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There is a wide divergence of opinion expressed by the Shipbuilding Commission and the Fuel Commission relative to war-time prohibition affecting the labor problem. The shipbuilders complain that prohibition of beer would seriously affect production, and the fuel commission brings forward statistics to show that mines would be benefited under bane dry regulation. A Washington correspondent of the New York Tribune relates that the riotous prosperity of wartime has made saloons and drinking clubs and associations rbound in the mining districts and that "the miners bowl up" on Saturday night and Sunday, and either put in Monday bracing up, or appear at the mines with "paralyzing hangovers." Besides, they resort to the cheering bowl as occasion offers—and it always offers—through the week. The men thus not only lose much time, but their effectiveness when they do work is greatly impaired and they are kept in an unsound mental condition, which makes them callous to appeals for their cooperation in the present emergency. The coal miners of America today are exhibiting only 60 per cent. of an easily attained degree of efficiency. They rarely work more than thirty-five hours a week; many of them do not do better than twenty-one hours a week, and some are making as high as \$300 to \$500 a month. Prosperity has trapped them and is likely to ruin them. The saloons have gathered around the homes of these sons of good fortune like flies around a molasses barrel. The country is paying big money for coal, but the result, is that the liquor dealers get the money and the country doesn't get the coal.

That somebody sometimes makes big money building roads is shown in the two bids on Union county roads last week, when the county court of that county was awarded the contract for grading 9.55 miles of the Elgin-Minam road, and six miles of the Union-Tolacast section of the old Oregon Trail. These bids were \$37,140 and \$27,481, respectively, and were \$9,000 to \$20,000 lower than the next lowest bidder for the work. The difference is just what the other bidders would have grafted, had not the county been in a position to bid in the construction work.

Are we to have an election this fall? Yep. But for once in his life the politician and office seeker is having a strenuous time to find anyone interested enough in his game to stop and shake hands. The voter is busy just now in providing ways and means to lick the kaiser.

Maybe old Hindy just forgot those 1,700,000 77-millimeter shells. He claimed to have saved everything else in the Soissons pocket, according to reports from Amsterdam. But the mauled divisions of the crown prince's army reveal a different story.

The Jap, with the help of Uncle Sam, will take care of the Bolsheviks in Siberia, and others of the Kaiser-Lenine cohorts will be given the once over. Thus assurance is given that Siberia at least is to be salvaged from the Russian wreck.

While the East is sweltering, we of the West sleep comfortably beneath comforts at night.

23 Years Ago.
[From the Press of August 16 1895]

Lew Shaw and S. L. Spencer brought in 34 fine prairie chickens Tuesday. Chas Henry and Jinks Taylor are the sack rustlers at the H. and R. warehouse at the foot of Main street.

The sidewalks are in a much better condition since Policeman Ghobson started his Injun nail punching machine in operation.

Chas. Fisher and his father succeeded in bagging 14 prairie chickens and one jackrabbit south of town Tuesday.

The young gentlemen who constitute the local O. R. and N. force propose to give Pendleton an opportunity to participate in a fin de secle society event some time next week. It will be a bloomer dance.

T. P. Page has completed an extensive system of waterworks on his large ranch south of the city. The household is afforded with hot and cold water.

The hay and straw on McKay creek is being bought up by sheepmen, and in some instances fancy prices are being paid.

Extensive fires are reported in the timber beyond Lehman Springs. At night the sight of the tall trees all aflame is said to be grand and beautiful.

There are many reasons to think that some one was murdered before the Transfer house and the hotel in Pendleton was burned, to wipe out the evidences of guilt. A woman who was carried out during the fire said she saw a man lying in a pool of blood. The story was at first discredited, but now it is again being made the subject of inquiry. Officers are neglecting no means that may lead to ferreting out the fiends who are responsible for this terrible calamity.

HAS KEPT TOUCH WITH PAST
Old Tarrytown on the Hudson Refuses to Become Part of Modern Hustle and Bustle.

Safely aloof from the rush and scramble which typifies Long Island today lies Tarrytown on the Hudson. The solidarity and leisurely prosperity of Tarrytown have kept it from being swept along with the stream of worldly progress. It has tarried.

