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DOCKTON

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

The shipyard has opened again and a large crew of men are at work. About 25 caulkers arrived from Hoquiam last week.

Mr. Cassidy and family, who purchased the Amidon place, moved here from Tacoma last week and will make Dockton their home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Turnbull, sr., left on Thursday of last week for Canada, where they will make an extended visit with relatives in Montreal and Calgary and other cities in eastern Canada.

The members of the Junior League of the Methodist church will have a social evening, Saturday, January 17th under the direction of Rev. Harry G. Earle.

The Ladies' Aid Society met on Wednesday of last week with Mrs. Nels Carlson. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John Danielsen, the first Wednesday in February.

Those from Dockton attending the Lazzari concert at the Tacoma theatre on Friday evening of last week were the Misses Bessie Dunn and Lucy Myers, and Mr. Wilfse and Mr. and Mrs. M. Planchard.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Greer returned home on Monday from Aberdeen, where they attended the funeral of Mr. Jack Greer, who was shot in that city last Tuesday. Mr. Greer was very well known in Dockton, as well as on the whole island, having lived here several years ago, and his many friends were shocked to learn of his untimely and tragic death. He leaves a wife and six children, and a brother, Mr. W. G. Greer of Dockton.

COVE

Mrs. E. O. Rindal is entertaining Miss Berg from Ballard.

Mr. A. L. Hotchkins, since he has got his wife and that brand new baby girl home wears a smile you can't wash off.

The Red Cross chapter met with Mrs. Ed Ramquist last week. There being no speakers, work on hand, a pleasant afternoon was spent in a social way.

Frank Elden is going to have a beauty spot up there before long. Mr. Frank Sigrist has been doing considerable grading and leveling for him the past week.

Joe Raisbeck is sawing wood. Now, this is no joke. If pulling a big crosscut saw for four or five days across a four-foot log, swinging a four-pound maul, is a joke—excuse me.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brevik and their two little boys motored from Seattle on Saturday, spending Sunday with Mrs. N. Abrams, Mrs. Brevik's mother.

Mrs. F. J. Delaney of Albany, Ore., has come to pay Mr. and Mrs. Dunn an extended visit. Mrs. Delaney is Mrs. Dunn's mother, so methinks that Donald will step pretty straight now.

Mr. Siegrist of the "Siegrist Hatchery" was around cornering the duck egg market. Now, we don't blame him very much; he has lots of orders for baby ducks and pays our duck fanciers a nice price for the eggs. This leads me to remark that Cove is on the map sure when it comes to shipping eggs. Our merchant, Mr. Petersen

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shipped 75 cases as his grist last week, and besides there are several of our big chicken men who do their own shipping.

Capt. Anderson of the Salvation Army corps, Seattle, gave a very interesting talk at the Methodist church one evening last week. He recited his experiences serving "slap-jacks" to the doughboys "over there." He spoke of his stove, made out of one of our common steel wheelbarrows with a broad top fixed to it, on which he made slap-jacks by the thousands.

The many young friends of Miss Ida Severson gathered in force, some 45 of them, a few elders among them for effect, and marched to the O. Severson home last Saturday evening for a surprise on her. With music and games the merry company whiled away the hours, and the evening being pleasant they overflowed to the lawn, playing all the old-fashioned games. And such a feast of good things to eat! 'Twas in the "wee sma' hours" when the jolly crowd broke up.

Appropos as to those nice Abrams girls: We received a card with this message, "Don't be discouraged; there's lots more nice fish in the same sea." If we went a-fishing we might catch a whale, and dear knows, we'd be stumped completely. Honest Injun, "Barkis is willin'," as Samantha Allen says in the "Hoosier Schoolmaster." But somehow the switch is left open and we get sidetracked—so get nowhere. We started out to say, "We thank you very much whoever you may be." The signature to the card was worse than Chinese to read. Still we thank the writer for the kind words of sympathy and hope.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Moore took in the L. O. O. F. installation program last Thursday evening. The night was fine, the way was pleasant—no spooks chased them, even if they did pass a graveyard. Mrs. Moore, a stranger among strangers, was kindly taken in hand by Sister Zimmerman. Mrs. Moore says she did enjoy those nice cakes, sandwiches, jams and jellies. "I drank two cups of coffee," she said, "but I was hungry." No wonder, after hiking three miles. The journey home was made doubly pleasant by a nice lift on the way by Bro. Walls in his auto.

Mr. C. A. Renouf handed me this statement as to his chickens: They are housed in none of your new, up-to-date chicken houses. One, an old barn remodeled; the other the north end of the work shed. The record is for thirteen months, and his books are open for inspection. 84 pullets started laying Aug. 11, 1918; laid 17,321 eggs year ending Sept. 30, 1919. Gross returns \$747; net returns \$415. Average profit per pullet \$4.81; average egg yield 206. Forty-two 3 and 4 year old hens netted \$2.70 per head. "Next!" Vale.

ELLISPORT

Mr. W. C. Cliff was a visitor in Seattle last Saturday.

Mrs. Newcom of Seattle spent several days with relatives here.

Mrs. Frank Fuller and Miss Estelle Hofmeister were shopping in Seattle on Saturday last.

Mrs. H. S. Collins returned from Seattle on Wednesday evening, having spent several days there with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Furbush are rejoicing over the coming into their home of a baby boy on Sunday last. Both mother and son are doing well. Congratulations.

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

SYNOPSIS OF THE DONOHUE ROAD LAW

Complying with a request from the News-Record, Chief Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Howard A. Hanson has kindly furnished for publication a brief resume of the material provisions of the Donohue Road Law, as follows:

This law was passed by the Legislature in 1893, and was later amended in 1917, and again in 1919.

The general purpose of the Donohue Road Law is to provide for the permanent improvement of main roads, the county to bear

one-half of the cost of such general improvement from the County Road and Bridge Fund, the Road District within which the road may be located to bear one-fourth the cost, and a Special Assessment District to bear the other one-fourth of the cost.

The boundaries of the Special Assessment District are defined by law as being lines drawn parallel to the center line of the highway and two miles on each side thereof. Thus, the Assessment District

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CENTER

Mrs. H. F. Davis is visiting with her sister in Seattle this week.

Lester Laughlin has returned to his school work in Bellingham after a week's visit with friends on the island.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wood of Seattle spent last week at "Fernwood Farm," the home of Mrs. Wood's mother.

It is reported that Lou Houghton of Paradise Valley has had another relapse. Mr. Houghton has been tussling with a bad case of pneumonia since Thanksgiving.

Vashon Island Grange will meet on Jan. 19th at L. O. O. F. hall at Center, when the Grange Warehouse Company will complete their organization and be ready for business.

The Canoes Club met on January 9th at the home of Mrs. Geo. Maloney and elected officers and planned work for the coming year. At the close of the meeting the hostess served ice cream, cake and coffee. The next meeting will be held on Jan. 23rd, with Mrs. Masterson at Portage.

People should be careful and not leave wells and cisterns uncovered where stock may fall in and drown, as was the case not far from Center, where a horse fell into a cistern.

The mass meeting at Odd Fellows hall, Center, on Jan. 21st, is "By the People and for the People." Let everyone turn out and

help get the paved road started. And while we are giving attention to the paved road, let us not forget that there are other improvements which are badly needed. One is a new schoolhouse at Center.

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs held a joint public installation at their hall at Center on Thursday, Jan. 8. The meeting was well attended and the services were impressive. Just before the meeting closed, Mrs. Anna Faulk was presented with a beautiful jewel. Mrs. Faulk has been a member of the Rebekahs 15 years, and has been through all the chairs, and she is still a very ardent and enthusiastic worker in the order.

VASHON HEIGHTS

Mr. Chas. Blue was a visitor in Seattle last Tuesday.

Mr. A. S. Pinkham is spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. Jos. Geiger was a visitor in Seattle on Monday.

Mr. G. S. Bonnell has carpenters at work building a new woodshed for him.

Mr. and Mrs. Bragg were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Palmer of Seattle on Sunday.

Mr. Wilson intends to build a summer home at Biloxi. Said beach property is surely coming to the front.

