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OLD-FASHIONED HOMES.

"Bring back the old-fashioned living room table, the front porch swing, and, if you really want to taste romantic joy again, take out the old one-hoss shay. Above all, beware of the automobile." This is the counsel of Mrs. Janet Heckman, prominent in Oklahoma life.

Mrs. Heckman's plea is for the re-establishment of the old-fashioned home in which parents and children gather happily, to read, to work, to play and to sing together.

The automobile, one of our greatest and most useful modern inventions, yet highly destructive of our youth, has robbed the home of much of its former charm and interest for the child and, in many instances, for the parent as well.

All that is needed to offset the lure of the road, she feels, is homes which are centers of wholesome family interest, instead of mere points of departure from which to rush off in a mad pursuit of excitement. In such domiciles she sees the cure for much juvenile delinquency.

There is a certain amount of wisdom in these suggestions. The automobile itself, of course, is not the cause of modern trouble with youth, but a little more wisdom in the use of this serviceable tool, and a little competition with its usual means of finding enjoyment at journey's end would not come amiss.

The News-Review's circulation is now well over four thousand copies each issue, and still increasing. The wide-awake advertiser sees in this medium the best possible way to stimulate interest in his wares.

In this day and age of automobiles and landlords, the latter being adverse to renting homes to persons with children and the former having a faculty of taking parents away from both children and home, is there any wonder that the boy and girl problem is taking on a serious aspect.

President Harding will visit Portland on his western tour. Roseburg may get a glimpse at the distinguished gentleman if he passes through our city during the daylight period.

Wonder what sort of a wife one of those 72-hour dancers would make? Probably last about seventy-two minutes in a well-regulated kitchen.

If you notice a blue pencil mark near the rear wheel of your auto, it is a sign of parting with the "long green" after a period of thirty minutes.

Automobiles have to move pretty lively these days to keep within the bounds of decency and the parking ordinance.

Foster Butler is putting over some good advertising for the Umpqua Valley variety of broccoli.

When enthusiasm runs away with judgment, the grafter runs away with the pocketbook. Sugar is "stepping up" again, and so are a great many other necessities of life. You don't know your job if your job doesn't know you.

PRUNE PICKIN'S BY BERT G. BATES

GOOD EVENING FOLKS—The other day a A fellow in Anlauf Told us about a Giant grapevine he Has on his place Today we rec'd The following poem From up Days Creek way:

—Read This Anlauf. Tell 'em to cultivate with care That Isabella grape-vine rare, In twenty years it may compare With a Mission grape-vine we think fair.

Our grape-vine's sixty Summers old And maybe more, so we've been told; Each year it's trimmed and yet we hold The following statements are not bold.

Fifty-eight inches, it measures 'round Where it emerges from the ground, A one yard fork above is found— (Seven forks in all, and all are sound)

It grows on an arbour ten feet high, A splendid shade from the summer sky. Of sweet purple grapes, my oh my! Now having a vine like this why rue it?

Now chop it down?—why we wouldn't do it, It's here to stay, if you only knew it And if you doubt us, come and view it. Respectively yours, Harriet L. Moors.

Excuse us a minute while we go out and move our finger off the main drag—we just noticed Cop Ketch checking up on the parking time.

DUMBELL DORA THINKS There are lots of other dumbells running around the village besides her. And Dora is just about right, at that.

John Barleycorn is dead—but he left a lot of poor relations. DOWN WHERE THE VEST BEGINS As a man grows older, And his muscles soften, There's a spot he thinks of— Every day more often— Down where the vest begins!

As his lot grows easy And his burdens lighten, There's a place down yonder, Where the buttons tighten— Down where the vest begins!

As there's less of fighting, And more of feeding, Comes a sign of fortune That he can't help heeding— Down where the vest begins!

For 'tis there Success Pins her approbation On that prosperous Growing "corporation"— Down where the vest begins!

50 GOOD CIGARETTES 10c



ADVICE TO THE LOVELORN by MRS. ELLSBURY

Dear Mrs. Ellsbury: I am expecting a boy friend to visit me from another state. He will stay at our home. During his stay here there is to be a play which I should like to take him to. Should I pay the way?

We live quite away out of town, and I have a car. I go with a young man who lives in another part of town. When we go to the show or any place he always comes out to the house and I take the car. Should I offer to take him home, then come home alone. Thank you, MARY.

