The Observer

MORO, OREGON.

FRIDAY.....March 29, 1912

Personal Talk With You.

At any time when requested to do so, the paper will be discontinued. But we expect that all arrears will be paid before such request is made. It is easy to ask us for a statement, which will be cheerfully rendered at any time.

ENGLISH STRIKE IS CAUSING SUFFERING

With Coal Vanishing, Thousands of Families Are Reduced to Want.

London.—Appalling suffering prevails throughout England, Scotland and Wales as a result of the prolonged strike of the coal miners. Every district in the three countries is affected. Thousands of families living in the cities have pawned their property, including furniture, and are living in bare rooms without fuel. Soup kitchens have been established in all communities of more than 5000 population. The infant mortality is appalling. In hundreds of thousands of homes a weak gruel made of moistened meal is the only sustenance given the babies. The home office estimates that at least 2,500,000 persons are out of work as a direct result of the strike. Counting others depending on these for a livelihood, the total of those facing starvation exceeds 10,000,000.

Heads of the different municipalities throughout England sent word to government officials that they will be unable to maintain order unless the strike is speedily settled. Food riots already have occurred in Scotland and Wales, and the situation is hourly becoming more acute.

Great pressure is being brought to bear upon the mineowners to accept the minimum wage scale, which grants five shillings a day to adults and two shillings to minors.

Cotton Operatives Given Raise

Fall River, Mass.—By posting notices in mills employing 22,000 textile workers that an increase of 10 per cent in wages would be given all employes returning to work, the Cotton Manufacturers' association averted a general strike. The operatives had previously refused an increase of 5 per cent.

Three Governors Sign Fair Deeds

San Francisco.—Governors of the three great commonwealths of Washington, Idaho and Montana—Marion E. Hay, James H. Hawley and Edwin L. Norris—while in this city affixed their signatures to deeds to the building sites on the grounds of the Panama-Pacific Exposition, whereon their respective state buildings will be erected.

Liquor Amendment Lost in Maine.

Augusta, Me.—The legislature defeated the proposed amendment to the Maine constitution to allow local option on the question of permitting the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors in all the cities and in such towns as accept the amendment's provisions.

BATTLESHIP DEAD IN FINAL GRAVES

Washington.—The final chapter of the tragedy of the warship Maine was written when the bones of 67 unidentified dead, resurrected from the harbor of Havana, were buried in Arlington National Cemetery.

Before the services at the graves a service was held on the south front of the State, War and Navy building. This was attended by the president and vice-president, Chief Justice White and his associates on the bench of the supreme court, members of both houses of congress.

Amid much ceremony, the coffins had been removed from the scout cruiser Birmingham at the navy yard and escorted to the scene of the first ceremonial. President Taft occupied a chair in the center of the esplanade. On his right the Cuban minister sat. On his left were Rear-Admiral Sigsbee, who was captain of the old Maine and Rear Admiral Wainwright, who was executive officer of the ill-fated ship. Both bowed their heads when Father Chadwick, chaplain of the old Maine, recounted the scenes that attended the destruction of the vessel.

Federals Defeat Mexican Rebels.

Mexico City.—The vanguard of the federal army, numbering 500 men, commanded by General Trucy Aubert, defeated 800 rebels under General Salazar, 20 miles south of Jiminez, according to reports received at the government offices here. Heavy losses on both sides are reported.

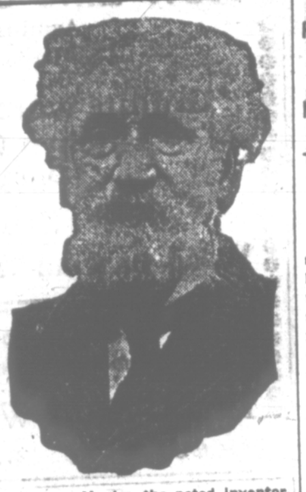
Stage Collapses as T. R. Speaks.

Portland, Me.—The center of the stage collapsed, carrying down Colonel Roosevelt, Chairman Enoch C. Foster and a dozen others, just as the colonel appeared to begin his speech before 3000 persons in the Auditorium here. The stage was only two feet high and no one was hurt.

