

# VASHON ISLAND NEWS-RECORD

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## DOCKTON

in-law, Mrs. Frank Eiden, has also been confined to the house for several days.

Albert Abrams don't seem to enjoy knee work very well. Been helping Mr. Hunt plant strawberries.

Pete Nystrum is doing a fine piece of clearing up the stumps he set out on the Petersen lots in Beniah Park.

Mrs. A. C. Moe and son Gordon were over to Port Orchard visiting her daughter, Mrs. Rude, last Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. C. A. Renouf was called to Seattle on account of her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Butler, taking the flu. We trust all goes well.

Mr. M. Danielson has his new chicken house about finished. It was built according to his own design and style. Will accommodate about 400 Leghorns.

B. A. Hunt has been digging and setting out 17,000 strawberry plants over on the Doyle ranch the past week, and more to follow. The ranchers are contracting their berries at nice prices this season.

Word to friends from Mrs. Ray Leeman says she has been very ill with the flu. Her daughter, Miss Grace, came home from school with a severe case of scarlet fever, and Mrs. Leeman took the disease also, so the combination made things look dangerous. Glad to report, however, that she is recovering.

Harold Rude and Henry Steen, two well-known Vashon boys, also Herbert Lund of Port Orchard, have established a large shingle mill at Port Orchard, called the Triple H Milling Company. The boys are doing well. They have sold some 300,000 shingles already and have contracts on hand for 500,000 more. Can sell all they can make at \$5.00 per 1000, and have plenty of fine cedar to work up.

Donald Dunn says he's mighty glad we don't have any union working hours on the Island. Up at 5:00 a. m., rustling all day and until 11:00 p. m., with ranch work and looking after incubators; sleep an hour, up again at 1:00 a. m., all o. k., sleeps two hours, up at 3:00 a. m., another sleep, then up for all day. Ain't it a regular merry-go-round those chicken hatchers enjoy? Mr. Dunn took off a nice hatch of 700 chicks from 1200 eggs. Not so bad for a tender foot at the business.

News has reached Dockton of the marriage of Miss Esther Petersen on Saturday, March 6, at her home in Seattle. Miss Petersen formerly lived in Dockton and is the charming daughter of Capt. and Mrs. S. Petersen.

At the annual school election held at the schoolhouse last Saturday, Mr. C. Ruhlen was elected director for the three-year term, succeeding Mr. Claude Petersen who wished to retire. Mr. P. T. Wiltse was elected for one year. The bond proposition carried; so there is now prospect of a new building, which is very much needed.

## Launching of the "Ella A."

A very successful launching took place on Tuesday morning at 7:25 when Mrs. A. Polson, with an armful of beautiful crimson roses broke the bottle of champagne on the bow of the ship, naming it the "Ella A." The vessel glided very gracefully down the cradle into the bay and was a beautiful picture with all her colors flying. She floated along toward the S. S. "Verona," which was in waiting and ready to tow her back to the wharf where the finishing touches will be applied. In the christening party were Mr. and Mrs. Polson of the Sound Navigation Company. Capt. Olson, who is master of the vessel, and Mrs. Olson, and several ladies and gentlemen connected with the company.

## COVE

Mr. A. H. Johnson was in the city last week to consult a doctor. His cold stays by him pretty close.

Mrs. E. Eiden has been having a tussle with the flu. She managed to keep on her feet. "Such a pesky cold—she never had the like before," she said. Her daughter,

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## A DESTRUCTIVE FIRE

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A fire at Burton on Tuesday evening about 8:30 wiped out three buildings, including the entire contents of one, the meat market.

How the fire started is still a mystery. Rumors as to the origin there are a plenty, such as spontaneous combustion or defective wiring, but up to this time these are only conjectures.

The buildings occupied as a grocery and a meat market are the property of Mr. M. O. Brown, who formerly was in business here, but is now in Oakland, Cal. The small dwelling was the property of Mr. Jackson, and was occupied by Har-

old Schaefer, who succeeded in saving most of his household effects. The buildings, it is reported, were insured, but not the contents. Mr. Morrissey, the butcher, estimates his loss at from \$800 to \$900. Mr. Gleason, the grocer, succeeded in saving a part of his stock.

Heaps of ashes and debris are all that remain to mark the site of the buildings.

Fortunately there was very little wind, and a rain during the afternoon made conditions favorable for the heroic fire-fighters who worked untiringly to save adjoining buildings, and succeeded.

## PORTAGE

Mr. Wade Hazellhurst spent the week end at home.

Mr. A. J. Marsh was a business visitor in Seattle on Monday.

Miss Jeanette Fenton spent the week end with the home folks.

Mrs. F. M. Hazellhurst and Mrs. L. C. Whalte were visitors in Seattle on Friday.

Mr. D. G. Fenton, deputy assessor, was in Seattle on business the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Harrison were visitors in Tacoma over Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Ed Harrisson has his tire repair shop completed and is now ready for business.

Mrs. J. L. Masterson has been confined to her bed for the past week, but is much improved at this time.

Mrs. Innis Hopkins of Vancouver, B. C., is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. F. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. P. Malone and children have returned to their summer home here after a week's absence in Seattle.

Mrs. E. M. Knott is spending a few weeks at her home here, overseeing some improvements that are being made on the place.

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Mother's pension laws, designed to make it possible for widowed mothers to give their children an education, are now in force in 39 states, Alaska and Hawaii.

The eighth grade pupils of Center are now attending the Burton grade school, leaving three grades for the two Center teachers, as Miss Hill eliminated the sixth the first of the year.

Mrs. Clayton Williams entertained at dinner Sunday, Mrs. B. J. Wyld, Mrs. Cynthia Williams, Mrs. W. H. Palmateer, and Mrs. H. F. Davis and daughter. The dinner was in honor of Mrs. Palmateer's birthday.

Mrs. B. J. Wilde was pleasantly surprised last Wednesday, when two old friends, Mrs. Spencer and Miss Luther of Seattle, came to help celebrate her birthday.

Later in the evening a second surprise brought neighbors and relatives, with basket lunch. Five hundred was played until a late hour, then lunch was served. Everyone had a good time and departed with best wishes.

The Camulos Club met with Mrs. Hibble on March 5th. The attendance was small on account of a number being ill. After the business session Mrs. Wise read a paper on "Fear," which was very good. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess. The Club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. Clayton Williams. The previous meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Martin Sorbe. Owing to the small attendance a short business meeting was held, followed by a social hour which all enjoyed. The hostess served a delicious lunch.

The Rebekah Lodge met Tuesday evening and initiated seven candidates. It was planned to have the Tacoma drill team come over and put the work on, but at the last minute word was sent that so many of the members were ill that they could not come. In the midst of the meeting word was brought of the fire at Burton, which took all our brothers, but nevertheless the candidates received their degree, after which a lunch was served downstairs. The new members are the Misses Gilbert, Swanson and Brown; Mesdames Allison and Bridgman; and Messrs. Tjomsland and Bridgman. The next meeting will be on Mar. 23rd.

## CENTER

Miss Swanson spent the week end in Seattle with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansen of Seattle enjoyed a week end visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hansen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Therkelsen celebrated their fortieth wedding anniversary last week with a dinner.

Mrs. Newcom of Bremerton has been spending a few days on the Island visiting Mrs. Hearst.

Mr. Hendrickson was over last week to plant clover. He expects to move back to the Island soon.

Mrs. M. L. Morgan of Seattle spent a few days with her mother while convalescing from an attack of the flu.

Mr. Wilbur and family are moving to Burton this week, and Mr. Dowd and family are moving to the home place.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Whitney left on Monday for Seattle, and later will go east. They expect to be absent a year or more.

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Senator Borah was right when he told his Republican colleagues that it is by the present congress and not by the rhetoric of an unofficial committee that his party will be judged in the coming campaign.

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## BURTON

The E. W. Wilbur family of Paradise Valley are now occupying the Miller house on Burton beach. They moved in this week.

A number of Burtonites witnessed the launching of the ship "Ella A" from the Dockton shipyard on Tuesday morning.

The Tomeson orchard property has been leased to Mr. John Knowles of Tacoma, who moved his family and goods over on Saturday. Mr. Knowles is a carpenter.

At the school election last Saturday, W. C. Whitfield was elected to serve on the school board for three years, and P. M. Armbruster of Newport for a term of two years.

Five eighth-graders from Center school are now attending the Burton grammar school under the supervision of Prof. F. C. Leathers. The high school bus brings them with the high school students.