It has kept its legends and traditions, its landmarks and historic buildings. It still likes to look at the monument marking the spot where Andre, the spy, was captured. It likes to recall with thrills of local pride "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow," until it sees again the headless horseman pursuing the luckless Ichabod.

There are other specters of which the locality can boast, notably that of Andre, also on horseback, who can be heard at night riding at high speed up the road on which he was captured. At the fatal spot the sound of hoofs ceases, naturally enough, leaving the chance hearer to scuttle home with unseemly haste.

Night is an excellent time to go sight-seeing in Tarrytown. There is the Sleepy Hollow graveyard, which no visitor would wish to miss, and which has an additional charm when viewed by moonlight. There is always the possibility that some illustrious resident of the place may come forth to take the air and wander once again to his old home or to the market place.

Watch Heart in Lobar Pneumonia.
Deaths of pneumonia patients are due either to heart failure or to septicaemia, seldom, if ever, to insufficient aeration of the blood in the lungs, says Dr. E. P. Hershey of Denver in his prize answer to the New York Medical Journal's question, "How do you treat lobar pneumonia?"

Dr. Hershey says the heart must be watched and stimulated with digitalis. If it can be obtained the appropriate vaccine is to be used. In spite of prejudice, he recommends the ice bag. If the patient be alcoholic he must have whiskey or brandies; if not, all liquor must be cut out. A generous diet, but without meat, is necessary. Open-air treatment is conquering ancient prejudice. Sudden rise of temperature on the third, fifth or seventh day is no cause for alarm, and depressing medicines at this time may mean death.

Swore Just Like a Native.
Lieut.-Col. Oliver Dockery, in charge of training of the 160th Depot brigade, at Camp Custer, Mich., is from the South and has something of the characteristic Southern accent. The other day when 2,000 negro recruits arrived from Alabama Colonel Dockery ran across a negro sergeant who was marching a group of the new men along in the rain and reproved the sergeant for taking his men out in such weather and ordered them back in the barracks. Just as they disappeared in the doorway one of the shivering little negroes from the South turned around and said, "Dat sho'ly am a kind-hearted man. He cusses lko he come from down home. Dat boss make me so homesick dat I believe I is goin' to cry." Boo-boo! Boo-boo!

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We'd like to have some more new words. If you've coined any, pass 'em along, please. The language is in danger and needs help!—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

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Father Giles Benjamin Cabanel, who for three years administered to dying Poilus, has arrived in the United States for a lecture tour. The heroic priest was decorated seven times for bravery under fire.

NOVELIST HAD HIS REVENGE
Dumas Worked With Subtlety, but Was Satisfied That It Would Be Thoroughly Complete.

When Alexandre Dumas, the French novelist, was a young man, he was grievously insulted by a man whom he had regarded as his friend. Everyone expected him to punish the offender severely, but instead he began looking upon him with more consideration and apparent friendliness than he had ever shown before.

At length, three years later, when the erstwhile friend was to be married, the novelist was asked to serve as best man, and did so. When the ceremony was over and the guests were leaving someone remarked to Dumas: "I have often wondered at your kindness to this man. Surely yours is a remarkably forgiving nature, for although he insulted you grossly, you have assiduously studied his happiness ever since, and even assisted him in getting married."

"Quite right!" answered Dumas. "I flatter myself that I have given the fellow the most furious and long-eyed mother-in-law to be found in France!"

Making New Words.
We're going to help the dictionary makers with a couple of suggestions. Here are two words we have thought up without the aid of mechanical appliances or paraphernalia whatever—without even brains.

Preccapate—A taste for fish; for instance, the fellow has one who loves shad so much that he is willing to spend half an hour taking bones out of his teeth just so to eat one slab of fish.

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BRING BACK HOME MEMORIES
Many Reasons Why Snapshots of Familiar Spots Are Dearly Prized by the Soldiers.

A piece of paper covered with black and white splotches—nothing more. But suppose those splotches have been painted by sunlight shining through a camera lens, and form a picture of a homestead, a familiar street or a mother's snowy hair, and face lined with the eloquent handwriting of the years—what would a soldier rather have from home than such souvenirs?

