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DOCKTON

Mrs. W. Greer is slowly recovering from an attack of influenza.

Miss Eva Picinich of Vancouver, B. C., has employment at the Dockton Hotel.

Miss Gilstad of Seattle is the guest of Mrs. Ongstad for a few days.

Miss Lucy Meyers is spending the week end at her home in Bellingham.

Miss Edith Keen spent the week end in Tacoma, the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Merritt.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Turnbull, jr., of Seattle spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Turnbull's mother, Mrs. J. F. Riehm.

The Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Danielsen on Wednesday, March 3rd. A good attendance is requested, as there is business of importance.

The Misses Jennie and Dorothy Nilsen of Seattle were guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. R. Nilsen, over the week end.

Mr. Lucas Phancich, who underwent an operation at St. Joseph's hospital, Tacoma, returned home on Saturday evening. He is slowly regaining his strength.

Mr. Mason of Manzanita, one of the shippard employes, accidentally slipped and broke his arm while at work one day last week. He is under the care of Dr. Rich of Tacoma.

The Dockton school gave a short program on Friday afternoon in honor of George Washington's birthday, and, since the 22d happened to be on Sunday, there was no school on Monday.

Home Destroyed By Fire

The home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Turnbull was completely destroyed by fire on Sunday afternoon. The fire evidently started from a defective flue. Neighbors discovered the blaze in the roof and rushed in to help save the household goods, of which nearly all were saved. The house was insured in the Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company.

Stork Shower

About sixteen ladies, relatives and intimate friends of Mrs. M. Botich, gave her a shower last Saturday afternoon at her home in Dockton. Many pretty and useful gifts were received for the stork, who is expected to arrive soon. A social afternoon, with musical selections from the victrola was very much enjoyed by all, after which delicious refreshments were served. Mrs. Keen was in charge of the affair.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Stenberg and family desire to thank their friends in Dockton for the sympathy shown them in their recent bereavement.

COVE

Mr. O. Hammer (the short man, nit) took in the city on business.

Misses Florence and Flora Sigrist enjoyed Sunday with the home folks.

Mr. Donald Dunn has been helping Mr. Crozier with the rush of work for several days.

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Mr. E. N. Earles was in Tacoma last week. Went over to see how his big boy was getting along and also to look up the potato market.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Lund motored over from the city on Saturday, spending the week end with his brother-in-law's family, Mr. Frank Elden.

Mr. Axel Petersen, to be fashionable, tied himself to the city to have some dental work done. Said he had to help run the boat, as he kept himself and away in the pilot house.

Mrs. Ed Ramquist had the Lutheran Ladies' Aid at her home last Thursday for a pleasant afternoon of work and planning. Refreshments of coffee and nice cakes were enjoyed.

Mrs. Butler and little son came over from the city to see how grandpa Ralsbeck was getting on. She has her hands full, dusting and sweeping. Joe is right in clover, though, these days, as far as "good eats" goes.

Messrs. J. Pearson and A. C. Moe have been on the job the past week falling those big fir trees recently auctioned off on the Beulah Park grounds. Something of a mathematical problem, too, trying to cut down seven and a half and nine feet in diameter trees with a seven-foot crosscut saw. Can you figure it out?

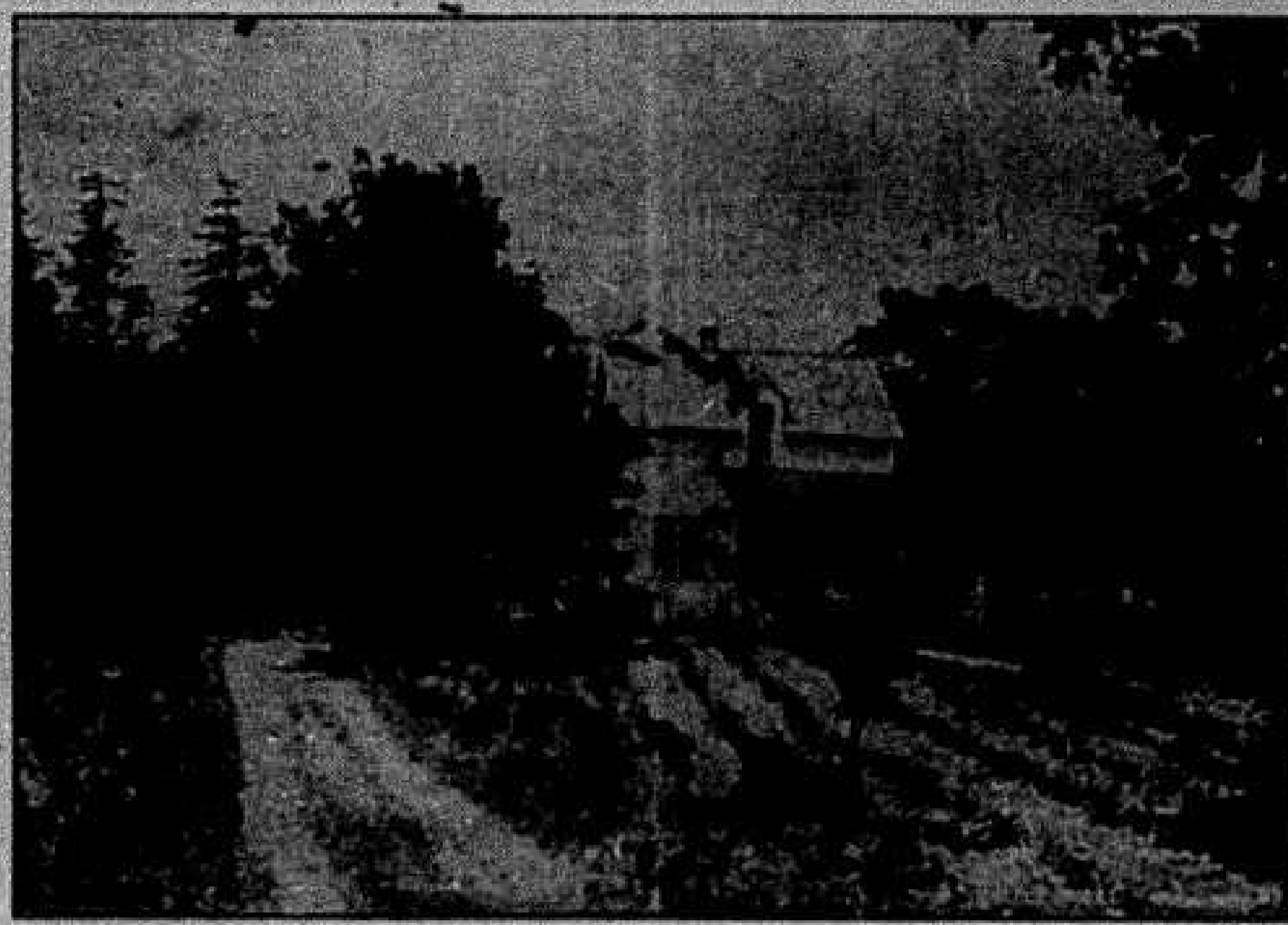
Mrs. W. G. Doyle entertained the Red Cross ladies last week. Not having any special work on hand, the ladies brought along home sewing. Nice refreshments were served. They chased Mr. D. out of the house, which didn't suit, so he stole back, and looking through the window, said "the ladies were having a regular talk-fest,"—whatever that is. Ain't he spiteful?

Now we know what all that lumber means that Mr. Petersen the merchant has been storing on his waterfront. Mr. O. Severson is rushing up another big warehouse, 30x60 feet, 12 feet high. Some of the getting piling placed without a pile-driver. When the tide is in you wonder how. When the tide was out the lowest there was some mighty hustling, shoveling gravel, and digging holes. Mr. S. had J. Jorgenson and Ben Huseby at hand. By late afternoon piles set, stringers on and floor mostly laid. Some hustlers, that crew.

Miss Marie Danielson, the evangelist singer, has been doing some good work at the Methodist Scandinavian meetings the past week. She is a singer of rare sweetness and power. Last Wednesday evening she sang a solo, "Come over into Canaan's Land," with much pathos and persuasive effect. The final meeting was held last Sunday. About 200 people came over from Seattle by boat. The good island folks brought baskets of lunch to help entertain them. They spent the whole day with various religious exercises of much interest.

Now, while Cove has a reputation for nice ranches, fine fruit, good-looking ladies, and the handsomest babies of any community, yet there is another thing to be justly proud of: That's the Jacob Davis shipbuilding plant. He has a fine fishing schooner on the ways, the keel laid and graceful ribs in place. Busy sawing the braces with a power bandsaw. It is 60 feet long, 14 feet 3 inches in width. Mr. Sigwell Bookman is master builder. Mr. Davis does not have to hire much help, as he has seven stalwart boys of his own, manhood grown, all good fishermen: making money, too.

How many have seen that "pop gun" Uncle Sam has on exhibition in the city, on Pioneer Square? One hundred and fifty-five millimeter, as the French call them; or a 6-er, as we say. Some



The W. S. Danner Property, Vashon.

18 feet long, weighs 17 tons; with wagonbox filled to overflow, takes 95-pound shell; range 11 miles. Drawn by one of those small caterpillar engines. In shooting the forward truck is removed and the "spades," massive square steel plates, are buried four feet in the ground; then great girder-like attachments on either side, which the doughboys said were "racks," (I guess Uncle Sam must be awful modest—most folks would call them legs), are fitted to the spades. Well, if anybody outside of an artilleryman told you they used spades and takes as parts of a cannon, they would think you were safe daffy.

Word from Mrs. Ida Lundberg is to the effect that they reached home safely, at Eckville, Alberta. That the weather is awful cold. Been enjoying some fine sleigh-rides, as there is lots of snow up there. Memory recalls the grand old times when with spanking bays, jingling bells, a big bobbed

a pamphlet on "Poultry, Pigs and Profit!"

BURTON

Ray Bigelow has joined the Navy and is now on the U. S. training ship "Orchas" at Bremerton, where there are over 300 apprentices on board.

A baby girl came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Wednesday night. The Ellisons are from Canada and are spending the winter at Burton where the climate is milder.

The Whitfields are now occupying their ranch home west of Burton—moving out on Monday. In the fall Mr. Whitfield will issue

Miss Murchison of Seattle is on the island this week, visiting the grammar schools and presenting the modern health crusade for King County Anti-Tuberculosis League.

Mrs. O. C. Myers of Seattle spent Tuesday of last week with her friend, Mrs. Udell, at Newport. Mrs. Udell is now convalescing, and for the past ten days has been able to see her friends.

Mrs. H. C. Stone visited her mother, Mrs. Sarah Gammell, several days this week. While here Mrs. Stone leased her place at Burton for a term of years to the

present incumbent, Mr. A. Malmberg.

Miss Signie Carlson and Miss Helen Nelson, both teaching in Tacoma, were home for the Washington birthday holiday. Miss Selma Nelson spent her vacation with friends in Puyallup and Buckley.

Mrs. J. M. Armstrong is slowly recovering from a long siege with pneumonia and throat trouble.

Mrs. Capt. Forbes and daughters, Misses Queenie and Vera were over from Tacoma Wednesday. They will return to their old home on the peninsula early in the spring.

Capt. L. H. Jennings piloted the Str. "Nisqually" from Tacoma around to Astoria, Ore.—leaving Tacoma Monday at 2 p. m. and arriving in Astoria the next morning at 8 a. m., the quickest trip on record. E. E. Stone of Burton was engineer. The steamer's name has been changed to "Astorian" and will run on the Columbia river.