Mrs. H. Bigelow and little granddaughter Lois left on Tuesday for Snohomish, where she will care for her daughter, Mrs. Richeson, who has been ill for some time.

Mr. Alex Smith arrived Friday from Hammill, South Dakota, and stepped into the home of his sister, Mrs. F. C. Hedge, as though he had been gone two weeks instead of two years. His former Burton friends are glad to know that he has come to stay this time.

During the fire on Tuesday night which destroyed Brown's store, the meat market and Jackson's cottage, valiant service was rendered by Don H. Green, C. O. Pounter and George Vye, who were on the roof of Whitfield's house sweeping cinders off while the heat was almost unbearable, and using the hose, which saved the building. If Whitfield's house had burned, the two store buildings could not have been saved, and most of the town would have gone. The old hose and buckets that had been stored for several years under Woodman Hall, were invaluable in fighting the fire.

## Baptist Church

Sunday, Mar. 14.

11:00 a. m.—Sermon: "The Seal of the Spirit."

7:30 p. m.—"The Wage of Sin."

On the following Sunday evening a companion sermon will follow on the theme, "The Free Gift of Life."

The Rev. T. S. Fretz will be the speaker.

A girls' chorus will lead the singing at the morning service, and a special choir has been organized to sing at the evening service. All are welcome.

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Wyld, Mrs. B. J.	Blk 782
Williams, Mrs. Cynthia	Blk 782
Willifus, C. J.	Red 733
Whitfield, W. C.	Blk 1022

### Removals

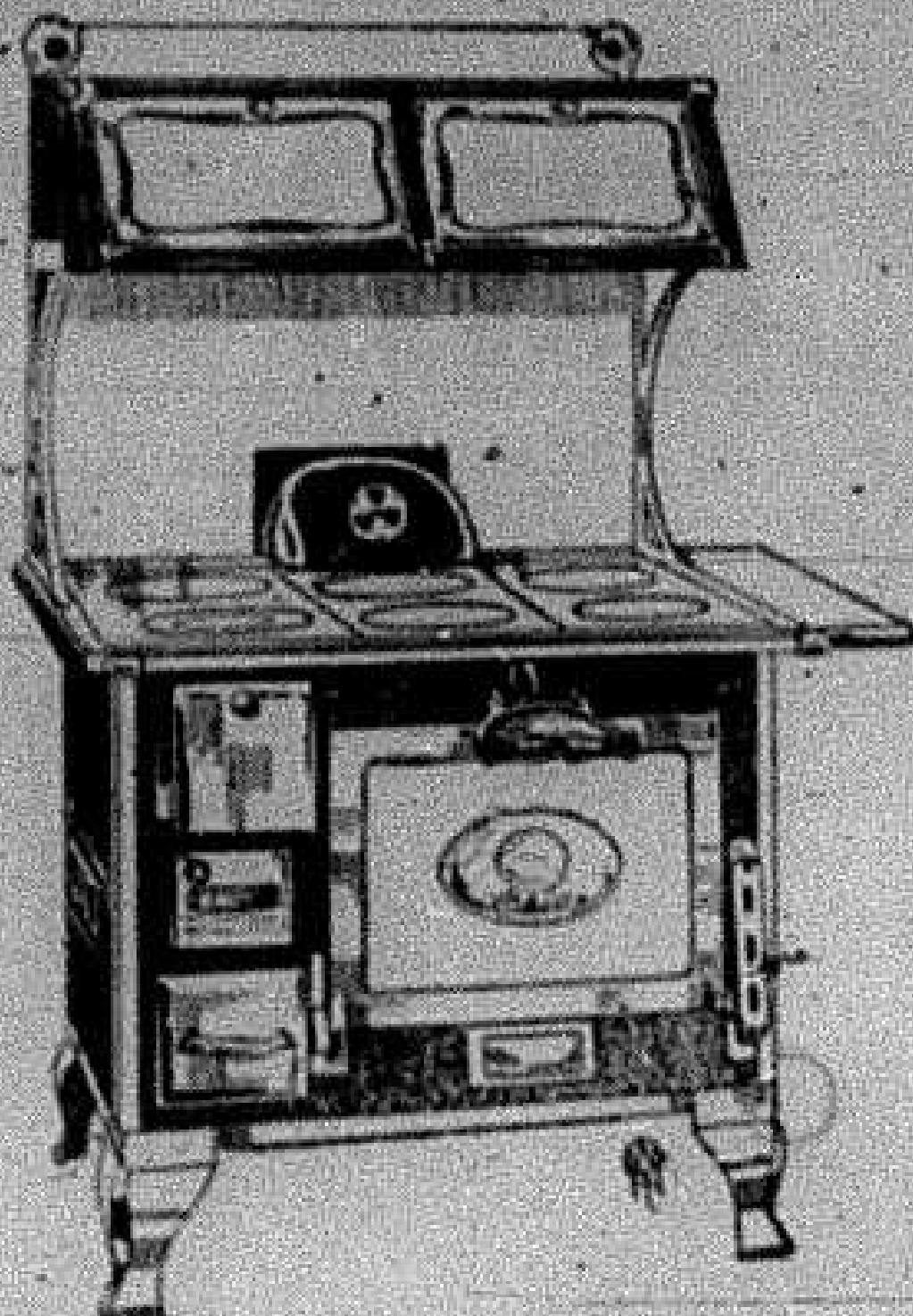
Archer, J. D.	Red 102
Chatfield, B. E.	Red 1204
Cross, O. E.	Blk 1202
Eaton, G. Y.	Blk 713
Haley, P. D.	Blk 102
Kerl, E. J.	Blk 164
Martinlich, A.	X-65
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### MASS MEETING

Remember the mass meeting at Y. M. C. A. hall this Friday evening, March 12, to discuss plans for a memorial seat in our cemetery to "the unknown dead," also to plan for care of and beautifying the cemetery grounds. Every resident of the islands is interested in this matter. Come out.

### A PRIZE OF FIFTY DOLLARS

The rules governing the contest for the fifty-dollar prize mentioned in this paper last week, also the committee to pass upon the appropriateness of names submitted, were endorsed by the Commercial Club at the meeting held

### ATTENTION, EASTERN STAR!

A meeting will be held on Monday, March 13th, at 8:00 p.m., at Marsh's Hall, Portage, to form a new chapter. All Stars are invited.

T. G. Ogilby.

The Independent Voter's Association which recently has been organized in North Dakota has but one plank in its platform so far and that is opposition to Townleyism and Nonpartisan rule. It purports to call a mass convention of all voters regardless of party who are opposed to state socialism as it now exists in North Dakota and in that body candidates will be nominated. A sound Government League has been organized for the same purpose in Minnesota and is working to combat the radical propaganda disseminated by the Nonpartisan League.

Uncle Sam sold \$134,230,697.81 worth of Thrift Stamps, War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates during 1919, according to a report of the Savings Division of the Treasury Department. Probably twice as much was lost by less cautious investors in fake oil stocks and similar worthless paper.

No machine can run without oil remarks an eastern paper. The farmer who feeds his stock best gets the best results from them. And exactly the same thing is true of the railroads. The better service they give the better business is going to be and the more prosperous our industries will be. Poor railroad service is a big factor in the high cost of living.

The man who says the value of a dollar is still one hundred cents hasn't been out shopping with his wife lately.

Maybe Holland also has a fuel shortage and that's why she's anxious to keep the ex-Kaiser over there sawing wood.

More than 85,000 small flags have been purchased by the War Department to serve for the decoration of individual graves of American soldiers who lie buried in Europe.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jones of Everett has announced her intention to file as county superintendent of schools on the Republican ticket.

The elimination of "politics" from the big industrial problems of the West would be a blessing to the nation.

### THE DANCE

*Editor News-Record:*

It would be a matter of presumption for one other than the parties directly involved to reply to the article published in the last week's issue of your paper on the dance question were the subject exclusively personal. But there are at least two features one applying directly to the article in question and the other applying more generally, which justify a general discussion of the matter.

First, the author of the last week's article addressed his attack in a very indirect manner by a repeated use of the term "the reverend" of Vashon. As there is more than one in the immediate community of Vashon known by that title, the charge could be easily misapplied, which evidently

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is the result. Then, the issues involved in the subject in question are not personal but are class issues. Right and wrong represent two distinct principles of life which are represented by two distinct classes. Any representative of either of these classes has a personal right to participate in a discussion on either of these opposite principles respectively without danger of being justly charged presumption. What is more, it is the duty of all on either side to defend the principle of their conviction which possibly is what the author of the attempted refutation did last week and a privilege I feel justified in now acting upon.