600 Are Killed in Battle.

Buenos Ayres.—Six hundred were killed in the battle at Asuncion, which resulted in a complete victory for the revolutionary forces over the Paraguayan government troops.

HUDSON MAXIM



Hudson Maxim, the noted inventor, who says al armor plate is useless against modern guns.

ENGINE IS WAR RAM

Locomotive Loaded With Dynamite Deals Blow To Federals.

Jiminez, Mex.—The rebels after 3 days of fighting claim victory. There are many dead on both sides. General Gonsales Salas, the federal leader and late Mexican minister of war, is among the wounded.

Sixty of the federal dead were accounted for when the insurgents loaded a light engine with 40 boxes of dynamite and sent it headlong into an oncoming armored train loaded with federal soldiers.

The engineer of the armored train saw his danger and stopped but could not escape the on-rushing menace. The latter telescoped the engine and first car of the federal train and derailed the last two cars. At the same instant the dynamite exploded.

Italy Plans to Carry War to Turkey.

Milan, Italy.—The decisive stages of the Italian-Turkish war will be reached in the immediate future. Italy is planning to carry the war to Turkey. Her warships may yet attack the entire Turkish sea coast.

One Allen Raider is Captured.

Hillsville, Va.—Sidna Edwards, a tall, rugged mountaineer of 22, is the first catch of the posses that have been scouring the mountains for those of the Allen gang who escaped after the courthouse assassination of March 14, when a judge, prosecutor, sheriff and two bystanders were killed and two others were seriously wounded.

LAWRENCE STRIKE IS THING OF PAST

Boston.—The great Lawrence strike which brought in its train increased wages for 275,000 textile workers in New England, was officially declared off at all the mills in Lawrence, having accomplished its purpose, in the opinion of the leaders.

It is generally believed that advances in wages or reduction in hours of paper mill employes, bagging and burlap workers, machinists and operatives in other industries, all are traceable to the movement which owed its origin in Lawrence. The number of persons thus to benefit is more than 300,000.

New Bedford, where the manufactures of the finer grades of cotton goods have refused to accede to the demands of their employes for an additional five per cent, has displaced Lawrence as the center of interest in the textile situation.

Unless the mill owners give the increase demanded within a few days, it is feared that a strike of from 25,000 to 30,000 operatives will ensue.

New Mexican Senatorial Deadlock.

Santa Fe, N. M.—There is as yet no indication that the legislators of New Mexico have decided to settle down and make a serious effort to break the deadlock on the United States senatorships.

THE MARKETS.

Portland.

Wheat—Track prices: Club, 83c; bluestem, 92c; red Russian, 87c.

Barley—Feed, $32 per ton.

Oats—No. 1 white, $34 per ton.

Hay—Timothy, valley, $14; alfalfa, $13.

Butter—Creamery, 33c.

Eggs—Ranch, 21c.

Hops—1911 crop, 40c; contracts, 26c.

Wool—Eastern Oregon, 16c; Willamette Valley, 17c.

Mohair—32c.

Seattle.

Wheat—Bluestem, 91c; club, 86c; red Russian, 85c.

Barley—$40 per ton.

Oats—$30 per ton.

Butter—Creamery, 37c.

Eggs—31c.

Hay—Timothy, $14 per ton.

A WASTED LIFE.

A man can have no greater delusion than that he can spend the best years of his life coining all his energies into money, neglecting his home, sacrificing friendships, self improvement and everything else that is really worth while for money and yet find happiness at the end. There is never happiness in such a selfish life.

SEA FOOD FAKES.

Popular Fallacies About Shell and Other Fish.

NO GENUINE LITTLE NECKS.

These Luscious Clams Are a Thing of the Past, and Blue Point Oysters Are Mighty Scarce, Yet You May Buy Them Almost Everywhere.

