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INTEREST REVIVED IN SWIMMING POOL

Interest has been again revived in the proposition of a swimming pool for Athena, and funds for its construction are being solicited through popular subscription. As the result of a former canvass for money to construct the pool, there is now about \$400 in the fund and with the present solicitation an additional amount has been secured, and the indications are that the necessary amount will be shortly raised.

The city council has given a site for the swimming pool at the City Park and with the raising of the money a considerable amount of the construction work will be donated, including the excavation.

Guy Cronk, special agent for the Standard Oil Company, says he can spare a couple of teams to do a portion of the work, and others have signified their readiness to assist in the work. It is probable that the pool will be finished in time for use during the latter part of the summer.

PAMBRUN DEER HERD PRONOUNCED TUBERCULAR

Five of the seven head of deer in the Pambrun herd are afflicted with tuberculosis, and will have to be destroyed, reports Dr. Baddley, veterinarian.

Mr. Pambrun has his deer in a park at his farm home south of Athena. He started his herd several years ago, and until this spring no evidence of disease had appeared. The park with its deer and trout pond has been the admiration of all passersby, and the owner has taken considerable pains in building up the herd. Two members of the deer family show no symptoms of tubercular infection. They have been quartered in a separate enclosure from the other five. Mr. Pambrun first got his start of blacktail or mule deer several years ago, and later two small valley blacktails were sent him from Astoria by Byron Hawks.

Returns from Lecture Tour.
Rev. B. E. Burton arrived home Wednesday morning after a rather strenuous tour as a member of the Ellison-White Chautauque company. Mr. Burton's last dates were at Halfway, Union county, and Midvale, Idaho, making the jump from Sound points. He describes Halfway as a beautiful up-to-date little city, which is reached after a 70-mile auto ride over the desert and mountains, and it was there he addressed one of the best Chautauques of his experience.

EXCELLENT PICTURES COME TO THE STANDARD THEATRE

Pictures of superlative merit are scheduled for the Standard Theatre for tomorrow—Saturday, Sunday, and next Wednesday nights. For tomorrow night a big double production is afforded when Geraldine Farrar appears in "The Woman That God Forgot," and Fatty Arbuckle will be seen in "Rough House."

For her theme in "The Woman That God Forgot," the authoress has taken the story of an Indian princess who sells her country for the man she loves. The whole story is taken from a chapter in the early history of America, telling of the Spanish conquest of Montezuma and his Aztecs. Geraldine Farrar is seen as Tezca, daughter of Montezuma. Wallace Reid, who supported Miss Farrar in "Joan, the Woman," plays the lead for her also in this De Mille spectacular production. The picture comes in five reels, which with the splendid Arbuckle comedy, is sure to make the program one of the best so far produced at the Standard.

Sunday night Wallace Reid stars in "The Firefly of France," said to be one of Paramount's best pictures dealing with the intricate plottings of German spies. The usual Pathé Weekly and a good one reel comedy fills in for the evening's program.

On Wednesday night, July 16, the Standard offers to its patrons for the first time, the great Nazimova in "Eye for Eye." In contracting for the series of four Nazimova pictures, "Eye for Eye," "Out of the Fog," "Revelation," and "Red Lantern," particular attention was given to the opinion of those who were fortunate in seeing the great screen star in other theatres the result being that their unanimous verdict had more weight than the claims of the distributing exchange. "Eye for Eye" is the screen presentation of a girl of the desert, primitive in morals and ideas, condemned to death by torture because she loved a Christian. The scenic effects of the picture are marvelous—in it you appreciate the blue of the Mediterranean, the mystery and blazing color of the walled town of Tangiers, the magic powers of the Carpet of Bagdad. You are taken into the innermost secret places of the Far East and the great African Desert, when you follow Nazimova, "the Star of a thousand moods."

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Piersol and family have been visiting the past week at the home of Mr. Piersol's parents in this city. They came down from Weston mountain, where they have been residing on the Kern farm, and are leaving to take charge of the W. R. Taylor stock ranch in Malheur county, recently leased by Mr. Piersol.

CLAIM KARL'S JEWELS

Dispute Between Italy and Austria Over Art Collections.