A snapshot of the house and barn; of the family sitting on the front steps; of father spading up the garden; of the old horse rubbing his nose along the pasture gate; of the dog wagging expectancy at the kitchen door; of the baby sprawling in the sand pile, or the older children squinting at the camera with the sun in their eyes—these are the scraps of paper which defy time and distance, a writer in the Boston Globe states. They assure men amid scenes of violence and death that the peaceful, sweet life they have left behind in order to defend still exists.

Now that the sweaters, stockings, wristlets, helmets, jam, tobacco, chocolate—and other creature comforts have been sent off, and brains are being cudgled for something else to send the boys at the front, do not disdain the humble snapshot—the amateur photograph that any one can take by pressing a spring; the little peep of home faces and home scenes that can be sent far overseas and taken out of a pocket at odd moments—who knows how odd moments?—for a renewal of faith and hope and memories of home.

One Quart of Milk.
Doctor Rosenow of Harvard university says that the actual food value of one quart of milk is equal to three-quarter pound of beef, two pounds of chicken, eight eggs, or two pounds of codfish. Each of these costs more, to say nothing of the time, labor and fuel required in preparation. A glass of milk costs only 33-4 cents in Conwallis today. The food value of that glass of milk is equal to two large eggs, or a large serving of lean meat, or two moderate-sized potatoes, or five tablespoonfuls of cooked cereal, or two tablespoonfuls of cooked rice, or two slices of bread. In other words, a meal consisting of one glass of milk and two slices of bread gives you as much food

value as you would get out of two eggs.

Too Much of a Good Thing.
"I didn't much care about the way Josh's clothes looked down to camp," commented Farmer Cortosel.
"Hasn't he his regular uniform?"
"Not yet. If they're going to keep him dressed that way in hopes of deceiving the enemy into thinking he's just an obscure peasant or something, what I say is that it's carrying this new kermooding too far!"

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
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SUMMONS.
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.
Eva B. Beauchamp, Plaintiff,
vs.
Roy L. Beauchamp, Defendant.
To Roy L. Beauchamp, Defendant. To Roy L. Beauchamp, Defendant named as above:
In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff filed against you in the above entitled suit, within six weeks of the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit, on or before Friday, the 23rd day of August 1918; and you will take notice that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint or otherwise plead thereto within said time, the plaintiff for want thereof will apply to the court for the relief prayed for and demanded in plaintiff's said complaint, namely, for a decree of the Court forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony now and heretofore existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for other equitable relief.

This summons is published pursuant to an order made in this Cause by Honorable Charles H. Marsh, County Judge of Umatilla County in the absence of Circuit Judge G. W. Phelps from said county. The first publication of this summons will be made in the Athena Press on Friday the 13th day of July, 1918, and the last publication of this summons will be made on the 23rd day of August, 1918.
Dated at Pendleton, Oregon, this 10th day of July, 1918.
Peterson & Bishop, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Post Office address, Freewater, Ore.

Notice to Creditors.
In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.
In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph Sheard, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the above entitled court administrator of the estate of Joseph Sheard, deceased, and that she has qualified as the law directs. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, with proper vouchers, to me at my home near Athena, Oregon, or to my attorney, Stephen A. Lowell, in Despain Block, Pendleton, Oregon, within 6 months from the date hereof.
Dated July 1st, 1918.
Lydia Sheard, Administratrix.

Notice of Final Account.
In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Umatilla County.
In the Matter of the Estate of Madison Jones, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern that John M. Jones, administrator with the will annexed, de bonis non, of the estate of Madison Jones, deceased, has filed his final account and report and that the County Judge of said county has appointed Tuesday, the 17th day of August, 1918, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon as the time and the county court house at Pendleton, Oregon, as the place, where all objections and exceptions to the said final account and report will be heard and a settlement thereof made.
Dated at Pendleton, Oregon, on this 24th day of July, A. D., 1918.
John M. Jones, Administrator.
Will M. Peterson, Attorney for Administrator.

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