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"Well, I'll have you to understand that my husband doesn't expect me to fix up any lunch for him to carry around. Dinner pail, indeed! When the whistle blows at noon he eats at a cafe, where he has all the luxuries, including the privilege of tipping the waiter."—Washington Star.

Just Curious.
Hotel Attendant—Get your head out of the elevator shaft. What's the matter with you?
Uncle Eben—Just a minute, son. There's a fellow just made an ascension in that darn thing and I'm going to watch him make the parachute drop.—Puck.

DO YOU FEEL BILIOUS?
IS YOUR APPETITE POOR?
IS YOUR DIGESTION WEAK?
TRY HOSTETTER'S Stomach Bitters

Should Protect Bats.
Cincinnati, O.—Charles A. R. Campbell of San Antonio, Tex., pleaded for the life of the bat at the closing session of the annual convention of the American Public Health association on Friday. Campbell said it is known that the bat feeds almost exclusively on mosquitoes, and for that reason should be protected, as mosquitoes spread malaria. He advocated that laws be passed by the various states prohibiting the killing of bats.

Why Suffer With Backache, Kidneys or Rheumatism Now?
Letter Tells of Long-looked-for Prescription.
Dear Readers—If I can do any good in the world for others, I wish to do it, and I feel that it is my duty to write about the wonderful results I received from the use of "Anuric." I was suffering from kidney and bladder troubles, scalding urine, backache and rheumatism, and feet and ankles swelled so that at times I could not walk without assistance. Had taken several different kinds of kidney remedies but all failed. I sent for a box of Dr. Pierce's newest discovery, "Anuric," which I received by mail in tablet form. I soon got better and am convinced that this popular new medicine is good. I wish to recommend it to my neighbors and everybody suffering from such troubles.
MRS. M. J. SAIGENT.

Bank Robbers Get \$7000.
Calgary, Alberta—Two masked highwaymen blew open the safe of the Merchants Bank of Canada, at Okotoks, 30 miles south of Calgary, at 2 o'clock Sunday morning and escaped, presumably in an automobile, with about \$7000. The robbers, before going to the bank, cut the telephone and telegraph wires at each end of the town and the authorities here did not learn of the crime until a motor car arrived here from Okotoks with the news. A member of the staff sleeping in the bank was gagged and bound.

Russian Warship Hit.
Berlin—(By wireless to Sayville, N. Y.)—It is reported unofficially that the Russian battleship Sevastopol struck a mine several days ago and was badly damaged. The report was received Sunday by the Overseas News agency from Stockholm. According to this information, a Swedish merchant, who has just returned from a trip through Russia and Finland, says the Sevastopol struck a mine eight days ago and was partly destroyed.

SIX DIE IN I. W. W. BATTLE IN EVERETT

250 Men on Boat Fight With 150 Deputies on Shore.

WOUNDED TOTAL FORTY-FOUR

Invading Steamer Retreats After One Thousand Shots Exchanged—Expulsion Causes Trouble.

