

WANT SIMPLER PASSPORT FORMS

BERLIN, Dec. 28.—(By Mail)—There is a spontaneous demand from commercial organizations of Europe and the American continent for simpler passport regulations, says Fred W. King, acting president of the American chamber of commerce of this city. The matter already has been brought to the attention of a number of governments and protests have been made to Washington against the American system of issuing short-time passports, it is stated. The protest is based on the ground that there is much delay and difficulty in having these short period passports renewed when they have expired.

Representatives of chambers of commerce of many nations are to hold a conference, the time and place of which has not yet been determined, for the purpose of developing a passport that will be at once satisfactory to the governments and meet the needs of commercial and other travelers.

Those advocating changes want passports to be issued for, perhaps, a number of years, instead of for a few months and to eliminate the custom of vizing, inspection and long examinations at every frontier. It is claimed that the delays resulting from present regulations have been carried to a most aggravating extent by some of the smaller nations of central Europe.

"Business men have told me of losing hundreds of thousands of dollars by being unable to keep appointments and close contracts because of delays in receiving credentials to cross the frontiers," said Mr. King. "The present system is absolutely hopeless from a business viewpoint. What is needed is a simple method which will do away with all the red tape and permit people to move about as quickly as affairs require. This is entirely possible."

The movement toward greater simplicity is understood to have originated with the chamber of commerce of Buenos Aires, Argentina, and South American countries are particularly anxious to simplify passport customs in view of the increasing business they are doing with the European nations. Their chambers of commerce are conducting an active campaign to this end.

Is Your Watch Right?



Here's Uncle Sam's mater clock. Twice a day this tall fellow at the U. S. naval observatory at Washington flashes out the exact time to all U. S. cities and to vessels within 2,000 to 3,000 miles of Washington.

The Office Cat



BY JUNIUS

He Loomed So Large.

Just as the train was about to start Fred Morley struggled into a seat, breathing heavily.

A small boy who sat opposite appeared to be fascinated. His ardent gaze eventually began to annoy the local criminologist, who demanded angrily:

"Why are you starting at me for?"

"Please, sir," replied the lad, "there's nowhere else to look."

A Short Story Soon Told.

Goods,
Ads,
Sales,
Scads.

Improved Mathematics.

Miss Anna May Johnstone had been explaining fractions to her class. When she had discussed the subject at length, wishing to see how much light had been shed, she inquired:

"Now, Bobby, which would you rather have, one apple or two halves?"

The little chap promptly replied:

"Two halves."

"Oh, Bobby," exclaimed Miss Johnstone, "why would you prefer two halves?"

"Because then I could see if it was bad inside."

A Kiss Poem

(Dedicated to A. B. Collins)

He stole a kiss,
And the angry miss
Exclaimed, "I like your cheek."
"That's good," said he
"I shave, you see,
Each morning of the week."

There are many young single men in Klamath Falls who are homeless, but what looks queer to me is that when they get married they are home less than ever.

Poetry will win a woman's love, but it takes more than a washing machine and clothes ringer to hold it after you get it.

The real reason so many young married people don't pull together and fly back in the matrimonial harness is because there is a waggin' tongue between them.

Solomon sure had a sweet temper to be able to get along with 500 wives, for there are men here in Klamath Falls who seem unable to get along with one.

Augustine Donovan has made an important discovery. After doing considerable running around within the last few days he has discovered that his girl's complexion does not taste as good as it looks.

Some 1:21 Questions

- Will the moon be allowed to get full?
- Will a ship be allowed to anchor over a bar?
- Will a captain be allowed to put in some port?
- Will cocktails be allowed on the farmers' roosters?
- Will it be allowed to name children Tom and Jerry?

Will "pops" be allowed in dance halls?

Will mourners be allowed to pass the bier at a funeral.

Will a person be allowed to become drunk with success or intoxicated with joy?—Lucy Lee.

We've never smoked. But if we did we know good and well it wouldn't be hard to give it up if we had to smoke the kind of cigars some men smoke.

"I will now," remarked Wayne Keese, "place the letters of the alphabet upon the blackboard. As I write each letter I wish you to tell me the name of a bad drink that begins with the letter I put on the board."

He then chalked the letter A, and one of the children called "Ale!" Next B, and a youth volunteered "Beer."

A silence when he wrote the letter C caused the teacher to ask, "Is there nobody here who can name a bad drink beginning with C?" He pointed to a small boy in the front row and said: "There is a little man who I am sure can tell me."

To which the youth replied: "Sure I can, Castor oil."

Kinds
Spreading it
Out like this
Goes a long
Way towards
Filling the
Column.
Contributions
Are coming in mighty
Slow. We may hafta resort
To selective draft.

A fella living here in Klamath Falls who has been married just one year told us the following: "When we were first married her kisses were hot, but her suppers were cold. Now her kisses are cold, but her suppers art hot."

COAST TO COAST TOUR TO EDUCATE PUBLIC

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 15.—An ocean to ocean tour in which he plans to show how the centenary fund of the council of boards of benevolence of the Methodist Episcopal church is being spent will be begun next Monday, January 17, at Portland, Me., by Ralph E. Diffendorfer, of New York.

