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THE ZONE POSTAL LAW.

A proposal is now pending in congress to repeal the postal zone law as applied to second class mail. This movement is backed by the magazines and big national weeklies. If it passes a law will be substituted placing a flat rate on all newspapers and magazines. The newspapers are opposing this proposition on the ground that the cost of delivering their publications is not nearly so much as that of delivering big magazines and weeklies. The latter publications have to a large extent a national circulation. They often send as many to a distant state as to their own near by territory. Newspaper circulation, however, is mostly local. It goes into the country immediately around the place of publication. It costs more to transport a magazine from New York to Texas or California, than to transport a newspaper from a city out into some outlying town 10 or 20 miles away. The cost of carrying magazines is thus much greater than that of newspapers, since magazines have to be carried so much farther. A flat rate for both classes would be just as sensible as charging as much for freight between Chicago and one of its suburbs, as between Chicago and New York. The magazines claim that they stimulate postal business in the way of mail orders, which helps out the postal revenues. But newspapers promote all kinds of enterprises which pay taxes. If you begin to waeigh all these indirect considerations, the newspapers can stand comparison with the magazines in the service they render. The newspaper is one of the principal forces working for community progress. If you deal a heavy blow at them by an unfair postal law, you deal a blow to the communities they represent. Business men's organizations everywhere, which depend so much upon newspaper co-operation, should protest against a law that will injure the means by which they obtain publicity for their work.

An interesting effort for trade promotion was made last fall by the business men of Sioux City, Iowa. About 100 of these men started out to visit their customers in 57 cities. They took along a band which gave concerts in the streets of the towns they visited. The purpose of the trip was advertising, pleasant business relations, and good feeling. Some people might say that such a party would not be welcomed in the surrounding territory, as local business men in the several towns would look at them as rivals. Yet this party was received with the utmost warmth. Everybody seemed to realize that closer relations tend to keep trade at home within one's section, and to interest capitalists in the development of their home territory. The business men of this city might well organize automobile or railroad trips through the surrounding territory, to become familiar with its resources, to organize plans for its development, and to make friends of all the business people of the section.

If you are all swelled up because you are a speed-burner, just forget it—you are not even a snail. This planet is turning at the rate of a thousand miles an hour, whirling around the sun at a speed of 1,500,000 miles a day, while the sun in turn plunges through space forever, bound we know not where, and dragging us along.

The county that does things is like the private individual who makes a success in a business way. The latter never has a gloomy feeling what the future will bring forth. He is willing to take his chances—and usually "gets there."

If a husband and wife so much as disagree in the butcher shop as to what kind of meat to buy for dinner, the neighbors will report that the two "fight like dogs and cats."

A woman is not necessarily old until fifty per cent of her conversation among friends is taken up with a discussion of her ailments and those of others.

The movies show a girl the kind of a life quite a number would like to lead if they only dared.

Next to the circus in the joy of the small boy's life is the closing days of school.

What Roseburg Needs

A Column Devoted to Suggestions for the Benefit of the City and Community.

(Editor's Note—For the remainder of the month of May, the News-Review will accept articles of not to exceed 250 words devoted to some suggested improvement of benefit to the city or to the community. Any plan which it is believed would bring about a better city or county, can be given recognition in this space. All articles must suggest new improvements or must be constructive criticism. No personal criticism will be permitted and no argument will be allowed through this column. All articles must be signed, but the writer's name will be omitted if requested. Address all articles to "Improvement Editor, Roseburg News-Review, Roseburg, Oregon." Any article not conforming to the rules will be rejected and in the event of too many articles only those of the most importance will be chosen).

BATH HOUSES.

Although a stranger in Roseburg, I would like to make a recommendation through your "improvement" column. You have here one of the most beautiful cities I have ever seen and the surrounding country is the prettiest I have traveled in. Roseburg could grip and hold the tourists much better, however, if there was provided some public bath house where auto travelers could clean up after a hard and dusty trip. Your camp ground is known over the entire coast as one of the best to be found in Oregon, but there is always connected the statement, "You will have to go to a hotel for a bath."

Tourists are not usually welcomed in the hotels. After a day's travel through the dust and dirt, possibly working with the machinery and becoming dirt and grease stained, the hotels do not particularly enjoy having their tubs used by these tourists who usually go to a camp to stay over night, occupying the room at the hotel only long enough to clean up.

In many towns and cities a very profitable business has been started by an enterprising person, who has fitted up a small building with a number of shower baths. These buildings are located near the camp grounds and charges of 25 or 50 cents are made. No tourist would object to such a charge and I have always found the bath houses doing a big business. In a few places the cities have put in these baths, but in the majority of cases they are individually owned. An investment of a few hundred dollars will yield big returns in a season.

