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chance to earn more than \$500 to try and Europe. \$763 per year on which to support their families. They want to work steadily six hours a day for five days is to put moving pictures on the farm a week, instead of a day or two a in order to keep the hired man from This is the real meaning of moving off it. the six-hour workday and the fiveday week which the operators have been trying to magnify into a ridiculous and unreasonable demand. Before condemning the miners, let us all reflect upon how we would like to have their dirty and dangerous jobs at the pittance they annually re-ceive. The Ohio and Pennsylvania operators wanted the strike in order that the price of their surplus coal stocks could be boosted and they could profiteer at the expense of the American people and American industry. That is why they refused to attend the Pittsburg conference and thereby flouted and defied the Bituminous Coal commission and through it the national government. On the operators rests the onus of a strike that imperils the entire country's welfare and will bring starvation into the homes of thousands of luck-

News reports from the industrial, commercial and transportaiton fields indicate returning confidence, if not immediate prosperity. This beloved republic is working off the ing a lengthy letter to Senator Under-hendache which followed its war-time wood, one of the American delegates jag, and aside from the coal strike will soon have reached a normal and the thinly veiled intimations made in satisfactory condition. The spendthrift will still be restless and discontented, regretting the hectic days of the war; but he cannot be made immune from the law of the nonsurvival of the unfittest. The time senate as to the authorship of the is near when thrift and industry, treaty and the open charges made by however, will have reaped their just

Margot Asquith's final verdict is that "America is a fine country and Americans as a whole mighty nice people." Since she did not see Oren, we are inclined to regard this as downright flattery.

We suspect Mrs. Asquith remembered her status as the wife of a diplomatic statesman, when she decided to confirm we Americans in our indubitably good opinion of our-

It is not inappropriate that A Slaughter is connected with the committee which by proposing repeal of the millage tax would kill off Oregon's institutions of higher learning

Friends of Princess Mary were over generous in sending her twenty-two clocks as wedding gifts. She could have gotten anything she wanted, anyhow, on tick.

Despite its faults, the soviet government appears to have been merciful enough to save the Russian people from the infliction of Emma Goldman's speeches.

Portland ought to encourage its Chinese tong wars, if by this means the highbinder population can be reduced without endangering innocent

The New York Journal of Com merce thinks that "the trouble with most of us is that our necessities are too luxurious and our luxuries too

From their customary manner of joining the "innumerable caravan," decedents are rather less apt to rest in peace than in pieces.

The French disturb us sometimes. but they are not responsible because they do not all happen to be as nice

crime wave. But we fear the burglars would still prefer skeleton to

Poughkeepsie, New York, is said o be disturbed by the "bob-haired ghest of a flapper." Must be a

Now-a-days it is more than eve comforting thought that the entire The coal miners are striking for Atiantic ocean is between this coun

The good old days have gone. One Texas statesman called another a "common liar" and still has an unpunctured hide.

Whatever is done at Genoa, this rovernment has taken care that it will not be the United States.

We've an idea those Portuguese are flying high, as nobody has heard them do any honking.

The weather having settled, the farmer is hustling for an opportunity to later do likewise.

More confidence was voted in Lloyd George, perhaps, than in his chang-

HUGHES DEFENDS TREATY

Failure to Ratify It Would be National Calamity.

Washington, D. C .- Secretary of State Hughes injected himself into the treaty fight in the senate by writat the conference, in which he scored the senate that the American delegates were "imposed on" in the making of the four-power pact.

The secretary's letter hinged about questions that have been raised in the some senators that it "was conceived" by Balfour and written by Kato.

While not answering the question of who wrote the treaty" directly, Secretary of State Hughes indicated in his letter that he himself was the author of the pact.

The failure of the senate to ratify the treaty, Hughes declared, would be nothing short of a national calamity.

Chicago, Ill. - Railroad labor and the nation's largest transportation lines opened their fight over the present scale of wages Monday before the United States railroad labor board More than 175 roads have placed peti tions for reductions averaging 10 per cent before the board.

LLOYD GEORGE IS UPHELD

Confidence Given By House

London. - The house of commons after an unexciting debate, adopted by the substantial majority of 278 Premier Lloyd George's resolution calling for confidence in the government's policy on the coming economic conference at Genoa. The vote was 372 to 94.