In the first place the author of the article published last week doesn't show a high degree of logic in the arrangement of his refuting elements. The absence of such a literary essential is observed in the attempt to make the "disease" a local matter. He charges the "Reverend" with an interference of a community privilege, as though the subject in question were exclusively a community responsibility. He evidently forgot, or didn't know, that the object he was contending for is not a matter of community privilege but an institutional principle—a principle that cannot be localized and confined to an enclosure, but is universal both of existence and effect. Hence it is as much one's moral duty, who may be exempt by a thousand miles from the contaminating touch of the principle to contend against its existence as it is his whose life may have been spoiled by the principle. If there were never such a social principle tolerated in "Vashon" every man and woman of this community would be under responsibility to contend against the principle equal with those of the community where the principle finds practical favor. Hence the "Reverend" was keeping strictly within bounds of, not only his personal prerogative, but his moral duty and responsibility in offering comment against the principles which has brought him the unjust rebuke.

Then, the absence of logic and even good reasoning, marks the weak attempt in the use of the personal by which evidently the author thought to be effecting an unshakable base for his argument. He quotes certain individuals of social note as participants of the principle he tries to support, as though such a participation gave moral sanction to the principle.

He again evidently forgot, or didn't know, that social prestige doesn't stand necessarily for moral character. One may be socially strong yet morally weak. One may hold high social office yet weigh light in the balance that determines moral character.

Once upon a time there was a man who was a member of the highest society this world over claimed, who nevertheless led to the arrest and murder of the head of his society for just thirty pieces of silver. He was a man of high repute yet capable of a crime equal almost to some crimes the public dance is responsible for.

Again read of a man who held the honor of the highest social position of this world yet so vile was he as to abuse his power in causing the murder of a faithful minister of the gospel and the brutal assassination was brought about through the agency of the dance.

When one begins to use social prestige to justify a questionable principle he shows a lack of intelligence regarding the subject himself or a lack of appreciation of the intelligence of others. This point of the argument was possibly taken in thought of its refuting strength, yet its weakness is conspicuous as that wonder may be expressed at its use.

One other obvious lack of sound logic which evidently the author did not see, but which we think must have caused a ripple to pass over the lips of all who read the article. It is to the point of the invitation to investigate the place where the exercises which the Vashon "Reverend" condemned are performed. Does the author of the article suppose that if the principle in question is evil of character that its fruit is limited to a place where that principle may be directly practiced?

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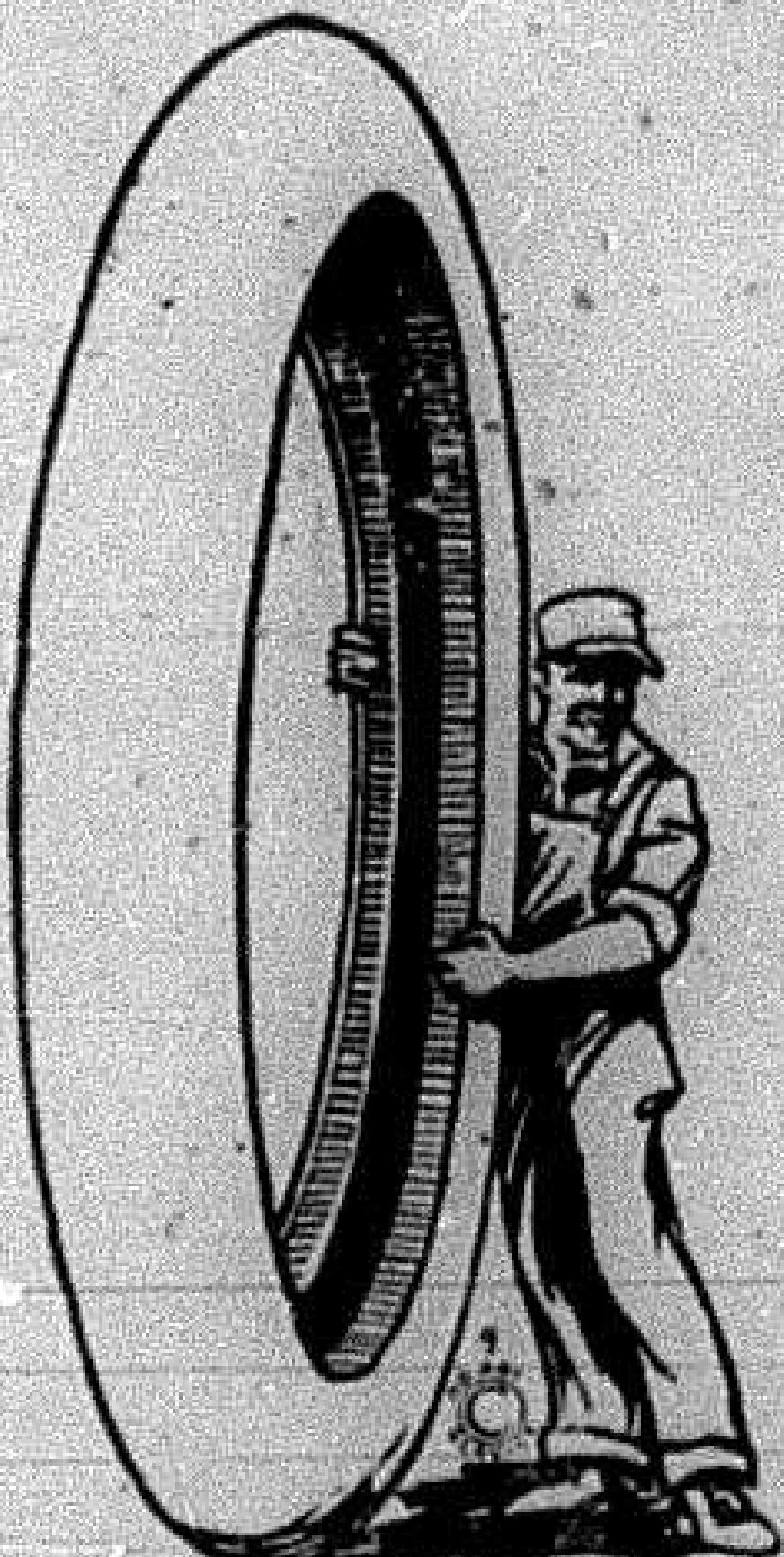
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## LISABEULA

After a siege of illness, Gus Hiersch and Walter Larsen are able to be out and around again.

The Art and Embroidery Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Peterson on Tuesday, March 18.

Mr. Jensen had the misfortune to have one of his horses badly cut on barbed wire recently. Rather hard on him, as he needs the horse during this busy season.

Mr. B. Hampton was out from Seattle last week. He says his father's health is much improved.

Mr. Earl Brown of Rochester is visiting his father for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frost are the proud parents of a young daughter. Mrs. Frost was formerly Miss Agnes McCutcheon.

Mr. Johnson, Mr. Jensen's brother-in-law, has been out visiting him for a few days. Mr. Jensen has sold his 6-acre hill property to Mr. Johnson of Seattle, who is clearing and improving it.

Mrs. Smith of Cherry Lane Ranch has bought over one hundred Leghorn hens and is building a new poultry house.

Mr. Adolph Hiersch lost a valuable cow last week.

Mr. Larsen's were happily surprised last Saturday evening when all of their neighbors organized a farewell party, and loaded down with baskets of good things to eat, took possession of the home. After a most enjoyable evening, all bade the Larsen family God-speed on their going away.

Mr. Thascher has made many improvements on the dock and around the store. First of all, he wrecked the old boat house, which has long been an eyesore; then he put in a few loads of gravel and filled the mudholes in front of the store. He has had the old orchard back of Mr. Goff's house pruned. By working together with Mr. Thascher, the people of Lisabeula will soon be able to see things changing and becoming up to date. As soon as the lumber arrives he intends to have the rafters in the warehouse lifted, a new roof put on and windows in both sides, thereby giving the young folks a real place to hold their meetings.

The members in the cast of the play, "The Good Fellow," to be given here, are: Alice Bullard, Fannie Brink, Minnie Hiersch, Signi Hammer, Gies Stedman, W. A. Hiersch, W. Hiersch, Fred Hiersch, Chas. Hiersch, Walter Larsen, H. Hammer and L. Hammer.

Mrs. A. Swanson has been suffering from the effects of a severe cold.

