

THE EVENING NEWS

BY R. W. HATLS.

ISSUED DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Subscription Rates—Daily.
Per year, by mail \$3.00
Per month, delivered .50
Semi-Weekly.
Per year \$2.00
Six months 1.00

Entered as second-class matter November 5, 1910, at Roseburg, Ore., under act of March 3, 1879.

MONDAY, AUGUST 21, 1911.

THE PRODIGAL HUSBAND.

Last for gold in the consuming passion of the world, and yet, when men like William Ellis Corey, former president of the steel trust, accumulated millions and attempted to get what they consider the most out of it they usually set a pace for themselves that causes them in the end to say with one of old, "All in vanity and vexation of spirit," says the Eugene Register.

Corey had a wife who was frugal and likewise ambitious for the success of her husband, so much so in fact that she was helpful in aiding him to accumulate his millions. Becoming immensely wealthy, Corey decided he wanted to have a good time and set a pace that would be hard to follow. In this he soon had an excellent helper in the person of Mabelle Gilman, an actress for whom Corey divorced his wife to marry. They went to Paris, secured palatial quarters and made the gay French capital open its eyes with their lavish entertainment and scattering of gold. But, alas, like every other thing carried to excess the glamor has worn off, the Corey millions are depleted, the one-time actress looks for a change and Corey, having fed on the husks of wine, women and song, has struck a meditative mood and dreams of those other days when, with his true wife, by his side, he felt his responsibility as a husband and a citizen. It is said, on good authority, that Corey will allow Mabel Gilman her freedom and endeavor to again ingratiate himself into the good graces of his former wife, who has been living modestly and quietly in her former home near Pittsburg.

We often read that interesting Biblical story of the prodigal son, but if a new chapter were to be added to that part of the Bible we could, consistently, call it the story of the prodigal husband with Corey as the chief figure and an example of a class of rich men who, when they have accumulated fortunes by the aid of good wives, proceed to put them aside for fascinating butleries who succeed in helping them to spend their fortunes and cause their lives to terminate in ignominious failure. Wealth is a grand thing when rightly used as it is in many instances by men and women who appreciate the advantages they have had in that respect but it happens, too often, that people of the Corey type make wealth a curse, not only to themselves but to all with whom they come in contact.

Coquille Sentinel: Who says Coquille can't stir up any excitement? Saturday afternoon T. N. Williams and Benny Clifford, two Roseburg boys employed on the county road by Commissioner Sam Stout, indulged a little too freely in the sparkling cup and proceeded to furnish amusement for quite a number of people who happened to be in that vicinity. It seems that Williams paid Clifford's fare to town and the matter was forgotten until both men became pretty well jagged when one accused the other of being a dead-beet. He took offense at this remark and started a championship battle in a style of his own which resulted in both of them being arrested and taken to the city hall by City Marshal Hickam. They were brought up before City Recorder Lawrence Saturday evening and charged with assault and battery, at the time of ten dollars each and went their way convinced that Coquille is a rather unhealthy place to try any public exhibitions of this generalship.

Another car of homesekers, direct from Minnesota and law points arrived in Sutherlin this morning. Most of those included in the party are in search of Oregon homes, and it is probable that many of them will purchase land in the Sutherlin valley.

SCOTTSBURG AND VICINITY.

The warehouse of J. U. Hedden is nearing completion and will be neat in appearance and will be very useful to the owner, who does a large amount of business, considering the size of our town.

The fishing season is on but the fish are not very plenty yet, but at the mouth of the river sea lion and whale are enjoying their catch in the meantime.

A small daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hedden a few days ago. She has the name of Lucille and weighs 8 pounds. Al Kent was in this vicinity recently having gathered up a few catfish.

Oscar Sawyers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sawyers is quite ill again at their home on Long Prairie.

The child of H. Monson, who has been sick for several weeks is improving slowly.

Threshing will soon begin in this section, conducted by Walley Freyer and crew, of Kellogg.

Wm. Fisher has killed several fine beavers from time to time.

Mrs. Fred Weatherly, who was visiting in town for several days has returned home.

The tide of travel backward continues.

The auto line to and from Allegheny is carrying quite a number of passengers every day, and the dust along the route is something extra.

Miss Margaret Burchard, who has been in charge of the Ash Valley school will close the same in the first part of next month.

Ed Patterson and family expect to move soon to the place below town formerly occupied by E. Wade, where Ed will try fishing for a while.

X. X. X.

LOOKING GLASS NEWS.

Threshing is almost completed in our valley.

Miss Gertrude Schrenk is spending her annual vacation at Days Creek.

Mr. Plummer and sons have returned home from Brewster. They reported having a very enjoyable time.

Mr. Marsh, manager of the fruit orchard, has repaired his drier. He is now ready for drying to begin.

Mrs. Larson has recovered from her illness.

The Y. P. A. C. were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marsh Saturday evening. The evening was spent playing games, after which ice cream and cake were served. The guests departed at a late hour, every one reporting a delightful time.

