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The only real interesting news from Cleveland this week will be who is to be the candidate for vice president.

More than twenty-five thousand women have been fined or sentenced to imprisonment for violating the National Prohibition law.

The men who commit crimes of fraud or violence in this country must all be of weak or defective mentality—for crime never pays.

Parties often make strange straddles in their platforms. But the Republican national convention at Cleveland this week didn't try to commend both Coolidge and Congress.

"I give my preference to a mule over a horse," said Uncle Eben. "Whatever a mule's faults may be he never gets out on a race track and temps you to bet on him."

Solomon has a rival in the French Cameroons. Sultan Njova, of the kingdom of Bamoun, has a harem of 350 wives, ranging in color from light chocolate to the shiniest ebony.

If the vice president of the United States had more to do, bigger men wouldn't so generally refuse to stand for the place. Waiting for dead men's shoes is a job for a lazy man.

Over 47,000 head of cattle and 20,000 sheep have been killed in California this year on account of the foot and mouth disease. Los Angeles county lost 18,150 head valued at \$1,350,943.

Separator tenders in the wheat growing regions of Oregon and Washington find their wages affected by the low price of wheat. They received \$7.50 to \$10 a day a year ago; but now the going rate is \$5.

By August the Oregon Short Line trains will be running straight into Boise, the capital of Idaho, though it has required the building of 27 miles of road and the blasting of a 900-foot tunnel to make it possible.

Four years ago the "old guard" was running things with a high hand at Chicago. Today at Cleveland it hasn't so much as a look in. Henry Cabot Lodge sits as a delegate, but he has no more to say about what shall be done than a rank outsider.

Coolidge has no such lack of influence with the republican national convention at Cleveland this week as he had with congress at Washington during the recent session. He had only to make his wishes known and they were granted, without question.

In less than a year from the time insulin came into use for combating diabetes a prominent life insurance company is able to report a small, but probably significant, decline of 6.4 per cent in the death rate from that disease among its industrial policy holders.

Three years ago at Philadelphia the Sentinel editor saw the first American flag which Betsy Ross made out of her petticoat. It should perhaps be explained to the younger generation that a petticoat is an undergarment worn used to wear in the revolutionary days.

If Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois, had been nominated as the republican candidate for president—or even vice president—four years ago, he would probably be President Lowden today. He isn't willing to run the risk now of becoming candidate for second place, however.

Congress made no provision for a refund of this year's income to those who paid their whole tax in March. Well, who who only paid a fourth of it at the first payment will find the remaining instalments lightened. We are not so anxious to pay taxes as to rush around beforehand.

The decision that the compulsory school law of Oregon designed to put

private schools out of business is unconstitutional is to be appealed to the supreme court of the United States, though, the prospect of a reversal of that decision made by the federal district court seems to be remote.

The Pacific coast states, Washington, Oregon and California, have as much standing timber and as much water power as all the other states together. And with mountains, forests, timber and the sea they have finer scenery than all the other states together. The time is certainly coming—not in my day and probably not in that of any one now living—when the Pacific coast of the United States will be more populous and wealthy than the Atlantic coast.

There are only three counties in Oregon in which the Southern Pacific Railroad company pays a smaller portion of the county's tax roll than it does in Coos county. Here the railroad pays 4.24 per cent. In all the counties in which it runs in Oregon, it pays the highest percentage in Douglas county, where it is stuck for \$16.84 in every \$100. Next Jackson, in which it pays \$14.73. In Coos the figure drops to \$4.24, while in Clackamas, it pays \$3.52; in Klamath \$3.49; and in Multnomah 66 cents. Last year this railroad paid \$1,215,318 in the state, or more than three per cent of all the taxes in all the counties, while its lines reach only about half the counties.

The Portland Telegram well says: The presidency is said to have become a man killing job. Might it not be well to allow some of the duties of the president to devolve upon the vice president? Might it not be a good move to convert the vice presidency into an office which a man could accept without feeling that by doing so he was sacrificing his prospects and burying his abilities? The vice president is a potential president; should not the office be made to appeal to men of presidential calibre?

