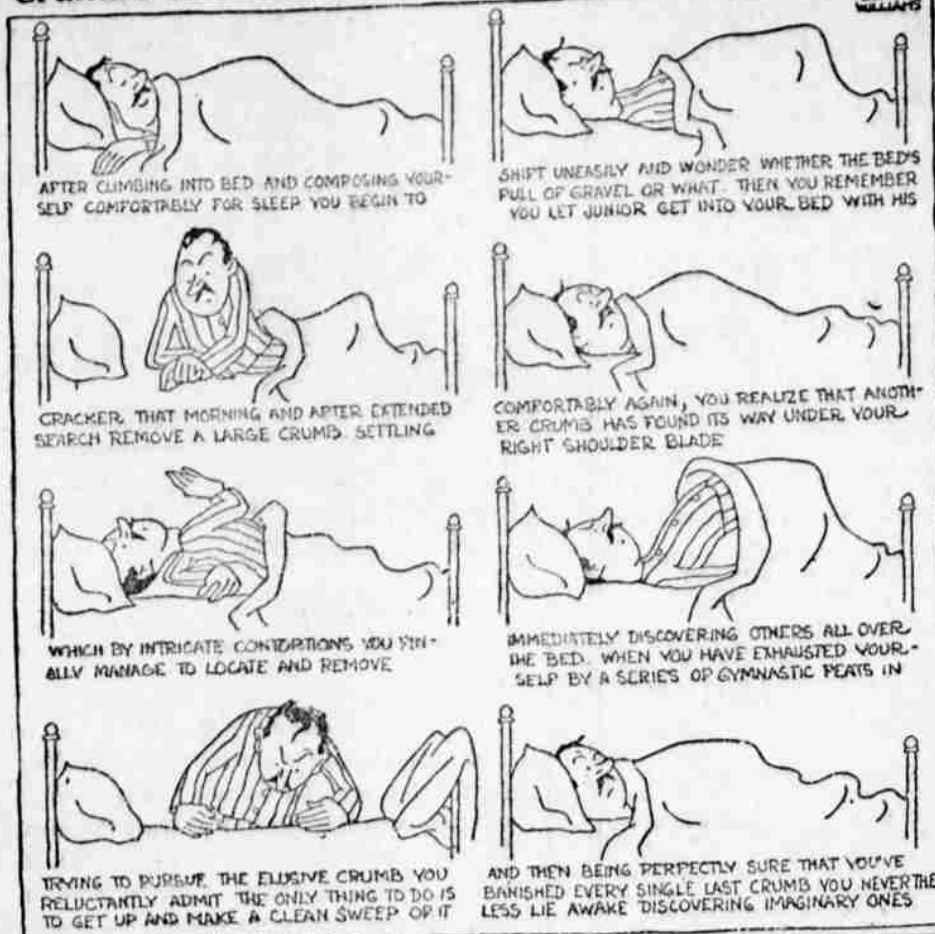


Bedtime Stories. Crumbs of Discomfort.

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS
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MORE ABOUT DAUGHERTY

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palously careful to select as members of the tribunal men of judicial character, with open minds, in order than an unprejudiced verdict might be rendered. The choice as majority members of this committee of men, some of whom have openly bitterly and falsely assailed me under senatorial immunity, and who had assailed my administration of the department of justice; the designation of a member of the committee as prosecutor who is the responsible author of the resolution against me; the refusal to apply to the proceedings any rule of evidence or to grant to me the customary immediate right of cross-examination and early opportunity for rebuttal; and, above all, the character of the witnesses, including blackmailers, bootleggers, confessed corruptionists and discharged and discredited government employers, not one of whom has given testimony that would be admitted as evidence in the most loosely conducted court of the land all there prove to fair-minded men that in the absence of competent and creditable testimony the elements in control of this committee seek to convict by immaterial and malicious gossip retailed by irresponsible witnesses. In such a tribunal, by such methods and out of the mouths of such witnesses, an honest man could be convicted of any crime.

"The American people confront a crisis in national affairs equal in gravity to any we have faced in our history.

gest making to the demand that you furnish the committee investigating the department of justice with files from that department relating to litigation and to the bureau of investigation. You represent to me and to the committee in your letter that it would not be compatible with the public to conclude your letter with a statement that I approve that position.