Roseburg would gain coast wide fame as a stopping place for tourists, if bath houses could be operated at or near the camp grounds, as many auto travelers desire to remain for a few days but do not do so because of the lack of facilities.

TOURIST.

DOUGLAS COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Call and examine the books. You will surely find something that you will want to read to help you in your work, your studies, or for recreation. This invitation is for you. During the past week the attendance at the library has been steadily increasing. Saturday morning the attendance was 8, afternoon 167, evening 36. Books loaned, adults 62, juniors 63; new cards issued, 57.

Douglas County Public Library, Kohlhagen Bldg., upstairs.

PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN

Behold the Classy Loafer with a Fumigating Fag pasted to his Lower Lip, waiting for a Good Job to Turn Up when he is going to Blow this Hick Town. As he Nonchalantly Poses against the Cigar Case, trying to Look like Clarence X. Marshmallow but resembling Charlie Chaplin more, he's one reason for the H. C. of L.

Alicia Hammersly
A Woman Who Wouldn't Remarry
By Idah McGlone Gibson
The Noted Writer

ALICIA'S TALK WITH HER MOTHER.

"Then you think, Larry, that having been married even for so little while makes a woman more apt to understand all men. Is your sex all cut after the same pattern?"

"That question is too deep for me, Alix. Having understanding is perhaps the reason widows are considered more fascinating than young girls. But I do know that men, whether they are as young as I am or as old as your father, have about the some mode of procedure when they want to appeal to a woman.

"Honestly, Alix," confessed Larry, dropping my title of Mrs., "I presume if I hadn't cared for the baby, I would have tried to gain your interest by being greatly in love with it—when you were around—because naturally I knew that the greatest thing in your life was your son and you would rather see me interested in him than in you, but to my surprise more than to yours, I did care for the baby."

"You're a queer boy," I reiterated.

"Do you think so? To myself," he said thoughtfully, "I seem suddenly to have become a man."

"Say, what's the matter with you two? What are you lagging along back there for?" called Bart. "If you don't get a move on, Larry, we won't get in for a set before lunch. Are you going to play, Alix?"

"Not today, Bart."

"All right, I see Mollie Miller over there by the nets. She plays a good game."

Bart rushed ahead to call Mollie, and Bab dropped back with Larry and me. My sister looked at me shrewdly and I was angry with myself because I felt my face grow hot. Then she turned her gaze on Larry, and from her expression I felt almost that she knew what we had been talking about.

When we reached the nets I seated myself to watch the game and mother came strolling out. She looked happier than I had seen her since I had recovered from my illness.

"I am so glad you came out, Alicia," she said. "I wish you would take up tennis again. It would be very good for you. I can see that you are gaining in strength and spirit every day. I am so glad, dear, that you did not allow yourself to grow morbid over those newspaper clippings I gave you. I told your father you would be sensible about them, but he seemed to be afraid that you would put the worst construction on them."

"Poor old dad. Tell him, mother, that I do not allow myself to think of what was written in those clippings at all. I can not make it seem possible that while Hal was over here making love to me and making plans for great happiness to come, he was hoping at the same time to meet Nell Marshall and go on to Charleston with her."

"You know, my dear child, it might have been one of those peculiar episodes in real life that are unbelievable when one reads them in fiction. Hal's meeting with Nell can easily be accounted for on purely circumstantial ground."

"Yes, but I shall never know. It can never be explained and so I am going to dismiss it from my mind if possible."

"That is the thing to do, my dear. Always give your husband the benefit of the doubt. If a young woman, in the first years of her married life, could always think that the things that her husband does—most of them—just happen, life would be much easier for most of us. I do not believe that the average man ever deliberately starts out to deceive his wife, and the big woman is the one who judges a man's acts according to their effect on his own soul and character and not according to the effect they have upon her life and standing."

"Perhaps that's what Larry meant just now when he said that a young girl could not understand, but a married woman might."

"What has Larry been saying to you?" asked mother quickly.

"Oh, he has been talking youthful nonsense. Said he was in love with the baby first and with me second, and tried to make me think that both of us would be necessary to his existence for evermore. I told him that he must not talk that way to me, and he seemed to feel that he had paid me a great compliment. He said that he had never told a woman before that he loved her. I had an idea that he had chanced upon an entirely new sensation. He was very sweet and very youthful about it, and mother I am ashamed to say that it interested me. I felt that in some way I was being untrue to Hal."

"You must get over that, my dear. Try to remember that that chapter of your life is ended. I know that sounds hard, but my child, you must remember that you are alive. Unless you do, you will not only be very unhappy yourself, but you will make others about you unhappy. I think sometimes, that it is the great fault of our sex. We are never content to say, 'It is ended.' We are always wanting to go on and on a little further even when we know that it is impossible."

"Mother, do you really think that Larry has fallen in love with me?"

