

GOING DOWN

A Moving Tale In 5 Chapters

CHAPTER I

He didn't get new clothes—wouldn't spend the money.

CHAPTER II

He didn't get the job—didn't look the part.

CHAPTER III

He didn't get the girl—couldn't support her "in the style I've been accustomed to."

CHAPTER IV

He didn't get ahead—hadn't ever scratched his head to figure out why-and-because

CHAPTER V

He didn't get wise to himself, and now he's moved
way
down
the
bottom.

There's A Moral To This
And The Moral Is This:

"Dress Well And Succeed"

Westenhaver & Gilbert
W&G

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The Store For Men

HOOD RIVER APPLES GOOD

HOOD RIVER, Ore. (Special).

According to information gathered by shipping concerns of this district, no fruit section of the northwest will approach closer than the mid-Columbia areas of Oregon and Washington this year to the tonnage of 1923. While some variance exists in the estimates of growers and shippers here, consensus of opinion places the Hood river valley crop at nearly that of a year ago, when 2000 carloads were rolled.

All southern Washington districts, according to estimates, will have at least 15 per cent more apples than were picked a year ago. In Mosier the fruit crop will run 15 to 20 per cent lighter than last year. At heavy falling off is noted in the Butte district, where a maximum tonnage of nearly 300 cars was reached two years ago. This year, according to reports of C. E. Hansen, Wasco county fruit inspector, that section will not have more than 10 cars of apples. The big Thurston Orchards company tract was abandoned this season.

Reports of growers indicate that the Hood River valley will have

as many individual apples as last season. The general water shortage, however, will tend to diminish the size of fruit here as well as in non-irrigated sections.

While sales to date have been negligible, no price as yet having been set, it is anticipated that heavy sales at a good figure will be made at the convention of the International Apple Shippers' association at St. Louis beginning August 12. Local shipping organizations will be represented there. Excellent prices are anticipated this year for d'Anjou pears. The frost of last April took a heavy toll of this species of fruit. The Hood River valley is anticipating a 50 per cent tonnage of d'Anjou. Mosier will have a like percentage of last season's crop. The best d'Anjou prospects reported come from the Mount Adams Farm company at Hillier, Wash. This tract alone expects to harvest 30 carloads of the winter pear. Extra fancy d'Anjou is reported, are being held for \$2 a box and up.

Chopping Wood Has Its Dangers

PRERWATER, Ore. — Charles Dyer of the Periwinkle community met with a serious accident when the ax with which he was cutting wood was thrown from his hand by a rope overhead. In falling the ax struck Mr. Dyer on the cheek, cutting a long gash from below the eye to the chin.

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The Popular Western Star, In

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The story of a New York clubman who went West in search of adventure and found more than he bargained for. Two women went gunning for him and the result is a riot of laughs and thrills.



Comedy, "AIR POCKETS"

SUMMER LURES — SCIENTISTS

WASHINGTON (AP)—Summer is the open season for scientists, and several of the most noted members of the Smithsonian Institution here are taking advantage of it. Their expeditions into the field of science cover a variety of subjects and are conducted, for the most part, by men bearing the degree of doctor of philosophy.

Doctor Charles D. Walcott, secretary of the institution, and his wife, have recently left for a tour of geological field work in the Canadian Rocky mountains. Investigation into the complicated geological formations of that region and the collection of fossils for laboratory study during the winter are Doctor Walcott's quarry. Mrs. Walcott specializes in sketching in water colors the species of wild flowers of the northland. This work will extend into the fall.

The measurement of the heat of the spectra of the stars, with an estimation of their temperatures and determining their diameter, is the goal of Doctor C. G. Abbot, assistant secretary of the institution. A "solar cooker" which is trying to perfect, in which the heat of the sun is used for fuel in cooking is part of his equipment. Mount Wilson in California will be the scene of Doctor Abbot's labors. He has paid a visit also to the Smithsonian Institution's solar observing station at Mount Harqua Hala, Arizona. This is one of the most splendid regions in the world and observations of the radiation from the sun are made there every day in the year.

Doctor Paul Bartsch came back early in July from Cuba and the Florida Keys, where he conducted experiments in heredity with land shells, known as snails, and observed the effect of various circumstances on them. He works in cooperation with the Carnegie Institution. Doctor Bartsch recently "shot" 1200 feet of moving pictures of marine life, with his underwater camera, making an interesting record of fish and coral life.

The mapping of geology and the collecting of fossils in the Cumberland River area of Tennessee is the special work of Doctor J. J. Hatcher, curator of the division of paleontology, this season in connection with the State Geological Survey of Tennessee. Doctor J. M. Aldrich, curator of the division of insects, is on a trip through the west, collecting insects. Neil M. Judd, Smithsonian man, temporarily director of the National Geographic Society's Pueblo Bonito expedition in New Mexico, is overseeing excavation of one of the largest prehistoric communal Indian dwellings in the United States.

John L. Baer, representing the Smithsonian Institution on the Marsh expedition into the Indian region of France of "white Indian" tribes, died in the isthmus without making a formal report, before the expedition came back to this country.