## SO. HEIGHTS

Mr. A. C. Holmes, we learn, has just bought a four-room house in Seattle. He does not like boarding while in town, so now he will have both a country and a city place.

In the school election of Dist. No. 54, held at the schoolhouse last Saturday, Mr. Ole Stoltenberg was elected to succeed Mr. Sheffield, whose term expires.

A hawk, which has been poaching successfully for a long time in this neighborhood, met his Waterloo last Sunday at the shot of Mr. King's shotgun.

The Krogh house was moved somewhat last week as a preliminary to the work of alteration and addition which is to begin at once.

Mr. Pugh's new poultry house is nearing completion. Brooder room ready for the chicks soon to arrive.

Mr. Ole Stoltenberg is erecting a water tower above his well and expects to install a tank and engine in time to insure an irrigated garden this summer.

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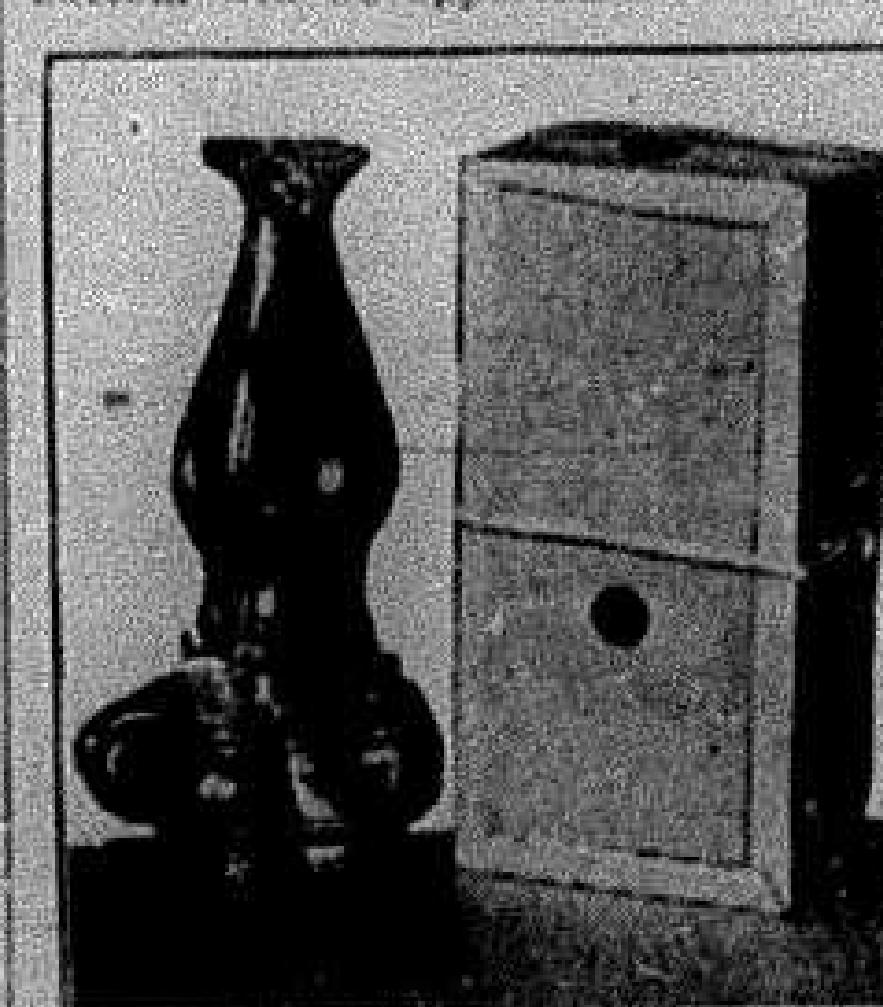
An egg, whether impregnated or not, has a small grayish spot on the surface of the yolk known as the germinal spot. As soon as a fertile egg is placed under a hen or in an incubator development begins. All eggs should be tested at least twice during the period of incubation, preferably on the seventh and fourteenth days, and the infertile eggs and dead germs removed.

White eggs can be tested on the fourth or fifth day, while the development in eggs having brown shells often can not be seen by the use of an ordinary egg tester until the seventh day.

Dead germs soon decay and give off a bad odor if allowed to remain under the hen. Infertile eggs make good feed for young chickens and are often used in the home for culinary purposes.

Most incubator companies furnish testing chimneys with their machines, which will fit ordinary lamps. Electric gas lamps may be used in a box with a hole slightly smaller than an egg cut in the side of the box and at the same level as the light. They may also be tested by sunlight or daylight, using a shutter or curtain with a small hole in it for the light to shine through.

A good homemade egg tester, or candier, can be made with a large shoe box, or any box that is large enough to go over a lamp, by removing the end and cutting a hole a little larger than the size of a quarter in the bottom of the box, so that when it is set over a kerosene lamp the hole in the bottom will be opposite the flame. A



An Egg Tester Made From a Shoe Box and a Common Lamp.

hole the size of a silver dollar should be cut in the top of the box to allow the heat to escape.

The eggs are tested with the large end up, so that the size of the air cell may be seen as well as the condition of the embryo. The testing should take place in a dark room. The infertile egg, when held before the small hole, with the lamp lighted inside the box, will look perfectly clear, the same as a fresh one, while a fertile egg will show a small dark spot, known as the embryo, with a mass of little blood veins extending in all directions, if the embryo is living; if dead, and the egg has been incubated for at least 48 hours, the blood settles away from the embryo toward the edges of the yolk, forming in some cases an irregular circle of blood, known as a blood ring. Eggs vary in this respect, some showing only a streak of blood. All infertile eggs should be removed at the first test. The eggs containing strong living embryos are dark and well filled up on the fourteenth day, and show a clear, sharp, distinct line of demarcation between the air cell and the growing embryo, while dead germs show only partial development and lack this clear, distinct outline.

### FLOORS IN POULTRY HOUSES

Must Be Kept Dry, as Dampness Is Fatal to Both Young and Old Fowls—Also Keep Clean.

Poultry houses may be built with or without floors. In either case they should be dry, as damp floors make damp litters, and dampness is fatal to both fowls and chicks. If the house is on dry, sandy soil, a dirt floor is usually quite satisfactory, but as a rule it is more damp than board or cement floors, according to the United States department of agriculture. Dirt floors should be scraped and new soil put in two or three times a year to keep them sanitary. If board floors are used they should be both tight and smooth so far as to make them dry and easy to clean. If possible they should be eight or ten inches from the ground to allow a circulation of air and to prevent rats from harboring under them.

### DUCKLINGS THRIVE ON MASH

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### POULTRY CULLING PAYS WELL

In One Demonstration in Iowa County 609 Hens Out of Flock of 1,548 Were Discarded.

In poultry culling demonstrations held on the farms of the farm bureau members in Emmet county, Iowa, records kept for eleven flocks showed that hens were culled out of a total of 1,518 in the flocks, according to the United States department of agriculture. The average number of eggs laid a day by the entire flocks before culling was 401.5, and the average number of eggs laid a day by the 609 hens left after culling was 340.0. The average number of eggs for ten hens a day before culling was 2.6; after culling, 3.5. The average number of eggs laid a day by 363 of the culled hens which were not immediately sold was 1.4.

### WASHING WILL INJURE EGGS

Gelatinous Film of Shell That Keeps Out Air and Germs Is Removed—Keep Nests Clean.

Eggs should not be washed as this removes the gelatinous film of the shell that keeps out air and germs. The nests should be kept clean so that the eggs will have no chance to become soiled, as removing dirt by washing will allow molds and germs to enter the egg and hasten its spoiling.—Extension Division, North Dakota Agricultural College.

