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DOCKTON

The new barber shop is doing a good business.

Mr. M. Ronzewich is very sick with pneumonia. Dr. Ireland has the case.

Mrs. Emil Andersen, who has been on the sick list, is able to be about again.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Middlecoff were in Puyallup on Saturday, returning home Sunday evening.

The Catalinek-Cosulich Shipbuilding Co. are having the machinery installed in their new yard.

Mrs. G. Nilsen and Mrs. C. Madson of the Hood Canal country, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Miller.

Miss Esther Johnsen, who is attending the U. of W., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnsen.

The codfish packing plant is a very busy place, judging by the number of people employed. Mr. K. Andersen is manager.

The Harbor Navigation Co. expect to launch ship No. 2 about the 9th of March. They are now employing about 150 men.

Mr. A. J. Stuckey has a large force of men at work on the V. P. Handy, which is undergoing repairs and remodeling.

The funeral of Mr. O. Erickson was held Saturday, January 31st. Rev. E. H. Gebert of Vashon conducted the service. The beautiful floral offerings attested the esteem in which the deceased was held in the community.

COVE

Martin Tjomsland was at the store buying some finishing material for that new Shoup henhouse, which is quite a beauty. While the present length is only eighty feet, Mr. Tjomsland intends to extend it in the near future.

Miss Florence Sigrist stopped the clicking of the machine to catch the afternoon boat for Cove, spending Sunday with the home folks. No place like home for a good, square meal.

Mrs. N. Abrams is in Bremerton for a few days. Went over to help her sister, Mrs. G. Wang, celebrate her birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hotchkins were in Seattle Tuesday on a shopping trip. Sure, must take that nice little girl along. Mrs. Hotchkins don't want to lose sight of her.

Mr. C. A. Renouf has his loganberries trellised in a new manner. Three wires strung one above the other, about two feet apart. It looks as though it would make things quite handy in picking time; also you are able to place more canes on the wires.

Mr. C. Yeager is busy laying flooring in the new cottage he is building on the ten-acre tract on the hill, east from the Baker ranch, which he purchased some time ago.

Mr. Z. Covell is getting nicely domed on the old McLean ranch of thirty acres. He has leased it for a year with the privilege of buying it going right ahead, fixing the place up, trimming the orchard, etc. Has placed an order for 1000 baby chicks—getting "in the swim" on the chicken proposi-

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Mr. and Mrs. Lundberg were

tion. Mr. Covell is a worker, and we wish him all success.

There are some folks who will recall the Hoffmeir and the Henry Strickner families who used to live on the Island. They had ranches at American Lake, which the government bought when Camp Lewis was located. They have been ordered to vacate. Mr. Strickner has bought eighty acres in Oregon and has moved there. The Strickners have two nice boys. Mrs. Borer (nee Josephine Hoffmeir) has a fine baby boy. They are living in Tacoma. Mr. and Mrs. Hoffmeir will live in Seattle with Mr. and Mrs. George Macquillan, at 1336 Valley Place, near Roy Street. Both families have rented a whole flat, upstairs.

Harry Catherwood, nephew of Mrs. Ray Leeman (he used to go by the name of Harry Leeman) came down from Sedro-Woolley to see his old Island friends. Mrs. C. A. Renouf is entertaining him. Harry has been working quite steady for the past five months, at three-fifty per day, in the milk cannery at Sedro-Woolley. Due to shortage of milk the establishment has closed down for a few months. Harry is going to help B. D. Mukai on his strawberry ranch for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Danielson were over to Seattle doing quite a stroke of business, it looked like, from the number of bundles and packages loaded on the fenders. Had to do some squeezing to get into the auto themselves.

Frank Elden has just purchased a piano from Joe Raisbeck. Joe's girls have all got married, leaving the ranch, so he hasn't much use for such an ornament.

Wedding Bells

Another notable wedding has occurred in Cove. Saturday, January 31, 1920, at 8:00 o'clock p.m., at the home of her parent, Mr. John Pearson, in the presence of a house full of friends and neighbors—some 69 guests—Miss Ida Pearson, the last girl left in the family, was married to Mr. J. F. Lundberg, of Eckville, Alberta, Canada. The Rev. J. H. Stavney of the Free Lutheran church, Colvos, officiated, speaking in the Norwegian language and interpreting as he proceeded. The ring service was used.

The bride was very becomingly gowned in white crepe duchene silk trimmed with crystals and pearls. She wore a bridal veil and a beautiful corsage bouquet of red and white carnations. The bridal couple entered the parlor to the strains of the wedding march, played by Miss Ida Severson.

After the ceremony, a fine buffet lunch of sandwiches, cakes and coffee was served. The house was beautifully decorated in green and white. The presents were costly and numerous.

Among the invited guests were The Edwards families, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wickland, Mrs. O. Johnson, Mrs. O. E. Ramquist, Mr. and Mrs. M. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. B. Huseby, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Rindal, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Moe, Mr. and Mrs. V. Servald, Mrs. P. Siegrist, and daughter Miss Flora, Mr. A. Ellingson, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Petersen and brother Axel, Mr. and Mrs. Tronas, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hedstrom and children of Seattle.

While Mr. Lundberg is getting a fine housekeeper, it is not what Miss Ida is best known for around Cove. She has ever been a ministering angel. In sorrow, her kindly words of encouragement; in sickness, her gentle hands ministered; in bereavement, her gracious deeds; all have endeared her to the community.

Mr. Lundberg owns a ranch of 160 acres, well stocked with fine horses and cattle. He is a man of some standing in Eckville.

The bridal couple will leave on Monday for Seattle, going by boat to Vancouver B. C., thence by rail to their home. Best wishes and hearty congratulations are extended by a host of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lundberg were

ENTITLED TO HEARING

Pointed Questions Propounded by Women Taxpayers

Ellisport, Wash.

Feb. 2, 1920.

Editor News-Record:

At our club meeting last week the women of Ellisport discussed the proposed paving of Vashon Highway. As they wish more information on some points, they appointed a committee of investigation, and asked that a letter of inquiry be written your paper, hoping that through your editorial columns or through replies from Island correspondents they might receive the desired information as to the situation and what will be best for the future of both Vashon and Maury Islands. They include Maury, for we are all one—both pay taxes in King county and must pull together for mutual interests if we would succeed.

It is understood that the proposed paved road is to begin at the North End dock and extend to Burton, with a lateral extending from a junction of the main road to Portage dock, which dock was condemned by the county commissioners two or three years ago.

The committee would like to ask why it is considered necessary to build an expensive paved road to this condemned dock? Why was it not planned to build it to the Portage-Des Moines ferry dock? This dock is in a sheltered bay and for three years has proven its worth. The grade leading to it is one of the easiest on the Islands for both Maury and Vashon. All truck men testify to this. Is there a scheme to abandon this ferry dock? The proposal to stop the paving short of it naturally leads to this query.

According to a statement in your issue of January 29th, the sum of \$13,786.12 was paid for the maintenance of the main Island road alone during the past year. Will you kindly inform us where the larger part of this sum was ex-

pended. Was it not on the North End hill? And after spending this money has it proved so hopeless that you must say, "There is nothing to show for it?" Would a good business firm continue to pour its gold into a rat hole that seems to have no bottom, and especially when other places need it so much?

The North End ferry dock is built on a point so exposed to heavy winds that it is often impossible to make a landing there, and the repair expense is great. Is it not quite probable that within a short time the location of that dock will necessarily be changed? Would it not be wise to postpone paving to it until its permanency is assured?

We are informed by people who travel the main highway daily that it is always in very excellent condition, with the exception of the North End hill, even during the long rainy season, as is also the lateral road included in the paving proposition.

These roads are well graveled, and we were glad to learn from a reliable source that the gravel used on them is the best concrete gravel in the country and is taken from a gravel pit on our own Island, a fact of which we should be proud. We are also told that there is plenty of this excellent material to gravel all the roads on these two Islands.

Are these not the facts? If so, why should immense sums be spent on these two already good graveled short roads (only 10.6 miles) when there are miles and miles of Island roads in a most deplorable condition, many of them being absolutely impassable. It is said that trucks cannot deliver supplies to the farmers in Paradise Valley because of the bad con-

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COVE COMMENTS

entertained at Sunday dinner by Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Rindal.

