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**"SOME TURKEY"**

Dallas, Texas, Dec. 22.—Sufficient turkeys to feed 3,500,000 persons have been shipped from Texas to the Christmas markets, chiefly in Chicago and New York.

**The Weather a Year Ago Today.**

Rain. Temperature, High 50, Low 34—remember Laxative Bromo Quinine cures a cold in one day. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." Look for signature E. W. GROVE, 25c.

**LIVESLEY NEWS**

(Capital Journal Special Service.)

Livesley, Ore., Dec. 22.—Mrs. G. W. Coolidge was hostess for the Get-together club Friday. The prize in the program contest, a neat little painting by Mrs. Coolidge, was won by Mrs. W. Miere, after which dainty refreshments were served. Those present were Mrs. C. D. Query, Mrs. Moortry, Mrs. Davenport, Mrs. W. Miere, Mrs. J. Watson, Mrs. W. Coolidge, Mrs. Wiggins, Mrs. J. Bressler, Mrs. G. W. Coolidge.

A meeting for the purpose of organizing a Literary society was held in the school house Friday night, Mrs. B. D. Fidler presiding. After discussing the possibilities of a society an organization was made with B. D. Fidler president, Earl Sharp, vice-president, Louis Salchenberg, secretary, Will Pettyjohn, sergeant-at-arms. The debate for Thursday night will be "Is Single Blessedness Preferable to Married Life."

Mrs. J. Halstead, of Portland, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Meier.

Last Wednesday Mr. C. D. Query was urgently called to the bedside of his mother at Olympia, Wash. On his arrival home on Saturday Mr. Query reported his mother much improved. It will be remembered Mrs. Query spent some time visiting here last summer.

Mrs. Farley, of Salem, spent Sunday with Mrs. W. Meier.

**SCROFULA AND ALL HUMORS GIVE WAY**

There are many things learned from experience and observation that the older generation should impress upon the younger. Among them is the fact that scrofula and other humors, which produce eczema, boils, pimples and other eruptions, can be most successfully treated with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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**UNITED STATES HAS FOURTH GOLD SUPPLY**

**Two Billion and a Quarter Dollars Worth of Metal Now In This Country**

By Perry Arnold.

(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Washington, Dec. 22.—The United States has gradually acquired more than one fourth of the world's supply of money gold. If Europe finally agrees to sell to America the five billion dollars worth of American securities which she still holds, the United States will have gone a long way toward establishing a dollar exchange.

These facts were outlined by Robert W. Woolley, director of the mint, in taking issue with the prediction of Sir George Paish, the British economist, that there is danger in the accumulation of gold in America.

"Sir George is only one of many who have predicted an era of wild speculation if the accumulation of gold continues along at the present rate," Woolley said. "It is easily conceivable that the assembling of too much of the world's standard of value in any one country would lead to a general, possibly sensational rise in prices, but not all agree this country is near the danger line. It is true, however, that the gold now in Uncle Sam's vaults will be ample for all purposes for a long time to come. We've experienced a great expansion of credits—but our national wealth has also increased enormously as have our bank clearings and the velocity of circulation."

"How much gold have we now?" Woolley was asked.

"On December 1, including coin in circulation and bullion and coin in the treasury, there was \$2,500,687,547—an increase of \$279,009,243 over July 1, 1914, before the war began."

**SILVERTON NEWS**

(Capital Journal Special Service.)

Silverton, Ore., Dec. 22.—Lloyd Riches, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Riches, of this place, has gone to Stanfield in eastern Oregon, to be editor of a local newspaper. Mr. Riches has been the Oregon City reporter for the Portland Daily Journal for several years past.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Gunderson, were in Portland this week to attend the wedding of their friend, Miss Tonseth.

Among those from out of town to attend the funeral of the late M. Cooley, were: Frank Hall and Raymond Fisher, of Woodburn; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Brower, Mrs. Ada and Posa Smith, of Scotts Mills, also J. B. Duncan, a son-in-law of Mr. Cooley.

Mrs. R. E. Kleinsorge was a guest of Portland friends the past week.