Only about one person in a thousand who orders the luscious bivalve known as the Blue Point really gets the genuine article. The reasons for this are simply, first, because very few Blue Points are raised and, secondly, because the supply is usually marketed in November and December. This brand of oyster takes its name from being grown on beds in the vicinity of Blue Point, in Great South bay, Long Island. The water there is very shoal.

In consequence, when the howling winter nor'westers blow till they virtually empty the bay, any oysters on the beds freeze. To forestall the loss the wise oyster tonger becomes active and markets Blue Points in the fall. It is thus seen that the reason they are so small is that they have had only one summer in which to grow. A full sized oyster in that latitude requires two or three years to mature. Nevertheless you can find "Blue Points" on bills of fare in Kansas City at almost any time of year.

Every locality has its pet brand of oyster. Boston has its Cape Cods, New York its Saddle Rocks, Philadelphia its Cape May Salts, Baltimore, Washington and Norfolk their Lynnhavens. Each place is willing to wager that its particular bivalve is the most luscious in the world. Not being particularly averse to starting trouble, the writer wishes to state that, having been born in a New Jersey oyster raising community, reared near the most famous oyster beds of New York and having eaten mollusks harvested along every coast of the United States, he would lay a wager on the Bayou Cook oyster, raised in the gulf of Mexico, for first place in the great oyster sweepstakes, and on the Maurice river coves raised in Delaware bay for second place. There are many who will agree with me in this oyster rating.

As summer approaches persons who have enjoyed their Blue Points until the advent of the r-less month of May will, with the same sang froid, order a half dozen Little Neck clams as a prelude to a repast. They get them—not. The Little Neck clam is a thing of the past. Ha, the genuine, takes his name from Little Neck bay, which lies just where the East river joins Long Island sound.

The title, therefore, is not derived from any particular formation of the clam's anatomy, as most people believe. Clams, unlike oysters, cannot be cultivated on beds prepared for the purpose, but are found in what are termed natural beds. A number of years ago one of these great natural beds was discovered in Little Neck bay, the products of which were of the most toothsome and tender variety. The find was immediately pounced upon by clam rakers from far and near, and the reputation of the Little Neck was made. Although it took only a few years to exhaust the supply, nearly every clam from every bed in the country has since basked in the reflected glory of that Little Neck harvest, and you can still buy "genuine Little Necks" in any sea food emporium from Maine to California.

There are many people who do not know that hard shell crabs and soft shell crabs are identical, the only distinction being that the soft shell crab (for which you pay about three times as much as for the hard shell variety) is simply the crab caught immediately after he has backed out of his old shell and within two or three days of the time when the skin that covers his body has had a chance to harden into the new shell. Soft shell crabs, like certain Irish products, can be "eaten skin and all." They can be fried and made very palatable, whereas the crab with his regular shell in place has to be dug out of his armor and eaten in fragments or served under the menu titles "deviled crab," "crab flakes" or "crab salad."

The popular food finny members of the fish family have as many interesting characteristics as their shell-clad brethren. For instance, all the hotels and restaurants that serve "genuine" Blue Points and Little Necks heretofore referred to also set forth with the same degree of equanimity fillet of sole (a la anything that sounds palatable). The proportion of the genuine to the real article in the case of this commodity is even less than with the Blue Points.

The truth is that about ninety-nine times out of a hundred the chefs take our old friend the plebeian flounder, or flatfish, and dress him up as a Frenchman, for real sole in this country must be imported from French waters. Flounders are caught in great quantities all along the Atlantic coast from New Jersey to Maine. Wherever no other fish will bite you can always depend on hooking a number of the old reliable flounders.

The fact that Maine herring when quite young are canned and marketed for sardines done up in olive oil is fairly well known. As the home product is about as tasty and wholesome as the imported article there is not much use of getting excited over the imposition.—Captain C. A. McAllister, Revenue Cutter Service, in Chicago Record-Herald.

Westminster and London.

Not so many years ago Westminster was a separate locality from London. Between them were green fields and pleasant lanes. Now they are so closely knit that only the tax collector could swear to the boundary without consulting a map. In the wedding Westminster has lost some of her individuality.

For rheumatism you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. Try it and see how quickly it gives relief. For sale by all dealers.

