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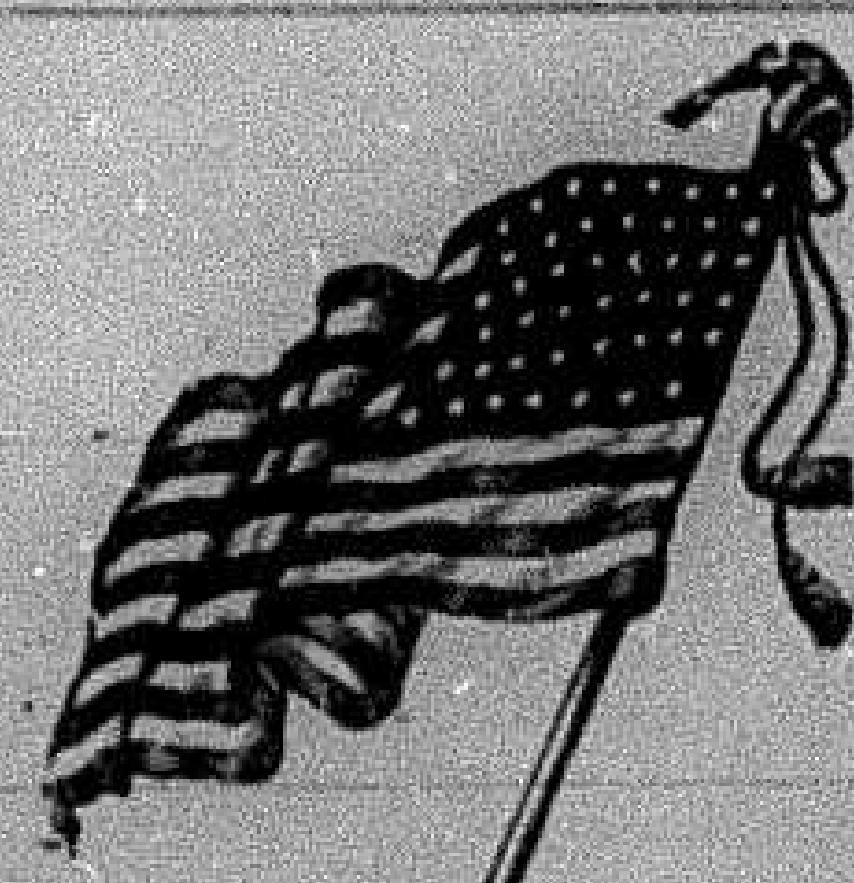
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The man who talks about improving his home community but doesn't jump in and help do it is of no more account to the wheels of progress than the squeak is to an axle.

We believe that the decision of the County Commissioners, given out at the session on Tuesday, to pave Vashon Highway from Vashon Heights ferry landing to Center, meets the hearty approval of a majority of the residents of the Islands.

We see where Dr. Gray, president of the National Good Roads League, makes an interesting prediction, and one which will be of interest to the Island residents who are looking forward to better highways. The doctor says, and he seems to know what he is talking about, that the man who once held out for a 12-foot road is now crying the loudest for an 18-foot



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Now that the whole nation has gone dry, we hope the thermometer will take a pledge not to take another drop this season.

It hasn't been so very long since cheap excursions were run all over the country, and they had the right of way over freight. As between a freight train and an excursion train, it certainly seems that common sense would rule in favor of the former. Today railroad men are realizing this and excursions, while growing fewer, will give way to freight trains, that the necessities of life may be handled more rapidly and, as a result, more cheaply.

We've noticed that the fellow who is too busy to reflect on being nervous and sickly is seldom heard mentioning his ailments.

Fifty dollars for a bushel of potatoes is what Miss Esther Truoninen, a potato club girl of Woodland, this state, received recently. The Potato Growers' Association of Clarke county offered a prize of fifty dollars for the best bushel of certified potatoes raised in the county. The contest was judged by Mr. Larson of the Portland Seed Co., who pronounced the potatoes raised by Miss Truoninen the best he had seen this year.

As a rule a planted potato is worth more than a half interest in a gold mine.

Jim Hill, who knew a thing or two, once said: "If you wish to know whether you will be a success or a failure in life, there is a simple, infallible test. Can you save money? If you can, you win. If not, you fail." All the down-and-outers know Hill was right.

What keeps a few Island residents so far behind is they spend too much of their time trying to "get even" with somebody.

There are two ways to learn economic law. One way is to spend and the other is to save. If you spend you will find the law against you, but if you save you will find it in your favor.

It begins to look as though it's going to be late in the summer before anyone finds out "for sure" whether Herbert Hoover is a Republican or a Democrat. Now the news comes that Herbert has lined up as an honest-to-goodness Republican.

A college professor of Columbus, Ohio, is credited with making the statement that he is sure the farmers of this country are progressing at a faster rate than ever before. He said he based this statement on the fact that today spite a few of the farmers who write to inquire about the college do so on their own letterheads, and the letters are mailed in printed envelopes that will insure the letter being returned to the writer in case it is undelivered. And this is something for farmers on the Island to think about. If a printed letterhead bearing the name of your farm and perhaps the products of which you make a specialty enumerated upon it makes an impression upon a college professor, is it not reasonable to say that it would put you and your business in a favorable light with the men to whom you want to sell something?

Farming is a business and a big business. Every farmer writes letters, and the printed letterhead stamps him as a progressive business man. If printed stationery did not pay millions of business men would have quit using it long ago. The News-Record office is equipped to handle in a satisfactory manner YOUR printing orders.

The Auburn Globe-Republican has entered upon its thirty-second year and enjoys the distinction of being the oldest newspaper in King county outside of Seattle. The G.R. has earned the title "The Old Reliable," and the community which it serves are justly proud of their newspaper and give it loyal support.

Canadian dries are moving to secure prohibition of inter-provincial timber shipments. Referendums will be invoked to accomplish this end. They hope for bone-dry prohibition within the next few months.

Somewhat or other the things that really count in life seem to be unspectacular. For instance, thrift and the government's thrift movement represented in the sales of Thrift and War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates.



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## VASHON HEIGHTS

Mr. and Mrs. Putnam entertained with a house party over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Woodland were Sunday visitors at the North End.

Messrs. Charles and Susan Randolph entertained friends over Sunday.

Mrs. Niess and little daughter Margaret have been spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. Glenn Morgan and daughter Miss Margaret have been visiting in the city this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. K. Coryell entertained Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Bonnell at dinner on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Cook have been ill for several weeks, but are much improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Baenger have as their guests for a few weeks Mrs. Sprague and son of South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. K. Coryell, Jr., and family, of Seattle, were guests of Mr. Coryell's parents on Sunday.

Vernon Ramsey and T. Scott are busy planting seven acres of strawberries on the C. B. Taylor tract at the Heights.

Elmer Harmeling has finished planting three acres of strawberries adjacent to his seven-acre tract of strawberries.

Miss Dorothy Cowen, who is attending school in Seattle, is spending the Easter vacation with her parents at the Heights.

