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EDUCATING THE MEN.

Members of the women's clubs speak of the great amount of educational work these organizations are all the time carrying on in our state. The majority of these clubs have informing lectures and a good many study classes. Some of them will run 10 to 20 classes for study of various subjects. They take up parliamentary law, current events, house-keeping, foreign languages, literature, politics, music, and a wide range of subjects. Meanwhile the majority of the men do not seem inclined to do much along the self educating line. Most of them would say they were too tired for such work after finishing their daily tasks. Many of them of course are active in civic organizations, fraternal societies, churches, and yet the average man probably does no more in that line than the average woman. One reason why progressive causes do not get the support they ought to, is that so many men are not taking any pains to keep themselves posted on the things that are going on. They would not join any study class to consider such questions, they are not much given to attending lectures. You can perhaps get them out to hear public addresses if you offer them a good "feed." But a great deal is going on in the country that they do not know about. If the men will not join organized efforts for self education, there is at least one thing they all can do without hurting themselves any, in fact they always enjoy doing it as soon as they form the habit, and that is to read the newspapers and magazines with considerable thoroughness. If they do this, they will keep up with the education that the women folks are getting. They need to do it for the benefit of their home towns, so that the community shall keep up with the procession. A man without this general intelligence is also poorly equipped for personal success.

The spelling contest held at the high school auditorium last evening under the direction of the Kiwanis club, in which children of the grade schools participated, was a real "spelling bee." The youngsters demonstrated that they had given a lot of hard study to enter the contest, covering a great range of words very successfully. This has become an annual event with the Kiwanis club and their efforts in behalf of the school children were fully repaid by the interest and attendance at last evening's contest. Valuable prizes were awarded to the successful contestants, ranging from a five dollar gold piece to a beautiful watch valued at \$55.

Rev. H. L. Caldwell, who for the past five years has faithfully served the congregation of the Baptist church in Roseburg, delivers his farewell sermon tomorrow. His many warm friends here deeply regret that the pastor has been called to a new field, but the fact that he is going to a much larger community, Pasadena, California, is evidence of his true worth and ability. Both Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell have been active in civic as well as church affairs of this city and they will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends. Pasadena is mighty fortunate in its efforts to secure a man of the ability of Rev. Caldwell.

President Coolidge has suggested that May 1 be observed as Child Health day. Healthy children grow up into healthy men and women who are likely to do good work in the world. Many children who have difficulty in getting through school, are really afflicted by physical defects which retard their mental development. Formerly it was thought that all you had to do to obtain good schools was to turn children into a schoolroom and give them books and teachers. But if a child has an imperfect physical machine to work with, his scholastic results will probably be below normal.

With present weather conditions prevailing over Sunday a lot of gasoline will be spilled—and the usual number of fatal accidents reported Monday.

Rippling Rhymes

Wolf Mason

ANOTHER LESSON.

Ten years ago the Lewis gang engaged in theft and slaying, though wise men told them they would hang for all their wanton playing. The leaders were young men of brains, with divers talents gifted; they might have piled up honest gains had they not criminally drifted. With dire, felonious intent, about the west they skated, a scrobbled and murdered as they went, and soon were celebrated. At first they dodged the painting sleuths and made the cops look futile; they pillaged banks and kindred booties by methods fierce and brutal. They made big hauls at ovens, lanes, convincing youthful readers that men may prosper by crimes if they have dauntless leaders. Where are those dauntless bandits now? Do they enjoy their plunder? Do they in peace consume their chow? Young readers doubtless wonder. All members of that gallant band are dead or jailed forever; the law survived to see them canned, despite their methods clever. The law at last began to frown, grown weary of their fooling; like wild beasts they were hunted down by men of Javert schooling. Some died in jail and some out doors; the couple still surviving are doing penitential chores with no reward arriving. Some boys would take the bandit trail because it seems romantic; it only leads to death and jail and to remorse that's frantic. There's no romance in wicked ways, no glamor can they borrow; they never lead to happy days, they only lead to sorrow.