A large crowd of charivari friends gathered at 10:00 p. m. and stormed the portals of the house; made the night hideous with every conceivable noise possible—tin cans, pans, bells, horns, and even shotguns; surging round and round the house; singing, pounding and shooting. That jolly bunch surely let bedlam loose. They knew what they were after and stormed the citadel until the groom appeared with cigars and the ladies provided good things to eat. Then, after a mighty war whoop for good luck, peace again reigned.

Vale.

The latest is that Sheriff Stringer wants the county to supply the prisoners in the stockade with instruments for a jazz band; but the commissioners hold that the stockade is a place of punishment and not a free-for-all cafe. Presumably the inmates are there for some offense, and without the application of cruelty should be made to feel that it is not a place for a pleasant visit. In old Guernsey they have a rockpile for the culprits to exercise on and work up an appetite for lunch. But

there are no eats in sight until the appointed task is done.

China and India contain one-half the population of the world, so if ever they get headed westward, a la Hun, that will be the real "yellow peril."

There is to my mind a lot of maudlin sentiment lavished on proven murderers, while little sympathy is given to those done to death, as in the Everett case, because a man of 21 or so has done the deed it's a case of "poor boy," etc, he should be leniently dealt with. Of course it's right to temper justice with mercy where there is reasonable doubt, but at the same time misplaced mercy is not justice. If man or woman does not know right from wrong at the age of an adult, they are fit subjects for the lunatic asylum. I fear the movies, with all the gun play and tragedy is not without blame in instilling into the minds of young people a desire to emulate the deeds flashed on the screen. All such rough, insidious productions should be eliminated for the good of the rising generation.

ELLISPORT

Mrs. Carrie Hills spent the week end in Seattle.

Frank Fuller was in Seattle on business, Wednesday.

A. P. Furbush spent Sunday at his home in Ellisport.

Misses Davis and Bishop were over for the week end.

Mr. W. C. Cliff spent several days in Seattle recently.

Mr. F. E. Newman spent several days in Tacoma recently visiting her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Livesly have returned from a visit of a few days in Seattle.

Mrs. H. S. Collins went to Bellingham on Monday last where she will make an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Starr are enjoying a visit from their nephew, G. Mark Treichler of Niagara county, New York.

The Get-together Club was very pleasantly entertained by Mrs. S. D. Newman on Jan. 29. The next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. Eva Furbush, on Feb. 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee were visitors in Seattle recently.

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BURTON

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Mrs. Keating was in Tacoma on Tuesday, the guest of Mrs. Beutel.

Mrs. Coffin is at home again after an extended visit with friends.

The Woman's Club meets on Tuesday of next week at the home of Mr. Heilge.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Coy Meredith and little son spent the week end with Tacoma friends.

Miss Mary Beutel of Tacoma visited at the home of Mr. and Harry Keating on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smith expect to remove soon to the Bonnell farm, where Mr. Smith will be manager.

The Ladies' Aid met on Thursday afternoon in the church parlors, Mrs. St. John was hostess for the day.

The basket ball games at the high school have been of more than usual interest this year, not only because our teams are winners, but because of the excellent spirit displayed by both sides.

Dr. and Mrs. Ireland, Raymond and Laura, and Mrs. Davis attended a birthday party in Tacoma on Saturday last.

The many friends of Mr. Joe Lindstrom will be very glad to know that he is so much improved in health that he has gone back to his office. He will not, however, take up his regular work for a while yet.

The work of Mrs. Leathers and Mrs. Heide in forming a girls' choir in the church deserves the greatest appreciation. The girls did well last Sunday, and the choir will be a fine addition to the services.

Of more than usual interest to Burton folk is the news of the wedding of Mr. George Sadler at his home in Sandusky, Ohio. The bride was librarian of the Carnegie library at Sandusky. After a short stay in the home city, Mr. and Mrs. Sadler will go to California, where Mr. Sadler has a government position in the forestry department. The good wishes of a host of Burton friends will follow them to their new home.

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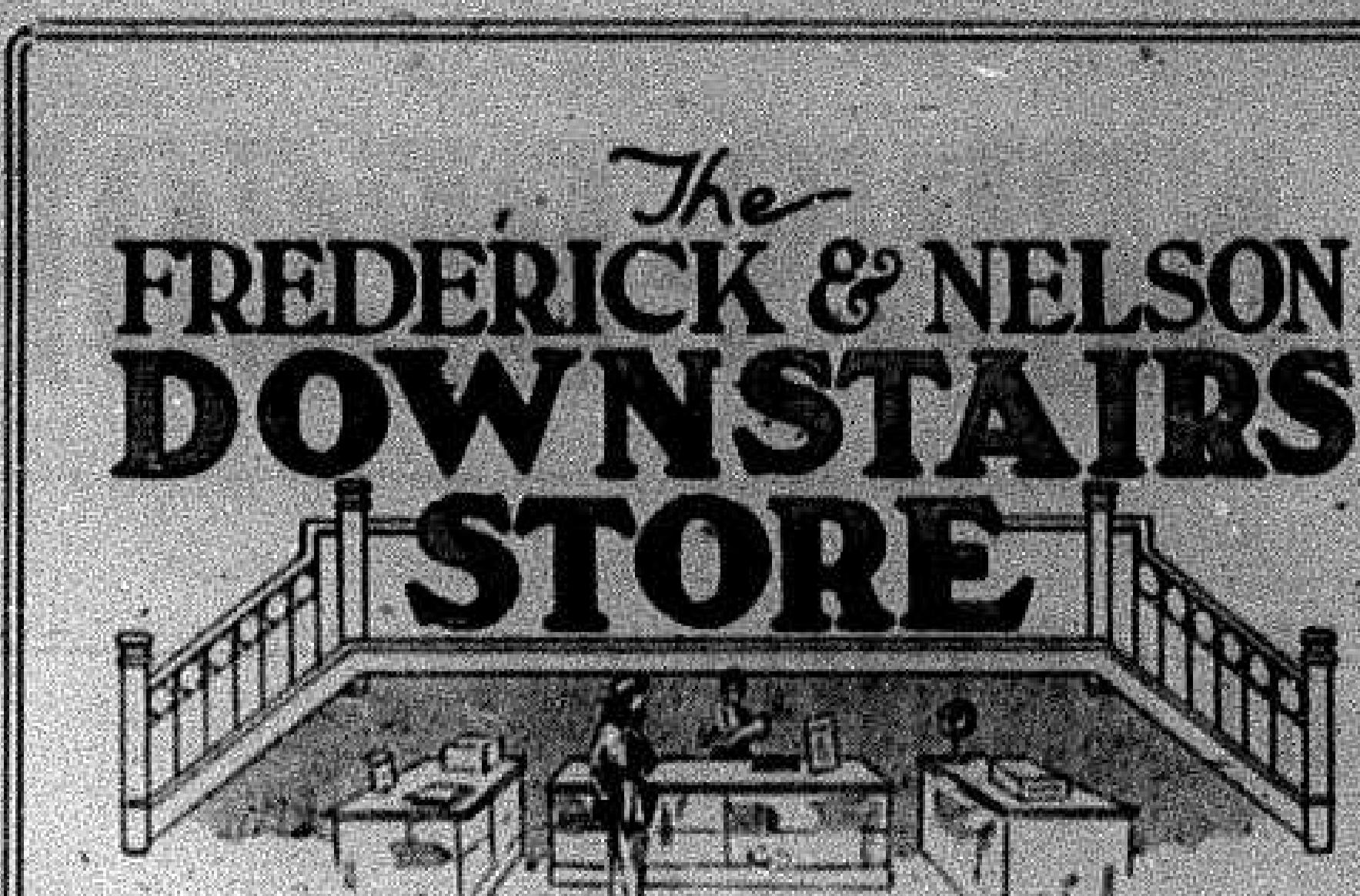
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dition of the roads there. Would it not encourage the producers of this Island to have the roads to their farms put in fairly good condition, instead of taxing them extravagantly to pay for a short main road, to the neglect of their own?

Is not a fact that a large number of Island property owners are trying to eke out a livelihood by working at the Dockton shipyards, with the roads leading there in a sadly neglected and almost impassable condition?

