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EDITORIAL
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Observer.

Are all our young people dead? From all appearances they are as unshakable as the spirit of Rip Van Winkle, who slept for twenty years in the shades of Sleepy Hollow, as dead as Tutankhamen whose bones have rested for 13 centuries in the tomb of the pharaohs, so dead that you would have to light a fire under them to excite a murmur. We have practically suggested to them a free tennis court for use and a prize at the end of the season for those scoring highest, and yet we have received not ONE vote either for or against the proposition. Shades of Julius Caesar! In the days of our ancestors they would have tumbled all over themselves to secure a privilege like this. Has the spirit of youth entirely departed? Wake up! For the love of Pete, wake up!

The disclosures by General Goethals, who has had charge of the fuel administration for the government, shows yet again where the people are being mulcted for the benefit of the big capitalists, because our officials haven't the sand to stand up for the interests of the people. We, the people, are long suffering and endure much, but we can not help exclaiming "How long, Oh Lord, must these troubles afflict us?"

Governor Pierce has taken pretty good care of his democratic friends, especially his east of the mountain friends, in the distribution of political plums, but the K. K. K., to whose activities his election was largely due, seem to feel that their efforts are unrecognized in a manner commensurate with the service rendered. Verily it is hard to serve both branches in a coalition movement.

The national legislature proposes to submit to the states for approval an amendment to the constitution aiming to eliminate the issuance of tax exempt securities and equalize the burdens of the taxpayers. How can a body politic law making power expect to put over on the capitalistic element any legislation which will deprive them of their Heaven-given right of investments without the accompanying responsibilities? It would be like attempting to take his bone from a fair sized bull dog.

Oregon may well take a leaf from California's experiments along the line of highway widening and character and time-resistance of highway pavements in general.

Mr. Hanrahan ran a short advertisement in the Observer and immediately got results. He says the advertisement was the best investment he ever made. "The proof of the pudding is in chewing the String." Try advertising.



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Pudding River Bridge At Aurora To Be Built

We are advised that the Marion County authorities are ready to go ahead with their share of the construction of the new Pudding River bridge at Aurora and it remains only for the Clackamas County authorities to get busy and enter their approval when the contract will be let. A bid of something like \$74,000.00, it is understood has already been submitted. The completion of this work will finish the necessary construction on the Pacific Highway from the northern line of Oregon to the California border.

Bitter Orange Jelly.

Bitter orange jelly is made by preparing the juice as directed for bitter orange marmalade. After the peel has been removed, weigh the fruit and cut it into small pieces. Place it in a kettle and for each pound of orange add two pounds of water; boil until it thoroughly disintegrates. Pour the mass into a flannel jelly bag and press until no more juice can be extracted. Drain this juice again through a clean flannel jelly bag without pressing. No peel is used in the jelly. For each pound of fruit taken one pound of sugar is added. This is boiled until it has reached the jellifying point.



OF INTEREST TO THE HOUSEWIFE

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There were three fatalities due to industrial accidents in Oregon in the week ending March 29, according to a report prepared by the state industrial accident commission. The victims were Howard House, chaser, Gresham; Olof E. Peterson, laborer, Sumpter, and John Hebertson, powder man, Sixes. A total of 567 accidents were reported to the commission.

One million or more feet of fir timber in the Stuslaw forest on the Alsea river 12 miles from Waldport has been sold to the Lawson Logging company at \$1.25 per 1000 feet, according to announcement at the office of Ralph S. Shelley, supervisor of this forest, at Eugene. This company will cut the timber, drag it to the Alsea, raft it down that stream to the logging railway and then haul it to the Yaquina river, where it will again be rafted to the mill at Toledo.

Brigadier-General Mitchell, assistant chief of the air service of the United States army, with headquarters at Washington, D. C., is expected to visit Oregon within a few days, according to word received at Eugene from Crissey field, San Francisco. General Mitchell will confer with state and federal forest officials while in Oregon regarding the air fire patrol.

Berry and hopgrowers of the Willamette valley are reported to be confronted by one of the most serious labor situations in their history. They need workers, but declare they cannot afford to pay more than 30 cents an hour. This wage has been refused by laborers, who prefer the logging camps and other industries, where better wages prevail. Unless there is relief some of the growers said it would be necessary to cut down their cultivated acreage.

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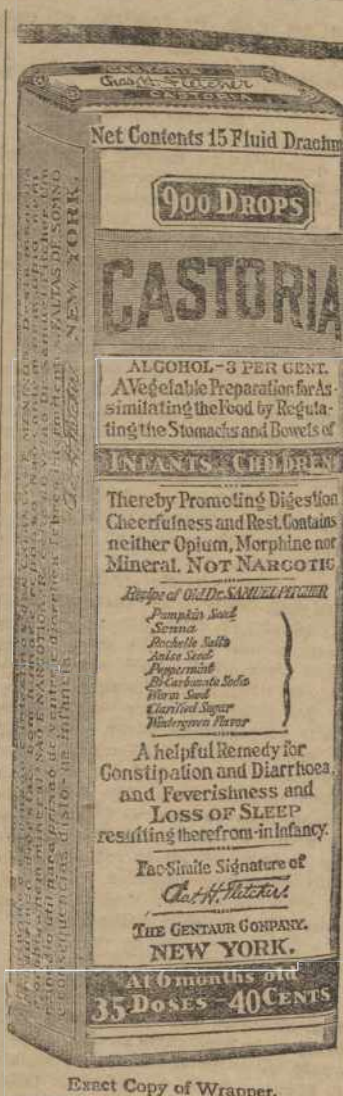
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No. 27 (on flag) 6:10 p. m.

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