A movement is on foot looking to a community building and tennis grounds for our rapidly increasing population. Both are needed badly.

Mr. and Mrs. Bragg had as their house guest on Wednesday, Mr. Bragg's sister, Mrs. Dobbs of Seattle.

Mrs. A. Byers and daughter Dorothy of Seattle are spending Easter week at their cottage near Cowley's Landing.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Theime and family are at their cottage this week, making preparations for their permanent stay for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ramsey have as visitors Mr. and Mrs. T. Scott and family of Butte, Mont. Mrs. Scott is a sister of Mrs. Ramsey.

We hear that Mrs. Pemberthy and Miss Clara will soon move into their cottage. Their many friends will be glad to see them back at the Heights.

Norma Jean Leslie had a birthday party the other day, and the little folks who attended say it was a great success and a very pretty affair.

Miss Mary Corbin, who is attending school at Bellingham, has been very ill with scarlet fever. The latest information says she is better and hopes to be well soon.

Fire was discovered in the roof of the residence of Mr. George Theime on Tuesday morning about 4:00 o'clock. With the aid of the neighbors and a bucket brigade it was soon subdued with very little damage—but it was a narrow escape for the family.

Mrs. Baenen and son were over to their cottage on Sunday. We are sorry to hear that they do not expect to be at the Heights this summer. They have bought a new home in the city.

The Rose Club met at Mrs. G. K. Coryell's residence on Wednesday, March 25th. The attendance was not as good as usual on account of rain. Mrs. Glenn Morgan read a paper on "Rose Culture." The afternoon was spent in sewing and discussing plans for the Rose Show to be held in June.

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by Dixie Wolcott

There's the bonny Scotsman's bonnet  
That he wears with greatest pride,  
With a jaunty silver thistle  
Pastored gall at the side.  
There's the little pink sunbonnet  
Which the country lassie wears;  
And the bonnet's trifled creation  
That "My Lady" dons upstairs.

And stored within our attic,  
In a rosewood chest of yore,  
Is the fetching wedding bonnet  
That my great-grandmother wears,  
There's a wreath of posies on it,  
And a tiny spray within—  
And some cherry-colored ribbons  
That were tied beneath her chin.  
  
But the hat most chic and charming  
That has ever come my way  
Is that one that Dorothy  
Wore to church on Easter day.  
I can't tell the shape or color,  
I could never guess its worth,  
But beneath it glowed the beauty  
Of the sweetest face on earth!  
  
—Detroit Free Press.

## HAILED GODDESS OF SPRING

Heather Saxons Had Their Festival When They Worshiped Eostre, Before Dawn of Christianity.

In ancient times the Saxons were worshippers of the heathen goddess Eostre whose festival fell in the spring. The feast of the Resurrection falling in the spring also, the flame was transformed to the Christian feast which, in the Saxon church, was regarded as the queen of festivals. It was termed the Day of Light, and from midnight of Easter eve until daylight the churches were brilliantly illuminated and decorated. On Easter morning the people flocked to the elaborate service, and especially to witness the symbolic resurrection from the sepulcher. This was represented by the priest's elevating in full view of the people the supposed body of the risen Christ.

In connection with the celebration in the churches the people indulged in feasting and rejoicing in their own homes. This was but a natural reaction from the rigorous fast of Lent imposed by the church, during which

## HOLY WEEK IN JERUSALEM

Particularly impressive are the Easter Services in the Church of the Holy Sepulcher.

An interesting account of Holy Week in Jerusalem was written some years ago by Robert Hichens, author of "The Golden of Allah," for the Century Magazine. He describes the ceremonies in the Church of the Holy Sepulcher.

"My first impression in the church," he says, "was that I had suddenly come into a barbaric castle of magic, connected with innumerable caves of Aladdin. About me were caves lined with silver and gold and immense jewels unknown to me; caves across which tremendous spiders had spun webs of silver and gold. Stars gleamed in them; footsteps echoed; voices murmured; every light twinkled. Marvelous fabrics shone softly among great pictures, carved wood, marble, bronzes and gilded ironwork."

And in the courtyard—a roar of voices went up. The pavement echoed with the ceaseless tramping of feet and the grunting of muskets. The walls flung back exclamations and cries, the whining and shrieking of beggars, the loud calling of sellers determined to compel attention to their wares, the vehement discussions of those that bought, and—I had almost said the silence of the Russian

Trinity bells with their hollow jungs And their vibrant lips and their brass-toned tongues.  
Over the roofs of the city pour Their Easter music with joyous roar,  
Till the soaring notes to the Sun are rolled As he swings along in his path of gold.

"Dearest papa," says my boy to me,  
As he merrily climbs on his mother's knee,  
"Why are these eggs that you see me hold  
Colored so finely with blue and gold?  
And what is the wonderful bird that lays  
Such beautiful eggs upon Easter days?"

Tenderly shine the April skies,  
Like laughter and tears in my child's blue eyes,  
And every face in the street is gay.—  
Why cloud this youngster's saying nay?  
So I used my brains for the tale he begs,  
And tell him this story of Easter eggs:

You have heard, my boy, of the Man who died,  
Crowned with keen thorns and crucified,  
And how Joseph the wealthy—whom God rewards!—

Cared for the corpse of his martyred Lord,  
And piously tombed it within the rock,  
And closed the gate with a mighty block.

Now, close by the tomb a fair tree grew,  
With pendulous leaves and blossoms of blue:  
And deep in the green tree's shadowy breast  
A beautiful singing bird sat on her nest,  
Which was bordered with mosses like malachite,  
And held four eggs of an ivory white.

Now, when the bird from her dim recess  
Beheld the Lord in His burial dress,  
And looked on the heavenly face so pale,  
And the dear hands pierced with the cruel nail,  
Her heart nigh broke with a sudden pang,  
And out of the depth of her sorrow she sang:

All night long till the moon was up  
She sat and sang in her moss-wreathed cup,  
A song of sorrow as wild and shrill  
As the homeless wind when it roams the hill,  
So full of tears, so loud and long,  
That the grief of the world seemed turned to song.

But soon there came through the weeping night  
A glittering Angel clothed in white;  
And he rolled the stone from the tomb away.

Where the Lord of the earth and the heavens lay,  
And Christ arose in the cavern's gloom,  
And in living luster came from the tomb.

Now, the bird that sat in the heart of the tree  
Beheld this celestial mystery,  
And its heart was filled with a sweet delight,  
And it poured a song on the throbbing wing.—

Notes climbing notes, till higher, higher,  
They shot to Heaven like spears of fire!

When the glittering, white-robed Angel heard

The sorrowing song of the grieving bird,  
And, after the jubilant psalm of birth  
That hailed Christ risen again on earth,  
He said: "Sweet bird, be forever blest,  
Thyself, thy eggs, and thy moss-wreathed nest!"

And ever, my child, since that blessed night,  
When Death bowed down to the Lord of Light,  
The eggs of that sweet bird change their hue,

And turn with red and gold and blue,  
Decorating mankind to their simple way  
Of the holy marvel of Easter Day.

