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Japan seems to be living up to the letter of the Washington peace conference. While two other signatory powers of the conference are standing in the offing, heckling over the terms of battleship scrapping, the Nipponese have dismantled thirteen of their ships, stopped work on the building of four others, and discharged 12,000 officers and men. She has further shown her desire for peace in the Pacific, and made practical, so far as her part is concerned, the results of the conference in greater extent than any other nation participating. Her fidelity to the treaty obligations is more conclusively shown in the reduction of her army to one-fifth, and the shutting of 57,000 of her soldiers into the private walks of life. Also, she has returned to China the province of Shantung, and withdrawn her troops from there.

Every police department and law enforcement organization in the country stands in a position to be wised up from the standpoint of efficiency as compared with that Los Angeles sleuth machine. Down there, apparently all a murderer or criminal need be endowed with to pull off his job and get away with it, is nerve; the undertaking is easy for it has been demonstrated that the police organization of the city and county is impotent to intercept him. If by accident, he should be captured, he stands a fair chance of wearing out the judicial machinery in an endless process of retrial, in the end gaining his liberty by virtue of a "hung" jury. If by chance, he is convicted, his pals saw away prison bars, and bare-footed, he makes his escape—and Mexico swallows another Americano.

In the first of his series of fifty-four letters to appear in American newspapers, revealing secrets of State relative to European affairs brought on by the World War, David Lloyd George, in part analyzes the position taken by Clemenceau. The high spots of his reply to the French Tiger are, "Clemenceau ought to have made his complaint in Paris against men of his own race, and not in New York against Englishmen . . . The pact (guarantee to France backed by England) lies for the moment in the waste paper basket. But we never flung it there . . . Alas, Satan is not through with Europe."

That O. A. C. materially helps herself in lessening the cost of operating the institution may be cited by the fact that during the past summer and fall, the horticultural products department consumed a carload of sugar and 50 cords of wood in preparing products for its dormitories, fraternities, and clubs. The surplus was disposed of to grocers. Eighty-one tons of fruit were put up by the department, including 10 tons of strawberries, 12 tons of loganberries, 8 tons of blackberries, 7 tons of black-cap raspberries, 5 tons of plums, 15 tons of pears, 4 tons of peaches, 15 tons of apples and 5 tons of prunes.

Beginning at home in slicing taxes—municipal, school and county—would seem to be the logical solution of the tax problem. Putting it up to the legislature, after the bulk of taxation has been voted by the taxpayers upon themselves, may be likened to asking for pork after the barrel has been emptied. In the light of retrenchment, about all the legislature may be expected to accomplish is the lopping off of state salaries and the abolishment of commissions.

The Oregonian pretends to see in President Harding's drive on the ship subsidy bill, that he has taken hold of the reins and proposes to do a little driving himself hereafter. The Portland paper remarks: "Perhaps it is not too late to mend, but the people have shown their resentment, both of his conduct and of that of the expiring congress, by giving him a new team that he will be far more prone to balk or run away, break the harness and kick the wagon to pieces."

Out of the ashes, Astoria will grow a bigger and better city. In the cinders and embers left by the fire fiend is written the spirit of her indomitable citizenry, "down, but not out."

Old Man Winter not very far away when water pipes freeze up and the plumber quits playing tennis—or is cricket Jack Calder's favorite game?

The taxpayers' league found nothing wrong with the county budget. Of course not. The budget committee merely based apportionment upon its

findings of what the law declares shall be liquidated in the payment of taxes for county government, plus conservative and reasonable margin to cover contingencies.

David Lloyd George in the role of an Ex-prime minister, convinces the reading world that he is superlatively prime in his command of the English language.

Septimus Shrimp! Not of the edible variety, thank heaven; but the writer of a murky, malicious article favoring another anti-fish bill.

A house built on the sands will fall, and a city with piling for its foundation proves to be easy prey to fire.

The KITCHEN CABINET

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"For the housewife who loves to cook, the planning and preparation of meals is as much of a joy and entertainment as a card game or a movie. But don't forget that variety in entertainment is the spice of life."

DAINTY DISHES FOR OCCASIONS

The luncheon may be made the most interesting meal of the day and the cook who enjoys manipulating foods so that with small outlay appetizing dishes are made, is a real genius.

Chicken With Golden Sauce

Arrange on a platter the choicest pieces of chicken (most of the white meat) in portions suitable for serving, the chicken having been previously cooked until tender. Pile boiled rice around the edge of the platter and pour over all the following sauce:

Melt four tablespoonfuls of butter and add the same amount of flour. Stir until smooth then add slowly one pint of chicken broth and cook until smooth and thick. Remove from the stove and add, stirring rapidly, the yolks of two eggs well beaten. Season with salt and pepper and a dash of cayenne. Sprinkle with a little chopped sweet red pepper.