It Was Being Done.

An Irish soldier while on furlough lost his left eye; but, not wishing to leave the service, he got a glass one in its place before returning to his regiment. Being somewhat absentminded, however, he appeared on parade one day without it. "Pat," said the sergeant-major, "you are improperly dressed. You have come on parade with only one eye." Pat was in no way nonplused, however. With characteristic Irish readiness he answered, "I left it in my quarters, sorr, to keep an eye on my kit."

Why He Was Late.

"What made you so late?"

"I met Smithson."

"Well, that is no reason why you should be an hour late getting home to supper."

"I know, but I asked him how he was feeling, and he insisted on telling me about his stomach trouble."

"Did you tell him to take Chamberlain's Tablets?"

"Sure, that is what he needs." Sold by all dealers.

The Intelligent Oyster.

It was Mr. Justice Darling who once defined a sheriff as something halfway between an oyster and a lord mayor. But Thackeray anticipated him in attributing human intelligence to oysters. "I was walking with him one evening from the club," wrote Edmund Yates, "and, passing a fish shop in New street, he noticed two different tubs of oysters, one marked 1 shilling a dozen and the other 1s. 6d. a dozen. 'How they must hate each other!' said Thackeray, pointing them out."—London Telegraph.

A Reminder of Years.

as well as yourself is liable at any time to have rheumatism. We're all liable to have cuts or burns, bruises or scalds, crick in the back, neck or side—some kind of an ache or pain. Then heed the advice and tell your neighbor—Ballard's Snow Liniment relieves all aches and pains, and heals all wounds. Sold by Moro Pharmacy.

Salt Mine by Postmaster.

At Berlin, Old Bad, among the Alps, the railway passes the rock salt mines from which the Swiss government procures most of the salt whose sale is a government monopoly and often sold only by the local postmaster, who deals not only in stamps, but in salt. At this point a toothed rail is brought into play, and the gradient rapidly increases, as the cars pass through woods of walnuts and chestnuts, here an important item of the diet and income of their owners.—National Magazine.

Don't be surprised if you have an attack of rheumatism this spring. Just rub the affected parts freely with Chamberlain's Liniment and it will soon disappear. Sold by all dealers.

No. 161. Report of the Condition of

The Wasco Warehouse Milling Co. Bank, at Moro, in the state of Oregon, at the close of business February 20th, 1912.

Resources—	
Loans and discounts	$ 93,465 70
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	797 27
Furniture and fixtures	1,438 75
Due from banks (not reserve banks)	530 57
Due from approved reserve banks	6,912 38
Cash on hand	6,526 95
Other resources	900 00
Total	$109,561 62
Liabilities—	
Capital stock paid in	$ 25,000 00
Surplus funds	5,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	5,084 44
Due to banks and bankers	90 20
Individual deposits subject to check	56,146 98
Time certificates of deposit	7,240 00
Bills payable for money borrowed	10,000 00
Total	$109,561 62

State of Oregon, County of Sherman } ss

I, W. D. Wallen, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. D. Wallen, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of February, 1912.

L. S. John M. Parry, Notary Public.

Correct, attest:

L. Barnum, R. C. Atwood, Directors.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In the County Court of the state of Oregon for Wasco county.

In the Matter of the Estate of S R Bonninghausen, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his Final Report and Account as administrator of the estate of S R Bonninghausen, deceased, in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Sherman county, and that said Court, in an order duly made and entered, has appointed Monday, the 6th day of May, 1912, at the hour of 10 a. m. as the time and the County Court house at Moro, Sherman County, Oregon, as the place for the hearing of said Final Report and Account, and all persons having any objections to said Final Report are hereby notified to be present at said time and place and present any such objections.

Dated February 20th, 1912.

DAVID S. YOUNG, Administrator.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

To all whom it may concern—

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County court of the state of Oregon for Sherman county, administratrix of the estate of James M. DeMoss deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same duly verified, to the undersigned at the office of W. O. Bryant, in Moro, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated and first published March 15th, 1912.

JULIA B. DeMOSS, Administratrix of the estate of James M. DeMoss, deceased.