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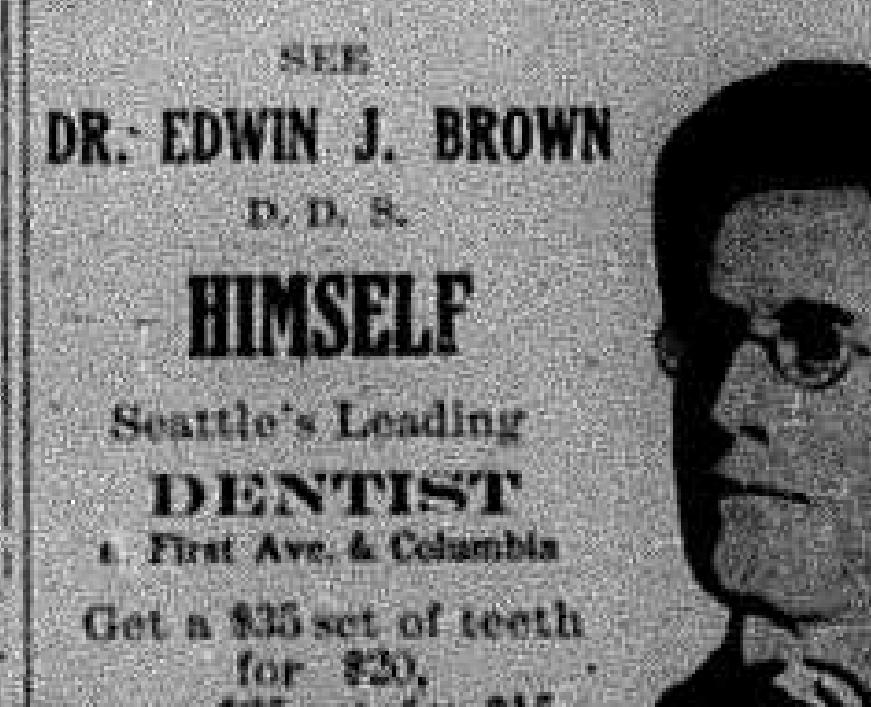
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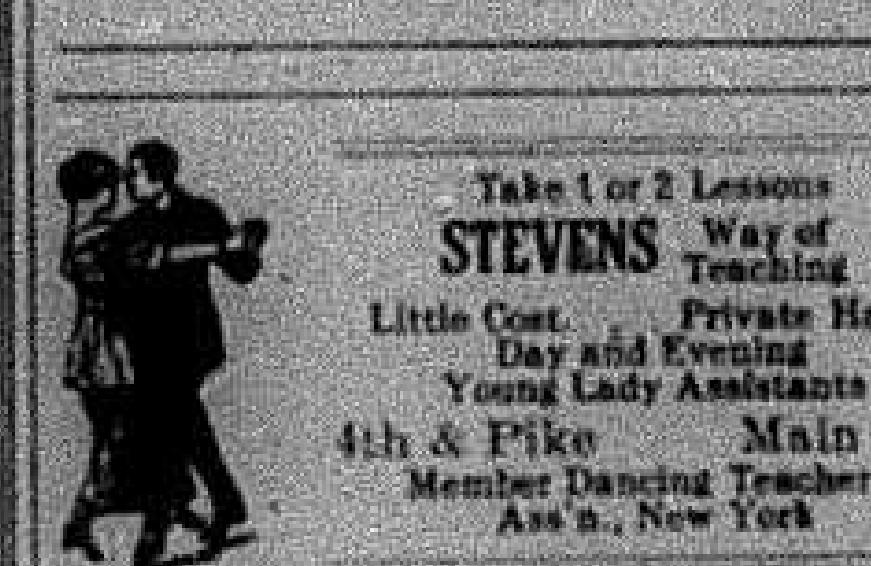
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## WASHINGTON STATE NEWS OF INTEREST

### Important Occurrences of Past Week Briefly Compiled for Our Readers.

The Tacoma municipal light department earned \$60,934 net in January.

Ten cows and two calves sold for an average of \$207 a head at an auction sale in Centralia.

A committee was instructed by the Twisp Development League to purchase a park site.

An organization of poultrymen was effected at a meeting held in the Finnish hall in Winlock.

Three hundred ex-service men are registered in Tacoma for the Knights of Columbus free evening school.

Lessened demand for seed wheat in the Inland Empire has caused the price to drop from \$3.50 to \$3 a bushel.

Spring and winter acreage this year will be smaller than last, according to Spokane millers and grain brokers.

An aviation company has been formed in Spokane, backed by three ex-army aviators and an expert mechanic.

Federal Prohibition Director Donald A. McDonald, announced that his headquarters would be moved from Seattle to Tacoma.

Tacoma building permits for the first two months of 1920 are more than 100 per cent greater than for the same period last year.

Trial electric operation of trains over the electrified portions of the Milwaukee road between Tacoma and Cle Elum began last week.

The construction of an addition to the Deaconess hospital at Wenatchee is assured by completion of the campaign to raise \$50,000.

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Pullman's two banks, the First National and State, have total deposits aggregating \$1,792,297.85, according to the reports just issued.

The Northport Smelting & Refining company has resumed work and has granted the employees an increase of wages of 50 cents a day.

Pullman local of the Farmers' union has ordered a carload of grain sacks for its members. The price paid is approximately 20 cents each.

The Starbuck Commercial club has requested the county commissioners to call an election to vote on a bond issue for permanent roads.

The Clarkston Chamber of Commerce will send Secretary William Huyette to the state secretaries' meeting at Bellingham, March 27.

The semiannual convention of the Washington Association of Commercial Organization Secretaries will be held in Bellingham, March 26 and 27.

The Walla Walla Farmers' union has passed a resolution asking the government to continue the guaranteed price of wheat for at least another year.

Farmers of Pullman and vicinity pledged over 400,000 bushels of next year's crop of wheat toward the co-operative marketing of wheat plan.

Purchase of the Kelso Water company system and issuance of \$40,000 in 6 per cent utility bonds were authorized at an election held in Kelso.

Demand for more building space both for business houses and residences in Ridgefield is causing several acres to be platted and offered for sale.

County Agent Burgess, of Kelso, who resigned March 1, and Mrs. Burgess left Kelso for Palouse, Wash., where Mr. Burgess will engage in wheat farming.

Ezra G. Meeker, blazer of the old Oregon trail, is, at the age of 80 years, preparing a book for publication entitled "Washington's Seven Years' Progress."

Nearly 200 berry growers and would-be berry growers attended an all-day conference on production and marketing in the Seattle Y. M. C. A. auditorium.

The legislature of the state of Washington will convene in special session on March 22, and Governor Hart has placed no limit on the business to be transacted.

At a meeting of 30 wheat growers in the Horse Heaven district, at Mabton, steps were taken to form a local branch of the Washington Wheat Growers' association.

Plans for the erection of a \$400,000 Scandinavian hospital in Spokane were discussed at a banquet at which 150 of Scandinavian descent gathered at the Y. W. C. A.

Rev. Ambrose M. Bailey, pastor of the First Baptist church at St. Paul, has accepted a call to the First Baptist church of Seattle. He will begin his work there April 4.

Western Washington lumber mills are operating on what approximated a capacity basis, said a statement issued by the West Coast Lumbermen's association.

Because of the prevalence of bumps, measles and influenza, the South Bend city council closed the schools and prohibited all public gatherings for a period of two weeks.

A decrease of nearly \$10,000,000 during the last two months was recorded by Spokane bank deposits. Deposits February 28 totaled \$2,642,300 compared with \$2,437,722 December 31.

At a meeting held by the recently organized women's auxiliary of the Centralia post, American Legion, an application for a charter was signed by 21 women eligible to membership.

Three Spokane husbands were arrested under the state "lasy husband" law, following declaration of war on husbands who fail to support their wives, issued by Superior Judge Hueneke in divorce court.

The Washington State college debate team won the contest between the State college and the University of Montana. Clyde Cook of Asotin and Edgar Funk of Sunnyside composed the state college team.

The executive committee of the North Pacific Union Conference of Adventists at Walla Walla went on record in favor of an increased investment of \$350,000 in the union conference territory for educational purposes.

In order that Sprague may keep fully informed on the road situation and work for roads that will benefit the town a standing committee on good roads was appointed at the regular meeting of the Commercial club.

By a practically unanimous vote the Spokane carpenters' union reaffirmed the \$8 wage scale adopted last fall, to take effect April 1. The present scale of the carpenters is \$7 a day. Nearly 300 carpenters attended the meeting.

Owners of fruit trees in Wenatchee will be compelled to spray the same for scale and codling moths this year and in case of their failure to do so the district horticulturist will have the work done and charge it up against the growers.

Reports that two Seattle men, W. A. Bagnall and E. S. Logsdon, both interested in purchasing timber lands, disappeared recently, caused Seattle police to investigate a theory that a murder gang is operating there under the guise of a timber land syndicate.

Frances Huntington of Kelso was elected president of the Women's league at the Pullman state college. Other officers are as follows: Vice president, Margaret Gormale of Spokane; secretary, Gladys Beck of Walla Walla; treasurer, Esther Wintler of Tacoma.

