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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4, 1919.

OREGON WEATHER

Fair; warmer, except near coast. Gentle northwesterly winds.

"LAP-DOG PATRIOTISM"

The colonel of a regiment which recently returned from France pleads with the American public to stop petting soldiers. His remarks are worth quoting because of their virile common sense, and because they have a pretty direct application to every community in this hero-worshipping land, especially in the large cities.

"Unless an immediate halt is called on the lap-dog patriotism of a certain type of perhaps well-intentioned but woefully impractical and short-sighted Americans," he says, "one of the greatest blessings of the war will be destroyed."

"The patronizing, babying tactics which are being employed by many toward the returned soldiers are already developing in some of them a tendency to forget the great lessons they have learned."

The men are overwhelmed, he says, with "silly remarks about their sacrifices and how much the world owes them." Sometimes they are offered money or other things in sentimental attempt at recompense for what they have gone through. This sort of treatment, the colonel fears, may wreck the high ideals, the inspiration, the ambition, the sturdy endurance and impersonal devotion to duty which their war experience developed.

On Ice For You

Ginger Ale
Loju
White Rock

Applju
Luxo
Pineapple Juice

KINNEY & TRUAX GROCERY

Quality First

When he bade his men goodbye, they felt that they had only done their duty as soldiers. They hoped they had done their full duty abroad and they came home to continue doing their full duty as private citizens. And they find, on every hand, men and women, particularly women, trying to turn them into pampered lap-dogs.

If friends and relatives will not stop it, he advises the soldiers to enlist in the army again in order to get away from the pernicious influence and remain "real men." And it isn't a bad idea.

MERCHANTS FINISH SERIES WITH HONOR

The Professionals and Mechanics finished the Twilight League series Tuesday evening, and it was some slugging match, from start to finish. The wielders of the big stick never wavered, pounding the horsehide all over Southern Oregon.

The base-stealers, too, had on their running shoes. Collins, backstop for the Mechanics, allowing six stolen bases while Smith permitted nine men to capture sacks.

The pitchers worked hard. For the Professionals, Patterson struck out 7 and gave two men bases on balls. Gavin, slab artist for the Mechanics, struck out 5, passed 6 men to first, and made two wild pitches. Hammerbacher made the only sacrifice hit. Five two-base hits were rung up. Pernoll smashed the pill for a three-bagger, while Smith and Blevins both galloped around the diamond making home runs.

It was a five-inning game, but the Professionals had a long lead and did not play their half of the fifth. The official score card shows the following:

	R	H	E
Professionals	16	9	4
Mechanics	5	3	7

While the above record shows only

4 errors by the Professionals and 7 by the Mechanics, there were numerous fumbles and wild throws not counted as errors which permitted the many runs to be made in the four innings at bat by the Professionals. It was an off-day for the players, nevertheless the crowd enjoyed the great foot race around the diamond.

Thus ends the series, the Merchant having never lost a game while the other clubs tied for second place. The next game between the Mechanics and the Merchants, which will start a new series, will be played next Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

Five Dollars Reward

Five dollars reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of any one stealing the Daily Couriers from residences or mail boxes.

All kinds of legal blanks at the Courier.



Here's Help

MANY bed-ridden sufferers from backache and rheumatic pains owe their condition to the fact that they neglected the first warning of kidney trouble.

Prompt action at the first sign of disordered kidneys will prevent much suffering. Keep the blood stream pure by keeping the kidneys healthy and the poisonous waste matter that causes pain and misery will be eliminated from the system.

Foley Kidney Pills

have brought relief to thousands of suffering men and women who were afflicted with backache, rheumatic pains, stiff or swollen joints, sore muscles, dizziness, puffiness under eyes, floating specks, biliousness, bladder weakness, loss of appetite or other symptoms of kidney trouble.

Mrs. Cam C. Small, Clayton, N. M., writes: "In January I was taken bad with my kidneys and bladder. I had been in bed two months, but kept getting worse. Then I got so bad something had to be done. We noticed an advertisement in the Clayton News for Foley Kidney Pills and we sent for some. They have done me more good than all the medicine I have taken. I am better than I have been for years."

SOLD EVERYWHERE

"CRUELTY" OF YANKS TOLD BY THE GERMANS

Coblenz, June 4.—Some fantastic fiction is published in German newspapers by writers from Frankfurt and Leipzig who have visited Coblenz and returned home to write whatever they may please about the American army. Many of the stories they tell are new to the officers of the Third army who count them as German propaganda.

One writer of a long article in the Leipzig paper dealing with life in Coblenz relates alleged instances of ridiculous sentences imposed upon Germans by the American army courts. In one case he says that the wife of a government official, "annoyed on the street by a drunken soldier exclaimed in her anger: 'If only all the Americans would go to the devil!'" The military court, he says, punished her for "this religious wish" by sentencing her to appear every morning for 30 days at the headquarters of the commanding officer and repeating to those present the phrase: "I am glad that you are still here, gentlemen, and it is my wish that you continue to stay here for a long while."

This is all news to the American officers. If any woman appears at headquarters every morning, the sentries on duty there have failed to notice it. It is part of their job to prevent trespassing by Germans at the main entrance of the Third army headquarters.

Another fictitious tale narrated by the Leipzig writer to arouse German dislike for Americans, deals with a case in which a woman, splashed by mud from an automobile ejaculated, "those dirty American automobiles." For this the Leipzig Munchausen avers a military court sentenced her to climb the fortress of Ehrenbrieststein daily at 5 a. m. for 30 days carrying a pail, scrubbing brush and scouring rags and to clear six American automobiles. Upon completion of this task, he asserted she was required to walk back home similarly equipped.

Another fantastic tale told by the Leipzig journalist is of a sentence which he declares was imposed upon a hotel owner whose nerves could no longer stand the "wild music" produced by the American bands and who commented upon it unfavorably. In punishment, the fiction writer claimed, the hotel man was sentenced to march daily for 30 days alongside the band and after its parade to tell its leader, "Sir, your music pleases me to perfection."

WOULD COMPENSATE VICTIMS OF ROGUE INDIAN WARS

Portland, June 4.—Several bills to compensate the victims of Oregon Indian wars have been introduced by Senator Jones of Washington, according to dispatches from the national capital.

One bill would pay the heirs of Ari Contrell \$1,650 for loss of horses and other property sustained by Contrell in Rogue River Indian depredations and at Evans ferry, Oregon, in 1855.

Another bill would pay Matilda Elizabeth West, only heir of Eleanor Umber, deceased, \$12,117, representing a claim assigned to Mrs. Umber by Davis Evans for loss of his pack train in a Rogue River Indian uprising in 1856; and still another bill would pay Mary Wait for losses sustained from Indians in Jackson county, Oregon, in 1855.

Letter heads that will please you at the Courier

D. S. BUTTON

Battery Work

In charge of the battery department of the 13th Division, U. S. A., at Camp Lewis during the late war.

Now with Barker & Ruten-cutter at

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And is prepared to handle all kinds of battery work.

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Enjoy the comfort of velvet-smooth self-shaving.

Come in and get your Gem to-day!

Sabin The Druggist

Use Persian Secret for the Hands and Face

Willard

Ask the

Battery Shop

about the still better Willard with threaded rubber insulation



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Jantzen

Knit Wear

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