Another industry that should be encouraged is the creamery, which is said to be almost marooned because of the awful condition of the roads leading to it. Is this the case? This creamery is a great benefit to our farmers. It was started as a cheese factory,



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but we are told that on account of the rough roads the milk was churned into butter before it reached its destination; therefore it was changed, perforce, into a butter factory. This may have been a joke, but it had a firm foundation in many chuck holes.

We should like also to know how the faithful mail carriers, the milkmen, the wood haulers, the various truck men, and all those who try, often in vain, to reach our doors with the necessities of life, feel regarding this proposed proposition.

If we are to bond ourselves at all for a good road fund, why not first put all the necessary roads in as good condition as the main highway and the proposed lateral are now, and then when labor and material are cheaper consider paving the main highway?

We wish to inquire also about the two-mile assessment zone. Throughout nearly the whole length of the proposed road this zone will extend from one to two miles on the east side over the water, as we understand it. Can water area be assessed? If not, who will be called upon to bear this extra burden?

In the vicinity of the lateral

road will not the property owners be assessed twice, once for each road?

We are told that five-sixths of a mile of paving laid near Tacoma recently, cost \$37,000, and that road is only 16 feet wide, while the proposed Vashon Highway is to be 20 feet wide. Is it not quite probable, with the present high cost of material and labor, that the cost of paving this road will be nearer \$40,000 than \$30,000 per mile? Almost half a million dollars to be raised! And most of our Island residents are in very moderate circumstances, many of them struggling hard under the H. C. of Z. and already heavy taxes, to make ends meet. Not many bankers, realty dealers, retired wealthy farmers or capitalists among us!

Suppose the petition for paving should carry, will the work be started at the North End and proceed southward until the money appropriated is exhausted, and then the work cease, or would another assessment be levied?

Will the public be notified through your paper, beforehand, when this petition is to be presented to the county commissioners?

Would a protest against this proposed paving, with signatures of property owners within the proposed zones, be of any avail at the present time, and if so, how many signatures will be necessary?

We are women, but we are voters and property owners, and are as deeply interested in the welfare and progress of our two Islands as are the men. But from all that we have learned thus far we now believe that the proposed improvement should be postponed for some years.

Let the north hill receive proper attention, of course, but let the major part of any available road fund, whether raised by tax or assessment, be expended on the roads that really need repair.

And we must not forget that in the near future provision must be made also for a good road to the South End—Tacoma ferry dock.

Frances S. Cliff,
Ellie M. Bukes,
Ella J. Caughey, Sec.,
Committee.

VASHON HEIGHTS

Mr. Jos. Geiger is spending a few days at home.

Mr. G. R. Coryell was a Seattle visitor on Wednesday.

Mr. Vernon Ramsey is busy at



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present painting the A. D. Cowan residence.

The contractors have the basement of the Malloy home at Biloxi near completion.

Mr. and Mrs. Strong, who have been visiting Mrs. N. C. Colgrove, have gone to California.

Mrs. Joe Reese is spending a few days in the city, leaving Mr. Reese to look after the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Morgan and daughter were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. H. Petley in Seattle.

Mr. Elliott Niece is a very busy man these days. He is cleaning up his land recently purchased from the Vashon Land Co.

Mr. Geo. Leekley will leave in a few days for British Columbia to look after some timber interests which he holds there. He expects to be gone about two weeks.

Mr. Geo. Geiger had the misfortune to cut his knee quite badly on Monday of this week and has been unable to go to his work in the city.

Mr. E. W. Lindley has a contract on a building at Lake Forest Park, which he will start as soon as the present contract at Biloxi is completed.

Mr. Stewart, a Seattle attorney, was looking after his Vashon Heights property on Sunday last. He will start improving his property in the near future.

The women of Vashon Heights are talking of forming a Matinee Club, which will meet every week. They will attend some good show in Seattle. It is also stated that their husbands will pay the bills.

We are glad to hear that Thad Neese is going to improve his beach property. He intends to build a neat modern home. He also states that he and his family will remain on the beach next winter instead of in their hill property, which he purchased some time ago.

(Too late for last week)

Miss Dorothy Cowan spent Sunday in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Bragg entertained the Misses Ekholm over Sunday.

Mrs. N. C. Colgrove returned on Wednesday from an extended visit in Oregon.

Miss Rhea Cowan was the guest of Miss Bertha Brackett in Seattle recently, and had a delightful time, a dinner dance being part of the fun.

Mrs. Bert Munsing of Minneapolis was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pinkham the past week. Mrs. Munsing is Mrs. Pinkham's cousin.

It is with great surprise and regret that the many friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. George Bonnell learn of the sale of their beautiful residence property. We know that it will be hard for them to leave the place which they have developed from the rough into such a sightly and productive property, and it is the hope of their friends that they may find another home at the Heights and be our neighbors for many years to come.

MUMMIES STILL HIDDEN.

Although the armistice was signed more than a year ago, Egyptian mummies belonging to the British museum are still lying in cold, damp underground tunnels of buildings, where they were reinterred so that they might not be injured by Zeppelin raids.

Previously having spent centuries in the tombs of kings in Egypt, if they could speak the mummies would resent this troglodytic existence, but school children have spoken for them. They want to see the mummies again, but the museum is still closed to the public and the mummies are still left in their hiding places of Zeppelin days.

DAY OF POCKET ENGINE.

Sir Oliver Lodge, the distinguished British scientist—and he is coming to this country—says that a time will come when atomic energy will supersede coal as source of power. This advance may take a century but some day, he says, instead of burning coal our descendants will take energy out of an ounce or two of matter.

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SECRETARY HOUSTON**MENACE SEEN IN
FARMERS' UNREST****Economic Structure of Nation
Threatened by Widespread
Spirit of Discontent.**

Washington.—Indication of a widespread spirit of unrest and dissatisfaction among the farmers of the country, so threatening as likely to disturb the existing economic structure, is considered by government officials to be revealed in more than 46,000 replies to a questionnaire recently sent out by the postoffice department.

The sentiments of the farmers were obtained by the broadcasting of 200,000 copies of a questionnaire throughout the agricultural states asking for suggestions whereby the postoffice department might aid in cutting down the cost of living.

The great proportion of the replies as summarized by officials, show the major complaints of the farmers in numerical order to be:

Inability to obtain labor to work the farms; hired help and the farmers' children having been lured to the city by higher wages and easier living.

High profits taken by the middlemen for the mere handling of food products and lack of proper agencies of contract between the farmer and the ultimate consumer.

Many of the replies, said one official, probably as many as 50 per cent, indicated that the writers contemplate either leaving their farms or curtailing acreage under cultivation, because of one or more of the three major grievances and because of the growing feeling against non-producing city dwellers.

**\$50,000,000 VOTED
FOR FOOD RELIEF**

Washington.—In voting to recommend new government loans of \$50,000,000 to European countries for food relief, the house ways and means committee, including its republican members, went counter to the majority view of the republican legislative steering committee. Six democratic members joined the majority after failing to get a larger fund, but reserved the right to seek an increase when the bill comes up in the house.

Action by the ways and means committee followed a conference between its republican members and the steering committee, at which the steering committee members expressed disapproval of any loan on the ground that congress had no authority to give away funds, while in the senate both democrats and republicans voiced opposition to additional credits to any European country.

BRITAIN OWES U. S. MOST

Accrued interest on loans, \$144,440, \$37; Total for Europe, \$325,000,000.

Washington.—Accrued interest on loans to Europe totals about \$325,000,000, according to a table submitted to the house ways and means committee by the treasury department, which plans to defer collection for a few years.

Great Britain owes the most interest, the total on loans to that country being \$144,440, \$37.

Interest owed by other countries is: France, \$94,021,749; Italy, \$84,256,589; Russia, \$21,832,642; Belgium, \$11,465,278; Czechoslovakia, \$1,667,083; Serbia, \$917,399; Rumania, \$609,873; Liberia, \$545.

NAVY WILL HAVE 940 SHIPS

Peace Strength Will Include 16 Dreadnaughts, Says Admiral.

Washington.—Approximately 940 warships, including 16 dreadnaughts, 13 pre-dreadnaughts, eight armored cruisers and 17 light cruisers will be the peace-time strength of the American navy after July 1, the house naval committee was told by Rear Admiral Taylor, chief of the bureau of construction and repair. This will be three times the number in commission when the United States declared war on Germany, but the comparative tonnage will only be about one and one-half times as great.