Mr. Henry Schrenk and family spent Sunday with friends.

F. R. Stokes has completed his residence on his fruit ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Larson, Messrs. Henry Schrenk, Peter Jones, George Marsh, S. R. Brabin, spent Saturday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Root and son, Frank, have returned home to Riddle, having spent a very pleasant week at the home of Henry Schrenk.

Mr. Marsh and son, Arthur, have returned home from a two weeks hunting trip.

Miss Eva Brabin has returned home, having spent a few days with friends in Roseburg.

Mrs. F. R. Stokes is slowly recovering from her fractured arm which she received a few weeks ago while working in her garden.

The Y. P. A. C. anticipate a pleasure trip to Dillard in the near future.

Mr. Wilson, the green prune man, was in the valley Thursday.

We are glad to hear that Miss Alice Bastie, who has been on the sick list, has recovered.

Miss Eva Cozard spent Friday at her home in Melrose.

Benton Schrenk made a flying trip to Roseburg Saturday.

Haystackers have finished their work in the valley.

Messrs. Gray and Tucker are doing a real business since opening the blacksmith shop.

Ernest Schrenk expects to leave in a few days for Vancouver, where he expects to attend school this winter.

Arthur Marsh expects to return to school at Salem in a few days, having spent his vacation here with his father.

Howard Lee has returned home from a business trip to Coos county.

A letter was received in Roseburg this morning conveying intelligence that the Southern Pacific Company had not abandoned the project of erecting a depot in Roseburg during the next year. The communication says that the depot is included in the budget of expenditures for the year 1911-1912, and will probably be approved by the Eastern representatives of the company. It says that the statement to the effect that the depot was eliminated from the year's budget of expenditures was without foundation.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Rickey, who has been ill for the past ten days has resumed her duties as matron at the offices of Drs. Seely, Sether & Stewart.

Rev. E. E. Braithwaite, of Toronto, Can., arrived in Roseburg this morning to spend a few days visiting with his old time friend, Charles Brand, of Garden Valley.

Roy Rhoadman has returned from Newport where he spent a few days enjoying his annual vacation. He reports the Roseburg colony in a most jovial mood and says they are certainly enjoying the occasion immensely. He estimates that about fifty Roseburgers were in Newport last week.

The fire which nearly wiped out the business district of Bay Center, Wash., on Saturday, failed to reach the property of L. H. Rhoades, of this city, who owns extensive interests there. Mr. Rhoades received information from there this morning which states that the fire was discovered at about 20 minutes past 12, in a woodshed in the rear of Clark & Anderson's store. The town is without any system of fire protection and the efforts of the citizens to arrest the flames were unavailing. The buildings destroyed were Clark & Anderson's store, the Bay View hotel, Zach Tabell's general store, blacksmith shop, two shanties and a part of the wharf, comprising all the business portion of town except Olson & Company's store.

BUY THE FREE FOR USE AND SERVICE

Guaranteed and Insured Against Fire all Loss for Five year

"Yes'm, If your house burns up the Free Sewing Machine Co. will give you a new machine. They make this insurance for five years against not only fire, but loss by flood, and any cause of destruction, known in our policy as acts of providence or God."

This Free Sewing Machine is the most practical machine for home use in the world today. This is because it is simplest and the lightest running.

The easiest running machine is that which is built on what is known as the rotary principle; that is it keeps going round and round without a backward movement. But the most convenient shuttles are those, which vibrate back and forth, actually stopping between the change of movement, though for an infinitely short period.

The Free sewing machine combines this rotary principle with the vibrating shuttle. That is why it is actually the best machine in the world.

And there are plenty of other good things, new things about the wonderful machine. For example, every bearing is placed on balls, further making the machine a light running worker.

We invite you to come to our store and see the Free. Come and try it today.

B. W. STRONG
The Furniture Man

Special bargain—an old Wheeler and Wilson Machine, price \$10.

LADIES!

Let us call your attention to the *IDEAL COOKER*, and we ask you to call and see it. This is the popular Fireless "Stove" or Cooker that you see advertised so extensively in the various ladies' journals. You may say, "Why, the hot weather is past and we do not need it." But we ask you to consider that they are not made only for the comfort of cooking in hot weather, but reduce the expense as well. They are handsomely constructed and lined with aluminum. Each compartment is independent of the other, and when closed and in use has a water seal, preventing the loss of heat and the escape of odors. While preparing breakfast, dinner can also be prepared, the Cooker put in readiness, and by the time breakfast is through the dinner can be put into cooker and no more attention need be given it till time for serving comes. We have them in our basement store and will be pleased to show them, whether you wish to buy or not.

Churchill Hardware Company

Cash Ironmongers

The Store with the Ladies' Rest Room

The Store with the Ladies' Rest Room

LOCAL NEWS.