Everett, Wash. — At least six men were killed and 44 wounded Sunday in a pitched battle at the Everett city wharf between 250 members of the Industrial Workers of the World, who came here from Seattle on the steamer Verona, and a posse of 150 citizens, headed by Sheriff Don McRae.
Ex-lieutenant C. O. Curtis, of company L, Washington National guard, was killed. Nineteen others in the posse were wounded.
Five of the dead and 26 of the wounded were on the boat. Sheriff McRae is among the seriously wounded.
After the shooting, in which about 1000 shots were exchanged, the Verona turned around and started back to Seattle. Many men were seen to fall on the deck of the steamer, and others, panic-stricken, jumped overboard. Some were taken from the water, but others disappeared and it is believed they were drowned. The Verona reached Everett shortly before 2 o'clock.
A call to Industrial Workers of the World members from all over the state had been issued earlier in the week and the citizens of Everett, at a meeting held Saturday night, planned to meet the invaders and deny them the privilege of landing. The sheriff stepped forward and informed the men on the boat that they would not be permitted to land.
One of them, evidently spokesman for the party, began arguing with the sheriff and then made a speech. Apparently as a signal, the man dropped his hand and armed men on the steamer opened fire on the posse assembled on the wharf.
The first man to fall was Sheriff McRae, seriously wounded. One man was killed instantly and in a moment the crowd on shore was panic-stricken. Deputy sheriffs quickly rallied their forces, however, and returned the fire of the invaders on the Verona.
Men on the wharf and on the boat were seen to fall and the Verona immediately backed out of the dock and started back toward Seattle.
The trouble between the I. W. W.'s and the authorities at Everett has been of several months' standing and was the outgrowth of a strike of shingle weavers here. After several minor outbreaks of violence during the strike, Sheriff McRae organized the Citizens' committee and expelled all members of the Industrial Workers of the World from Everett.
A week ago 45 members of the Industrial Workers of the World came from Seattle by steamer, but were met at the wharf by the citizens' posse, loaded into automobiles and escorted to a point south of town, where they were liberated and ordered to go back to Seattle.
Last week the Industrial Worker, the official organ of the Industrial Workers of the World in Seattle, announced that the forcible expulsion of men from Everett must be avenged, and called for 2000 volunteers to go to Everett to establish the "right of free speech."
"The fight must be won," said the paper, "as the whole future of the Industrial Workers of the World in this section depends upon the outcome. We want all foot-loose rebels in the West to center their attention upon Everett and the labor trust's mill and logging properties. Get on the job and use your judgment."
"A real cat can exercise pretty good judgment, and when he does, my, how the masters will squirm! I need men, men-cats, you know, real Toms. Head this way, and if you cannot join the invading army on Everett, you can get on the job and, besides, making a stake you can—well you know."

Portland Warehouses Sell 1,500,000 Pounds of Wool
Portland—Several big wool deals, involving about 1,500,000 pounds of the Oregon clip of this year, have been closed in this city in the past few days. One of the transfers was a block of 1,000,000 pounds. The wools sold have been held here since early summer by the Columbia Basin Wool Warehouse company and the Portland Wool Warehouse company. The prices realized were not made public, but it is known they were the highest prices ever paid for wool in this state.
The bulk of the wool sold went to Eastern woolen mills, but Boston dealers also secured several large lots. Three or four million pounds remain unsold in the local warehouses.
Stocks of wool in Portland have been larger than anywhere else in the West, except Chicago, and this fact has turned the attention of buyers to this city. This is what the wool men and warehouse men of Oregon have been striving for, the making of Portland a wool center where stocks could be accumulated and sold direct to the consuming trade.
As the holders of the wools just sold have realized a good advance over the prices prevailing during the early part of the season, they have demonstrated their wisdom—this time, at least—in not taking first offers, but in holding for the late market.

Cranberry Prices on Higher.
Portland—Cranberry prices were advanced all along the line Tuesday. Jobbers are now quoting Eastern cranberries at \$12@12.50 a barrel and Pacific Coast stock at \$9.50.
The first car of Florida grapefruit has arrived and will be quoted at \$5.25 to \$5.75.
Sweet potatoes are very firm at \$2.50. Local stocks are small and owing to the car shortage cannot be replenished readily.
The potato market was barely steady on the street at \$1.75@2.

Biennial Report Shows Well.
In compiling his forthcoming biennial report, Superintendent of Public Instruction J. A. Churchill, finds that there are 1628 teachers in Oregon who hold life state certificates or life diplomas. The number of teachers holding life papers is 112 greater than in 1915.
The regularity with which the children attend school in Oregon is worthy of notice. Through the efforts of the country teachers to keep the attendance required before a school may be considered standard, the percentage of daily attendance in the rural schools is slightly over 90 per cent, which is higher than in any other state in the United States. The percentage of attendance in the city schools is still higher, so that the average attendance for the entire state is 94.8 per cent. The number of absences from school was 2,317,410 less last year than during the previous school year.