That's it. Get stronger men for vice president by finding something worth while for them to do.

The world-famous 6000-year-old Sphinx of Gizeh is suffering from senile decay in the neck, says a Cairo press dispatch.

A crack has appeared just below the ears, according to experts of the Egyptian Antiquity service, which, if left alone, will probably extend soon to a great depth.

It is understood that the minister for public works has given instructions for the necessary measures to be immediately taken to repair the damage. Archeologists believe that the Sphinx is a great rock which probably always bore some resemblance to a human head and was carved to accentuate and define this some 4000 years before Christ.

### HALF A CENTURY AGO

When the old man of the Sentinel was teaching school at Sayville, Long Island, just fifty years ago, the principal store there was conducted by the Terry Brothers, a pair of twins who were so closely related that if one of them became sick the other was ill, too. We were reminded of them when we read in a recent issue of the county seat paper that it cost Edward R. Terry, who is probably a son of one of those brothers, \$4,500 to write two love letters—and then marry another girl. We have an idea that if there were other Terrys than those two brothers or their families living there, no young woman would ever have taken the trouble to sue one of them for \$50,000 for breach of promise. The twin brothers had another brother at the time we lived there; and one of the mean things the writer recollects doing at that time was, when he was one of a party of four who drove over to a neighboring village on a Sunday night, and on returning that evening the Terry boy, who had visited a drug store during the evening, was drunk and asleep; we put the horse in the stable and left him sitting in the buggy back of the Terry store that summer evening. He told us the next day that he "soon" woke up. The Terrys were one of the leading families there; and we were ashamed to arouse them to unload their soused brother at home.

**Knew His Great Great Grandfather**  
 A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Howard A. Wells on Wednesday, May 21. He has been named Horace J.

The above item is about people the Sentinel man never heard of, but Horace J. was the name of a school mate of ours on Long Island seventy years ago, and he was named Joshua for his grandfather, "Uncle Joshua," whose wig we once borrowed for some theatricals. The new kid is probably the grandson of "Uncle Joshua's" grandson, whose great grandmother, "Aunt Debby," was the sister of the writer's grandfather.

### Date and Place Changed

State headquarters of the American Legion, department of California, have announced that the 1924 convention will be held August 11 to 14, inclusive, in Santa Cruz instead of Monterey, the city selected last year as the convention place. Monterey authorities asked that the Legion change the place of conference because of the hoof and mouth disease plague; it being felt that the dairy herds of the Monterey section would be endangered by the heavy volume of traffic entering from other sections of the state.

### Brewster Valley

Walter Laird came up from the camp at Fairview Monday. Mrs. P. A. Alford, who has been visiting her daughter, Myrtle, for the last week, returned to her home Thursday evening.

Elmer Wilson, Albert Christensen and daughter, Christina, made a trip to Marshfield Saturday.

The Myrtle Leaf Club met with Mrs. Elmer Wilson Thursday of this week. It was an all day meeting. The ladies quilted a quilt, got it all finished before time to leave for home. Mrs. Wilson served a big chicken dinner for about twenty-five. Besides the members of the club there were some visitors and the haying men were also there. The ladies present were Mesdames Moore, Bell Laird, Polly Nickason, Verna Laird, Linnie Krewson, Daisy Laird, Zelpa Krewson, Grandmas Laird, Callie Benham, Myrtle Christensen and Misses Gertrude, Maxine, June and Phyllis Laird and Gene, Forest and Keith Krewson. The hay men present were Messrs. Jenkins, Wm. Nickason, Albert Christensen, Elmer Wilson, Ernest Lett, and Linden Jenkins. Also Eloda and Velva Krewson were present. Everyone especially enjoyed the feed.

Mr. and Mrs. Halley Laird and children, June and Phyllis and Misses Gertrude and Maxine Laird spent Sunday at the Ivan Laird home.

Elmer Wilson has just got his milking machine installed. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lett, of Bridge, came up Sunday to get Ernest, who has been staying with Elmer Wilson for some time.

