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AMERICAN MODERATION

Some Americans gasped when they read that the United States had presented a bill to Germany for about $1,500,000,000. There was no need to gasp. The conspicuous fact about that war bill is its moderation. None of the claims involve indemnity or reparation payments, like those presented by the allies. The United States, in the armistice terms and the Versailles treaty, expressly renounced reparations, and has kept its word.

The items in the long list now submitted do not include any of the expense to which this country was put in defending itself against German aggression. They do not include compensation for the soldiers slain or pensions for those injured. They are concerned mainly with private claims of American citizens for damages inflicted by Germany while that country was still nominally at peace with ours.

The only important public item covers the expense of the American army of occupation while it was stationed on the Rhine. That expense was incurred with Germany's consent as a condition of the armistice, and as far as Germany was concerned the armistice was cheap at the price.

Speaking of reparations and indemnities, it is worthy of note that while America's bill against Germany is the smallest of any of the nations engaged in the war America has made the speediest recovery. Asking nothing from the vanquished in the way of an indemnity, it has come back to prosperity within the space of five years while other nations are still wallowing in the mire of post-war depression. One reason, of course, is that in proportion to her wealth and her strength America's war effort was less than the others, but that does not wholly explain her swift recovery. She put away from her all thought of collecting the cost of the war from the vanquished and went to work to restore the waste of war.

We have an idea that every other nation opposed to Germany in the great conflict, even including France, would be better off today if America's example had been followed. War indemnities have a way of turning out to be empty spoils.

THE MORTGAGE LIFTER

The hog is the last word in mortgage-lifting, and in piano and automobile buying. It sends the boys and girls to school and makes maximum contribution to the bank balance. It is the surest money-maker on the farm. This, at least, is the opinion of Secretary Mohler of the Kansas department of agriculture, and his phrases show his enthusiasm.

No wonder. In 20 years Kansas hogs have added $4,000,000,000 to the wealth of that prosperous state. Since corn is the nation's biggest money crop and the hog supplies the market for most of the corn, his importance in the scheme of things agricultural can hardly be exaggerated. Last year he made the country $5,349,000,000 richer. He brings home the bacon in more ways than one.

Today the hog will pay more for corn than any dealer, and put it to more profitable use, and our corn crop every year is worth more than wheat and cotton combined. In four years our corn has had a money value in excess of Germany's latest reparations offer of $7,500,000,000, and its value promises to grow.

The latest hog census shows 63,400,000 of these valuable citizens within our borders, as against but 57,800,000 a year ago, and there is less old corn on the farms than there was last spring. The man with a corn crop, like the one with a cotton crop, is going to find 1923 a good year—thanks to the hog.

A bulletin from the National Textile Color Card association conveys the news that Egyptian browns, Egyptian greens and Egyptian reds are to be the favorite colors for women's clothing this fall. Not to mention the common American blues when the Old Man gets the bills.

Lieutenants MacReady and Kelly, who came west in one jump, are taking their time for the return trip to New York. That's easily understood. Why should anybody be in a hurry to get back East?

Washington is preparing to welcome the Shriners by the simple Eastern expedient of hoisting prices. That is one reason why the West gets most of the tourists.

Hostilities in the Balkans have been averted again. Those countries over there must be nearer bankrupt than had been supposed.

A little less trying and a little more raining would be about right in the way of weather.

Earlier Days in Eugene

(From the Morning Register, May 29, 1904).

H. A. Renninger, of Mabel, is in the city. He has just installed a yarding donkey at his mill plant.

Mrs. R. A. Booth has returned from Los Angeles where she attended the Methodist conference.

Mr. and Mrs W. J. Tuck and daughter, Ruth, left yesterday for Salem on a visit.

Miss Josie Moorhead, of Junction City, is here as a guest of her cousin, Miss Ruby Farrington.

The baccalaureate sermon for the Eugene Divinity school was delivered Sunday by Rev. Morton L. Rose, of Tacoma, formerly of this city.

Rev. J. B. Holmes, state evangelist of the Christian church, has left for Beaumont, Texas, where he will become pastor of the Christian church of that city.

