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UNIVERSAL TRAINING

Certain professional peace theorists have with crafty cunning laid emphasis on the military feature of universal training, says Assistant Secretary of the Navy F. D. Roosevelt. They have called up pictures of the omnipresent uniform, of the Cossack whip of olden days, of the military dictator. They forget that in a true republic service which is universal is of necessity voluntary—it is, in other words, the desire of the majority of the people themselves. If there be shirkers, if there be any who would still place the liberty of the individual—their own little right to go their own gait—above the liberty and the need and the safety of the community and of the nation, then in their case alone can universal training be called compulsory. Few of us honestly fear that this nation will ever become militaristic—the trend of our civilization is all the other way. Switzerland and Australia are examples of progressive democracy successfully armed against attack. And yet many of our prominent men have argued with me that our great size would preclude us from following these systems. They can understand training a hundred thousand men but they balk at half a million. They are the kind of people who would organize a well or two to supply a city block but who would be appalled at the thought of a municipal water system.

The primary object of universal training is, it is true, to create an organization which would be used as a whole body for national protection in time of war. The country needs for army and navy alone a trained reserve of at least 2,000,000 men. This is not merely my personal conviction, but is corroborated by the investigations and reports of men who would in a crisis be responsible for our safety. There is in addition the aspect of the benefits this training would give in time of peace. If every boy of 18 years of age were to give a year of his life to his nation, the advantage would be at least as much with him as with the country.

TRAINING TO BE A PAGE.

Strenuous Work For Youth of the German Nobility.

One day, as I was strolling through the park of Castle K., I noticed Manfred, a ten-year-old boy, standing bolt upright under a tree. I wondered what he was doing at the time, and on seeing the poor little fellow still there when I returned some time later I asked the reason.

"Why, he's going through his standing drill," answered his sister, Freda. "He began with standing twenty minutes. Now he is so far along he can stand almost an hour and a half. But he's got to reach two hours. He's to be a page, you know."

At Prussian court functions later I sometimes recalled this scene, for the lads that are so picturesque in their theatrically pretty costumes suffer the chance of falling into swoons while standing at their posts behind the chairs of the royal princesses, posts at which it is their duty to stand upright and motionless during the long progress of courts, receptions, concerts, and the like.

During an evening concert I saw on one occasion four pages faint and fall in succession, their bodies being removed swiftly and unobtrusively by lackeys hovering in the background, while reserve pages stepped into the vacant post—Alida von Krockow in New York Independent.

FOUR-IN-HAND TIES.

An Easy Way to Iron Them After They Have Been Washed.

It is not an impossible task to wash a four-in-hand tie. The difficulty comes in ironing it in such a way that its original shape will be restored, writes Emile Parent in the Popular Science Monthly.

To do this it is necessary to proceed carefully. Start by placing the wide end of the tie upon the board with the seam up, then thrust in the finger and take hold of the lining. Grasp the silk cover in the other hand and pull it back from over the lining for about half its length. Then with a hot iron run over the lining to straighten it out.

Put a piece of stiff cardboard to fit into the wide end of the tie and long enough to reach to the narrow band. Slip this in between the lining and the seam side of the outer layer. Then turn the material back in proper shape, dampen a clean cloth, lay it over the tie and iron in the usual way.

The cardboard form will prevent the pressure of the iron from causing a glossy mark to appear on the silk front opposite the seam. When through put the form aside for another time.

CITY NEWS

Eugene Woman Here—

Mrs. S. B. Sprawn of Eugene spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. C. B. Earle.

Shakespeare Club to Meet—

The Shakespeare Study Club will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. John Shaw. Mrs. J. F. Watson will be the leader. The fourth act of King John is being considered.

Recruits Gaining Weight—

Jennings Cox and Floyd Wire, who were rejected from the U. S. Navy on account of being five pounds underweight, are gradually making up their shrinkage. Cox had added four pounds to his weight and Wire three pounds. They expect to make the requirement and be taken in before very long.

Joined the Navy—

Harvey McNab joined the navy yesterday, enlisting with Postmaster C. H. Stewart. He is a grandson of Ed G. Cox, a well known Linn county pioneer.

Leopold Reznick, of Mill City, is in Albany on business today.

MARKET REPORT

The prices given in the local quotations are those asked by the wholesaler from the retailer for fruit and vegetables. All other prices are those paid the producer. List corrected daily.