Chicken Terrapin.—Melt three tablespoonfuls of butter, add two tablespoonfuls of flour, pepper and salt to taste, a few grains of cayenne and one cupful of hot milk. Cook in a double boiler a few minutes until smooth and thick. Add one and a half cupfuls of chicken, turkey or veal, cut in dice, the yolks of two hard-cooked eggs chopped fine, and the whites in larger pieces. Cook three minutes.

Creamed Eggs With Asparagus.—Cook until well done six eggs; cut in halves and place while hot on a hot platter. Prepare a rich, white sauce, using four tablespoonfuls of flour and butter and seasoning with one pint of rich milk; cook until smooth and thick. Arrange hot cooked asparagus cut in short stalks around the eggs and pour the white sauce over the asparagus. Garnish with toast points and serve hot.

Celery cooked in three-inch stalks may be served in this dish in place of the asparagus.

An encloped dish, using asparagus, manroni or celery with white sauce baked with a covering of buttered crumbs, makes a most tasty luncheon dish.

Nellie Maxwell

How Not to Get Money.
John and I were on a river steamboat about a year ago. During the excursion I happened to discover, seated on the railing of the second deck, a man I recognized as a multimillionaire. John and I framed up on him. We knew that if we could arrange a way to save him from drowning he would probably reward us handsomely. So John pushed him overboard and I dived in and pulled him out. No good. It took all the money the millionaire gave me—every penny of it—to get John out of jail.—Barry Payne's column.

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L. C. Bevins, Proprietor

High School Notes

Rev. Huling, who is conducting revival meetings at the Baptist Church this week, gave a very interesting talk before the high school Wednesday morning upon the "Value of the Bible."

Mr. W. O. Read was a school visitor last Monday.

The first and second boys' basketball teams from Adams played Athena's teams Wednesday afternoon.

They were practice games and Athena won both games with a score of 29-18 for the first team and 22-3 for the second team.

The student body's share of the receipts from the Burkhart Company's performance, Monday night were \$7.15.

The first of the basketball games of the season to be played on the Athena floor are scheduled with Helix for January fifth.

Notice

The regular meeting of the stockholders of The First National Bank, of Athena, Oregon, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before it, will be held in its office in Athena, Oregon on Tuesday, January 9th, 1923 at the hour of two o'clock p. m. Dated December 8th, 1922. F. S. LeGrow, Cashier.

NOTICE OF SALE OF IMPROVEMENT BONDS.

Notice is hereby given that the City of Athena will sell Improvement Bonds to the amount of \$3653.58, issued in denominations of \$500.00 each, dated January 1, 1923, payable ten (10) years after date, and bearing interest at (6) per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, on July 1st, and January 1st, interest evidenced by coupons attached. Sealed proposals for all or any portion of said issue should be filed with the City Recorder of the City of Athena, on or before 7:30 p.m. on the 26 day of December, 1922, at which time bids will be opened; each bidder will be required to accompany his bid with a certified check to the order of the Mayor of the City of Athena in ten (10) per cent. of the amount of the bid, to be forfeited in the event such bonds are awarded to the bidder and

he refuses to take the same and to be returned to the bidder if he be unsuccessful.

Said bonds are issued under the terms of Ordinance No. 79 of the City of Athena.

Dated December 4th, 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 Wm. Schrimpf, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the estate of Wm. Schrimpf, deceased, by an order of the above-entitled court.

All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present them to me at Athena, Oregon or to my attorneys, Homer I. Watts and E. C. Prestbye, at their office in 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 17th day of November, 1922.

Eugene C. Schrimpf
N17-D15 Executor

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Delilah Hill, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the above entitled court executor of the last will and testament of Delilah Hill, Deceased, and that she has qualified as the law directs. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby notified to present the same to me at my home in Athena, Umatilla County, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof with proper vouchers.

Dated this 20th day of November, 1922.

Mary I. Hill, Executrix.

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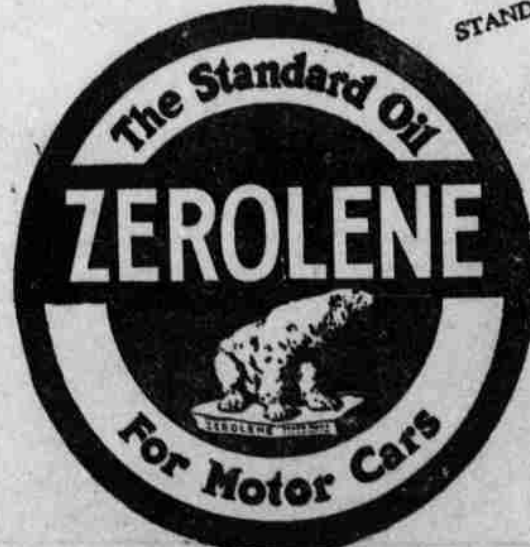
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