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THE OBLIGATIONS OF THE BUSINESS MAN.

The old idea of a business career was that it was simply an occupation into which one entered with the hope of making money. Dollars and cents were the only thing considered. A man living in that materialistic atmosphere got a narrow and sordid point of view if he was naturally selfish. Many bad industrial conditions today are the result of the influence of people who have had these ideals in life.

The community wants the business men to have different purposes. They should recognize that they are engaged in the effort not merely to make money for themselves, but to provide industrial leadership for the community, to accomplish certain community ends.

The community wants leaders who shall organize and systematize efficiently all industrial operations. It wants these functions carried on at a reasonable cost and with the least waste possible. At the same time it wants other considerations than money making kept in view.

It wants work done in a healthful way, so that the people who perform the tasks of industry can maintain good physical condition. It wants fair wages to be paid, so that those who are thrifty and industrious can live comfortably.

The community asks the business man to realize that good service to the community, and a fair solution of labor problems, are essential to a successful business career. The man who enters business with the sole idea of buying and selling to make money, has a limited conception that is contrary to the spirit of the times. He must think of himself as an agent of the community appointed to work for the general welfare, and his business policies are successful only as they promote good for all the people and really help to achieve it.

People sometimes wonder why trees will grow without trouble in country neighborhoods, but in towns and cities they fall victims so easily to pests and other enemies and die while still quite young. The trees in thickly settled streets need special care to help them live under unfavorable conditions. Many have been killed by hard pavements through which the water does not percolate easily. Delivery wagon horses, which nibble the bark, have killed many. A Philadelphia expert says that some trees are killed by the salt water that leaks from the brine of ice cream freezers, while the same are being delivered through the streets. He has seen this stuff deposited 100 feet from a tree, then flow down the gutter until it enters the soil about the tree roots. Gas leaks and poorly insulated wires injure trees in many places. The trees of a city are one of its finest assets. The people should watch their trees carefully and report any indications that they are suffering from some unknown cause.

A warning against the growing practice of business bribery was issued in an address a few days ago by Huston Thompson, of the federal trade commission. He said that this practice has greatly increased since the war. These methods have many different forms, and they could not be defined briefly. In general, business bribery is the method of the man or the firm that tries to get business by some form of rake off, or tip or valuable favor to the individuals who do the buying for commercial enterprises. It is a hard thing to fight against. The honest man, trying to play a straight game, finds his superior goods often turned down because some buyer has been persuaded by a valuable consideration to patronize some one else. "In the long run, you can't beat out substantial merit. The concern that gets business by crooked ways will usually put out inferior stuff, and it won't be able to hold trade long on that basis.

Figures have recently been published showing that the United States has 83 per cent of all the motor vehicles in the world. This ought to give this country a decided advantage in the trade competition of the future. The nation that moves people and merchandise by automobiles and trucks ought to work faster and accomplish more, than one in which locomotion and transportation are done by slower methods. It may be said that the common use of automobiles encourages many people in extravagant ways. Extravagance is an obstacle in the way of production, and must make it difficult for a nation running on this inflated basis to secure trade. Nevertheless, the use of automobiles tends to wake people up and help them understand better what is going on about them. So on the whole, the possession of this vast fleet of motors must be a great national asset.

And now the coal miners are just about to strike which makes it imperative that the weather man hurry spring along.

What has become of the proposed effort to place the annual strawberry carnival on the program for this year?

Lest you forget—don't overlook the election to be held tomorrow.

In the item concerning the robbery it was stated the theft took place in the home of Elmer Wiley and Virgil McMedford. The robbery occurred in Mullen by a transient while the two Grants Pass while the two men were brakemen were working on a train inspecting their train.

Prune Pickin's

By Bert G. Bates

A local fellow Rumbled into our sanctum Yesterday and he was Looking for trouble Because we had published An item about him Which he didn't like And after he had Run off at the mouth For an hour or so We thanked him And he got red In the mug and Backed out the door.

SHE ADDS TO GAYETY OF NATION.

Old Grouch, if you can't laugh, Just lamp the flapper's style, It'll chase the glooms away, And surely make you smile.

OBSERVATIONS OF OLDEST IN-HABITANT.

I kin remember when a girl could grab off her red flannel petticoat to flag a train that was running into danger.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

Four thousand nine hundred and ninety-four years ago today the shimmy was invented by John Scarecrotthead during a storm at sea.