In answer to the bank call under date of February 28 the two Odessa banks have responded with the best statements ever issued. Combined deposits are \$1,126,247, as against \$1,044,827 shown at the last call. This is the largest amount in deposits ever shown.

Readjustment of the state levy to care for added appropriations for the state college, state university and normal schools can be effected without increasing taxes, according to an opinion expressed by Governor Louis F. Hart while in Spokane after returning from a two-day inspection trip over state roads in Stevens county.

Vandals at the funeral services in Walla Walla for the 11 Chinese who lost their lives in a fire, rifled the effects of the fire victims which had been taken to the cemetery in advance of the bodies, and which were to have been burned after the ceremonies. Many of the effects were missing, having been taken by souvenir hunters.

The associated students of the state college at Pullman voted to accept the wearing of corduroy trousers as upper class distinction for men. Not to be outdone by the men in the adoption of measures to cut down the high cost of living Dora Lewis, president of the women's league, urged the discontinuance of the sending of flowers to the women for formal dances.

After one of the hardest fought discussions ever heard before the Industrial welfare board the delegates to the housekeeping conference held in Olympia recommended unanimously that the waitresses, chambermaids, elevator girls and other like help in hotels and restaurants of the state be paid not less than \$18 a week of six days for their services. The former minimum wage was \$13.20 for a seven-day week, but most employers had been paying more than the minimum. There is little doubt the commission will accept the report.

The public service commission was without jurisdiction to issue orders approving and making effective telephone rates established by the postmaster-general during the period the systems were under control of the federal government under authority of war emergency legislation, the state supreme court holds in deciding the case brought by the cities of Seattle and Tacoma to annul orders issued by the commission in February, 1919, making effective the Burleson rates as provided in the tariff filed by the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company.

Confronted by an alarming decline in the timber resources of western Washington resulting from haphazard logging methods, government forestry officials in Seattle announced a new policy which will be followed in the cutting of timber on national forest areas. This policy provides for a gradual cut in big timber areas in order to permit the growth of young trees while logging operations are being conducted.

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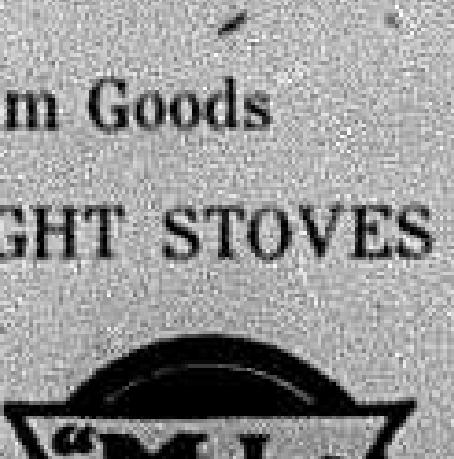
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A feminine by name Virginia

IY gave Cove dock a solar-plexus blow the other night, sending nearly the whole front askew. However, we should worry. It was time long since that the dock needed new piling and replanking, so perhaps it will now be did.

What is profiteering, anyway? We are all profiteers, inasmuch as we profit all we can by our labor, or, perchance, someone's else labor. In all cases it means getting all possible over cost. And so we come to that much-debated subject, the high cost of living. My opinion is that it will go higher, and will not be permanently remedied until the nation as a whole goes into business for itself to supply the national needs at ultimate cost; or, possibly, communities will go in for co-operative buying to ease things a little. But even that will only be a half measure, for while it might eliminate the retailer's profit to some extent, it does not touch the big manufacturer, so that the only real remedy is for our Uncle Sam, all of us collectively, to go into business for ourselves.

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Even this announcement by the committee of the whole did not pass unchallenged, republicans and democrats disagreeing as sharply as they had during debate on the investigating committee reports. The disposition made, however, was true to the program of republican leaders. Their spokesmen declared the only purpose was to make known the facts of the wartime aviation "failure."

Democratic speakers pictured American aviation efforts a "success" that gave the allies predominance in the air. Such "mistakes" as were admitted by these speakers were said to be only what were to be expected in so novel and gigantic an enterprise.

### NAVAL PROGRAM TO SENATE

Building Plans Hang on Action on Peace Treaty.

Washington, D. C.—Three provisions in naval building programs, dependent on senate action on the peace treaty, were laid before the house naval committee by Secretary Daniels.

If the United States ratified the treaty and became a member of the league of nations, Mr. Daniels said he would recommend new construction only to "round out" the fleet now built or building; if the senate rejected the treaty and the United States definitely decided not to join the league of nations, he said he would urge duplication of the three-year program of 1916, with some modification, with a view to making the fleet "incomparably" the greatest in the world.

In case the senate took no final action on the treaty the secretary said he would present a 69-ship program for construction as rapidly as possible in order that the United States might not lose ground in competitive naval building.

### JAPAN WILL WITHDRAW

Siberia Move to Follow Repatriation of Czechoslovakia.

Tokio.—The cabinet has approved the withdrawal of the Japanese troops from Siberia in April, after the repatriation of the Czechoslovak contingents is completed. It is expected the Czechs will all be on their way home by March 20.

The peace offer of the Russian soviet government to Japan is reported to include as one of its terms a stipulation to forego bolsheviki propaganda in the Japanese empire. The terms are also said to promise recognition of Japan's special position in the far east.

### HOOVER AND McADOO PUT STOP TO BOOM

San Francisco—Selection of an unpledged group of candidates for the state's national convention delegation and the reading of the telegraphed announcements of Herbert C. Hoover, William G. McAdoo and United States Senator James D. Phelan that they did not wish any convention delegation candidates pledged to them, featured the special meeting of the democratic state central committee here.

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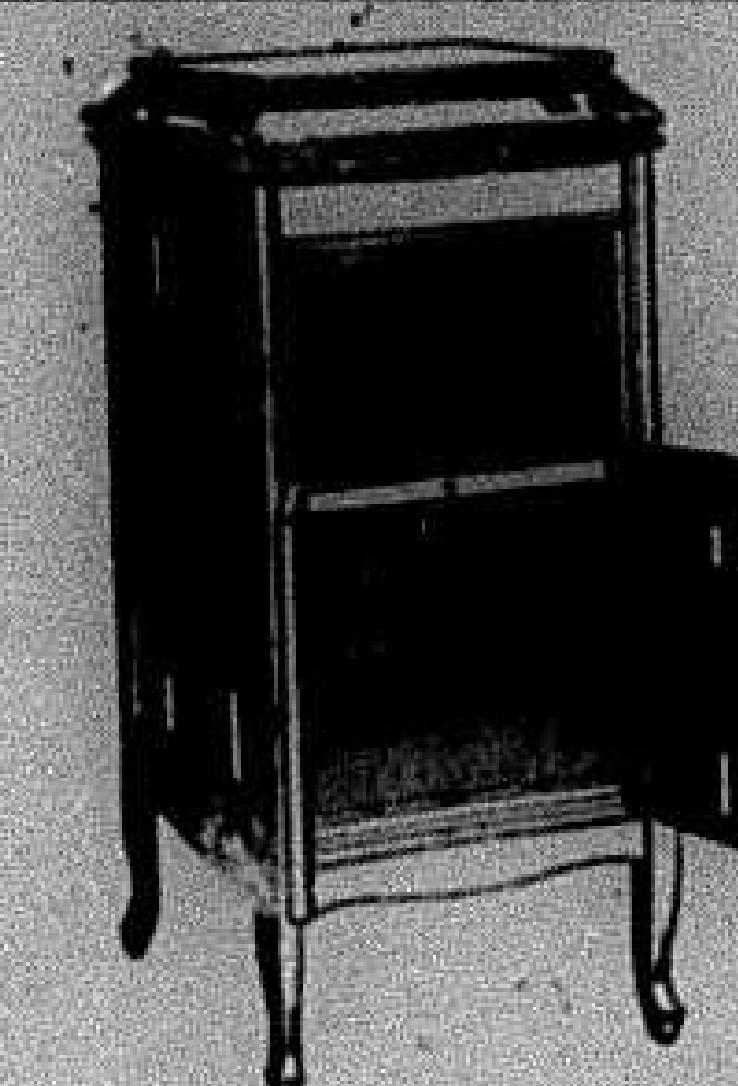
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Maplewood 7:00 Cedarhurst 8:15

Cross's Ldg. 7:05 Vashon Pk. 8:10

Liseau Beach 7:15 Billoxi 8:25

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Leave Seattle Daily 3:30 P. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Leave Seattle 9:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m.

Lv. a.m. Lv. a.m.

