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MODERNIZING OLDEST INDUSTRY

Food is the latest of the great industries to adopt the principles of mass production and distribution. Great organizations, says the Manufacturer, are to manufacture scores of non-competitive products, thus giving the consumer the advantage of facilities that improve quality and cut costs. Perhaps the only remarkable thing about this new trend is that it has been so long in coming. It is certainly logical that the most essential and basic of all industries should adopt the methods whereby other American industries have progressed to a point where they are the greatest in world history. The housewife of the future should get a superior food product for a lower price, even as mass production has given us better clothes, automobiles, transportation, gas and electric service and a multitude of other commodities.

EFFECTIVE REVERSAL

In the opinion of William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, the recent stock market crash will result in new life in the building industry throughout the nation. He declares the stock market reversal will release billions of dol- of moisture is taken into consideralars for other uses. "In my judg- tion. ment," he says, "beginning with early spring and going into the summer, building will grow and expand. When building is going good, then the steel business is improved. The demand for other materials is improved. Workers are put to work; they are able to buy and it all comes back to the garment industry, luxury industries, service industries and those that suffer first when a crash or shock is inflicted upon our economic and industrial life. Is was impossible for \$30,000,000,000 in values to be wiped out overnight without the industrial and economic structure feeling the shock."

One of our exchanges is of the opinion that what is needed to solve our crime problem may be an application of the old, robust, frontier spirit of America. The western empire was not tamed by professional reformers and law-passers. The badmen flourished until hardy citizens, on lawlessness, gave them a taste of Great Northern Railway company on their own medicine. One dose of lead construction work in electrifying that constructive conservatism were dis proved to be worth more than a dozen doses of sumptuary legislation. The Seattle, Mr. Wood is working with the old days are over. But much the same crew which at this time is electrifying situation remains in the underworlds of our great cities. A ruthless, organized and intelligent criminal class is pitting itself against society. And so far society seems to have lost ground. from their many firends since their

The chances and uncertainty of aviation at its present stage, is again confronted in the worst crash in the history of Bolling field, Washington, D. C. when a tri-motored plane, bearing Representative Kaynor and four others, hurtled 300 feet to the ground night for a game with the Milton bounced, then burst apart and dug team. The local boys were defeated furrows three feet deep in the rainsodden earth, instantly killing the is composed of Dean Pinkerton, Lee five passengers. Captain Dinger, a widely known army pilot was at the Pambrun, Fay Pambrun, Wilbur Harcontrols and cause of the accident to the \$80,000 plane will never be known.

By virtue of being president of the Oregon state senate, Albin Walter Norblad is governor of Oregon, receiving the appointment on the death a 48-year-old lawyer of Astoria and lawyer that the building boom in Scatbecame executive head of the state forty-five new residences have been through an amended clause in the state constitution which provides for and big buildings continue to go up the carrying on of the affairs of the in the business district. office in case the governor dies. Mr. Norblad will hold office till after the next election.

In schools where safety instruction is well organized at least a 50 per cent reduction in child mortality has been effected. This direct saving in lives is not the only benefit of safety instruction. It prepares a new generation to take its place in life with a sound knowledge and intuitive grasp of the accident problem.

Goods roads have reduced the average automobile operating cost from 10 cents a mile to six and one-half cents in the last five years, according

of the country into nineteen big systems, can now lean back in their Faddens Pharmacy.

swivel chairs and wait for the railroads to do something about it. And what the railroads will do is the leading question.

After functioning five years, "the Fascisti League of North America" has been declared dissolved by delegates at a recent meeting in New York. How Mussolini feels about it, is not known, but we haven't noticed any rise in the price of spaghetti.

"Dick" Byrd is now rear admiral on the retired list. He earned this distinction in the estimation of his courtry in recognition of his scientific effort to find out something about the antarctic regions, including his intrepid flight over the south pole.

An Oklahoma banker stood pat and shot two robbers who were attempting to loot his bank. Being a good shot is not a bad accomplishment for a banker to be endowed with, and the opportunity to show it, in this instance at least, is gratifying.

Says the Weston Leader:"An Oklahoma chemist declares that he can extract alcohol from petroleum, but he would confer a greater boon by separating booze from gasoline."

for Athena schools, but the pupils may be depended upon to make the most of it. Lying under a blanket of snow,

Only one week of holiday vacation

from inches to feet in thickness, the East got more out of Christmas than Pedestrians can get along slushy

Merry Christmas and a Happy New

Programs at the Churches The Christmas programs were held at the churches Sunday, both the Baptist and Christian churches giving excellent and appropriate entertainment. At the Baptist in the evening the little folks gave the first part with recitations, followed by a musical cantata: "The Nativity," which was sung by older members of the Sunday school. At the Christian church the little folks gave their program immediately following the Sunday school, and were given their treats then. The pageant: "The Shepherd's Vision," was given in the evening, a large number participating. Both churches were well filled, the programs being very impressive much appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Here Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wood, newlyweds, are here from Merritt, Washington to spend the holidays with relatives. Mr. Wood is employed by the line from Wenatchee, Washington to the eight-mile long tunnel through the Cascade mountains. Mrs. Wood will continue to teach school at Merritt, Washington. The young couple have been receiving congratulations return to Athena.