WHEN THEY USUALLY DO.

"Pa, who was it that said 'We have just begun to fight?'" asked Clarence.

"I dunno, son, but it was probably some bride and groom who had put the honeymoon in the past tense," replied Pa.

GILL MUST'VE BEEN HARD UP FOR AMUSEMENT.

(Glenville Cor. Hastings (Neb.) Tribune).

Gill Fink tore the ligaments loose in his knee Thursday.

DRAT THE PESKY THING.

This tooth of mine gives me a pain, Its right to ache it will uphold; It thinks, no doubt, it is a King Because it wears a crown of gold.

AIN'T IT THE TRUTH?

A reader calls attention to the fact that the ten-dollar bills issued by a western bank are counterfeited by C. M. Gohn. Well, when it comes to ten-dollar bills, you are more apt to C. M. Gohn's than comin' are you not?

IF IT FITS—

"Life is short, they often tell us, and most of us go through it that way.

It is bad enough for a girl to dress so loudly you can hear her coming a mile away, but when she soaks herself with perfume so that you can—oh, well, you finish it.

The trouble with our modern domestic servants is they have become just about as overbearing as our public servants.

There are a lot of people in this world who feel big, but they don't look it to anybody else.

A man's legs are used for walking, a woman's to enable alleged humorous writers to earn a living.

It is queer with all these groups of men and women meeting to settle the affairs of the universe that none of them ever is settled.

There are sermons in stones. There also is a sermon in a bushel of potatoes. You will always find the small ones at the bottom. Moral: Don't be small potatoes.

Another drawback to being a parent is the necessity of giving the kids music lessons and then being driven bughouse listening to their practicing.

When some of these dear ladies take off their false hair, false eyebrows, false complexions and take out their false teeth what is there left to go to bed?

Considering the kind of parents some of them would get maybe it is just as well the stork does not come around as often as he used to.

It is not true that all the people who marry in haste repent at leisure. Some of them break all speed laws in repenting.

When most of us meet danger we are more apt to get cold feet than we are to keep cool heads.

When prices go up it is hard to make food go down.

The reason why husbands like to see the pretty clothes other men's wives wear is because they do not have to pay for them.

It always is a disappointment for these rubber-necking men to see a girl in an ultra short skirt climb onto the street car or into a machine and have the skirt like up an extra six inches only to reveal silk bloomers instead of the rest of the silk hose.

LAFE PERKINS SAYS:

"The fellow with dirty sleeve cuffs don't usually have a shine on the seat o' his pants."

If ignorance is bliss then the people who vote against the bond issue must be in the seventh heaven.

Mrs. J. V. Flick, Mrs. Henry Gates and Mrs. C. Gates, all of Eugene, and Mrs. Frank Deming, of Elmira, were guests at the Hotel Empress last night. The party is touring by automobile.

John Hummel

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

SAYS OIL WILL BE STRUCK
Oakland, Oregon,
March 28, 1922.

Editor News-Review:

In accordance with previous statements made by me, I desire to say to the public that our drill is working entirely satisfactory, and we are now taking out solid lime shale core and making a real hole. The Oakland Oil, Gas & Coal association is safely financed and we ask the people of the state of Oregon to call and inspect our plant and equipment and at least in a friendly way watch us develop one of Oregon's greatest natural resources. Don't think because oil has never been struck in this state that it never will be. The drilling in this state has so far been done at the wrong place, or rather places. I want to again repeat "the Oakland Oil, Gas & Coal association will drill the first oil well in the state or Oregon." We are not ashamed nor afraid of what we are doing and ask you to keep tab on us till the liquid field that makes people millionaires over night, begins to run and then we will laugh with the people that have spent so much of their time and breath knocking our enterprise.

Respectfully,
COL. E. W. COOPER.

KEEP THIS READY.

At the first symptoms of a cough or cold, breathe Hyomel. Time bears people always have it in the house and end a cold before it gets deep-seated. Sold by W. F. Chapman.

Be loyal to Roseburg and the Roseburg schools.