NORTHWEST MARKET REPORTS; GENERAL CROP CONDITIONS

Portland—Wheat—Bluestem, \$1.58; forty-fold, \$1.51; club, \$1.48; red five, \$1.48; red Russian, \$1.43.
Oats—No. 1 white feed, \$3.4.
Barley—No. 1 feed, \$3.7.
Flour—Patents, \$8.20; straights, \$7 @7.40; exports, \$7; valley, \$7.70; whole wheat, \$8.40; graham, \$8.20.
Millfeed—Spot prices: Bran, \$23.50@24 per ton; shorts, \$25.50@26 per ton; rolled barley, \$39.50@41.50.
Corn—Whole, \$48 per ton; cracked \$49.
Hay—Producers' prices: Timothy, Eastern Oregon, \$17@20 per ton; timothy, valley, \$15@16; alfalfa, \$15@16.50; valley grain hay, \$13@15; clover, \$12.50.
Butter—Cubes, extras, 32@33c. Jobbing prices: Prints, extras, 34@35c; butterfat, No. 1, 35c; No. 2, 33c, Portland.
Eggs—Oregon ranch, current receipts, 40@43c per dozen; Oregon ranch, candled, 45@46c.
Poultry—Hens, 13@15c; springs, 14 @16c per dozen; turkeys, live, 22@23c; dressed, 25@27c; ducks, 13@17c; geese, 11@12c.
Veal—Fancy—10@10c per pound. Pork—Fancy, 12@12c per pound.
Vegetables—Artichokes, 75c@1.10 per dozen; tomatoes, 75c@1.25 per crate; cabbage, \$1.25@1.75 per hundred; peppers, 6@7c per pound; eggplant, 6@8c; lettuce, \$2; cucumbers, \$1@1.50 per box; celery, 6@7c per dozen; pumpkins, 1c per pound; squash, 11c per pound.
Potatoes—Oregon, buying price, \$1.40 @1.50 per hundred, country points; sweets, \$2.25@2.50 per hundred.
Onions—Oregon buying prices, \$2.50 per sack, country points.
Green Fruits—Apples, new, 50c@52 per box; pears, \$1@1.50; grapes, \$1@2; casabas, 1c; cranberries, \$9.50 per barrel.
Hops—1916 crop, 8@11c per pound.
Wool—Eastern Oregon, fine, 23@26c; coarse, 30@32c; valley, 33c.
Mohair—40c per pound.
Casaca bark—Old and new, 54c per pound.

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Sunday Shows Stay Shut.
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Possessor Keeps Land.
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NEWS ITEMS
Of General Interest
About Oregon

Crossings to Be Guarded.

Salem — To obtain information and suggestions looking toward legislative action to provide for the elimination and protection of grade crossings of railroads and public highways, the Oregon Public Service commission announced Wednesday that it would hold a hearing in Portland November 23.
State, county, municipal and railroad officials and all interested are requested to be present.
"Statistics show that accidents are increasing yearly at grade crossings," said Frank J. Miller, a member of the commission, "and in this state there are approximately 2800 grade crossings, 96 per cent of which have no protection other than the ordinary standard highway crossing warning sign. In the last eight years there have been many accidents at these crossings, 147 of them being attended by serious injury and 40 proving fatal."

Lumber Shipping Steady.

Marshfield—C. A. Smith, chairman of the board of directors of the C. A. Smith Lumber & Manufacturing company, is authority for the statement that the company will not at present make any changes in its method of disposing of its lumber output from the two mills on Coos Bay. Mr. Smith was in Marshfield recently and while here gave reasons for continuing the shipment of the mills' output to Bay Point, California.
When terminal rates were granted for lumber over the Southern Pacific, it was believed the Smith mills, like several others on Coos Bay, would arrange to manufacture a large portion of its lumber on Coos Bay. Mr. Smith declared the company's plant at Bay Point is a large concern and the business is well established and permanent.

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FEWER PEOPLE GROWING OLDER

The Public Health Service reports that more people live to the age of forty years to-day, but from forty to sixty years mortality is increasing from degenerative diseases.