"Certainly I approve the well established principle that departments should not give out information where such a course would be detrimental to the public interest and this principle is always peculiarly applicable to your department which has such an intimate relation to the administration of justice. But you will readily perceive that I am unable to form an independent judgment in this instance without a long and intricate investigation of voluminous papers which I cannot personally make and so I should be compelled to follow the usual practice in such cases and rely upon your advice as attorney-general and head of the department of justice.

"But you will see at once that the committee is investigating your personal conduct and hence you have become an interested party and the committee wants these papers because of a claim that they disclose your personal conduct of the department. Assuming that the request of the committee is appropriately limited to designated files, still the question will always be the same. In view of the fact that the inquiry relates to your personal conduct, you are not in a position to give to me or the committee what would be disinterested advice as to the public interest.

"You have a personal interest in this investigation which is being made of the conduct of yourself and your office, which may be in conflict with your official interest as the attorney-general.

"I am not questioning your fairness or integrity. I am merely reciting the fact that you are placed in two positions, one your personal interest, the other your office of attorney-general, which may be in conflict.

"How can I satisfy a request for action in matters of this nature, on the ground that you, as attorney-general, advise against it, when you are the individual against whom the inquiry is directed, and necessarily have a personal interest in it. I do not see how you can be acting for yourself in your own defense in this matter and at the same time and on the same question acting as my adviser as attorney-general.

"These two positions are incompatible and cannot be reconciled. I am sure you will see that it is necessary for me to have the advice of a disinterested attorney-general in order that I may discharge the duties of my office in this and other matters. I feel certain that you will know how deeply I regret that this situation has arisen. It only illustrates the difficulties which are certain to recur with every increasing embarrassment and your inability to perform satisfactorily the duties of attorney-general under present conditions.

"You will readily understand that it is not now my intention to prejudice the issues which remain to be developed in this investigation. I recognize that you are entitled to a full and fair hearing, but as there is no way by which you can divest yourself of the interest you have personally in the investigation I can see no way but for you to retire as attorney-general and I therefore am compelled to request your resignation.

"Very truly yours,
"CALVIN COOLIDGE."

The attorney-general's reply, written today, follows:

"My dear Mr. President: I hereby acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 27 by the hand of your secretary, requesting my resignation as attorney-general of the United States.

"Solely out of deference to your request and in compliance therewith I hereby tender my resignation. While you do not state when you desired my resignation to become effective, I most respectfully request that it become effective forthwith.

"Yours very truly,
H. M. DAUGHERTY"

NARCOTIC COMBINE BELIEVED BROKEN

NEW YORK, March 28.—The New York end of an alleged narcotic smuggling combine, which federal agents charged had sent many packages of opium to Hollywood and other Pacific cities was believed today to have been broken up by a raid in a lower east side apartment last night in which \$750,000 in contraband was seized.

Two men who gave their names as Michael Heller and Max Gold, were arrested by six agents headed by Ralph H. Oyer chief of the narcotic division in Washington. The agents said a long search for one ounce tins of opium bearing a picture of white wheel on a black background hitherto had failed to disclose any such cans in any point save Hollywood and a few other western cities. Many of them were found in Heller's apartment, they charged.

The arrests were made after a lively chase along Avenue 'A' and Heller was captured only after he had run to a roof of an apartment house and had thrown away what the federal agents said was a package containing narcotics worth \$20,000 at street prices. In his apartment they said they found a load of smuggled goods hidden in a gas stove, in the ice box, under beds, in boxes and in clothing.

Heller was said to have maintained four automobiles with a chauffeur for each.

Alexander pattern hats for Easter and spring wear, just in from San Francisco. Make your selections early and get choice. The Hat Shop.

REPORT MADE ON SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

The following report of attendance and punctuality in the Roseburg schools during the seventh month of the school year, the month ending on March 27, was prepared and submitted by City School Superintendent, M. S. Hammett:

Total Pupils enrolled to date, 1,404; average number of pupils belonging, 1192.7; average daily attendance 1160.6; percent of attendance .97; number of tardinesses 58; pupils neither absent nor late 768; number visit by parents 37.

Combined record of attendance and punctuality by buildings and grades according to rank, is as follows:

All Schools, 95.3; Fullerton, 99.1; Rose, 98.8; Benson, 98.4; High School, 97.9.