In the earlier part of the session the house passed an hour and 20 minutes of such tenseness as it had not experienced for many months, when

they do not all happen to be as nice as Papa Joffre.

Chicago has reached a point where it will heartily enjoy and appreciate a funeral if a dead bandit furnishes the corrige.

Perhaps it's because her dreams of empire, too, were dissipated, that Germany is drowning her sorrows in champagne.

We would feel more hopeful that Bryan is right about Darwinism if he hadn't also condemned the gold standard.

"Canada has coal enough for 35, 600 years but seldom enough for one years," according to X-ray photographs takes of 900 years but seldom enough for one years but seldom enough for one years, but seldom enough for one years, according to the Toronto Globe.

Borah for U. S. Mine Operation. Washington, D. C.—Government op it may be a civil service, but that isn't the kind of treatment it is get-ting from the g. c. p. administrator.

Mayor Hylan wants to put pianos in the homes of New York burglars and operators. The escate state contends to the homes of New York burglars as a sesthetic antidote for the same as a sesthetic antidote for the same as a sethetic antidote for the same as sethetic antidote for the same as sethetic antidote for the same as some control of the call cannot an operators. The essant scale of cannot and operators. The sentence as the control of the same as a sethetic antidote for the same as a same and operators. The essant scale of the same as a same and operators. The essant scale of cannot and operators. The same as a sethetic antidote for the same as a same and operators. The essant scale of the same as a same and operators. The essa

24 Years Ago

Pinkerton & Froome are expecting a line carriage from a St. Louis firm

Dr. Sharp is improving the interior his residence. R. L. Maloney is

of his residence. R. L. Maloney is doing the work.
Hon. T. J. Kirk, who has been ill for some days past is getting better, and is able to be up and around.
Milton is making preparations to entertain the Pioneer's Association of Umatilla county, on June 1, 2 and 3.
James Fielder, James Koontz and Jess Stamper left this morning for Echo to begin on the sheep shearing circuit.
George Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs.

George Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Myers, who resides on Pine Creek, is dangerously ill with spinal-meningitis.

George Mulkev and Dave Bonifer left Tuesday, taking 84 head of cattle belonging to Frank Beale, to summer

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Mrs. J. M. Havs is the recipient of an elaborately printed invitation to be present at the "Second Great Hive Biennial Review of the Ladies" of the Maccabees for Michigan," to be held in Detroit, June 8, 9 and 10.

Judge Guishard died at Walla Walla Sunday evening, and the funeral will take place tomorrow. Judge Guishard was a pioneer, having fesided in Walla Walla for over 30 years.

You can get out your fishing tackle for trout is now rive. James Swart, a Wilbur fisherman, is reported to have caught 303 "rpeckled beauties" in Squaw creek, Saturday afternoon Joe Ell and Tom Vaughn, of Pendleton, were in the city Sunday for the purpose of purchazing a horse to be used in the Pendleton fire department service.

The evening Press is on sale at the "Blue Front."

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Marshel Carden was engaged a couple of days this week in cleaning out the water tower.

Daniel Briggs of Weston, was in town yesterday shaking hands with his many friends before departing for Klondike. He and Barney Prine will leave for the "frozen north" in a couple of days.

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The Athena Mercantile Company have been appointed agents for the J. I. Case Threshing Co. They will soon have on exhibition a complete threshing outfit, consisting of a 15 horse power compound engine and a 32-54 separator with automatic stack attachment. With this machine the job of straw buck is gone.

Mose Woodward and family will de-

Mose Woodward and family will de-part in a few days for an extended trin through the Eastern States. They will be absent some time and will visit relatives in the state of New Hamp-shire, before returning.

Dr. Sharp reports Chas. Nelson.
Mrs. Bolen, Hugh Roby's little daughter, a child of Cass Cannon's and R.
L. Maloney's little son on the sick

list.

Throughout Umatilla county hay is a scarce article: The price baid in Pendleton is \$10.75 per ton, delivered. The Athena Press makes its bow with a bright and newsy little daily, which will be conducted for three months. The first issue promises well. The Press reflects the enterprise of the community in which it is published.

published.