Gilbert Smith, the man supposed to have drowned in the McKenzie river, has been located at Jefferson, Ore., where he went after tossing his fish basket into the stream and leaving his fish pole on a log.

BRAINS OF DENVER MINT GANG IN TOILS

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Springs and Denver on September 13, 1918. He was captured with Eva Lewis, a pal, who has been since freed from the Colorado penitentiary on a commuted sentence for good behavior, early in the morning of September 14, near Salida, Colorado, by the Colorado Springs reserve watch.

Sherrill escaped following the shooting in Colorado Springs which resulted in the murder of Detective John Rowan and the wounding of J. Dolan Riley by Dale Jones, Kansas City Blackie and Margie Dean, Jones' common law wife.

Sherrill was sentenced to the federal prison at Leavenworth. Kansas City Blackie was killed in Kansas City in a gun battle in which Jones and his wife escaped. Jones and the woman were killed later in a Los Angeles filling station by deputies.

DAYTON GREETS FLIERS

KELLY AND MACREADY WING WAY OVER NATION

DAYTON, O., May 28.—Dayton welcomed "her boys" home tonight. Last seen as they were winging their way across the continent aboard the giant monoplane, T-2, a few weeks ago, pushing their way westward in a successful attempt to establish new records. Lieutenants Oakley G. Kelly and John A. MacReady, on their return tonight were honored guests at a banquet tendered by citizens of Dayton.

Flying the monoplane from San Diego to Washington in short hops, the aviators landed here at 8:15 o'clock tonight, coming from Scott field, Belleville, Illinois.

A few minutes after landing, the two officers walked into Memorial hall, and the crowd assembled to honor them and other officers from McCook field and Wilbur Wright fields, arose with a cheer.

City offices were closed in Dayton this afternoon in honor of the fliers.

EX-GRAND GOBLIN SUED

GEORGE KIMBRO IS ACCUSED OF EMBEZZLEMENT

HOUSTON, Texas, May 28. — George J. Kimbro, Jr., former grand goblin of the Knights Ku Klux Klan, was made defendant in a suit for $24,000 filed today in the 61st district court by attorneys representing the headquarters of the klan in Atlanta, Ga.

It is alleged that in seven months in 1922, Kimbro collected $24,000 which he has failed to report and account for to the knights of the Ku Klux Klan.

It is alleged in the petition that during February, March, April, May, June, July and August, 1922, Kimbro was employed in the "propagation department" under the title of grand goblin of the Ku Klux Klan for a territory embracing 13 southern and middle western states.

George Parker Ex-Convict

PORTLAND, Ore., May 28. — George Parker, charged with killing Sheriff W. J. Dunlap, at Albany, a week ago, has been identified as George Gilmore, an ex-convict from the California state reformatory, according to information received today by Chief of Police Jenkins from the California state bureau of identification. The message said Gilmore was convicted and sentenced to the Ione reformatory May 14, 1910 on a charge of horse stealing. Rulie Johnson, Parker's companion, also held at Albany, was identified last week as an ex-convict.

Would Risk His Life on Adrenalin

L. G. Weckbaugh, of Los Angeles, Cal., is so impressed with the marvelous powers of the new drug, adrenalin, that he has offered to permit physicians to stop his heartbeats for five hours and then inject the restoring fluid into his heart muscles, firmly believing it would instantly restore his heart to its normal functionings.

WOMEN GO TO SEABECK

TEA WILL BE HELD TO RAISE MONEY TO SEND THEM

Y. W. C. A. Will Entertain at the Bungalow at University Thursday Afternoon, 1 to 6

The university Y. W. C. A. will conduct a tea room at the bungalow Thursday afternoon from 1 to 6 o'clock, and will sell various refreshments to raise money for a loan fund which will be used to send university women to the Seabeck conference to be held at Seabeck, Washington, from June 26 to July 6.

Included in the list of refreshments are strawberry shortcake, fresh strawberry sherbert, fresh strawberry sundaes, chocolate sundaes, iced tea and wafers, ice cream and cake and 20 varieties of home made cakes.