Liseau Beach 1:45 Pragaria 4:35

Cross's Ldg. 2:45 Colvias 4:45

Maplewood 4:45 Cedarhurst 5:50

Cove 4:25 Vashon Pk. 5:55

Billoxi 5:00

Leave Seattle Saturday evenings at 6:30 p. m. Returning leave Tacoma at 1:00 p. m.

Sunday Schedule

Leave Quartermaster 7:10 a. m. and 3:10 p. m.

Portage—Des Moines Ferry

Leave Portage Leave Des Moines

7:20 a. m. 8:30 a. m.

10:00 a. m. 11:30 a. m.

2:00 p. m. 3:30 p. m.

4:00 p. m. 5:30 p. m.

Seattle—Eastern Washington timothy, \$38@35 per ton; alfalfa, \$35.

Butter Fat—\$36@35c.

Eggs—Ranch, \$36@40c.

Poultry—Hens, dressed, \$0.05@45c.

Hogs—Prime, \$15.75@16.50; medium mixed, \$15@15.50; pigs, \$12@13.

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## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Presbyterian

Sunday school 10:00; preaching 11:00; Christian Endeavor 6:30. The theme of the sermon will be "The Eternal Exchange."

The young people of the community are asked to keep in mind the study entertainment class meeting at the home of Miss Frances Bleekkink next Monday evening. Also to remember that the time of beginning is 7:30. If any cannot attend, quite at that time come at the time of convenience.

R. G. Williams,  
Minister.

## Center Services

The regular Sunday evening services will begin next Sunday at 8:00. We hope to see all back.

R. G. Williams in charge.

## Methodist

Sunday school at 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m. Subject of sermon, "Sorrowful, Yet Glad."

Epworth League 6:30 p.m. Evening service 7:30 p.m.

At this writing the Inter-Church Convention in Seattle is in full swing. Ministers from all parts of the state are in line. This movement simply means a coming together so that we may understand each other better, and is not unitation in the sense of a single church. The issue discussed Tuesday at the convention was:

The church is far short in rendering a practical service at present. Every time we can accommodate one person in a Protestant hospital the Roman Catholic church has room for two. Fifty per cent of this country's population, according to statistics, at some time needs the aid of a surgeon and the comforts of a hospital. The call has come that we do better by putting less class on our church temples, and put what may be termed surplus expenditures into institutions of direct practical mercy and help.

E. H. Gebert,  
Minister.

The ferry "West Seattle" was placed on the Vashon Heights run Wednesday.

J. B. Dahlager is having considerable plowing done on his land. Says he is going to help bring down the cost of spuds this year.

In another column will be found the financial statement of the Vashon State Bank, which is indicative of steady and substantial growth and careful and conservative management.

According to the Advertiser-Journal, Kent has the nucleus for a 30 piece band, and plans for twice a week concerts are underway.

The main trouble with most of us is we are willing to have prices come down, but we don't want wages to tumble with them.

Most everything wears out in time, and you don't hear as many jokes about near-beer now as you once did.

Anyhow, it looks to us that no matter what they do with the ex-Kaiser, he isn't going to get much more fun out of life.

INCOME TAX  
IN NUTSHELL

**WHO**—Single persons who had net income of \$1,000 or more for the year 1919.

Married couples who had net income of \$2,000 or more.

**WHEN**—March 15, 1920, is final date for filing returns and making first payments.

**WHERE**—Collector of Internal Revenue for District in which the person resides.

**HOW**—Full directions on Form 1040A and Form 1040; also the law and regulations.

**WHAT**—Four per cent normal tax on taxable income up to \$4,000 in excess of exemption. Eight per cent normal tax on balance of taxable income. Surtax from one per cent to sixty-five per cent on net incomes over \$5,000.

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March 17th.

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For Rent—My place at Center, including house, furnished or unfurnished, for 1 year. Call or phone Mrs. C. A. Morrill, Red 752. 21.

For Sale—3500 feet of 6-inch dry ceiling. D. Gammell, Vashon.

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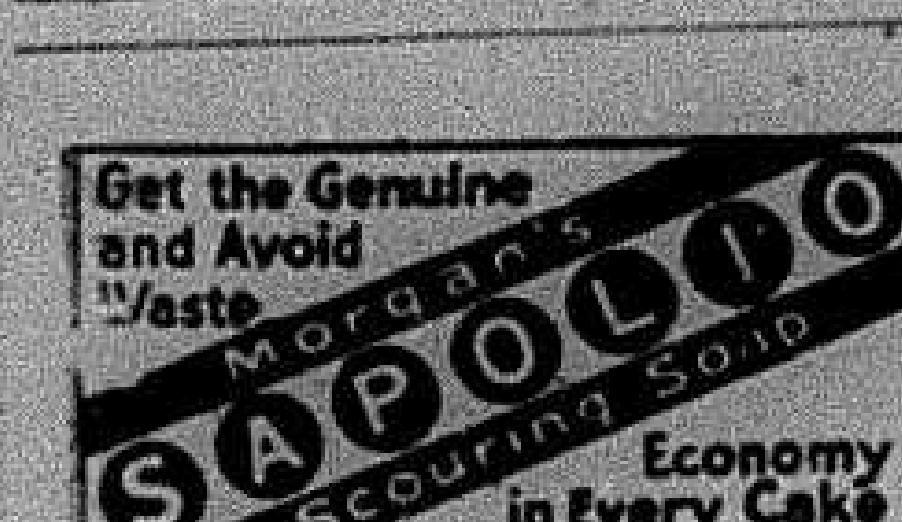
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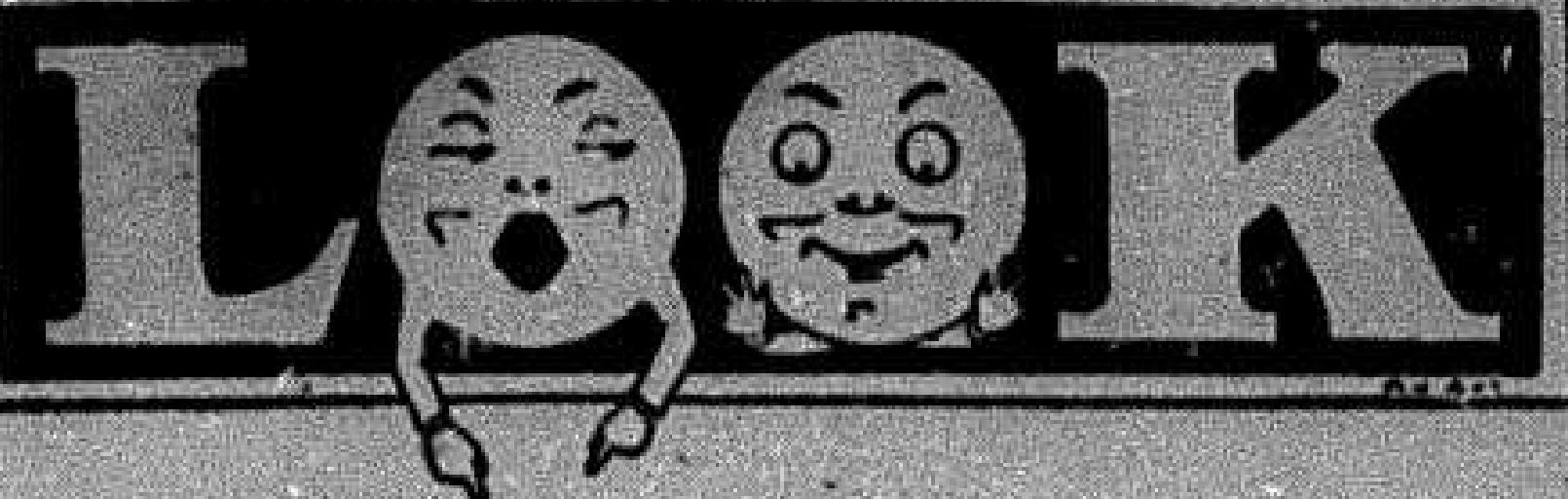
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## VASHON

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Mrs. E. H. Parker returned last Monday from Tacoma, where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo. W. Tweeddale.

Neal Waldron has been ill from an attack of the flu.

Floyd Mace made a trip to Seattle during the week.

Harold Dunbleton is visiting relatives in Victoria.

St. Patrick basket social at the Log church, March 17th.

W. J. Gordon made a trip to Seattle the first of the week.

A. B. Newell of Seattle was a visitor on the Island Wednesday.

Miss Lois Priest of Seattle was a week end guest of Miss Frances Bleekkink.