"Possibly he has; you are very fair to look upon."

"Surely, mother, it can't be true. Why, he has never seen me before today."

Tomorrow—Her Mother's Sermon.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

OPPOSED TO ISSUE.

Editor Roseburg News-Review:

Dear Sir: I see Dr. Bailey's article on the road bond issue in your paper of the 13th inst. Wonder why you did not give it the same place in your front page as you did an interview favoring the bond issue from a Reedsport visitor recently. The position held by Dr. Bailey seems well taken, as evidenced by a vote of a representative crowd of taxpayers of this part of Douglas county when at a Grange meeting the vote stood 29 to 2 against the bond issue.

Quoting from the current issue of the Oregon Farmer: "The purchasing power of a bushel of wheat, a bushel of corn, a pound of cotton, and of a hog at today's prices, payable at the farm, when expressed in the prices of the things the farmer needs and buys, is lower than it has been at any time within the last 25 years."

With the bond market flooded with offerings and part of our former issue unsold, it does not seem good business to me to vote more bonds at a time when the producer is cut to the bone on all that he has to sell at present.: I planted $7 per cwt. seed potatoes and sold at $1.25 to $1.50; fed high priced hay to stock all winter that would not sell for as much as last fall. As ex-Tax Commissioner Galloway says, "We are making road building a hobby and building far beyond the production of this state." I have favored every move for the upbuilding of Oregon and this county since taking up a residence here in 1914, and have paid my increasing taxes without a complaint, but just now it seems we should be a little conservative and we can build roads and pay for them when better conditions prevail.

Respectfully yours,
C. O. GARRETT.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to take this means of thanking our many friends for their help and sympathy during the illness and death of our mother, and also for the many beautiful floral offerings.

BECKLEY BROTHERS,
MRS. MOLLIE MATTOON,
MRS. P. H. PINKERTON.

FINE CLUB MEETING.

The largest meeting ever held by the Helping Hand club was held at the beautiful mountain home of Mrs. Will Long, May 12. The greater part of the day was spent in sewing, social conversation and music.

During the afternoon a clothes pinning contest was held in which Mrs. C. Long won first prize, which was a sack of potatoes, and Mrs. Willis Smith won the booby prize, which was a book. Wm. R. Vinson acted as timekeeper.

Four new members were admitted, they being Mrs. Anna Emery, Mrs. Eric Trozelle, Mrs. H. Paulsen and Mrs. Ben Palm. A delicious lunch was served by the flostess, assisted by her sister, Mrs. Eric Trozelle.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Willis Smith on May 28.

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"WHERE YOU SAVE."

"Why, just look at the big line of hats and trimmings, why don't you fill your windows so people will know of your big line and your low prices?" We had to tell the customer that we also had other things for sale and couldn't show only hats. But we do say, as she said, that Carr's have a big line of women's and children's hats and trimmings—Carr's always save you money.

ANOTHER OREGON MAN TELLS OF REMARKABLE RELIEF FROM TROUBLES

"After suffering for ten years without finding anything that would do me any good, Tanlac has restored my health entirely and I have gained ten pounds in weight since taking it," said Charles F. Ross, of 1191 East Twenty-third street, North, Portland.

"For all those years my stomach has given me trouble, and often I was bothered with rheumatism in my joints. My appetite was very poor and my stomach was so easily upset that I had to be very careful about what I ate or I would be in misery for hours afterward. The rheumatism in my joints pained me so bad at times I could hardly stand it, and sometimes I had terrible fainting spells and would fall unconscious. I had no energy, felt tired and worn out all the time and when I began taking Tanlac was in a badly rundown, weakened condition.

"After taking the first bottle of Tanlac I began to feel stronger and better than I had in years, and as I continued taking it my improvement was so great that in a short while I was a well man. I now have a splendid appetite, eat anything I want and never have any trouble afterwards. I am entirely free of rheumatism and have not had one of those terrible fainting spells since I started taking Tanlac. I never have that tired, worn out feeling and am always ready for my work, which I can do without a particle of trouble. In fact, since taking Tanlac I feel just like a different person and it is a real pleasure for me to recommend it to others."

Open Debate on Bonds Scheduled

Debates on the proposed $1,100,000 bond issue will be staged at Melrose in an open meeting Saturday evening, May 21. Representatives of both the support and the opposition will be at the meeting and will present their respective sides of the bond question. This meeting will doubtless be extremely interesting and some heated debates are bound to result. There is some opposition to the bonds, especially in a few of the rural communities, and the debate will probably be largely devoted to information on tax conditions in the county and the need for immediate road work and the method of raising funds for the purpose.

SHRINE CEREMONIAL AT EUGENE, MAY 28.