Mr. Elliott Neese will engage in plumbing work at the North End this summer, and as he is a most competent electrician we hope

that we may be able to have him wire our houses for electric lights this spring.

A very substantial bulkhead has been erected by Mr. A. D. Cowan in front of his new dwelling near the dock.

Mr. Martin Anderson will begin hauling gravel this week for the foundation of Mr. Farrington's new residence.

Mrs. Sumner Jacobs, an old-time resident of the island, was the guest of Mrs. A. D. Cowan last week.

The Misses Rhea and Dorothy Cowan have returned from Vancouver and report having had a delightful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ramsay had as visitors last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Kaufman and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Silvers.

Capt. Matheson tells us that he expects to build a fine new home this summer, across the road from his present residence.

Mr. Sloan Randolph has the contract for putting in a bulkhead on the Graves property at Biloxi. Mrs. Graves is intending to build a home this spring.

Messrs. E. W. Lindley and J. C. Whittle have a contract for dismantling a house at Biloxi for Mrs. Malloy. Soon as this work is completed, Malloy will erect a fine home on the property.

Our census taker's auto was indisposed this week, and for five whole days Mr. Harming had to make the rounds on foot. We do not notice that Elmer is any thinner, but we do admit that there are times in the census game when "a fellow needs a friend."

Report has it that Mr. W. O. Cook is to have his Maxwell rough shod, as it has considerable difficulty climbing the slippery grade up to his house.

The Thad Neese family spent Saturday visiting in Seattle.

We are glad to report that altho Mr. Albert Corbin was the conductor on the Green Lake car which jumped the track and was wrecked last week, severely injuring a number of passengers, he was fortunate enough to have escaped with only a scratch or two.

Mr. Reese, whose home is at Biloxi, and who has been operating the Rainier Valley route for the Supply Laundry Co., is taking a vacation from business duties in order to put his property in shape for the coming summer. His brother has come over from the city to engage in carpenter work this spring at Biloxi.

At last we are able to buy the Traffic Truck out here. No better truck was ever made to sell at \$1,885. The Cooney Motor Company, Ninth and Tacoma Avenue, Tacoma, Wash., who are also distributors for the Elgin, represent the Traffic Truck, which has a firm hold in all sections where it can be obtained.

SO. HEIGHTS

Mrs. Jenkins has returned after a week's visit with friends in Seattle.

Ross Bittinger and Bruce Hall spent Sunday at the former's home.

Mr. Marley is again staying with Mr. Holmes. So much for "Bachelor's Hall."

Mr. C. A. Cook of Magnolia has purchased the Croftwell place and is planning many improvements.

The clearing work at Mr. H. Krogh's will soon be finished. This tract will be planted to sweet cherries, thus completing 10 acres of orchard.

On Monday Mrs. Berry was called to Puyallup to attend the funeral of her uncle, Mr. Friend Deming. Mr. Deming was 81 years of age.

Reports continue regarding gold strike on beach north of Hoquiam.

BURTON

Mrs. Small returned on Sunday from a trip to Retisl.

S. N. Bixby of Tenino is visiting in Burton this week.

Mrs. Bonham was called to her home in California on Friday last on account of the illness of her mother.

Mrs. Tubbs left on Tuesday for an extended visit with relatives in Yakima and Spokane.

Mrs. Miriam Kloeppel expects to attend school at Lincoln high during the remainder of the term.

Mr. Graham Johnston, who has been visiting the Marshs, left for his home in Canada on Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Cheney, of Tacoma were in Burton on Monday. Mr. Cheney has almost recovered from a very serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Gleason entertained on Saturday last Mr. Nichols of Centralia.

Several fine new poultry houses are being built in this community.

The mid-year eighth grade exams will be given at the grammar school on Thursday and Friday of this week. Prof. Leathers will have a class of 11 aspirants for the high school.

The Burton high basket ball team will meet the Foster team on Friday next. As the proceeds from this game will go to defray the expenses of the recent game at Enumelaw, we hope everyone who can will be there.

Mrs. Wm. Haeck and little son are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Christman.

The Ladies' Aid met on Thursday at the church parlors, Mrs. A. B. Cook acting as hostess.

Lloyd Hunt visited the home folks on Monday.

Mrs. Lever received news on Saturday last of the death of two of her brothers, one of whom lived in Seattle. She has the sympathy of the entire community.

Miss Bernice Roach had the misfortune to injure her foot quite badly while playing basket ball at Enumelaw last week.

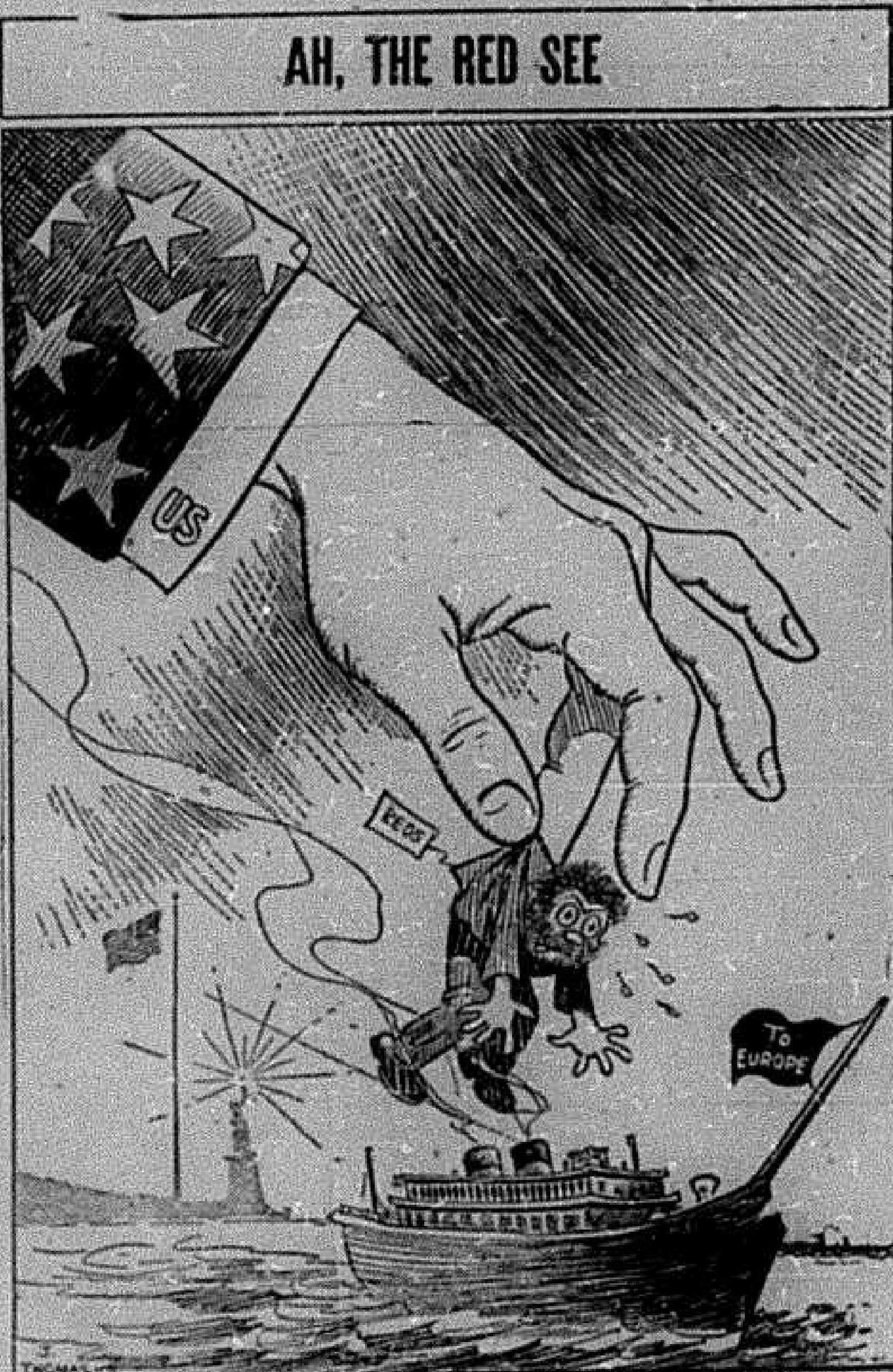
The Woman's Club was entertained on Tuesday at the hospitable home of Mrs. E. R. Stewart. Fourteen members responded to roll call, which was given from Robert Service. The debate on "Immigration," given by Mrs. G. E. St. John and Mrs. F. C. Heilge, was unique, in that both sides carried off the honors. But it could not have been otherwise. The committee on the library building reported that a very comfortable building could be erected for about \$125, the work, of course, being donated. This would be a small sum indeed for the people of Burton to pay for the privilege of having a home for its library, and we are sure there will be no difficulty in raising the required amount, as nearly everyone here will wish to help in this good work.

