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THE WAY OF BLESSING—Moses said, Consecrate yourselves today to the Lord, that He may bestow upon you a blessing.—Ex. 22:27.

Some men think they are good to their wives when they take home a package of chewing gum.

"Teach children reality," demands a business man. Why not reality? To multiplication and division, add subdivision.

"Disapproval written large; farmers say it with votes," says a headline, referring to the Brookhart victory in Iowa. The democrats claim that when the republican administration is buried in November, they'll say it with flowers.

THE FARM WOMAN'S FEATS.
It has always been recognized that farm women performed prodigies of labor, but the full story has never been told. Here is part of it, as revealed by the Western States Extension conference.

The average rural housewife spends 30 days a year carrying water; pumping and toting 20 tons of it into the house and then toting it out again. She washes and dries three acres of dishes a year. She bakes countless pies, often walking a quarter of a mile per pie. She could save 10 days' time a year just by installing a drain to carry out the waste water, and the other 20 days by having a pump or faucet at her sink. She could save drying those three acres of dishes by using a dish drainer, even if she couldn't afford a dish washer. She could save 1 1/2 miles of walking a day as a Montana woman did—proving it by a pedometer—and also save an hour and a half time, by grouping her kitchen things more conveniently and taking short cuts.

So there you are, men. If you want to get a close check on the wife, hang a pedometer on her and give her a convenient kitchen. Then watch her cut down the acreage of dishes and the amount of shoe leather she wears out. It might be easier on her, too.

NORTH POWDER'S PARADISE.
Many local people who drive over the hill from Telocaset to North Powder view in admiration the snow-capped peaks of the Blue Mountains, and particularly during these hot days will they admit a weakness that cries for the altitude and snow of the peaks, the shade of numberless fir and pine trees and the cool of the mountain breezes. Too few Union county folk realize that they can drive their cars over a splendid forest road running direct from North Powder to the refreshing paradise which looms before the eye in the southern end of our county.

Starting from North Powder in the morning, one can drive to Anthony lakes in the tall mountains to the south in about two hours, with time allowed for due care in climbing the grade to an altitude perhaps better than 6000 feet. At the lakes there is sport for both the angler and the mountain-climber. After a 3-mile climb there are ten lakes visible at one time from the Lakes Lookout of the U. S. Forest service, including Grande Ronde lake to the extreme west and Crawford lake due southward from the main group. From the lakes region one gets a full view of the snow-covered Wallowa range and the North Powder valley. Gazing north and west one beholds from the lookout cabin atop of one of the tallest of the rocky fingers which point heavenward, the Grande Ronde valley, with Mt. Emily and Mt. Fannie towering on either side. South and west one may gaze over the mountains of Central and Southern Oregon, rising and falling as far as the eye can reach. All in all, one is afforded a gorgeous spectacle—all Nature's very own. The trip is well worth taking.

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The tightest guy in the world is one who borrows three cents for stamps so that he won't have to break a nickel.

If hens would only keep down the weeds half so successfully as they keep down the planted crops.

"I suppose he swore to love you 'till the earth grows old and the stars grow cold, and all that." "Oh, longer. He swore to love me 'till all our foreign debtors settle up."

Love is like rubber—it gets weaker the longer it is strained.

Even those who ask it should know if it is hot enough for you.

"Come sonny, take your bath; cleanliness is next to godliness, you know."

"Oh, mamma, is that the reason Saturday comes before Sunday?"

A FLY TALE
Ten little flies! That's a very bad sign!

Give me the swatter! Now there are nine!
Nine little flies left, tempting Fate!
One sees the fly-paper! Now there are eight!

Eight little flies who should all go to Heaven.
One smells the soap, and! Now there are seven!

Seven little flies in a very bad fix.
One's drinking home brew! Now there are six!

Six little flies all very much alive.
One ate molasses! Now there are five!

Five little flies a-crawling on the floor.
I'll step on this one—Now there are four!

Four little flies, just as jolly as can be!
I'll spoil the party! Now there are three!

Three little flies—oh, that won't do!
Three, you know, is company! Now there are two!

Two little flies having lots of fun.
Break up the party! Now there is one!

One little fly—didn't catch him then.
(You know, I chased that fly all over the place, the peaky thing, I swatted him, tried to entice him to walk onto the fly paper, traced him to his lair and tried to catch him asleep, but it was no use—he dropped an egg.)