Town Team Organized A town basketball team has been organized in Athena with Laurence Pinkerton as manager. A schedule of games has not yet been arranged. The team motored to Milton Monday by the score of 30 to 36. The team Remilard, Fred Remilard, George den, Jack Booth, Oral Michener, Dalbreth Taylor, Arthur Taylor.

Here From Bryn Mawr H. M. Saulsberry was in Athena Monday from his home at Bryn Mawr, Washington: He came over on a short business trip, which involved the sale of his 1929 wheat crop. H. M. rebuilt in his neighborhood this year,

Picture Program Tomorrow night the Standard Theatre presents Paramount's startling gripping drama, "Woman Trap," star-ring Hal Skelly and Evelyn Brent.

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The interstate commerce commission having scrambled the railroads of the country into mineteen him are

SCHOOL TOPICS

(By E. E. Coad, Supt)

Sportsmanship is a mighty big must learn to place his emotions under the control of his intellect.

get a better slant on the real man ing plans for mutual protection. during the intense excitement and R. J. Boddy was in Pendleton yesstruggle of an important athletic con- terday. test than would be possible during Pendleton yesterday. years of intimate contact under more prosaic conditions.

Right here is an important fact ignored—that the emotional reactions of the individual are of far more importance to the state and to society in actions. An education makes a crim- vicinity. inal more dangerous. The difference between the law-breaking and the law-abiding individual lies in the difference in emotional reaction to the restraints which society places upon the individual. It may take a warped reactions as the criminal evolves in order to become an habitual criminal.

The playground, in the United States, is the great melting pot for citizenship. It is here that boys learn the inner secrets of sportsmanship. It is here that emotional ideals are that the potential future citizen

learns to place his emotional reactions

where the guidence of his intellect.

Sisters.

Mrs. Ida Gillis and children and day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock and the country of the guidence of his intellect. streets good naturedly when the cause under the guidance of his intellect. dleton today to spend New Years rights, to win and to lose like a man, C. Sharp. to select competent leaders, to obey the rules of the game, to rule and to be ruled, to recognize the value of a bedside and small hope for her reman by other standards than mere appearance-qualities which will alstead.

The lessons of good sportsmanship street to Third, has been torn down that are taught on any well governed and properly controlled playground sons are bad for the bully and mighty ing a depot there at once. bad for his followers who are to become citizens of a republic where leadership should be the badge of favor and not the craven obeisance of force and fear.

THE GOVERNOR'S PROMISE FULFILLED

(John W. Kelly)

Dignity, seriousness, economy and tinguishing marks in the administration of the late Isaac Lee Patterson, governor of Oregon. No governor ever brought a more dignified atmosphere to the office; no governor ever looked the part so well. Tall, slender, well-groomed and thatched with snowwhite hair, Governor Patterson satisfied the eye as to what such a high official should look like. He referred to himself as a "dirt farmer," and was one, but his appearance was that of a successful merchant.

For 35 years he held a part in the public life of his native state, and the crowning glory of his career was achieved when, in the past three years, he served as the highest of- just bet we are mighty ficial in Oregon. His public service thankful for your patwas abruptly terminated by his unexpected demise Saturday night, leaving unfilled the final year of the term for which he was elected by the people in 1926.

In his candidacy for the governorship he pledged himself to give the people a real business administration without frills. This promise he kept to the letter, as any impartial survey going to be our guiding of his three years in the office of chief executive will confirm.

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Real Estate

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21 Years Ago

January 1, 1907

William Scott, president of the subject. A volume could not do it Umatilla Wheat Growers' association, justice. It is important in that it has called a meeting of the organizadeals more with emotions than with tion for Saturday next at 2 o'clock p. the intellect. Yet the true sportsman tance to the members. A full attendance is earnestly desired. Farmers who have not already done so, are in-Sportsmanship is important in that vited to become members of the assot gives a true index to character. You ciation and thereby assist in formulat-

William Wood returned home from

Born of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hutt Oregon.

December 28, a son. Posters are out announcing a hard which educators, so far, have all but times ball at Adams, Friday night. Dean Gerking spent yesterday and today with relatives in Freewater.