A house party of more than twenty young people came over from Seattle on Saturday and remained until Monday afternoon at the Curry home. The canoeing, merry laughter and bushels of fun made the week seem like the "good old summer time." Mr. Fred Wiman "mothered" part of the boys at his spacious Portage home, while Mrs. E. B. Tubbs looked after the rest.

Mrs. Geo. St. John and Mrs. E. Bucknell were hostesses at the latter's home on Tuesday for the Vashon Island Woman's Club. Mrs. Keating and Mrs. Jones presented papers on the topic, "Americanization." Discussion followed, and a profitable and pleasant afternoon was spent. Lunch was served.

The "Orchas", which is a light-house tender, will leave Bremerton about March 3rd to carry supplies for the light stations along the coast, and will then make a trip to Honolulu, Bombay, Persia and Sweden and will be gone over a year.

We hear that one of our Island boys, Cecil Nelson, a brother of Mrs. O. E. Cross, recently won a prize of fifty dollars offered by the Seattle Star for the best suggestions on how to avoid accidents in Seattle under traffic regulations.

Mr. Harold Selfors of Seattle, a Burtonite during the building of the two ships at Dockton two years ago, spent Friday and Saturday in town. He is now general manager for his father in the wholesale fish business, and expects to make a trip to Alaska in the spring to buy up fish for their cannery and market in Seattle.

Rev. T. S. Fretz will occupy the pulpit at the Baptist church next Sunday morning and evening.

Tacoma's Exclusive Boys' Suit Shop is located at 607 Fidelity Building. There is where the money is saved. Special features: Double Seat and Knees in every Suit; making them last twice as long. 12

PRUNING DEMONSTRATION

This Saturday, Feb. 28th, from 10 a. m. to 12, there will be a pruning demonstration at the A. B. Van Campen place, ¼ mile north of Vashon on the main road.

This demonstration will be given under the direction of County Horticulturist F. N. Rhodes. Deputy J. C. Eakle, who has devoted his lifetime to this line of work, and is considered a professional, will oversee the work, while Mr. James Fea will do the pruning. This will be of great value to fruit growers and all are invited to be there.

Neolin soles at Rendall's repair shop, Portage. Phone Red 1151.

SO. HEIGHTS

Ross Bittinger spent Sunday with the home folks.

Mrs. Jenkins was a visitor to Tacoma on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins entertained Fred Pugh at dinner Sunday.

Mr. Lloyd Bruckart is spending some weeks at home with his mother, Mrs. M. Lara.

Mrs. Dunn's two daughters, Agnes and Irene, were enabled to spend an extra day with their mother this week, as the Pierce county schools were closed Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheffield entertained a houseful on Sunday last. Mrs. Sheffield's sisters, the Misses Reed, also Mr. Arthur Smith and his family, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bruckart.

Mrs. Abery and Mrs. Peyram of Tacoma are spending a few days with Mrs. C. A. Cook of Magnolia. Mr. and Mrs. McAnally spent the week end at their beautiful cottage at Magnolia. Quite a party of young folks accompanied them.

Mr. Cook's plans for the improvement of the Cromwell place include a bulkhead and modernizing the buildings. Fir, alder and cedar timber, except at the front, are to be immediately removed under contract and put in the water at Shawnee.

Will Berry's injured leg is so much better that he has been working a bit, using the riding paw, and learning. His rapid recovery is due to treatment of the injury, with fresh, with hot water to take out the inflammation and to skilful bandaging. This kind of a stitch in time saves nine—days in the time of recovery from an injury.

GRANGERS, ATTENTION

The next regular meeting of Island Grange will be held March 1, at which time business of importance, in which you are vitally interested, will be brought before the Grange.

A representative of the King County Grange will be present.

Refreshments will be served after the meeting. Remember the date, and don't fail to be present.

"Flu" cases on the Islands have been comparatively light.

NEW BUSINESS AT PORTAGE.

Of Interest to Car Owners

Mr. E. N. Harrison, formerly foreman of the largest shop in Tacoma, has established a tire repair shop at Portage, near the ferry dock. He has the equipment to handle all makes and sizes of tires. He thoroughly understands the tire business and guarantees all his work. Mr. Harrison has recently purchased property at Portage and expects to make his home here. He wishes to demonstrate to the people of the Islands that there is as much economy in repairing tires as there is in half-soleing shoes.

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CAUGHT IN A CAVE-IN—BADLY CRUSHED

Raymond Campbell met with a serious accident on Friday of last week while digging a pit on his father's place in which it was intended to bury a rock weighing several tons. After completing the excavation, Raymond threw his shovel out and had just put his foot on the ladder to ascend when the huge mass toppled over and buried him. When he was finally extricated it was found that one leg had been fractured in two places and one hip was badly injured. He was taken to a Seattle hospital and was doing as well as could be expected at last report.





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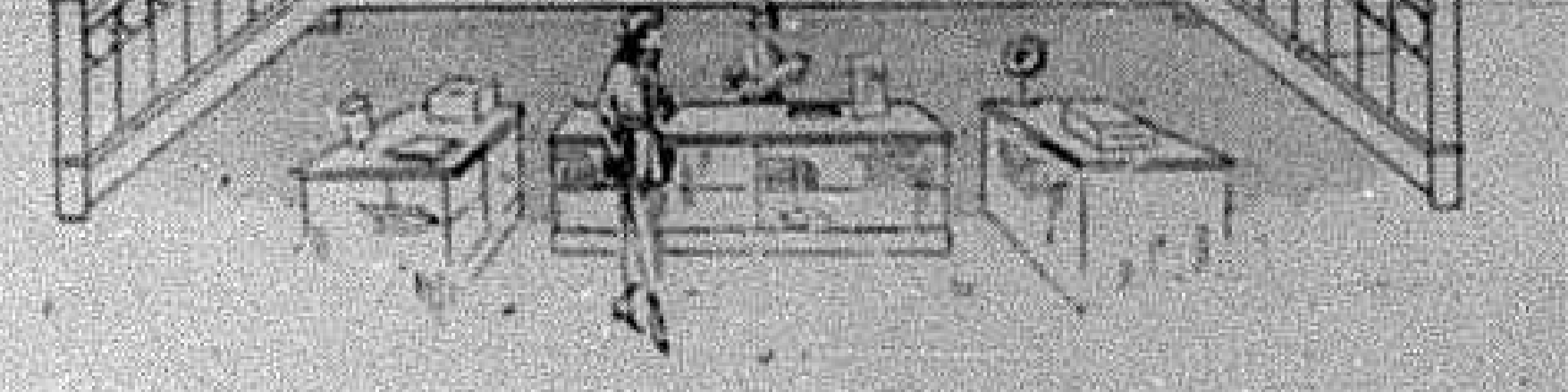
The News-Record family enjoyed an auto trip to Southern Heights, "Casa Dahlia," and the new ferry dock at Clam Cove on Saturday afternoon of last week.

The car was left at the top of the grade and the occupants took a leisurely stroll down to the dock—admiring one of the grandest views of THE Mountain to be had on the Sound.

The work on the dock is nearly completed, in fact appeared complete with the exception of a small space to be planked. The work on the dock and the road has been well done, and from appearances it will be only a question of a few weeks until service can be given direct to Tacoma.

The new road from "Casa Dahlia" to the dock represents a tremendous amount of work in the way of blasting, cutting, clearing and graveling. From the the Shef-

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field dahlia farm north there are a few hillocks that will later be ironed out smooth and the road widened. Aside from this short piece the road from Burton west and south was in fair condition.

If one is in quest of beautiful scenery, the view from "Inspiration Point," as it has been appropriately named, will certainly arouse enthusiasm. No finer view of the mountain ranges, the Sound or of Tacoma can be obtained on the Islands. It is inspiring.

As we journeyed homeward, in the early evening it was the unanimous opinion that it was the end of "a perfect day."

A communication dealing with the road problem received too late for this issue will be used next week.

Mr. T. E. Hulse, deputy county superintendent, read a paper before the Teachers' League recently on "Tenure of Office." In preparation for this he sent out a questionnaire to each of the King county teachers. Within the last two years two-thirds of the principals and superintendents of King county and four-fifths of the

teachers have changed their positions at least once. The reasons given for this rank as follows: First, low salaries; second, objection to the discipline of the school on the part of the directors' children; third, neighborhood cliques and fusses that indirectly or directly affect the school.

Mrs. Howard Rodda had a narrow escape from serious injury or drowning at Vashon Heights dock recently while attempting to pass around cars that were parked too close to the edge of the dock, and because of insufficient light. She fell into the slip, but fortunately her foot caught onto a cleat and saved her from going into the icy waters of the Sound. There should be a dead line for all cars on that dock, whether waiting for the ferry or for any steamer.

It is reported that the government reserve at the south end of the Island will be thrown open to settlers about May 1, 1920. Congressman Albert Johnson has the matter in hand and all claimants will be duly notified. There are about five hundred acres in the reserve.

Registration is necessary if you wish to vote at the school election.

The election of a school director for a term of three years is an important matter and should not be treated with the indifference that has marked former elections.

FERRY SERVICE, MARCH 10

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 26, 1920.
Editor News-Record, Vashon.
Dear Sir: Ferry service between Seattle, Vashon Heights and Harper will be resumed not later than March 10. The regular schedule will be in effect.

Because of the shortage of ferries it has been necessary to cause some inconvenience to the different communities when boats are laid up for repairs and for the annual Federal inspection. I regret very much that this condition exists, and we hope soon to have sufficient boats so that relief vessels will be available when any boat must be taken off. Will you please announce through the columns of your paper that the service will be resumed and regularly maintained commencing not later than the 10th of March.

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COVE COMMENTS

The result of the primary election in Seattle for mayor was not exactly what the Times, P. I. and Star hoped and expected. It's evidently a case of the whole people not being fooled all the time. Major Caldwell made a fine showing, despite the opposition of the three said papers, and I think he would have a better chance to win out in the final if he repudiated the support of the triple paper alliance, which vilified him during the primary campaign. Personally, I hope Duane will win out, as he is reputed to be a fine, upright character, and has the support of a host of religious people. Everybody wants a square deal, and Duncan is the man for the job.

Of course, it may seem that the mayorality of Seattle does not concern us. But it does, as our interests are vitally bound up with that of Seattle, as well as Tacoma, and when you get a mayor of the type of Ole Hanson, who is filling the other states with false ideas, that our state and the city of Seattle is the nest of red revolutionists and birds of that ilk, it means giving us a black eye, and deterring decent citizens of other states from coming and settling among us, and to that extent hurts the Islands' interests.

Here is a good thing, taken from the P. I., and is well worth remembering, and practicing, too, viz. "I shall pass through this world but once. Any good, therefore, that I can do, or any kindness that I can show to any human being, let me do it now. Let me not defer or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again."

It goes without saying that Cove regrets the passing of its oldtime resident, Mr. P. D. Halsey, who lacked only one year of the allotted span. Like leaves in the autumn and ripe fruit on the tree, we drop off one by one, and each in turn must face the inevitable. Our sincere sympathy is with the bereaved. The Cove flags were at half mast in recognition of the mournful event.

VASHON HEIGHTS

Mr. R. A. Eaton was over from Seattle on Sunday last looking after his summer home.

Mr. E. W. Lindley made a trip to Seattle on Sunday last, returning on Monday evening.

Miss Mary Leekly attended a house party recently at the home of Miss Alice Wally in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bragg entertained Mr. and Mrs. Cowan and daughter Rhea at dinner on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Doebler were guests on Sunday and Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pinkham.

Mr. Geo. Simonds of Seattle will build the fireplace in the new Malloy home, starting work on Thursday.

Sloan Randolph will start blasting on the West tract this week. They will have the 27-acre tract all under cultivation by early spring.