Japan Asks China to Negotiate.

Washington.—The Japanese embassy here was informed officially that the Japanese government had invited China to enter upon negotiations for the return of German rights in Shantung and that while some of the younger elements in China had opposed the acceptance of the invitation, on the ground that China was not yet a member of the League of Nations, it was believed the Chinese were inclined to accept the invitation.

Houston and Meredith Confirmed.

Washington.—The senate has confirmed David F. Houston as secretary of the treasury, and E. T. Meredith as secretary of agriculture.

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In Recent Culling Campaign in Indiana 345 Out of 1,222 Fowls Were Discarded.

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The Bartholomew county (Ind.) agricultural agent reports that a total of 1,222 hens were handled in a recent culling campaign and of this number 345, or 28 per cent, were discarded as poor layers. The entire number of hens, 1,222, laid 2,368 eggs the week before culling, while the week after they had been culled the 877 fowls left on the farms laid 2,292 eggs. This explains why it was expedient management to rid the flocks of the 345

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Miss Carolyn Berry spent several days at home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seitz are putting in plumbing and otherwise improving their cottage at Magnolia.

Will Berry is laid up with a broken leg bone and wrenched ligaments. Horses, of course. Everybody is sorry, Will.

The Magnolia School is going on very satisfactorily with Miss May Turner as teacher. There are about a dozen children at present.

Fred Dugay is back from an eight weeks' visit with his brother in Idaho, and is looking as natural as life. Says he is going to plant loganberries and strawberries, and is going in for chickens, too. Well, Fred was always pretty good friends with hard work.

It seems to us that a good gravelled road from Clam Cove Ferry to the North End Ferry, making an uninterrupted artery of travel between the great cities of Seattle and Tacoma, would be far and away of greater benefit to the Islands as a whole than a few miles of paved highway, isolated by bad approaches. And what is best for the Islands as a whole is really best for each and all of us.

LISABEULA

Mrs. Goff was a visitor in Seattle last Saturday.

Miss Pauline Hiersch is in Seattle attending business college.

Mr. and Mrs. Sutton are helping care for a relative in Tacoma, who is very ill.

The Art and Embroidery Club will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Sullivan, Feb. 5th.

Walter Larson sustained quite an injury to his knee at the basket ball game a week ago.

Mrs. Smith of Cherry Lane Ranch is enjoying a visit from her father, Mr. Dwyer, of Greely, Colo.

Mrs. Sullivan was called to Ta-

come on Saturday evening on account of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Daniels.

Mr. Frank Manker is doing quite a lot of blasting on his place blowing out stumps.

Mr. Larson's big, double rig is kept quite busy these days trucking for the neighbors. He has just finished hauling about 5000 feet of lumber for John Sullivan, who is putting up a 30x40 poultry house.

Mr. Lillie Stewart of Seattle, formerly of Lisabeula, is just able to get around on crutches, after the accident of Thanksgiving day when she fell and broke her leg.

Mrs. I. Meloy was an overnight visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard, last Thursday. She is busy nursing in a sanitarium in Seattle.

Mr. Grill has taken the job of "breaking" Mr. G. Hiersch's new horse. Some job that. The animal works well double — something like the human race, it seems.

Mrs. H. Steinforth went to Enumclaw last Friday to visit her daughter, Mrs. M. Shattuck, and family. They returned with her on Sunday for a few days' visit.

Miss Emma Larson, who is attending college (Yale) at New Haven, Conn., recently attended "The Wayfarer," Rev. Crowther's new production, in New York City, with a company of her classmates.

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The Young People's Society is an organization of the younger set of Lisabeula and Cross Landing who get together to provide entertainment for themselves during the long winter evenings.

The dance Saturday night was the first gathering and all members were present.

Due to the efforts of the executive committee, composed of Mr. Swanson, Mr. W. A. Hiersch and Mr. Grill, the hall was beautifully decorated with huckleberry and cedar branches. The floor was good and music was furnished by a phonograph which was kindly

lent by Mr. and Mrs. Goof. By nine o'clock the dancing was in full swing and continued, uninterrupted until midnight when refreshments were served by Miss Pauline Hiersch and her sister, Mrs. A. Swanson.

After the refreshments the dancing was continued and it was nearly two in the morning when the happy but tired couples started on their way home, all expressing their hopes that the dances in the warehouse will become an established feature of the social life of the west side of Vashon Island.

CENTER

Mr. Dunlap is recovering from an attack of tonsilitis.

Mrs. Archie Odion visited relatives on the Island over Sunday.

The Island Grange held the usual meeting, initiating three candidates.

Mrs. Cynthia Williams made a trip to Port Orchard the first of this week.

Island Rebekah Lodge will initiate three new members, and serve refreshments, Tuesday, Feb. 10th.

Miss Sena Hansen has returned from Seattle where she was helping her brother's family during Mr. Hansen's siege with scarlet fever.

Mrs. Hanson spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Sherman.

Mrs. Wilber made the trip to Tacoma Sunday to meet her brother, George Dowd and family of Canada. Mr. Dowd was delayed, but is expected soon.

The B. P. Kirkland home was the scene of a merry party recently, given by Donald Kirkland and Earl McCormick. The little folks enjoyed a most pleasant evening with plays and games, and also had a feast of delicious candy.

The Center district is glad to welcome as new-comers, Mr. and Mrs. Wolf and family.

The Camulos Club will meet with Mrs. Faull, owing to the illness of Mrs. Zimmerman. Roll call will be answered by exchange.

ing bulls and seeds. The program will consist of a five-minute talk (or paper) on gardening from every member.

Center school was the scene of a happy crowd on Friday evening last when fathers, mothers, children, teachers and friends assembled to enjoy a "swap social". After the business meeting of the P.T.A. a short, but delightful, program was rendered. Mrs. Henry Davis sang a beautiful solo, accompanied by Mrs. C. C. Williams. Mrs. Hammerquist gave, with the true Scottish accent, a most enjoyable reading from J. M. Barrie, one of the greatest of novelists. For the benefit of those in the audience not accustomed to the dialect, Mrs. Hammerquist, before rendering the selection, gave an interpretation in English, making it thus doubly delightful. The company present joined heartily in the singing of two old favorite songs, Mrs. Hills leading them at the piano. Miss Swanson also favored the audience with a piano solo, which all appreciated. The rest of the evening was spent in buying and swapping the many parcels that had been donated, and in partaking of the delicious refreshments provided by the ladies. Several parents present joined the organizations, a pleasant social time was enjoyed and a neat sum was realized for the piano fund. Hearty thanks are extended to all who attended or who helped in any way.

Many of the children at Center School have joined the Audubon society. They have formed a club with Yoshi Yoshimura for president and Donald Thompson for Secretary. All the boys and girls are very much interested in this club. They intend to do great things for the birds this spring.

Quite a number of the pupils of this school have been absent on account of the whooping cough but they are all in school again.

Don't let the big red headlines on the daily papers frighten you regarding the flu. They are for one purpose only—to sell the papers.

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A marble shaft or monument that would be a credit to the cemetery would cost about six hundred dollars, and would all have to be raised before the order could be given. Also a committee would have to be chosen to look after the business or leave it in the hands of the trustees of the association.

It should not be difficult to find six hundred people on Vashon who would be willing to put a dollar each in a worthy project like this. So, let us see what people think about it. Who will be the first to put up a dollar so we can have the dedication on Memorial Day, making it a "Memorial Day" indeed?