Among the shoppers to Seattle on Monday were Mesdames Gauly and DuBois.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Garvin and youngest child have been on the sick list for several days.

Miss Myrtle Van Olinda is now convalescing after a severe illness following an attack of the flu.

Mr. J. B. Mitchell of Seattle spent the week end at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. J. Kerl.

Messrs. Geo. Covey and Henry Kuentz of Seattle paid a visit to their relatives on the Island last Sunday.

Miss Loia Magowan of the U. of W. and a student friend were week end guests at the parental W. J. Magowan home.

Mrs. K. L. Chappelle visited in Tacoma last week at the home of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Peter McDuff.

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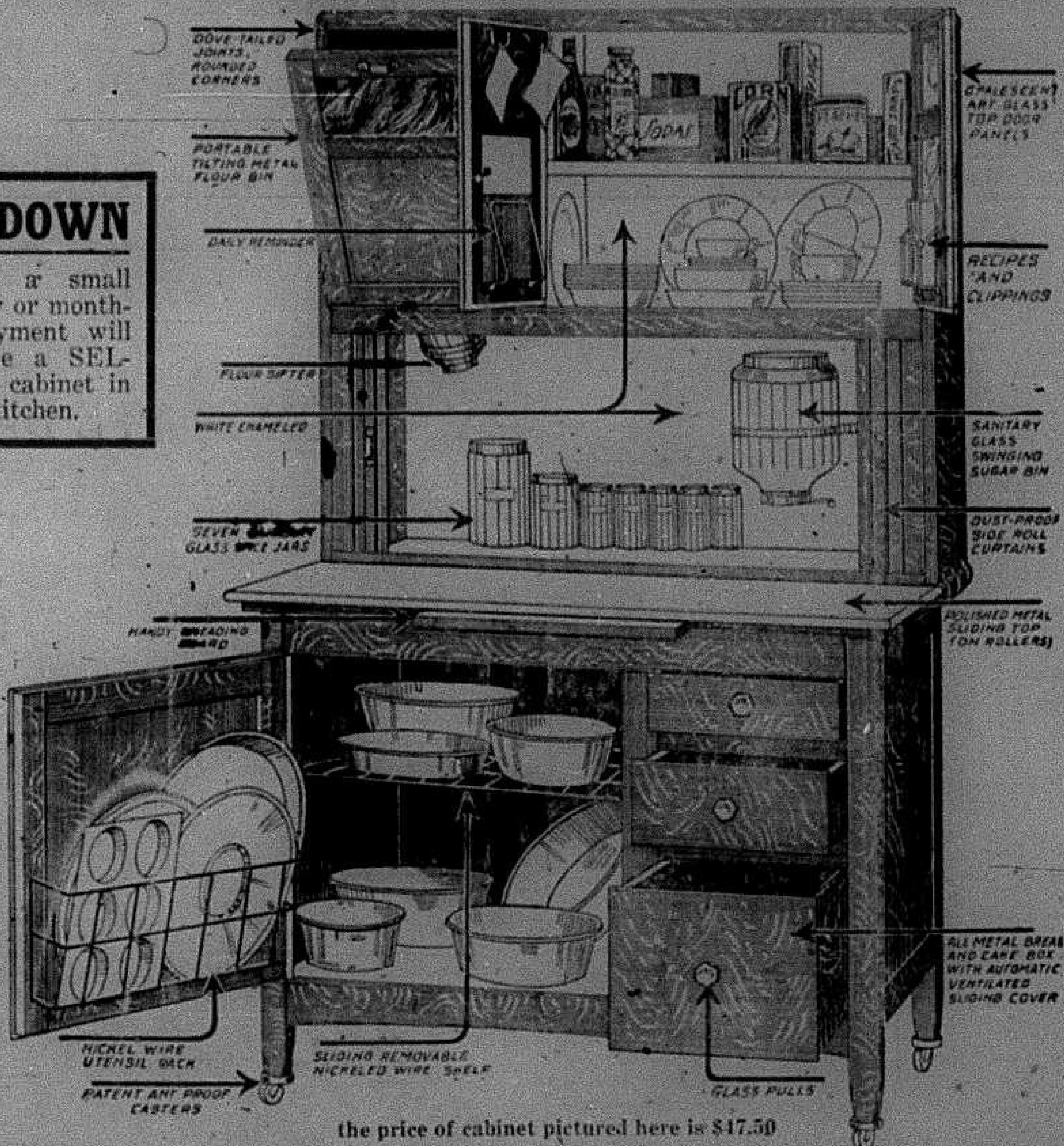
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### New Hospital for the Islands

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I am sure we need a hospital more than anything else, so our dear ones when sick can have the care and service of a good trained nurse and an able physician, also at our door.

I feel as though I am wasting valuable time and my ability in not using it to help my neighbors having been a trained nurse for seventeen years.

Please, everyone interested, let me hear from you on the subject.

I am sure all the ladies will donate

one dollar, or as much as they feel inclined, toward a hospital fund.

It will enable us to go ahead with the good work and establish a very nice homelike place and provide all the comforts necessary to care for the sick.

I am very sure everyone can see what a fine thing it will be for us all. It will help to make Vashon and Maury Islands a much more desirable place, and we will feel secure in case of accident or severe illness, as none are ever prepared for sickness, never think on the disagreeable subject until it is upon us.

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It would seem that the best location for a hospital would be near Center directly on the Vashon highway, where it will be convenient for everyone, and also being near my home will be in my favor.

I am assuming quite a responsibility in taking such a big proposition on my hands, but I am sure it will be a success.

I am going to canvas the islands and will try to see everyone and get acquainted with the people.

Will send out a report every week through our local paper to let the people know what is being done.

Anyone wanting information on the subject will please communicate with me as per address below.

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Mrs. McGee,  
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### The Opportune Time Now

I want to call the attention of a few of our men who had that wonderful vision in 1910 or 1911, and who are very much alive at this writing, who put in their time, energy and money, namely, in the electric line from north to south over the Island. We have the preliminary survey paid for. I have a very small interest in it.

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G. W. Blekkink.

### Vashon Island Cemetery

E. H. Gebert

I think the Island cemetery needs no description, for most of our citizens have been there and well remember the condition of that Silent City of the Dead.

Last night I was watching the fire at Burton, and one of Burton's citizens said to me, "We have just forty feet of community spirit here." "How is that?" was my query. He replied, "See that water hose of forty feet?" "Yes." Well, that tells its own story."

At nearly every Island funeral one will find friends from mainland districts, and often I have wondered what they think of our community spirit when they see our cemetery.

The dead are little concerned about external appearances, but it is an eyesore to us, the living.

No one party or faction is to blame for this condition. It simply means that all of us have neglected.

If you are interested and wish to contribute toward bringing about a betterment of conditions, confer with Mr. W. D. Garvin, who has some unique ideas on this issue.

I am not voicing my own ideas when I say it is high time to improve our cemetery, but the requests have come to me from individuals who have loved ones resting on yonder earthen hill.

### The Dance

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ive. The principle in question is a contagion. To get the proof of this one must not make merely an investigation of where the principle is directly propagated, but let the midnight stars give forth their testimony; let the adjacent taverns, the millions of brothels, the universally low virtues, the broken and bleeding hearts of parents and the broken home ties and marital covenants add their testimonies. Aye, let the church speak of the matter. In no church organization can there be found one member, who is a participant in this principle, capable of fulfilling the spiritual obligations of that church membership. Some are religious and along some lines more

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or less effective, but they are void of vital soul-saving piety. Nor is this an intentional matter. Many of those people are good at heart and have aspirations and motives of high character. But there is that in this principle that is positively destructive of spiritual life.

They may retain their moral virtue through the influence the personal relation to the church may effect against the power of the contagion, but the religious nature can be at best but spiritually apathetic and listless.

But there is another testimony. This is the latest and startling. This testimony comes from the lips of the world's social leader—Paris. Paris is offering a protest against certain forms of American dances. A thing that can bring blush to the artificial cheek of a city that is the recognized social pace-setter of the world can claim no virtue in America, though some good American may unconsciously commend its practice. But such condemnable forms are not tolerated it may be claimed. But since the principle involved is institutional no form of the principle can be fostered without involving a responsibility for the whole principle.

The thing to do is to drain the land of the swamp and change the nature of the environment that the contagion may cease, and in its stead may come forth graces to help and beautify society.

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