



Women Are Casting Ballots Also--School Children

Judging by the number of ladies who are visiting our store this week, it would seem that they are taking much more interest in the Baby Contest than their husbands are in National Politics.

Of course, everyone who sees the Globe-Wernicke Bookcase to be awarded to the one offering the cleverest title to the picture display in our show window, immediately demands a ballot.

Remember, you do not have to be a customer of the store to win the prize; everyone, without reservation, man, woman or child can submit an answer.

School children wishing to start a library in their school can get up a contest among themselves, and every member of the class submit a title.

It is a good tonic for one's imaginative power--

YOUR ROOM MIGHT WIN THE BOOKCASE

Why not appoint a committee, and secure the teachers consent to compete for this prize to go in the Schoolroom.

RICE & RICE

"The House Furnishers"

TO YOU--OUR CUSTOMER

WHILE you live in our neighborhood we hope to keep you on our customer list. To do this we intend to give you the best of service, the best of drugs and the best satisfaction that good intentions, good goods and proper prices can give.

If there is any point in which we fall short of our intentions, we shall be pleased to know it. If it can be remedied, it shall be; if not, it will not harm either of us to talk it over.

We are in your community to sell goods, and we cannot do that unless our trade is satisfied: "our trade" means you and a few others.

When we recommend DIKE'S remedies we are offering to you the best that can be obtained, and for these remedies we have the exclusive sale in this neighborhood.

Each DIKE preparation that we sell should convince you that we mean to give you excellent goods. They are made of the best ingredients, by skilled pharmacists, in well equipped laboratories, and each remedy is recommended by thousands who have used them.

Sole Agents For DIKE'S Household Remedies.

Krohn's Drug Store

Maccabee Temple Cass Street



We Guarantee

your shirts, collars and cuffs to be perfectly laundered, when sent to our laundry. We want more work and are gunning for yours. We give the best finish to your linen, are quick in deliveries and charge only fair prices. A trial order will be appreciated.

LONE STAR LAUNDRY
PHONE 350 COR. PINE AND WOODWARD STS.

BUY A FARM--800,000 Acres to Select From. In Central Oregon

LOW PRICES EASY TERMS

Your last chance to buy Good Farm Land at Such Low Prices

COME IN AND

Let us tell you about these farms

If you desire to trade your small acreage on a larger farm

We will figure with you

McCLINTOCK AND GEDDES

Office in Marster's Annex, Next To Grand Hotel

FEAST OF CORN.

A Jolly Frolic For Thanksgiving Evening.



THANKSGIVING CENTERPIECE.

A frolic particularly suggestive of Thanksgiving: the American harvest home, is a feast of corn. By corn, of course, is meant Indian corn or maize, not the wheat, barley or other grain termed "corn" to Europe.

Invitations are written on corn colored paper and have water color decorations representing ears of corn, corn stalks, etc.

These notes could be issued in the name of the corn king, using the form given below:

"Your presence is cordially requested to meet King Corn at 54 Earl court, Thursday, November --, from 8:30 to 11."

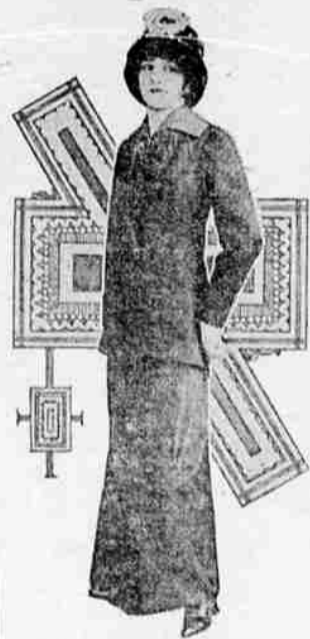
Of course, the walls will be decorated with cornstalks and the ceiling hung with ropes of the dried ears.

One of the amusements of the evening is a contest where players guess the number of corn kernels in a large jar or bowl. The number of kernels will have been already ascertained by the hostess, who awards a prize for the best guess. Give a bonbonniere in the form of an ear of corn as a prize.