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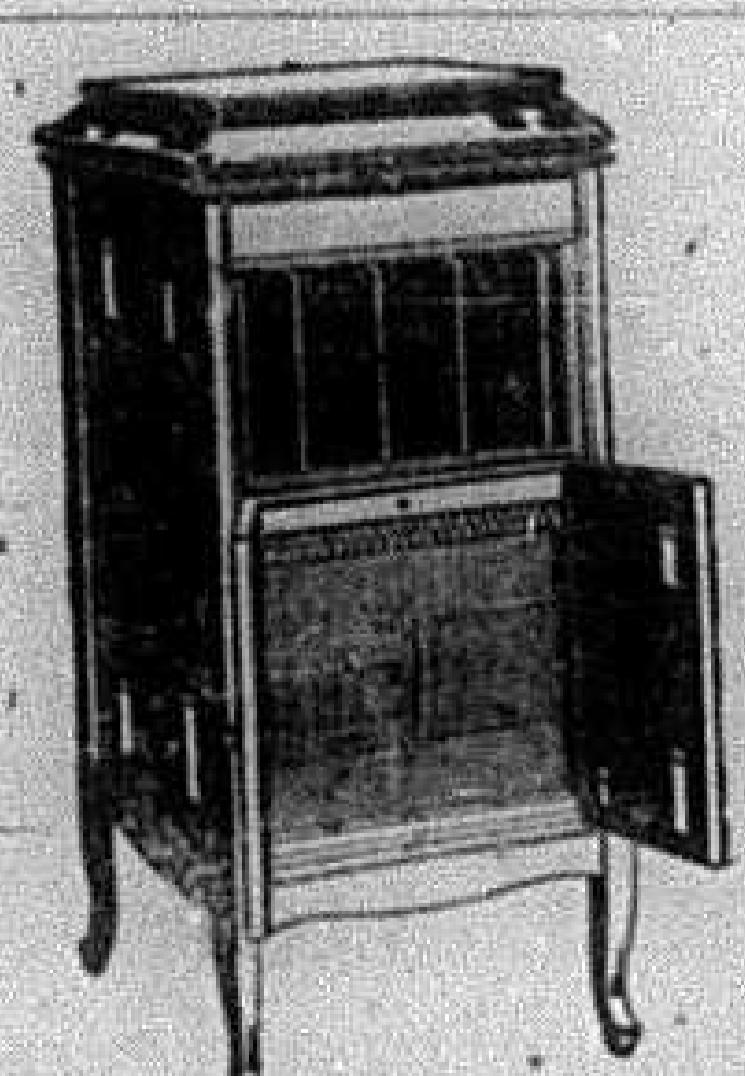
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PORTAGE

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Mrs. L. C. Whaite was a Tacoma visitor on Tuesday.

Mr. J. A. Whaite is reported to be on the sick list for a few days.

Mrs. A. D. Kingsbury is much improved and was seen out riding on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sherman were Seattle and Tacoma visitors on Monday.

Mrs. M. L. Hanson and Mrs. F. S. Sherman spent Tuesday in Pa. adise Valley.

Misses Margaret Cristman and Eva Potter spent the week end at their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Krinkie and Mr. Grant Krinkie of Seattle are spending a week at their summer home here.

Mrs. Ruth Morrow of Seattle has moved to Portage and will attend the Burton High School this semester.

Allen Davison of Tacoma spent the week end at the Cook home.

Mrs. Fred S. Sherman spent Monday in Tacoma.

Dorothy Risser of Bremerton is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. May, as the Bremerton Schools are closed on account of the flu.

Mr. R. W. F. Martin returned from Vancouver, B. C., where he has been for the past week.

Mrs. Odion and daughter of Winslow spent the latter part of the week as guests of Mrs. T. B. Allison.

Mr. L. M. Rushton sustained serious injuries last week from a fall at the dock and was removed to a Seattle hospital where X-ray showed some broken ribs and bad bruises. Mr. Al Kellogg who fell at this same place on the dock three weeks ago is just able to be about the house again.

Will Berry of Southern Heights had his ankle broken Sunday night when the horse he was riding shied and fell over the bulk-head on the South Portage road. With the aid of several men, man and horse were extracted from the logs and drift and, while the man sustained painful injuries the horse, apparently, was not hurt.

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WASHINGTON STATE NEWS OF INTEREST**Important Occurrences of Past Week Briefly Compiled for Our Readers.**

Fire losses at Walla Walla last year were \$46,548.

Fire losses in Aberdeen last year amounted to \$441,000.

Schools at Monroe have been closed because of influenza.

Because of the "flu" the schools at Omak have been closed for a week.

A total of \$41,044 will be raised in Lincoln county during 1920 from the 1919 tax rolls.

Sales of Red Cross Christmas seals in the Centralia district exceeded the quota by nearly \$200.

Road bonds to the amount of \$300,000 have been delivered to Wenatchee banks to pay for contracts under way and to be let.

Two Scotch orphans are to be educated at Washington State college by the Northwestern Association of Short-horn Breeders.

Two temporary schools will be built at Wenatchee to accommodate an overflow of pupils. Each building will take care of 100 scholars.

Robbers entered the Waugh dry goods store at Aberdeen and stole \$3000 worth of silk. The goods were taken away in an automobile.

Former Mayor Alexander C. Little of Raymond, who went to Los Angeles more than two months ago in the hope of improving his health, is missing.

By order of the county health officer the Wenatchee city schools were closed last week. Over 600 of the 1800 pupils enrolled were reported ill.

The Indian appropriation bill which has passed the senate carries an appropriation of \$300,000 for continuing work on the Wapato project in the Yakima valley.

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Government regulation of the packing industry, regarded as the "paramount issue" at the annual convention of the American National Livestock association at Spokane, was endorsed in a resolution adopted unanimously at the closing session.

Mills in western Washington are getting less than 30 per cent of their required number of cars, and railway officials offer no hope of relief for the next 60 days, according to a statement from headquarters of the West Coast Lumbermen's association at Seattle.

A jury in the federal court at Seattle awarded Mrs. Etta Eichelbarger \$5000 damages against the A. L. Barnes shoe company for injuries. It was alleged, which were sustained when Mrs. Eichelbarger fell ten feet from a defective seat at Toppenish, three years ago.

Warning that more than half the money available for extradition expenses has been expended, Governor Hart asked all officials to reduce demands to a minimum. The legislature supplied \$15,000 for two years, beginning last April. Since that time \$270 has been spent.

Ernest Hukins, aged 15, living with his parents, ten miles east of Wheeler, Grant county, was placed in the Grant county jail on a bench warrant charged with attempting to poison his parents. It is alleged that young Hopkins, an only child, put strichnine in water used for cooking.

Walla Walla county is suffering from a mild epidemic of influenza, according to City Health Officer Stiles and County Health Officer Blalock. All cases clearly diagnosed as influenza will be isolated and in case the epidemic becomes severe a rigid quarantine will be established.

Representative Summers introduced a bill in the house granting a permit to Charles G. Huber of Seattle to construct a toll bridge across the Columbia river between Pasco and Kennewick. Construction work must start by August 1, and the bridge must be completed in three years.

Extensive plans are being made by the Clarke county Prunarians to introduce to delegates to the many conventions scheduled for Vancouver this summer the Clarke county prune. John C. Peter, John Wilkinson and George B. Simpson are collecting tested prune recipes, which will be used and published.

The Selah Fruit Growers, Inc., an organization of about 250 Selah orchardists, took over the cold storage plant hitherto operated by the Selah Fruit and Cold Storage company, which it has purchased. The consideration is not made public, but the plant was valued at \$200,000 when built two years ago.

R. H. Vinnedge, of North Bend, was elected president of the West Coast Lumbermen's association, in session at Seattle. F. B. Hubbard, of Centralia, and Philip Buehner, of North Bend, Or., were elected vice presidents, and F. H. Jackson, of Clear Lake, treasurer. Robert H. Allen, of Seattle, was re-elected secretary-manager.

Victor Holt and Harvey Coffey were arrested at Kalama by Sheriff John Hoggatt as they were preparing to drive onto the Kalama-Goble ferry with two automobile loads of whisky. The arrested men were driving automobiles containing nearly 400 quarts of Scotch and Canadian whisky, alleged to have come from British Columbia.

Sale of the timber holdings and logging camps and outfit of the Wilson Brothers Lumber company near Independence to the Independent Logging company has been recorded. The principal owners of the new company are said to be Krum brothers and Synnevold, known as the K. & S. Logging company of Oakville. This is one of the largest timber deals in months. Timber included in the sale amounts to 150,000,000 feet.

The small postoffice town of Hillhurst in Pierce county will be wiped off the map March 1. The town with its 25 inhabitants is located upon the Camp Lewis reservation. Under war department orders the reservation must be vacated by March 1. The entire town was condemned and the land donated to the government by the county during the war. Since then the inhabitants of the town have been squatters upon the reservation.