The Misses Virginia Leekly and Margaret Morgan attended a lovely house party on the 22nd and 23rd at the home of Miss Dorothy Daniels, Queen Anne Hill, Seattle.

These wonderful days have made it hard to remain indoors. Some ladies from the Heights went for a long walk on Tuesday. Called at "Bonny Shore" and picked a large bunch of primroses. Isn't this a glorious climate!

Mrs. L. P. Black of Port Angeles is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coryell for the week. Mr. Black will join her on Sunday for a short visit.

Miss Hilda Cowan was the guest for a week at the home of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cowan and the Misses Dorothy and Hazel Cowan, who were home over Washington's birthday.

No, we haven't lost our reckoning. This is February, but sunny California better look to her laurels—nothing to compare with this glorious Puget Sound climate.

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Coast	15.00 to 12.00	11.00 to 9.00	8.00 to 7.00	6.00 to 5.00	6.00 to 4.00

MUSKRAT

Spring	8.00 to 7.00	6.50 to 5.50	5.00 to 3.75	3.50 to 2.75	3.00 to 2.00
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WASHINGTON STATE NEWS OF INTEREST

Important Occurrences of Past Week Briefly Compiled for Our Readers.

Schools at B'vill have been closed owing to the influenza epidemic.

Organization of the Lewis County Poultry association has been perfected.

A new theatre to seat 1800 will be built at Tacoma this spring at a cost of \$350,000.

A strike of linemen of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company was called in Tacoma Friday.

The Clarke County Taxpayers' league has decided to start a campaign for relief from unusually high taxes.

H. E. Still has resigned as general western freight agent of the Northern Pacific with headquarters at Tacoma.

The Business Men's club of Kalama is organizing a club to build and sell houses to relieve the present demand.

A memorial service was held at Centralia Sunday to commemorate the memory of the soldier dead in France.

The memorial bridge erected by the citizens of Asotin county in memory of soldier dead has been opened for traffic.

A movement has been started at Vancouver to secure a paved highway to the boundary of Mount St. Helens national park.

Alvin C. Mellvaine, widely known among building contractors in the northwest, died of pneumonia at his home in Tacoma.

Governor Hart has issued a proclamation urging assistance to the war department in the stimulation of recruiting for the army.

Farmers of Lamont are getting ready for spring work. The snow is about gone and there seems to be plenty of moisture in the ground.

Schools, theatres and churches in Toledo are closed as a result of an order issued by the mayor with a view of checking the influenza.

Because of the epidemic of influenza at Kalama Judge William T. Darch of the Cowlitz county superior court adjourned the term of court until April.

Major Hugh Caldwell was high man and James Duncan, labor candidate, second in the race for nomination for mayor at the Seattle primary election.

The three I. W. W. members convicted at Prosser of criminal syndicalism have been sentenced to terms of from six months to one year in the penitentiary.

Proceeds of sales of timber and farm lands, part of the school and grant lands of the state, February 3, amounted to \$207,492, according to Land Commissioner Savidge.

Owing to greatly increased costs, the paving proposed between Winlock and the Pacific highway at Cowlitz store has struck a snag. The lowest bid is \$45,000 above the estimate.

French war certificates have been received by the Aberdeen post of the American Legion for distribution to relatives of 15 Aberdeen boys who were killed during the war.

Owing to the fact that terminal arrangements have not been perfected, the electrified service of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul system will be operated into Tacoma only.

The commissioners of Cowlitz county have decided to recuse at least a part of the timber in the county. The cost, estimated at from \$50,000 to \$125,000, will be met by a bond issue.

For the first time since it was placed in operation the Tacoma municipal railway, which connects the city with the shipyards and other industrial plants on the tidelands, showed a profit for January.

The voters of Pacific county will vote March 9 on a proposition of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the county to the extent of \$162,000 for the purpose of completing the Ocean beach highway.

Following their advance in the scale of fees, Spokane county physicians will discipline members who refuse to give up contract work. Seventeen have decided to retain their contracts and to defy the association.

Fearing a water shortage, several independent ditch companies of the Yakima valley are preparing to buy storage from the government, and have entered into negotiations for water to use in case it is needed.

Failure of the combination of the Walla Walla postoffice safe tied up thousands of dollars' worth of securities until Postmaster Day secured the services of an oxy-acetylene expert to drill a hole in the safe door.

A 90-days' suspension, dating from February 29, has been ordered by the state public service commission at Olympia for hearing on a proposed rise in street railway fare rates between Aberdeen and Hoquiam, from 5 to 7 cents.

Plans for the triangular coast regatta scheduled for May 7 on Lake Washington, have been given a setback by receipt of a telegram from Stanford university, indicating that the Mission crew may not be able to compete this year on northern waters.

L. Byron of Portland, Or., and Edward M. Comyns, Seattle, charged with having used the mails to defraud in connection with a land settlement scheme, were found guilty of 46 of the 50 counts against them by a jury in federal court at Seattle.

Influenza seems to be quite prevalent in Cowlitz county and at a recent meeting of the board of county commissioners places of public gatherings including all public schools, churches, theaters, entertainments of every kind and public dances were ordered closed.

Work of erecting an 85-foot oil derrick east of Montesano by the Wyoming Oil company has been completed and machinery is being installed. The company has leases on 2500 acres of land in the vicinity of the proposed well. About \$35,000 will be represented in equipment.

Gas is due for an increase in Tacoma, the public service commission having filed a report permitting the Tacoma Gas & Fuel company to increase the gas rates approximately 25 per cent. A decision on the company's request to increase gas rates in Olympia will not be given until a later date.

The Walla Walla Meat & Cold Storage company is to enter the ice and fruit storage business on a huge scale. Excavating has been begun for a building 40 by 190 feet. This is the first unit of several such buildings to be erected by the company and it is planned to handle 500,000 boxes of apples besides huge quantities of ice each year.

Mrs. Elizabeth F. Tannatt, aged 82, widow of the late General T. R. Tannatt, died at the home of her son-in-law, Dr. C. K. Merritt, in Spokane. Mrs. Tannatt was one of the few surviving women who had been actively engaged in nursing in the civil war and who was able to recall many of the incidents of the relief work instituted by Clara Barton.

Resolutions urging the president of the United States to call a conference of "qualified international experts" to devise ways and means for "safeguarding the world's credits by increasing the world's metallic reserves of gold" were adopted at the closing session of the northwest mining convention held at Spokane under the auspices of the Northwest Mining association.

Decision to push a demand for a 50 per cent salary increase has been made by the board of directors of the Association of Instructors of the University of Washington. The campaign will be conducted until satisfactory results are obtained, according to the directors, even if it is necessary to carry the drive before the next session of the legislature. This is the reception given the recent award of 25 per cent increase by the board of regents.

R. J. Donahue, chief of the department of dairy and livestock in the commissioner of agriculture office, has resigned to become manager of the Carnation Stock Farms company. The resignation will be effective March 20. The company operates extensive stock farms at Tolt, King county; Graner, Yakima county, and Cherry Valley, Snohomish county. Donahue will be succeeded by L. C. Pelton, veterinary inspector for western Washington for the commission of agriculture.

Substantial salary increases, ranging from 5 to 25 per cent according to length of service and general co-operative value to the college, were granted to the faculty by the board of regents of Washington State college. The increases were granted on the basis of claims submitted by the faculty committee recently which showed that approximately 75 per cent of the married professors were receiving but a bare living wage. The new increase will be proportioned according to time of affiliation with the institution, amount of research and original work accomplished during that time and to instructional abilities.

In order to provide a dependable water supply against the threatened dry season this year the land owners under the government project in the Okanogan valley are preparing to install one of the most powerful pumping plants ever used for irrigating purposes. It is proposed to lift sufficient water out of the Okanogan river to irrigate 5300 acres of land now in bearing orchards in the vicinity of Omak. This water will have to be lifted 470 feet and pumps having a capacity of 25,000 gallons per minute will be required for the work. So far as is known this is the biggest pumping plant installation for irrigating purposes in the history of this country.

In a comprehensive review of the intensive fishing operations of the last six years, which have resulted in great depletion of the salmon fisheries of the state of Washington, in common with those of the rest of the north Pacific coast, State Fish Commissioner Darwin in his biennial report to Governor Hart gives it as his opinion that the salmon fishing can best be restored and preserved by the creation by the legislature of a fisheries or conservation commission patterned after the public service commission and empowered to regulate fishery operations to the extent of saying how, when and where they may be carried on and with ample authority to enforce such regulations.

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John Barton Payne, chairman of the shipping board, named to succeed Franklin K. Lane as secretary of the interior.

INTERPRETATION OF WILSON NOTE WRONG

Washington.—President Wilson, it was learned at the White House, did not say in his note to the entente premiers regarding the Fiume question that the United States would no longer be able to concern itself in European affairs if a Fiume settlement were made without consulting America. Officials said the interpretation of the president's note by the Paris Temps was "too sweeping." They said the United States would not withdraw from participation in the peace treaty and the league of nations, if the treaty were ratified by the senate, but that it would withdraw from any participation in the Fiume settlement, including the policing of the Adriatic. The president's position regarding Fiume and the whole Adriatic situation was said to be unchanged.

BANDITS KIDNAP AMERICAN

Los Angeles Man is Being Held for 50,000 Pesos.

Washington.—Wilson Welsh Adams, an American, has been captured by bandits in Zacatecas, Mexico, and is being held for 50,000 pesos ransom, the state department was advised. Adams' home is in Los Angeles, where his wife and child now live. The American embassy at Mexico City has been instructed by the state department to bring the kidnapping to the attention of the Mexican authorities, with the request that every step be taken to obtain Adams' release.

Houser Demands Hearing.

Portland, Or.—Demanding a thorough investigation of the charges made against him by a United States grand jury in Spokane, which on February 7 reported that he had used his official position as vice-president of the United States grain corporation to his own benefit, M. H. Houser wired to Julius H. Barnes, federal wheat director, at New York.

Financial Crash is Held Unlikely.

Washington.—Confidence that Europe's monetary problems will be settled satisfactorily was expressed by Secretary Houston in a review of the international financial situation.

Polk Will be Made Acting Secretary.

Washington.—Frank L. Polk, under-secretary of state, will be secretary ad interim to act until President Wilson appoints a successor to Robert Lansing.

Nebraska Dry Law is Upheld.

Lincoln, Neb.—The Nebraska supreme court sustained that section of the state prohibitory law which denies the right of jury trial in magistrate and police courts to persons accused of possessing and transporting intoxicating liquors.

Root is 75 Years Old.

New York.—Elihu Root, ex-secretary of state, celebrated his 75th birthday at his home here Sunday.