—Prix-James O'Brien.

## Easter Day.

It is a beautiful conception, the day and its significance. Our finite minds are accustomed to conceive of death as the end; we are often prone to step there and not go beyond the resurrection. The physical world is emblematic of the change that must ever take place before the springing up of new life. So with the life of the spirit. He that loseth his life shall find it. Something of this thought is in the mind of him who is to find the real meaning of Easter. It is the beginning of a new year, not in the formal calendar of days and months, but of the world of nature which is often all the world of reality to us. The season speaks of abundance of life with all its wonderful hopes and possibilities. To the Christian world Easter is the apostrophe of everything that is beautiful and awe-inspiring. It means the emergence of the spiritual, the message to humanity that the good and true and beautiful can never die. It is the inspiration of the poet, the essence of hope to the man of faith.

The custom of using eggs is supposed to have originated with the ancient Greeks and Romans, who colored them to use in their pagan festival. Marvelous stories may be found of bewitched eggs, said to be able to fly straight toward the sun, and one famous variety was said to have been laid by a rabbit. The story of the origin of the Easter egg seems to be a mixture of the Christian and Pagan legends, and is as follows:

There fell from the heavens, long ago, an egg of immense size; it rested on the Euphrates, when a dove descended and hatched it, and out of it arose a splendid beauty of Venus.

## Song of Easter.

Sing that the winter is over,  
Sing for the coming of spring,  
For the showers and flowers  
and beautiful hours,  
And the flesh of the robin's wing,  
Sing for the gladness of Easter  
Lift up your voices and sing.  
—Selected.

### Oldest Christian Festival.

Easter is the oldest festival of the Christian church. The celebration of it is really continued from Sunday to Sunday, and will be till it last the dawn of the Eternal Sabbath breaks, and the everlasting Easter morning shall rise on a new heaven and a new earth. The Resurrection was an announcement of the greatest victory which has ever been won, a victory over human and over-death. Many victories have been celebrated since, but none can compare with this; though many have been the result of it.

## The Legend of Easter Eggs.



Redolent and abounding lilies are seen everywhere. They are marching along the highways of hope; they are merged in the glory of the Easter morning; they are painted by the tints of the stained glass that falls through the cathedral windows; they are in the thought of all and in the words of many, in the sentiments and traditions of the day. There they are in great banks and piles about the altar steps, and where the sacred desk stands before the congregation. Lilies stand forth in the wonderful alle-

## Eastertide, 1918.

"I saw many things. . . . I saw a man in France—a soldier—full kilted—full weary, humping his laden pack.  
"I saw a woman with three bundles humping the children home.  
"And the soldier took two of the children and he carried them five kilometers—and the sweat and the swelter that he went through carried him on that day very near to the Gates of God."

## GLORIOUS LILIES OF EASTER

Beautiful Flowers Epitomize the Blossoming and Exquisite Beauty and Gladness of Spring.

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## An Easter Carol

• by Minna Irving •

Awake! A shaft of heavenly fire  
Has touched the cloud and tipped the spire:  
The frosty clod no more is cold,  
The violet stirs beneath the mold,  
For this is Easter morning!

Arise! The buds begin to swell,  
From bush and brake and field and fell  
A clear and joyous anthem floats  
From scores of little feathered throats,  
For this is Easter morning!

Behold! The soul of man today  
Casts off the sepulcher of clay  
And, crowned with lilies, mounts the skies  
To walk with God in paradise,  
For this is Easter morning!

## SING GLADNESS AND PRAISE

Carols Have a Distinct and Beautiful Meaning When Rendered at the Easter Time.

It seems as if the Easter tide was a particularly appropriate time for the caroling out of our joy. The spring has come, the birds are singing again after the long winter of ice and snow, and we mortals wake to joy again with them. Let us see how the people of ancient times observed Easter. "Carol," the word which we use in speaking of Easter music, means a song of praise, between a hymn and a ballad, a song which was used first to accompany a dance. One of the most beautiful of these old carols had its origin in the southwestern part of France, and is called "The Carol of the Flowers." It runs thus:

Come with us, sweet flowers, and worship Christ the Lord;  
Let your perfume hover round the Babe adored.

Modest violet, hiding in the grassy shade,  
Thou canst say how humble He is made.

Lily fair, low bending in the sun's warm light,  
Thou dost tell that He is pure as thou art white.

As thou, pansy, shinest forth in bright array,  
So doth He his majesty display.

As thou, rose, wide opening, do thy sweet impart,  
So His love expanding, draws each sin full heart.

Easter time seemed especially the season that the ancient people were moved to compose folk songs, which were not written down as music is gories that have been theirs—the lily-of-the-valley, whose sheen is more wonderful than the glory of the great Solomon, the annunciation lily, with its folded petals like the clasped hands of a virgin, the lily of the resurrection, with its star-flared petals that stand out with a glow of the golden heart of hope; the calla lily, with its stately presence and exquisite perfume, the very essence of the esthetic sentiments of the day; the lilium auratum, with its golden bands of faith, hope and of love; the tiger lily, that shows forth the passions of men held in check upon Easter day; the yellow garden lily that stands for the home aspirations of men on the day of the blossoming and exquisite beauty of spring opening and of heart gladness!

written now, but which were sung from generation to generation of people. In this way they were kept alive, as surely as if they had been printed, or written on parchment, according to the custom in ancient days. These folk songs depicted scenes in the garden of Gethsemane where the Saviour walked, or of the women who went to the tomb bearing precious spires, or their finding the empty tomb, of the white-robed angel, and of Mary, the virgin mother.

One of the most beautiful of all the songs which have been written of this event is Handel's "I Know That M. Redeemer Liveth." This has been sung on Easter for many years, in churches.

SWAN LONG A SACRED BIRD  
Ancient Belief That the Valkyrs Had Power to Change Themselves Into Its Shape.

The swans that adorn our Easter talps were sacred birds in olden days and the Valkyrs, the beautiful virgins who conducted the fallen heroes to Walhalla, Woden's paradise, possessed the power to change themselves into those white and graceful birds. The orange was an apple originally consecrated to Freya, the highest of the goddesses. The custom



## EGG ALWAYS EASTER FEATURE

Highly Decorated or Simply Colored, It Has Figured in All Celebrations of History.

In the early English days, Easter eggs were highly colored and decorated with landscapes and elaborate inscriptions. While most of the old elaborate displays have fallen into disuse, the egg in some form yet remains a feature of Easter in modern times.

The Tyrolese peasants retain a very special custom of celebrating Easter, in which the egg figures prominently. On Easter eve bands of musicians traverse every valley, singing holiday hymns. These picturesque hats are adorned with flowers. Crowds of children accompany them and at night carry torches of lighted pine wood. As they pause before each house the people come to the doors and put eggs into the baskets of the singers, while they themselves join in the chorus.

The Paschal lamb as an emblem was much used in the early Christian era, and is still a symbol of Easter in many of the Latin countries.

