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George T. Cochran, candidate for Superintendent of Water in the Eastern Oregon district was a winner in the recent election by a wide margin, having come out of the fray with 2,281 to the good.

Mr. Cochran will take office January first. The office will not mean severance of the law firm of Cochran & Cochran, exactly, for the duties of the water superintendent are not such as require constant attention and Mr. Cochran will be able to attend to personal matters at times. Hence the firm will be kept intact except that provisions in the firm agreement will sever the two partners when water cases are being heard.

Mr. Cochran's victory was made over F. M. Saxton of Baker City, the present incumbent by appointment.

## Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

### PERT PARAGRAPHS.

OTHER things besides a breakfast may be overdone. When the minister pictures the deceased as a saint the congregation sometimes remembers that all the big apples were at the top of his peck measure.

Many a man who can't see a joke can scent a dime a block away.

Every man thinks the other fellow's job is the easier, and maybe it is.

Women who believe that their husbands are "so bashful" do not know all.

A man will stand around for an hour waiting to see a heavyweight champion walk from the barber shop to his automobile and then wonder why his wife is so silly as to tire herself out attending a cloak opening when she knows she can't have a new coat this season.

When a candid friend gives his opinion of a performance of ours we know that we have heard the worst.

"This is my busy day" is a patent protector from the disagreeable.

When a man begins "That boy of yours" his wife immediately knows the boy is in trouble again.

If we could only do half the things in a day that we plan to do we would soon be out of a job.

It is better to be born poor than to be born relation to some people.

We may never weary in well doing and yet weary in being well done.

The youth and maiden who start out thinking that matrimony is a long, sweet dream sometimes wake to find it a nightmare of rent and grocery bills.

### Superlative.

Oh, joy! The charming rah-rah boy Has buckled on his togs and jogs Superbly to the front to do his stunt With that dear old pigskin. Speaking of dim.

Here is where you get it net. Incased in a chaste Quilting bee, he jumps in glee From neck to neck, leaving his opponents a wreck

Unless they see him first and do their worst On his frail frame, just to keep the game From languishing and looking like a lazy man fishing for pike.

Is there blood in his eye? Is he timid and shy And saying, "Come on, fellows, let's be playing Tiddle-de-wink?" I don't think! Is he afraid he will hurt some one or get dirt

On his Sunday pants? At a glance I should say nay. His aim is to make the battle of Waterloo

Look like a parade of the young man afraid His shoes will get unshined. Lined Up for bed, he is waiting there To hear the coacher say: "Get busy! This is no Roman holiday!"

### Sure Cure.

"Oh, brace up!" "Brace up! I'd like to know how I can brace up under all I have to carry."

"Would you really like to know?" "Yes." "Buy a dozen bottles of my back-bone tonic."

### Men Do Not Take.



Men do not take surprisingly to physical culture when it confronts them in the shape of a lawn mower that grumbles because it has to chew off the grass.

### Not Necessary.

"Look yourself over critically." "What! Me?" "Yes." "Not much?" "Why not?" "My friends do all the criticizing that one man can stand."

When you have a cold get a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It will soon fix you up all right and will ward off any tendency toward pneumonia. This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. Sold by all dealers.

### Puffed?

Mrs. Jones—I see, Elijah, that they have uncovered in an Egyptian tomb the tomb of a man whose right leg was nearly a foot longer than his left. How strange!

Mr. Jones—Not at all, Miranda! Simply convincing evidence that the church fair and festival had vogue in ancient Egypt.—Browning's Magazine

### The Awakening.

I dream'd of her I once loved best, Who once my being had possessed, Whose hand I'd passionately pressed. Once more I sought her out with zest. "She'll love to welcome me," I guessed.

And then—ah! the That it should be! With bitter pain I guessed again.

I found a bird in last year's nest With plumage rare Of yellow hair. With her sweet golden head at rest Upon the vest He wore on his protruding chest! —Harper's Weekly.

### Defined.

"Richard?" "What is it, dearie?" "What is a 'harem'?" I've never understood."

"A harem, my dear, is a bunch of happy homes organized into a trust under the laws of the state of New Jersey."—Cleveland Leader.

Hobble, Hobble! Hobble, hobble, little maid! Wonder you are not afraid, Up around the hips so generous, Down around the knees so slenderous. Hobble, hobble, little maid! Wonder you are not afraid.

