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SAVE YOUR DOLLARS TODAY.

Dollars buy less today than in many years. If you want to get an old time "dollar's worth" save your dollar. Sooner or later, and probably sooner, the world is going to get on its feet again, and prices will then recede from war level. When they come down use that dollar you have saved. It will go further.

A man who is able to save money today will get more for it the longer he holds it. The world is suffering from inflation, an over-plus of credit. The value of money is based on its relative quantity in proportion to the things for which it is to be exchanged. During the war vast note issues have flooded the world with money, making it greatly exceed its former proportion. Then it became cheaper.

The war is over. Every nation is striving to cut down its obligations. Note issues have ceased. Payments on them are being made. The amount of money in circulation is being reduced. Every dollar that is withdrawn enhances the value of every remaining dollar. All that you save now and spend later, when the amount in circulation has been considerably reduced, will be worth more. Sell when money is cheap and save; buy when money is dear—that is the road to prosperity.

THE EXODUS OF TEACHERS.

It is announced by Secretary Lane that 143,000 school teachers resigned during the past year to accept more lucrative positions. This is one-fourth of all the teachers in the country during 1914. To say that any business can lose one-fourth of its experienced leaders and remain in as high a state of efficiency, is foolhardy.

At this time more than ever the children of this country must be correctly trained, and brought up to respect their country and the authority of the law. Various poisonous doctrines are in the air, and ill-paid teachers are not the best weapons to counteract obnoxious theories.

Public opinion must realize that better money must be paid all teachers in order that better teachers may be secured and held. A school which changes its whole personnel every few years can hardly be successful in the largest sense of the word.

THE PAPER'S STOCK IN TRADE.

A prominent Northern New York newspaper strikes the center of the bullseye when it contends that is is a business concern just the same as other business houses in its town. It says:

"Newspaper men, as a rule, have but two things to sell, space and subscriptions, and it would be just as consistent to ask your grocer for a dozen oranges "just to fill in" as to ask the editor for a dozen lines in his paper just to boost your business with the idea that you are doing a kindness to fill up space. Try getting a free meal at the hotel just to make a show of business for the house."

And this same paper may have added that it would be entirely consistent and true business reciprocity for it to use the best show window of the business merchant to advertise itself as a newspaper for customers of the merchant to buy "as a piece of news" or "for the public benefit," or some other equally eleemosynary reason.

THEFT THEORY.

Following the government raids that have removed from menacing the homes of this town thousands of dangerous "reds", New Yorkers are now beginning to realize that, behind all the fine sounding theories of the Bolshevik propaganda, the idea of criminal theft alone lies as a basis. Throughout the tons of heditious literature that the agents of the Department of Justice captured in the dens of these revolutionists, the main purpose, simply steal or destroy the property, homes and religions of all Americans, is standing out more and more plainly. When the people of this whole country come to understand the real scheme and motives behind this red attempt to seize the entire world, Uncle Sam's sleuths declare that they will rise up as one man to banish it from the land.

The Wonders of America

By T. T. MAXEY

BUNKER HILL MONUMENT.

THE elevation known as "Bunker Hill" is situated in Charlestown, Boston harbor. On this spot, on June 17, 1775, was fought the famous Battle of Bunker Hill, between the British and American forces. Here the gratitude and patriotism of the American people have caused to be erected a great granite obelisk as a memorial.

Located in the center of a four-acre square and surrounded by an iron fence, this monument is 221 feet high and 30 feet in diameter at the base. Within the shaft is a circular stairway leading to a chamber, 11 feet in diameter and 17 feet high, at the top, from which is visible a view that thrills the heart of every American, who has been fortunate enough to witness it.

It is an interesting fact that the corner stone was laid by General LaFayette, a son of glorious France, during his famous visit to America in 1825. The monument was dedicated in 1842, on which occasion Daniel Webster spoke these famous words: "It looks, it speaks, it acts, to the full comprehension of every American mind, and the awakening of glowing enthusiasm in every American heart. Its silent but awful utterance; its deep pathos, as it brings to our contemplation the 17th of June, 1775, and the consequences which have resulted to us, to our country, and to the world, from the events of that day, and which we know must continue to calm influence to the destinies of mankind to the end of time."

People's Column

MR. HOOVER'S CANDIDACY.

Editors Courier & Freeman

The launching of a boom for the nomination of Herbert Hoover to the Presidency comes under such peculiar auspices as to cause some hesitation on the part of men who might have the highest regard for his ability.

The fact that the New York World brings it forward, and the well-known fact that the World has been the mouth-piece of the Wilson administration, makes this announcement all the more significant and indicates the probability that the White House is not averse to the suggestion.

Mr. Hoover has been closely identified with the Wilson administration and it looks to one on the outside like an attempt to find some one who, thru his acknowledged service to the country, can pull a dying administration, and one that admittedly could not expect to succeed in the next election, thru to a possible victory.