In Africa they even worship it, and no altar decoration is considered finished without a circle of eggs, while each private family boasts at least one.

The "hare" legend, strange to say, is connected with the moon. There were all sorts of fancies with regard to the moon phases, from which time Easter is reckoned, and among some nations the hare is a type of the moon itself. The Hindu and Japan artists painted them across the moon's disk,

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Easter Over There.  
To wasted fields far over there  
Where long white lines of crosses are.  
Shall sunshine come and showers;  
And God will walk where crosses are.  
And that lone land, denuded, bare,  
Shall emerald be—a green pasture,  
All radiant with flowers.—Rebecca Farson McKay.

while the Chinese represent them in the moon as pounding rice in a mortar. In many parts of the world today children watch eagerly for the "bunny" who hides its eggs so carefully for their finding on Easter morning.

## DAY OF DAYS.

O Day more glorious than all days that shone!  
Since first dim, fruitless earth was bathed in light,  
Now cross and tomb and sealed sepulchral stone.  
Are overcome by Love's eternal might,  
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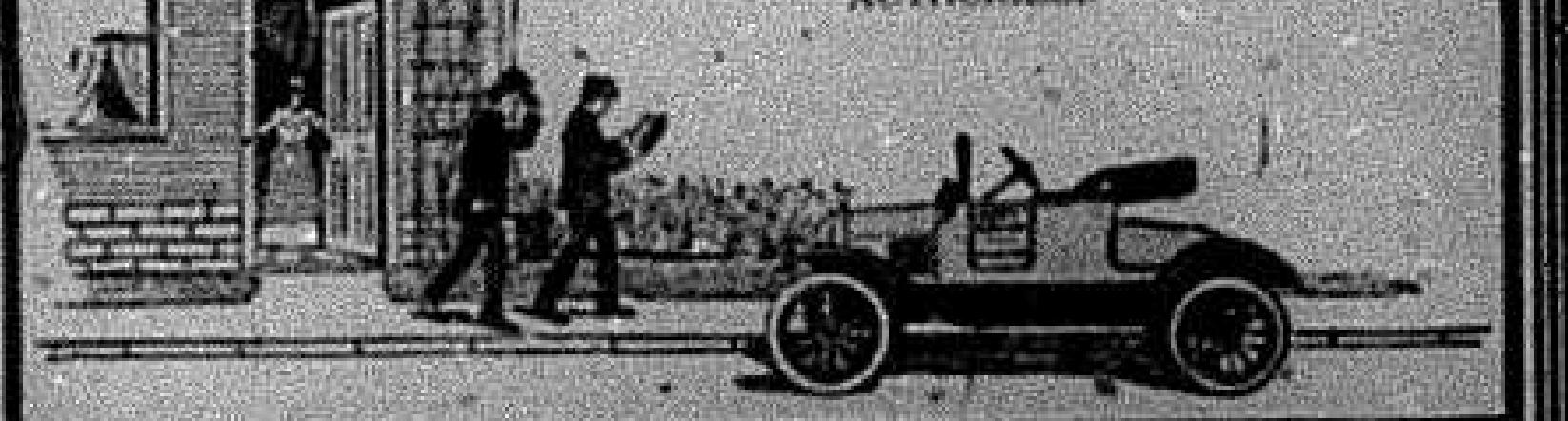
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The poster shown herewith, is by Albert Sterner, noted American portrait painter. It typifies the tribute which this country will pay to the French through the Marne monument. The poster will be displayed in cities, towns, and villages, and will designate many of the places where contributions may be made during the week of March 22—a free-will offering, in which numbers of contributors, rather than size of contributions, will be sought from school children and others.

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By LUPTON WILKINSON.

The 10,000 churches which constitute the Northern Baptist Convention are moving forward this spring in a program termed by their leaders one of the most significant unified advances a Christian body has ever made. Thirty-four state convention headquarters are teeming with activity and the entire strength of the denomination is marshalled, ready for a task whose size may well be called staggering.

It is now nine months since the assembled national delegates of the Northern Baptists met in Denver and after providing entirely new and modern church organization machinery set the face of 2,000,000 people toward a five year effort, necessitating expenditures that will total at least \$100,000,000. The urgency of the world situation, viewed from the Christian standpoint and made clear in detail to the convention through a 150 page itemized survey of the world's needs, has worked like multiplying leaven. Thousands upon thousands of copies of that survey have been distributed in answer to individual written requests.

The denominational program is known officially as the New World Movement of Northern Baptists. It is defined as "an attempt to apply vigorously the principles of Christianity to the problems confronting the world." The shadow of many ill, the stresses and pain of humanity, struggling to give a new order birth after the cataclysm of war has swept away old standards and safeguards, are the basic urges behind the Baptist effort.

The churches involved, believing the call to service imperative and fated only to grow larger, have decided to pledge the entire \$100,000,000 Baptist fund in one financial drive between April 21 and May 2. My purpose here is not to discuss the basis involved in the raising of such a sum. The impetus of aid and co-operation from numerous other denominations working together in the Interchurch World Movement will aid the Baptists greatly in their money campaign, a larger one than any other denomination faces this spring.

What must interest the general public in considering the huge undertaking are some very practical questions. Through what channels does the church hope to effect the application of the Christian ideal and the Christian machinery toward a lessening of unrest? How clearly and wisely have the church leaders viewed the situation? Do they work with a seeing vision of the tremendous ground, physically and spiritually speaking, that they must cover? How definite and concrete are their plans?

No one who has read the report of the Field Survey Committee of the Northern Baptist Convention can reasonably doubt the earnestness with which the men behind the New World Movement are striving to be practical. The scope of the Americanization plans indicates the trend. Children in the Sunday schools will be asked to treat the children of the foreign-born as friends. Baptist women will be asked to cultivate friendship as individuals with foreign-born women. Missions will be established in mining, manufacturing and logging districts where the native proportion of the population is small.

Speaking of "future citizens," the report of the committee says:

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**Chicago.**—Reports from the states in the middle west which were tornado-swept Sunday indicate over 100 persons lost their lives, while thousands were rendered homeless and millions of dollars worth of damage done.

Chicago and suburbs show great loss of life—twenty-nine persons being killed, with the greatest loss at Melrose Park.

Ohio reports twenty-four known dead. It is thought when the rural districts are heard from this figure will be increased. Indiana reported seventeen known dead and Michigan reported five. Wisconsin and Missouri each reported one person killed.

Apparently there were three distinct storms, one driving northward into Illinois and dying out on the shores of Lake Michigan, just north of Chicago; one striking in Georgia and Alabama and another sweeping through Indiana and passing into Ohio and Michigan.

The twisters which swept through Michigan and Ohio and Indiana apparently were distinct from the Illinois storm. In each instance, however, it was the same tale—wrecked houses, prostration of wire communication and a death list.

While northeastern Illinois sustained the principal damage, the tornado, in its freakish career, swept several Indiana towns, causing the death of one man and the injury of several persons in St. Louis, and killing Mrs. Louis Brown at East Troy, Wis.