Announcement of the appointment of five enlisted men of the Third Washington infantry to cadetships at West Point military academy, was made by Governor Louis F. Hart. Those appointed were Harold Slocom, private, headquarters company, Seattle; Corporal George Wright, company B, Seattle; Private Robert A. Ellsworth, company F, Tacoma; Sergeant John M. Stoddard, company F, Tacoma, and Private Jack W. Kittrell, company K, Spokane.

At the final session of the Washington State Association of Game Commissioners and Game Wardens, held at Spokane, W. G. Hufford of Stevenson, was reelected president of the body. Charles R. Clumpner, Spokane county game and fish commissioner, was elected first vice-president; E. H. Palmer of Seattle was chosen second vice-president; and A. J. Burch of Seattle was elected secretary for 1920. The body adjourned to meet again at Olympia in December.

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WHAT TO EAT.

Benjamin Franklin gave this advice to a young man: "Keep an exact account both of your expenses and your income. If you take the pains at first to mention particulars, it will have this good effect—you will discover how wonderfully small trifling expenses mount up to large sums, and will discern what might have been and may for the future be saved without occasioning any great inconvenience."

If the family have good appetites, the planning of a meal is not such a problem as it is with fussy, finicky people, who have troublesome digestions. Almost anybody can digest such a dish as the following:

Apple Snow.—Take four and quarter tart apples, add boiling water and cook until tender. Press through a sieve. To two cupsful of pulp add a half cupful of honey and the grated rind of half a lemon, with the juice. Heat to the boiling point, add one and one-half tablespooms of granulated gelatine softened in one-third of a cupful of cold water, and stir until the gelatine is melted. Chill, and when the mixture begins to jelly, add the stiff-beaten whites of two eggs, and beat with a Dover egg beater until very fine. Turn into a mold, and when firm, serve unmolded with cream or boiled custard.

Compote of Bananas.—Make a syrup of sugar or honey and half a cupful of water. Peel and scrape two or three bananas, then cut in thin slices; add to the syrup and boil, shaking the pan to cook all sides evenly. Add a little lemon rind or orange rind for flavor to the syrup. Skim the bananas as they soften, to a plate. When all are cooked, boil down the syrup a little, and when cool add the bananas.

Fruit Salad.—For each service take a slice of pineapple, the flesh of one-fourth of a grapefruit, half a canned pear, three heart leaves

BILLY'S RIDE IN AIRPLANE

Merely an Imaginary Trip, but Six-Year-Old's Fancy Made It Seem Very Real to Him.

Little Bill is much interested in airplanes. He is only six years old. When he hears the hum of a motor overhead, he rushes out of the house to watch the plane. Little Bill is also addicted to all the fanciful dreams which are a part of childhood.

Grandpa Bill came home from work the other day and young Bill started to recount the day's doings. "Buddy and me took a ride in a airplane today," he said gravely.

The conversation ensuing was something as follows:

"Is that so? How did it happen?"

"Well, Buddy and me were sitting on the fence and a airplane came along and we climbed in."

"Well, well. And where did you go?"

"Oh, we went all over town, up to Anderson and back."

"How did you get out? I would think it would be hard to land an airplane in the back yard."

"Oh, no! The man just sailed by kinda low and slow and, when we got over our back yard he just lifted us out and we hung onto his hands a minute and then dropped off, and he flew on away."—Indianapolis News.

The high price of coffee at the present time has caused many people in the United States, especially in the rural districts, to adopt a substitute that was popular during the Civil war. It is that of using browned rye for the "beverage that cheers but does not inebriate." The grains of rye are roasted to a light brown color, ground and then used in the same way as coffee. Those who have used the rye say that it makes a palatable drink at only a fraction of the cost of coffee.

WILL BRING TREATY BACK TO SENATE

Party Leaders Join Forces to Put Pact Under Consideration Next Week.

Washington.—Republican leaders of the senate joined forces with the democrats Monday to bring the peace treaty back into the open Senate early next week.

Countering the democratic plan to reopen the debate next Tuesday, Senator Lodge served notice that he would make a similar effort next Monday. The earlier date promptly was accepted by the democrats and in many quarters it was predicted that consideration of the treaty would be resumed then by unanimous consent.

It was emphasized on all sides, however, that the agreement to again put the treaty formally before the Senate did not mean the leaders were optimistic over the prospects of its final disposition. It was predicted that some of the minor points at issue, threshed out in the informal negotiations of the past two weeks, might soon be agreed on by the Senate itself, but senators were not so hopeful in regard to the disagreement over article 10 and the Monroe doctrine.

As soon as a resumption of open discussion seemed assured, leaders of the two parties put their heads together to work out some method of keeping the debate within reasonable bounds. Revival of the cloture rule was suggested but many senators thought it too drastic.

The letter of Viscount Grey, former British ambassador here, to the London Times, in which he said American reservations to the peace treaty were justified from an American point of view, will hasten ratification, it was believed here.

RAILROADS COST U.S. \$700,000,000

Washington.—Operation of the railroads, Pullman lines, express companies and waterways, unified under federal control, has cost the nation approximately \$700,000,000, according to official calculation, since they were taken over two years ago.

Figures made public by the railroad administration revealed a net loss of \$594,200,000 from railroad operation alone in the two years. Statistics, gathered from official sources as to operating costs of the Pullman lines and waterways and express companies while operated by the government show the addition of \$100,000,000 to the transportation costs.

Heavy losses of November and December are charged to the coal strike, in a statement by the railroad administration. A deficit of \$111,500,000 was shown for those two months.

Much of the loss during 1919 should be charged to the first six months of the year, according to the official explanation.

The statement shows that of a loss of \$349,200,000 for the 12 months, \$228,700,000 came during the first six months when there was "a prolonged slump in freight business following the signing of the armistice." It adds that "if the rate increase which went into effect in June 1918 had become effective the previous January, the loss for the two years would probably not have exceeded \$100,000,000."

FARM ANIMALS DECREASE

Falling Off in Numbers and Value Also Shown.

Washington.—Farm animals of the United States were valued at \$3,561,433,000 on January 1, compared with \$8,827,894,000 a year ago, the department of agriculture announced. Horses numbered 21,109,000, a decrease of 1.4 per cent from a year ago and were valued at \$1,992,342,000.

Mules numbered 4,395,000, a decrease of 1.1 per cent from a year ago. Their value was \$734,473,000.

Milk cows numbered 23,747,000, an increase of 0.5 per cent over a year ago. They were valued at \$2,021,881,000.

Other cattle numbered 44,385,000, a decrease of 4.2 per cent from a year ago. Their value was \$1,814,375,000.

Sheep numbered 48,615,000, a decrease of 1 per cent from a year ago. They were valued at \$611,654,000.

Swine numbered 72,909,000, a decrease of 8.7 per cent from a year ago and were valued at \$1,786,212,000.

Six Hundred Sinn Fein Arrested.

Dublin.—Six hundred arrests were made in the nation-wide raids against the Sinn Fein by the British military authorities.

Governor Cox a Presidential Candidate

Columbus, O.—Governor James M. Cox officially announced his candidacy for the democratic presidential nomination.

SIR OLIVER LODGE

Sir Oliver Lodge, the noted British scientist and psychic who is visiting in the United States.

TREASURY TO REDUCE DEPOSITORY LIST

Washington.—Drastic reduction in the number of national banks designated as government depositories is being made by the treasury department with the result that less than 400 of 1,341 such institutions holding federal funds on June 30, 1919, are expected to escape the pruning knife.

Changes in the government's financial situation, brought about by war's fiscal operations, it was said officially, have made it necessary to abolish hundreds of the depositories and revise the plan for distribution of government monies among banks employed since prior to 1912.

Practically half of the banks to be deprived of government balances already have been eliminated from the rolls and outstanding balances thus have been reduced from \$52,000,000 to \$27,000,000.

With the establishment of the federal reserve banks and branches, government payments have been made more and more through them and thus abolition of the national bank depositories represents a further leaning of the treasury on the reserve banks in carrying on the nation's business.

BRIEF GENERAL NEWS

Official figures given out show that the British national debt on April 1, 1919, was £7,481,000,000.

Day laborers employed in the plants of the United States Steel corporation have been granted a 10 per cent wage increase.

An extensive survey of living costs in the principal cities of the country will be started this week by the department of labor.

Samuel Adams of Chicago, editor of the American Fruit Grower, has announced his candidacy for the republican nomination for vice-president.