W. H. Fletcher, the saw mill man, is down from the mountains making contracts for supplying lumber. Mr. Fletcher's mill is now located on a fine body of timber and as soon as mountain roads become passable he will be able to supply the public with the best grades of high class building material.

Miss Grace Philips, who recently completed an eleven months term of

completed an eleven months term of school in the Basket Mountain dis-trict, will commence the next in that district April 4th. Mrs. Philips goes to the mountains with Miss Grace.

Don't forget I am still in the hauling game. Light or heavy hauling at reasonable prices.

Guy Crouk

SALE OF IMPROVEMENT BONDS Notice is hereby given that the city of Athena will sell improvement bonds to the amount of \$4348.26, issued in denominations of \$500 each, dated March 1, 1922, payable ten years after date and hearing internal the prime minister, fresh from his retirement in the country, threw down the gauntiet to his opponents and declared that a vote on the hitherto innocuous Genoa resolution was tantamount to a vote of confidence or lack of confidence in the government.

House Won't Pay Anybody \$35,000.

Washington, D. C.—The house put its foot down firmly on a proposal to pay salaries of \$35,000 to four shipping board officials, refusing by a unanimous vote to approve the conference report on the independent of ficers' appropriation bill, which would sale bonds are awarded to the bidder and to be returned to the bidder if he be insuccessful.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT

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In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilia County.
In the Matter of the Estate of Claude
A. Reeder, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final account and report in the above-entitled matter and that the above-entitled Court has fixed Saturday the 6th day of May, 1922, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. of said day as the time, and the County Court room in the County Court House at Pendleton, Umatilia County, Oregon as the place for hearing said account and report.

Objections to said final account and report should be filed on or before said date.

Dated at Athena, Oregon this 7th day of April, 1922.

Administrator.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Umatilla County.

In the Matter of the Estate of E. W. Achilles, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Administrator of the Estate of E. W. Achilles, deceased, by the above entitled

Court.

All persons having claims against the said Estate are hereby notified to present them to me at Athena, Oregon, wihin six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. All claims must be verified as by law required.

Pequired.
Dated at Athena, Oregon. this 31st day of March, 1922.
OLIVER DICKENSON,
Administrator.

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In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Umatilla County.

In the Matter of the Estate of L. Hodgen, Known as Lou Hodgen, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have been appointed administrators of the estate of L. Hodgen, known as Lou Hodgen, deceased, by the above-entitled court.

All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present them to us at Athena, Oregon, or to our attorneys, Peterson, Bishop & Clark of Pendleton, Oregon, or Watts & Prestbye of Athena, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. All claims must be verified as by law required.

Dated at Athena, Oregon, this 24th.

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JULIA LEE HODGEN,
FRED HODGEN,
M24A21
Administrators.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVE-MENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Common Council of the City of Athena has passed an Ordinance being ordinance No. 169 providing for the improvement of Hunt Avenue from the North Line of Main street to the North City limits of the City of Athena, such improvement to consist of grading, ditching and covering the rondway with crushed rock or crushed gravel to a width of 16 feet, being 8 feet on each of the center line of said street. Plans and specifications for such work, estimates of the cost thereof, and statement of the property to be assessed therefor with an estimate of the percentage of the total cost which each of such lots, parts of lots and parcels of land adjacent to such improvement, are on file in the office of the City Recorder.

All persons interested are farther motified that application for raising or lowering the percentage of the cost of such improvement to be charged against any lot, part of lot or parcel of land shall be a charged against any lot, part of lot or parcel of land shall be filed with the cost of such improvement to be charged against any lot, part of lot or parcel of land shall be filed with the cost of such improvement to be charged against any lot, part of lot or parcel of land shall be filed with the cost of such improvement to be charged against any lot, part of lot or parcel of land shall be filed with the cost of such improvement to be c NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that

cost of such improvement to be charged against any lot, part of lot or parcel of land shall be filed with the City Recorder within 10 days from the date of this notice.

Dated this 24th day of March, 1922.

B. B. RICHARDS,

City Recorder.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the county court of the State of Oregon, for Umatilla County. In the Matter of the Estate of Clare G. Stone, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the under signed has been appointed executor of the estate of Clare G. Stone, deceased, by the above-entitled.
Court.
All persons having claims against

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