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Consulting Dictionary — Reversible Error.

The Court of Civil Appeals of Texas does not seem inclined to recognize Messrs. Johnson, Webster, Funk & Wagnalls et al., lexicographers, as in any wise inspired or otherwise gifted with infallibility. In Corpus Christi St. & Interurban Ry. Co. v. Kjellberg, 185 Southwestern Reporter, 430, the learned court held it reversible error for a judge to send his jury a dictionary.

The opinion was by Fly, C. J., and reads in part as follows: "After the definition of the word 'proximate' had been given as 'the proximate cause of,' it seems that the jury knew no more what 'proximate' means than what 'produced' meant, so the officer in charge was sent to the court to obtain a Webster's Dictionary, and the court ordered the dictionary to be furnished the jury, and it was furnished, and they used it in the privacy of the jury room. What the jury obtained from that stupendous work, filled with inconceivable words and maxims and aphorisms, no one knows. No book should be consulted by a jury in arriving at a verdict, and especially one that defines and treats on everything expressed by the English language. No maker of dictionaries should ever be allowed to define legal terms to a jury, unless such definitions go through the medium of the trial judge, the only one authorized by law to give definitions and explanations to a jury."

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A Moral Lesson.
At the end of a South Carolina colored meeting it was decided to take up a collection for charity. The chairman passed the hat himself. He dropped a dime in it for a nest egg.
Well, every right hand there entered that hat, and yet, at the end, when the chairman turned the hat over and shook it, not as much as his own contribution dropped out.
"For de lan's sake!" he cried. "Ah's eben los' de dime Ah stashed wif!"
All the rows of faces looked puzzled. Who was the lucky man? Finally the venerable Calhoun White summed up the situation.
"Breddern," he said solemnly, rising from his seat, "dar 'pears ter be a great moral lesson rooun' heah somehow."—Case and Comment.

A Sympathetic Son.
"When I was at your age," remarked Mr. Grabcohn, "I never had as much as a dollar at one time for spending money."
"Poor old dad!" replied young Reginald Grabcohn. "When I hear you make a remark like that I feel as if it were my duty to take you out to a cabaret with me some night and make you enjoy yourself."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

An Innovation Approved.
"I understand that owing to possible paper shortage the use of the slate and pencil is to be revived."
"Good idea!" said the statesman. "It will make it easier to express myself without creating a record that may involve future embarrassment."

Erudite Language.
"What are you doing with that dictionary?"
"I gotta little spare time now," replied the umpire. "I'm just looking up a few of them names the Boston highbrow rooters called me."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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One on the Judge.
It is sometimes possible for a lawyer to prove that his opponent is the wiser man, as is evidenced in this case. A police magistrate in Cleveland was disposing of cases at the rate of about two a minute, with great exactness and dignity, being judge, jury, and attorney all in one.
"Then you are sure you recognize this linen coat as the one stolen from you?" he said to a complainant.
"Yes, your honor."
"How do you know it is yours?"
"You can see that it is of a peculiar make," the witness replied, "that is the way I know it."
"Are you aware, sir," shouted the justice, turning to a closet back of him and producing a similar coat, "that there are others like it?"
"Indeed I am," replied the witness still more placidly. "I had two stolen."
—Case and Comment.

Pensions for Re-married Widows.
The re-married widows (if now a widow) of Civil War Union soldiers, sailors and marines may now secure pension on the service of the first (Civil War) husband. Fee fixed by law and contingent upon success. Over 25 years experience. Taber & Whitman Co., Washington, D. C.

Petty Arithmetic.
"I suppose you always looked out for number one?" said the admiring friend.
"No, sir," replied Mr. Dustin Stax. "A man who confines himself to such a small figure as No. 1 is likely to get left out of the big calculations that go with modern affairs."—Washington Star.

An Air Castle.
"How about that concrete house you were figuring on building?"
"It is still in the abstract."—Boston Transcript.

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