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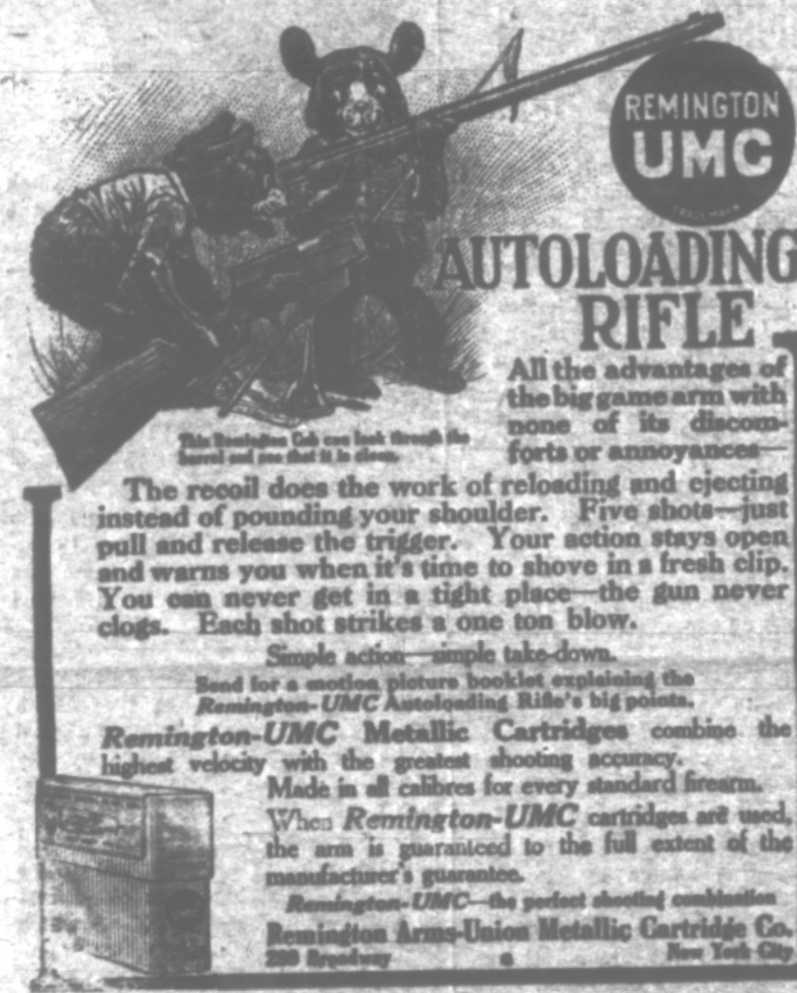
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The Lorimer case would be first in an Olympic of garrulity.

Huntington, Or., appears to be in need of some attention from Gov. West.

Col. Watterson is preparing a reply to Col. Bryan. The democratic harmony deepens.

No matter what happens to the Mexican insurgents they never run out of presidents who can be recalled.

Next to starting a third party the hardest job is that of the lecturer who has begun a crusade against fool clothes.

It will be hard to convince Uncle Sam that he has built a \$400,000,000 canal without reserving the right of reasonable regulation.

Andrew Carnadie says the political situation is too humiliating to be discussed. Andrew is too great an apostle of peace to be charmed by the war drums and bugle calls of the situation.

"A plague o' both your houses," says the proposed third party to the two old organizations. That remark was made by Mercutio, killed in the third act of Shakespeare's tragedy because the bard found that his excessive brilliancy was likely to kill the play.

The observant lad, fed mentally on the old-time precepts telling him that honesty is the best policy, that by industry we thrive, etc., has his confidence shattered when he learns that a wireless promoter gets paroled after serving a short term, and returns to enjoy the millions he had accumulated in such manner that a court had consigned him to prison.

Senator Borah has done another good work in proposing that the government relieve settlers of claims against them for abortive reclamation projects. It is but equity that the government should pay for its own mistakes and not saddle the burden on those whom it misled into backing its judgment.

The remarkable growth and progress of Bend was neatly pictured in the late progress edition of the Weekly Bulletin. Its 44 pages shows enterprise, executive ability, and skillful detail, surprising to most country jakes even with pride of their own equipment. All of the immense, varied resources of the Bend country are presented in style scarcely to be surpassed as to both illustration and letter press.