Attorney C. E. Ross was transacting business at McMinnville this week.

R. M. Hofer was over from Salem on business the first of this week.

Miss Gertrude Martin and Clifford Pitney were married at Salem on Thursday of this week.

The basket ball game between Oregon City and Silverton high school was played here last Saturday night. The score stood 41 to 8 in favor of Silverton.

Dr. Keene was called to the W. H. Bauganna home at North Howell to attend Miss Agnes Morgan who is very ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Ralph Shilts and Mrs. Robert Howe were in the city from the Silverton lumber company's camp to do their Christmas shopping.

J. N. VanArman accompanied by his brother, John VanArman, of North Dakota, enjoyed a trip to the Silverton lumber camps last Tuesday.

There will be a program at the Christian church on Christmas eve given by the Sunday school. There will be recitations, songs, etc., followed by a Christmas cantata, entitled, "The Enchanted Castle."

Miss Cassie Blackerby who teaches school at Townsend has been home this week on account of sickness, but hopes to return to her school work again the first of the week.

Hon. E. L. Grohman, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Carrie Bushnell, were in the city Friday, to pay their last respects to the late M. Cooley.

The ladies of the Mizpah Circle held their regular annual sale of all kinds of fancy work, useful articles, and good things to eat, last Friday and Saturday. The sale was well attended and the different articles sold readily. The proceeds of the sale will go for charitable purposes, and much good work has been accomplished by these busy ladies.

Miss Lydia Schanassa, who is a student at the college of music in Salem, spent the week end with her cousin, Mrs. O. Ralston and family of this place. Miss Schanassa's home is in eastern Washington.

Ira Stewart came home from Clifton, Oregon, Friday night, where he has had charge of an engine on a logging road.

A goodly number of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Chas. Ames last Friday afternoon, responding to an invitation from her sister, Mrs. Nickerson. Mrs. Ames' birthday was the inspiration for this surprise party, which was one of the most enjoyable events of the week. The afternoon was passed in a social manner, the ladies exchanging their fancy work and exchanging Christmas suggestions. A beautiful piece of silverware was presented to Mrs. Ames and delicious refreshments were served before the guests departed.

Wish for many happy returns of the day were expressed by all present.

Miss Marie Haure spent several days last week with Portland friends.

Mr. Bjorkstad left for his home in Henningsford, Nebraska, the last of the week after a very pleasant visit at the Moe and Jacobson homes.

Walter Fry has been on the sick list the past few days.

The Young Peoples' Society of the United Lutheran church held one of their interesting meetings in the basement of the church Sunday. These meetings are much enjoyed by the members of the society who prepare a nice program and serve refreshments from the business session held. They meet every three weeks.

Miss Kora Browne was a passenger for Salem Tuesday morning, returning on the five o'clock train.

Julius Alm was a Portland business caller on Thursday of this week.

P. H. Marcoe, who lately arrived

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Limber up! Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" 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.

**THE BABY'S CHRISTMAS**

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 22.—Baby Jennison's Santa Claus died today in a horrible, bloody tragedy.

Frank Jennison, the child's father, a Wabash railroad fireman, quarreled with his wife over what the baby should have for Christmas, as the baby lay in bed coughing.

Suddenly Jennison's anger burst. He seized a knife, and slashed his wife's throat, killing her instantly. Then as her blood spurted over the baby, he drew the same weapon across his own neck.

**EVERY THREE MINUTES ONE DIES IN THE U. S.**

The Anti-Tuberculosis Society illustrates the frightful toll of consumption by extinguishing a light every three minutes, and shows that it is the man or woman, girl or boy, who neglects colds, whose blood is impure, who feels weak and languid, who is the very one to contract tuberculosis—and none are immune.

During changing seasons, or after sickness, blood-quality is most important, and if you and your family will take Scott's Emulsion after meals it will charge your blood with health-strengthening richness, quicken circulation, and strengthen both lungs and throat.

Scott's is free from alcohol—easy to take—it cannot harm. Get a bottle to-day.

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**MONMOUTH NEWS**

(Capital Journal Special Service.)