Hillah Temple, Ancient Arabic Order Nobles ot the Mystic Shrine of Ashland, Oregon, will conduct a large class of Novices across the hot sands at the armory in Eugene, Saturday, May 28. Parade in the afternoon and all that goes to make a real ceremonial. The Imperial Potentate, Illustrious Noble Garretson, will inspect this ceremonial. Fee for initiation, $50.00. Knights Templar or Scottish Rite Masons are eligible. R. D. Williams, of Roseburg, is Hillah's representative for Douglas county, of whom petitions, also general information, can be obtained.

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NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

All members of the '95 Mental Culture club wishing to go to Winstons on Tuesday, May 17, please be at the parish house not later than 1:30 p. m., where autos will be waiting.

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Dunning Kindergarten Classes for children 4 to 12 years, starts Sept. 1, 1921.
For information Phone 502, or call at Bell Sisters' Bldg.

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EXPERIENCED waitress wanted. Apply in person at Cafeteria.

WANTED—Sheep and hogs for shipment May 17. C. E. Banning.

WANTED—Work for an able bodied man. Has dependent. Write Salvation Army, care News-Review.

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WANTED—Work for a young woman, experienced waitress or chamber work. Write Salvation Army, care News-Review.

WANTED—An experienced girl to do housework. Phone 4405, Myrtle Creek, collect. Address Box 2 19, Myrtle Creek.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Safety deposit boxes. Roseburg National Bank.

FOR RENT—Sleeping room with bath. 222 W. Douglas.

FOR RENT—Sleeping room with privilege of bath. 515 Fowler St.

FOR RENT—Rooms and apartments. 327 West Douglas St. Phone 88-L.

FOR RENT—House in West Roseburg. Apply at 1001 Corey Ave.

FOR RENT—9-room house. Could be used for two families. Close in on pavement. Page Lumber & Fuel Co. Phone 242.

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—32x3½ tire and rim between Riddle and Roseburg Wed. eve. Finder notify Wm. Dearduff, City.

LOST—Black and white mine spaniel lavalliere with three pendants. Substantial reward. Finder leave at this office.

FOUND—At Brockway, stray horse, roan, 10 years old, weight about 1000 lbs. Owner may have same by seeing N. E. Bushnell, Brockway, and paying charges.

FOUND—Bay mare, aged 7 or 8 years, white face, right hind foot white two inches above fetlock joint; right fore shoulder branded J. J.; left fore shoulder branded J. H. Owner call at Edenhower store. Leonard Dodge.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Kale seed. Phone 3-F11.

FOR SALE—Flat top desk. Phone 474.

FOR SALE—Fresh cow. Phone 15-K.

FOR SALE—Dodge touring car. Service Garage.

FOR SALE—Oak block wood, delivered to any place. Phone 181.

HAY FOR SALE—Edenhower Orchard Tracts. Fred Fisher. Phone 16-F3.

FOR SALE—Brunswick phonograph and 16 records. Apply 324 Harrison.

FOR SALE—Protectograph check writer, good as new. Inquire at News-Review.

FOR SALE—Two dandy Ford cars in fine condition, cheap, awful cheap. J. M. Judd.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Used cars and trucks of all makes. McGrew & Rose, Oak and Pine.

FOR SALE—Dry oak and laurel cord wood. Leave orders with L. L. Roberts. Phone 228.

FOR SALE—Good Jersey cow and calf, cow just fresh. Gentle and a good milker. Phone 28-F2.

FOR SALE—Good oak and fir wood. Will deliver any amount from one tier up. Phone 15-F12.

FOR SALE—One good 3 year old Jersey bull for $75. Address Rose Prairie Ranch, Round Prairie, Ore.

FOR SALE—All kinds of furniture, also Canary singer. 922 Mill St. Between 2 and 4 in afternoon.

FOR SALE—Small 5-room house and lot. Cheap for cash. Inquire at 328 N. Jackson St., Roseburg.

CAR FOR SALE—1919 Maxwell, price $550. Good condition with good tires. Address "Car," care News-Review.

REGISTERED Hereford bulls for sale. Shoestring Valley Livestock Co. Elkhead, Oregon. Ed Newby, Foreman.

FOR SALE—Two quart, 3-year-old Toggenberg milch goat. If taken in 10 days will sell for $35. P. O. Box 1124.

FOR SALE—Practically new Dodge, run less than ten thousand miles, new tires, windshield deflectors, etc. See it at Service Garage.

FOR SALE—Buick 4, model 1917, in first class mechanical condition; 4 tires on car, 3 new tires. Price $650. D. Coon, Dillard, Oregon.

FOR SALE—Late model Ford touring car. Price is right. Communicate with D. W. Chase, Roseburg, Ore. Delivery, or call at 218 S. Pine after 4 p. m.

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The Clancy Kids
So There's an End of it

By PERCY L. CROSBY
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