The Library Committee appreciates very much a recent addition to the library from Miss Clara Miller, the popular novel from the pen of Oliver Curwood, "The River's End." Any suggestions as to books to be purchased in the future will be appreciated by Mrs. Harry Keating, chairman of the committee.

For the alleged theft of a smelt drag seine, Geo. Roger, Indian, was haled before Justice Brinker in Seattle, on Monday, by Deputy Sheriff Enochs. It was claimed that the seine was taken from the launch "Good Home," but the Indian and his squaw succeeded in convincing the court that they were innocent, and in the absence of the aggrieved party the only thing that could be done was to dismiss the case.

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Have you signed the petition for a paved road? Do it now.

"National Thrift Week" begins this Saturday, January 17th.

Don't forget the good roads meeting on Wednesday evening, January 21st, at L. O. O. F. hall at Center.

The mannish woman, especially one addicted to the cigarette habit, doesn't make a hit, even with professional politicians and certainly not with the majority of people.

Selfishness, as typified by the profiteer, must be stamped out before any real constructive social and economic progress can be made in this world, says Dr. Devine, associate editor of The Survey. And most people will agree with the eminent writer.

Rather an unusual question to ask pupils, and the replies are quite as unusual. We refer to "Pupil Opinion," in School Notes on page 8 of this issue. But all are good, and evince in the aggregate the desire that springs spontaneously in the minds of young folks, namely: more sociability; the elimination of snobbishness; a desire to be helpful; to be honest with ourselves and others; in short, to have high ideals. These

are real assets, and may be summed up as the "Best Thing In the Community."

Military, government and local officials, according to an El Paso, Texas, dispatch, were in consultation last week devising plans to combat Mexican whiskey sellers' operations. It is said that El Paso has become the chief point for smuggling liquor from Mexico into the United States.

Those people who imagine the fight to keep this country dry is over ought to see some significance in the news item coming from Carson City, Nevada. Or will they dismiss it merely as a coincidence that Attorney Grant, candidate for United States Senator in that state, subject to the Republican primaries, filed the petition of the wets calling for the referendum which seeks to overthrow the almost unanimous action of the State Legislature in ratifying the Eighteenth Amendment? The liquor interests have announced their intention to seek the election of a Congress that will submit a repeal resolution.

Isn't this Nevada incident a straw indicating the direction of the liquor trade wind?—American Issue.

Synopsis of Donohue Law

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as such, will comprise an area four miles wide following the center line of the highway.

The cost of the improvement may be paid in not to exceed ten equal annual installments, so far as the property in the Assessment District is concerned. For this purpose the petition should specify the number of installments desired for the Assessment District. The Board of County Commissioners have no power to change this number. The Commissioners, however, do have the power to, in their discretion, fix the number of years within which the improvement shall be paid for so far as the general County Road and Bridge Fund is concerned; and so far as the Road District Fund is concerned, but in no event can these installments exceed ten in number.

An improvement proceeding is started by filing with the Board of County Commissioners a petition asking for such improvement, signed by interested property owners who own, and specify in the petition property to a total value of ten thousand dollars for each mile of road to be improved. Thus, a petition for a five-mile road must be signed by property owners representing an assessed value of property to an amount of at least fifty thousand dollars.

Furthermore, the petition must be signed by property owners representing property within the Assessment District, as such, to the total of at least five thousand dollars per mile. Thus, a petition for a five-mile road improvement must be signed by petitioners representing property of the assessed value of at least fifty thousand dollars, of which at least twenty-

five thousand dollars of the assessed value of property must be within the proposed Assessment District.

Upon the filing of the petition with the Board of County Commissioners a bond must also be filed with the Board in at least the sum of one thousand dollars to guarantee the county against any expense which it may incur in making the preliminary investigation by the engineer of the feasibility of the road improvement. When the petition comes on for hearing, if the petition is granted, then these incidental preliminary expenses are included in the cost of the improvement and the bondsmen are released. If the petition is rejected, the bondsmen must pay these incidental expenses.

Upon the filing of the petition, the Board of County Commissioners fixes a date of hearing upon the petition when all property owners interested in having the improvement put through, or opposed to the proposed improvement, are notified by publication in the county official newspaper to appear before the Board of County Commissioners and be heard upon the matter. At the conclusion of the hearing, if the Board grants the petition it will pass a resolution ordering the improvement and directing the County Engineer to prepare the necessary plans and specifications and do the necessary engineering work.

Thereafter, when the plans for the improvement are ready, bids are called for and a contract is let for the doing of the work in the regular way.

After the work has been ordered by the Board of County Commissioners, the Board is required, by law to appoint, as appraisers, three suitable persons who own no property in the proposed Assessment District. This board of appraisers is required by law to make a careful investigation of all the property within the limits of the proposed Assessment District and to distribute proportionately among such several properties their proportion of the cost of the improvement to be borne by the Assessment District, namely, one-fourth of the total cost. They are also to assess against the county one-half of the cost of the improvement and against the Road District one-fourth of the cost of the improvement. This Board is required to submit its report within sixty days after it commences work. Upon the filing of such report, a date of hearing is fixed thereon, at which time all persons who desire to object to the method of the distribution of the cost of the improvement to be borne by the Assessment District are required to appear before the Board and make their proper objections. After consideration and, if necessary, after modification of the proposed assessments, as shown upon this report, the Board of County Commissioners are to make an order confirming the assessments, and, thereafter, they will be paid annually, appearing as a part of the general county taxes.

When the cost of the improvement is known, the Board of

County Commissioners are authorized by law to issue Road Improvement Bonds to the amount of such cost and pay the contractor with the proceeds derived by the sale of such bonds.

When the total assessment within the Assessment District against all of the contiguous lots and tracts of a single owner amounts to \$25.00, or less, such improvement assessment is required by law to be paid in cash and not in installments for a term of years. Whatcom County has made more highway improvements under the Donohue Road Law than any other county in the State of Washington, although nearly one-half of the counties are now proposing to construct very substantial road improvements under this law. King County last year made two improvements under this law, both being comparatively short pieces of road. The proposed improvement of the main road on Vashon Island, if it should be carried through, will be the longest improvement so far made in King County under this law.

In this connection, Mr. Editor, I would like to invite your attention to the advisability of naming the main road to be improved as "Vashon Highway". In order to accomplish this, it will be necessary for the Board of County Commissioners to pass a resolution changing the name of this main road from the old name to that of "Vashon Highway". This single name, it seems to me, is representative of the Island and is appropriate. The advantage of having one name for the main road on the Island will be that it can be placed on the various road maps in the County and in the Automobile Clubs, and is easily remembered by the general public. This suggestion is offered for the consideration of the many residents and property owners on the Island.

Very respectfully,
Howard A. Hanson.

The suggestion by Attorney Hanson to designate our main thoroughfare as "Vashon Highway" will doubtless meet with the approval of everyone. Call it "Vashon Highway," by all means. Put it on the map.

Messrs. A. P. Casey, J. Hardy, W. P. McMillan, and J. Williams, representing the Trustee Investment Company of Seattle, were looking up business on the Island Tuesday.

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The following letter was received at the News-Record office today (Thursday) and will, no doubt, be good news to those who recently signed the petition for a Spraying Outfit.