Fullerton, 4A and 5A, 99.5; Rose, 8A, 99.4; Fullerton, 6A and 7A, 99.3; Rose, 3B and 5B, 99.2; Rose, 4A, 99.3; Rose, 7A, 99.3; Rose, 5A and 6B, 99.2; Benson, 3A, 99.1; Rose, 1B, and 1A, 99.1; Rose, 6B, 99.1; Rose, 7B and 8B, 99.1; Fullerton, 2A and 3A, 99.1; Benson, 1B and 4A, 99; Benson, 2nd, 98.8; Benson, 1A and 3B, 98.6; Benson, 4th, 98.6; Fullerton, 1A, 98.5; Rose 3rd and 4th, 98.5; Benson, 6th, 98.5; Rose, 2A and B, 98.4; High School 9th, 98.2; Benson, 7th, 98.2; High School, 10th, 97.8; Benson 5th, 97.8; High School, 11th, 97.4; Benson, 8th, 97.4; Rose, 1A, 95.4.

With the annual output from her clay-product industries valued at \$31,000,000, ranking the State second only to Ohio in pottery, tile, glassware, and other ceramics, Pennsylvania is meeting the demand for training in those industries by offering a four-year course in ceramic engineering at the State college, Ohio. New York, and New Jersey all support well-established schools of ceramics.

SAYS—NOW STIFF JOINTS MUST GO!

New Discovery Limbers 'Em Up and Even the Creaking Ceases.

Yes: It's true—the world progresses.

All you have to do nowadays to limber up that stiff, rusty knee joint is to squeeze a half inch of miracle-working substance from a tube.

Then rub it on the offending part for about a quarter of a minute or until it soaks through the skin and disappears on its errand of mercy.

Then read the evening newspapers and go to bed.

The chances are that your misbehaving knee joint will lose its "creak" while you are dreaming about the high fences you used to leap when you were a youngster.

"And in the morning," says one who has tried the new discovery, "you'll feel so happy that you'll want to jump into your sportiest clothes and walk briskly down the street just to show the neighbors that you are not as old as they think you are."

Joint Ease: They call this wonder-working substance for the reason that when ordinary remedies fail to limber up the stiff, inflamed rheumatic joint, or reduce the swelling, Joint-Ease succeeds.

It's a good name for a good, clean, stainless prescription that in just a few months has proven to a multitude of people that have, swollen, distorted joints can speedily have the kinks taken out of them and work as smoothly as ever.

But Joint Ease is for bothersome joints, whether in knee, ankle, hip, shoulder, spine or finger, and for that purpose its sale is immense.

Nathan Fullerton has a big supply of it and druggists everywhere report a big demand.

ONLY ONE VOTER AND HE CAN'T VOTE

ONTARIO, Calif., March 28.—Today is election day in the Camp Baldy school district north of here, and yet, although everyone knows the exact vote which can be cast and knows that the whole vote can only swing one way, no one knows how the election will come out or whether, indeed, there will be any.

Only one eligible voter in the district remembered to register early enough to give him the legal right to cast a ballot today, and at an early hour today it had not been decided whether he could legally act as election judge and inspector and sole voter as well.

It was predicted the district attorney might be able to straighten out the tangle before poll closing time.

FARM NEWS

(C. E. Spence, Market Agent.)

The tariff was originated as a sort of insurance against the competition of aliens to raise their products to the price of our higher standard country, or to keep them out entirely. In a way it was a sort of a "bonus" to the farmers and manufacturers of this country.

But the schedules do not act automatically. They do not rise or fall with changing conditions. They rise by organization strength and political pull, and they seldom fall. And as the years go by they become one-sided, from the fact that organized interests keep raising the fence against their products, while agriculture, with little organization and few representatives in congress, has but a three-barrier between it and the products of many countries where wages, standards and money keep going down.

And the result is that for the year ending June 30, 1923, there were brought into this country agricultural products aggregating the stupendous sum of \$3,315,000,000 while we only sold abroad for prices less than production cost \$1,727,000,000.

All the industries of our country, except agriculture, are prosperous, and all pay good wages. This condition is very largely due to unjust favoritism of the tariff duties. Manufactured articles are very largely protected, and what are not are protected by combination strength, while more than three and a quarter billions of dollars of agricultural products are brought in here to all to the "surplus" this country produces; to break down further the home prices of this surplus; to break down the wage scale of farmers and to force thousands more off the farms.

If the protective tariff system is to prevail in this nation then it should be repealed and just that all industries be on the same level and the duties on the former be worth as much as the duties of the manufacturer. If tariff schedules are to protect those who cannot compete with alien producers then let these schedules be so adjusted that three and a quarter billions of dollars worth of European and Asiatic products shall not be dumped onto the farmers of a country who are already almost buried under deflation.