A dozen or more Michigan cities were cut off from the rest of the world, and it was reported they were in the path of the storm which swept northward across the state from Lake Michigan. The storm was said to have been particularly severe in the vicinity of Kalamazoo, Battle Creek, Lansing, Bay City and Saginaw.

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## BOLSHEVIK DRIVE ON POLES FAILS

Soviet Attacks on 600-Mile Front Reported to Be Weakening.

**Warsaw.**—Polish armored trains fought pitched battles against the bolshevik monitors and other fighting craft on the Pripyat river during the bolshevik thrust which was designed to gain control of additional links of the railroad extending from Homel to Kalenkovitch and Mozyr.

The bolshevik drive has been unsuccessful, according to a communication issued here. The communication announces that the Polish military authorities after eight days of fighting at various points on the 600 kilometer front, see signs of weakness of the miners last fall, and F. S. Peabody of Chicago, one of the leaders among the Illinois operators.

The communication also reports severe fighting in the region of Olesno and to the south along the Slitach river, with both sides using artillery extensively.

On the Podolian front there is fighting along the railroad from Pliskow to Zioerynka, the bolshevik having attacked. They were driven back a few kilometers in a northeasterly direction, however. The Poles have announced that several of the bolshevik formations were annihilated. During the recent fighting in the swampy country near Mozir, the bolshevik used long range guns, the newspapers said, arousing the local population, which took up arms and aided the Poles, defending the railroads and the countryside.

## IRISH THREATENED BY REIGN OF TERROR

Dublin.—Ireland is believed to be the scene of a deadly vendetta.

Sinn Fein leaders said a reign of terror had been declared by extremists of their own ranks on one hand and sympathizers of the government, police and military authorities on the other.

The murder of James McCarthy, Sinn Fein leader at Thurles, was seen as the latest expression of the vendetta. McCarthy was shot and killed at 10:30 a. m. by a band of armed men who broke into his bedroom. Sinn Feiners said he was murdered in cold blood without opportunity to defend himself.

Unusual precautions have been taken to protect the lives of all government officials. The government feared early efforts at retaliation by the Irish nationalist radicals who have asserted openly that the deaths of Sinn Fein members will not go unavenged.

The allies have refused Germany permission to send troops into the Rhine districts to restore order there, it was reported. The allied decision followed Germany's refusal to allow entente forces to occupy the cities of Frankfort and Darmstadt as a guarantee that any troops sent into the Ruhr district to down communist forces there would be withdrawn as soon as order was restored.

Absolute confirmation of the entrance of regular German army troops into the Ruhr district, on the edge of the allied zone of occupation, without any permission from the allies, has been received by the French foreign office. The French say they can find no excuse whatever for the sending of troops into this section.

**German Government Will Protect**

Berlin.—Energetic measures to restore order and to protect the German people from "illegal acts" will be taken by the government against communist forces operating in the Ruhr region, said a manifesto issued by the government. The news from the Ruhr industrial district, the Rhineland in general, and from Westphalia, permits the conclusion that order will be gradually restored in those regions, where rebellious forces of working men have been operating.

**Woman's Fall Over Cliff Fatal.**

Portland, Ore.—Mrs. Elsie Pollock, of Yreka, Cal., plunged to her death down a fifty-foot canyon wall at Shepard's Dell Sunday. As she stood on the brink of the rocky embankment to have her picture taken, Mrs. Pollock was suddenly seized with dizziness and crumpled toward the edge of the cliff.

**New Cannon Fires Missile 120 Miles.**  
Paris.—Delamare Mate, a French inventor, sold to the French government the patent of a new long range gun which after thorough tests, has shown it has a range of from 100 to 120 miles.

## COAL OPERATORS AND MINERS ARE INDICTED

**Indianapolis.**—The names of approximately 126 coal operators, miners or others connected with the coal industry in Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Western Pennsylvania, indicted recently by a special federal grand jury here for alleged violation of the Lever act and conspiracy sections of the federal criminal code, were made public here by federal officials. The miners include International President John Lewis, Secretary-Treasurer William Green and Chief Statistician Percy Tetlow.

The operators named include Thomas T. Brewster of St. Louis, chairman of the operators' scale committee; Philip H. Penna of Terre Haute, Ind., spokesman for the operators in conference in Washington just preceding the strike of the miners last fall, and F. S. Peabody of Chicago, one of the leaders among the Illinois operators.

The indictments contain 13 counts, all of which charge conspiracy of some kind. One count sets out 10 overt acts constituting violation of the federal laws.

### BRIEF GENERAL NEWS

William Jennings Bryan, in an address at Fremont, Neb., predicted the United States would enter the league of nations.

Odessa, the great Russian port on the Black Sea, has been occupied by Ukrainians, according to information received by the Ukrainian mission in Paris.

Attorney General Palmer will appear before the house committee on agriculture on April 2 to discuss the pending legislation for the regulation of the packing industry.

Formation of a new cabinet for Germany, with Herman Mueller as premier and foreign secretary, was announced. The minister of labor is Herr Schiltke, socialist, as is the premier.

Only the decision of the republican national convention at Chicago in June will definitely settle the conflicting claims of Johnson, Wood and Lowden factions of the party as to the significance of the one-hour presidential preference vote in Minnesota.

A direct charge that big financial interests were trying to buy the national conventions of both the republican and democratic parties was made in the senate by Senator Horah, republican, Idaho, in a speech advocating congressional action to regulate the pre-election expenditures of candidates for the presidency.

**Hundreds Made Homeless by Floods.**  
St. Paul, Minn.—Floods resulting from ice jams have made hundreds of families in Minnesota, Wisconsin and North Dakota homeless. Two hundred families living in the flats here were forced to flee when the Mississippi overflowed. The Wisconsin and Chippewa rivers went on a rampage and swept away bridges and flooded lowlands in many towns along the routes.

### Seven Die at Lima.

Lima, O.—Seven persons dead and immense property damage was the toll of Sunday's wind storm over this section of the state. Three were killed at Van Wert, three at Moulton and one at Lima.