Seattle, Jan. 14, 1920.
Mr. J. B. Dahlgren,
Vashon, Wash.

Dear Sir:
In reply to petition recently filed with the Board, relative to the purchase of a Spraying Outfit, to be used on Vashon Island, please be advised that Mr. F. N. Rhodes, County Horticulturist, has recently purchased an outfit, and in all probability if you correspond with Mr. Rhodes, 417 County-City Bldg., he will see that you are taken care of in this matter.

Yours very truly,
Norman M. Wardall,
Clerk of Board.

From Commissioners' Proceedings

Hearing was had in the matter of the establishment of the following county roads, and on motion same were ordered established and an award of one dollar made to each non-consenting owner of right of way: F. C. Shannah Road Extension; Shannah-Glen Acres Road.

Resolution No. 548 was passed, authorizing the superintendent of transportation to contract with Edison B. Schoek, naval architect,

for construction plans for a new ferry boat.

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Necrology.

Death took a heavy toll among the leaders in many fields of world activity during 1919. The most prominent of Americans who passed away during the year was former President Theodore Roosevelt, who died suddenly at his home at Oyster Bay on January 6.

The following are among the more prominent men and women who died during the year:

- January 4, Count George F. von Hertling, former German chancellor;
- January 8, Maj. Gen. J. Franklin Bell, U. S. A.;
- January 12, Sir Charles Wyndham, English actor;
- January 21, Nathaniel C. Goodwin, famous American comedian;
- February 17, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, former premier of Canada;
- February 22, William P. Borland, representative in congress from Missouri;
- Dr. Mary Waikop, former army surgeon and noted as an advocate of male attire for women;
- February 27, George F. Edmunds, former United States senator from Vermont;
- March 10, Mrs. Amelia E. Barr, author;
- April 4, William Crookes, famous British chemist and physicist;
- April 9, Sidney Drew, comedian;
- April 21, Jules Verne, noted French aviator;
- May 19, Edward Payson Call, prominent newspaper publisher of Boston, Philadelphia and New York;
- May 29, Robert Bacon, former secretary of state and former ambassador to France;
- June 5, Mannel Frango, president of Paraguay;
- June 11, John C. Spooner, former United States senator from Wisconsin;
- June 12, James A. Tawney, former representative in congress from Minnesota;
- June 14, Ernest Ister, governor of Washington;
- July 2, Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, former president of National Woman's Suffrage association;
- July 26, Sir Edward John Poynter, English painter, president of the Royal academy;
- August 1, Oscar Hammerstein, theatrical and operatic producer;
- August 11, Andrew Carnegie, veteran steel manufacturer and philanthropist;
- August 28, Gen. Loftis Botha, premier of the Union of South Africa;
- September 4, Admiral Baron Charles William Beresford, British naval commander and critic;
- September 9, John Mitchell, labor leader;
- September 21, Theodore

P. Shonta, president of the Interborough Rapid Transit company of New York and former chairman of the isthmian canal commission; September 27, Adeline Patt, famous operatic singer; October 19, William Waldorf Astor, former American millionaire who became a British peer; October 21, Alfred T. Blodgett, head of the famous circus family; October 30, Mrs. Ella Wheeler Wilcox, writer; November 1, Col. J. D. Bell, commander in chief of the G. A. R.; November 12, Thomas S. Martin, United States senator from Virginia; December 2, Henry Clay Frick, steel magnate and philanthropist.

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LOST SCENARIO TALENT.

"Do you prefer Thackeray to Dickens?"
"I don't think either of them had half a chance, owing to the fact that the moving picture had not been invented in their time."

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APPLICATION NO. 7740

All tide lands of the second class, as defined by section 1 of chapter 145 of the Session Laws of 1911, owned by the State of Washington situate in front of, adjacent to or abutting upon the following described uplands:

In front of east part of lot 3, section 25, township 22 north, range 2 east, W. 3d, measured along the meander line as follows:

Beginning at the meander corner to fractional sections 19 and 20, township 22 north, range 2 east, W. 3d, and running thence S. 47° E. 64 chains and 8.623 E. 6.79 chains to the terminal point of this description with a frontage of 7.34 lineal chain, appraised at \$10.00 per lineal chain, or \$73.49; also:

In front of east part of lots 2 and 3, section 24, township 22 north, range 2 east, W. 3d, measured along the meander line as follows:

Beginning at the meander corner to fractional sections 19 and 20, township 22 north, range 2 east, W. 3d, and running thence S. 47° E. 64 chains and 8.623 E. 19.55 chains and 8.563 E. 4.19 chains to the true point of beginning of this description; thence S. 56° E. 8.23 chains to the terminal point of this description, with a frontage of 8.33 lineal chain, appraised at \$10.00 per lineal chain, or \$83.29.

All as measured along the meander line according to a certified copy of the government field notes of the survey thereof on file in the office of the Commissioner of Public Lands at Olympia, Washington.

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APPLICATION NO. 10847

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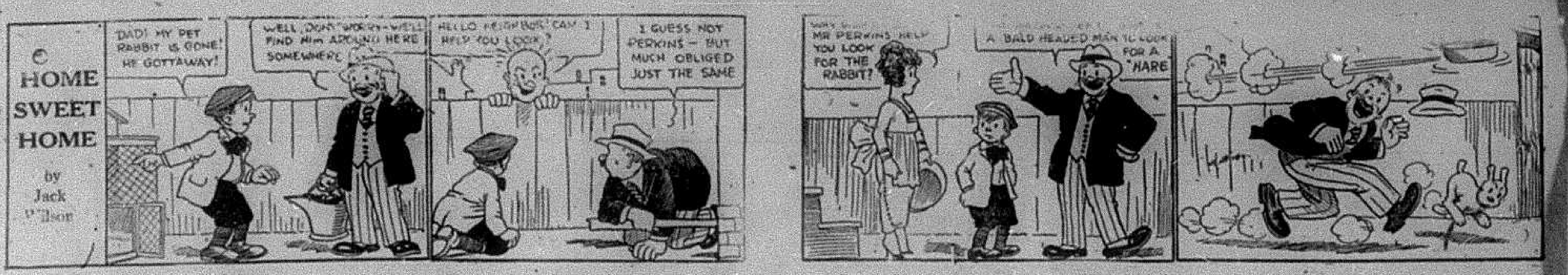
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FURS WIN HEARTS OF WOMEN

Joy Can Go No Further in Feminine Eyes Than to Be Wrapped in Peltry.

Many a woman who covets nothing else in the way of worldly possessions looks with longing eyes upon luxurious furs. She may cherish a Spangler disregard for other expensive luxuries, but a fur coat makes an almost irresistible appeal to her.

She is aware of all its drawbacks. She knows that a good fur coat is costly, not only as to the original purchase price but as to the repairs which will eventually have to be made, that it will be a burden in the mild weather into which our changeable climate so frequently lapses even in the midst of winter, that a long fur coat is always a heavy weight to carry on one's shoulders, but it is, nevertheless, consumedly the desire of her eyes.

Joy can go no further in her estimation than to be wrapped in furs when the wind blows cold and blustering and to feel that she not only is warm but looks warm.

The woman bent on a fur coat in these times also tells herself that with the prevailing high prices of wooden coats a fur garment will cost but little more, at any rate not more than twice as much and will look well twice as long.

Furs of all grades have grown in expense during the last year and perhaps that is why one sees so little use made this season of the mysterious cheap pelts whose ancestry was scarcely whispered about, much less acknowledged.

SLEEVED OR SLEEVELESS ARM

Question That Bothers Many Girls and Women—How to Keep the Arms Beautiful.

Sleeveless arms must be pretty, or they must be "sleeved." Now it is not really hard to have nice arms, and it is a beauty that lasts until years are many. Take trouble and you can do much with very ordinary arms.

If your arms are too thin, why not try housewifery work? It will help greatly to make them firm and fatter.

Every day a loofah or flesh-brush must be used to rub the arms well; the elbows especially need attention. Never sit with the elbows on the table, or they are sure to be bony and rough and red. Foreign girls are strictly forbidden to misuse their elbows so when children. A slice of lemon ought to be rubbed in daily. It will give a firm, satiny texture to the skin, and will bleach it considerably.