PRUNE DICKIN'S

By BERT G. DATES

GOOD EVENING FOLKS

Tonight's Bawth Nite
And after the Hayseed Festival
Well all
Need one
Dern bad.

DUMBELL DORA THINKS
Folks under dine and wine—now they dine and wine.

COME OUT OF THERE, MAURICE
(Ad in Minneapolis Journal)
LOST—Dark gray suit coat with small brown stripes. Maurice L. Rethchild in inside pocket.

THE SKEPTIC
"Some day the lion and the lamb will lie down together."
"Yeah! And the lion will be the one to get up!"

MUTUAL SHOCK
(News Item)
A gent in Idaho shot a bear with a bow and arrow, much to the surprise of both.

BROKE OUT
"You say that you had been at your last place ten years?" "How did you come to leave?"
"Well," said the applicant hesitatingly, "I broke out!"

RATTLES
"Can any one tell me," asked the teacher, "what makes the sound we call rattling?"
"Please, ma'am," replied a youngster, "it's a pal's second-hand flivver."

THE PRETTY BOOKKEEPER
A handsome young chap strolled in. "Do they keep automobile accessories here?"
The little bookkeeper smiled her sweetest. "Only me," she replied.

GIVE IT UP
Diner—"Walter, why is it that there is a trouper button in my soup?"
Walter—"I don't know, sir. We employ only female help."

MIGHT AS WELL FINISH
Customer—"I hear Jones has selected six bankers to act as pallbearers."
Richards—"Well, they've carried him for years; they might just as well finish the job."

STARTING IN YOUTH
Betty came running into the house in a state of great excitement.
"Bobby Smith kissed me!" she announced at the top of her shrill voice.
"Why, Betty," cried her mother, "what did he do that for?"
"Well, I'm not sure—but I think I have the stronger will."

As tomorrow is Sunday
We expect that
A letter to the law
Will be out in
Their plain fairs
Shovels and
Shapely shins
And casual we
Skins and fella
To turn green
With envy.

State Press Comment

College Entrance.

By vote of the faculty, the University of Oregon will hereafter receive only on probation, high school graduates who are signing in low. This step is in line with the new policy in education which would not be useful to crowd college halls students who for lack of mental ability or moral stability, cannot or will not make full use of the opportunities offered.

University training is an expensive luxury. We have held, at times, the prospect of making it a right of the state, to be had for the asking. State universities are finding themselves overwhelmed by the magnitude of the task, and are soliciting and receiving private funds and endowments for buildings and other special purposes.

Already the unqualified state is not meeting its educational obligations. If we conceive these to be running an educational free lunch, open to all comers and supplying everything from the "Three R's" to a doctor's degree. If we are to approximate this service we must find some place to draw the line, and deciding to serve patrons who persist in throwing away our clearest vantage, seems a good place to begin. It is poor economy to rob an appreciative and promising Peter to pay an ungrateful and profligate Paul.

The new ruling does not altogether deny admittance to students of doubtful value, but accepts them on trial. If by any chance an unfortunate high school experience has failed to develop a real ability, the student may discover himself in college, and he is given the chance to do so, but he is not permitted to dawdle through four years of his life, and the generous state of the taxpayer's money, with no profit to himself or anyone else. — Portland Telegram.

Youth And The Church.

At Albany this week, delegates from Oregon's Christian Endeavor societies assembled in convention, are devoting to the problems of youth the thought and attention of the entire body. The mere fact that 700 young people find it worth while to come together to consider the ends of their Christian endeavor, is in itself a reproof to those alarmists who see nothing but demoralization and danger in this jazz-jangled age.

In the strict life of Puritan New England, under coercion from their elders, young people attended church services planned and conducted by those elders. The boys and girls were physically present in the stiff pews of the chilly meeting house, but in the spirit they were often far away. With the passing of the Puritan formalism of religion, we have today the meetings arranged for and by the young people themselves. Under various names, the young people's organizations have come to be a very important part of all religious activities, and with important results in character and life.