Mrs. William B. Leeds, widow of the American tinplate magnate, was married by civil ceremony to Prince Christopher, younger brother of former King Constantine of Greece, at Geneva on Saturday.

Louis W. Hill, chairman of the board of directors of the Great Northern railroad, and son of the late James J. Hill, announced that he will retire from active management of the road shortly after it is restored to private ownership.

All New England and New York states early in the week were in the grip of the coldest weather of the winter, new records for low temperature being reported in many communities. The thermometer registered from 8 to 42 degrees below zero.

U.S. All Right, Says Farmers Memorial

Washington.—There is nothing fundamentally wrong with the government of the United States and there is no need of change in existing social standards and economic laws, representatives of seven national farm organizations declared in a memorial adopted at a conference here and presented to congress.

Farm Appropriation Report Ordered.

Washington.—Carrying \$15,000,000, approximately \$7,000,000 less than the department estimates, the annual agriculture appropriation bill was ordered reported formally to the house by the agriculture committee. The total is \$1,000,000 less than the appropriation for this year.

Nation's Assets to Be inventoried

Washington.—Inventory of United States resources in manufacturing, quarries, oil and gas wells, and forests and forest products, will begin March 1, it was announced at the census bureau.

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VASHON

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Various building projects are assuming shape in this vicinity.

Burton Campbell has entered Uncle Sam's nautical school at the State University campus.

Mr. Hyde is remodeling and enlarging the house on his newly acquired property, known as the Danforth place.

W. P. Morford has nearly recovered from an infection in his knee, which kept him confined to the house for some time.

The county sprayer is on the Island and the preliminary work is being looked after by County Horticulturist Rhodes. The weight of the machine is 1700 pounds.

The J. D. Archer family from Seattle are now nicely settled in their new home, the S. W. Jacobs property, which they recently purchased. Mr. Archer has just completed a fine job of interior finishing, painting and papering, of Mr. Reese's house.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Langill moved on Monday to their home at Gig Harbor. A host of friends on Vashon, where they have resided for many years, regret to lose them, but wish them God-speed in their new place of residence.

Tuesday, Feb. 10, is the date of the Parent-Teacher meeting—at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blekkink.

On Friday of last week Mr. Geo. T. Waterman was removed from the B. J. Jacobs home to the Providence Hospital in Seattle. Gangrene developed and it is possible an operation may be necessary.

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A large scow load of lumber was unloaded for some of the chicken men on the Island this week.

Mrs. Deg. Mosher of Bremerton, with a friend from the east, enjoyed a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Williams.

T. Hansen left for Southern California last Friday. He will enjoy a much-needed vacation for a few weeks and at the same time visit relatives in the land of sunshine.

While lending a hand for a few minutes on Wednesday afternoon to the men engaged in curbling a well, on Mr. Hydes place, Mr. C. Swick lost his footing and fell to the bottom of the well. Luckily, aside from a few bruises and a cold bath, he was not seriously injured.

Mrs. Magowan and little son from Nebraska, who have been visiting at the W. J. Magowan home, left on Monday for the Middle West. They were accompanied by Mrs. W. J. Magowan, who will make an extended visit at the old home in Nebraska.

Having finished the school semester in Seattle, Miss Dorothy Archer has joined the family at their new home on the Island.

Through the courtesy of E. E. VanOinda, a copy of the Daily (Montana) Missoulian was recently received at this office containing an interesting write up of the work of Deputy Sheriff "Jack" Curtis of Missoula, who has a record of doing very clever detective work in apprehending criminals by the "finger-print" method, and he is rated as an expert in this line by officials of the federal bureau of identification. A number of illustrations were used to demonstrate the accuracy of the method employed. Mr. Curtis is a son-in-law of Mr. VanOinda and is well known here.

Capt. N. G. Christensen of the West Pass Transportation Co., in a letter to the News-Record in reference to boat service on the east side of the Island, states that it is planned to give the residents good boat service provided the company receives the proper encouragement in the way of freight and passenger business. The service was resumed at the earliest petition of a number of Island residents and without doubt the patronage will increase from now on to the extent of justifying the service.

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. C. N. Hutchinson, supt. Elizabeth Markham, supt. junior dept.

Morning Worship at 11:00 a. m. The theme of the morning sermon will be, "The Healing of Nations."

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

Primary Department

The little folk are interested. It is evident in the messages their teachers have for them at the Vashon M. E. Primary Dept. Send your little tots along; they will early learn in this department of a Savior's love.

The Church

Last Sunday was a banner day in several ways for the local church. The outstanding feature was God's spirit at work in the class meeting. Pray, dear friends, that this department of the church may be prospered still more by the hand of the Lord.

Epworth League

The Misses Bonnie Kline and Pauline Weiss were our leaders last Sunday, and they did well. The Leaguers wish to congratulate them and urge that they continue to be leaders in God's house. Remember, League meets at 6:30.

New Faces

Last Sunday morning there were many new faces in the congregation. We extend a cordial invitation to come again. The doors of this church are open to all.

A Note to Shut-ins

No one can fight the battle of life for another, and no one can win it alone. While absent from the church, we believe you are standing by in spirit and earnest prayer. For this we thank our Heavenly Father.

E. H. Gebert,
Minister.

Ladies' Aid

The society will meet on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 11th, with Mrs. Bibbins. All members who possibly can are urged to attend.

If those who have no conveyance will be at Vashon or along the main highway just before 2:00 p. m. they will be picked up by some one who has a conveyance.

The Aid has a very desirable comforter for sale; all pieces are new and the workmanship is of the best. Phone Mrs. Reed, Black 721, for particulars.

Presbyterian

All the regular services of the church next Sunday.

The study-entertainment class will meet at the home of Miss McCarthy on Monday evening, February 10th.

Mid-week service as usual in the library room, 8:00 p. m., Wednesday.

R. G. Williams,
Minister.

Center Services

Services next Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock. The whole community is invited.

R. G. Williams in charge.

Apostolic

Apostolic Faith Meeting at the Baptist church, Center, every Sunday at 2:00 p. m. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock sharp. A full gospel will be preached. Everybody welcome.

Messrs. F. Sorg and G. Wolf.

SCHOOL NOTES

Basket Ball

Score—Vashon, 17; Enumclaw,

15. The Vashon boys brought home the bacon for the first time this season when they defeated the visitors to the tune of 17 to 15 in last week's game.

The girls' game was not quite so successful, as the Enumclaw girls romped home with a 25-3 victory. But the girls put up a good game. The winners are the best girls' team in the county—they have not lost a game this year.

In the opening game the girls started out strong, but the visitors

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soon got a good start and began finding the basket. At the end of the first half the score stood 10-2, but in the next session it was different, the end being 25-3.

The boys' game was the best this season—it was a thriller! Vashon outplayed their opponents, but they failed to find the basket. After going for about ten minutes without scoring, the Vashon boys forged ahead and were in the lead at the end of the first half, 9-2. The visitors started out strong the second half and almost got our goat, but by slipping in a basket now and then, we finished in the lead, 17-15.

It was a close game, the kind the fans like.

This week, on Saturday night, February 7th, we tackle the fast-going Renton team. We went down to defeat at their hands earlier in the season, but hope to turn the tables this time. With the boys fighting hard there is bound to be a game with lots of excitement.

Also the team is looking forward to the game at Burton on the 20th of February and are putting in lots of practice.

There will be no girls' game this week. But if possible a game will be arranged between the Vashon grade team and Burton Midgets.

Well, let's see everybody out on Saturday night. Give us plenty of support—we certainly will need it. You won't regret it if you come. You'll never see a faster, snappier game of basket ball.

Debate

The debate between Vashon and Auburn was a splendid debate, as high school debates go, with but a small audience in attendance to appreciate it. Vashon lost the decision of the judges on delivery, but their argument was clear cut and well-presented. The team, consisting of Frances Schaefer, Nina Garvin and Alva Hutchinson, will go to Bothell late in February to debate the same question.

Parent-Teacher Association

The next regular monthly meeting of Vashon P.T.A. will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blekkink on the evening of Tuesday, February 10th. Everyone interested, whether a member of the association or not, is urged to attend this meeting.

PROGRAM

Solo Miss Hardin

Speech Mr. Harmeling

Reading Frances Blekkink

Chalk Talk Mr. Dahlager of the News-Record.