Don't coat your arms with powder at a dance if sleeveless, as your partner will detect his coat-bearing evidence of the fact. Rather take care all the time of the skin, and keep it in good form.

If your arms are merely passably nice, don't draw attention to them by velvet bands or bracelets.

If, in spite of all your efforts, they remain thin and of an ugly color, then wear sleeves, and if not sleeves, the very long gloves. But at present the latter are an impossible price. So sleeves it will have to be.

A New Shade.

Sulphur yellow is the new shade, and this soft yellow bids fair to take the place of the crude burnt orange and gamboge tones that were so fashionable last summer. Sulphur yellow is especially pleasing with brown shades, and linen frocks in sulphur yellow are promised for Palm Beach. There are three fashionable grays—oyster gray, mouse gray and pearl gray—according to whether you can wear a pale gray, or a deeper gray best. Goranpink, a vivid hue, is a competitor of tomato red, and both are charming shades for evening wear.

A Velvet and Plush Season.

Both plush and velvet are used for afternoon dresses, and velvet is the material chosen by many of the designers for evening gowns and dinner dresses. Wool daytime dresses come as near as possible to the soft texture of velvet. Duvelin in decided colors is quite generally used for every sort of dress other than those for afternoon receptions and when something more elaborate than wool materials is demanded.

ONE DRESS POLICY

Single Garment, Well Made, Gives Much Service.

Housewife in Smaller Towns Better Pleased With Larger Supply of Inexpensive Gowns.

There are two ways of dressing in expensively. One is to have a good many clothes of cheap material and the other is to have one well-made gown at a time and to wear that on all occasions until it is worn out. The one-dress method is perhaps preferable for the woman who lives in a large city, for the business woman, or for the traveler. The housewife in a small town will probably do better if she has a good many inexpensive clothes, observes a fashion writer, and so will the young girl who mingling in a society where nobody patronizes an expensive dressmaker and extravagance is not looked on as a virtue.

In a big city, where an economical woman is likely to meet and mingle with persons who have much more to spend on their clothes than she has, the one-dress method has many advantages. In a well-made coat suit a woman is appropriately dressed for church, calling, afternoon card parties, teas, trips to the theater and the restaurant and for shopping. If she possesses a cheap and badly made street suit, in addition to several other dresses, she will never look very well, although she may sometimes feel that a thin silk, no matter how poorly made, is more appropriate than a suit for a card party.

The one frock should be of good material and should be well made. If one is bought each year, a street suit, consisting of coat and skirt and matching waist, can be bought one season—a dark, inconspicuous evening or formal afternoon frock for the next. The suit should be chosen so that it will look well the second year and will look fairly well the third; the frock, remodeled a little, will also serve for two or three years. In a few years the woman who goes on the basis that the one-dress plan is a good one will have a very serviceable and good-looking wardrobe on hand.

The coat suit, when it is to answer many calls, should be of moderately normal proportions. Unusual waistlines, sleeves, yoke and collars should be avoided. The coat should be semi-fitting and the skirt should be neither tight nor loose. Such a suit will never be in the height of fashion, but, provided it is becoming, it will always be distinctive and good-looking. It should be of some standard dark color—dark blue, black, or a becoming shade of brown are always inconspicuous. In two years, when you are due to buy another suit, the old one will be ready for knockabout wear, still retaining a style and dignity never possessed by a cheap suit.

The same rules hold good of the evening dress, which can only be renewed every two years. It should be of becoming color and cut, should avoid all extremes and should be of as good material as you can afford.

The one-dress method requires almost perfect fit, and if the clothes are bought ready-made and extra payment to have them well fitted is an economy. Morning frocks and a homemade house dress from time to time supplement the one-dress wardrobe sufficiently.

VELVET AND SPANGLES WRAP



This is a most appealing and very unusual wrap of velvet and spangles, with fringe of heavy curly ostrich feathers and stunning gold brocade.

To Dry Knitted Goods.

To dry knitted goods make a cradle out of a large Turkish towel by tying each end with a string, then hang the towel between two lines or between two wooden chairs. Squeeze, but do not wring the article, and place it in the cradle. In this way it will dry more readily than in the pillowcase, for the air can get at it; besides it can be turned as parts dry, thus giving the air a better chance at the wet parts.

Blue and White Printed Crepe.

Blue and white printed crepe is the basis of a three-piece suit of navy basket weave cloth.

Colored Shirt for Lingerie.

Colored silk is still very much liked for lingerie.

BARON AVEZZANO



Baron Romano Avezzano, newly appointed ambassador from Italy to the United States.

ARMISTICE STILL ON WITH GERMANY

Washington.—Formal notice has been served on Germany by the United States in connection with the deposit at Paris of ratifications putting into effect the treaty at Versailles, that conditions of the armistice still govern relations between the United States and Germany.

Announcement of this action was made by the state department. Outlining the situation due to the fact that the United States had not ratified the treaty, it said:

"It is the position of this government that the armistice continues in full force and effect between the United States and Germany, and accordingly the provisions of the armistice agreement of November 11, 1918, as well as the provisions of the extensions of that agreement, remain binding on these two nations."

"Notice of this was given to the German government by the United States."

BERGER IS AGAIN BARRED

Milwaukee Socialist Is Ousted Second Time By House.

Washington.—Victor Berger, Milwaukee socialist re-elected from the fifth Wisconsin congressional district after the house had refused him membership "because he gave aid and comfort to the enemy" was barred from taking his seat again by a vote of 228 to 6.

The house acted in a little more than an hour after Berger presented himself to be sworn in.

Chairman Dullinger of the elections committee, which held Berger ineligible the first time, presented a resolution barring Berger and reviewed the reasons why Berger was excluded at the special session. Representatives Mann, republican, Illinois; Voigt, republican, Wisconsin, and Sherwood, democrat, Ohio, supported Berger's right to a seat.

California Milk Agencies Accused.

San Francisco.—Five suits will be filed in San Francisco courts within 10 days demanding forfeiture of charter of five milk producing and distributing agencies in California on the ground that they have violated the law specifying that they shall be and remain non-profit organizations, the state attorney's office announced.

THE MARKETS.

Portland.
Oats—No. 3 white feed, \$92.50 a ton.
Barley—No. 2, \$79 a ton.
Corn—Whole, \$70; cracked, \$72.
Hay—Williamette valley timothy, \$26.75 per ton; alfalfa, \$31.50.
Butter Fat—64c.
Eggs—Ranch, 60c per dozen.
Poultry—Hens, 30¢@35c.
Cattle—Best steers, \$11.75@11.75; good to choice, \$10.50@11; medium to good, \$9.75@9.75.
Hogs—Prime mixed, \$15.25@15.75; medium mixed, \$14.75@15.25; pigs, \$12.25@14.25.
Sheep—Eastern lambs, \$13@14; valley lambs, \$11.50@14; ewes, \$6@7.

Seattle.

Hay—Eastern Washington timothy, \$25.25 per ton; alfalfa, \$35.
Butter Fat—71¢@75c.
Eggs—Ranch, 48¢@57c.
Poultry—Hens, heavy dressed, 45c; light, 38c.
Hogs—Prime, \$15.75@16.25; medium to choice, \$14.25@15.25; pigs, \$13.50@14.50.
Cattle—Best steers, \$11.25@11.75; heifers, \$8.25@9; calves, \$7.5@14.

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Relief Held Necessary to Prevent "General Disintegration."

Washington.—Loans aggregating \$150,000,000 for food relief in Austria, Poland and other European countries and Armenia, to prevent "a general disintegration of political cohesion in western Europe," were proposed to congress by Secretary Glass, who said it might be necessary to increase this amount to \$200,000,000 when the full situation in Europe had been assessed.

The secretary reviewed at length the condition in the suffering countries, particularly Austria and Poland, and said Great Britain, France and Italy were assisting in relieving distress in Austria, through a \$48,000,000 loan, and that England would continue to lend aid by furnishing ships for transporting American food and such supplies as possible from the United Kingdom.