LOCAL

Grains
Wheat \$1.65
Oats, new 60c
Barley 35c
Shorts, per ton \$42.00
Hay, chest \$12
Hay, vetch \$12
Hay, timothy \$16
Flour, valley \$9.00

Butter
Butterfat 44c-46c
Creamery butter, per pound 45c
Country butter 35c-40c
Country butter trade 35c-40c
Eggs and Poultry
Eggs, trade 30c
Eggs, cash 30c
Hens, per pound 19c-20c
Broilers 28c
Ducks 18c-20c
Geese 10c

Pork, Veal and Mutton
Hogs \$13.50-\$14.60
Veal 8c
Steers 6c-8c
Cows 4c-6c
Bulls 4c-6c
Ewes 7c-8c
Lambs 12c-14c
Yearling sheep 9c-10c

Vegetables
Cabbage 6c
Potatoes, per 100 pounds \$2.75 to \$3
Parasips, carrots and beets \$2
Green Onions 4c
Lettuce, Cali crate \$2.50 to \$4.10
Onions 8c
Cauliflower \$2.85 to \$3
Brussels sprouts 12c

Retail Prices
Eggs 33c
Country butter 35c-42c
Sugar, beet 9c-28c
Creamery butter 50c-51c
Flour, hard wheat \$2.75-\$2.90
Flour, valley, \$2.50-\$2.65

Fruit
Apples, 75c-\$2.50
Oranges, navel, \$3.25-\$3.75
Lemons, per box, \$3.50-\$4.50
Bananas, pound 5 3-4c
California grape fruit \$3 to 3.25
Florida grape fruit \$6
Honey \$3.25-\$3.50
Coconuts \$1.20
Sugar, cane, 9c-28c
Sugar, beet, 8c-28c

Portland Markets

Bluestem, \$2.08
Wheat, club, \$2.05
Red Russian, \$2.06
Fortyfold, \$2.06
Oats, No. 1 white feed \$48.25
Barley, feed \$48.50
Potatoes, \$3.50-\$4.00
Hogs, best live \$15.10-\$15.35
Fancy cows \$8.50-\$8.75
Prime steers, \$9.50-\$10.25
Calves \$7-\$10
Valley lambs \$11-\$11.15
Butter, city creamery 44c-45c
Butterfat 43c-44c
Eggs, 32c
Hens, 21c
Broilers \$4-\$6 per dozen
Geese 12c-13c
Turkeys, live 20c-21c
Wool 16c, valley cotswold best 42c-46c

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FOR SALE—Large size \$15 kitchen Cabinet, for \$5. Phone Bell 97. m 241f*

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THE PERFECT SILO—Model erected near Barrett Bros., call on them for information and prices or write G. A. McCart, Harrisburg, Oregon, County agent m23 a23*

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FOR SALE—This ought to interest any one who is living in rented property. A good 4 room, plastered house on large corner lot, cement sidewalk on both streets, cement walk from street to door, both city and well water, at \$775—\$75 down, bal. like rent. Call at 413 Ellisworth St. a 12-14*

FOR SALE—Five year old horse, call Home phone 1535. a 12-14*

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WANTED—Boy 18 wants position on farm. Lived on farm 17 years, can do anything. Call Home phone 4268, John Meek. a 11-18*

WANTED—Woman wants washing to do at home. Will go away to work on Saturdays. For information call Home phone 1266. n131f

WANTED—Man to work on ranch, and 4 wood cutters. Bell phone 22-F12. a 11f*

WORK WANTED—Will go out or take work home. Lace curtains a specialty. 25c per pair. Bell 596-J, or 323 E. 2nd. a14f

Wants Home—A fine little girl nine years of age (an orphan) wants a good, permanent home. If interested inquire of G. H. Rohrbough, 834 Walnut street, Albany. a14-17*

WANTS WORK—Lady wants work by day or hour. Home phone 3460

WANTED HIRED MAN—A good job for a married man on farm, will provide separate house. Inquire of J. A. Howard. a 13-16*

FOR SALE—\$500 Strohber piano, good as new, cheap if taken at once, address W.W. care Democrat. a 13-20*

WANTED—An experienced waitress wants work in either hotel or restaurant. Bell phone 276. a17-19*

WANTED WAITRESS—An experienced girl to wait on table at home restaurant. 205 Second west. a17-19*

WANTED—Man with small family to work at brickyard. House rent, light and telephone furnished. See C. G. Rawlings, 121 Broadalbin St., Albany, Oregon. a14-16

LOST—Pair of glasses. Return to this office; \$1 reward. a14-17

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HOUSE FOR RENT—Inquire of Mrs. S. Brenner, 327 West Third St. Phone 190-J. a16-18*

FOR SALE—Household furniture, baby buggy, bed, bassinet and bath screen. Bicycle, tool chest, lawn mower and garden tools. 518 West Ninth St. Home phone 1276. a16-21*

FOR RENT—House on Broadalbin street. All modern conveniences. Inquire of Mrs. Fred Dawson, Eighth and Broadalbin streets. a14-18*

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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