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American women have won a distinct victory over the Parisian style dictators who are now decreeing that the short dresses remain in style, except for evening wear. And there are lots of things in their own country the women could dominate if they would take the interest they do in skirt lengths.

Dry and wet partisans are girding themselves at Washington for a contest which promises to overshadow the tariff or who shall be second lady to the president's wife at social functions. It will be a stubborn fight and may result in further constitutional amendments, but congress is more dry than wet when it comes to voting, however the members may be in private life.

It is doubtful that King George of England made any more interesting a talk Tuesday morning than hundreds of other men in the world are capable of doing, but the opportunity to hear a king caused many Coquille people to get up at the unearthly hour of 2:30 and listen in on the international hook-up and broadcast from the arms conference in London. Those who heard it do not seem to regret the disturbance of their slumbers.

It is with regret that we note such college publications as the Emerald of U. of O. taking a stand against prohibition. The young men who edit that student paper are writing about something of which they know nothing. Prohibition has not been the success in all phases that was hoped for it, due more than anything else to laxity in enforcement, but the boys who are making a very creditable showing in the publication of the Emerald, know nothing about the liquor business of saloon days. Their editorial entitled, "Prohibition an Injustice," can only be accounted for by their inexperience and lack of judgment.

R. A. Easton's Weekly Letter

We listened in to the opening of the Naval Conference in London. The noise in the House of Lords hindered us from getting all of King George's speech but we heard his voice and could get some of the words. But we heard his voice. That is true of all the other speakers, some were more clear in their enunciation than others but we can say of all who spoke, we heard their voices. The radio was set for KGO and the alarm clock set for a little before three, so all there was to do was to get up and turn the switch and get back into bed. It is one of the great experiences of my life and of the lives of all those who listened wherever they and their radios were tuned in to hear the words from a conference of men who have gathered together to beat down the lust for war not only in individuals but in the nations of the earth. As the baser things in the minds of men are beaten down they must be supplanted by better and more exalted ideals which have been visioned by men with the long look ahead for centuries of time.

Whether this conference brings forth all that we expect or hope it may bring, we do know that it is a move forward. The Almighty has always drilled into the souls of men that it was and is expected of them, as was expected of the Children of Israel at the Red Sea when God said unto Moses, speak unto the Children of Israel, and say unto them, "Go Forward."

This morning as we heard those voices and knew of that which they purpose, it seemed to me that I did not have to stretch my imagination to know that Isaiah was looked on or that Jesus Christ, Moses and Elias, as they took in the scene, said one to the other, "It is working out as we expected, for this is one of the things we were talking about at the Mount of Transfiguration."

Why should not Isaiah be looking in on it, for his mind encompassed a vision of peace when he declared, "For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder; and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The Mighty God, The Everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace."

Further on his vision, his long look

ahead beyond battlefields, saw the hammers of the divine in man beating out "the swords into ploughshares and the spears into pruning hooks," on the anvil of God, thus teaching men "to learn war no more."

The International Peace Conference at The Hague May 18 to July 29, 1899, did not bring all that was expected or hoped. But the years from then until now have seen men striving for peace as men never strove before, even if the greatest war known has occurred within this time. That was a mighty force in beating swords into ploughshares and spears into pruning hooks and teaching men as they were never taught before that "decorations" and brass trimmings did not make a man.

We have read, "A Lantern in Her Hand," a story which illustrates the greatest of human characters when pioneering under the shadows of adversity. It is worth reading for it puts a premium on stick-to-it-iveness.

Another book is "Malice Toward None," a Lincoln book. It is interesting and instructive and causes one to want to refresh his memory on slavery and civil war days. We are reading the life of Charles Sumner by Storey.

In reading these books we are impressed by the similarity of the tactics and arguments of the slavery men in those days and the anti-prohibitionist of today. There seems to have been the same lack of brains in the heads of some of the members of the congress then as there is in the heads of some of our present day congress. There were congressmen then who were aiders and abettors of crime. We have congressmen now who are aiders and abettors of crime.

They make a great howl of protest when a rum runner or moonshiner or bootlegger gets killed, but when a peace or law-enforcing officer is killed, they are either loud-mouthed in proclaiming that prohibition is impossible or silently jubilant over the fact that the booter thugs and thieves got their man. If it is true that some of the states have heaped public honor (?) on some of their citizens whom they have sent to congress as their representatives or senators, it is also true that the citizens of those states have heaped dishonor upon themselves by sending such irresponsible creatures as their representatives to congress.

Ten years of prohibition have proven that the people of the United States are in better circumstances than ever before and the law is a law in the constitution and statutes to stay in spite of the would-be silent partners in crime to defeat it.