Under the treasury department plans the loans would be advanced by the grain corporation out of the billion-dollar guaranty fund and would be used to establish credits in this country on the basis of \$70,000,000 for Austria, \$50,000,000 for Poland, \$25,000,000 for other European countries and \$5,000,000 for Armenia.

Wilson Issues Call For League Council

Washington.—President Wilson Monday issued the call for the first meeting of the council of the league of nations to be held at Paris Friday. The call was issued in accordance with the terms of the Versailles treaty by President Wilson, whom the treaty makers designated for that duty.

Will Serve Term of Withycombe.

Salem, Or.—Ben W. Olcott, by an opinion of the supreme court in the case of the state, ex rel G. M. Roberts against Olcott, will retain the office of governor through the entire unexpired term of the late Governor Withycombe. Dissenting justices were Harris, Benson and Burnett.

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Kansas City, Mo.—A mysterious festival melody appearing in Kan Oklahoma and other southwest communities is a matter of much speculation. Officials are making effort to identify the disease and em means for checking its spread. poka, Kan., and Muskogee, Okla., parently are the worst sufferers. Topoka, advices say, 200 cases have been reported and unofficial estimate placed the number at 1000. Many school children are among those there.

Hays Given Noisy Welcome.

San Francisco.—Greeted by blowing of the great ferry siren the welcome of a group of republic of coast-wide prominence, Will Hays, chairman of the republican national committee, arrived here his party Monday for a series of ferences with party leaders.

Troops in Siberia Coming Home

Washington.—Decision to withdraw American troops from Siberia on pletion of the repatriation of Czech-Slovak forces next month been reached by the American srmment.

Last of Americans Return From E

New York.—The last contingent troops quartered at the military at Brest arrived here Monday or transport George Washington.

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ing before taking your usual smoke, walk up three flights of stairs at a regular pace, then stop. If you find that you are out of breath, your heart beat is forced, trembling or irregular, you may be a victim of functional or organic heart trouble. If you feel that you must smoke, chew or snuff to quiet your nerves, you are a slave to the tobacco habit, and are positively poisoning yourself with the deadly drug nicotine. In either case you have just two alternatives—keep on with the self-poisoning process irrespective of the dangers and suffer the consequences, or give up the habit and escape the dangers. You can overcome the craving and stop the habit in a very short time by using the following inexpensive formula. Go to any drug store and ask for Nicotof tablets, take one tablet after each meal, and in a comparatively short time you will have no desire for tobacco; the craving will have left you. With the nicotine poison out of your system your general health will quickly improve.

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POULTRY FACTS

BEST FOOD TO FATTEN FOWL

Whether Young or Old Mixed Grains Are Better Than Any One Variety—Milk Is Relished.

Mixed grains are better for fattening fowl, whether old or young than any one variety alone. Oats and corn, ground, are perhaps the most fattening. Buckwheat and ordinary wheat are good food and add variety to the rations but they are not so fattening. Chickens get tired of one kind of feed, the same as people do, but they thrive on mixed feed. Skim milk is one of the best articles of diet that can be put on the fowl's bill of fare. It is relished, it is healthful, it is nourishing and it greatly improves the color, flavor and texture of the dressed meat. Among the most rapid gainers for killing purposes are the barred Plymouth Rocks, the Rhode Island Reds and the Wyandottes. Fed on the above rations any of them can be made to gain from a pound to a pound and a half in three weeks, possibly less. This is profitable feeding.

FEED FOWLS DAMAGED GRAIN

It Is Essential to Exercise Particular Care That Birds Are Not Injured by Material.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Although it is good management to allow poultry to rustle about in grain fields and stock yards after the grain crop has been stacked or thrashed, it is essential to exercise particular care that the fowl are not injured by feeding on damaged grain. Specialists of the United States department of agriculture assert that where damaged grain is fed in limited amounts to the flock which is on free range, the possibility of serious injury is reduced to a minimum. On the other hand, they state that it is advisable not to feed the damaged grain—and never to use this material if it is moldy or musty—in anything but very small amounts where the fowl are closely confined all the time. There is an inexplicable something about the range which the birds have as well as the waste products which they utilize that apparently keeps them healthy, so that



Chickens Having Free Range Utilize Much Waste Product.

they are able to handle small amounts of grain which are not too seriously damaged. It is especially necessary to watch corn and cornmeal, as these feeds are inclined to spoil rather easily.

GREEN BONE GOOD FOR HENS

Material Can Often Be Purchased From Local Butcher—Is Substitute for Meat Scrap.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Green cut bone can often be purchased from the butcher. This material when procured fresh makes an excellent substitute for beef scrap. It should be purchased in small quantities, as it cannot be kept fresh for any length of time and when spoiled may cause severe bowel trouble. It is best fed in a trough not oftener than every other day, allowing about one-half ounce per bird. Should severe or continued looseness of the bowels follow the feeding of green cut bone it should be discontinued or the quantity reduced.

TRAP-NEST ALL LAYING HENS

Tends to Tame Birds, Thereby Increasing Egg Production and Permits Clear Record.

When possible it is advisable to trap-nest the layers for the following reasons: (1) To tame the birds, thereby tending toward increased egg production. (2) To furnish definite knowledge concerning traits and habits of individuals. (3) To furnish the only satisfactory basis for utility or other breeding. (4) To eliminate the non-productive hen. (5) To add mechanical precision to judgment and experience in developing and maintaining the utility of a flock.

WHITE BIRDS GAINING FAVOR

Rocks, Orpingtons and Rhode Islands Coming to Front Fast as Egg Producers.

The White Rocks, White Wyandottes, White "Reds" or Rhode Island Whites—are fast coming to the front as high egg producers. The achievements of the White Leghorns seem to overshadow all other white birds.

FARM POULTRY

BOYS AND GIRLS JOIN CLUBS

First Step in Organization Usually Is to Get Support of Business Men of Community.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Poultry-breeding associations are usually the outgrowth of pioneer work in organizing boys and girls into poultry clubs or of repeated efforts to interest producers in better poultry methods. In some instances, however, leaders in communities have expressed their desire to make an effort to establish for themselves a business or side line that will add to their incomes as individuals and likewise increase the property of the community.

In such promising localities, the first step in organization usually is to get the support of local business men. In small towns many business men own farms and consequently are interested in agriculture, which in turn benefits the various lines of business. At the same time their assistance is helpful in financing the association. In fact this is frequently accomplished by inducing the business men's association to contribute a suitable fund for standard-bred stock which is to be distributed among the farmers who join the association. Cooperation of that kind is usually obtained easily if the business men are shown the advantages of the organization and how the increased prosperity eventually will benefit them.

Another plan that has proved to be satisfactory in Overton county, Tenn., is direct financial assistance from the banks. In this case the banks advanced \$1,000 to be invested in breeding pens through the co-operation of the poultry club agent and the county agricultural agent. Each pen consisted of ten hens or pullets and a male bird which cost on an average \$2.50 a bird. The pens were pledged with club members in the various communities. Each person who received a pen guaranteed to return, after the first year, 20 fowls in payment for the original ten hens or pullets furnished him. These 20 standard-bred fowls, together with two selected male birds, were divided into two pens and the next year



Club Members Dusting a Hen With Insect Powder.

were given under the same conditions to two additional club members. One of the requirements of the plan was the continuance of this "endless-chain" system for five years, or until every member possessed at least one pen of standard-bred fowls. Thus the original pens have been multiplied by many hundreds, and the entire county has become well stocked with one breed of fowls.

CONDITION OF LAYING FOWL

Body of Hen Is Deeper in Rear Than at Front of Keel—Pelvic Bones Well Spread.

A hen that is laying has an enlarged abdomen, due to the enlarged intestines, ovary and oviduct. The body is deeper in the rear than at the front of the keel. The condition is reversed when a hen stops laying. The pelvic bones are well spread in the laying hen. As production decreases the carles contract.

MINERAL ELEMENTS FOR HEN

It Pays to Burn Refuse and Brush Heaps Near Poultry Range for Bits of Charcoal.