### Potato Hoard Is Found.

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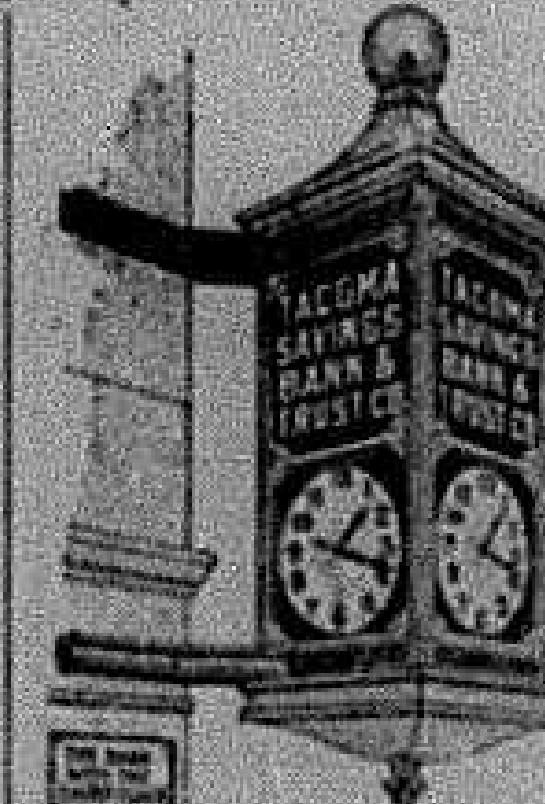
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day evening at Y. M. C. A. hall.L. A. Goodman was in Seattle  
on business Saturday of last week.Rev. C. C. Dix, the sailor evan-  
gelist, was a visitor on the Island  
Tuesday.Mrs. Elmer Harmeling return-  
ed on Saturday evening from a  
visit in Seattle.Miss Lillian Gerry came home  
from the State University on Sat-  
urday for the Easter vacation.Misses Bessie and Bonnie Kline  
are spending a part of the Easter  
vacation with friends in Tacoma.Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Langill and  
son Elmer of Gig Harbor were vis-  
itors on the Island the fore part  
of the week.Mrs. Hall Taylor of Seattle has  
been a visitor on the Island this  
week and received a warm wel-  
come from old friends and former  
neighbors. Their eldest son, Ar-  
vine has taken up aviation and for  
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WASH.**CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS****Presbyterian**

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At the service next Sunday morning an opportunity will be given for any who desire to unite with the church on profession or by letter. If any parents desire to have their children baptized at this time the privilege will be granted. The theme of the sermon will be, "A Future Tense Application of the Resurrection." The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered after the service.

R. G. Williams,  
Minister.**Center Services**

There was a splendid attendance at the meeting last Sunday afternoon to participate in the organizing of a Sunday school. There were more than 20 children alone present. The organization was effected with five classes and a staff of efficient Christian teachers.

Owing to lack of time to arrange a formal program for next Sunday the service will be informal with the program feature in it. It is hoped there will be a large attendance of the parents. School begins at 3:00 o'clock p.m.

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**Methodist**

Easter services at 10:00 a.m. (regular Sunday school hour.) A dandy program. We urge the parents to come and appreciate the earnest efforts of the children.

Epworth League at 7:00 p.m.

Evening service will begin at 8:00 p.m. instead of 7:30.

E. H. Gebert,  
Minister.**Episcopal**

Easter services at Christ Church at Portage on Sunday April 4th, at 11:15. Mr. Walliston of Seattle will conduct the services. Special music.

**VASHON SCHOOL NOTES****Hat Demonstration**

On Tuesday, April 6th, Miss Walker, of the Home Demonstration Department of the State College at Pullman, now assistant county agent of King county, will be at Vashon high school all day to help the girls and women make their new spring bonnets. Miss Walker will bring materials to clean, color and reblock old hats.

Ladies are urged to bring old or new hats and trimming and receive Miss Walker's help. Of course every high school girl will be there with the materials for her new spring creation.

**Parent-Teacher Association**

The next regular meeting of Vashon P.T.A. will be held on Tuesday evening, April 13th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Harmeling. Miss Lettie Lee Rochester will be the speaker for the evening. A splendid musical program will be given. Refreshments and a social hour will follow the program. Remember the date, April 13th, and let us make this last meeting of the year the best meeting.

Mrs. Kline has been assisting in the Vashon post office this week.

The Vashon school board reorganized on Monday evening by electing Mrs. E. H. Gorsuch (the new member) president, and re-electing Mr. G. S. Bonnell clerk.

Miss Jones is enjoying the East

er vacation visiting friends at Bellingham. Mrs. Anderson is visiting in Seattle. Miss Hardin is assisting at the Sanford Spring fisher plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Barnes have had as guests this week their five grandchildren from Seattle.

Miss Ames, who taught in Vashon schools last year, was the guest of Mrs. Gertrude Kline the first of the week.

Employment of more than one hundred instructors for the summer quarter at the University of Washington has been authorized by the Board of Regents. The summer session will begin June 22. Nine of the instructors chosen will come from other schools and colleges. Ten instructors from other schools have already been engaged.

R. G. Williams,  
Minister.**MOVIE NOTES**

A large audience of movie fans attended the show last Saturday evening. All report the pictures the best we have had. We are looking forward to this Friday evening's show.

Coming this Friday evening Fred Stone in "Hannie Get Your Gun." Also a 1-act comedy, "The City Dude."

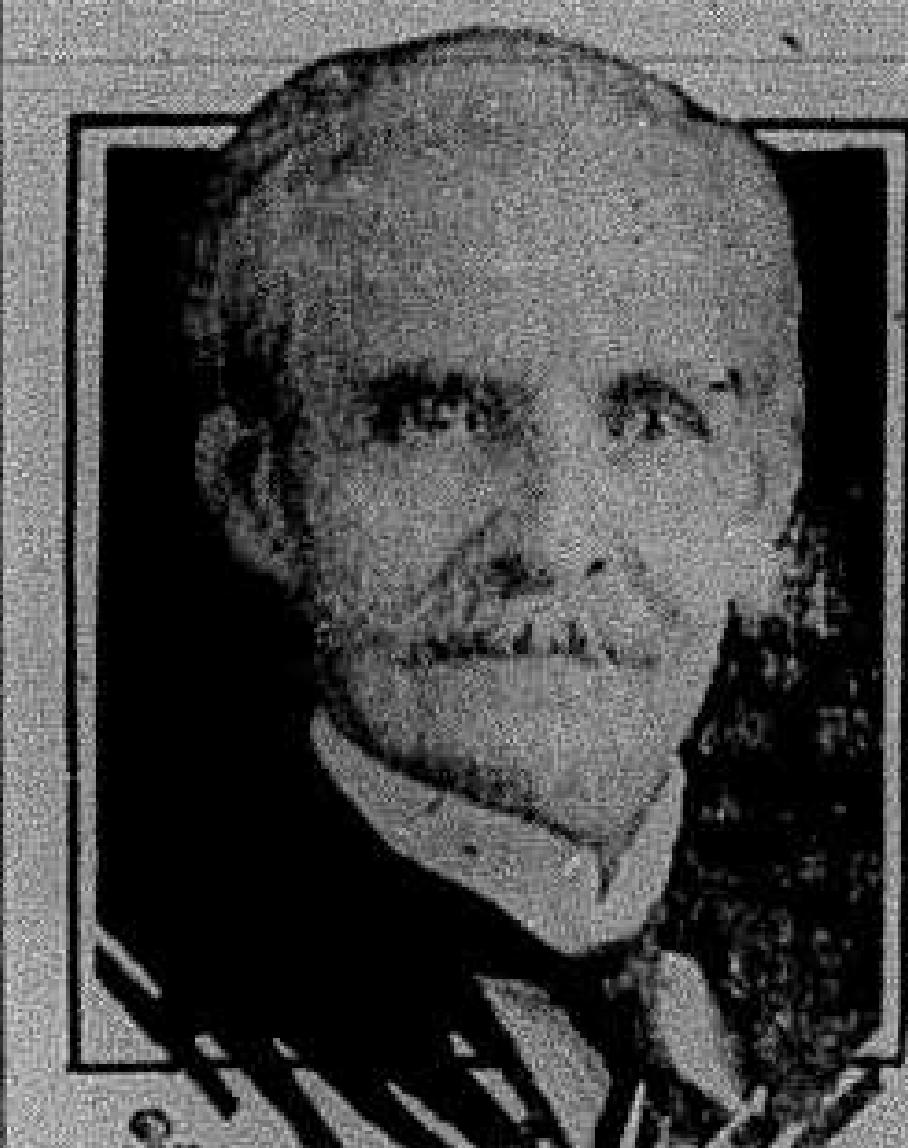
The few faults in the heating and lighting of the hall last week will be remedied for future shows. Also more chairs have been installed.