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As Mark Woodruff Remarks.

After returning to the Rose city from Good Old Sherman county, Mark Woodruff remarked, anent his appearance here on farmers' day at Moro Experiment Farm, June 25th:

With their bolos and machetes turned into sickles the Moros of Sherman county are preparing for an outbreak that will make history for Oregon. It has been five years since the Moro, Wasco and Grass Valley people created any disturbance in the wheat district. During most of that time they have built homes, dug wells, turned hot and cold water into their houses, imported a few brood sows and otherwise prepared to withstand a siege. But this year their brawny sons of the original warriors of ox-cart fame expect to decorate the landscape with automobiles and a few nick-knacks that pertain to the discredited rich.

There will be enough money in Sherman county this year to buy the available gasoline supply of the world, and use it for irritating purposes. It will come from 200,000 acres of the finest looking wheat that ever swung in the wind, and the grain-buyers who offer less than 75 cents a bushel better have their airship ready for instant departure. That means 4,000,000 bushels of wheat in Sherman county, or that \$3,000,000 will be in circulation as soon as the crop is moved.

According to the books of the assessor for Sherman county, the total tillable land is 271,000 acres; this season 115,967 acres are in fall wheat, 56,600 acres in spring wheat and 27,433 acres in other crops. For six months preceding April last the women of Sherman county carried \$9,000 in butter and eggs to the country stores. To keep business moving while the wheat was maturing, the farmers last year shipped horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, wool, butter and cream to the value of \$129,750; the hog shipments alone were valued at \$70,000 an increase of \$63,000 over any previous year.

Whizzing through the miles of grain fields of Sherman county one is struck with the scarcity of dwellings, which reveal the facts that of 365 land holders claiming their homes in Sherman county, but 262 actually maintain their homes on farms, and 103 lease their holdings; there are 302 non-resident owners of land, 71 of them being retired farmers who make their homes in Portland; but the worst handicap the county has to contend with is a San Francisco corporation holding 80,000 acres cultivated by tenants.

It was to bring about a change of these conditions that Sherman county purchased in 1909, a tract of 400 acres immediately adjacent to the city of Moro, for a government experiment sub-station, at which Superintendent D. E. Stephens, an expert from the department of agriculture is demonstrating the value of intensive tillage of soils.

Right Heartily We Thank You, Brother

Oregon Daily Journal: Of all Oregon farmers, none more need and deserve their big crops than those of Sherman, Gilliam and Morrow counties. Some of them have shown great faith and courage through lean, depressing years.

The incapacity of New York for self-government is indicated by a thousand current incidents. One of the most striking is the Rosenthal murder, which was perpetrated to conceal official malfeasance and in which, it now appears, the police were accessories if not principals. What shall we say of the civilization of a metropolis whose judges are chosen by a gang of thieves and whose police force includes re-handled murderers.

The national prohibition ticket, put up at Atlantic city, Eugene W. Chaffin, of Arizona, for president, and Aaron S. Watkins, of Ohio, for vice president. In each case the nomination was made by acclamation, after a single ballot had indicated the preference of the delegates. Mr. Chaffin, addressing the convention, promised to stand for the nomination. Because of a rush to adjourn, the plan to change the name of the party was not taken up for general discussion.

Wasco Letter to The Observer.

J. G. Medler and L. S. Brock started their header and thresher outfit in Arnold Buhmann's fall sown early hybrid wheat on the 11th. These men own a 24 Pride of Washington separator, and 12-h.p. Advance traction engine, and the way they put the straw through is not slow. At present (20th), they are in George Kaseberg's fall sown wheat and are taking care of two 14-ft headers, and six 4-horse beds. It is working to perfection and doing fine work. Mr. Buhmann's wheat averaged 15½ sacks an acre. Mr. Currys Turkey red, on the Henrichs place is going close to 13 sacks an acre.

A Bouquet for The O. Man.

D. C. Ireland, now the pioneer newspaper man of Oregon, editor of The Sherman County Observer, celebrated his 77th birthday July 4th. In the natural course of events there cannot be many more of these for The O. Man, and we hope that those remaining may be as full of kind remembrances as the day just past.

Democrats in the house stopped an attempt to get into the Congressional Record a straight-out free-trade speech delivered by Woodrow Wilson in Georgia. Is the party afraid of its candidate or starting in to condense the Record?

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