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That is what we want to give you—efficient service. It is the aim of this company to have none but satisfied customers. No matter what it is, if you have a grievance, or are dissatisfied about your bill or do not understand our rates, please come in and see us or write us about it.

If you have any suggestions to make, we will gladly avail ourselves of them as our aim is constantly to improve our service to you as fast as the development of science and human ability permit.

## California-Oregon Power Company

## DO NOT FORGET



That within a few days we will have on display the best Barrie Granite Monuments, as well as one of marble, and we invite you to compare them with any others in the west. These monuments are unexcelled, and investigation will demonstrate the truth of this statement.

### SISKIYOU FIRE DESTROYING TIMBER

YREKA, Cal., Aug. 20.—The big forest fire in the vicinity of Moffett Creek is now burning over a four-mile front in some of the finest-sugar pine timber in the country.

This fire, which is outside the National Forest, was reported to the owners of the timber by a forest-lookout on July 6. But feeble efforts were made to curb the fire and now it is beyond control. Telegraphic appeal was made to the State Forester's office for aid and Deputy Forester M. B. Pratt was to arrive today to take charge.

Unless something can be done at once to check this fire many of the settlers will lose their homes.

Since its start more than a month ago, the fire has covered about thirty square miles.

Another big and dangerous fire is reported on Wooley Creek, about four miles from Somes Bar, in the forest service at a place with few communication facilities.

**\$40,000 HONEY CROP**

HERMISTON, Ore., Aug. 21.—Forty thousand dollars will be distributed this year among the farmers of the Umatilla project this year through the sale of one of their by-products, extracted alfalfa honey.

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### TATTOOING AS A FINE ART

It Reached Its Highest Development in the Marquesas Islands of the South Seas.

Tattooing is an art so old that its origin is lost to historical records having been practiced when the cave-men went out to club their fellows. In the Marquesas islands, the most distant and most mysterious of South sea archipelagos, tattooing reached its highest development and there it was the most beautiful form of art known.

For a man in the Marquesas to lack the tattooed stars of terror upon his face and to have a bare countenance upon his face was to be a poltroon and despised by the whole tribe. Frederick O'Brien says in the Century that to achieve a fairly complete picture on one's body meant many months of intense suffering and the expenditure of much wealth.

When white men were cast by shipwreck in the islands of the far Pacific or fled from duty on whalers or warships and sought to stay among the Marquesans they accepted to the honored customs of their hosts and adopted their facial adornment. Once the curious ink of the tattooer has gotten into the skin it is there forever and can never be erased, like the pits of smallpox. The white men, therefore, of Europe and America never again returned to their old homes after settling among these Marquesans and having their faces tattooed.

### EGYPTIAN BEADS MOVE BED

Remarkable Manifestations Said to Have Been Made by Ancient Necklace in Edinburgh.

Some remarkable manifestations, states the Scotsman, have occurred in Edinburgh in association with an ancient Egyptian necklace. The present owner of the necklace, who lives in the west end of Edinburgh, received it from Cairo at the end of 1913.

Recently she decided to get rid of it and threw it into a waste paper basket. That night when near the basket she was startled by the distinct feeling of a hand clutching at her wrist. She afterward heard sounds from the basket as a mouse moving. Examination revealed only waste paper and the glass beads.

She gave the beads to her brother, who on going to bed placed them on the pillow near his head. The necklace seemed to be moved on the pillow during the night by some unseen agency. A night or two later he again put the beads on his bed. He was roused from his sleep by the bed being moved from side to side. He afterward heard the necklace producing a rustling movement. The following night he slept soundly with the necklace in the room. At four o'clock next morning he was awakened by the bed again shaking. Other persons say they had similar experiences with the beads.

### George Elliot the Lay Preacher.

A novelist who bases his art on clean-cut ethical formulas is bound to wane in popularity. For special reasons, he may make a strong appeal to his own generation and yet be neglected by the generation succeeding. George Elliot was the eloquent lay preacher of her age. Literary sermons like hers are now out of date. Readers do not care to be told what will happen if they do not do this or if they do that. Similarly Thomas Hardy is certain to suffer in fame. The kind of philosophic determination embodied in his novels is disappearing. If Hardy and George Elliot long survive, it will be in spite of their moral formulas; it will be because readers will be willing to overlook moral formulas on account of the permanently interesting phases of life presented by a master hand in their novels. Heretofore lies the final test of literary immortality. There is no question about novels like "Tom Jones" and "Vanity Fair," which are not framed on any precise technical theory. They are life itself and its diffused morality.—Wilbur Cross, in the Yale Review.

### Spell of the Witch Doctor.

In the twentieth century, according to the report of forward movement survey, there are approximately 120 million people in Africa held in abject fear through the hundreds of thousands of witch doctors who alone are believed to have the power of "spelling out" the evil spirits. The theory of the African native regarding disease is that an enemy casts a spell which enters the body and it must either be spelled out or cast out and this is accomplished by the use of charms which often kill before they have the opportunity of proving their curative powers. The natives of South Africa, the survey finds, depend entirely on witch doctors and herb doctors. For 8 1/2 million native people there are only twenty-three missionary doctors and nineteen nurses. Scattered among the millions, this little band of workers accomplishes wonders. But the way of the witch doctors is practically unaffected.

### Electric Incubator.

The electric incubator is said to be much safer, surer and more economical than the oil-heated apparatus. Current entering the incubator passes through resistance elements in the top of the box; these are arranged to distribute the heat evenly over the 75 eggs below. Double insulating walls prevent the escape of heat, while a thermostat keeps temperature constant. Ventilation is likewise automatic.

## RUSSIAN WAIFS CIRCLE GLOBE TO REACH HOME

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 21.—

Voyaging around the world to reach their homes, 780 Russian waifs, all that have been accounted for of probably 6,000 children sent out of Petrograd by their parents when revolution gripped the old Russian capital, are on their way from San Francisco to New York by way of the Panama canal. They came from Vladivostok under the care of the American Red Cross of which they have been wards for two years. They are going back to Petrograd after sufferings and wanderings that for some of them have blotted out every recollection of their parents, the places of their birth, or even of their own names.

Speaking of the experiences of the children, who range in age from 3 to 17 years, a statement by the Red Cross said:

"The long sea journey writes the last chapter in a history of wandering and adventure in a revolution in a torn country that can hardly be matched in the whole record of world upheaval in the last six years," the announcement says. "It seems almost a tale out of the Old Testament or Greek mythology, and 1,000 years from now, it is perhaps not too much to say, the Russians with their dramatic instinct and mysticism will have made it a part of their rich folklore."

When the revolution broke out in Russia, the report continued, many parents in Petrograd decided to send the youngsters into peaceful Siberia until the trouble was over. They were sent east in charge of nurses and teachers.

Later, a barrier of fire marking the battle lines of the opposing Russian and Czech armies had been stretched between the youngsters and their homes. Months passed. Winter arrived, funds were exhausted, and hunger and war horrors menaced the wanderers. The Omak government, appealed to for help, passed on to the Red Cross.

Group after group was taken over by the Red Cross, which established colonies in Western Siberia, and had apparently solved the problem of car-

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ing for its charges when the battle-line swayed east. The Bolsheviks captured town after town. Groups of the children barely escaped capture. Finally it was decided to take them to Vladivostok.

"Three trains of specially equipped box cars with a guard of American doughboys transported the precious cargo on a journey lasting several

weeks through a country stripped bare of provisions," the report continued. "It may be said that ingenuity was taxed to the utmost in obtaining supplies, avoiding disease-ridden areas, and evading other troubles." The children will visit at Panama Canal ports and in New York City on their way home.

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