As a Republican who feels that it is not yet time to cast overboard all that makes for sound nationalism, and that we are not yet ready to nominate a man for the "Presidency of the World," but rather to select a man to head this great American Republic and give his attention primarily to the pressing questions of our own domestic situation, I deprecate this talk, from whatever party it may come, of nominating Mr. Hoover.

We have a man in this country, who has always lived here, been identified with its thoughts and traditions, knows its spirit and needs, is ready to defend its integrity and unity and who has demonstrated his ability in administrative affairs under many difficult conditions.

I refer to Major-General Leonard Wood, whose Americanism cannot be questioned, and whose broadly sympathetic attitude toward the rest of the World is such that he would be ready to discharge all moral obligations we might have in the interests of other peoples, but whose first concern would be the protection and development of American interests and the strengthening and perpetuity of American institutions.

The duty of the Republican party is clear. Let the so-called leaders quit "chasing rainbows" and compose their minds as to their little differences and unite on the nomination (which will mean the assured election) of General Wood and a re-establishment of confidence in business and in our national institutions.

Geo. W. Sisson, Jr.

STUBBORN BLAZE GIVES THE DEPARTMENT HARD FIGHT.

The residence of Mrs. Lucinda Brunson in lower Market street was gutted by fire starting from a torch used in thawing frozen water pipes Monday morning. The fire started at the rear of the house in a partition about 10, worked up to the roof and spread all over the building in an attic about a foot high contained by the ceiling on the second floor and the flat tin roof. The fire was the most stubborn the department has been compelled to fight this winter. Two lines of hose were played on the building until twelve thirty before the blaze was out. Extreme cold and poor water pressure from one hydrant hampered the department.

The building was pretty well wrecked upstairs; a portion of the ceiling of the second floor falling in. Mark Anable, A. H. Morgan and A. E. Sutherland with a line in an upstairs room saved themselves by jumping through open windows to the porch roof when the ceiling went in. Most of the furnishings in the house were saved. The loss will probably reach two thousand dollars.

STOCKHOLM DISTRICT HAS AGED RESIDENTS

It would probably be difficult to find many communities which are able to boast of as many residents of advanced years as can District Number 11 in the Town of Stockholm. There are five residents of that section whose combined ages total 453 years. They are A. Campbell 91 years old, Mrs. Myra Fenner, 92, Mrs. Lewis Wires 90, Frank Tupper 87, and Mrs. M. O'Connor 93. All of them are in good health and are in possession of all their faculties.

MRS. MINA MILLER.

The body of Mrs. Mina Miller, wife of Moses Miller, who died at her home in Springfield, Mass, was brought here Monday and funeral services held Tuesday morning at St. Mary's. Mrs. Miller formerly resided in the vicinity of Sissonville. Her husband and several children survive.

TO SELL REAL ESTATE

Downey-Snell Property In Raymond And Maple Streets Up At Auction

The real estate of the Downey-Snell Logging Company will be sold at auction at the offices of Frank L. Cubley in this village, Tuesday afternoon, February 10.

The property consists of the Stickles Sheds in Raymond street, and a half interest in the property of the Potsdam Milling Company in Maple street. The Milling Company owns the stone grist mill in Maple street and the warehouse adjacent to the New York Central siding in Pine street. The Stickles property is offered subject to a $2600 mortgage, but the balance is without incumbrance.

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The Penalty Of Sin.

To neglect your health is a sin against nature and frequently the penalty is severe, particularly when the trouble starts in the liver and bowels It is the straight road to Bright's Disease. The best course is to take a dose of Dr. Herrick's Sugar-Coated Pills whenever you feel dull, bilious, constipated or uncomfortable. It will clean you out, restore appetite and cheerful spirits. Price 25 cts. Sold by all Druggists.—Advertisement. 32w4

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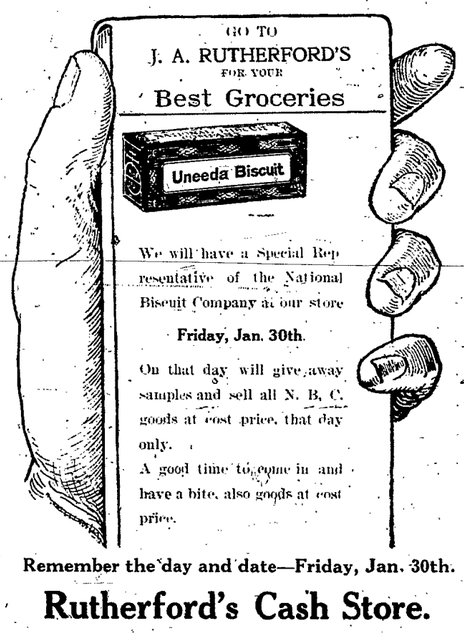

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