During the following three months Dr. Diffendorfer will deliver addresses and lectures in 58 of the leading cities in the country, his itinerary carrying him from Portland, Me., to San Diego, Cal.

Mrs. J. W. Keys has been appointed to serve out the unexpired term of her late husband as sheriff of Saline county, Missouri.

CALIFORNIA NEWS

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 15.—Resolutions denouncing the return to the throne of Greece of King Constantine, and expressing devotion to former Premier Venizelos have been adopted by the Liberal Greeks league here. It was announced by the secretary, N. Printzev.

OROVILLE, Cal., Jan. 15.—Robert J. Finney of Gridley, Butte county, has purchased the Eugene Rutherford ranch of 840 acres between Gridley and Live Oak, Sutter county, for a duck reserve. Finney is said to represent wealthy men of Sacramento and San Francisco.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 15.—A legislative committee hearing on a proposal to place a tax of one cent a gallon on gasoline and distillate and a proportionate tax on fuel oil, developed the information that the oil companies would not oppose such a move, while there was a division of opinion in the ranks of automobile men, with the majority expressing the belief that a half cent tax would be the proper additional share of the autoist in state taxation burdens.

RED BLUFF, Jan. 15.—Dr. Allen Owen, new county physician, was relieved of the responsibility of superintending the county farm, conducted in conjunction with the county hospital, by the board of supervisors. The board ordered that the physician's duties shall be the supervision of the hospital only.

ORLAND, Jan. 15.—The chamber of commerce has taken the first step toward free mail delivery in Orland.

OROVILLE, Jan. 15.—That the demand for California ripe olives is showing a trend toward returning to normal is the announcement made by E. W. Ehmann, Oroville olive packer. Ehmann states that the right sterilization rules laid down for the pack by the state board of health has restored confidence and that the demand for the olives now is again brisk.

YREKA, Jan. 15.—The board of supervisors has granted a petition to call an election for the purpose of forming the Grenada irrigation district.

MARYSVILLE, Jan. 15.—The Woman's Auxiliary of the Yuba-Sutter post of the American Legion was organized here with a membership of 16.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 15.—Senator Lewis L. Dennett of Modesto proposes to introduce a bill to make an automobile a "deadly weapon," in the sense that a driver may be criminally prosecuted for running down and injuring any person.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 15.—California is to have an "emergency fund" to combat the activities of Japanese societies seeking to nullify the California land law by "arousing public sentiment in Japan and winning sympathy in America, according to an announcement by State Controller John S. Chambers, chairman of the executive committee of the Japanese exclusion league of California.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, on Thursday January 20, 1921, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. at O. K. Livery Barn, 6th Street, Klamath Falls, Oregon, one bay gelding aged about 12 years, weight about 1300 pounds, brand quarter circle 8 on left hip, to satisfy my lien for the board and care of said animal.
Dated: January 5, 1921.
M. J. NYHART.
5-12-19

OREGON BREVITIES

BEND, Jan. 15.—City School Superintendent S. W. Moore is also acting principal of the Bend high school as the result of the resignation of J. L. Crozier, who held the latter position up to Friday evening. Mr. Crozier left for Wilkinson, Wash., to become superintendent of the schools of that city. Mr. Crozier's resignation here was prompted by the fact that a \$2600 salary was offered at Wilkinson, \$350 more than he was drawing in Bend.

BEND, Jan. 15.—Robins, usually considered as harbingers of spring, appeared in large numbers in Bend, preceding the coldest night of the winter. The mercury fell to seven degrees above zero, and wild ducks, swimming in the river, had to break their way through a thin film of ice floating on the surface of the water.

EUGENE, Jan. 15.—There is a possibility that the leaders of the Methodist church in Oregon may locate a permanent camp meeting site in the vicinity of Eugene during the coming season. Several such sites on the line of the Pacific highway are now being considered.

MEDFORD, aJan. 15.—F. W. Hut-

chinson, one of Jackson county's best known pioneers, died at the residence of his son, C. I. Hutchinson.

"STORE" HANDS



HUGHIE SMITH

Hughie Smith, Covington, Ky., Jaller, says his "store" hands do almost everything his real hands did before he lost them in an accident. He dresses himself.

Ouch! Lame Back
Rub backache, Lumbago, Soreness and stiffness away - Try this!

Back hurt you? Can't straighten up without feeling sudden pains, sharp aches and twinges? Now Listen! That's lumbago, sciatica or may be from a strain, and you'll get blessed relief the moment you rub your back with soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil." Nothing else takes out soreness, lameness and stiffness so quickly. You simply rub it and out comes the pain. It is perfectly harmless and doesn't burn or discolor the skin. Limber up! Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle from any drug store, and after using it just once, you'll forget that you ever had backache, lumbago or sciatica, because your back will never hurt or cause any more misery. It never disappoints and has been recommended for 60 years. Adv.

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If the Wood Dealer Sold Service

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Now you buy so much light, although you pay according to the current you consume. But the service is performed for you by this company at the substations and power plants.

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.

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