Florence Buck is general chairman of the committee which is conducting the entertainment.

Judge Florence Allen, of the Ohio supreme court, Rev. Edmund B. Chassee, director of the Labor Temple in New York city, and Kenneth Saunders from the Berkeley Theological seminary are to be among the lecturers at the conference.

The conference is open to city and community Y. W. C. A. organizations as well as to university and college associations. Approximately 20 university women have already signified their intentions of going this year, and it is expected that many more will decide to go later.

While the mornings at the conference are given over to study, lectures and discussion groups, in the afternoon various recreation periods are taken. Included among the sports for the conference this year are, swimming, tennis, golf, hiking, canoeing and volley ball. Seabeck is situated on Hoods canal on the sound, and the trip there is made by water.

WIFE LEFT HIM IN ANGER

WARREN WORDEN RACES OVERSEAS SEEKING MATE

SEATTLE, May 28. — Warren Worden, who said that his wife left him in anger in Yokohama and with their two children boarded the steamship President Lincoln for San Francisco, arrived here today on the steamship President Grant and boarded a train for the south, hoping to meet her when she steps down the gangplank. The day after the Lincoln left Yokohama Mr. Worden boarded the President Grant, which in crossing the Pacific broke the speed record for American ships between the Orient and the United States, according to marine records here.

Mr. Worden is a son of Dr. W. W. Worden, a missionary in the Orient. The President Grant traveled from Yokohama to Victoria, B. C., in nine days, one hour and forty-five minutes. According to wireless reports here Mr. Worden will have time to spare before the Lincoln arrives.

MOTHERS AND THEIR CHILDREN

Miss Butterfly

My daughter steps out in the fresh air and sunshine two or three times a day and plays butterfly. She lifts her arms above her head, inhaling, until her hands meet. Then she exhales as she lowers her arms and "flies" with a few running steps. This is a fine chest exercise and gives good posture. A child will readily take up this imitating game.

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CLARA PHILLIPS SOON TO REACH SCENE OF CRIME

STEAMER COPAN DOCKS AT NEW ORLEANS TODAY

Fight Over Her Extradition Won In Spite of Honduras Court Decree to Free Woman

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 28.—Clara Phillips, Los Angeles "hammer murderess," who escaped from jail in the California city while awaiting the outcome of her appeal from the ten-year sentence imposed on her for the murder of Mrs. Alberta Meadows, was expected to arrive in territorial waters of the United States some time tonight. The Cuyamel Fruit company's steamer, Copan, upon which the woman and her guard are passengers, was due at the mouth of the Mississippi river some time after nightfall from Puerto Cortez, Honduras, and was expected to dock here tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock. While nothing was known here tonight of the plans of the officials, it was assumed that they, with their prisoner, would leave for the Pacific Coast at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning if the Copan docks here when scheduled.

The fight over her extradition from Honduras was effected in spite of a decree of the Honduran supreme court that she be set free, it is said in Latin-American circles to have resulted in a resurrection of political animosity in the Central American republic. It is understood the incident has been seized as a weapon against the regime now in power, inasmuch as many Hondurans are reported to have felt that the woman was being persecuted.

JOS. FOLK, DEMOCRATIC PARTY LEADER, IS DEAD

EX-GOVERNOR OF MISSOURI SUCCUMBS TO BREAKDOWN

Was Once Chief Counsel to I. C. C. and Was Solicitor of State Department Under Wilson

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Joseph W. Folk, former governor of Missouri and once a leading figure in Democratic party politics, died today in New York.

Information of his death was received at the law office he has maintained here for the past several years. He passed away at the home of his sister, Mrs. James A. Webb, after having been in ill health for some months.

Mr. Folk took up the practice of his profession here soon after his retirement as chief counsel of the interstate commerce commission.

He has taken part in several international litigations for which he had been particularly fitted by his experience during the first Wilson administration as solicitor of the state department.

For several years he had been counsel here for the government of Peru.

About a year ago he suffered a nervous breakdown from which he never completely recovered. He was 53 years old. Funeral services will be held Thursday at his birthplace, Brownsville, Tenn.