Hens seem to obtain certain mineral elements that they crave from wood or coal ashes and it pays to burn refuse and brush heaps near the poultry range so that the birds can clean up the ashes and bits of charcoal that remain after the fire.

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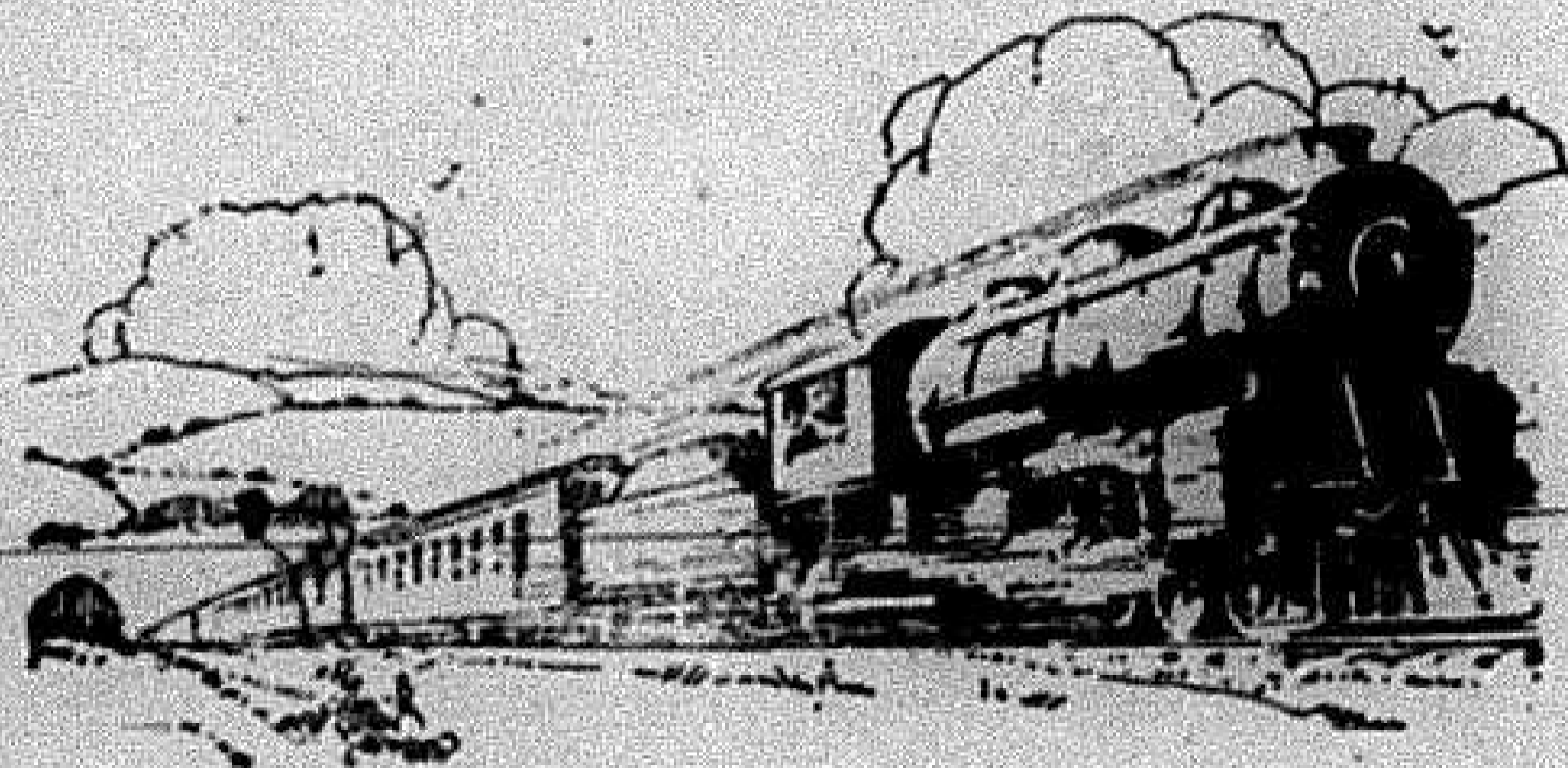
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Mrs. G. W. Blekkink made a trip to Seattle on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Ernisse was a visitor in Seattle the first of the week.

A. T. Tjomsland made a trip to the county seat the first of the week.

Mr. Gilbert Olson is on the sick list. His son Henry is taking his place driving the school bus.

Mrs. J. H. Colley of Seattle spent last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mace.

Mrs. Wilda Hamilton and Mr. Harry Sairsax Sheldon were married in Seattle last Wednesday, Jan. 7th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Carrigan.

A. D. Sanford moved his machine shop last Saturday from the rooms over the post office to the old school building, which he recently purchased and is fitting up for a factory.

Mrs. J. D. Archer and two daughters of Seattle were visitors on the Island last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Archer will become permanent residents of the Island about Feb. 1st, having bought the S. W. Jacobs property for a home.

Members of the Tipt Oakhe Club were guests last Tuesday of Miss Magowan and Mr. Robert Gerry at the W. J. Magowan home. Mrs. E. J. Kerl won first prize, and prizes were awarded Mrs. H. G. Weiss, Mr. Howard Hansen and Prof. Slater. On Tuesday, January 20, the Club members will be guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Weiss.

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Presbyterian
The musical addition to the Christian Endeavor meetings is a much appreciated matter. It is good to see a violin, an instrument so much abused through its misuse, turned to a good account, as Miss Gladys Jacobs' is at the Endeavor meetings. The solos by Miss Hardin and Miss Hazel Magowan and others add also to the interest and good of the meetings. Miss Hardin led in a splendid meeting last Sunday evening. Another helpful meeting is promised for next Sunday evening.

The "birthday box" is a re-installed feature of the Sunday school. Mr. Garvin, the superintendent, believes in starting the new year right. It has been suggested that all having failed to make their birthday contribution last year give double this year. That's a suggestion based upon the principle of common honesty. Surely we ought to expect no loss of a religious organization.

The young people are asked to remember the study entertainment class next Monday evening at Miss Helen Steen's home. The class takes up at 7:30. All the young people of the community are cordially invited, regardless of church affiliations.

The theme of the sermon next Sunday morning will be, "Reconstruction." This is a popular theme. It is hoped that another large attendance will be present.

R. G. Williams, Minister.

Center Services

The seating capacity of the church was met last Sunday evening. This means that more seats must be provided for next Sunday evening. Center seemed a little slow, but the gospel is drawing at this place at least, and all that attend are in appreciation of the services. Services 8:00 o'clock. R. G. Williams in-charge.

Lutheran

The Lutheran Ladies' Aid will meet at the church on Wednesday afternoon, January 21. Mrs. L. Stevenson, hostess. Everyone cordially invited.

Methodist

Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Morning Worship at 11:00 a. m. Subject of sermon, "Our King." Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Evening service 7:30 p. m. Subject, "The Upward Leading."

Sunday School Notes

Keep up the good work of getting the kiddies out on time. Do not let them miss Sunday school if they are able to come.

Epworth League

The League is swinging new leaders into line of late. They are doing fine. Come this next Sunday and see "Who's Who."

Parsonage

Mrs. Gebert and little son are doing nicely. Will be home about the 21st of January. E. H. Gebert, Minister.

Episcopal

Messrs. Wollaston and Mears of Seattle conducted the service at Christ Church last Sunday, and spoke on the "Nation-Wide Campaign of the church." Mrs. Gandy sang a solo with much expression.

There will be a celebration of the holy communion next Sunday at 11:15 by the Rev. Rolfs. The choir will be augmented by several members of Trinity choir, Seattle.

Sunday, Jan. 25th, will be the Grand Rally Day of the "Nation-Wide Campaign," when every member of the church should attend.

There will be an entertainment and dance at Van Olinda's hall, this Saturday, Jan. 17th, at 8:15 p. m., for the benefit of the "music fund." Admission 35 cents.

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than debate. We need your support, both in enthusiasm and financial help, and we are hoping for an interested and representative crowd. The debate will be held in the auditorium. Judges will come from Seattle.

