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## MR. HAYNES HAS THE RIGHT IDEA

R. A. Haynes, federal prohibition officer, now making a western tour, and who today addressed both houses of the state legislature at Salem, says that the "government is not a hip pocket policeman nosing around trying to find out if men are carrying red liquor." He also makes the statement that the "first responsibility for enforcing the prohibition laws rests with the local authorities. The government is concerned with the large conspiracy matters and is a center point around which all the law enforcing people can gather. But the states have the power to act and it is up to local officials to work as though they were the sole enforcing power."

Mr. Haynes also claims that aliens and big business men are the real law-breakers. The fact that the big business man commands wealth and prestige and the alien makes a mighty likely candidate as a bootlegger, naturally the two work quite harmoniously and secretly in supplying liquor to the "trade." Mr. Haynes' edict that it is "up to local officials to 'bring home the bacon'" is in keeping with the opinion of most people who wish to treat the liquor question effectively. Private citizens acting as spotters, nosing around and assuming responsibilities that belong to law enforcement officers, only discredits the cause. What the public should concern itself about is the strict enforcement of the laws through official sources and lend every possible aid towards that end. The big bootlegger, operating in the larger cities, is the real menace. He is the fellow who is doing business on a large scale and commands a whole lot of influence, and it is he who is parading his stock throughout the smaller communities. When the outside source of supply is checked it will not be long until prohibition will be a reality. Illicit manufacture by crude stills and other contrivances will soon pass into history. If they do not it will only be a few years, at the most, until all customers of the still product will be sleeping under the sod—including the moonshiner.

And along with enforcing the law goes the statement of William Jennings Bryan, who, in discussing the cause of prohibition on the third anniversary of national prohibition, which occurred on Wednesday of this week, said:

"Liquor drinking prohibition agents, a 'wet' press and the failure of the government to deal effectively with rum runners are the principal scars in the history of national prohibition. America should notify all nations that allow their flags to be used as rum runners, that if they cannot prevent their flags flying over floating bars, America will. The government should take over all whiskey on hand, thus eliminating private interests, and enforcement should be trusted only to those favoring prohibition."

## THE STATE GOVERNMENT

Most of the state legislatures meet in January for their winter session. They handle the most intimate subjects of public concern. The big four of the problems with which they deal are the schools, police, taxes and roads, and there cannot be progress unless these questions are wisely handled. People fret and fume because their state legislatures fail to solve many problems. But it has to be remembered that these law-makers are human beings like the rest of us, and that they are representative of the mass of the people. It takes more insight than the average citizen or lawmaker possesses to adjust some of these difficult matters aright. If the people want better public administration, they must pay more attention to their civic duties as citizens, and see that those who sit in legislative halls are competent for their job.

With all the faults of our political system, the adjustment between the federal and state authority is a wonderful thing, and the greatest example of constructive political genius that the world has ever seen. With such a country its varied interests are hard to reconcile. But the fathers with their supreme wisdom, gave local matters over to the control of the states, while retaining for the federal government the problems that are too big for any one commonwealth. The idea has worked admirably, and has formed a model for democratic evolution the world over. Without some such plan, this republic could not have endured. With this arrangement, our institutions are on a secure foundation, and bid fair to last as long as political government does. But the average citizen must do his duty and watch the progress of political events, or many things will go wrong.

The way prominent movie actors are dying, getting killed in various ways, girl movie stars found along the beach shores, life extinct, leads a fellow to believe that it won't be long until we get a new crop of stars to fill up the ranks of movieland. The careers of present day participants in filmdom seem destined to be cut short. Their pace is entirely too fast to insure any degree of safety on this earth—or the other.

A prominent actor passed away at Hollywood, Cal., the center of movie-world activities, yesterday. His death, it is authoritatively stated, was due to drugs. This is the penalty for trifling with cocaine, morphine and other hellish dopes to "quiet" your nerves and bring about prolonged "rest."

With all the complaints about various makes of automobiles you have never found the man who complains about his machine moving too fast.

Anyway, regardless of what the other fellows say, this old world is getting better and better every day.

We may get a little winter weather yet.

# PRUNE PICKIN'S

BY BERT G. BATES

### GOOD EVENING FOLKS—

'Nother movie actor has been slaughtered Down south and if the Present epidemic of Murders continues in That business there'll Soon be a chance for All the local Sheiks to Bust in.

A news item from O. A. C. tells us of a ho-vamp beauty contest in progress there and as far as we haven't noticed the names of Art Davis, Maurice Howland, Izzy Havin, etc., mentioned.

"Day by day in every way it's getting wetter and wetter."

If our house would burn down it wouldn't be mentioned in the Portland papers but today they're all carrying big stories about the chimney fire at the White House burning out.

The hoof-shakers of the Elks gathered in groups last eve and shind-dug for the great portion of the night.