Oregon Jersey Jubilee Opens

PORTLAND, Ore., May 28. — The fifth annual Oregon Jersey Jubilee opened here today, and is to continue until Thursday. Principal activities on the four-day program are visits to farms in the vicinity of Portland and in the Willamette valley where herds of cattle are to be inspected by visitors. There will be a banquet tonight at the chamber of commerce at which Governor Walter M. Pierce is to speak. On Wednesday the touring visitors will proceed to Silverton, and Thursday will be devoted to Salem and vicinity.

Paid in Full

"Did Borleigh ever pay you for that loan?"

"Amply. He has kept out of my way ever since." — Boston Transcript.

The Office Cat

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Some men can't even make a success as a failure.

THEY DO, ALL RIGHT

From Help Wanted, Male:
"All around carpenter, willing to sleep on the job."—Detroit News.

REAL OPTIMISM

Whatever else may happen,
Now that the country's dry,
The sailor will have his port,
The farmer will have his rye:
The cotton still has got its gin,
The seacoast has its bar,
And each of us will have a bier,
No matter who we are.

One way to beat the income tax is to buy oil stock.

that, and not one thing I tell her!" perfect an ashtray to follow a husband about the house.

"My chief trouble, doctor, is with my breathing."

"We'll soon put a stop to that, my man."

HER CREDULITY ALL USED UP

A woman declared in the presence of her husband that she believed every word in the Bible. "I believe in Daniel in the lion's den, Jonah in the whale, and everything," she said, with an uplifted look. "Isn't it funny," her husband said, "that Mary will believe all If wives were inventive they would

The world owes us a living—
This truth we hold to be.
But nevertheless it always comes
To us marked 'c. o. d.'"

People seldom buy from agents until after they have said 'no' 14 times.

Hope springs eternal in the human breast; woman never is but always to be dressed.

There is one nice thing about being honest. You don't need to consult a lawyer to find out how.

Your lot could be worse. In Battle Creek, Mich., a teacher has taught geometry for 50 years.

Hardware store in Grand Rapids, Mich., advertises: "Cast iron sinks." We have always suspected as much.

LeRoy Walker Dies

PORTLAND, Ore., May 28.—Le Roy D. Walker, former president and chairman of the board of directors of the defunct State Bank of Portland, died suddenly at his home here yesterday of cerebral hemorrage, it became known today. Walker together with two other officials of the bank was under indictment on charges of receiving deposits after the bank was known to be insolvent, and of misapplication of funds.

Joe Jackson Is Recaptured

SALEM, Ore., May 28. — Joe Jackson, who escaped from the state penitentiary Saturday by hiding in a wagon load of waste flax straw in which he was hauled from the prison yard, was captured today on a freight train at Albany and returned to the prison. He is doing 12 years for assault and robbery in Lane county.

"Sleepers" in Railroad Bed

The most common explanation of the term sleepers is that the logs repose in the bed of the railroad. Unfortunately for this theory, the particular word occurs not only in connection with railways, but in other industries, being always used as a technical term for pieces of timber or metal fixed in a horizontal position.

Its real origin is the Norwegian "sleip," which meant timber, metal, or even stone, laid so as to form a convenient surface to drag things over.

Originally used as a technical term in the days when our railways were in the building, it did not take long for our navy laborers to corrupt the word into the nearest English it sounded like, and so sleips became our common "sleepers." Our word "slab" comes from the same Norwegian word.

Horses' Pedometers

The whorls of hair on the coats of horses and other animals may be called animal pedometers, because they register the locomotive activities of the creatures on whose bodies they are found. The best examples and the greatest number of these hairy whorls and crests are found on the domestic horse. A notable instance is the graceful feathering that extends along the hollow of the flank, dividing quarters. There are also crests and whorls on the horse's chest and other parts of its body.

A Measuring Unit

Frequently in business opportunities, character is placed above capital in making the selection.

But here's the catch! One of the tests of character is: "Have you saved money from past salaries?" One who has never saved, but lived beyond his means, is generally regarded as incompetent and a poor business man. He is ruled out.