Now there are ten million, ten hundred, ten!

Hunt the bright side. Wouldn't things be awful if it was dark in the daytime and light at night?

MAN FINED FOR SPEEDING OVER OILED HIGHWAY

Wayne Marshall was fined \$10 and costs by Judge Hugh E. Brady this morning on a charge of speeding over the oiled roads yesterday. Marshall was traveling at a rate of thirty miles an hour over the Old Oregon Trail between here and Gloyer, which is being oiled at present. The arrest was made by W. H. Stewart, oiling foreman, employed by the state.

Other cases coming before Judge Brady included: Dewey Duckett, charged with leaving a campfire unattended on the forks of Cathlamet creek, fined \$5; William La-More, charged with failure to have lights properly adjusted on his car, paid a \$5 fine plus costs; J. W. Freeman, representative of the Brotherhood Cooperative National bank of Portland, paid a \$10 fine

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Union Judges Win
The Union high school stock judging team won the annual stock



This 24-year-old Chinese girl, 21 may arise as a sort of Chinese Mussolini to restore order in his native land, according to observers of the situation. He is Gen. Chang Hsueh-liang son of the Manchurian warlord Chang Tso-Lin.

THINGS ARE FAST COMING TO A CLIMAX



Woman Spoofs Husband; "Their" Child Adopted

Man, After Finding Out Hoax, Files Suit for \$25,000 Against Hospital Authorities

PORTLAND, Ore., June 10 (AP)—Demand that the child alleged to have been used by Mrs. Lana L. Buchanan to deceive her husband be brought into court and denied by Mrs. Buchanan that she knew the whereabouts of the child were developments today in the trial of a \$25,000 damage suit brought by the husband, Charles W. Buchanan, against Dr. W. O. Spencer and against Alta R. Y. Spalding, proprietor of the Women's hospital.

The cross examination of Mrs. Buchanan was begun today. W. M. Davis, one of the attorneys for the defense, demanded that the child, which Mrs. Buchanan alleged she had obtained with Dr. Spencer's aid from the women's hospital and had palmed off on her husband as their own, be brought into court.

"I do not know where the child is," she replied. "It is with friends, and I understand that they are going to Canada. They may have taken the baby with them."

Buchanan is seeking damages alleging that Dr. Spencer and Mrs. Spalding conspired with his wife to palm off on him as his own, a newly born baby of which his wife was not the mother.

Mrs. Buchanan, about 42 years of age, is an under graduate nurse, on the witness stand yesterday afternoon she told how, to hold her husband's love and to satisfy his desire for a child, particularly a boy, she got a newly born boy through a newspaper advertisement, took it into her home and kept her husband in ignorance of the true identity of the infant for two years and three months.

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PRIMARY VOTE CONTEST SEEN

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., June 10. (AP)—The possibility of an election contest in the fourth congressional district where congressman William J. Sears on incomplete returns led Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, daughter of the late Wm. Jennings Bryan, for the congressional nomination loomed today.

Charging irregularities in several counties, particularly in Monroe county James M. Carson, member of the campaign committee for Mrs. Owen declared last night at Miami that a contest would be made if the returns if they did not show Mrs. Owen's nomination. Mrs. Owen trailed today by 304 votes with only thirty precincts missing.

Mr. Carson said he had been advised of irregularities in the Monroe county. With three small precincts missing Carson gave Sears 154 votes to Mrs. Owen 429.

Meanwhile, at Jacksonville, Congressman Sears declared that he would welcome a recount in Monroe county or any other county the Owen forces desired.

Sears polled 13,298 votes in 295 of the 325 precincts in the district the unofficial tabulation showed today, while Mrs. Owen's count was 19,491. In Brevard county, 19 precincts were missing, but the vote was not expected to be heavy in the unreported sections.

Because of the constant judging work and the hundreds of entries in numerous classes, the Observer is not attempting to list all judging results until the association prepares its records. At that time this newspaper will print a complete list of prize winners.

A stock show dance and a carnival served to keep the crowd entertained last night.

Eight Band Plays
At the grounds the Eight band furnished the music. Today the colorful La Grande American Legion drum and bugle corps will hold the center of the stage. The Enterprise band plays tomorrow—Wallowa county day.

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