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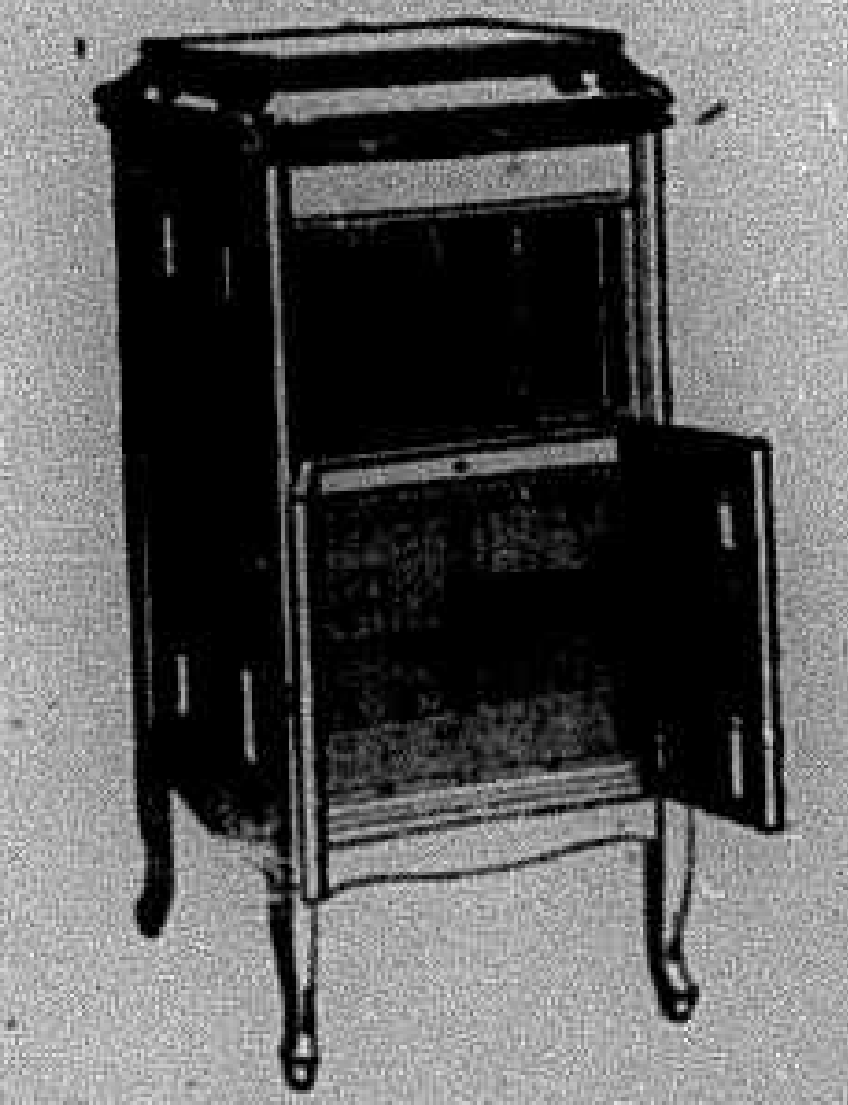
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Thomas A. Edison at 30—and 73



Thomas A. Edison, the inventive genius of the world, has just passed another milestone—and one that will not soon be forgotten—his 73rd birthday. The affair was made a municipal party—the people of Orange, N. J., paying tribute to the man who has given their town such distinction. Here are pictures of Edison at 30 and 73. The big picture is from an old print in 1877—Edison and the first phonograph—which he invented. The insert is the wizard today. He was born at Milan, O., Feb. 11, 1847.

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MORE DEMOCRATS FOR RESERVATIONS

Peace Treaty Reservations Carried By More Than Two-Thirds Vote.

Washington.—The first of the reservations attached to the peace treaty last November was readopted unchanged and by an increased majority in the senate after the treaty's irreconcilable opponents, holding the balance of power, had balked the efforts of republican and democratic leaders to obtain modification in the interest of compromise.

The outcome, although involving the defection of four more democratic senators from the ranks of those who have stood against all reservations, generally was accepted by all elements in the senate as tightening the treaty deadlock and bringing the question of ratification one step nearer the political campaign.

The reservation on which the senate acted relates to withdrawal from membership in the league. The vote on its adoption was 45 to 29, 10 democrats joining the solid republican lineup supporting it. Four of these—Senators Ashurst (Arizona), Fletcher (Florida), Henderson (Nevada) and Nugent (Idaho)—have stood on all previous roll-calls steadfastly against any qualification of the treaty.

It was by a bare majority, 33 to 32, that the senate rejected the change in the reservation framed by republican leaders and submitted by Senator Lodge as part of his compromise plan. In addition to the four democrats who swung over to reservations for the first time, the members of the minority party voting to adopt the withdrawal qualification were—Senators Chamberlain, Oregon; Gore, Oklahoma; Myers, Montana; Shields, Tennessee; Smith, Georgia, and Trammell, Florida. The result, 45 to 29, showed two-thirds of the senators present voting together for the first time since the treaty fight began.

NO AGREEMENT ON SALES OF SHIPS

Washington.—There is no agreement or any contemplated agreement between the United States and Great Britain as to the disposition of the former German ships, President Wilson declared in a statement to the senate, in response to a resolution of inquiry.

The president, however, transmitted to the senate a proposed understanding, signed by Lloyd George and Woodrow Wilson, as to the title of ships seized during the war from Germany, the proposal, subject to the action of congress, following ratification of the treaty.

The proposal provides that German ships shall be allocated among the allied nations ton for ton for the losses suffered during the war. In the event of a nation having seized ships whose tonnage is in excess of the tonnage lost during the war, the nation shall pay a reasonable rate for all excess tonnage to the reparations commission, to go to the credit of Germany to satisfy claims against Germany for reparations.

MORE CREDIT WANTED

Loans Would Be Made by Farmers on Personal Security.

Washington.—A system of co-operative farm credit, based on personal security as distinguished from mortgage loans, was proposed in a bill introduced by Representative McFadden, republican, Pennsylvania. Loans on personal security would be obtained by farmers from "community" banking associations having stock subscribed by farm members. There would be a central bank with \$25,000,000 capital loaned by the government and also state branches.

Farming interests require loans on personal security, Representative McFadden stated, and federal land and private bank facilities do not completely meet requirements.

Passports to West Indies to Cost \$10

Washington.—A charge of \$10 for passports to Cuba, Bermuda, The Bahama islands and Mexico has been tentatively agreed upon by the conferees on the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill. Under the original measure such passports were to be granted free. Revenue from passports to these countries now is estimated at \$800 daily with prospects of great increases because of prohibition.

Referendum Beer and Wine Wanted

Washington.—Amendment of the Volstead prohibition enforcement act so as to permit the states by referendum to authorize sale of 2.75 per cent beer and 10 per cent wine, was proposed in a bill introduced by Representative Minahan, democrat, New Jersey.

SECRETARY M. REDITH



Edwin T. Meredith of Des Moines, Iowa, recently appointed secretary of agriculture by President Wilson.

FARMERS TO ENTER POLITICAL FIGHT

Washington.—With the appointment of a committee of seven prominent farm organizations' leaders to draw up a "platform," the American farmer as represented in the national board of farm organizations, served notice on present and prospective presidential candidates that he is determined to participate actively in the coming campaign.

The platform will comprise questions designed to bring out unmistakably the attitude of each candidate upon matters which agriculturists consider of paramount importance.

C. S. Barrett of Georgia, president of the National Farmers' union, was named chairman of the committee, the other members being T. C. Atkeson of West Virginia, representing the national grange; Gifford Pinchot, Pennsylvania, of the Pennsylvania Rural Progress association; J. B. Houston, Wisconsin, secretary Wisconsin Society of Equity; W. L. Drummond, Oklahoma, International Farm congress; R. D. Cooper, New York, dairy men's league and J. R. Howard, Washington, American Farm bureau federation.

FOOD COST STILL RISING

Prices Since January, 1913, Have More Than Doubled.

Washington.—The average expenditure for food increased 2 per cent in the month ending January 15, according to statistics made public at the labor department. This is an increase of 9 per cent over January, 1919, and 104 per cent since January, 1913. Comparisons of retail prices paid for 44 articles of food showed 29 had advanced since December 15, while 11 had decreased and four were unchanged.

Decreases were recorded in strictly fresh eggs, 8 per cent, butter 5, lard and canned tomatoes 3, pork chops, storage eggs and oranges 2, fresh milk, canned corn, canned peas and prunes 1.

Poles Defeat Russian Reds

Warsaw.—An attack, which a Polish official communication terms the opening of a long-prepared bolshevik offensive, was repulsed by the Poles on the northeastern front after a one-day battle. The bolsheviks coming in a southwesterly direction between Falock and Bobruisk, were thrown back with "heavy losses," it says.

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Oats—No. 3 white feed, \$59.50 a ton.
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Eggs—Ranch, 40c per dozen.
Poultry—Hens, 30@35c.
Cattle—Best steers, \$11@12.75; good to choice, \$10@11; medium to good, \$9@10.
Hogs—Prime mixed, \$15.75@16.25; medium mixed, \$15.25@15.75; pigs, \$13@15.
Sheep—Eastern lambs, \$17@18; valley lambs, \$14.50@17; ewes, \$10@12.

Seattle.
Hay—Eastern Washington timothy, \$28@29 per ton; alfalfa, \$35.
Butter Fat—65@67c.
Eggs—Ranch, 44@45c.
Potatoes—Yakima Gems, \$100; locals, \$85@90 per ton.
Poultry—Hen, heavy, dressed, 45c; light, 40c.
Hogs—Prime, \$16@16.50; medium to choice, \$15@16; pigs, \$12@13.50.
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First pop the corn. Corn should be popped over a hot fire, but care should be taken not to scorch the grains. If a wire popper is used, hold it far enough from the heat to prevent burning. The right degree of heat should make good corn pop in about a minute and a half. Too strong heat will cause some of the kernels to pop sooner, but many will not pop at all. If corn pops well the bulk should be increased 20 times.

Do not throw away the "old bachelors" (those that won't pop), but put them through the coffee mill or meat grinder and serve as a breakfast food; they give variety and are far superior to many breakfast foods.

Well popped corn, with cream and sugar, makes a most appetizing breakfast dish. When served in this way they may be ground or served whole. As a garnish for corn soup a tablespoonful or two of well-buttered corn on top of the cupful of soup adds to its appearance as well as food value. For chocolate lovers the popcorn coated with chocolate is relished. Take two cupfuls of sugar, half a cupful of cornstarch, two squares of chocolate and a cupful of water. Cook until the sirup hardens when dropped in water. While hot, pour this sirup over four quarts of freshly popped corn and stir well to insure a uniform coating of the kernels.

Sugared popcorn is another nice confection. Make a sirup by boiling together two cupfuls of sugar and one of water until the sirup hardens in cold water. Pour this sirup over six quarts of popped corn and stir until the grains are well coated. Popcorn Balls.—Take a pint of molasses, a gill of water, two tablespoonfuls of butter and a teaspoonful of vinegar. Cook till the sirup will harden in cold water; add half a teaspoonful of soda dissolved in a little water. Pour over four quarts of corn, stirring until all the kernels are covered, then press while hot into balls, with buttered hands.

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For those who enjoy kidneys the following dish will prove worth a trial:

Beefsteak and Kidney Pie.

For an ordinary pie use one pound of round steak and four or five lamb's kidneys. Cut the steak in to pieces an inch

and a half long and wide. Cut the kidneys through the center. Put the kidneys into cold, slightly salted water and allow this to come slowly to the boiling point. As soon as the boiling point is reached, draw off the water, add cold, salted water and boil again. Then drain, rinse well and add the kidneys to the steak.

In the meantime, roll the pieces of steak in seasoned flour, and brown nicely in a frying pan. Cover with water; add a pinch of marjoram, summer savory, and a few grains of nutmeg. Simmer until the meat is tender. Add any further seasoning needed. Thicken the gravy with flour and butter. Pour the meat into a pie dish with gravy enough to cover and then add the pastry top. Serve either hot or cold.

Pastry for Meat Pies.

Cream together one and one-half tablespoonfuls each of lard and butter. Put this into one cupful of flour which has been mixed with one-half teaspoonful of salt and one teaspoonful of baking powder. Add enough cold milk to make the particles stick together. Roll and cover to the edge of the dish. Leave an opening for the steam to escape. Serve from the dish after baking a golden brown.

Lemon Honey.

Cream one cupful of butter, add one-half cupful of sugar and mix until well blended. Beat in two-thirds of a cupful of honey and beat in a double boiler, beating until well blended. Beat four egg yolks until thick, add the rind of a lemon, turn into the mixture and cook until thick. Add the juice of two lemons and stir until the mixture is like thick cream. This will keep if put into covered jelly glasses. Is very nice for cake or sandwich filling.