Be in position to meet the character test—capital will take care of itself. Start your account today in this friendly bank.

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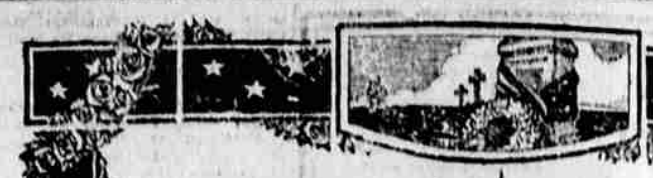

Stores Will Be Closed Tomorrow

—for—

MEMORIAL DAY

Order Your Groceries and Meat Today

Tomorrow we pay tribute to those who have sacrificed their lives for their country, and decorate the graves of our loved ones.

The following stores will be closed all day tomorrow in order that this sacred day may be fittingly observed.

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AMUSEMENTS

AT THE THEATRES TODAY

Heilig—"The Village Blacksmith," from Longfellow's famous poem, with Tully Marshall, Virginia Valli, William Walling, Bessie Love, Geo. Hackathorne, Virginia True Boardman; Baby Peggy in her latest comedy, "Taking Orders;" Fox News; Aesop Fable; Mel Hertz at the organ.

Castle—Glenn Hunter, star of "Merton of the Movies," in "Youthful Cheaters," life danced to the tune of a jazz band; special Castle comedy; News Topics of interest; exceptional musical score.

Rex—Thomas H. Ince's drama of the "big tops" and the big woods, "Soul of the Beast," with Madge Bellamy, Cullen Landis, Noah Beery, Viola Vale and "Oscar," the elephant; Rex "Ballroom Boys" comedy, "The Dentist;" Fun From the Press," compiled by the Literary Digest; Rosner in circus setting and in concert, (a) "Rigoletto" quartet, Verdi; (b) "A Perfect Kiss," popular waltz hit; (c) "The Whistling Smithy," a comic novelty, at 8:45 P. M., on the organ.

Coming—"Head Hunters of the South Seas;" J. Scott Fitzgerald's "Brass;" Ben Turpin in "The Shriek of Araby;" Charles Ray in "The Girl I Loved;" Reginald Denny in "The Abyssmal Brute;" "One Week of Love;" Thackeray's masterpiece, "Vanity Fair;" Anna Q. Nilsson, "Why Girls Leave Home;" Richard Barthelmess and Dorothy Gish, "The Bright Shawl;" Nazimova, "Salome;" Hollywood Colony in "Night Life in Hollywood;" Henry Walthal, "The Splendid Hazard;" Dorothy Dalton, "Fog Bound;" Douglas MacLean and Edith Roberts in "The Sunshine Trail;" Ralph Connor's "The Man From Glengarry."

Too Long to Wait

She—"You boob, why did you get up and leave the theatre when it was announced that Miss Earsplit would sing 'Tomorrow?'"

He—"You don't think I was fool enough to wait there all night, do you?"—Yellow Jacket.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to kind friends and neighbors for the sympathy, kindness and help during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father.

MRS. J. F. MOORE AND FAMILY

Eighth Grade Examination

The uniform eighth grade examinations will be held in school districts where there are pupils to take them, on Thursday and Friday, June 7 and 8, 1923. Questions will be sent out to the chairman in districts where pupils are conditioned, but application must be made for questions by the teacher in cases where pupils have failed or where they have complied with the condition the law prescribes.

E. J. MOORE,
Co. School Supt.
Sun. 5-27-2

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Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our [illegible] and neighbors for their [illegible] and sympathy during our bereavement, also for the [illegible]ful floral offerings.

E. G. STONE
MR. and MRS. GEO. W. [illegible]
GEORGE W. TAYLOR

Yes, bo! "Doug's" [illegible] "The SUNSHINE T[illegible] Tomorrow at the [illegible]

One Application Will [illegible] that Amber-O-Lat[illegible] is a sure [illegible] for Chest [illegible] Croup, [illegible] enza, Pneumonia [illegible] Pleurisy [illegible]

All Druggists or Amber-o-Latum [illegible] Springfield, O[illegible]

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