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AN APPEAL TO FRUGALITY.

N. Y. World: However serious the problem as to food supply may be, the worst possible way to meet it is by alarms and panics. Scares of every kind play into the hands of extortioners and speculators. The situation is one that should be met intelligently and courageously by individuals. In such an emergency self-help and self-restraint are worth more than anything that government can do.

Food is less abundant and therefore higher in price than usual because we are feeding a world at war. In belligerent nations consumption and prices are regulated by law. In this country much can be done in the same direction by economies easily within the reach of most families. To take fright at impending famine and make unneeded purchases at exorbitant rates will not help matters. What millions of Americans should learn from existing conditions is common frugality, which is neither injurious nor disgraceful. The price that is outrageous should not be paid. The article that is beyond reach should be passed by. The dealer who is always at the top of the market should find his customers looking elsewhere. Above all, there should be ingenuity in diet.

Government can do little in this matter except to punish those who break the law. The people can do much to take the inflation out of food prices by devoting serious attention to what is purchased, where it is purchased, and the terms, including the cost of delivery, upon which it is purchased. There is no reason for a stampede to buy. There are many reasons for an almost universal refusal to buy except prudently.

A NEW LABOR PROBLEM.

Farm and Fireside: The agricultural and to considerable extent the industrial, South confronts a new labor problem. Contractors and employing corporations are scouring that section gathering up negro laborers, and transporting them to the North and West to work at wages that look highly attractive. The South needs its labor, and is coming to appreciate the black man better as he takes his flight.

A few years ago a conference of southern leaders was held with the view of securing for that section a larger share of the immigrants arriving in this country. It was boldly declared that white immigrants were wanted to displace negro workers; the anti negro agitators affected to believe there was a chance ultimately to establish white as the standard labor of the south. Of course, had it worked it would have resulted in leaving the black man out of a job, a charge on the community. The new migration northward may produce some of the same effects without such disastrous consequences. The black man is better off as an agricultural worker than in any other capacity. All the authorities agree that in the long run he will develop best in the country.

BREEDERS OF WAR.

Mail: Why is Europe bathed in blood? Not because of men like Francis Joseph, surely; but because of the system that permits potentates like Francis Joseph.

Autocracy breeds war. Democracy is its remedy. All wars will not vanish, perhaps, when autocrats are gone. There have been wars founded on real national differences. There will be more such wars. But democracy gives much less chance for conflict between nations.

But when autocrats like Francis Joseph, and autocracies like those that surround the kaizer and the czar, no longer impose their scheming sway over great nations—when the dark tunnels and sewers of diplomacy are bared to the light—the most fertile breeding place of war, earth's great est pestilence, will have disappeared.

MISFITS

The national republican campaign com. spent \$2,441,365 to secure the election of Mr. Hughes.

This suggests a whole lot of remarks we are not going to make.

Now that Francis Josef is dead they are charging him with starting the war.

A Scotchman says that if you take long strides your shoes will last longer. The women's attention is especially called to this fact.

It looked as if there was going to be a split between the Corvallis G. T. man and the Dem. man; but there isn't, everything is all serene again. Here it is all fixed up by the G.-T.:

Miss Fits of the Albany Democrat, whom we love like a brother, has discovered that he can live on horse chestnuts. The Germans, he says, are doing it. The G.-T. has enjoyed putting an occasional chestnut burr under the Democrat's tail, because it has usually been so good natured about it. We hope not to be deprived of our little pastime by this new diet. We trust Misfits gets fat on it. Chestnuts ought to be an ideal forage for a man conducting a funny column.

These high cost of living days require horsechestnuts or something else.

As a matter of fact Misfits' breakfast costs about 3 cents, and he is getting fat on it.

FOR SALE, FIVE VOTES—Owner controls five perfectly good votes and desires to sell same to Candidate for Speaker of State House of Representatives in consideration of owner being appointed to Chairmanship of Ways and Means Committee. These five votes are owned body and soul; they have agreed to follow owner wherever he goes and to vote exactly as he orders; no one else can get them, for they are under heavy obligations they dare not violate. Candidate or other purchasers desiring same please address XX, General Delivery.—The Voter.

Medford is so full of municipal troubles it has hired an expert, Colonel Hansen, of Seattle, to diagnose the case and prescribe for the patient. Prevention is better than a cure, and a city does well when it doesn't get too much of a big head.

If men run their private businesses

the way some cities are run they would be in hot water all the time.

These Carranzistas should come to Albany and get some pointers from our sharp shooters.

Shops Close Thanksgiving—The barber shops will be closed Thursday. Open Wednesday till 9 p. m. n28-29

WEAVING—Carpets and rugs. Will furnish material and make carpets at 40 cents a yard. Satisfaction guaranteed. Minnie Smith, phone 339-Y.

FOR SALE—Light roadster automobile. First class condition. Recently overhauled. Address "Roadster" care Democrat. a51f

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A 10 million timber claim in Douglas county for city property or good farm land. Home 1143. f161f

WANTED—Places for girls to work and go to college. Notify W. H. Lee at Albany College. a191f

COMING EVENTS. Dec. 13-16, 1916—Central Willamette Valley Poultry Show at Albany.

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WANTED—A Scotch Collie pup, about 2 mos. old. Phone Scott Ward Home X 528. n28d1

FOR SALE—Fresh cow on easy terms. H. Bryant. n27d

FOR SALE—Baled oat and wheat straw. H. Bryant. n25-28

At the Jitney fair Dec. 12, in the First Presbyterian church there will be a Rummage Sale room. Anyone having articles to donate please phone 414-R. n10 d11 (Pd. adv.)

The ladies of the Grace Presbyterian church will hold a bazaar in the building formerly occupied by Scott & Conn at corner of Main and Salem road all day Wednesday, Nov. 29. All kinds of aprons and hand made articles, cooked foods for your Thanksgiving dinner everybody invited. n25-28

Williamette Lodge No. 859 L. O. O. M. meets every Wed. evening Moose Hall cor. 2nd and Lyon Sts. J. F. Kennedy, Sect. Visiting members welcome.

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FOR SALE—Kimball organ, good condition, cheap. Home phone 7306. n21-26

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Seen through a pair of our glasses. Thanksgiving will look brighter and more cheerful to you. No one can be really bright and happy whose sight is not what it should be. Stop in today and let us examine your eyes. E. C. MEADE, Optometrist

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MISCELLANEOUS. HEMSTITCHING—10c a yard. Sue Breckenridge, 333 Second St. Bell 96. Home 182.

MISS ARMSTRONG'S ART CLASS—Class days Friday afternoon and Saturday morning at residence E. C. Viereck. Orders taken for Christmas cards, pictures in oil and water colors. Leave orders at Art Craft. a261f

FOR SALE, Beef by the quarter, front quarter 7c lb., and hind quarter 9c lb., delivered. Phone 459-Y or write Wallace Triax, 1207 E. Water. n17d1*

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FOR SALE—Typewriter, L. C. Smith No. 2 visible, good condition. Price \$17.50. Inquire at Democrat office. n28 30

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LOST—Gold watch with K. P. bronze fob. Return to Democrat office. n23-25

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