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Mrs. Odion of Winslow spent Friday and Saturday visiting her sister, Mrs. T. B. Allison.

Mr. D. G. Iathrop of Seattle spent the week end at his summer home at Portage.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitfield and daughter spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Marsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazelhurst were visitors in Seattle on Sunday.

Miss Ruth Aldrich spent Monday as the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. T. Sherman.

Mr. Raynold Mattson and sister, Miss Mildred, and Miss Harriet Hartwig of Seattle, spent the week end visiting relatives here.

Mr. Morrow and daughter Ruth spent the week end at their home in Seattle.

Mrs. Clarence Potter spent the afternoon Monday visiting with friends in Portage.

Mrs. A. J. Marsh was a Seattle visitor on Tuesday.

Rev. Erickson of Seattle spent the week end here looking after his property.

Miss Margaret Cristman spent the week end at home.

C. F. Van Olinda has been drawn to serve as juror at the March term of the King county superior court.

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CENTER

Digby Williams enjoyed a week end visit at the home of Mr. Green in Port Blakeley.

Mrs. J. Hanson has been ill during the past week, but is now improving.

Mrs. Church has had her hands full taking care of her four boys, who have been having a tussle with the grip.

Mr. Harry Davis is out again after being confined to the house for several days from an attack of the grip.

Mrs. B. J. Wyde has returned from Seattle, where she has been nursing her niece, Mrs. Polmateer.

Mr. Dunlap had the misfortune to lose one of his registered cows recently.

Mrs. Albert Therkelsen and infant daughter have returned from Tacoma.

Word has been received that Mrs. Leola Soike and small son and daughter are doing nicely.

Little Mabel and Billie Wilber have been ill the past few weeks. Mr. Geo. Dowd and family visited his sister here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilber and family visited in Puyallup on Sunday last.

The Camulos Club will meet with Mrs. Hibble on the next regular date.

Mrs. W. Zimmerman is reported to be improving after an illness of several weeks duration.

Mr. and Mrs. P. McCormick of Vashon Island were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Price. —Kent Advertiser-Journal.

ELLISPORT

Mrs. Wm. Livesley is visiting in Seattle.

The several sick people are reported convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickson were in Seattle on Saturday last.

Miss Martha Moe was a week end visitor at the Collins home.

Miss Marcella Pierce visited relatives here over the week end.

Mr. Hedberg was calling on Island friends the first of the week.

Mr. Ross Carpenter, his wife and mother, spent several days here recently.

Mrs. Morgan and Mrs. Prior came over to spend a few days at the Morgan home.

Mrs. Nettie Jones, Mrs. Bentley and Mrs. Eva Furbush were visitors in Seattle the past week.

Mrs. Evans, who has been quite ill in Seattle, returned to her home here on Sunday last.

The Misses and Mary Hibbs and Chester Hibbs spent the week end at the Caughy home. On Monday these young people entertained several of their college chums.

MR. AND MRS. W. H. STROUCH spent several days here on their way to Montevideo, Minn., from southern California. They temporarily turned their backs seaward.

The Selby family were very much surprised on Saturday evening when about twenty of their friends walked in on them. The evening was spent in playing cards, following which the ladies served refreshments. All expressed regret that these people are leaving us, and hoped that they may enjoy their new home.

Miss Judges and her mother were over on Monday. They are as much in love with Ellisport as ever, and are counting the days until vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Mackay are stopping at the Bishop cottage while their house is being finished. They have bought a ten-acre tract near Vashon dock.

NO newspaper can succeed without advertising, therefore we solicit the patronage of our readers for those who by their advertising help to make this paper possible.

DRY LAW DEFIED BY MICHIGAN COUNTY

Iron County Officials Halt Wine Seizure By Prohibition Agents.

Chicago.—A "rebellion against prohibition" has broken out in Iron county, Michigan, and the county, led by its prosecuting attorney, is in "open revolt" against federal authority. Major A. V. Dalrymple, federal prohibition director for the central states, has notified Washington.

Prohibition agents leading a party of Michigan state constables were held up February 19 by Iron county officials and wine they had confiscated was taken from them, according to word brought to Chicago by Leo J. Grove of Marquette, supervising prohibition agent for the upper peninsula.

Major Dalrymple appealed to Attorney-General Palmer to order warrants issued for the arrest of the prosecutors, two deputy sheriffs, two police officers and three other residents of Iron River, a mining village.

While Washington was setting the legal machinery in motion, Dalrymple issued orders for a company of picked prohibition agents to gather here preparatory to starting on an armed expedition, which, he declared, will "clean up" Iron county.

FIRST FIGURES ON CENSUS GIVEN OUT

Washington.—The first population announcements of the 1920 census issued by the census bureau are as follows:

Cincinnati, 401,158, an increase of 47,567, or 10.3 per cent.

Washington, D. C., 437,414, an increase of 166,345, or 32.1 per cent over 1910.

Cincinnati ranked as 13th city of the country in 1910 with a population of 363,591. Washington ranked 16th with a population of 331,069.

From now on, as soon as the statistics gathered by the enumerators and special agents are assembled and verified, the data will be made public, the population of the larger cities being announced first. Then will follow the population of the various counties.

After the counties have been completed the population of the various states will be announced, and then the count of the entire United States.

As the population figures of the various states, towns and villages are ready to be made public, Director Rogers of the census bureau will certify to the mayor or other executive head of each place the actual count as announced in the preliminary figures. Should any place consider its population inaccurately counted, there will be opportunity to place proof before the census bureau, and if a claim is substantiated, verification of the census bureau's figures will follow.

MUST REDUCE MEAT PRICES

Cost to Consumer Must Follow Decline in Wholesale Quotations.

Chicago.—Retail meat dealers throughout the country must reduce their prices as the wholesale price of meat declines or else submit their books to federal agents for investigation of their profits. This definition of the government's attitude was announced by Attorney-General Palmer. Instructions to serve the notice on retail meat dealers have been sent to every United States attorney, he said.

Mr. Palmer's pronouncement on the meat price situation follows the publication by the Institute of American Meat Packers of a bulletin announcing the practical cessation of foreign trade as a result of the adverse exchange situation. Wholesale meat prices at the Chicago stockyards dropped to pre-war levels for some grades, following the publication.

Club Woman Convicted of Syndicalism. Oakland, Calif.—Charlotte Anita Whitney, club woman and author, who was convicted of criminal syndicalism, is in jail, held without bond by Judge Quinn. She was convicted on one of five counts by a jury composed of six men and six women.

Nevada Cowboys Form Union. Reno, Nev.—A cowboys' union, said to be the first of its kind in America, is being organized here under the auspices of the Trades and Labor council and will seek affiliation with the American Federation of Labor.

Robert E. Peary, Explorer, is Dead. Washington.—Rear-Admiral Robert E. Peary, retired, discoverer of the North Pole, died here after a two-year illness of pernicious anemia.

Russian Reds Take Archangel. London.—Bolshevik forces have captured Archangel, on the White sea, according to a wireless dispatch from Moscow.

SENATOR NEWBERRY



United States Senator Truman H. Newberry of Michigan, now on trial charged with violation of the election laws.

HOUSE PASSES RAILROAD BILL

Washington.—The compromise Esch-Cummings railroad bill was approved by the house, which adopted the conference report after four hours of debate. Adoption of the conference report came after the house had defeated 28 to 171, a motion to recommit.

Chairman Esch of the interstate commerce committee then called for the previous question and there was a buzz in the chamber as the voting began.

There never was any doubt as to the outcome, leaders said, although the effect of pressure from labor leaders against adoption of the bill was variously interpreted.

During the debate, in which more than a score of representatives took part, Chairman Esch declared that the roads would be handed back to their owners on March 1, regardless of whether congress enacted legislation meanwhile, but he warned the house that defeat of the bill at this stage would put half the roads of the country in the hands of the receivers in three months.

The house adopted the conference report by a vote of 250 to 150—a clean margin of 100 votes.

The vote for the adoption of the conference report showed 205 republicans and 45 democrats supporting it. The opposing vote included 125 democrats, 23 republicans, one independent and one prohibitionist.

BRIEF GENERAL NEWS

One cent postage for local or drop letters was approved by the senate postoffice committee.

Governor Edward I. Edwards of New Jersey qualified for a place on the democratic ballot in Michigan's presidential preferential primary April 5.

Universal military training as a part of the future military policy of the United States was approved in principle by the house military committee.

Another issue of about \$300,000,000 of treasury certificates of indebtedness may be expected about March 15. Secretary Houston of the treasury has announced.

The United States grain corporation announced that on March 2 it will resume buying of flour under its regular flour offer plan, after a suspension of general purchase for two months.

Thirty days' absence from the territorial limits of the United States or illness extending over a like period, shall constitute inability of the president to perform his duties and shall require such duties to be taken over by the vice president or the official next in line of succession under a bill introduced in the house by Representative McArthur of Oregon.

Idaho Indians to Sell Lands.

Lewiston, Idaho.—Thirteen thousand acres of land belonging to Nez Perce Indians on the Fort Lapwal reservation will be sold to the highest bidder on April 20. The appraised value of the land is \$700,000 and it includes large tracts of the choicest farming land in the county.

Poison Olive Hunt in 8 States.

Chicago.—Federal and state food inspectors in 52 towns of eight states are making frantic efforts to locate and destroy dozens of bottles of ripe olives containing the deadly bacillus botulinus, as a result of deterioration.