Hobble, hobble, little one! Wonder now your hobbling's done. If a little breeze should blow You would topple over—so! There! Don't cry! No harm is done. Hobble, hobble, little one! —New York Times.

Side Lights on Mythology. Aeolus, god of the winds, had just evolved the tornado.

"Merely practicing," he said. "Later, when in the full maturity of his powers, he turned nose what is known as the Masonic temple breeze."—Chicago Tribune.

Burned Up. The fly screens have been put away. The ice cream freezer, too, And the electric fan is still. It has no work to do.

And soon, with scuffle in my hand, I'll in the cellar peer And probably shall find my coal Was all burned up last year. —Chicago News.

Still a Woman. Hewitt—She is a man in her enjoyment of baseball.

Jewett—But she showed that she is still a woman by refusing to sit through the full-ninth inning.—New York Press.

A Rhyme of the Times. There was a young fellow named Coony, Who fell deep in love and got moony. He spent all his cash On the girl, which was rash. When she shook him all said, "Now, who's loony?" —Baltimore American.

Close to the Soil. "How can I get next to the plain people? A man can't split rails these days."

"Well, you might split a few infinites."—Spokane Spokesman-Review.

A Look Around. Beyond the Alps lies Zeppelin. Fresh fallen, like the rain, His ship a mass of twisted tin And his fortune split in twain. Ains, when will the count begin To build an aeroplane? —St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

### Guaranteed Liquor Cure.

Drunkenness is a progressive disease; the moderate drinker is not satisfied with two or three drinks a day, the craving for more and more becomes irresistible as the disease advances; the result is Chronic Alcoholism.

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The following grocery stores will be closed all day Thanksgiving. Patison Bros., City Grocery & Bakery, Geddes Bros., Snodgrass Grocery, Thorne Grocery, Harris Market and White Grocery. On Wednesday evening, the stores will keep open till 9 p. m.

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TWO MINUTE CURE FOR COLD IN HEAD OR CHEST.

It is Curing Thousands Daily, and Saves Time and Money.

Get a bowl three quarters full of boiling water, and a towel.

Pour into the water a teaspoonful of HYOMEI (pronounced High-o-me)

Put your head over the bowl and cover both head and bowl with towel.

Breathe the vapor that arises for two minutes, and presto! your head is as clear as a bell and the tightness in the chest is gone.

Nothing like it to break up a heavy cold, cure sore throat or drive away a cough. It's a pleasant cure. You'll enjoy breathing Hyomei. You'll feel at once its soothing, healing and beneficial effects as it passes over the inflamed and irritated membrane. 50 cents a bottle, at druggists everywhere. Ask the Newlin Drug Store for an extra bottle of Hyomei Inhalent. Nov. 21-Dec. 2.

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If your doctor does not recommend your bringing his prescription to us it's because he doesn't want to appear partial. He knows, however, that better prescription service than ours is unobtainable. He will be glad if you do come here.—Newlin Drug Co.

### To the Public.

My wife, Mrs. Laura Owens, having left my bed and board, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her after Nov. 12, 1910. BURT M. OWENS.

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### Impressing Mary.

A colored lady from the interior of Virginia had her first view of the ocean the other day. She stood on the porch of the cottage where she was to cook for a few months and took one short glance at the sea, which was calm and quiet that afternoon. Then she turned away.

"Well, Mary," said her mistress, "what do you think of the sea?"

"Peaks to me it's awful flat," replied Mary, and she went into the house without another look.—Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post.

### No More.

We used to smile at pictures gay That showed the farmer as "a Jay." Who chewed a straw and said "By gum." And thought that he was going some if he should spend a silver dime When up to town to have a time. That was the way we talked of yore. We do not talk so any more.

Your uncle comes around today, The owner of a load of hay And live stock, too, and corn and things, Enough to ransom petty kings. His bank account is something great. Besides his lands and real estate, And so his garden we improve, We'll never josh him any more. —Washington Star.

### Not For Good.

There are many reasons for a girl's giving up office work, but one mentioned in the following story is perhaps the most effective that could be invented:

"Miss Smith is going away," said one of the stenographers to another. "Is she leaving for good?" "No, not for good; for better or for worse."—Brooklyn Life.

"I had been troubled with constipation for two years and tried all of the best physicians in Bristol, Tenn., and they could do nothing for me," writes Thos. E. Williams, Middleboro, Ky. "Two packages of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cured me." For sale by all dealers.

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