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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1924.

OREGON WEATHER

Pacific Coast States: Considerable cloudiness and quite general rains, except in Southern California where weather will remain generally fair. Normal temperature indicated.
 Cloudy and rain tonight and Friday west portion.

THE NEW GAME WARDEN

In securing the services of Fred Merrill as game warden for Josephine county, the sportsmen may congratulate themselves for it is certain that Mr. Merrill will have the best interests of the fish and game at heart and will work tirelessly for their protection and preservation. During his past services as warden he showed that he was interested in the wild game and that he desired to keep this one of the greatest fishing and hunting sections in the west.
 The game commission, in coming here and getting first hand the desires of the sportsmen, were able to name the man who is perhaps best fitted for the work. The hunting and fishing interests of the state should be kept free from all taint of politics. The game commission has become a political football and too often the wardens are named because of their political belief. While the newly named warden has political views opposite to those held by the Courier, this paper would like to see Mr. Merrill continued as warden as long as he continues to fulfill his duties in the efficient manner of which he is capable. In other words, the game wardens should be selected with a view to efficiency rather than political belief.

Fathers and sons met last night at the Epworth hall. It was an excellent meeting. They should meet oftener around the family fireside, however.
 One can love any man that is generous.—Leigh Hunt.

DAILY NEWS LETTER
 Gossip of Staff Correspondents at World Centers of Population

Washington, Nov. 13.—(I. N. S.)—In a musty file-room, on the top floor of the United States Treasury, are some of the Government's most remarkable documents, and buried with them is a human-interest story such as seldom comes to light in the stone building that is the commercial center of the world's greatest business—the American Government.

In these files, guarded by an aged clerk who for years has watched them grow, are held the records of the government "Conscience Fund"; thousands of letters from individuals all over the United States, who have sent their contributions with the explanation that they have robbed the Government in sums ranging from a few cents to thousands of dollars.

The latest remittance came from an anonymous person at Santa Cruz, Cal. He, or she, mailed three fifty-dollar bills and one twenty, accompanied by an unsigned letter declaring:

"I think I owe this much to the Government."

During the history of the United States a total of \$580,000 has been deposited in the conscience fund, later to find its way to the general fund, from which the ordinary expenditures of the Government are drawn.

No effort has ever been made by the authorities to pry into the secrets back of these unusual human documents. Although it would be comparatively easy to identify many contributors, and to prosecute them for their confessed violation of the statutes, it is an unwritten law of the Treasury that these letters go unquestioned into the ancient morgue, to remain there as long as the United States exists.

The conscience fund was originated in 1811 during the administration of President Madison. A man remitted \$5 to the Treasury, he said that he had robbed the Government of that amount and that, as it was preying on his conscience, he desired to make restitution.

It was recorded that the incident was brought to the personal attention of President Madison, who decided that an accurate check should be maintained on "conscience money."

Thirty thousand dollars, in crisp \$1,000 notes, sent to the Treasury by parcel post, is the record contribution. An accompanying letter declared "this and \$80,000 more I've remitted at different times make up four times the amount I stole from the Government years ago."

The files show that numbers of veterans of the Civil War repaid the Government for mules, blankets, saddles and other equipment misappropriated during the conflict. One or two soldiers of the World War, their misuse of Government property

weighing heavily on their conscience, have mailed money to the Government.

W. R. C. HELD MEETING

Rev. Robert McLean Is Main Speaker—Had Good Attendance

Bad weather did not prevent a large membership from being present at the regular meeting of Gen. Logan W. R. C. held Saturday afternoon in the Woodman Hall. At the close of the business session, including initiation of new members and the annual silver offering for the Civil War Army nurses, President Anna Harmon called on the Rev. Robert McLean for an address, and for a short time Mr. McLean held the undivided attention of all present as he spoke of the history and noble work of the Woman's Relief Corps in caring for the Civil War veterans and the dependent ones when their help was so needed. Mr. McLean

spoke of the decision of the people at the polls in assuring the American people that the principles of our forefathers as written in the Constitution had been maintained, a safe country for home, liberty and righteousness.

Col. James, of Kansas City, Mo., gave an original recitation, closing with a poem "The Bravest Battle," by Joaquin Miller. Dainty refreshments and a visiting hour closed the afternoon.

Members of the G. A. R. as guests of honor, were: Commander James Holman, Rev. Robert McLean, Col. T. H. James, James Adams, E. H. Emerson, J. W. Houston.

"As ye sow, so shall ye reap."
 Sum and substance—hard cash.
 Make a little worry go a long way.
 One can be this much of a fatalist: If civilization is going to collapse, one can't prevent it.

MARKETS

Portland, Ore., Nov. 13.—(A. P.)—Cattle and sheep, steady; hogs, 15c higher; eggs, 1c higher; butter 40c; butterfat, steady.
 Steers, medium \$6.25 to \$8
 Heifers, medium \$3.75 to \$5.75
 Light Lambs \$10.50 @ \$12.00
 Hogs, medium \$9.00 @ \$10.75
 Hogs, light \$9.25 @ \$10.00
 Eggs 60c @ 5 1/2c
 Butter 40c
 Butter, prints 40c
 Wheat, hard white \$1.60
 Wheat, Western red \$1.49 1/2
 Butterfat, Grants Pass 38c
 San Francisco butterfat 42 1/2c

Wool Hosiery Special For Women and Children

Ladies' Black hose, wool mixed, rib top 65c pair
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 Children's cotton and wool hose, black, sizes 6 1/2 to 10, 2 pair \$1.00
 Children's fine Jersey rib, wool, size 6 to 10, pair 69c
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\$50.00 Values	\$36.40
\$58.00 Values	\$39.85

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\$25.00 Values	\$14.60
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\$2.50	Union Suits	\$1.70
\$3.00	Union Suits	\$2.15
\$4.50	Union Suits	\$2.95

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