigon cantaloupe and watermelon situation and spent part of the day talking to the various growers. They came over to make comparisons as to the earliness of the Irrigon district with their crops. These people have an elegant pumping plant outfit and are raising trunk garden stuff, including cucumbers, cantaloupes and the like. They invited Irrigon growers to come and see their crops, and Mr. and Mrs. Glasgow, Hugh Grim and N. Seaman motored over Sunday afternoon and report a very fine stand of cantaloupes, cucumbers, beans and other small truck. Their pumping plant furnishes water for their acreage almost every day and by its use, are making more or less forced growth during this warm weather. Some of their cantaloupes appear to be from Pride of Irrigon seed taken from shipments made last year.

Dick Selvers of Spangle, Wash., ran into Lyle Seaman's Ford Sunday afternoon at about 1:30 while temporarily parked in front of his house and clear off the gravel. He was driving his Dodge touring car at a good gait and had fallen to sleep on account of extreme heat and being on the road since four o'clock in the morning. Both cars were badly smashed, but Mr. Selvers escaped with only slight bruises about the knees. He agreed to pay for repairs to both cars and took the stage for Wasco, Oregon, that afternoon.

Frank House is assistant in Seaman's garage this week on account of an unusual run of business and having the two wrecked cars to work over.

Mr. and Mrs. Glasgow, accompanied by Mr. Hugh Grim, motored to Heppner on business Monday.

Frenchie Smith is laying off a few days to rest up for the boxing match Thursday evening. James Smith is working at Seaman's ranch in his place.

Mr. Sam Smith was suddenly overcome by heat while pitching hay Monday and had to be assisted to a cool place. He is weak yet, but is getting over it slowly.

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THE QUELLE—A good place to eat in Pendleton.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, June 11, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that Lee Mead, of Boardman, Oregon, who, on August 25, 1920, made Homestead Entry, No. 021932, for E 1/2 W 1/2 SW 1/4, being Unit "B" Umattila Project, Section 14, 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. Blyden, United States Commissioner, Boardman, Oregon, on the 22nd day of July, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ernest Brown, Thos. Miller, Ray L. Brown, S. B. Richardson, all of Boardman, Oregon.

J. W. DONNELLY, Register.

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