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THE SPIRIT IS THERE.

Illustrative of the spirit of the men of Oregon, it has been shown that the ranks are nearly full to complete the quota from this state.

The order for mobilization of the national guard is universally accepted as the first step in a new policy toward Mexico.

There is no doubt that the heart of America is sound to the core. The spirit of service is present as emphatically as in '76 or '61.

STATES RIGHTS.

Many well meaning persons have insisted that certain constitutional amendments should be passed by the Federal government irrespective of the rights of the states to regulate their own affairs.

While it is correct to say that there is scarcely anything that three-fourths of the states may not do through a constitutional amendment, yet there is the question of whether it would be the right thing to do in many cases, because there is a difference between the power to do a thing and the right to do it.

Three-fourths of the states do not necessarily imply even a majority of the population of the United States. By reference to the last census it will be seen that the thirty-eight states of the lowest rank—more than three-fourths—contain a minority of the population, and the thirty-six of lowest rank—exactly three-fourths—contain 10,000,000 under the other twelve.

There has always been some justice in the states rights contention even if "we are a nation." Even the imperial government of Germany, so strongly centralized, would never think of meddling in the local affairs of the kingdoms of the German federation.

The present constitution is ample to enable the people to obtain every reform that they desire, therefore such questions as have been settled in Oregon can likewise be settled in all the states without recourse to a federal amendment which would tend to force the unwilling to submission.

ARMS AND THE WOMAN.

One of the stock arguments of anti-suffragists is that the franchise belongs peculiarly to those who are physically able to bear arms for the military defense of the country; and that women, being cons' utionally unequal to this service have no valid claim upon the privilege of voting.

It is an accepted tenet of good citizenship that one who, for any reason, is unable to go to war may fulfill the obligations existent by sending a substitute. Consider a parallel. The Woman's Emergency Corps, representing 3,000 women of Toronto, has offered their services as in-

dustrial workers to the Canadian Manufacturers' association, now holding its meeting in Hamilton, Ontario. The women said they desired to release men workers for military duty.

Are not those Toronto women entitled to every right and privilege of citizenship? Does any one doubt that women of the United States would be equally patriotic under circumstances which might call for the demonstration of their loyalty?

HEALTH PROTECTION.

"Business interests get four times as much care and protection of hogs and cattle as the public health service gets for the care of human health," says Dr. Charles H. Mayo.

There is a good deal of this sort of thing heard, but one hardly expected it from so eminent a practitioner as Dr. Mayo. The doctor appears to be ignorant of the fact that when money is spent to prevent or stamp out hog cholera or bovine tuberculosis, foot and mouth diseases, etc., this is not done for the comfort of the animals threatened or affected, but for the purpose of protecting the health of the people.

The millions spent for meat inspection are for the same purpose. Thus while the health services appropriations may be smaller, its work is lessened by the preventive measures—which, it is admitted, are costly—taken by other departments.

The inquisitive subscriber at Rockwood wants to know the definition of "self-contentment." It may be defined as that degree of poise which enables a patriot to retire to his couch at night and sleep soundly regardless of what old Vox Populi will say on the 7th of next November.

The prettiest bathing costume, the papers say, exhibited at the New York fashion show was made of red satin—and the report says that the chocolate fed model upon whom it was exhibited wore red stockings with it. No wonder it attracted attention.

Those Mazamas who climbed Mt. Hood this week must have thoroughly enjoyed the weather of last January and February. If the north pole were handy they would never stop until they had climbed to its summit just to see how the weather is up at the top.

If a little more sand isn't rubbed into the surface of the new pavements on some of the country roads before the hot days of July and August have passed there won't be any roads left. The few hot days of last month were a sufficient warning.

Joseph Knowles' for simple living, and small expenses, so, he'd mock the fitting hedge-bird that carols to and fro; 'twould not cost much for living, if we, like them, by jings, could carol to and fro through life, and live on bugs and things.

The Beavers are in the fourth hole yet and it was something of a surprise to the San Fran crowd when they got run over standing still. But there is no hope for the pennant coming to Portland this year.

Bargains in the Want Ads.

The Scheme of Life.

One of the marked features of life is its plotlessness. Just when things seem to be going to take a dramatic turn they do not take it. Instead, the unexpected happens, very often the apparently meaningless, or else there is a long wait. We have only to open our morning newspaper to admit that this is true.

Within easy walking distance of the old cathedral town of Chichester, England, is the Rising Sun, in North Bersted, a house of interest to all who collect stamps. This small inn contains a room every inch of which is covered with postage stamps. Ceiling, walls, doors, chairs, tables, picture frames, every part of the room, except the floor, is thickly covered, while from the ceiling hang long festoons and ropes, made of bundles of stamps for which there is no other place. Fully 2,000,000 stamps are pasted up, and 1,000,000 more hang in the festoons.—Popular Science Monthly.

John Mallia, deputy sheriff of Lewiston, Me., owns a Shetland pony which is probably the oldest in Maine; she is thirty-five years old and has been the pet of three generations of Mallia children. She is as affectionate as a dog and has been made so privileged a favorite that she is as much at home in the house as in the barn.

Great piles of junk are said to be lying about in western yards because of the freight congestion which makes rates so high that no profit could be derived from sending the stuff to eastern rolling mills. A single yard in Kansas City now has more than 2,000 tons of scrap and must hold it until conditions change.

Yearly on February 2 and for forty-five days after, a mysterious fire breaks out in Ariyake bay, on the west coast of Kyushu, Japan, burning both on land and sea, the origin of the conflagration being a complete mystery which a recently outfitted scientific exploration party will make a point of solving.

For those who feel that they could never be contented with the humdrum of a soldier's job there is the greatest harvest ever known right at hand and next winter's wood supply to be gathered.

Of course, the co-eds were in the lead in all the high schools. That's what always happens; and the boys were in the second column as the greatest also-runners that ever happened.

There are now in the United States 4,063,028 persons native to Germany Austria and Turkey, and 6,885,724 native to the nations fighting in the opposing alliance.

It is rumored that the married men of the guard will be sent home if things quiet down. It would be glad news to the little wives who were left behind.

The Seattle police found a ten-dollar counterfeit bill over there. A good many Seattle people want to know where they can find a genuine one.

It was very thoughtful of the style makers to decree that white is to be the fashionable color in these days of dye shortage.

There are some men so obstinate that they would rather be kicked in the head by a mule than admit they had made a mistake.

Sorrow is the spirit in gloom, but it can throw a nobler light upon woman's character than frivolity ever did.

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NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

Estate of Otto C. Hemmers. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Otto C. Hemmers, deceased, has filed in the county court of the state of Oregon for Multnomah county, his final account as such administrator, and that Tuesday the 11th day of July, 1916, at the hour of 9:30 a. m., at the county court room, in the county courthouse, of Multnomah county, Oregon, has been fixed as the time and place of hearing objections to said final account, and the settlement thereof. Date of first publication June 9th, 1916. HENRY B. HEMMERS, Executor.

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