P. T. A.

P. T. A. was postponed on Tuesday evening. Next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blekkink on Tuesday, Feb. 10th.

Basket Ball—Double Header

Vashon teams vs. Foster teams on Saturday, Jan. 17th, 8:00 p. m.

Vashon Gym

O, boy! Have you seen our new gym? Well, it sure is a gym-dandy. You want to be out to the game this Saturday evening? It's going to be a humdinger.

The Vashon team is carrying a heavy schedule this week. We meet Kent high next Friday night, then return home and play Foster on Saturday evening. We are hoping to see a large crowd to give us a good send-off in the new gym. Both girls' and boys' teams are practicing day and night for the coming games—every spare minute is basket ball.

What the boys lack in team work they make up for in "pep and fight."

But, O, that gym! We can't help talking about it. The floor is easily the best in the county high school league. It is the "long-hoped-for dream" of the students in realization. A large playing floor, 36x65 feet. Then we have side lines and suspended goals, with no posts to jump into; besides a good grandstand for the rooters.

You can't miss this. We want to see you out there with ears of "pep" next Saturday, Jan. 17th, 8:00 p. m. Admission 25 cents.

THE LINE-UP

Girls

Frances Schaefer, center.
Frances Blekkink, forward.
Marie Lokke, forward.
Consuelo Ramquist, guard.
Hazel Smith, guard.
Side Centers: Nellie Abrahamson and Marian Garvin.

Boys

Garner Steen, center.
Alfred Bridgman, R. F.
Alva Hutchinson, L. F.
Walter Steen, R. G.
Carl Bridgman, L. G.
Subs—Alex Olson, Denzil Cutler, Martin Jorgensen.

Pupil Opinion

The pupils of Vashon high school were each asked to write a paragraph on "The Best Thing In Our Community." The following extracts are taken from their exam papers:

The Town Paper—Walter Steen
A paper like the News-Record, which is continually growing, is a good thermometer for the rest of the island. It helps new people to get acquainted and to fall in with the general trend of affairs, by knowing the social, commercial and spiritual happenings. This paper also binds together the old residents of the community. In a commercial way the paper is very valuable, as it gives business men an opportunity to advertise and to have job printing done.

The Gym—Alva Hutchinson
The movement to get this gym was started by the high school pupils, who gave freely of money and help. They were backed by the faculty, who also did a lot of thinking and work. Then the people voted to raise the tax levy and help carry their share of the expense. It is a fine building, with solid foundation, good floor and high ceiling. It provides large dressing rooms, showers, and lots of room for spectators.

Gym—Carl Weiss
The lumber in this building is very good, especially the floor and the big timbers, which are straight and free from warp. The shingles are of very good quality; the floor

is all vertical grain, which insures freedom from slivers and admirable smoothness for dancing or basket ball.

Gym

To pupils of Vashon high our new gym is about the best thing in the community. We had our first practice this noon, and it certainly is some floor, plenty of room, side lines and everything. It makes a fellow tired to run all the way around it. But we will soon get used to that—then just watch our speed.

Ferry

A ferry at either end of the island with a paved road between them would build up the community industrially and socially; it would increase the price of land and hasten improvements.

Library

In the library we find information on any subject which interests us. The fiction found there is almost all good because it is selected by people who know what kind of books should be read.

Enthusiasm

One of the best things which could possibly happen in the community would be to have a bomb placed under everybody's chair to raise them to a higher viewpoint of life. When anybody really does start something we wonder whether it will stand the strain or not. There ought to be public gatherings and lots of them for popular entertainment and for instruction of old and young.

Church

The church is a great help to everyone, and is not only for old people, but also for the young. It helps get the young people together and keeps them out of mischief.

Friendship

The best thing in any community is friendship.

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The best thing in the community is for everyone to know everyone else. In a large city like New York, if a person is poor he does not get help, as there are always so many others in the same condition. In a small community like ours it is not often that people in want do not get help. People ought always to know their next door neighbors, and to be friendly with the people who live near them.

Electricity

Electricity saves much time and labor. It is the best lighting system, and the farmer can use it for running dairy or power plant, while the housewife can use it for cooking, sewing and laundrywork.

School

If we did not have a high school the young people would have to go to the city, or somewhere else, to get an education. It keeps them at home. It also makes it easier to sell land here.

School

If we did not have the high school many children could not go to school. Many families that are here would move to the city, and have nothing more to do with Vashon.

Health

The best thing in our community is freedom from contagious diseases. Our schools have never been closed by the outbreak of any epidemic except the "flu." One reason for this is the pure drinking water. Fresh foods of all kinds are raised at the homes here also.

Young People's Meetings

Young People's meetings are held every Sunday night, with a different program every time. They also control most of the social affairs. Once in awhile we play games and serve refreshments.

High School Bus

For my part the best thing in the community is the high school bus. If it were not for the bus some of us could not be here, and that would not benefit the school. The more education the neighborhood has the better, it is for all.

Roads

Roads are the beginning of civilization. Then the people build homes, churches and schools.

Community Spirit

Community spirit brings people together to work for the good of the community, instead of for self. It took this spirit to start things right in the beginning. This spirit brings the people together, causes improvements in the neighborhood, builds up good schools, good churches and good roads, and attracts good people to the place.

SCHOOL NOTES

BURTON

Split Double-Header Basket Ball
Last Friday night the Burton high school basket ball team journeyed to Enumelaw and split a double-header, 50-50, with Enumelaw.

Their names had reached Enumelaw ahead of them, however. On every corner were large posters telling of the game and at the bottom read like this: "These are the teams that beat Auburn." I wonder how they will read next time!

The girls' teams played first, and play they did. The game was fast and interesting thru-out. The home team far surpassed Burton in their ability to dodge and "dribble" the ball. Outside of that the teams were evenly matched.

The score was small until Burton was handicapped by losing one of their starguards, Miss Bernice Roach, who was playing a strong game at guard against Enumelaw's star forward, fell and sprained her ankle. An X-Ray picture later showed a broken

bone in the arch of her foot. This was Burton's first hard luck of the season.

The final score was 20-5. I want to congratulate the girls on their ability to be real sports, whether they lose or not.

The boys' game followed next. Burton was outweighed, perhaps thirty pounds to the man. But hand it to the team—"their" there when it comes to playing basket ball.

When the game started the Enumelaw rooters were rubbing it into Burton pretty hard over their girls' defeat. A basket ball player is only human after all; so who can blame them for wanting revenge!

This was one of the cleanest and fastest games I ever witnessed. At the referee's whistle they were off in a flash. After the smoke cleared away the score board read: "Burton 25; Enumelaw 15. Revenge is sweet, alright."

Roscoe Wilber, better known as "Fat," was the star of the game. He has, I believe, forgotten more about basket ball than most high school players will ever know. We must not overlook his team-mate, however. "Tony" Carlson—bucky of the team—was perfect-

ly able to take care of his man as well as of himself. Some pair to draw to. George Vye played his usual steady game at center and was a big point getter for Burton. "Art" Leathers, left forward and probably midget of the team, played a fast game in spite of getting his head banged pretty hard several times. Much credit is due the other forward, Fred Hierseh, of Lisaboula, playing his first real game of basket ball, showed up exceptionally well under fire.

The boys were worried at first over the absence of their steady forward, Aaron Van Devanter, but Fred got all worry aside by his good playing.

Now you know them all, or rather their histories.

To make yourself better acquainted, come out to the Burton high gym next Friday night, Jan. 16th, and watch them clean up Foster high school. This is no boast—simply the truth. Let's have a record-breaking crowd turn out to see a real championship team in action.

VASHON

Debate

Next week, on Friday evening, Jan. 23rd, Auburn high comes to Vashon to debate the state question, "Resolved, That the immigration of foreign laborers into the United States should be prohibited for a term of 50 years."

The affirmative will be upheld by Alva Hutchinson, Nina Garvin and Frances Schaefer. For Auburn high, Helen Ahman, Nina Weed and Rebecca Arnell will support the negative. An admission of 15 cents will be charged to cover expenses of judges and visiting team. There is no school activity which comes nearer showing the level of the community

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