W. O. BRYANT, Attorney for Estate.

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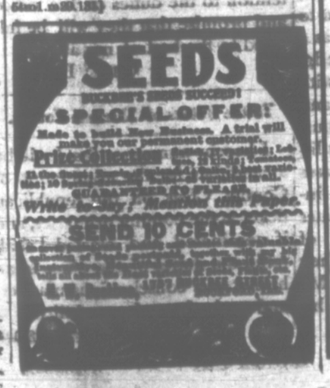

BACKACHE IS A WARNING.

More People Should Not Neglect Their Kidneys.

Backache is nature's most frequent signal of sick or weakened kidneys. To cure the pains and aches, to remove the lameness you must reach the cause—the kidneys. If you have pain through the small of your back, urinary disorders, headaches, dizzy spells, or are nervous and depressed, start treating the kidneys with a tested kidney remedy. The slightest symptoms of kidney trouble may be nature's warning of approaching dropsy, or fatal Bright's disease. Doan's Kidney Pills should be used at the first sign of disorder. Doan's Kidney Pills are especially for sick kidneys—have been curing kidney trouble for over 75 years. Read Moro testimony.

O B Messinger of Moro, says: "Last winter I was greatly annoyed by backache and I also had trouble from irregular passages of the kidney secretions. Being advised to take Doan's Kidney Pills, I did so and the contents of three boxes completely cured me."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

A Sad Predicament.

Mabel—I was so mortified at the Pouch mansion the other night. Flo—What happened? Mabel—I wanted to laugh in my sleeve, but I had on my decollete gown and had to hide the laugh in my glove.

"My little son had a very severe cold. I was recommended to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and before a small bottle was finished he was as well as ever," writes Mrs. H. Silke, 29 Dowling Street, Sydney, Australia. This remedy is sold by all dealers.

Great Cattle Countries.

Australia has cows enough to give each man, woman and child in the island continent three apiece, while the Argentine can do even better—there are five cattle to each inhabitant in the big South American republic.

Race Suicide

is not nearly the menace to increase in population that deaths among infants are. Eight out of ten of these deaths are directly or indirectly caused by bowel troubles. McGee's Baby Elixir cures diarrhoea, dysentery, sour stomach and all infant ailments of this nature. Just the thing for teething babies. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Moro Pharmacy.

SUMMONS—In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Sherman county.

A. B. Strait, Plaintiff, vs. Jessie Strait, defendant }

To Jessie Strait, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon:

You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order of publication, to-wit: on or before the 6th day of May, 1912, and if you fail to so appear and answer, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint filed herein against you, to-wit: for a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between the plaintiff and yourself, on the grounds of willful desertion, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem equitable and just.

This summons is served upon you by publication thereof for the period of six successive weeks in The Sherman County Observer, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, published in Sherman county, Oregon, in pursuance to an order of the Hon. Wm. Henrichs, County Judge for Sherman Co., duly made on the 23d day of March, 1912, and the date of the first publication thereof is the 22d day of March, 1912.

H. J. PARKISON & J. O. JEFFREY, Attorneys for Plaintiff

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SUMMONS—In the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon for Sherman county.

A W Quick, Plaintiff, vs. Minerva Quick, Defendant. }

To Minerva Quick, the above named defendant—

In the name of the State of Oregon:

You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order of publication, to-wit, on or before the 5th day of April, 1912, and if you fail to so appear and answer, plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint filed herein against you, to-wit, for a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between the plaintiff and yourself, on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment, and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem equitable and just.

This summons is served upon you by publication thereof for a period of six successive weeks in The Sherman County Observer, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published in Sherman county, Oregon, in pursuance to an order of the Hon Wm. Henrichs County Judge for Sherman county, duly made on the 17th day of February, 1912, and the date of the first publication thereof is the 23d day of February, 1912.

H. T. PARKISON; JOHN A. JEFFREY, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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Talking to Himself

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We talk out loud for the Scotchman's reasons. Would rather talk on P-r-i-n-t-i-n-g than on any other subject.

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