For with all their ordered church going, even those old fashioned New England youngsters gave their parents anxious moments. An authentic story is told of an old deacon who tearfully reported to the church meeting that despite all his cautioning, his son "Zach" had deserted in "gon courtin'" on Saturday night. It must therefore report him in a corrective and propose that the church, recognizing the boys' hopeless state, should "leave him over to the buffeting of Satan." At the back of the meeting house another voice added, "I leave my son Jonathan over with him."

But this is a digression. The point is that it is the traditional part of fathers to "leave their sons over to the buffeting of Satan," the provocation which changes with changing fashions. The Christian Endeavorers, while respecting the church, try to conform to the standards which in all conscientious poverty they hold right. It is, after all, a savior foundation for a lasting structure of character, and a merely formal acceptance of outward forms.

In these earnest groups of young people will be found the future leaders of the church, and one suspects, the future leaders of business, the professions, and of the state as well. — Portland Telegram.

Life Perkins Sez:

"The feller who spits on the sidewalk is the same bird who has egg on his vest."

Yo, fella! A lot of harrass, spring north and west types wharver hoks.

WARNING ISSUED REGARDING MAIL ORDER INSURANCE

"The Union National Life Insurance Company of Kansas City, Kansas, in recommending this mail-order accident insurance, according to a circular issued by Will Moore, Commissioner of the State Department of Insurance, 'Inasmuch as the one purchasing a policy from this company does not have the protection of this department, or of any of the laws of Oregon, it is appropriate that the citizens should be informed regarding this class of insurance,' the circular says."

"There are two primary causes for mail order insurance: First, to escape the payment of taxes; and second, to avoid the restrictions placed upon licensed companies for the protection of the policyholders."

"Should a claim against one of these policies be contested, the policyholder would be forced to go to the courts of Kansas for recovery, as the courts of Oregon would be closed to him."

"In purchasing insurance of any kind, it is advisable to patronize only those companies which are licensed to do business in this state, as these companies are under the supervision of the insurance department and are amenable to all of the laws of the state of Oregon."

Three R Perfection

Senator R. L. Eddy is still of the opinion that educational fundamentals, such as grammar, spelling, and arithmetic, are not so well grounded in the grade schools and should be given attention in high schools. That is the opinion of one who has learned from experience and has closely observed most of our high school teachers. However, differ with the senator. They consider that these studies belong to the grades and pupils should not be allowed to enter high schools until they fully demonstrate that they are so proficient in these branches as to never forget, that continued application for four years would do no harm. The high school curriculum, rather, the student would be unable to acquire foundation for a college course from the presentation of a high school diploma, colleges take it for granted that the applicant is well versed in grammar, arithmetic, and spelling, and can write legibly. Probably, instead of insisting upon changing routine of study in high schools, Senator Eddy should introduce a bill in the state senate to give the high school graduates in high school, arithmetic and spelling, to be ascertained through rigid examination, before they are accepted by any college or university in the state that receives state support. Woodburn Independent.

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BAD EPIDEMIC OF MEASLES IS TO BE EXPECTED

publicly oppose this bill? For any personal or selfish reason? Absolutely not. This club, unblinded by prejudice and narrow-mindedness, can see the ultimate damage of such a law. Let us boost this fair valley as the Umpqua Chiefs are doing and forget such narrow and petty legislation.

A FAIR THINKER.

RIISING RIVER OF ICE INUNDATING MOSCOW REGION

MOSCOW, April 24.—The Moscow River is at freshet and half a dozen suburban villages are under water. The river is gradually rising, and that part of the city lying along its banks is threatened with inundation unless the waters begin to recede. Traffic was paralyzed last night when ice floes were swept from the river upon the pavement at the Trotsky gate, the principal entrance to the famous Kremlin.