Colo... woman wants work by the day. Washing, ironing or housecleaning. 147 Pine street, corner Lane. Phone 230-Y d422

French dry cleaning, newest methods used. Your old suit can be made to look as good as new at a small cost. Clothes cleaned, hats blocked. If you are looking for good, quick service see Sloper, the good, quick service. Telephone 47. ICE CREAM—For your ice cream orders call up the Douglas County Creamery, phone 240. tf

The case of the State of Oregon vs. Egan Hartin, who was accused of the crime of assault and battery upon the person of Harold Stevenson, came up for hearing before Justice of the Peace Reuben Marsters this morning. Hartin was represented by Attorney W. W. Cardwell, while District Attorney George M. Brown conducted the prosecution. The prosecution had closed its case and the defense was examining its first witness when it was discovered that Hartin was but 16 years of age. As a result the district attorney explained that the justice court was without jurisdiction, and consequently ordered the case remanded to the juvenile court for disposition. The defendant was released upon his own recognizance. From the evidence adduced during the hearing it appears that the fight was tentatively agreed upon by the participants, and that they walked some distance from the scene of the preliminary argument in order to display their tactics as prize-fighters. It was Attorney Cardwell's suggestion that the court fine each boy \$10 for disturbing the peace and thus end the controversy. As the affair stands at present a conviction appears improbable. The courtroom was fairly crowded during the hearing, a majority of the spectators being youths of tender age who delighted in listening to the evidence as adduced by their constituents.

Mrs. Catherine Gray, of Grants Pass, who has been spending the two court this morning, in which S. past few days in Roseburg visiting J. Jones, a local capitalist, asks to at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward recover the sum of \$30 from Thursday left for Springfield yesterday man Chaney. The plaintiff alleges where she will spend a few days visiting with friends and relatives. a promissory note.

Auto Stage to Coos Bay

Touring Car leaves Roseburg every day except Sunday, at 6:30 a. m., connecting with afternoon train at Myrtle Point for Marshfield.

Fare \$8.00

Fare on regular stage, part way by Auto, \$6.00, to both Myrtle Point and Marshfield. Stage leaves every day including Sunday.

Office Cor. Washington and Rose Streets. Phones Office 389, Residence 316. C. P. BARNARD, Prop

No man has to serve an apprenticeship in order to learn how to make mistakes

You will make No Mistake

If you buy your lumber, shingles, doors, windows and building material of

PAGE INVESTMENT COMPANY

Phone 242

North Roseburg

LOOK FOR THE BIG SIGN

Dry Slab Wood

Rock Springs Coal

During Hot Weather

Use machine-made bread to avoid perspiration and other unsanitary conditions of making bread in the old way.

On June 1st We Added

two ounces to the loaf. If your grocer does not carry our bread—change grocers—or phone 221. Full line of delicious pastry always at your command.

Umpqua Bakery

H. GUEST, Prop.
110 Jackson Street.

BANKS & WELKER

THE ORIGINAL EMPIRE LIVERY FEED AND SALE STABLE

Transient stock given best of care. Horses boarded at reasonable rates. First class rigs, good horses and careful drivers

Blacksmith Shop in Connection

All Work Guaranteed

Cor. Main and Washington Sts.

Phone 5



The "ANSCO" Film

Notice the deep tone of the hair (brown), the lighter tone of the carnation (red), the green fern and up through each tone to the white of the lilies.

To this Chromatic Balance in the Anso Film is due the faithful portrayal of the "color ratio" as found in nature and which is for the first time possible without special apparatus for orthochromatic work.

Landscape, another distinguishing feature of the Anso Film permits an unusually wide range of exposure, and at the same time maintains unimpaired results.

The films of the highest type possible—an easily manipulated, so universal in its application, as free from defects and imperfections that it is fast becoming the choice of the knowing amateur. They fit any camera, exposure possible even as varying, uncoupling.

Years for the Asking. A complete guide to the Anso Film is free. Write to the Anso Film Co., 100 West 4th St., New York, N. Y.

Films, Cameras and all kinds of Amateur Supplies at the RED CROSS PHARMACY.

Schram and Mason Fruit Jars at Cost. Best Sugar \$6.65 per sack while the present stock lasts.

WHERE?

BRADLEY & RUSSELL

WILBUR, OREGON

Also carry a full line of Dry Goods, Hats, Shoes, and Groceries which they are selling very cheap. And it would pay you to investigate.

Mr. Workingman

The Jackson Street Meat and Fish Market will sell you meat and fish less than anyone in town

Why Pay More

CAMPBELL & BISHOP

Proprietors

Jackson St.

Opp. Easton's Grocery

DR. FINLAY.

Dentist.

Room 5, Bell Sisters Building

HIRE'S ROOT BEER

The morning may be gloomy. But the sun will shine, don't fear. But rain or shine, now's just the time. To try our Brewed Root Beer.

UMPQUA CIDER WORKS

LEADER OPENING.

Don't overlook the big opening at The Leader Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. A swell showing of ladies' wearing apparel will be on display. d419

R. E. SMICK Physician and Surgeon.

Rooms 1 and 2 Abraham Bldg. Roseburg, Oregon.