R. A. Easton.

A Handy State Directory

A ready-reference directory of Oregon's 922 cities and towns which is now being compiled by the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce is announced by W. G. Ide, manager of the organization. The directory will be published within the next thirty days and is part of the State Chamber's "Build Oregon!" program for 1936. Information and data questionnaires have been sent to all local chambers of commerce in the state to obtain all essential and up to date data. The directory will be the first of its kind giving important information on every city and town in the state.

"We are in constant need of a directory of this kind and have calls for information about all parts of the state and therefore have completed plans to make one available to the business men of the state," Ide said.

"The directory will carry information concerning the transportation facilities, major industries, banks, highways running through each city, and about local chambers of commerce."

Copies of the directory are to be placed in scores of out-of-state chambers of commerce and will be in the files of all local chambers.

Edgar McDaniel a Director

All officers of the Oregon State Motor Association were re-elected at the annual meeting of the Association held in Portland January 15th. Two new directors—Frank Prince at Ben and Edgar McDaniel of North Bend, were elected for the years 1936 and 1937. The officers and directors for 1936 are Dr. E. B. McDaniel, president; W. B. McDonald, vice president; F. C. Stettler, treasurer; Joe E. Shelton, secretary-manager, and directors Phil Elker, Edgar McDaniel, Phil Metschan, A. M. Work, Frank Prince, A. B. Robertson, C. E. Francis, C. E. Gates, W. C. Perkins, Ralph Coan.

Horse-Meat Sausage Exposed

It has long been an axiom that meat consigned to sausage had lost its identity completely, but now modern science has changed even this. Oregon State college veterinary specialists have just proved by means of blood tests on rabbits that horse meat was being used in "pork" sausage by a Portland firm. The proof was so conclusive that the firm never even contested revoking of its license by the state and city health departments.

Call Farr & Elwood for transfer and fuel.

Wants Referendum on War

A popular referendum on the question of declaring war or not is advocated as the first step toward the maintenance of peace by A. Hamilton Gibbs, youngest major in the British army during the world war and brother of the noted Sir Phillip Gibbs, in an article entitled, "The Next War," appearing in the January issue of Foreign Service, national magazine of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U. S., published at national headquarters here.

"For me," declares Gibbs, "the slogan, 'the war to end war' has become an increasing reality. Like most men who fought I have sneered at that slogan and dismissed it as mere recruiting propaganda; but I maintain that if properly used as an object lesson, the last war may be made the war to end war."

"The next war," Gibbs predicts, "if it is not stopped, will grow out of and be a repetition of the last one, and that is why I insist that it should be held up as a constant object lesson."

"I don't know whether I am a pacifist or not—certainly not in the everyday meaning of the word. But I am a believer in peace," Gibbs adds.

"And I discovered peace during four years of war—four years in which as a private and as an officer I sweated my guts out in blood and mud in Siberia and France to help win the war. 'I have had my share of being called a 'bloody fool' by officers whose unfitness to be officers was obvious to the most ignorant ranker."

In making his plea for world peace Gibbs, winner of the British Military Cross and many other decorations, asserts "we know perfectly well that all the peace treaties are so much hot air, and that the reason why the League of Nations cannot function is that it is emasculated. The nations who signed it are not standing behind it. More than that the governments of the world have not yet learned that as an economic argument war is a failure, win, lose or draw."

"Paradoxically enough," Gibbs points out, "there is a deep underlying opposition to peace. The only method of combatting it is with the vote. That is why a popular referendum on the question of declaring war or not appeals to me very strongly as the first step toward the maintenance of peace."

Helps in Cold Weather Only
Does "High Test" or "Anti-Knock" gasoline as standard fuel for automobiles increase the expense of operation, without any gain in efficiency? The above question is frequently asked by members, says the Oregon State Motor Association, who desire to know whether it is economical to pay a higher cost per gallon for the red, blue, green and varicolored gasolines that are retailed under various trade names.

According to the result of several years' study on the volatility of gasoline conducted at the laboratories of the U. S. Bureau of Standards, the adoption of "high test" and "anti-knock" gasolines as standard fuel for automobiles regardless of climatic and other conditions will increase the expense of operation without any gain of efficiency in warm weather. In giving out this statement, officials of the U. S. Bureau of Standards state that users of the so-called "high test" gasolines will find during the summer months that they are obtaining less miles per gallon than are the users of ordinary fuels. This is due to greater evaporation of "high test" gasoline in warm weather. The coming of cold weather does, however, bring certain advantages for "high test" gasoline, such as noticeably easier starting and better engine performance.

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NOTICE

In the County Court of the State of Oregon In and For the County of Coos

In the Matter of the Estate of Tom McKinnon, Deceased.

Notice of Final Account

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned has filed in the County Court of Coos County, Oregon, his Final Account, as Administrator of the Estate of Tom McKinnon, Deceased, and that the said Court has set February 17, 1936, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., at the County Court room in Coquille, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing objections to such final account and the settlement of said Estate.

Jack Dashney,

Administrator

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