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The Council meets in regular session on the first and third Tuesday nights of each month, at 7:30 o'clock, in the office of the Falls City News.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1915

### NEWS AND COMMENT

#### WHICH SHOULD IT BE?

Rainier Review

"Great Britain will henceforth and until it pleases her to remove it; hold cotton on the contraband. It makes no difference whether the United States with her millions of bales of cotton stored up, likes it or not. It appears that Great Britain cannot possibly outgrow her old habit of trying to buldoze and bully-rag the United States. Next, wheat and flour will be declared contraband and neutral nations will soon be obliged to refrain from sailing any ships until the war shall be over, and this just to please Johnny Bull.

"Still this late action of England does not seem to differ from that of a dozen others that have preceded it in the past two years. Upon the completion of the Panama Canal, England stepped in and told the United States just how the canal was to be run and operated, and was there a serious objection from the United States? Not on your life. Our foreign diplomats cowed and slobbered at the feet of the royal beast of England until the royal crown verily floated in lather and old "Hingland" gained another victory over the United States without so much as an objection. Again the impotence of England was brought forth in a most brazen manner when at the beginning of the war her passenger boats on several occasions strung the Union Jack to their mast head and plowed safely through Germany's submarine blockade lines; an insult that we should have answered to with something stronger than mere words. Again at the beginning of the war in Europe President Wilson proposed to buy and for a short time run some foreign ships under our flag, with the promise that they should not run a day after the war closed, and then the old rule should be restored to carry our commerce in foreign ships so that when peace is again declared Britains ship owners would not lose any business because of an American merchant marine. Again England came forth with not only a request but a demand of hands off and congress adjourned without doing a thing.

"Another harvest awaits in the United States because of Englands demands again the American merchant marine and not one new ship is ready nor has any been purchased or ordered to fill the need. The only thing that has been done by our government re-

garding our foreign commerce has been to impose tolls upon American coast shipping that seeks to pass through the Panama Canal which will in future be a direct benefit to England. Thus has Great Britain missed no opportunity to belittle and bel and bully-rag the American people. This is not said to disparage the English people; it is simply recorded as a melancholy fact which has been too frequently demonstrated to permit denial.

"John Bull's acute attack of biliousness dates back to the Boston Tea Party and Bunker Hill. The Royal Beast of Britain has never forgotten the time when an infant Republic backed by a few hundred Yankee Farmers, with squirrel guns held him up by the pantalets and beat the immortal ichor out of him. This treatment kept him reasonably good for a quarter of a century, when his impudence has again over-rode his better judgement and he is begging for another blistering from Uncle Sammy.

"For more than fifty years now England has been dictating to the United States and in every possible way, making his displeasure and jealousy manifest. In all official intercourse with America, England assumes an arrogant and dictatorial tone characteristic of that country when dealing with third and fourth class powers. There was a time when such brazen insults would have been hotly resented. And why should this not now? Why should the foremost nation in the world put up with such treatment? The United States can get along much better without England than that country without us. We should not stand by shame-face and down trodden before such impendencies. What we need is a revival of that old spirit in the White House. We need an administration that can understand that America is today the greatest nation on the face of the globe and that we do not have to bend our necks beneath the yoke of England nor dance to the tune of foreign transatlantic powers. We want America to become a new and greater nation. We do not want to annex our country to England and ordain that the "tail shall wag the dog".

It is much easier for a certain class of newspaper editors to see guile in a member of a labor organization than in a member of a millionaire organization.

It looks as if J. Bull wanted Uncle Samuel to furnish food and ammunition while he beat the sound out of Germany. So far, however, his efforts along this line have not been eminently successful.

The fellow clamoring for the death penalty for certain offenders should be commissioned as executioner and commit (legal) murders for the State. Many who loudly advocate capital punishment would change his tune if he were required to become executioner. In Arizona it was necessary to import a hangman to officiate at the hanging because it was expected to send five Mexicans by the hemp route. The men expected to officiate preferred to resign rather than be accessory. If the jury rendering the verdict and the judge who passes sentence of death were obliged to take a part in the gruesome act they would possibly hesitate to qualify to sit in the case. A life sentence free from pardon or parole, unless proof that the accused is guiltless, would be better than death penalty.

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Photos by American Press Association.  
MISS JOAN SAWYER AS SHE LEFT NEW YORK.  
But I felt if this pilgrimage would help in any way I was perfectly willing to undertake it."  
Miss Sawyer carries her pilgrim

scrip. It is signed by Mrs. James Lees Laidlaw, chairman of Manhattan Borough Woman Suffrage party. It follows:

We are intrusting to Miss Joan Sawyer a Nov. 2 New York state victory banner and are sending by her a message to our voting sisters across the continent to help in every way possible in New York state. We ask you who have obtained the franchise to send some of your splendid women to the east to tell our voters what you have done and what you plan to do, and how much more effective your womanhood, wifehood and comradeship are since you have become enfranchised.

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O. E. Fuller who was injured by a falling tree at Spaulding's camp last Monday died in the Dallas hospital Wednesday. His home was at Eagle Creek, Clackamas Co. He leaves a wife and two small sons.

### HOP HOUSE BURNED

Monday night the hop house belonging to W. B. Stevens was destroyed by fire.

The fire was discovered about 9 o'clock but had gained such headway that nothing could be saved from the building. There was about 3500 pounds of hops belonging to Stevens and Cleveland in the building. The cause of the fire is unknown.

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