Doctor J. Walter Fewkes, chief of the Bureau of American Ethnology, will soon leave for Carlsbad, New Mexico, to explore a number of caves. It is reported that remains of Indian habitation have been found there. Doctor John W. Swanton is in Oklahoma studying the language of the Chickasaw and Creek Indian tribes.

J. N. B. Hewitt, ethnologist, has just returned from New York state and Canada, after studying the legends of the Iroquois Indians. Doctor Truman Michelson has recently completed studies at Yuma, town, in the language of the Shuk and Puk Indians.

A number of other members of the scientific staff of the Smithsonian Institution and its branches are out on short trips, engaged in field work in various branches of science.

License Denied Bonus Defendant

SALT LAKE, Dec. — Charles A. Carroll of Bond, who a few months ago was convicted with H. J. O'Curry and others in connection with alleged frauds in the appraisal of lands for the state bonus and land commission, has been refused a license to engage in the real estate business in Oregon. This was announced here by Will H. Moore, state real estate commissioner.

The theft. The highest-priced car stolen in better than a fit after this thing happens at a grade crossing.

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'DON PEDRO' DAM SUCCESS

The Don Pedro dam and reservoir, the most recent addition to the irrigation system enjoyed by the Modesto-Turlock (Calif.) Irrigation District, demonstrated the better of its builders by impounding, at efficient water to insure this section of California adequate, late irrigation, despite the longest drought on record.

The Don Pedro dam is the highest structure of its type in the world. It has a capacity of impounding 255,000 acre-feet of water, forming a lake fourteen miles long and one mile wide.

The dam shows 130 feet from the river bed and is 1,000 feet long. It is 14 feet thick at the top and 117 feet thick at the base.

The tremendous reserve supply of water stored here is released as needed for irrigation during the crop-growing season.

The Don Pedro dam also is now furnishing electric power sufficient to supply the needs of the Modesto and Turlock districts, both for power and for domestic use, and the two districts are wholesaling surplus power at the present time. Its capacity is 15,000 K. W. and can be increased to 20,000.

The electric plant, like the water system, is owned by the people and from these facts the slogan of "Where the Land Owns the Water and Power" has been coined. So efficient is this irrigation system that it has been used as a model throughout the United States and foreign countries.

3 Generations Bob Hale

COTTAGE GROVE, Ore. — Any contention that the bob is declining in popularity is refuted by the fact that a Cottage Grove barber shop recently bobbed the tresses of three generations of the same family.

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Flat Feet

The Foot System for fallen arches. Dr. Lucie Sommer Bldg. 8-5-21

Wind-tights and Side Glasses

Mix to fit every make of car made from the finest Belgian polished plate always on hand at Richardson's Art & Gift Shop. Prompt service and right prices always. 8-5-17

Some of the motorists we know could possibly keep on the road if they were driving through a tunnel.

Get cash for your school books that you do not need that are in good condition and what you need in our schools here in La Grande. Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store. 8-5-21

Notice

I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by my wife, Ida H. Morgan. RALPH L. MORGAN. 8-6-21P

Music Pupils

Miss Gladys Miller will begin her winter piano class September, first. Reservations should be made early. Call 135-J. 8-6-21P

August 11, last day to pay your water rent without a penalty. 8-7-21

Cash paid for school books that have been used and in good condition, and that are now used in La Grande. Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store. 8-5-21

Vacation Days

When you return from your vacation and have some good shots that you have taken with your Kodak, take them to Richardson's Art Shop. Have them enlarged and hand tinted. Such pictures make beautiful ornaments for your walls and reminders of the happy vacation days. Richardson's Art & Gift Shop features enlarging, tinting and framing. 8-5-17

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Rent, sell and repair all makes sewing machines. Ask about free-dressmaking course. White Sewing Machine Co. New Foley Bldg. 132-W. 12-27-17

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Attention

See the hats at French and Green's Friday and Saturday at \$1.50 each. 8-7-21

Eastern Oregon Society

Pictures of all of the beautiful scenery of Eastern Oregon will be found at the Richardson Art & Gift Shop, "The Home of Eastern Oregon Scenery." 8-5-17

Remarque de Bargain

In all kinds of building material at the new lumber yard. Investigate. Claude C. Pratt Lbr. Co. Phone 248-W. 7-24-17

Real ice cream and sherbet. The Haverwood ice cream. It is always the best and always well frozen and sold at 25c a pint and 50c a quart. Ice cream truck, always a good stock of it on hand. At Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store, where a fine lunch is served every day. Strawberries and cream, peaches and cream, home-

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For Sale. Dry board ends, \$2.50 per load. Phone Main 547. 7-17-17

Box Wood. For immediate delivery. Phone Main 538. White Pine Box & Lumber Co., La Grande, Ore. 5-13-17

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Painting, paper hanging, catelining, decorating. J. Landy. Phone 592 A. 8-9-21P

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Call for Bids. Sealed bids will be received by the commission of the city of La Grande, Oregon, for the construction of the improvement in Improvement District number 143, within the city of La Grande, Oregon, according to the plans and specifications of the said improvement now on file in the office of the City Recorder of said city. A deposit of \$5.00 will be required for set of plans and specifications which amount will be refunded if bidder is unsuccessful and returns same to this office.

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