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"GOING DOWN!"

The government has appointed an industrial board for the purpose of reducing prices on various commodities. The first on the list for "investigation" is iron and steel.

"Well, we can't eat either one, but just think how comforting when a \$1000 automobile is reduced to \$900 F. O. B. Detroit. Then again the government won't go so far in the hole if it can force the price of steel rails down for the railroads they are operating, and upon which they have spent as much as \$4 for "betterments" and "extensions" during the past year. Besides that just think what the administration will save when it starts constructing new armament to enforce the provisions of the Peace League of Nations.

After a year or so when the iron and steel price is adjusted, the industrial board will take up in the order of their importance the price of food and textiles. In the meanwhile the big meat packers with their little old surplus of over a billion pounds of a variety of meats in cold storage can sit tight and smile, and the gingham dress we bought for little Jane and paid \$3.00 for, can be darned here and patched there until the luxurious apparel goes back once more to the old price of 78c.

Then the cost of high living will be solved and we can all join in the chorus of "Smile! Smile! Smile!"

AMELIA BARR.

The life of Amelia Barr, the novelist, who died Monday at her home in New York, was a striking example of how the average person is gifted with a measure of strong character, undaunted courage and persistent effort, can rise above the sting of misfortune and win.

Mrs. Barr, both during her maidenhood and wedded life, sustained enough losses by the ruthless hand of death to break the heart of most women.

When past forty, bereft of husband and sons through an epidemic of yellow fever, and with three young daughters to support, the dauntless woman broke into a literary field, without previous training, and achieved fame and fortune as a novelist—a line of endeavor most discouraging at the start and promising at such time less chance of returning a livelihood than perhaps any other line of work.

The life of Amelia Barr will forever furnish one of those rare inspirations to those no more gifted than she, to spur up vaning ambition and resolve to achieve.

It must not be lost sight of that much of the "high prices" plague has been due to inflation, that is, a large increase of credit money or paper money, and the issue of large numbers of Government bonds. February 1st, 1919, the total paper or credit money in circulation in the United States was over \$3,500,000,000. The per capita circulation of money in the United States has grown from \$35 in 1909 to \$54 in 1919. Of course prices advanced, as the purchasing power of the dollar decreased.

Mr. Wilson's doctrine of "self-determination" would have prevented Abraham Lincoln from crushing the Rebellion and compelling the South to remain in the Union.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

The Granddope

Boys of the 65th, 69th
 And every other arm
 Of military activity
 Hailing from Springfield
 And other Lane county
 Metropolises,
 On this formal welcoming day
 We salute you!
 Not for your rank,
 But for what you have done,
 Although the editor of this
 Harum scarum journal
 Didn't get any closer
 To France
 Than flitting out
 Sixteen pages of a
 Questionnaire,
 Yet deep down in the
 Recesses of his solar plexus
 He feels that
 By your combined efforts
 You have accomplished
 Perhaps as much
 As if he had gone over there
 And done it himself.
 However, you have done so well
 In chasing Fritz back
 To his own precincts
 That we are not inclined
 To take a bunch of you
 In the back alley
 And tell you that we are
 Better chasers
 Than you ever dared to be.
 Anyhow we welcome you
 With the big mitt
 Back to God's country
 And hope you will raise
 Enough Old Ned
 Around here to keep
 This column going.

For that
 "All-run-down-feeling"
 Wind your Ingersoll and
 "Turn to the Right."

WATERSHED COATS

Glendenning has them for ladies or gentlemen, the quality of which are unsurpassed at a price lower than can elsewhere be obtained.

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 Chas. Kingswell R. W. M.

Dr. N. W. Emery DENTIST

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Cor. Ninth and Oak, Eugene

Charter No. 88.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

Commercial State Bank.

At Springfield, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business on March 4, 1919.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$ 84,671.24
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	114.96
Bonds and warrants	13,056.50
Banking house	14,900.00
Furniture and fixtures	5,000.00
Other real estate owned	None
Due from approved reserve banks	27,653.39
Checks and other cash items	None
Exchanges for clearing house	132.72
Cash on hand	7,616.85
Total	\$153,145.66

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$ 30,000.00
Surplus fund	2,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1,298.57
Individual deposits subject to check	108,762.11
Demand certificates of deposit	1,466.83
Time and Savings Deposits	9,968.15
Notes and bills rediscounted	None
Bills payable for money borrowed	None
Total	\$153,145.66

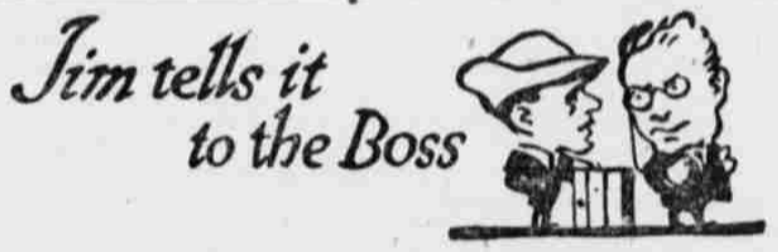
State of Oregon, County of Lane, ss.
 I, O. B. Kessey, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 O. B. KESSEY, Cashier.
 CORRECT—Attest: M. M. LEERY, WELBY STEVENS, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1919.
 A. P. MCKINZEY, Notary Public.
 My commission expires Jan. 7, 1922.



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SUMMONS
 In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County.
 The Booth-Kelly Lumber Company, plaintiff, v. Frank Burgess; also all other persons and parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint herein, defendants.
 To Frank Burgess; also all other persons and parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint herein:
 In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby summoned to answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled cause and court within six weeks from the first publication of this summons, and if you fail so to appear and answer, for want thereof, plaintiff will take judgment against you for the relief demanded in the complaint, namely, that plaintiff is the owner and in possession of the following real property, Northwest quarter of section 22, Tp. 15 S., Range 1 E., of the Willamette Meridian, in Lane County, Oregon; that you have no right, title, estate, lien or interest therein, and quieting plaintiff's title from all claims held or asserted by you, and for such other relief as may be just. This summons is served upon you by publication in virtue of an order of the Hon. G. F. Skipworth, Circuit Judge, dated February 27, 1919, directing that this summons be served upon you by publishing the same once in each week for six successive weeks in the Springfield News, and that you answer the same within six weeks from the first publication thereof.
 This summons is so first published February 28, 1919.
 S. D. ALLEN, Attorney for plaintiff, 36 8th Ave. W., Eugene, Ore.

SUMMONS
 In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County.
 A. L. Dickens, plaintiff, vs W. E. Thompson, defendant.
 To W. E. Thompson, the above named defendant:
 In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby summoned and required to be and appear in the above entitled Court and cause and answer the complaint of the plaintiff on file herein within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, said first date being on the 7th day of February, 1919, and the last date on the 21st day of March, 1919; and if you so fail to appear and answer, for want thereof, plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of \$1,293.38 with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum since the day of November, 1917. This summons is served upon you by publication in the Springfield News, a newspaper published in Springfield, Lane County, Oregon, and of general circulation for six successive and consecutive weeks by an order made and entered of record by the Hon. G. F. Skipworth, Judge of the above Court, made on the 4th day of February, 1919.
 Date of first publication as prescribed by said order is on the 7th day of February, 1919, and last date on the 21st day of March, 1919.
 C. M. KISSINGER, Attorney for plaintiff, Residence, Eugene, Oregon.

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