In another round give each player a needle or thread, and provide a large dish of kernels that have been previously soaked until rather soft. The fun consists in seeing who can, in the shortest time, make the longest string of corn kernels. Give a box of popcorn candy as a prize. Illustrated is a pretty basket suitable for decorating the Thanksgiving table. It is filled with ears of dried corn and bunches of grapes. The handle is wound with leaves. This idea may be carried out in paper, even the basket being made of the crinkled variety.

Smart French Suit.

Velours de laine is one of the newest and smartest of materials this winter, and the cut shows a particularly attractive suit carried out in this new French fabric in black and white



IN BLACK AND WHITE VELOURS DE LAINE stripes. The shirt is slightly draped and the coat has a high necked fastening--a rolled back collar of white faced with white cloth that is very becoming and new. The buttons are big ball shaped affairs of bone in a creamy tint.

Distinction.

Miss Julia C. Lathrop, the head of the newly elected children's bureau, has a bright wit. Once at a meeting at Hill House, where a great deal had been said about women's intuition, Miss Lathrop said she observed that whenever animals show intelligence it is called instinct; whenever women show intelligence it is called intuition, but whenever men show intelligence it is called simply intelligence.--Woman's Journal.

A Wall Paper Hint.

Before putting on new wall paper it is best to remove the old paper, and if a boilerful of boiling water is placed in the room and all the windows and doors closed, the steam will soften the paper to such an extent that it is easily removed.

An Incongruity

By JOHN GALLAGER, JR.

After my admission to the bar a friend of Mr. Larkins, of the law firm of Larkins, Larrabee & Lincoln, gave me a letter to him recommending me for a salaried position in his office. I was advised to see Mr. Larkins at his house, where I would receive more friendly attention than in his office. I called about 4 o'clock, expecting to find him returned from his office, but since he had been detained there later than usual I concluded to wait for him. I was shown into a large drawing room as dimly lighted as those of most city dwellings. Indeed, since it was winter and the days were short there was hardly any light at all because of heavy window drapery.

A door opened into a conservatory, and while sitting in profound silence I heard a succession of oaths. There were two incongruities connected with the matter. In the first place, the profanity came from out a profusion of flowers and, in the second, was spoken in a woman's musical voice. Furthermore, they did not express irritation, the lady who spoke them seeming to be simply rolling them out just to hear them. In other words, as they were uttered there was no meaning to them.

They soon stopped and were followed by a few notes of song, in the same sweet voice as the oaths. Then a young girl came out of the conservatory, passed through the drawing room, unconscious of my presence, and, swearing like a trooper as she went, passed out into the hall and upstairs. I got a view of her as she passed a gas jet that had just been lighted, and her face was as innocent of guile as her tongue was defiled.

I was especially pleased that she did not see me, for she would doubtless have been deeply mortified. Mr. Larkins came in presently, and I presented my note of introduction, which was instrumental in securing for me the place I coveted. I soon learned that he had a daughter who was considered a beautiful girl, and I inferred that she was the one I had heard uttering profanity. I was curious about her, for I could not understand how a refined woman could have a fancy for listening to oaths uttered by herself.

I had not been long in the employ of Larkins, Larrabee & Lincoln when Mr. Larkins invited me to dine at his house. I accepted gladly and on the evening appointed appeared at the house in evening dress and wearing my best expression. It seemed singular that I should be desirous of impressing a girl who could swear "like an army in flannels," but such was the case. When introduced to her I found it difficult to repress a smile, thinking as I did how shocked she would be did she know that I had heard her at her worst.

I can't say that Miss Laura Larkins was a demure young lady, but she gave one the impression of being very refined, modest, pure. Indeed, she was the last person I would have supposed would indulge in the unladylike habit of swearing. To tell the truth, there was something so novel, in such marked contrast, in hearing a lovely girl with a sweet voice uttering profanity that I wished she would do it again. But instead her words were well chosen and pure English, there was not a bit of slang, and everything she said was refined.