Umpqua Forest Allotments Made

The local forestry office today received notification of its allotment for road and trail work during the coming year. The Umpqua forest is allotted \$40,000, which is almost four times as much as has ever been given previously. On a few of the projects the allotment is contingent upon local co-operation but as this is in small sums it is believed that the desired co-operation will be forthcoming. Work is to be done on all of the principal trails throughout the forest, but Supervisor Neal states that the work will be kept at various points throughout the forest in order to be available for fire fighting.

One of the main objects will be the South Umpqua road above Tillier. The forest service allotment is \$500 and equal amounts of co-operation are required from the road district and the county. The road district is ready to co-operate and the county court is being petitioned to place a like amount on this project.

The forest service also appropriates \$1600 for a bridge near Tillier, the appropriation being contingent upon co-operation either from the settlers, the county or some other source.

Clinton Cameron and Jeanette Gibbs render solos Sunday night at the Christian church.

Fools will vote no!
Men will vote yes!
Stand for the bond issue
On April Fools Day.

Feeling Gippy?
Cold Coming On?

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POLLS OPEN FROM 2 P. M. TO 7 P. M.

The polls for the special election to be held tomorrow will be open from 2 o'clock in the afternoon until 7 o'clock in the evening. The election will be held in the board room on the main floor of the high school building. The ballots have been prepared and everything is in readiness for this election which is called for the purpose of voting on a bond issue of \$10,500. Those whose names appear upon the taxrolls of Douglas county are privileged to vote. If property, either real or personal appears upon the tax roll in your name you are entitled to vote at this election.

NEWS-REVIEW TO PUBLISH ARTICLES CONCERNING RADIO

The News-Review, sensing the widespread interest in radio activity, especially by amateurs, has arranged with the International News Service to publish a series of articles pertaining to the construction of radio sets. These series of articles on radio will be so simply told that any interested person, from the data furnished, may be able to make himself a radio set that will permit him to listen in on concerts and pick up messages. The writer of the articles is William G. H. Finch, of Buffalo, inventor of the automatic radio receiving and recording device. He is an associated member of the Institute of Radio Engineers and has long been identified with radio work.

The first article on radio will be published in tomorrow's issue. Watch for it!

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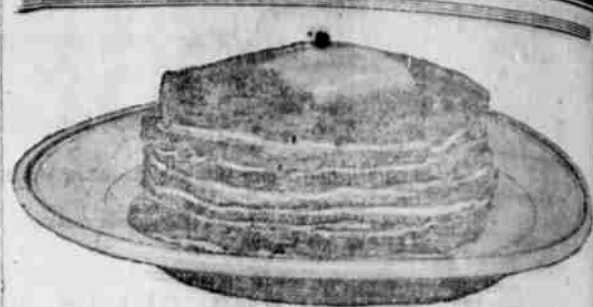
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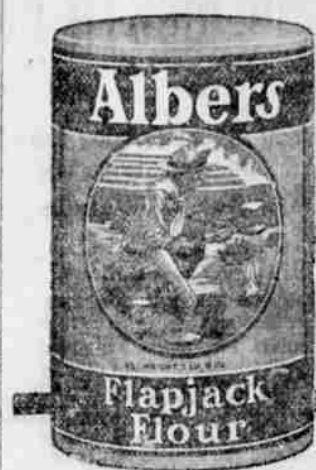
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Tex Declares He Will Strike Back

By HENRY L. FARRELL.
(United Press Staff Correspondent).
NEW YORK, March 29.—Leave New York? No, sir—right here I stay. They tried to get me here and I'll get them in their own yard. Pleased to be more definite than "they," Tex Rickard, out of the bad mess "that has had him worried for months," added this morning: "They know who I mean and that's all for the present. Framing and blackmailing are all a part of the game, I guess, but there are no rules that prevent you from striking back."

Rickard said that hitting pay dirt in Alaska and counting \$700,000 winnings in four years didn't compare to the thrill that was his when the jury said he was not guilty of improper relations with a little 15-year-old girl.

"I've never felt so good," he said. "I feel like fighting. All I need is a good match and I know where they are—several of them."

The former matchmaker of the garden said he once had a great feeling of suspense when he was Company.

APRIL FOOL RAIL

Benefit Co. D. 162nd St. L. N. G., at Armory, April 1. Social dance features. Conductor \$1. Flick's Rainbow Orchestra.

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"I thought that was an limit of strain, but the jury the jury was out had it taken off the boards," he said.

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