Jerry St. Dennis, Jr., is up from general than are his intellectual re- California, visiting relatives in this Tobe Bush came up from Pendleton

> ena friends. W. D. Chamberlain returned home yesterday morning from Portland,

where he spent several days. The Sheard family, residing north intellect to condone such emotional of Athena, is quarantined, there being a case of scarlet fever there. Miss Bessie McBride, after spend-

ing the holidays with relatives and friends in Athena and Pendleton, has returned to Portland. The Pythian Sisterhood and the

and there is now but one auxiliary to created. It is here that lessons in the Knights of Pythias, the Pythian tion of the estate; that the County

It is here he learns fair play, property with the family of Mr. and Mrs. C. Mrs. J. R. King is critically ill at her home in Weston with pneumonia.

covery is entertained. An old landmark, the "Blue Front," ways stand the business and profes- a building in which barrels of whiskey sional man, the future citizen, in good were sold in Centerville pioneer days, and which was later moved from Main

and removed. Hermiston, the little town between Echo and Umatilla, is growing to perty Damage insurance. Cost very are conductive to good citizenship and "beat the band." New cottages are are inimical to criminal ideals. On springing up over the townsite, a new the other type of playground, where hotel has recently been opened and the the natural bully holds sway, the les- O. R. & N. company will begin build-

> In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.
>
> Frank L. Silvers, Plaintiff, vs. Edith T. Silvers, Defendent.
> To Edith T. Silvers, the above named

You are hereby required to appear

and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause within four weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, which date is set forth below, and if you fail to so appear and answer, for want thereof, plaintiff will apply to said court for the relief prayed for in said complaint, to-wit: For a dissolution of the marriage contract now existing between riage contract now existing between plaintiff and defendant.

This summons is served upon you by publication thereof for four consecutive weeks in the Athena Press by order of Honorable James Alger Fee, Judge of the above named court and which said order was made and dated the 23rd day of December, 1929, and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 27th day of December 1929 ber, 1929.

I. M. Schannep, Attorney for plain-tiff, Postoffice address: Pendleton

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS
MEETING

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of The First National Bank of Athena, Oregon, for the election of directors for the ensuing 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 14, 1930, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. Dated, December 10, 1929, D13 J10 F. S. LeGROW, Cashier. Saturday and spent the day with Ath-

> NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.

In the Matter of the Estate of John A. Keller, Deceased. Notice is hereby given to all per-

sons whom it may concern: That Florence N. Keller, executrix of the last will and testament of John Rathbone Sisters have consolidated, A. Keller, deceased, has filed her final account and report in the administrain the forenoon as the time and the County Court House at Pendleton, Oregon, as the place where all objections and exceptions to said final account and report will be heard and a settlement of the estate made.

Dated this 13th day of December,

> FLORENCE N. KELLER, Executrix Peterson & Lewis, Attorneys for D13J10

> > INSURANCE PLUS

tected by Public Liability and Prolittle and is worth many times the cost. Every owner should carry Landlords, Owners and Tenants Liability insurance, only \$7.50 and may save your home. This is an age of ambulance chasers and damage suits. You owe it to yourself and to society. Neglect may wreck your fortune; it is wasting at the bung hole and saving at the spigot. Liability protects you, life insurance protects your family. We write it and service our policies throughout the policy year. In the name of the State of Oregon: Insurance plus service.

B. B. RICHARDS.

Tum-A-Lum Tickler

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THANKS FOLKS!

trade you folks give us we couldn't continue in business, that's all. You

ronage during 1929. To make our business of even greater value

principle again in 1930. The past year may have brought its disappointment and troubles but let's not carry them over into this year for we probably will get some nice ones without

even looking for them. A NEW YEAR! Say, folks, if we had a monopoly on happiness and

If it wasn't for the prosperity we would our wives as we are of certainly pour out mighty generous share

WE COULD DO WITHOUT The man in the office

ould do without one meal a day, but he would ot like it. The man on the farm could get along orn planter, he could do his planting by hand. And a woman could get along without many labor saving conveniences in her kitchen. We men folks never hesitate to buy equipment that will save time and

purselves. A built-in kitchen cabinet, new floors and a coat or two of fresh bright paint on the woodwork is what she wants-and we have

Be careful of too many New Year resolutions.

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without a seed drill or hair cut noticed that the barber's dog had his eyes fixed on his master

> "Nice dog," said the customer. "He seems very fond of watching you cut hair."

"Tain't that," said the work. Why shouldn't take an' snips off a piece we be as considerate of of a customer's ear."

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The above rates apply when bills are paid in full within 10 days
from date of bill. Otherwise, the rate will be increased by 10 per
cent on each item.

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