This introduction at the house of my employer resulted in a love affair between me and Miss Larkins. After awhile I was made a junior member of the law firm where I was employed, and, being approved by Mr. Larkins as a son-in-law, I was accepted and duly engaged. While I had been fascinated by the incongruity of oaths spoken in a melodious voice, I was at times troubled by this peculiarity. Might not a girl who would give vent to such epithets have something bad about her inner self which some day would crop out to shock me? I wished to tell her that I had heard her swear and hear her explanation, but could not bring myself to do so. So I went on, subject to occasional fits of terror lest I would marry one whose devilish nature might burst forth at any moment.

My fiancée was at the time I met her a college girl. One day I took up in her house the book of a play in which she had acted as an undergraduate. One part, that of a man, was marked throughout. While reading it I came upon the very oaths I had heard her utter. Here was an explanation. She had performed this part.

A moment later when she entered the room I fired them at her.

"Oh," she said, "you have been reading the part I played at college. We girls were expected to leave those swear words out. But we never did at rehearsal."

"Why not?"

"Why does any girl fancy what she is supposed to let alone?"

Then I told her of the first time I saw her--how while I was shocked I was pleased. She said that it was that same shock, that desire to break in upon forbidden things, that pleased girls. She also confessed that several of the girls who took part in the play, unrepressed by authority, were in the habit of rolling out the oaths I had heard her use just for the pleasure of doing something they had no business to do. As for herself, she played the part of the man who did the swearing.

I asked her to do it just once more and after that never to do it again. She declined to oblige me.

Phone 245.

All work first-class

Commercial Abstract Co

Abstracts of Title Filing Papers Prepared

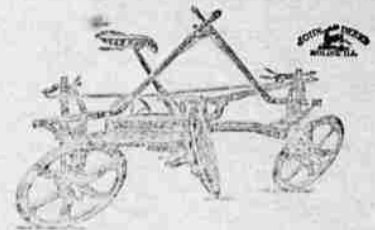
Insurance, Etc.

Bonds of all Kinds Furnished

Money to Loan on Improved Farm Property

Perkins Building

ROSEBURG, OREGON



JOHN DEERE REVERSIBLE DISC PLOWS

Work equally well on Level land and Hillsides. They are light draft and easy to operate.

We also carry in stock Sulky Plows, Gang Plows and Walking Plows with Stubble Bottoms, Sod "Breaker" Bottoms and "Black Sticky" Bottoms. All good grades.

ROSEBURG FEED & FUEL COMPANY
TELEPHONE 163.

ROSEBURG BOOK CO.

OFFICE OUT-FITTERS
FOUNTAIN PENS
SCHOOL BOOKS
TYPEWRITERS
NEWS DEALERS
HOLIDAY GOODS
POST CARDS
PENNANTS

ROSEBURG, OREGON

WE ARE BUSY SELLING HUNTING SUPPLIES

Because our stock is complete in all lines. Our prices are a winning feature every time. If you are going out for a day or week, let us fit you out for the trip.

TWO NEW 1912 INDIANS

To be sold for second hand prices. One machine fully equipped with tandem, headlight, generator, magneto switch, horn, and 3-inch auto tire. A good chance to get a good machine cheap.

J. H. SYKES' GUN STORE

D. H. MARSTERS' PLUMBING SHOP.

Plumbing, Sheet Metal Work, Tinning and Heating

North Jackson Street, adjoining Peoples Marble Works. Telephone 251.

Work Done on Short Notice ROSEBURG, ORE

You Dont' Have to Go to Sea to See

PAT

For Cement Culverts, Cement Sewer Pipe, sizes 8 to 36 inches. Cement building foundation and chimney blocks. Cement sidewalks and Cement work of any kind.

I have five or six houses I will sell cheap, as I want to use the money in other business. See my burglar proof window lock, its O. K. See Pat's Elastic roof paint for leaky roofs. We build, move or repair your houses. Business buildings a specialty. Over forty years experience in building.

F. F. PATTERSON
CONTRACTOR and BUILDER

THE ECONOMY MARKET

George Kohlhagen, Prop.

Wholesale and Retail Butcher. The best the market affords. All kinds of Stock bought and sold.

Phone 58

Roseburg, Oregon