Vienna.—A new turn has been given to the dispute between Italy and Austria over art collections by the statement that former Emperor Charles has carried off to Switzerland the imperial jewels, the whole of which are regarded in Austria as being his private property, but claims for which have been filed by Italy, particularly the Florentine diamond of 133 1/3 carats.

The Italian commissioner, Professor D'Ancona, has stated that this diamond formed part of the collection left to the city of Florence under the will of Anna Maria Medici, but that it was carried off by the house of Austria in 1748 when Duke Leopold became emperor of Austria.

He said the Austrian government had been notified of Italian claims to this jewel months ago, and if it permitted Emperor Charles to carry it away it would be necessary to obtain possession of it again. It is unknown here whether the emperor has disposed of the diamond while in Switzerland in order to pay his living expenses.

Professor D'Ancona has carefully traced the history of this remarkable stone which, legend relates, was lost on the battlefield of Granson by Charles the Bold, duke of Burgundy, six centuries ago.

It was picked up and believed to be a piece of glass and sold for a small sum. It found its way to Switzerland, where it was sold for 11,000 ducats to the duke of Milan, and brought to Rome in 1601 by Ferdinand Medici. It has been on exhibition of late years in the Hofburg museum.

Professor D'Ancona pointed out to the Associated Press correspondent that the Austrians cannot claim that in surrendering this stone they would be injuring Vienna's art collection since they were willing to part with it to the former emperor who is now a private citizen and has left the country.

APPROACH OF HARVEST AND CROP CONDITIONS

Harvest operations will begin in this section in about two weeks, according to conservative estimates of wheat raisers here. The fall sown grain promises an average yield and the spring grain, without the assistance of rain, will by no means be a failure. Some fields in which red chaff wheat was sown last fall, show up poorly on account of having been winter killed. In these fields tar weed has been a destructive element.

The barley yield will be light and hereabout the ripening stage is behind that of wheat. On the foothill ranches where barley is a staple product, the prospects are but little better than they were this time last year, when many fields did not pay the expense of harvesting—except that the absence of the spring rain within the next 10 days would brighten prospects for the yield of crops on the mountain farms.

Condition of the potato crop on the mountain ranches is reported normal, and an average acreage has been devoted to this crop. With a reasonable assurance of a good price for potatoes this fall, the upland rancher will be in a position to even up to some extent the shortage of his grain crop.

Judge G. H. Bishop was in the city Tuesday from Freewater.

HONOR MARTYRS OF NIPPON

Japanese Catholics Have Set Aside February 5 as the Holiest Day in Their Calendar.

The Catholics of Japan have set aside February 5 as the festival of the martyrs of Nippon. This day is their holiest day of the year. St. Francis Xavier introduced Christianity to Japan early in the sixteenth century, but it has not made much progress among the population of 70,000,000 people, who follow Shinto and Buddha. There are about 115,000 Christians in Japan, of whom 75,000 are Catholics and 40,000 Protestants.

A number of Jesuit missionaries followed St. Francis to the east, and no opposition to Christianity was encountered until 40 years after the pioneer's death. Then a rigid persecution was begun and thousands of Christians were murdered. All Christian rites were forbidden. Japanese converts banded together in a confraternity of martyrs, for the purpose of dying for Christ. Many little children joined the organization. All, or as many as were caught, were put to death. Noblemen as well as the poor shared the same fate. Some were buried alive and left to die of starvation, while others were beheaded. The festival of Nippon commemorates these martyrs' deaths.

What a quiet old world this would be if nobody spoke except those who knew what they were talking about.

SIMPLY PERFECT IN THEORY

Kitchen Management Left Nothing to Be Desired, Except the Prosaic Fact of Cooking.

An experienced housewife, who has never taken any other course in domestic science than that afforded by wrestling many years with the problem of three meals a day, felt much interested when her college-bred daughter told her that she was going to spend the week-end with a friend who was the last word in the highbrow world of the cooking specialist.

"Mother, it was wonderful," exclaimed the girl on her return. "On one side of her white-tiled laboratory—she doesn't call it a kitchen—there is the dishwashing machine and on the other the long tables for the constructive work. The arrangements are perfect, and everything is clean and shining. I'm just crazy about it. Not a bit like our haphazard kitchen."

"And I presume the food was equally wonderful," said the really sympathetic mother, ready to learn of the new generation. "Tell me about it."