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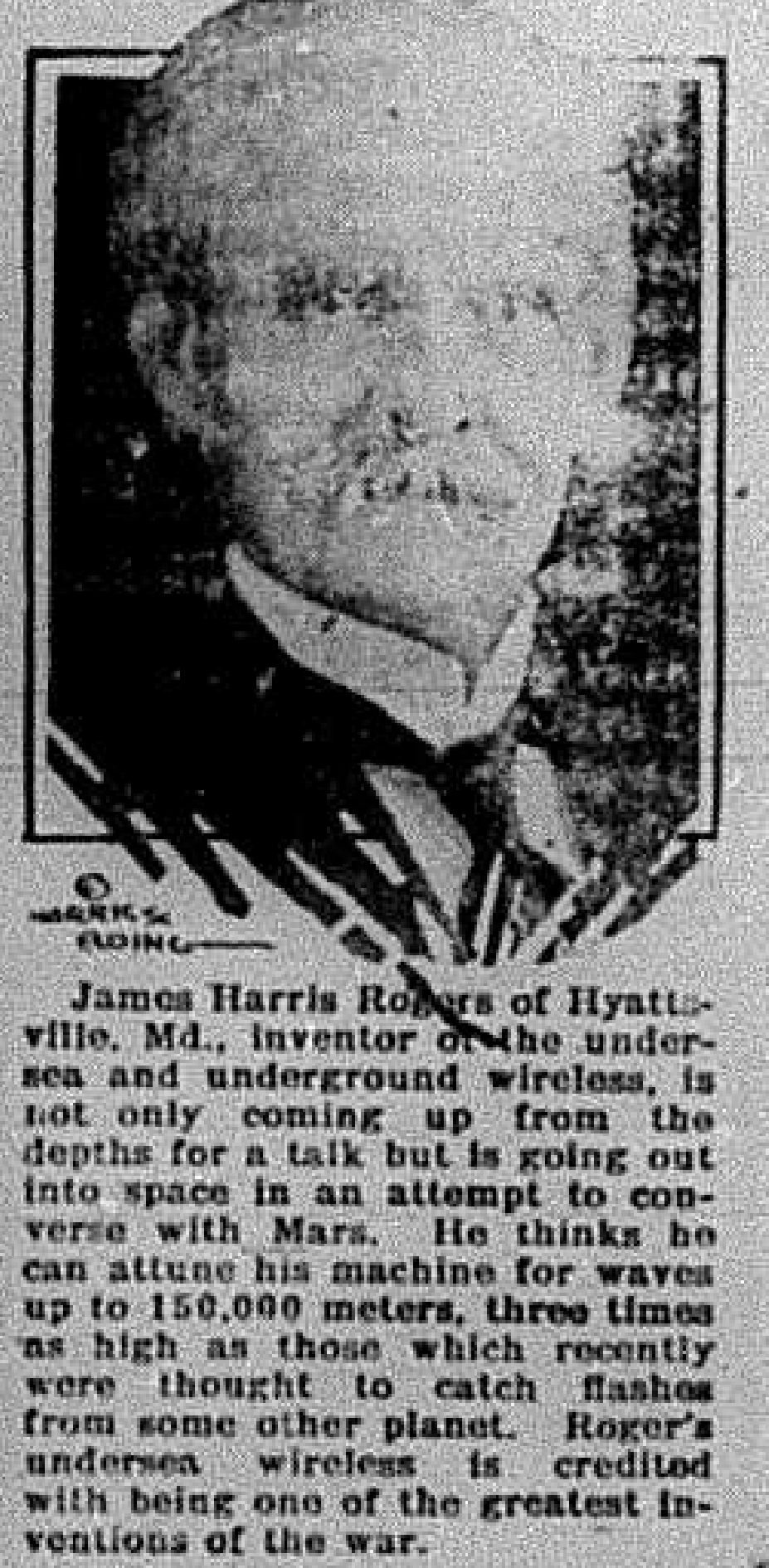
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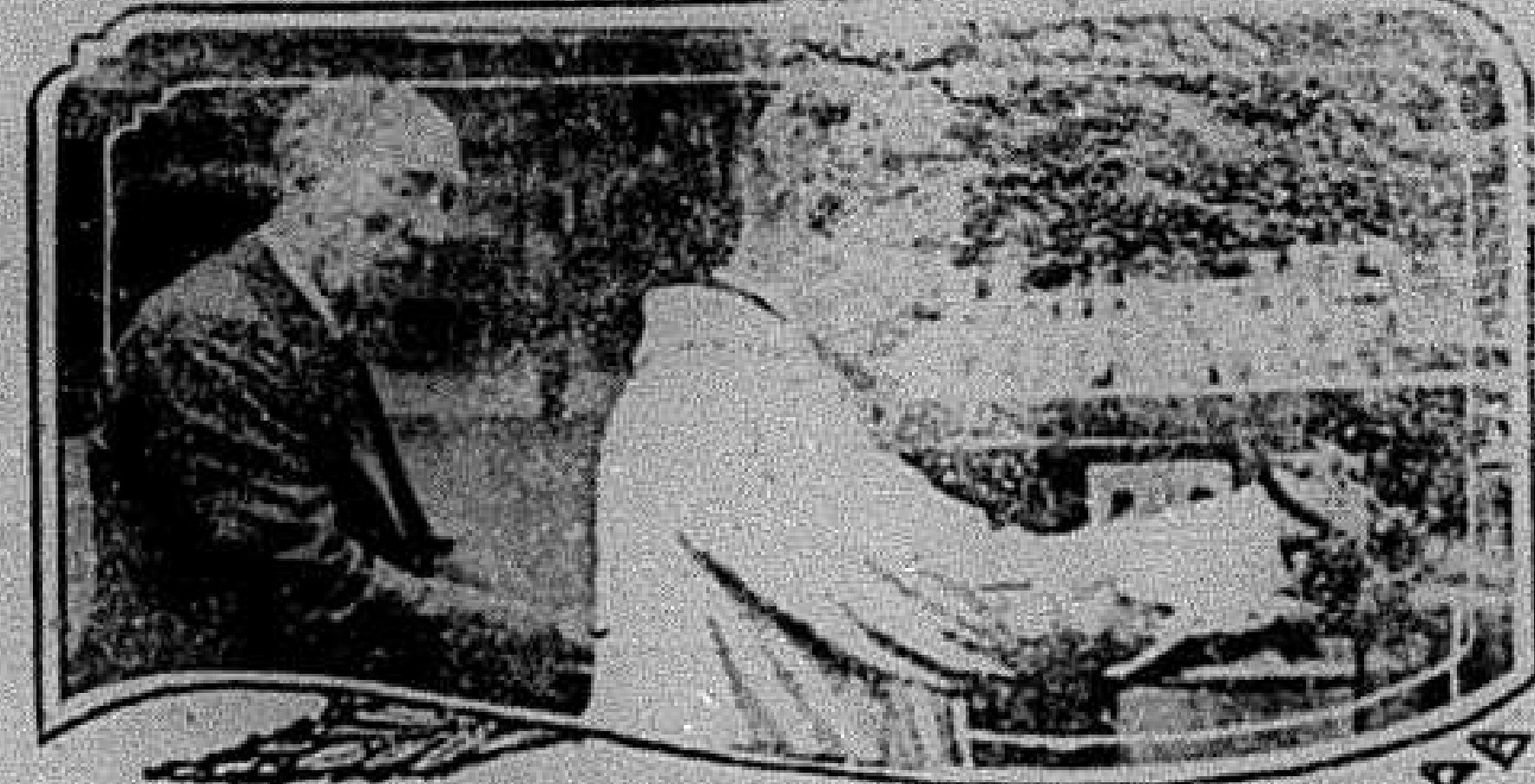
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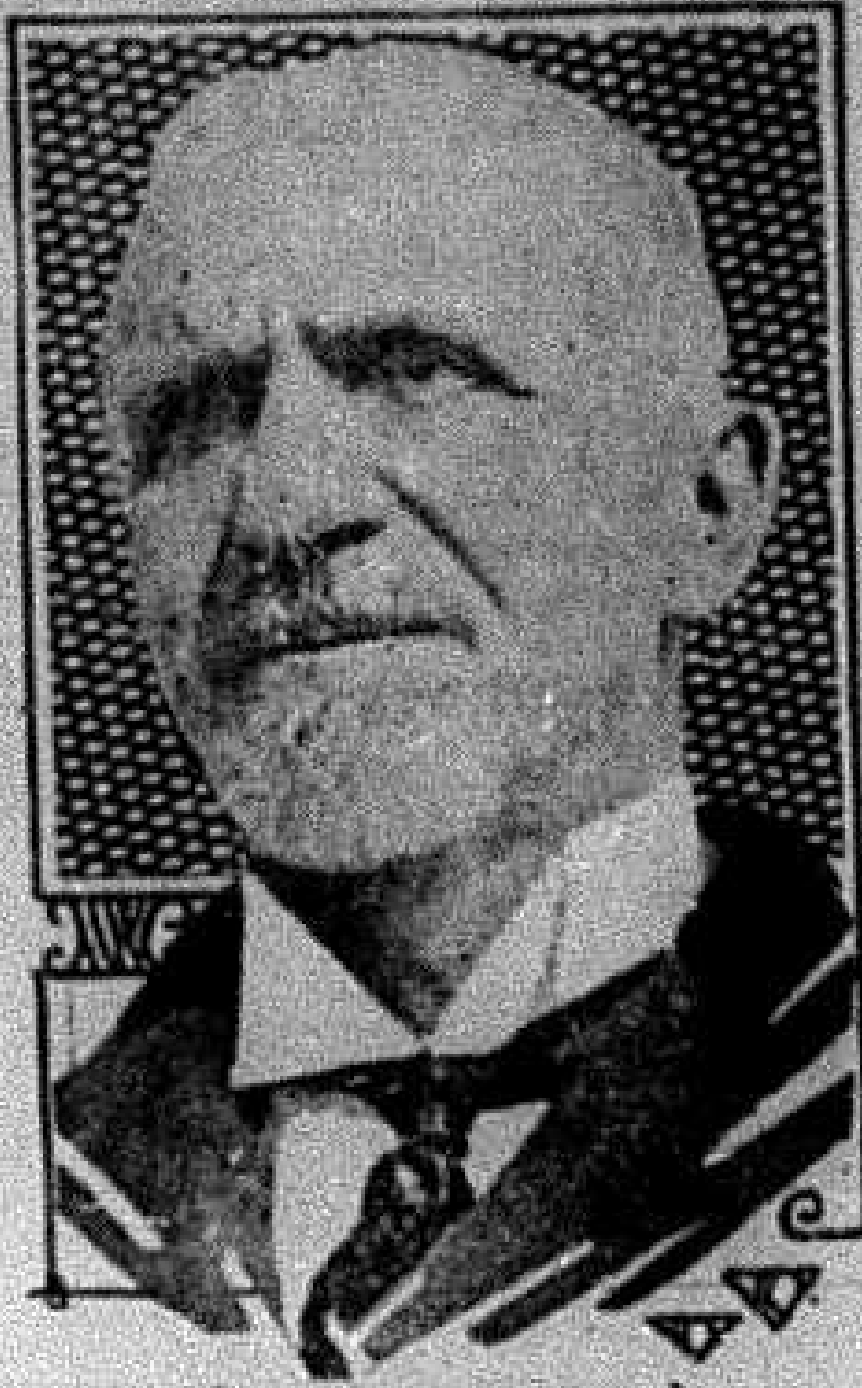
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There are large deposits of manjak near the great asphalt lake in Trinidad, also some in Utah, Cuba and Barbados.

DIDN'T SHOCK HER AT ALL

Old Lady Rather Expressed Satisfaction With Bernard Shaw's Particularly Naughty Play.

The London Herald tells a story—and what's more, guarantees its accuracy—of the comfortable old lady who was the original of Bernard Shaw's comfortable old ladies in "Fanny's First Play" and "Misalliance."

"Mr. Shaw was a great friend of the family, and it was once his custom when he had completed a new play, to take it down to the house in which they lived and read it to the specially assembled company. On one occasion the manuscript which he took with him was that of 'Mrs. Warren's Profession.' He read it aloud. Of course it was listened to with rapt attention. And when the reading was over, the comfortable old lady rose, smoothed out her dress, and, beaming on Mr. Shaw, said: 'Thank you, dear. That's very nice.'"

The old lady, it would seem, was not Mrs. Grundy.—E. E. Slosson, in the Independent (N. Y.)

COYOTE INTO ITS OWN.

From an ignominious place in the animal kingdom, the coyote suddenly has leaped forth to enjoy the day allotted every dog. He has been recognized as a beast of beauty, but since beauty is only skin deep the coyote's bid for popularity begins and ends with his pelt. Coyote fur this season is bringing as high a price as that of the gray fox, the swift fox, badger or bobcat. It is bringing prices once considered high for ermine and mink. That situation was disclosed at a public auction sale of undressed furs at Phoenix, Ariz., recently.

NEW SURGICAL TREATMENT.

In treating a broken collarbone, Dr. A. Legend of Paris places the forearm and hand behind the back and fixes them in a sling. After four or five days he begins moving the forearm to the front for three or four minutes every day, always keeping the elbows in the posterior position. The site of the fracture is massaged every day. After 12 days the forearm is put in a sling for another eight days.

This treatment is not painful and has the great advantage of keeping the head of the humerus just where it ought to be.

French War Certificates Presented. Indianapolis.—A total of 118,409 French certificates were bestowed upon the next of kin of the Americans who died in the world war. It was announced at the national headquarters of the American Legion.