Paper, "Children and Movies"

Mr. Garvin

Paper, "How Parents May Hinder Their Children" Mrs. Kerl

These two papers are monographs which are sent out to the various P.T.A. from the Mothers' Congress. Both subjects will call for free discussion by the audience.

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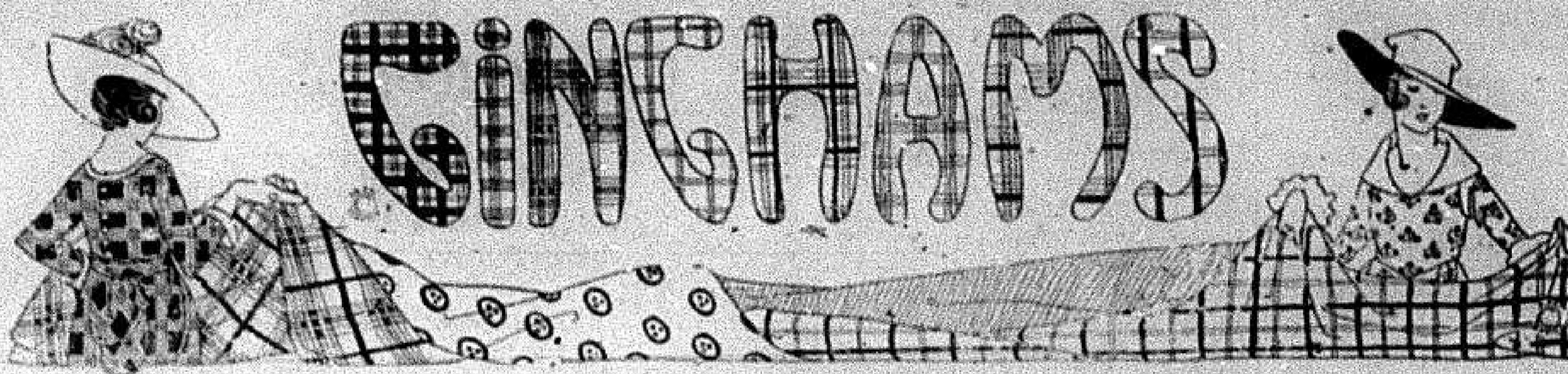
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THE PEOPLE'S FORUM

The Teacher and the Preacher

By R. G. Williams

The teaching profession and the preaching vocation hold much in common. In many respects the secular teacher and the gospel preacher are confronted with the same propositions, involving obligations and duties that are both personal and relative. For this reason there ought to be mutual sympathy between the two classes of a most practical nature.

In our preceding writings on the teaching profession we have aimed to put chief emphasis on the moral character of the teaching profession, showing the profession to be a morally chosen agency, having as its chief purpose, not only the secular training of the human mind, but fundamentally the moral development of the character of the subject, which means ultimately religious enlightenment and spiritual apprehension. This being the objective underlying secular instruction, the teacher, by virtue of this objective, is on a par with the preacher, both in honor of the calling and as regards personal responsibility. This being so, both classes should be spiritually consecrated respectively to their highly important tasks. It also follows from this point that the work of each should supplement that of the other.

The primary work of the church largely falls upon the teachers of secular instruction. Not in a direct respect so much, but in fact, nevertheless. Much emphasis is given to the need of the church placing greater importance upon the religious cultivation of the minds of the young, preparatory to church membership and Christian service. This is all right and proper. The religious denominations that are acting upon this suggestion are gaining thereby, doubtless, in a very substantial manner. But after the best is done in this matter there still remains the necessity of the co-operation

Both Classes Alike Subject to Extreme Criticism

Then the teacher and preacher are perhaps equally subjected to criticism. Criticism is really a necessary element for the greatest good of every calling. To be deprived of criticism would mean the loss of one of the necessary incentives of life. For this reason the laws of life see to it that no calling can be exempt from it. But, as there are two sides to most things, so are there two sorts of criticism. There is the criticism of a kindly and appreciative spirit. It is but an expression of friendship, the element of moral concern; the manifest attitude of a mutual principle. This sort may be sometimes disguised with some human attachment as that its true nature is not readily observed, and for the moment it may be misconstrued. Ay, perhaps this is often the case, hence the temporary weakening of friendships and cordial feelings. But this effect is not often lasting. The real intent of the criticism is sooner or later recognized and the effect is remedied and the tie becomes doubly strong. Such is the interpretation of the proverb, "Faithful are the wounds of a friend." There is a smart to the wound for a time, but the former condition is remedied in the healing of the wound, hence affliction is changed to praise. And, doubtless, most of the criticism of this world is of this sort. The matter is it takes a long time for some criticisms of even this sort to reveal their true nature. So that it would be well did we carefully analyze all the criticisms that come to us ere we pass judgment upon them.

The Other Sort

But there is the other sort of criticism. That sort which is venomous, vindictive and harmfully objective. A sort of poisonous missile sent from the hand of a carnal spirit with the aim to penetrate the joint of the harness of perhaps the innocent. Possibly all are more or less subject to this sort also. But no calling or class is quite so much subject to this sort of criticism as those represented by the preacher and teacher. And they share perhaps quite evenly in this matter as well. This is the sort that hurts. Not so much necessarily, the subject's own feelings. And, to be sure, not the subject's character, but principally the cause represented.

We intimated in our previous writing that the frequent thrust of this arrow into the school, aiming at either the individual teacher or the institution—oftener the former—is in part the cause of the shortage of teachers at the present time. But the shortage of nearly forty thousand competent teachers from our institutions of learning means a harm vastly more to the institutions and, consequently, society at large, than to those who refuse to follow their chosen profession through this laserating cause. The same applies to the preacher and the cause he represents. However unknowingly or thoughtlessly the dipped arrow may be thrown, it is sure to effect some degree of moral purification where it strikes. But it is sure to strike the church indirectly if not directly, and oftener the latter. This is true in several respects. First, the preacher being human has sensibilities susceptible much like other folks to any act of serious injustice. When the act is offered the mind of the

subject is affected, hence the general thought is more or less diverted from its proper channel and the cause suffers of a consequent inefficiency. This can be overcome in part through the minister's deeper personal consecration; but even this cannot altogether make the weapon of non-effect. In many other respects do this satanic grenade seriously affect the cause of truth the preacher represents. So, again, in this matter, too, the preacher and the teacher are quite related.

Much Alike as to Salary

The teacher and the preacher stand upon mutual ground, too, as regard to remuneration for services rendered. The former, however, has the favor of the matter if there is any difference. Teachers claim, as we have previously stated, they are forced to turn to some more remunerative calling which they claim is principally the cause of the shortage of teachers.

Preachers are vacating the pulpits by the hundreds with the same claim. Nor can their claim be questioned in the face of cold statistics. Out of the 170,000 clergymen of this country it is found that only 1,671 come within the law of the income tax. The average salary of even the college-trained ministers is but \$937 a year. This is much less than the average wage of the common laborers of the country.

But not only are ministers turning to secular occupations by the hundreds, but the vacancies cannot be supplied. The situation is so keenly sensed by the youth of the land as that our theological institutions, many of them, will soon have to close their doors for want of students.

The human mind cannot estimate the seriousness of this matter. In the reconstruction program of the world these two institutions in question must come in for a full share of demanded consideration. And they both must be considered in their co-operative relationship. But, after all, the proposition resolves itself to the point of personal responsibility.

Then let the teachers and the preachers individually as well as institutionally get down before the Almighty in dedication of their powers as a pledge each to the other of faithfully rendering the supplemental service which each owes the other, which must be done if either institution is to succeed.

INFLUENZA

It seems fairly certain that we are to have another epidemic of influenza. While we do not know exactly what it is, it is known how to treat it. The only trouble is the successful treatment is homeopathic.

Now the allopaths or regulars, formerly had the medical field all to themselves, and still outnumber the practitioners of all other schools of medicine combined. They have fought the homeopaths and other new systems much like the steel trust has fought organized labor. In certain maladies, such as typhoid fever and influenza, the record of cures by the homeopaths is in startling contrast with the record of the regulars. It is fair to say that the homeopath cures and the regular kills. The former uses infinitesimal doses of the disease poison itself, following the maxim, "Like

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