The returned visitor looked thoughtful. "Well, you see, we didn't go very deep into cookery. She never does. We had dinner made in the flawless cooker, some sort of stew. And the rest of the stuff she gets at the delicatessen."—New York World.

It took the circus to make crowdst famous.

EDITOR SANDERSON EXPIRES SUDDENLY

David Cook Sanderson, of Freewater, editor of the Freewater Times, was found dead in his bed in a Portland hotel yesterday morning, from heart trouble. He was born in England, 33 years ago, was a Methodist minister in Canada for 25 years and later traveled over the United States lecturing on journalism.

News of Mr. Sanderson's death was received by wire and came as a shock to the people of Freewater and Milton. Last summer he was ill for some time but he had since recovered his health to some extent.

He had published the Freewater Times for many years, and was prominent in the affairs of that vicinity. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. R. E. Bean of Umatilla, and three sons: Davitt Sanderson, associated with his father in publishing the Freewater Times; George P. Sanderson, traction agent at Milton; and Charles Sanderson of Spokane.

You are invited to attend the Bible school at 10 o'clock and to stay for the church service at 11 o'clock. The union meeting will be in the Baptist church at 8 o'clock. You will be welcome to all these services.

CARVING OF TURKEY



Here is a piece of documentary evidence to prove the need of opening the doors of the old Turkish empire to free commercial intercourse with the western world. This method of irrigation ditching is used today in northern Mesopotamia. The men do not even use first-class shovels. The British have introduced many new agricultural implements, but most of the work done in the fertile plains of Mesopotamia is typical of the days of Moses.

That rich region, as well as many other parts of the old Turkish empire, need only the modern machinery of America and western Europe to make it produce wonderful crops. Irrigation is the first problem in Mesopotamia.

LAD WALKS ACROSS COUNTRY

Ends Transcontinental Jog in Los Angeles With 25 Cents in His Pocket.

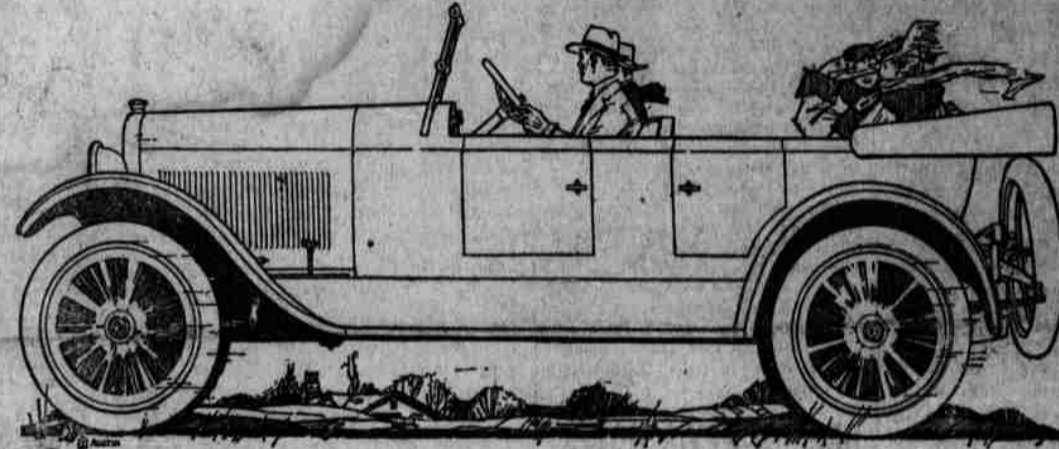
Los Angeles, Cal.—With only a 25-cent piece in his pocket, Nicholas Cascarino, sixteen, arrived in Los Angeles the other evening from New York. He walked the entire distance, having started for his destination in November of last year. The lad was footsore and dazed from the strain of many months' travel.

"Everybody in New York is talking about Los Angeles," he declared, "and I sure am glad I came here."

Nicholas had expected to find his only relative in the world here. He believed his uncle to be living in Los Angeles, but upon arriving learned that his relative had moved from the city over four years ago.

The boy encountered many hardships en route. In Indiana he was caught in a windstorm which left him with weakened eyes. In the mountains he walked for days through a long snowbank. At Sparks, Nev., he almost died of thirst, and his little dog died.

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