POULTRY

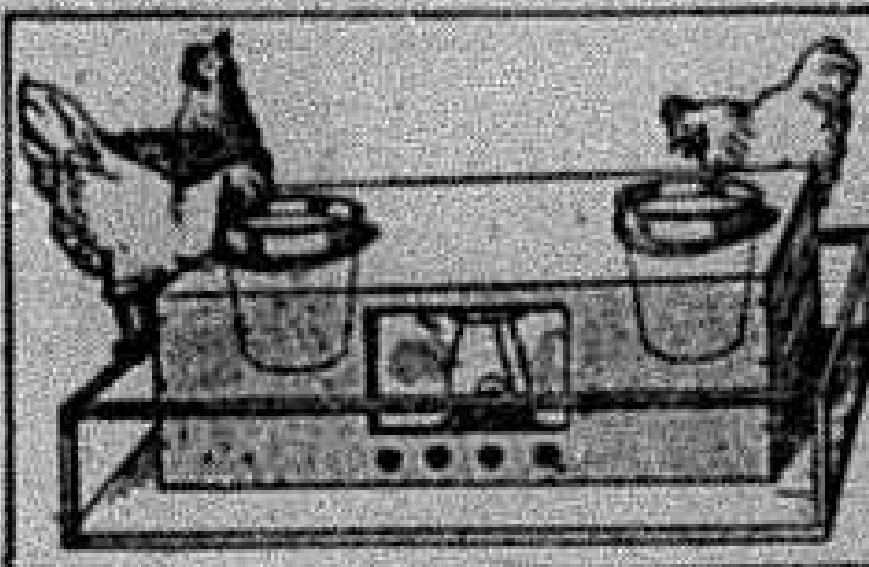
WATER SUPPLY WON'T FREEZE

Heat Deflected From Lantern Top Around Pails, Keeping Temperature Above Freezing.

To make a non-freezable drinking fountain for the hen house the following material will be needed: One soap or cracker box; a lantern; two galvanized iron pails, about two-quart capacity; and enough heavy asbestos paper to line box with a double thickness to keep in the heat generated by the lantern and for fire prevention.

The box must be large enough to hold the lantern and two pails. Two holes are cut in the top of box, one at each end, allowing the pails to sink into the box with only about 3 inches protruding; inside the box, between the pails, the lantern should be placed. The heat will be deflected by the lantern top and the box around the water pails, thus keeping the water a few degrees above freezing even in coldest weather.

The box is placed on a platform. This, in addition to being a support for perches on which the fowls stand while drinking, is also the bottom of



The Deflected Heat From the Lantern Keeps Fountain From Freezing.

the heat box upon which the lantern rests. When filling or cleaning the lantern, the box and pails are lifted from the platform, and when filling the pails, they are simply removed from the holes.—Popular Science Monthly.

ORIGIN OF MUSCOVY DUCKS

Breed Comes From South America and is Very Active—They Are Useful for Crossing.

The Muscovy breed of ducks originated in South America. It is very active. The drake weighs from 11 to 12 pounds; the female only six to seven pounds. The period of incubation is from 34 to 35 days. The standard admits two varieties—white and colored Muscovy. They are used for crossing to some extent, and, unlike most ducks, are rather quarrelsome with one another, and the drakes with other poultry. They are cared for just as other ducks. The ducklings are fed largely on ground food with plenty of green stuff, which may be put in the mash. Water should be before all ducks constantly in such a form that they cannot get into it with their feet. Sand or coarse gravel should be put in the feed once a day. All ducks must have a dry place to sleep.

STUDY OF MARKET DEMANDS

Mixed Flocks Will Not Produce Uniform Eggs or Meat, Most Desirable for Consumer.

Every poultry raiser should make a study of the market demands. A uniform color of eggs and flesh in poultry is desirable. A mixed flock will not produce uniform eggs or meat, and eggs from such a flock are not desirable for hatching.

ESSENTIALS FOR HEN HOUSE

Keep Flock Comfortable by Furnishing Good Ventilation, Fresh Air and Sunshine.

House the flock comfortably; keep houses dry and well ventilated, allowing plenty of fresh air and sunshine. Remodel the old house—stop cracks and eliminate drafts.

Give hens a good straw litter to scratch in during the winter months.

The wild breeds of turkeys are known as the North American, Mexican and the Honduras.

There are many farmers not now raising ducks and geese, but who could find raising them profitable.

Young hens will pay well for care and feed, but if they do not get good treatment they will not produce much profit.

Dampness is always more dangerous than cold, and that's why it is so important to have the hen house tight and dry.

PAINT AIDS POULTRY HOUSE

Adds Greatly to Appearance and Service of Buildings—Whitewash is Cheapest.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Painting adds greatly to the appearance and service of all buildings and appliances. One may buy ready-mixed paints or may purchase paste pigments and oil and mix them. All surfaces should be clean and dry before they are painted. Use a priming coat made of equal parts of paint and luscid oil and cover with one or more coats of paint, which should be thoroughly brushed into the surface.

Whitewash is the cheapest of all paints, and may be used either for exterior or interior surfaces. It can be made by slaking about ten pounds of quicklime in a pail with two gallons of water, covering the pail with cloth or burlap and allowing it to slake for one hour. Water is then added to bring the whitewash to a consistency which may be applied readily. A weatherproof whitewash for exterior surfaces may be made as follows: (1) Slake 1 bushel of quicklime in 12 gallons of hot water; (2) dissolve 2 pounds of common salt and 1 pound of sulphate of zinc in 2 gallons of boiling water; pour (2) into (1), then add 2 gallons of skim milk and mix thoroughly. Whitewash is spread lightly over the surface with a broad brush.

FIND PERFECTLY FRESH EGG

Quality is Largely Determined by Ease With Which Yolk Moves—Hints on Candling.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

It is necessary to rotate an egg before the candle if one is to obtain an accurate knowledge of its condition. By tilting at various angles, the location and size of the air space can be seen, and very often the position of the yolk. But the quality of the egg is very largely determined by the ease



A Home-Made Egg Candling Outfit.

with which the yolk moves and the direction of its motion. The operator, therefore—

1. Grasps the pointed end of the egg with the tips of the fingers.
 2. Holding the blunt end uppermost, places the egg closely against the opening, or spout of the candle.
 3. Gives the egg a quick turn to the right or left, watching the movement of the yolk.
- If the egg is perfectly fresh it may be difficult to find the yolk at first glance, but as the egg is turned a gillup of it will be obtained.

MENU HINTS FOR HENS

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Use home-grown grains and their by-products supplemented with meat and fish scraps, or milk. Mix these feeds to make a properly balanced ration.

Feed a scratch mixture of whole or cracked corn twice daily. Feed a mash, either dry or wet, made of ground grains and meat scrap.

Make the hens exercise for their feed.

Provide a light feed of corn in the morning, supplying only what the hens will clean up in a half-hour. Give a full feed in the afternoon, especially in cold weather.

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Presbyterian

The congregation last Sunday morning was surprisingly large. The very opposite of the predictions through so many preventing causes.

The attendance of the Burton folks at the service is appreciated. Such visits show a neighborly spirit.

The Sunday school class of "Willing Workers," of which Mrs. Williams is teacher, met last Thursday evening at the home of Miss Marjorie Bridgman. There was a good attendance and a splendid time fully enjoyed.

Rev. and Mrs. Williams were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Gorsuch one evening of last week. The event was followed with the baptism of Master Bruce Falconer Perrigo, nephew of the hostess.

Center Services

Business kept several of the men attendants from the service last Sunday night. There was a splendid attendance of the women, which made the number of men conspicuously small. It is hoped conditions will be more favorable next Sunday night. Service at 8 o'clock.

There will be all the regular services next Sunday.

The theme of the morning service will be: "The Personal Knowledge of Conversion." Those in personal doubt as to the matter are specially invited to the service.

It is hoped that every member of the church and congregation will be present to attend the congregational meeting to be held after the regular service. If you have any interest in the church it will be your duty to be present.

Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the library room. R. G. Williams, Minister.

Methodist

Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Morning Worship at 11:00 a. m. Subject of sermon, "The Hiding of His Power."

Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Subject of sermon, "The Yoke."

The singers, everyone of them, did well last Sunday evening. The Barton trio took first place. Three little girls in a row sang very sweetly. His cold permitting, Mr. Frank Barton will sing next Sunday evening. Mr. Barton is soon to leave the Island, hence we hope to hear him sing the gospel story whenever he can.

Centenary Pledges

By the middle of March we must report to headquarters as to cash for the Centenary. It is desired that by the second Sunday in March one-half of the entire annual pledge will be in the local treasury. Please bear this in mind. E. H. Gebert, Minister.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that the annual election of School District No. 176 of King County, State of Washington, will be held at the high school building in said School District, on Saturday, the 6th day of March, 1920, for the purpose of electing ONE SCHOOL DISTRICT DIRECTOR FOR A TERM OF THREE YEARS, and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting.

The polls will be open from 3:00 o'clock p. m. to 8:00 o'clock p. m. By order of the Board of Directors.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1920.

Geo. S. Bonnell, School District Clerk.

OBITUARY

After a lingering illness, P. D. Halsey passed away on Wednesday, February 18th, in a Seattle sanatorium, where he had been for several months.

Mr. Halsey moved from Pipestone, Minn., to the Island with his family twenty years ago and located on a ranch at Cove, which was his home for eighteen years.

Owing to his failing health, he and Mrs. Halsey decided to retire from the exacting work of the ranch, so they bought a small place at Vashon, where they have made their home the past two years. He gradually declined in health, however, and as a last resort was taken to a hospital.

Mr. Halsey was a frugal, hard-working man, and was highly respected by all in the community where he resided for so many years. The esteem in which he was held was attested by the large number from Cove who attended his funeral. Services were held in the Methodist church at 1:30 p. m. Sunday, conducted by Rev. E. H. Gebert. A touching part of the service was the singing of the old familiar hymn, "Hold the Fort," a favorite of the deceased and which he had requested should be sung at his funeral.

The remains were laid to rest in Vashon cemetery.

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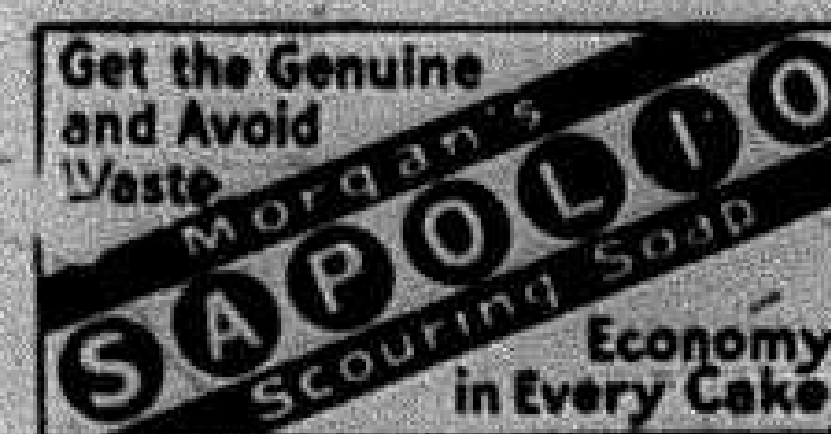
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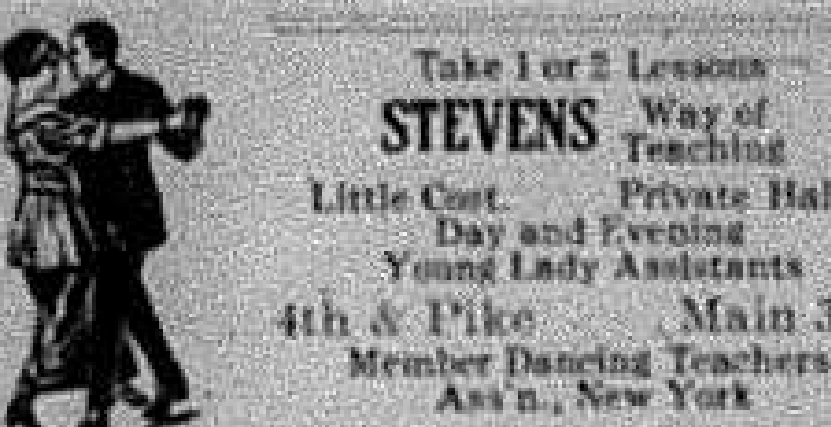
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Your income tax must be paid on or before March 15th.

