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May Day Baskets to First Lady



The best photograph taken of Mrs. Coolidge since she became mistress of the White House. She rewarded the little tots for their May Day thoughts with a motherly kiss and a loving hug for each.

Well Able to Take Care of Ford Millions



Edsel Ford, son of Henry Ford, who is every day taking on additional responsibilities in the active management of the Ford industries, has inherited the keen business mind of his famous dad, say industrial giants, who recently had the opportunity to study him in action. Photo is a recent picture of Edsel Ford and his wife.

America's Marvels

NATURAL AND OTHERWISE

By T. T. Maxey

WYANDOTTE CAVE

The demand for gunpowder during the war of 1812 was so pressing that large quantities of the nitrous earth in the caverns of the bluffs along the Ohio river in Indiana and Ohio were used for manufacturing saltpeter. One cave was so productive that it felt heir to the name Indiana Saltpeter Cave. Later this was changed to Wyandotte Cave. After the war the manufacture of saltpeter became unprofitable. Little attention was paid to this cave until it was noted that cattle were fond of licking the walls and floor. Investigation showed that a frosting of natural epsom salts covered extensive areas in this underground wonderland. Also, that when removed, this frosting rapidly reappeared. Sulphate of lime, plaster of paris, and niter also were found here. Subsequent explorations brought to light the astonishing fact that in size this cave all but rivaled the Mammoth Cave of Kentucky.

The outstanding characteristics of Wyandotte Cave, in which it is said to excel all other American caves, are the unusual bigness of its corridors and vaulted chambers, unbelievable quantities of fallen rock, and the massiveness of its stone columns.

The "Pillar," upwards of a mile from the entrance, a magnificent column 25 feet tall and 15 feet through. Is one of the show places. Another spectacular formation, Columbian Arch, is an almost perfect tunnel, half circle in shape, and 75 feet long. Near one end is a "chunk" of limestone, estimated to weigh more than 500 tons, which loosened and dropped from overhead no one knows how long ago.

The Senate Chamber measures 150 by 600 feet, its terraced sides of limestone culminating in a great dome. From the center of this room there rises a great pile of rock. From the top of this rock pile an enormous fluted column of satin spar extends to the roof above. Almost a perfect circle in shape, 71 feet around, this mastodontic pillar is said to exceed in size any like formation in any cave in the world.

Certain sightless animals make their home in this cave. Thousands of bats which may be observed hanging head down from the roof, make their winter homes in Odd Fellows Hall. This great chamber is 90 feet wide, 210 feet long, and 85 feet high.

Wyandotte Cave, formed among the rugged hills in Crawford county, is near the point where the Blue river flows into the Ohio.

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O. A. C. Man Tests Milk

The following is a letter received by Young Brothers Dairy in regard to some samples of milk sent to the Extension department of O. A. C. for testing.

The report of the three samples of milk submitted to us on April 30, is as follows:

1. 500 per c. c.	4.9
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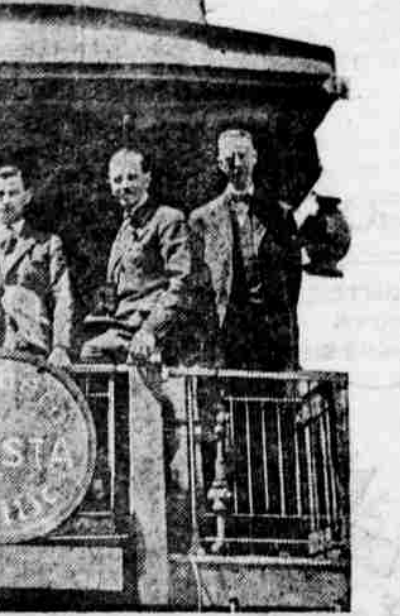
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6.40 A. M. To Portland	7.08
9.45 A. M. To Portland	10.03
9.45 A. M. To Corvallis	10.25
11.55 A. M. To Corvallis	12.13
1.50 P. M. To Portland	2.22
3.25 P. M. To Corvallis	3.48
5.10 P. M. To Portland	5.38
6.45 P. M. To Corvallis	7.15

Raymond E. Derby, Phone 1504 Prop.

European agents of Southern Pacific company who have just made a visit to Oregon in order to get a better knowledge of its attractions. They will "sell" the state in Europe. From left to right are V. Mylrea of Liverpool; G. Ruhr, Hamburg; V. Merello, Genoa; H. Desmidt, Paris, and K. G. Bonsor of London.

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County.
Lena Thomas—Plaintiff
vs.
Delbert Thomas—Defendant

To Delbert Thomas, the above named defendant: You are hereby summoned to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons upon you and if you fail so to appear and answer or otherwise plead for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in the complaint to wit that the bonds of matrimony existing between you and the plaintiff be dissolved and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem equitable in the premises.

This summons is ordered to be served upon you by publication for six full weeks in the Monmouth Herald, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published in Polk County, Oregon, by an order made in the above entitled suit by Hon. Asa B. Robinson, County Judge of Polk County, Oregon made on the 28th day of March, 1924.

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FOLKS IN OUR TOWN

Anything Tastes Good When You Are Thirsty

By Edward McCullough



SAY YOU SOUPBONE! TAKE OFF THAT HAT YOU'RE NOT IN THE CHICKEN COOP NOW



GOLLIES I'M THIRSTY



THAT'S SURE SOME SWELL PUNCH THEY HAVE HERE BUT WHY DON'T THEY PUT SOME CUPS AROUND SO A GUY CAN TAKE A DECENT DRINK?



YOU LEMON THAT'S A FISH BOWL!

RADIO HINTS

Your storage battery can be used for lighting the filaments of 199 tubes by connecting the battery clips to only two of the cells which will give 4 volts, the CORRECT operating voltage. For 1½ volt tubes the clips must only connect 1 cell of the battery. It is advisable, however, to change the clips from one cell to the other every few days, in order to drain the battery evenly. This is recommended when you wish to use dry cell tubes in some experiment.

Don't worry so much about "summer static." Think about your B battery. The trouble may be there. A voltmeter, reading from 0 to 50 volts should be in your home to test your batteries. Summer heat lowers the life of B battery. When it runs down from heat it gives forth noises which are mistaken for static. Renew the battery and, presto! no "static."

A ground clamp or wire cannot be soldered to a water pipe until the water has been drained out of it. Use a prick-point clamp on the water pipe and solder the ground wire to the clamp.

According to the Radio Laboratory of the Washington Bureau of Standards, No. 14 solid, bare, copper wire, or larger sizes, is best for outdoor antennas. Stranded wire, though stronger, has greater resistance and hence lower signals. Fifty to 150 feet, direct from the set to the highest point available at the distant end is recommended.

As the static season approaches a loop aerial will be found the best. It eliminates static and interference.

BY WHIT HADLEY