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TUESDAY, JUNE 8, 1920.

OREGON WEATHER

Weather for the Week
Pacific Coast States. Generally fair; normal temperatures.
Tonight and Wednesday cooler. Moderate southwest winds.

PROFITING BY THE PRESENT

An eminent American leader in the colonial days told his colleagues on a memorable occasion that in guiding his footsteps into the future, he had no lamp but that of the past. And along with the fundamental truths which we have preserved for every day use, from the founders of this nation, none can be put to better use today than that speech of Patrick Henry.

In fact we may anticipate it a bit and add that we may protect our future interests by the experience of the present.

A number of months ago warning was sent broadcast throughout the land that if the gasoline and oil supplies were not conserved a shortage and possible famine would result. The great unthinking public saw the warnings but failed to comprehend, merrily and shrewdly laying plans for obtaining more time and money

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for using up more gasoline in the unproductive pursuit of transitory pleasures.

Today we have the shortage, a very real and very grave situation. We may have enough for essential industry dependent upon it—and we may not. A famine with resulting distress is not improbable.

However, we don't have to eat and drink gasoline, so the passive public will not yet rise in complete wakefulness—but it may find itself very suddenly plunged into a sea of terrors that today is foreseen by only the few.

In the current news digests and reviews are to be found articles by national authorities predicting for the future a shortage and possible famine in food. No one today pays them serious attention. They are but amusing themselves with their theories. (Six months ago they amused themselves with the gasoline theory.)

The causes assigned are quite similar to the causes which today have brought on the gasoline shortage, under-production and waste of the accumulated reserves. (But while the reserves last there is of course, no real need to think about it seriously—that is, seriously enough to do anything about it).

Herbert Hoover wants a board of expert farmers and producers appointed to look into this matter and to make recommendations—which will be lived up to. Otherwise, econ-

omists point out, America will within the next year have to import food from other lands, a thing we have never yet had to do.

If we will only profit by the present, we can avoid the impending shortage—and possible famine—of food. We must eliminate waste in daily use, and strain every muscle to increase production.

PORTLAND MARKETS

Portland, June 8.—All markets unchanged, except eggs, the buying price of which is 37 cents.

NEW TODAY

WANTED at once, experienced grocery clerk. Kinney & Truax. 90tf

I HAVE GOOD PASTURE for 10 or 15 head of stock, plenty of water, good fence, will last all summer. Price \$1 to \$2 per month. J. R. Tucker, Selma, Ore. 97

WANTED—Strong boy or girl to hoe and work in garden at once. J. Leroy Johnson, 2 1/2 miles north of town, on Louse Creek road. 93

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS for rent. 411 North 6th street, opposite courthouse. 92tf

WANTED—Ladies' shoes called for, shined and returned by Art Close, Josephine Barber Shop. 94

LOST—Bunch of keys, on key ring. Finder return to Courier office and receive reward. 93

FOR SALE—6-roomed bungalow, all modern. Garage. Wood house. Fruit trees. Strawberries. Garden. Lots of shade. Very reasonable. Close to Baptist church. See owner. Mrs. J. D. Thorpe, 705 C street. 95

FOR SALE—1 good cook stove (range); 1 bedstead and springs; fruit jars and vinegar. 202 West E street. 93

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WANTED—Chiffonier, linoleum, also 9x12 rug. Price must be reasonable. Address No. 1305 care of Courier. 93

HUGO

Mrs. C. H. Willison, Mrs. Harry Schmidt and Mrs. Winnie Bagley drove to Grants Pass Tuesday.

Leslie Zapfe and Wm. Buffington spent Wednesday in Grants Pass.

Carl Wood was a Grants Pass visitor Friday.

Enoch James made a business trip to Grants Pass Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Kline returned to her home at Corvallis Monday after visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Sexton.

Mrs. F. H. Sexton and son, Holden left Tuesday for Corvallis where they will join Mr. Sexton. They expect to make their home there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dingler and family motored to Grants Pass last Tuesday.

Mrs. Thomas Ahern spent Monday afternoon in Grants Pass.

H. F. Cahill went to Grants Pass Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kennedy, who were driving in their car from California to Seattle, spent Friday and Saturday at the Kent Root home.

Germany Delivers Seed to France. Sufficient oats and barley to sow the entire devastated region in France have been delivered to that country by Germany, in accordance with the repatriation clauses of the peace treaty.

Woman Died After Four-Month Sleep. Death came to Mrs. Charles Erickson, fifty-five years old, of Clarendon, Pa., a few days ago, after she had been asleep for four months.

FLEES FROM TERRORS OF RUSSIAN REDS

American Woman Says Russia Has Been Nightmare for Two Years.

After two years of hardship and adventure in Soviet Russia, Miss Elizabeth Holliger of Syracuse, N. Y., has made good her escape through the south Russian zone of hostilities and reached safety at the American Red Cross refuge. She is one of the thousands of refugees who are now crowding the shores of the Black sea, seeking an exit through "Russia's Back Door."

Miss Holliger, who has resided for the past 20 years in Russia, was living at Kiev when the town was occupied by the troops of the soviet army. Fearing violence she left her home and hid for days in the local cemetery, visiting by night the dwelling of some humble friend who secretly provided her with food. Eventually her hiding place was discovered and she was arrested. On account of her nationality, she was immediately released and allowed to return unmolested to her home, but forbidden to leave the region.

"Conditions soon became unbearable at Kiev," says Miss Holliger, "so I escaped at the first opportunity. Traveling on foot and suffering greatly from fatigue, cold and hunger, I managed to evade arrest and reach Ekatarinodar. From Ekatarinodar I walked to Novorossisk."

At Novorossisk Miss Holliger arrived in a state of complete exhaustion, numbed with cold and half starved. She has now almost recovered from her trying experience and is temporarily employed here as a Russian interpreter. She plans shortly to return to her home in Syracuse.

"Russia, during the past two years," she says, "has been a terrible nightmare. I never want to see it again. All I desire is to efface forever from my memory the events of the last 24 months."

BIG CITY HAS A HEART

Chicago Paused Until a Pigeon Was Extricated From a Wire.

Even the great city of Chicago, that drives its men and horses pitilessly to death, has a heart for helpless, suffering things. Men are shot down by thugs or run over by reckless motor-car drivers, and the crowd hastens by—it is the business of the police and the coroner.

A poor, begrimed, sooty mother pigeon, tremendously busy with her spring house-building plans, caught one of her feet in an electric wire under the dizzy cornice of a six-story building. There she hung and fluttered in a vain effort to free herself. The commotion attracted the attention of thousands—among them hundreds of humans who are also homeless.

The pigeon struggled desperately and finally, exhausted, hung limply by one leg. Her mate was making heroic efforts to save her. He would fly against her body with full force, but could not release her, although his final effort carried her body to the top of the cornice so that she rested easier.

Meanwhile, word had been carried to a hook and ladder company, which came clattering to the spot, but a passing workman, just a plain American, who refused to give his name, rescued the suffering bird at the extreme risk of his own life. Crawling up a crazy fire escape, he edged his way along the cornice, clinging to the wall with one hand, he tenderly freed the bird and held her until her strength came back. Then he tossed her to the roof of the building and she flew away, while the dense crowds below roared their approval.

Remarkable Contrast in Revenues. Government revenues since September, 1917, aggregate \$11,481,109,000, almost equaling those for the 55 years preceding, which were \$11,582,000,000.

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