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Kicking the Farmer

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that they don't realize how vastly more inefficient they are themselves. Look at the storekeeper—a lot of nerve he has, complaining about the farmer's inefficiency, when the percentage of store failures is way greater than that of farm failures!

And look at Congress—was ever anybody more inefficient than were our law-makers during the war? I should say not! Fact is, it's a popular thing—in the cities and towns—to lambaste the farmer for everybody's faults. Somebody's got to be the goat; kick the farmer, they say. But those folks are figuring without THE COUN-

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LOCAL BREVITIES

Mayor and Mrs. McKenzie went to Pendleton Sunday, returning Monday.

D. J. Allen is here from Corvallis, Ore., on a visit to his brother, R. W. Allen, and family.

Otto Sapper and I. D. Latham went to Pendleton on business Tuesday of this week.

Chas. M. Hurrell of Portland was a business visitor in Hermiston on Tuesday of this week.

Ed. Hagenberg and W. S. Boynton are building a house in Umatilla for F. J. Kieger.

Mrs. C. A. LaBarre will entertain the neighbors living in her immediate vicinity this Saturday evening.

Mrs. W. R. Nugent of Umatilla was visiting friends and transacting business in this city a few hours Tuesday.

Mrs. Goldie Mumma left Thursday morning for Portland, where she will attend summer school for six weeks.

Mrs. William Shaar was quite ill this week, but under the care of a good nurse the lady is rapidly recovering.

E. Barnes and family of Calgary, Canada, are visiting his father and mother, Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Barnes in this city.

Mrs. L. D. Lay entertained the Neighborhood Club of Columbia district at her home in this city Wednesday afternoon.

Who is going to be the new manager of the local telephone exchange? Guess we'll have to ask little Danny Cupid.

Two out of town business visitors in Hermiston Wednesday were F. M. Kieger of Umatilla and E. C. Knotts of Pilot Rock.

Miss Gladys Beals, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Beals, who recently moved to Hermiston from Tillamook, Ore., arrived in this city last week.

Miss Edlie Johnson, stenographer and bookkeeper in the real estate offices of E. P. Dodd, has received a notary public commission from the state of Oregon.

Miss Minta Leathers arrived in Hermiston Monday from Seattle. The lady is the daughter of W. A. Leathers, and will pass the summer visiting here.

C. A. Dingleline and O. L. Marshall of the Pendleton Tribune were Hermiston business visitors several days this week, being here in the interests of the paper.

B. S. Kingsley arrived home Friday morning from a ten day vacation visit in Western Oregon. He attended the Rose Carnival last week, and thereafter up to his return kept company with the simple life here and there on the other side of the mountains.

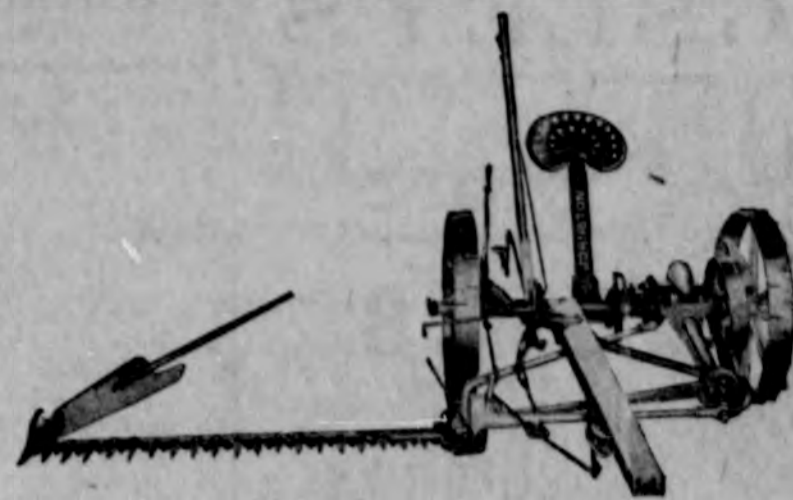
They say that Contractor, W. S. Boynton is some driver of a Ford car. Ask him how he accomplishes such funny stunts as he pulled off the other day with Chezik's gasoline machine and still lives, and he'll tell you a story of his adventures with a new Ford that will make your hair raise.

Glen Akers and daughter Ruth arrived in Hermiston Tuesday for an extended visit of a week or more with friends. Mr. Akers and family resided in Columbia district for some time until last fall, when they went to Wasco, where Mr. Akers holds the position of bookkeeper for the Wasco Milling Co.

W. Loyal Park, assistant manager of the printing department of the Lowman & Hanford Co. of Seattle, was here several days this week on a vacation visit. While here he autoed over the project in quest of a nice little ranch on which to retire from the printing game after 22 years in the harness.

Emily Shotwell came home Tuesday morning from McMinnville, where she had been attending the Normal Training School. The young lady has graduated from the preparatory department of that institution. She was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Margaret, who went to McMinnville to attend the graduating exercises.

Germany hasn't signed up yet. Looks as if the allied powers will have to extend the time limit again—or do something else.



STILL TIME

To investigate a Johnston Mower for the second, third and fourth cuttings. The Johnston is the coming mower of this section, due to the fact that it is a special alfalfa mower built after years of special study in the heavy alfalfa fields of California. If you still have a mower or rake in mind for 1919, try a Johnston, and if it isn't what is claimed for it, we are here to take it off your hands.

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