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## PAID IN THEIR OWN COIN

The Huns' love of murder has caused them to kill hundreds in White Russia just for the reason that the the right to live. The dispatches tell of 600 citizens of Viborg being herded together in bunches of fifty and shot down by machine gun fire. Following this, after ten minutes consultation between efficers of the White Guard 200 persons including women and children were sentenced to death. Evidently this kind of atrocities
stirred the Red Guards to reprisals for a dispat:h from stirred the Red Guards to repr.sas for a
Moscow says 4,000 Germans and members of the Finnish Moscow says 4,000 Germans and members of the 6 miles White Guard were ofiled in a belsingfors. Civilized nations of modern days that are agyinst the rules of wa and the dictates of humanity, so the thugs turned loose the same treatment they give others. It is consoling to the same treatment they give others. know that at last they have come in contact with a race not so closely, The Huns in Finland are apt to have each and every of their aets of barbarity practiced on them and every of their acts of barbarity practiced on them
selves once they fall into, the hands of their enemies. A selves once they fall into the hands of their enemies. As
long as the Hun delights in deliberate murder of women, children ind innocent non-combatants, so long will even the greatest stickler for decency in dealing with enemies rejoice that the Hun is getting the same treatment h gives others.

The hatred of the Oregonian for the government the United States is shown by the way it proclaims th guilt in advance of any hearing of any official accused correspondence (marked "special") intimate that Borg um, the crook who has been raising a row over the air craft work, is only the victim of a "frame-up." Or pos sibly its Washington correspondent does not write thes dispatches at all but they may be manufactured in th Oregonian office just to fool the public which believe them to be regular press matter. The full measure of the hatred of both the Oregonian and Telegram may be seen in the love these papers express for Senator Chamberlain simply because he is making all the trouble he can for the war administration, doing more German propaganda work than all other agencies in this country. Unti administration of the nation these two Portland papers ad nothing but vilit and risule his, ist the Oregonian nd Telegram appress the highest cemmendation for his every act.

An hundred million dollar shipbuilding order, as wel as an order for $50,000,000$ feet of car lumber and 30,000 , 000 of Airplane stock, has just come to Oregon and Wash ington. This is in addition to the tens of millions of gov ernment money already expended tere on acom (partisa war. And yet the Oregonian and Telegram (partisan berating the administration for over-looking the North west and showing favor to the "denocratic South." As matter of fact the Northwest is being called upon to supply everything it is capable of supplying to assist in the work of winning the war--and the Portland newspapers know it. They are simply trying at all times and in al circumstances to stir up trouble for the government at : time when pressure from outside enemies should unite al loyal Americans in defense of a common country
Judge King, who is the Hon. Will R. King, present candidate for the senatorship on the demoertic ticket was in the city yesterday. Speaking of the political outiook from his viewpoint he remarked: It might be possible to find a better democrat than myself, but it will be conceded by all who know him that it would be impossible to find a worse democrat than West." Mr. King will find many democrats to agree with him in the last section of his statement.

## LADD \& BUSH, Bankers

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Liberty Bonds will be due May 28, 1918.

How the Oregonian would enjoy the present prison scape if West was governor. What learned dissertations on prison management and the way Os mismanaged the state institution-would our esteemed contemporary in-
dulge in. However as it is largely responsible for the dulge in. However as it is largely responsible for the
present governor being such and also sole manager of the present governor being such and also sole manager of the
prison, it has nothing to say. By the way we give the prison, it has nothing to say. By the way we give the istently than any other in the state. The way it has naintained silence about President Kerr of the 0 . A. C and his salary grab would make the sphinx resemble honograph in full action.
Germany announces that after the war she will take charge of and control all Rumanian oil fields. This is an early announcement, but the fact is that Germany will control what the allies permit her to control after the war, and the Rumanian oil fields will not be one of these
ihings. Those making such announcements are forgetul of the fact that when the war is ouncements are forgetful adly whipped she will not be in shape to demand anyhave. Heen done because they wanted peace when it could demnities, and to profit from a war annexations and inthe war Germany's great problem will be to pay what he owes.

The junkers are not pressing Holland as hard as they保 were she in a different position. They know that hould the Netherlands get their Dutch up and join the hies, it would be a costly game for Fritz. The English irplane base protect houland and it could be used as an ities. Besides an army could be landed on its shores to ush across the border and flank the German armies in landers. The Huns may run a hard bluff on little Holand occasionally, but when it comes to breaking with heeey are afraid to do it. If Holland could only pluck up er she would soon see the kaiser hunting some place to ide from his own people.

If you have any work you want to do for your political ay on had better get busy, for tomorrow is the last which you can get in your work.

## Rippling Rhymes

Walt Mason WORKINGS OF FATE My Uncle James, with brooding eye, gazed
 on the autos whizzing by. "Those blamed machines," he grimly said, "just strew the
highway with their dead. I wouldn't ride in one, I wot, if you'd give me a house and and then where off, the springs collapse, ask the undertaker gent, who'll tell you where their pieces went. I do not wish to
scorch and flee; a nag is me." Then Uncle James rose from his "Methinks I'll go to town" ho gray mare. "Methinks I'll go to town," he said, "and of paper flew along, when Bess, the mare, was going busted all the shafts and wheels. uncle's dome; an auto brought his fragments homee hit nele John took jealous care in following his bill of fare. and juicy steaks, and lived on greens, such things cheese hrow in when they set forth to browse. He said cows early tomb, because the good things I consuid I'd fil ould reach a green old age I'd live on ronsume. If age. He ate some mushrooms on a day, and then in nguish passed away. The mushrooms were the toadsto in brand, and so my Uncle John was canned, and I still use my easy chair, and eat all through the bill of fare. Which shows that rules of life are vain; no human plans are safe


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## *The Woman Who Changed

##  <br> Returned to Salem

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## WAR BULLETINS