Monmouth, Ore., Dec. 21.—Monmouth held her city election Monday, December 20. The following officials were elected: Mr. J. L. Murdoch, mayor; Mr. W. E. Smith, treasurer; Mr. W. G. Brown, recorder; Mr. John A. Bidwell and D. M. Hamptons councilmen to serve for the term of two years. The duties of these officers will start January 1.

The Monmouth high school basketball team are practicing daily and getting themselves in shape for the match game to be played with Albany high school in the near future. The boys have a strong team this year and have not been beaten yet. They are under the leadership of Mr. Milton Force, who is coaching them this year.

Mr. A. W. Poole has the contract for building the new garage for Graham & Son. He is pushing the work of construction to the utmost. In spite of the continued bad weather the building is being erected.

Mr. P. H. Johnson has sold his confectionery and book store to D. C. Walker & Son of this city. They now have possession.

Mr. C. E. Spense, of Oregon City, is the state grange master and he will have charge of the installation of officers for the Monmouth grange at their next regular meeting on the second Saturday in January.

The Normal students who remained in Monmouth for the Christmas vacation are not exactly idle. Many of them are planning social evenings and a grand new year's ball.

The students of the Monmouth high school are now engaged in a difficult line of English work than any given heretofore in this school. They edit under the supervision of Prof. E. L. Keesel, articles for the local paper, thus affording themselves a profitable as well as pleasing pastime.

The policy of the Oregon Normal school here is to have all the students learn the athletics and Mr. J. H. Ackerman has undertaken to bring this about by confining the athletics to the campus. A series of five games of basketball are to be played between the boys of the senior and junior classes and also between the girls of the same classes. A silver cup is offered as prize for both the boys and the girls. Mr. Ackerman says "It is very necessary that the students learn athletics for they will be required to teach it in some form or other when they go out into the world teaching school."

Recently heavy rains in this section have caused the overflowing of all streams around. The Luckiamute is reported out of its banks and many farmers are marooned and unable to get out only by boat.

Trappers from the vicinity of the Luckiamute river are reporting many large catches this year of muskrat, mink, coon and skunk, and owing to the increase in price on all fur mammals the trappers are busy and doing well.

The farmers living north of Monmouth held a telephone meeting Saturday to incorporate a company and buy the lines they use from the "Bell" people, if possible.

Wednesday night is amateur night at the "Norm" theatre. There is usually a larger crowd on amateur night than any other night.

Riddell Brothers, breeders of pure bred Cotswold and Lincoln sheep and Angora goats, who live near Monmouth have purchased another quarter section north of town. They are now busy tilling the ground as it is nearly all bottom land. They now farm about 1,200 acres, using the latest and most improved machinery for their farming operations. They have a "Holts" 60 horsepower "caterpillar" tractor with which they can plow, harrow and show 15 acres per day. During the past fall they had the tractor equipped with a searchlight and many nights they worked all night long.

There will be a special school meeting Saturday, November 26, for the purpose of voting on the proposition of levying a special district tax.

**LANDED 295 YEARS AGO**

December 22, 1620, which is just 5 years less than three centuries ago today, the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth Rock and established themselves in primitive homes to celebrate their freedom and their Christmas.

**Of course, the Men will come, but we want the Ladies, too**

**We do not need to appeal to the men--they know us.**

**BUT WE WANT THE LADIES TO KNOW us just as well and to feel sure that in our store they'll find the kind of gifts they're seeking and the kind of service that makes Christmas buying easy.**

**SO FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF BOTH THE ladies and the men we provide this list of useful, appropriate and practical men's gifts—gifts that every man will greet with the spirit of sincere appreciation that is so much desired.**

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  - Mallory Hat
  - Umbrella
  - Bath Robe
  - Shirt
  - Underwear
  - Raincoat
  - Collar Bag
  - Just Wright Shoes
  - Cuff Buttons
  - Garters Hosiery
  - Lounging Robe
  - Blue Serge Suit
  - Cap
  - Scarf
  - Sweater
  - Coat
  - Sweater Vest
  - Suspenders
  - Belt
  - Cane
  - Shoes
  - Bishop Overcoat
  - Smoking Jacket
  - Boxed Holiday Set
  - Scarf and Handkerchief
  - Neckwear

**ONE OF PARTY DIES**

Christiania, Dec. 22.—Lloyd B. Bingham, husband of Amelia Bingham, actress, a member of Ford's peace party, died here today of pneumonia.