With rumors of another war in the air we suppose the manufacturers of corned Willie, gold-fish, stum, beans and slushy tomatoes are working their factories overtime.

The real estate peddlers are brushing up their adjectives and prospectus for a whirlwind Spring campaign.

Pols Negri and Charlie Chaplin are reported married—tomorrow's issue will probably contain their divorce proceedings.

Redy Vasselino's blood will be spilled on the sand at the local movies tonight for the second time.

Howdy Ye Ed: I have written you several letters before and am getting a mania to see my stuff in print. That's the only reason why I write and peddle you a lotta hull about yer colyum.—WINNIE WORST.

Dear Winnie: Thanx just the same.

Some people are always getting things they don't need. Now frinst-ance—we just walked down Cass street and a feller walked up and handed us a big sample of plug chaw-in' tobacco and we don't chaw. Just our luck.

Mensewer Coue has cured a girl from stammering and we hope the poor thing catches up with her sisters now.

We are frank to say we do not read both sides of the question. We can make up our mind by reading one side—the side that sustains our preconceived notions—and that is what we do.

A feller has written us wanting to know if Rhode Island Reds are some kind of a Beisievik.

The people we cannot understand are the men and women who do not like children.

Pretty frosty this a. m. wasn't it gang? Or didja get up that early?

Noise isn't everything. A nickle makes more noise in the collection plate than the little dime.

Wouldn't it be awful if girls didn't have any more sense than the men-folks think they have?

DEFINITION OF A GENTLEMAN  
A man who is clean both outside and inside, who neither looks up to the rich nor down on the poor; who can lose without squealing and win without boasting, who is considerate to women, children and old people, who is too brave to lie, too generous to cheat, and who takes his share of the world and lets others have theirs.

Few of the people who speed upon the broad way that leads to Perdition pay any attention to the detour signs.

Some fine Spring balmy day wasn't it? Gosh, this bit of valley has the whole world beaten for climate. Let's get together and boost it for a while.

Some day we're going to write up a marriage for this paper and say, "The bride-to-be has a wart on her nose and the groom-to-be is pigeon-toed and has a dirty left ear."

The heetch heetch of the village have a rather forlorn look of late owing to the sudden alertness of enforcement squads.

A bachelor is a man who only gets 100 miles out of a pair of socks.

Our old gossip mill was wrecked this a. m. which made us a little late in getting started on this colyum. A customer standing at the counter remarked that we must have got a prunce pit in the bearings.

No poms today folks. Nope, nothin' doing. Don't beg us, 'cause we absolutely refuse to write a home today.

Life Begins Now  
"Most of the criticism of young people for sleeping late in the morning comes from old codgers who would give half their fortunes if they could sleep later than 5:30 a. m., once more."



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## LODGE HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

Rebekah Convention Held at Sutherlin on Tuesday With Large Number Present

BANQUET WAS ENJOYED

Interesting Programs Were Held, With Basket Dinner at Noon and Banquet in the Evening

SUTHERLIN, Jan. 18.—The 16th Annual Rebekah Convention of district number 11 was held at Sutherlin Jan. 16. The convention was called to order by Sutherlin Rebekah lodge number 218, Mrs. Minnie Hartshorn, noble grand. The chairs were surrendered to the convention officers who were: Chairman, Florence Golf, Sutherlin; Vice Chairman, Josie Wise, Yoncalla; Secretary, Leona Slack, Sutherlin; Treasurer, Mrs. Underwood, Oakland; I. S. G. Josephine Truitt, Oakland; O. S. G. Mrs. Spaulding, Drain; Chaplain, Mary Stekler, Myrtle Creek.

There were nine delegates present from Drain, five from Yoncalla, four from Oakland, twenty-one from Roseburg, seven from Myrtle Creek, two from Riddle, one from Canyonville and thirty-four from Sutherlin. Mrs. Mildred McMahan, president of the Rebekah Assembly of Oregon, being unable to attend until evening, Mrs. Edith Kelley, vice president, presided. She was introduced to the convention and presented with a beautiful bouquet of carnations, a similar honor also being presented to Mrs. McMahan upon her arrival later in the day.

The address of welcome was given by Harry Strong of Sutherlin, Rebekah lodge number 218, and the response was made by Mrs. Kelley of Roseburg. The meeting then adjourned for the basket lunch which was served in the lodge dining room.

At 2 o'clock the convention was again called to order, and the questions answered by a committee of three, composed of Mrs. Kelley, Mrs. Hoffman, and Mr. Pickens, all of Roseburg. By request Mrs. Kelley sang "Smiles" and Mr. and Mrs. Dean gave a very pleasing dialogue. Then Roseburg Rebekah lodge number 41 presented the reconsideration of a ballot and also the examining of a visitor from another jurisdiction.

By request Riddle was chosen as the next meeting place of the convention.