The first issue of the new quarterly magazine, "The North Pacific Quarterly," published by faculty members of the University of Washington, will, it is reported, appear about April 1st. It will be devoted to matters of general interest on the Pacific coast and the Far West. Expected contributors will include noted English and Oriental authorities.

**NOTICE**

Messrs. Bentley & Middling are now conducting a regular jitney service between Burton and Vashon Heights via Center. Phone Black 791.

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## THE PEOPLE'S FORUM

### SAME OLD BUNK

Editor News-Record:

I was amused to read in your issue of last week, under the caption "Same Old Bunk," the contribution from a Kent paper signed "A Vashonite." The heading should have been, "Same Old Bunk," for we have been regaled with a pitiful wail from this same source for so these many years, and it is a fact that some folks have listened so long to the mournful strains to the effect that the North Enders are intent on having the Portage-Des Moines ferry removed, that they really believe it. And "A Vashonite" has predicted that the North End ferry would be removed because of difficulty in making landings in stormy weather. The wish of course was father to the thought, for sale, but it would be on the

I shall not attempt to reply to the fling at our Island residents, the majority of whom deplore the tactics of one who goes out of his way to belittle his neighbors.

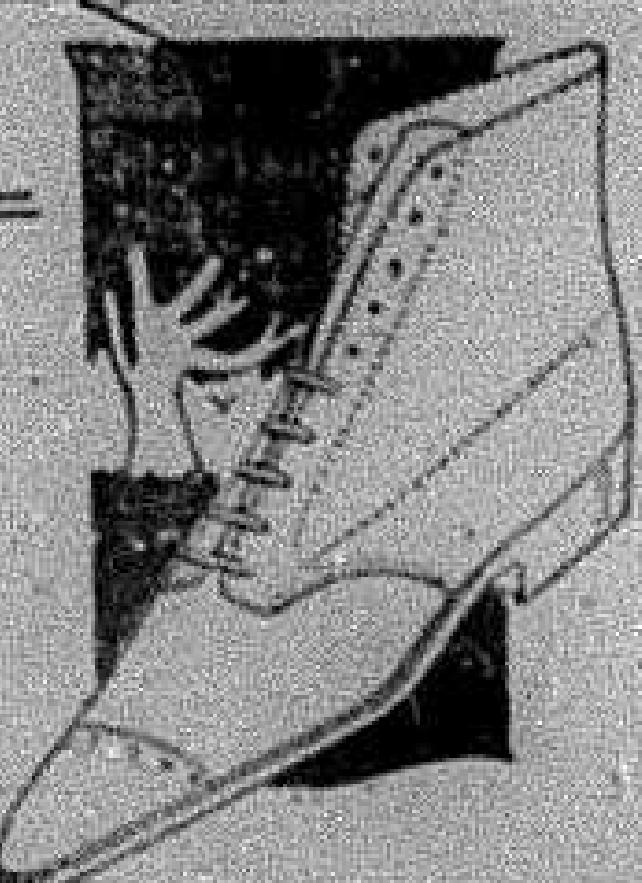
It is too bad that a community should be made the "goat" because two or three people have a personal grievance.

Anyone conversant with events on the Islands the past few years can count on the fingers of one hand (and still have fingers left to scratch his head) the trouble makers whose chief function seems to be to keep in the lime light. When improvements have been proposed, a hue and cry has been raised. "Real estate schemes of North Enders!" It is well known that "A Vashonite" has nothing at stake no matter what improvements are proposed. I am a property owner and taxpayer on the Island and my property is not

market if I believed that "A Vashonite" was a representative of our population. The statement that "hundreds" of Island residents had signed a remonstrance against the proposed paving proposition was not within shouting distance of the truth—I doubt if 100 could be secured. Right here I wish to say that it is my humble opinion that a paved highway on Vashon would be the biggest asset that could come to the Islands and lateral roads will not suffer as much as they will under the present order. The upkeep of a paved road is as nothing compared with gravel and dirt roads. The \$50,000 bond road to which we point with pride (and view with alarm) is going the way of all such roads where proper drainage has been neglected, and its upkeep under increasing traffic means the yearly expenditure of an enormous amount of money and it will still be unsatisfactory.

The threat was made by the objector to a paved road that if necessary the matter would be carried through the courts. You gods! We have heard of such cases, but do not believe there are taxpayers on the Islands who would be willing to pay more to fight this needed improvement than their assessments for same would amount to in twenty years. I am not a pioneer here, but I have studied conditions and am convinced that the Island territory should be regarded as suburban property. Better transportation is the battle cry, and it is bound to come, likewise an increase in population of at least ten thousand in the next five years. As a residence section Vashon-Mauri is the "Gem of Puget Sound."

While on the subject I want to call attention to the methods in vogue here in building or "fixing" lateral roads—getting away with the taxpayers' money. One instance about which I have recently learned. It was decided that the hill near Ellsworth on a road little used, needed attention (which was not the case, as it averaged as good as any other lateral road on the Island). However men and teams were put to work and they worked on that hill until the sum of six hundred dollars or



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thereabouts had been squandered. Squandered is the word, for it is as difficult to climb that hill today as it was before it was plowed and scraped. I'll say the money could have been used to better advantage on at least a half dozen other points—a road from Dockton, for instance. I could continue the rental, but taxpayers know (or should know) how tax money is expended, and they should insist on a square deal.

A Free Lance.

### PATRIOTISM

During the war a newspaper writer with a real understanding of patriotism wrote an article for the American press about the French women. It was said "that they are the most patriotic of all the people found abroad. That it is such a sacred thing with them they never mention it—as a good woman never mentions her good name."

Tested by such a conception, it is illuminating to recall the senatorial campaign in Michigan, where "patriotism" was the slogan of Mr. Newberry. Two weeks ago he was convicted of conspiracy to violate the laws governing the election which followed that campaign, and given the maximum sentence—two years in the penitentiary and a fine of \$10,000. Similar illustrations in principle could be marshalled without number. In one way and another we are seeing it and hearing it all the time. Either some person or paper is constantly forcing upon the attention of the public an assurance of his or its patriotism. Coupled with it uniformly is the charge that somebody else or some other paper or organization is disloyal.