Bingham accompanied the peace ship as official entertainer. His Bohemianism offended Unitarian delegates, and they succeeded in cancelling arrangements for a Bingham concert in mid-Atlantic.

Bingham urged the party to leave him behind here, after he had contracted pleuro-pneumonia aboard.

**KIDNEY DISORDERS QUICKLY RELIEVED**

Leading druggists everywhere are establishing new records in the sale of medicine. Believing that no medicine ought to be paid for unless it does the user some good they have adopted the plan of selling Solvax, the standard kidney remedy, under a positive guarantee of quick relief from all kidney or bladder misery, or money back without a question. This speaks eloquently for the virtues of the remedy and already has created a wide-spread demand for it here in Salem. Hundreds of people in every walk of life have been relieved of the agonies attendant on weak, disarranged or clogged-up kidneys and bladder by this remarkable remedy. It is not just merely a kidney treatment, it is a medicine that aims to put the entire, pampered body into normal condition and give vigorous health after the many painful disorders caused directly or indirectly by sick kidneys. A change for the better will be seen after the first few doses of Solvax and its continued use should tone up the entire system of improperly working organs and give the desire to live and enjoy life to its fullest.

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Solvax is sold under a positive guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure. This is the strongest proof that can be offered as to the merit of the medicine. You are cheating yourself out of your slice of life if you do not give Solvax a chance. Get it today from Daniel J. Fry or any leading druggist in this vicinity.

**Full Text America's Last Note to Austria**

(Continued from Page One.)

strictly on the Austrian admiralty's own admission that the Austrian commander blasted the Ancona after her engines had stopped, and while passengers were still aboard. On the strength of this statement, the note branded the commander as wilfully violating international law and the humane principles which every belligerent should observe in the conduct of war at sea. In view of these admitted circumstances the government of the United States feels justified in holding that the details of the sinking of the Ancona, the weight and character of the additional testimony corroborating the admiralty's report and the number of Americans killed or injured are in no way essential matters of the discussion. The culpability of the commander is in any case established,

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ty" had been established in any case. The note concludes: "It (the United States) sincerely hopes that the foregoing statement of its position will enable the Imperial and Royal government to perceive the justice of those demands and to comply with them in the same spirit of frankness and with the same concern for the good relations now existing between the United States and Austria-Hungary which prompted the government of the United States to make a reply."

**Will Not Argue Matter.**

The note was a refusal to debate international law and humane principles. America said she did not feel herself "called upon" thus to argue with Austria.

Never in the history of the submarine controversy arising from this war has the administration made its note so brief, so directly to the point.

Addressed to Ambassador Penfield: The note follows—

Department of State, Washington, December 19, 1915.—You are instructed to address a note to the Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, textually as follows:

"The government of the United States has received the note of Your Excellency relative to the sinking of the Ancona, which was delivered at Vienna on December 15, 1915, and transmitted to Washington and has given the note immediate and careful consideration.

"On November 15, 1915, Baron Zwiadineck, the charge d'affaires of the Imperial and Royal government at Washington, transmitted to the department of state a report of the Austro-Hungarian admiralty with regard to the sinking of the steamship Ancona, in which it was admitted that the vessel was torpedoed after her engines had been stopped and when passengers were still on board. This admission alone, in the view of the government of the United States, sufficient to fix upon the commander of the submarine which fired the torpedo, the responsibility for having wilfully violated the recognized law of nations and entirely disregarded those humane principles which every belligerent should observe in the conduct of war at sea. In view of these admitted circumstances the government of the United States feels justified in holding that the details of the sinking of the Ancona, the weight and character of the additional testimony corroborating the admiralty's report and the number of Americans killed or injured are in no way essential matters of the discussion. The culpability of the commander is in any case established,

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