Deflation, foreign importations, high freight and express rates, mounting taxation and the middle interests are all against the farming industry, and the result is that it is forced to a different basis than the other business.

LONDON ANXIOUS ABOUT TRAM STRIKE

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) LONDON, March 28.—London with deep concern the outcome of negotiations announced by the premier last night for settlement of the tram and bus strike.

The people built eager hopes on Mr. MacDonald's statement that both sides were desirous of a settlement, but there is no sign at present that either party to the dispute is likely to give way.

Unless a settlement or some workable compromise emerges from today's conference, the subway men and workers on the electric surface lines around London will strike at midnight and many of London's seven millions who habitually travel by these routes will be dependent on walking.

Electrical workers served an ultimatum on the government overnight, that failing settlement of the tramway men's grievances. London will be in darkness Saturday night, the Daily Express states.

Against this is another statement that the cutting of electric supply depends rather on the engineers and supervisors than the electrical trade unionists and that the former are quite unlikely to strike merely out of sympathy with the tramway men.

ness interests of the country. While other industries have protected themselves and boosted and maintained their prices in keeping with conditions, agriculture today pays 65 per cent more for what it is forced to buy than it did before the war, and is selling its products as low or lower than it did before the war. This condition forces an unequal exchange value for the farmer's dollar. His is a mighty dear dollar to get and a very cheap one to buy with.

Yet in the face of conditions that are daily forcing men from the farms, we import \$36,000,000 of dairy products, in the face of the desperate condition of the cattlemen we import \$5,693,000 of meats. In the face of the hazardous situation of the grain growers of the nation, we import \$24,000,000 of grain and grain preparations in one year.

The average annual income of the farm, according to statistics, is now less than \$500 per year, and the \$500 is below par in the markets of the nation. It is not "calamity howling" to state these conditions, but rather to forestall future further calamity that is certain to result to other industries of our country. If this unjust two-standard system continues. Any hard-headed business head will admit this will be the result.

"MELLON COMPANY" IS GIVEN ALLOWANCES

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Internal revenue bureau officials went to work today on the preparation of definite figures as to "losses depletion," and other allowances granted the Gulf Oil corporation, a "Mellon company" in tax cases for 1917, 1918 and 1919, which resulted in its being credited with net excessive payments totalling \$2,775,600.

The figures were ordered yesterday by the senate committee investigating the bureau, and are to be presented Monday when it resumes its inquiry.

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A CITY BEAUTIFUL

"What Shall We Do With Our Weedy And Unsightly Lots?"

Roseburg is situated in a beautiful valley on an equally beautiful river and it seems a shame that this natural beauty should be marred simply by the carelessness of the people. There is no reason why with a little effort that Roseburg cannot be a much more beautiful place than it already is.

The owners of vacant lots have permitted them to grow up with weeds and grasses until they are very unsightly. I suggest that the city make it compulsory for the owners of these unsightly lots to clean them, keep the grass cut, and plant roses and trees in the parkings of these vacant lots. The work in doing this would be very little compared with the good this undertaking would do our city. There are several unsightly lots along south Stephens street that I imagine do not impress tourists very favorably as they come into our city. Later, however, the people along this street are improving their lawns and parkings considerably as a result of "The City Beautiful Campaign" but as yet nothing has been done with the vacant and weedy lots.

These lots could very easily and with comparatively little expense be made into "rest parks" which would certainly add to the attractiveness and beauty of our city. In doing this it would advertise this person's property and it would be of advantage to the general public. "Rest Parks" are undoubtedly something a city the size of Roseburg needs. Plant trees, roses and other shrubbery to make these lots beautiful. Place benches and fountains to make it a restful place for the public. Roseburg has nothing of this sort at the present time and it surely is time we were doing something along this line.

I'm sure that we are in a beautiful spot. In "City Beautiful Campaign" red the people and the committee can do something with out the cooperation of the people of these men and women work to make it a beautiful place. A little time and a little money will place it in a place I've seen.

I'm certain that with the Roseburg working in with "The City Beautiful" very many beautiful things will be done. I hope you will be able to place it in a place I've seen.

FERN L. CHASE

Physician Advised

"My wife suffered from stomach trouble and was unable to eat. I tried many remedies but to no avail. I then tried 'The City Beautiful' and found it to be a most effective remedy. I have since used it and it has given me much relief. I highly recommend it to all who suffer from stomach trouble."—J. H. Miller, Roseburg, Ore.

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