Now I want to believe that all of us are-patriotic, just as I want to believe that all women are good, and all men honorable. My work for over thirty years has had more or less to do with credits and collections. Whenever a man seeking credit mentions his honesty to me, I mark him down. If he really is honest, he never refers to it. I have had considerable to do with women, and never doubt the good character of one of them unless she boasts of her good standing, turns a cold shoulder to someone when there has been no personal affront, or makes a display of her body. Then I rate her where she belongs regardless of her social position. All my mature life has been spent in sympathetic relation with those who have been striving for a better day. Nearly all of the things I have been most interested in have been written into law and settled. Every step of the way has been contested by bigotry, intolerance, greed and persecution, masked as "patriotism" and "personal rights." As a result of that experience I want to say this. That whenever I hear or read any of this patriotism stuff, I think of the French women and am glad they have so beautifully exemplified the real thing.

Robert A. Eaton.

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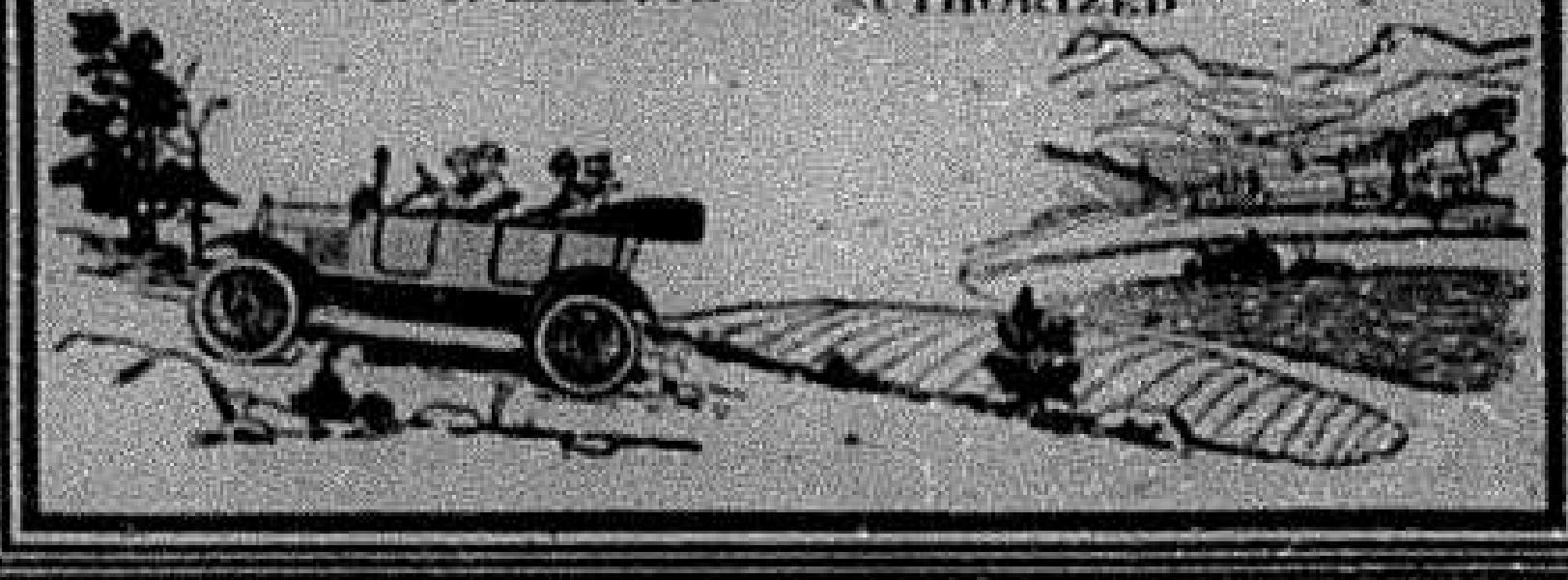
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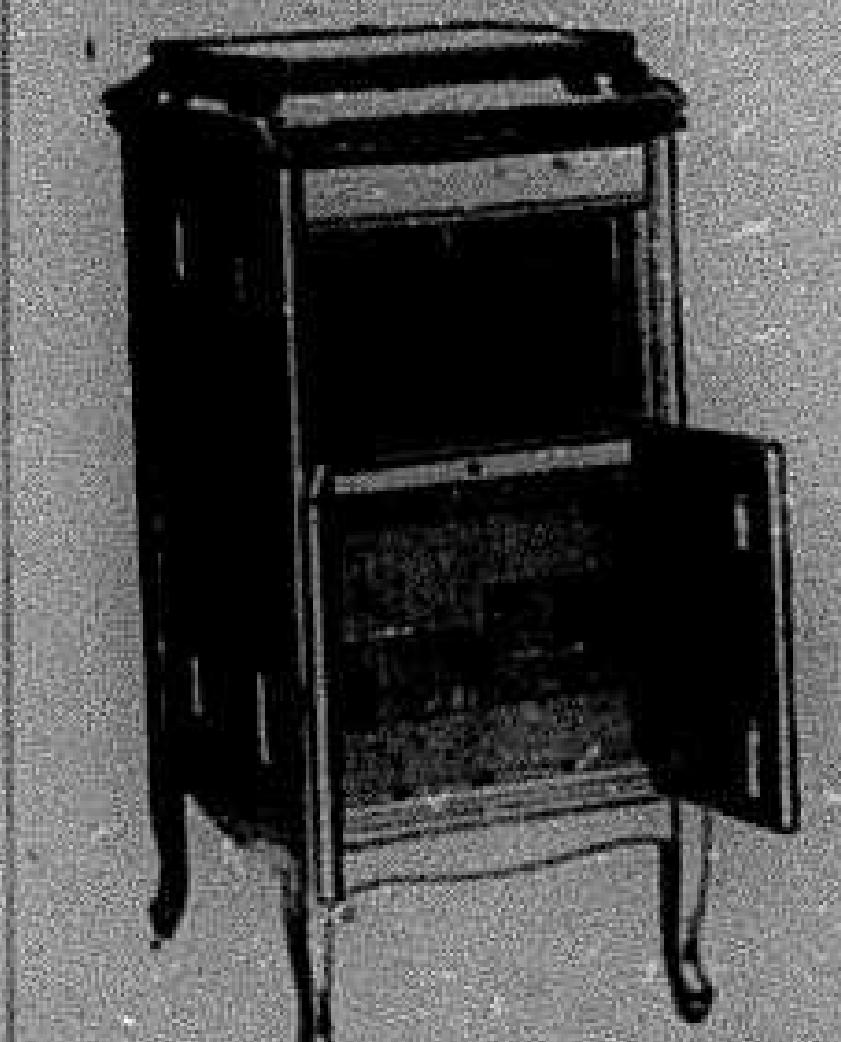


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