Ans. It is really right that you take him to the play on that occasion. But if you cannot get the tickets before hand, do not embarrass him by insisting upon doing it when you go to the play. Get the tickets if possible. All boys and men hate to be embarrassed by having a woman pay their way in public.

It is common sense for you to take the boy home in your car, although it might not be called the really correct thing to do. One in a while it is necessary for us to follow our idea of what we know is sensible, and I believe that to be one of the times.

Dear Mrs. Ellsbury: I am 25 years old, and am very thin, and as I am tall I don't look good. I have tried everything it seems to get fat but can't do it. All my family are thin, and I suppose I am just naturally that way and can't help it. My neck is thin and scrawny, and my limbs and arms are too. I am perfectly healthy in every way, and have never been sick a day.

Ans. It may be natural for you to be slender, but not thin. I am sure that regular exercise, plenty of rich nourishing food, regular sleep, and massage for the thin neck will give you that desirable slenderness that most people are trying to get. If you cannot walk so much a day or take other kinds of outdoor exercise, take a regular system of exercises for 20 minutes morning and evening. If you do not have any, send me a stamped self addressed envelope and I will send them to you.

Keep up this treatment, including the diet, and the massage with a good rich cream, for months, do not stop in a week or two. I am sure it will have effect.

Job-work of the highest degree at the News-Review exclusive job-printing establishment.

"JOY" OF TRAVEL IN EUROPE According to One Who Has Been There, It Is One Long Succession of Discomforts.

When one considers the discomforts of European traveling it is astonishing that one ever travels at all, writes Arnold Barron in the London Daily Telegraph. The indignity of the custom houses and the rudeness of the officials must deter many from crossing the border.

SHAKESPEARE "UP TO DATE"

Soviets Seem to Have Succeeded in Making Burlesque Out of Tragedy of "Hamlet."

Now it is Shakespeare who has fallen beneath the drastic hand of sovietized Russia; and, as a result, a sovietized "Hamlet" is in rehearsal in a Moscow theater and soon is to be presented for the delectation of such as care to view it.

The play is the result of action on the part of the commissariat of education, and it is to be produced by the orders of that committee by the state Institute of Theatrical Art.

Judging from the first reports, the performance is something in the nature of a burlesque. Hamlet is not a Danish prince, but a prominent communist leader fighting against the bourgeoisie and capitalism.

Rather Rough on the Opera. A young woman from Baltimore, having seen most of the sights of New York, and having heard much of the famous amateur nights at a certain burlesque house, persuaded a friend to escort her to one of these entertainments.

Folding Beds Ancient. Four thousand years ago the Egyptians boasted folding beds. What is more surprising, 4,000 years ago the dwellers along the Nile cherished folding beds.

Herschel Centenary. The centenary of the death of Sir William Herschel was recently celebrated at Slough where he carried on many of his researches, assisted by his sister, Caroline. This is one of the most romantic episodes in the history of astronomy.

Plan for Cheap Electricity. Cheap electricity for rural districts may be produced by harnessing the winds if plans of the British ministry of agriculture succeed. It is believed that new buildings, built on hillsides, could house the machinery and the huge wings would project from the sides of the buildings and be spun by the wind horizontally just above the ground.

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CHOOSE TRACTOR FOR FARM WORK

Points to Consider Are Size, Reliability, Comfort and Safety of Operator.

BULLETIN WILL AID FARMER

Nature of Soil, Topography, Surface Conditions and Use to Be Made of Machine Should Be Thoroughly Studied Out.

Four principal factors should be given consideration in deciding on the size or horsepower of a tractor, says the bulletin: kind of soil, topography,



surface conditions, and the use to be made of the machine. The three principal types of tractors are the ordinary wheeled type, the crawler, and the general purpose tractor.

Select Standard Make. In choosing a tractor, the bulletin advises, the farmer can hardly go wrong if he selects one of the standard makes upon which he can obtain prompt service, and for which the parts that require the most attention and care and frequently need to be replaced are easily accessible.

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LOCAL RAILROAD YARDS INSPECTED

Group of Officials Here Today for Purpose of Planning an Improvement Contemplated in The Yard System.

An inspection of the local yards for the purpose of making further consideration of the extension and enlargement of the track here, was made today by a group of railroad officials.

This is a standard for HOW A MEMBER MAY GET OUT OF THE LEAGUE



A good way for a member to get out of the American Legion is to get into a penitentiary. This is a sure way to get out of the Legion.

Each post has the right to determine its own affairs. This means that a post may not only have the right to expel a member but also to determine when to do so.

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