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Basket Social, March 17th. Log Church. Under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid. Everybody come.

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Joe Deyo made the trip to Puyallup last Saturday on horseback.

Mrs. Stewart has the lumber on the ground for a new dwelling.

Keep the school election in mind. Saturday, March 6th, is the date.

Miss Ina Mitchell of Seattle spent the week end and holiday with her sister, Mrs. E. J. Kerl.

Mr. Coy of Seattle attended the funeral of Mr. Halsey on Sunday and made a brief visit at Burton with his sister, Miss Coy.

Mrs. Jacobus and three sons, and Miss Minnie Halsey, of Seattle came over on Sunday to attend the funeral of their father, Mr. P. D. Halsey.

Mrs. Holbrook of Grandview, who has been spending the winter with her son in Seattle, enjoyed a week end visit with her cousin, Mrs. J. D. Archer, and family. She left for her home in the Yakima valley on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Guy motored over from Seattle on Wednesday to renew their acquaintance with their Island property near Cove.

Messrs L. C. Beall, sr., T. Hansen, P. A. Weiss and Magruder Beall, journeyed to Puyallup on Saturday last to witness a tractor demonstration, and incidentally to look over their berry farm, which is considered one of the finest in the valley.

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Robert Hines made a business trip to the city on Monday of this week.

Mrs. L. C. Beall, sr., very pleasantly entertained her Sunday school class at her home on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bibbins will entertain a large number of friends on Saturday evening, Feb. 28th, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kerl, who are leaving the Island to make their home in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Selvin entertained the Tipi Oakhe Club on Saturday evening, Feb. 21st. The prizes were won by Mrs. E. J. Kerl and Mr. W. D. Garvin, and consolations by Mr. Goodman and Miss Lola Magowan. The Club will be entertained by Misses Rice and Hardin on Tuesday evening, March 2nd.

On Tuesday evening, Feb. 17th, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Williams entertained the Tipi Oakhe Club and friends in honor of their tenth wedding anniversary. The first prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. B. Slater, the consolations by Mrs. M. L. Tjomsland and Miss King. At a late hour dainty refreshments were served. Several useful gifts were received.

DEATH CLAIMS MRS. LEON BARNES

The community was shocked to learn of the death of Mrs. Leon Barnes, who passed away Monday night at the family residence in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnes and their five children, ranging in age from 6 to 13, were all victims of the flu but were recovering nicely. Mrs. Barnes was gaining and it was thought the danger point had passed, when she suddenly grew worse. Funeral services were held this (Thursday) morning at 10:30, in Seattle. The sympathy of the community goes out to the bereaved family.

We regret to note that Mrs. P. D. Halsey is suffering from a severe attack of pleurisy. She was removed on Wednesday from her home to the home of a niece, Mrs. E. E. Deyo.

Later—Mrs. Halsey passed away this (Thursday) morning. Funeral services will be held at the Methodist church on Saturday afternoon at 1:30.

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I noticed in the last issue of the News-Record that someone said they ought to have a good gravelled road from Colvos to the main road, so the school bus could get to Colvos, or, I suppose, to each pupil's door. They want the road to accommodate a few high school scholars.

We want a paved road, at least from the Heights to the top of the hill—not because a few people have to walk from the Heights to the top of the hill, but because there is a big freight and passenger traffic. I, too, need a road out from my place, as I have hundreds of dollars worth of wood that I cannot sell because people can not haul enough to pay them for the trouble. But I'm not asking for better roads to my place until we get good roads to accommodate a majority of the people, and to lower expensive freight and passenger rates over the poor road at the Heights.

I can see one thing very plainly, that is that the people will not get anywhere with the road proposition as long as every neighbor

insists on having the road fixed up in front of his place.

Fix the main road right, first, then fix the branch roads. Did you ever hear of a railroad company putting in a main line and then building a number of first-class branch lines to it, while the main line was badly in need of repair?

Anyone can see that nearly all our taxes are being used for the upkeep of the main road. In the long run we will have paid out enough to pave the road, and still will not have a good, practical road.

Vashon, Wash. R. Thurston.

A Warning to Owners of Cattle

There are a number of insects that sting other insects and lay their eggs on or in their bodies. And the "grub bee," as I call it, does the same with cattle. They sting them usually on the back. They generally hatch in the spring or early summer. Some call this pest the "botfly," but I know they are not, because I have captured them on the backs of stock. The W. F. says to spray the backs of cattle once or twice a week with fly dope to keep them off.

R. Thurston.

Lisabeula Fox-Trot

E. H. Gebert

I am glad the News-Record has

published the lengthy item concerning the Lisabeula Fox-Trot.

This will give fathers and mothers a fair warning that there are danger zones on the Island, zones that draw like magnets the boy or the girl dear to the parent heart to places not conducive to character building.

The Jazzie Fox of today was too bashful to show himself even ten years ago—confining his fantastic stride to halls of vice and shame. But today Mr. Fox is out blowing his trumpet to lure the spider-legged moralist from every highway.

What these trotters lack in sense is often made up in feeling—feeling that they are right and the preacher is wrong. But may it be said to the spotless maidens of our land: if they could hear the remarks of many a young man after the dance they would never trot with him again.

As sure as men are born the fox-trot is based upon the consciousness of the sex. There is not a boy on Vashon Island who would walk across the street to dance with the preacher.

A Bit of BEE History

Some time ago Mr. Ezra Meeker gave us a bit of early bee history taken from a chapter in his book, "Fifty Years of Progress."

We will forever admire the intrepidity and hardihood of those wonderful men and women of the forties and fifties who braved the dangers of the overland trek to the land of gold and of the setting sun. We love to listen to their tale of adventure, the Indian fights, the buffalo hunts, the making of homes in the wilderness, and all that they accomplished in those early days.

Mr. Meeker gives us some new light on the first introduction of bees into this part of the country. Here is what he says: "One morning while at breakfast, I think it was in 1856, but am not certain as to the exact date, a man knocked at my door and when met with greetings, said that four swarms of bees had just been landed on the wharf for me by the steamer 'Sea Bird' from San Francisco (I think that was the name of the steamer but again am not certain). At that time a steamer line had been established plying between San Francisco and the ports on Puget Sound, and quite regularly, twice a month, a steamer landed at Steilacoom, where I lived.

If the bees had been landed at my dooryard from mid-air, I could scarcely have been more surprised. Where on earth did they come from? I do not think I finished my breakfast at that time, being too eager to ascertain more about the strange shipment.

The mystery was soon solved by a letter from my old-time partner of the plains, 'Billy Buck' (as I always called him), giving a brief account of his ventures and of his success."

According to Prof. Frank C. Pellett, in American Bee Journal for April, 1919, the first shipment of bees was made into California in 1853 with only one colony in the lot arriving alive. This shipment was made by Mr. J. S. Harbison. The bees were shipped from Pennsylvania by sea and freighted across the Isthmus of Panama, and thence by boat to San Francisco. In 1857 Mr. Harbison returned to the East and prepared 67 colonies of bees for shipment and during the long journey lost only 5 colonies. Bees were worth then \$100.00 per colony, but Harbison did not sell any. He again went East and brought a larger shipment of which he sold 240 colonies at \$100.00 per colony. In 1876 Mr. Harbison shipped 10 carloads of honey to New York City which attracted the attention of the New York Sun.

Prof. Pellett says that some bees had been sent to the Coast prior to the one colony of Harbison, and I am now inclined to think that it is very probable that Ezra Meeker's friend, 'Billy Buck' imported the first bees that came to the Coast, for Harbison's second venture, after getting through one colony, was, in 1857, a year after Ezra Meeker received his four colonies from 'Billy Buck', and bees were worth then \$100.00 per colony, certainly a magnificent gift from his old-time friend.

It would be most interesting now to know where 'Billy Buck' got his bees and what variety they were. Without doubt, most of the bees in this part of the country 40 or 50 years ago were descendants of Mr. Meeker's stock, and there is no doubt in my mind that the majority of the black bees found on Vashon Island are from that original stock I have been very much puzzled by the peculiar appearance of some of the old black stock and their behavior. Can it be that this stock of 'Billy Buck' was of the Carniolan race? I am inclined to think it was, for they have the markings of silvery fuzz rings about the abdomen, and where these have no yellow bands, an indication of Italian mixture, they are quite gentle. Where they are mixed, however, they are decidedly vicious.

Stephen J. Harmeling.

LISABEULA

Mrs. C. Bullard, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Mr. Gus Hirsch has been quite sick, but is better now.

Mr. D. Brown received the sad news last week of the death of a son in Colorado.

Mrs. Robinson and son, Harry Critchfield, were guests of Mr. Brown on Sunday.

Messrs. Steinforth and Taylor's hothouse lettuce looks fine. Will soon have some on the market.

Mr. Berry, wife and son, and Mrs. Jenkins of Southern Heights, were Sunday callers at the Howard home.

Quite a few cases of the "flu" or the grip in this vicinity but none very serious. Twenty pupils were out of school, but all are returning.

Mr. J. Jensen has purchased a brand new outfit, horses and wagon, and is busy these fine days improving his place.

Quite a number of the young folks of Lisabeula celebrated Washington's birthday by having a picnic on the beach. (A sure sign that spring is here, when picnics are in order.)

Mrs. C. Smith of Cherry Lane Ranch has gone to Seattle to meet her mother and two sisters from Greeley, Colo., who will make their home here. Mr. Dyer came several weeks ago.

Mr. P. Larson has sold his fine home in Lisabeula and intends to move to South Dakota the first of March. He sold to Mr. Hoyle. We lose good neighbors when they go, and we are sorry to see them leave.

Mrs. Leora Shattuck and two children returned to their home at Enumclaw on Monday after a visit of several weeks at the home place, the Steinforth's.

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Mr. Finn Shattuck is working in Seattle. Comes home for over Sunday.

We are in receipt of a letter from a friend in Seattle stating that the news from the Record are published in the P.I. twice a week, and that they were glad to get the home news. (Why not get it first hand by subscribing for the home paper, the News-Record?)

We read in the News-Record of meetings at Cove where Miss Danielson from the east was assisting. We were wishing we had an airplane and could attend, as we knew Miss Danielson in Dakota, and can testify that she is a fine, sweet gospel singer. She sings a message to everyone who hears her. Cove is so near and yet so far—by wagon road.

BETTER METHODS



"Atlas was a fool to bear the weight of the world on his shoulders."

"How could he help it?"
"He should have organized the Globe Trust company to carry it on."

WONDER AT AMERICANS.

An English woman, writing from Kovno, tells of the introduction of Anglo-American parlor games into Lithuania. She says:

"A children's party was attended by English and Americans, including a woman doctor from the United States, and lots of our Lithuanian friends. The latter joined in our absurd games of 'blind man's bluff,' 'nuts in May,' etc., but were much amused and astonished to see my husband and an American officer fighting and cheating most horribly over the last chair in 'musical chairs.' They like and admire us very much, but wonder if we are not a little mad."

Poland needs 400,000 tons of American grain to avert starvation until her harvests next September, according to Stanislaus J. Arot, newly arrived in Washington from Warsaw to act as plenipotentiary of the Polish government in food matters.

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