The suburbs have been cut off by the waters and thousands of persons have been forced to abandon their homes. Throughout the night, boats bearing torches preceded a fantastic sight on the river and its tributaries as rescue parties moved hither and thither to take marooned families to higher ground. Likewise pontoon battalions were busily engaged in rescuing peasants and their cattle.

Field kitchens have been established at various points to feed homeless persons and military barracks have been opened to give them shelter. Scores of houses located near the Bronx bridge are flooded. Firemen in boats rescued the occupants.

Physicians are urged to cooperate with the State Board of Health by reporting all cases and taking prompt measures to guard very young children who may have been exposed to measles.

Measles still seem to be a necessary evil, though it is not necessary for it to be as great an evil as it is today. To some extent its evils can be turned to advantage in combating other diseases. More attention should be given to preventive methods and investigation. Measles is a typical epidemic disease spread by human contact. Measles epidemics occur in large cities about every two or three years and in smaller places at somewhat longer intervals. If measles appeared only every twenty or thirty years we would observe much the same disruption of social and economic life that is common to an epidemic of influenza. Under such circumstances it would not be a disease confined to childhood as it is today, but would attack adults, particularly young adults. This has been proven by the occurrence of measles epidemics in isolated communities where the disease has been introduced for the first time or where it has occurred between long intervals.

"The suppression of measles is one of the most difficult problems that health authorities have to face, and its prevalence is not likely to decrease until it can be recognized before it is transmissible; and also, not until health authorities have the cooperation of a public educated to the knowledge that to expose children to measles is playing with death."

MILLINERY SCHOOLS AT CAMAS VALLEY AND DIXONVILLE

Considerable interest is being shown among the rural women concerning the millinery schools which will be held in the Camas Valley and Dixonville communities during the week of April 26 to May 1. These schools have been arranged for through the office of the county agent and they will be personally conducted by Miss Esther B. Cooley, specialist in clothing, extension department, O. A. C.

It is suggested that the women who attend these schools bring with them all the old hats they can find in their attics and covering fabrics which may be found in scrubby attics or satin dresses, reefer blouses or petticoats, also any trimmings which they may have stored away. All of these materials may prove of value in their bonnet construction. Individual equipment for these schools consists of a package of pins, milliner's needles and thread, tape line, thimble, shears, tailor's clasp, pencil and paper.

One school will be held at the Dixonville hall on April 26, 28 and 30, and the other will be held in the Boy Scouts' room of the Marquette hall at Camas Valley on April 27, 29 and May 1. The schools will begin about 10 o'clock in the morning and continue until about 3:30 in the afternoon. It is hoped that the women will bring their hats and come prepared to stay throughout the day. There is no expense in connection with these schools other than each woman furnishes the material which she uses in her work.

All of the women in the communities mentioned and surrounding communities are invited to attend as many of the schools as convenient and take part in the work and discussions.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS CULTURE WILL BE ATTEMPTED HERE

Foster Butler, who recently returned from an eastern trip, states that he found there is a great demand for brussels sprouts, and while California ships a great quantity of this produce there is never enough to supply the demand for brussels sprouts, and Brussels sprouts grown in Douglas county for commercial purposes, but it is known that the plant thrives here, a few persons having grown it for their own use.

Butler states that he has a quantity of the seed on hand that he is anxious to distribute among all growers who desire to test the culture of this plant in Douglas county and hopes sufficient interest will be taken in the matter to determine whether this section of the state is adapted to the plant. Those interested should get in touch with Mr. Butler at once and he will supply them with seed.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

ON SUNDAY CLOSING

Roseburg Ore., April 22 Editor News-Review: One of the most important questions to be decided by the voters of Roseburg in the coming primaries is whether the Sunday closing bill will become a reality or the memory of the efforts of a certain class of people in the city.

The true American takes pride in the fact that he has unrestricted liberty within the bounds of sound reasoning. Is there any sane reading of this article who can say that this bill would be no check on this liberty? Rather, would he not say that it is the goal of a selfish few who would deprive us of one of our just rights?