### Gravel Ford Items

Miss Anna Moser left last Sunday for Corvallis to attend the commencement exercises at O. A. C.

The Strong, Coffey and Maiden families motored to Port Orford Monday, returning home Tuesday evening.

Mr. Iverson was a Myrtle Point visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bennett were visitors at the Paul Breuer home in Myrtle Point Sunday.

Mrs. Huff and daughter, Blanche, were shopping in Myrtle Point Friday.

Mrs. A. W. Bigelow left last Friday for Portland to attend the Rose Carnival.

Mrs. J. S. Clinton was a Myrtle Point visitor Friday.

Everything is progressing nicely for the celebration here the 4th. A good time is promised to all.

### Fairview Doings

The rain caught quite a bit of hay down.

The gardens sure needed the rain.

The Fairview Sunday School had a children's day program. Errol Sloan spoke after the program. Then all enjoyed a basket lunch.

Guy Kelley was calling at Willis Neely's Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Easton also visited Mrs. Easton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Neely.

Next Sunday night at 8 o'clock, Mrs. Louise Roberts will speak at the church. Everyone is invited. A free will offering will be taken for the benefit of the Fairview Mission circle.

Barker & Baxter camp has closed down.

McCarthy Bros. expect to close about the first of July.

The total levies of general property taxes over the United States increased 160 per cent in the ten-year period extending from 1912 to 1922.

### FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That, under and by virtue of an Execution and Order of Sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Coos on the 11th day of June, 1924, in a certain cause in said Court pending wherein THE STATE LAND BOARD OF THE STATE OF OREGON, is Plaintiff, and J. FINLEY SCHROEDER and BIRDIE H. SCHROEDER, his wife, are Defendants, Case No. 6110, of said Court and commanding me to sell the hereinafter described real property to satisfy the sum of \$4,263.33, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 15th day of May, 1924, and Attorney fee of \$320.00, and costs and disbursements, taxed at \$16.20, together with accruing costs, I WILL ON SATURDAY, THE 12th DAY OF JULY, 1924, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the County Court House in the City of Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, offer for sale and sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and inter-

est of the said Defendants, in and to the following described property, to-wit:

The Northwest quarter of Section Thirty-three, the East half of the Northeast quarter of Section Thirty-two, and the Southwest quarter of Section Twenty-eight, all in Township Twenty-eight, South of Range Twelve West of the Willamette Meridian, in the County of Coos and State of Oregon.

Said sale being made subject to redemption in the manner provided by law.

Dated at Coquille, Oregon, this 11th day of June, 1924.

E. P. Ellingsen, Sheriff.

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Portions Second and Third Streets Improvement, Elliott's Addition

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council will receive sealed proposals or bids for the improvement of Second street from the west line of Henry street east to the east line of Beach street and Third Street from the east line of Henry street east to the east line of Beach street, in accordance with the plans, specifications and estimates of the City Engineer of the City of Coquille, filed in the office of the City Recorder on the 21st day of April, A. D., 1924, and pursuant to the provisions of Ordinance No. 256 adopted by the Common Council on the 19th day of May, A. D., 1924, and the statutes of the State of Oregon therein referred to and made a part of this notice.

Said improvement to be at the cost and expense of the property benefited thereby.

Bids may be submitted for either the whole work necessary to complete the proposed improvement, or for such subdivisions thereof as will not materially conflict with the completion of the remaining portion. Forms of bids and contract and bond may be had upon application to the City Recorder.

The Common Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids with or without cause.

Certified check in the sum of five per cent of the amount of bid must be submitted with bid, to be forfeited to the City of Coquille in the event that the bidder refuses to sign the contract and execute bond as provided in said Ordinance, said bond to be in the sum of fifty per cent of the total amount of the contract.

The work to be completed within sixty days from the date of awarding the contract, time being of the essence thereof.

Bids must be filed on or before the hour of eight o'clock, P. M. on the 16th day of June, A. D., 1924.

All bids must be made for a lump sum, accompanied by unit prices for the purpose of estimating additions or deductions made during the course of the work.

J. S. Lawrence, City Recorder.



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