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## TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

### PRICES PAID FARMERS FOR PRODUCE

Butter, 25 cents a pound.  
Butterfat, 45 cents.  
Eggs, 27 cents per dozen.  
Hens, heavy, 15 cents a pound.  
Hens, light, 14 cents a pound.  
Springers, 15 cents a pound.  
Old roosters, 10 cents a pound.  
Geese, 18 cents a pound.  
Turkeys, 18 cents a pound.  
Wheat, \$1.20 at mill, sacks returned.  
Barley, \$26 a ton.  
Veal, dressed, 9 to 12 cents a lb.  
Hogs, dressed, 12 cents, 120 to 150 pounds weight.  
Cows, prime, 4 1/2 cents.  
Steers, prime, 5 cents.  
Honey, local production, 20 cents a pound.  
Cascara bark, 1922, 6 1/2 cents a pound.  
Cascara bark, 1921, 7 1/2 cents a pound.

### RETAIL PRICES ON MILL PRODUCTS

Mill run, \$1.50 a sack of 80 pounds.  
Cracked corn, \$2.20 a 100 pounds.  
Rolled barley, \$1.55 a sack of 70 pounds.  
Grey seed oats, per bushel, \$1.00.  
Feed oats, per 100, \$1.90.  
Flour, soft wheat, \$1.75 a sack.  
Flour, hard wheat, \$1.95 and \$2.10 a sack.

The following officers were chosen for the coming year, Chairman, Flora Dean, Riddle; Vice Chairman, Fred Pickens, Roseburg; Secretary, Helena Riddle, Riddle; Treasurer, I. A. Dean, Riddle; I. S. G., Mrs. J. M. Truffert, Roseburg; O. S. G., Mrs. Seltzer, Myrtle Creek; Chaplain, Sarah Shiria, Sutherlin.

The lodge rooms were tastefully decorated with pink and green and presented a very pleasing and attractive appearance. A fine banquet was served at the M. E. church in the evening after which all returned to the lodge hall where a pleasing program was enjoyed.

The president, Mrs. McMahan arrived quite late in the evening and immediately called a closed session, following the program. She heard several of the members give the unwritten work and certificates of perfection were received by several.

GROCER THANKFUL  
"I had been sick nearly 20 years with stomach trouble and was slowly starving to death, as everything I ate caused terrible gas and pain and my food did not digest. I was reduced to 115 pounds. A friend advised me to take May's Wonderful Remedy about four months ago, which I did, and now weigh 151 pounds and can eat anything. I am very thankful for May's Wonderful Remedy." It removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation, which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded at all drug-stats.

BIBLE CLASS STARTING  
A high school credit bible study class will be started at the Christian Church Sunday morning, January 21. High school students taking this course in bible study and passing the examination will receive credits for high school graduation. Mrs. Charles G. Stanton, teacher.

TRESPASS NOTICE  
No dumping ashes or rubbish on Lot 7, Roseburg. Mrs. E. M. Moore, Lillie L. Moore.

A. B. Haines prominent resident of Elkton arrived in Roseburg last night and will remain here several days attending to business matters.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT  
U. S. Weather Bureau, local office, Roseburg, Oregon, 24 hours ending 5 a. m.

Precipitation in in. and Hundredths.  
Highest temperature yesterday... 54  
Lowest temperature last night... 34  
Precipitation, last 24 hours... .0  
Total precip. since first of month 3.53  
Normal precip. for this month... 3.70  
Total Precip. from Sept. 1, 1922, to date... 17.04  
Aver. precip. from Sept. 1, 1877 to 1918... 17.18  
Total deficiency from Sept. 1, 1922 to date... .41  
Average precip. for 44 wet seasons, (Sept. to May, inc.)... 31.39  
Tonight and Saturday rain.  
WILLIAM BELL, Observer.

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## MARKET ROAD BILL MEETS APPROVAL

SALEM, Jan. 17.—The senate today passed Senator Strayer's measure providing that the construction of market roads shall be exclusively under the control and supervision of the county courts of the respective counties. This is considered one of the important highway bills of the session.

Heretofore the highway commission has prepared plans and specifications for all market roads and exercised a certain control over the expenditures of market road funds. The Strayer bill entirely eliminates this provision. Hereafter the county courts will construct its own market roads without consulting the state commission. Should the county court, however, desire to expend market

road funds on any state highway, it may do so but in that event it would be done in cooperation with the state commission. No market funds however could be spent on Pacific highway, Columbia or Old Oregon Trail or the Loop.

"This bill is in accord with the intent of the original market road bill," Senator Strayer said. "That bill intended that market funds should be used in cooperation with state funds. Under the present arrangement many roads have been designated market roads which are now market roads. Now with funds nearly depleted and the county court tied many important roads stand in need of completion."

The only opposition to the bill was voiced by Senators Corbett, Robertson and Smith.

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