As we review the history of the Puritans, we are reminded at their tyrannical intolerance, but in this vastly more enlightened age, are we not thereby astounded to see the unceasing efforts of a few who would gladly cast us back into such a condition from which America has emerged?

Would not these sects gain much greater prominence were they to bring the man on the corner to their doors by their own honest endeavor rather than by resorting to politics?

Long, hard and bitter was the struggle which separated church and state, but cannot the church and its adherents see that the majority of the creeds today are doing the state little harm in an effort to gain their own ends?

Why does the best and most loyal booster club for Roseburg and Douglas county openly and

THE PERFECT SPEAKER

I am delighted that Chairman Ellis has called on me to speak. I am thoroughly prepared, since I am certain that I would be asked to make an occasion without a speech by me would be a complete failure. I like to make after-dinner speeches, and am thoroughly used to it, and doubt that I have an equal at it in this county. Certainly I have none here tonight, for the speakers before me have left a great deal of said kind of what they have stated can be improved upon by me, and the other half I entirely disagree with. Now all this doesn't remind me of the story about the two Frenchmen before the judge. In fact, I doubt whether my ideas could be more entirely disconnected. I am tempted to tell you the story to prove my point, but in view of the collection of clowns which have already been roared upon you, I shall not impose further upon your intelligence and good nature by so doing.

However, gentlemen, you are in for a bitter disappointment. I see by the disappointed look over the door that it is now eight-twenty. The clock is probably slow. I have a theater engagement at eight-thirty, so I must leave you now. I hope that next year the banquet will be a success. It's about time. Good night.—Life.

PORTLAND-YAKIMA STATE LINE PERMIT ISSUED

OLYMPIA, Wash., April 24.—Passenger and express service by automobile stage between Yakima and Portland and intermediate points has been authorized by the Department of Public Works to the Yakima Transit company. The company, which also operates in the vicinity of Yakima, has held a certificate authorizing interstate service only between Yakima and Portland for some time.

If your tractor disc will not cut into the ground get one of our K-H-Ber cover crop discs. They have 22-inch blades and weigh enough to make them cut. We have sizes for all makes of tractors. Wharton Bros.

BEAUTY CHATS

EDNA KENT FORBES

MORE FACIAL MASSAGE

Yesterday's facial massage directions went only so far as the forehead, cheeks and chin. The two places where definite wrinkles appear first are around the eyes and down the sides of the mouth.

The Eyes—The motion is always the same for this part. Run the fingers lightly over the eyelids, then press more heavily at the corners of the eyes, and bring them, still pressing rather heavily, under and back to the nose. This goes crosswise over those lines.

For Mouth Wrinkles—When above the mouth, start in the middle and massage out to the cheeks. You can manage this most conveniently using only the two middle fingers. When at the sides of the mouth, use either the palms of the hands, spread with cream, as you do for sunken cheeks, or the fingers. Begin at the point of the chin and go upward across those wrinkles. Some massagers use the whole flat part of the finger so as to cover the entire wrinkle each time; it isn't important, the main thing is that the stroke should cross the wrinkles and raise the fallen muscles that cause them.

The Nose—Rub up and down the nose and press inward on the nostrils, which often have a tendency to bulge and look fat, and spoil the face. Vigorous massage of this sort will help clear the nose of blackheads.

Beyond this simple outline, you need not bother. The professional massagers at \$5 to \$10 an hour will tell you of dozens of other massage motions. They are not of enough benefit for you to learn them. For a home massage, you want to stimulate the skin, work in cream, or some oil if there are wrinkles, and refresh the tired muscles.

Katharine C. D.—If you train yourself to eat less than formerly you may not need to omit the fattening foods. It is possible that you have increased your weight by consuming more food than you actually required; one does this without realizing it.

If you try dieting for a few days, you will find that you do not crave the quantity of food that you did before. Experiment this way for a few weeks and if you do not lose some weight, begin to omit some of the starch foods, or omit all sugar from your food.

Inquiring Ann and Kate—One reason why many bobbed heads look so trim is due to the way the hair is trained after the shampoo. Some women comb the hair while it is still damp in just the way they wish it to remain afterward. To make it set, they tie it into place with a net while it dries.

Tomorrow—Pretty Feet.

Efficient Housekeeping

BY Laura A. Kirkman

BRASS BEDS

any good paint shop. Any standard and polish may be used to brighten the brass before you reacquaint. Or you can make your own brass polish as follows:

Brass Polish: Mix together one ounce of oxalic acid (F.O.S.O.N.), six ounces of powdered rotten stone, one-half ounce of powdered gum arabic, one ounce of soft soap, one ounce of oil and enough water to make a thick paste. The oxalic acid should be in the form of a saturated solution, made by adding the crystals to an ounce of hot water till it will dissolve no more.

Once you have reacquainted your brass bed, you will need only to wipe with a cloth to keep it bright and clean.

I have known cases, however, where the brass bed has been neglected to the point of being nearly polished to a mirror, with the result that the many positions have worn the brass off the bed. There are then two choices of procedure—either to send the bed back to the factory to have its brass polish reworked, or to paint it white.

To prepare a brass bed for painting, remove whatever heavier remains on it with degreasing alcohol. Rub down the surface by brushing over with muriatic acid (F.O.S.O.N.) or else by rubbing with coarse sandpaper. (If you use the acid wash it off well afterward and turn the bed over, taking care not to let them touch hands or clothing.) Apply three coats of flat white paint and two of enamel, allowing 24 hours between the coats, and smoothing all but the last coat with number double-nothing sandpaper to remove brush marks.

Diet and Health

By Lulu Hunt Peters, M.D.

Author of Diet and Health and Diet for Children

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS

YEAST CAKES.

J.—There is no doubt that some people are benefited by taking yeast for constipation and skin troubles. Yeast is very high in the vitamin B, the anti-rheumatic vitamin while has a great deal to do with the integrity of the intestinal tract. As a rule, though, it is best to get your vitamin B from the more bulky fruits and vegetables. This vitamin B is especially high in fresh raw cabbage, tomatoes (raw, canned or dried), beans, fresh spinach, yeast and yeast extracts.

Yeast is so calories to the cereal, the moist cakes of yeast weigh one-half ounce and so are approximately 20 calories.

Mrs. A.—If your husband is passing blood and mucus, he should have a complete examination, including a rectal examination. This condition may be caused by a number of things, among them mucous colitis, hemorrhoids, tumors, or ulcers.

If your doctor says, without an examination, to do nothing for it, that it will right itself in time, I suggest that you see another doctor who is more conscientious and knows his profession.

Has She Scurvy?

Miss F. has abscesses at the roots of her teeth and says she was "frightened" by a dentist into having them all pulled out except the right of the lower teeth. The dentist told her she would be better in a week after the teeth were out, but she wasn't. In fact, she was very much worse. Neither of the plates fitted and lately she has had to have the other eight teeth out. And she has been worse ever since! A doctor said that she was worn out with hard work and had neuritis. She feels better since moving to the city, but her gums continue to be very sore and ulcerated. She was thrown from an automobile and severely injured around the head, but without permanent disfigurement. This accident was a great shock and left her weaker than before. She wants to know if scientific diet would remove this soreness from her gums.

Because it will be difficult for you to eat, I will give you an excellent milk and orange juice diet. I want you to know that I will keep any plates in my mouth while the gums are sore. You should go to a institution that gives an artificial diet, if you cannot, write to me again in care of this news paper asking for a list of books on diet diet. (Enclose self-addressed, stamped envelope.) You must have some fresh orange juice, 2 or 3 glasses of it a day, with your milk, for this scurvy which you probably have, in order to gain weight, you will have to have as high as five or six quarts of milk daily.

Your dentist was right in saying that abscessed teeth are dangerous.

You had better send for our booklet on gaining lost (Enclose self-addressed, stamped envelope, and ten cents in stamps.)

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