

POSTCARD IS USED BY TWO FOR QUARREL

By Phil J. Sinnott, NEA Service Writer. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11—Florence Edgcomb and E. G. Sloan were sweethearts once. Then they had a falling out, and quit speaking to each other.

Now they don't even write to each other. Postal inspectors and the federal court have their promise on this latter activity.

After their quarrel, the pair corresponded for weeks. The correspondence ended when Miss Edgcomb went to postal inspectors, declared Sloan was sending her defamatory matter through the mails, and produced postcards from him.

"Miss Funnycake: Why don't you do something about that one-track mind of yours?" read one. "You are an excellent example of stupid British superiority," reads another.

Postal inspectors arrested Sloan. But he also handed them a packet of postcards he had been receiving from Miss Edgcomb.

"Mr. Funnycake: How would you like to stand on your head ten years?" is one message. "If you want me dead, you'll have to do the shooting yourself." And more.

The result was that both were brought before Federal Commissioner A. G. Fisk here, each charged with sending "scurrilous

and scandalous matter," written on postcards in red and black ink, to each other.

"I just hope you are both ashamed of your childish tricks," Fisk scolded them. "The penalty is five years in prison or \$5000 fine. But I'm dismissing the charges because you've promised postal inspectors you will exchange no more such greetings."

So that's why Florence Edgcomb and E. G. Sloan don't even write each other any more.

Orders For Fords Reach \$59,000,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 11 (AP)—Edsel B. Ford, president of the Ford Motor company, announced Friday that up to January 1 more than \$59,000,000 worth of orders had been booked by the company's dealers throughout the United States. "The orders," Mr. Ford said, "were evenly distributed over the country, indicating a generally healthy business condition."

MEAT POISONS EIGHT PEOPLE IN THE DALLES

THE DALLES, Ore., Jan. 11 (AP)—Eight The Dalles residents were recovering here in hospitals

OUT OUR WAY

after they had been poisoned by meat left overnight in a metal broiler before it had been cooked the following day and served over a lunch counter.

It was first reported that four of the eight persons were poisoned seriously, but physicians announced today that first-aid treatment had counteracted against the poison and all would recover.

Jesse Banta, Charles Barrecom, Ernest Fritz, all railroad men, and Dr. Fred A. Perkins, an optometrist, were those who were first reported seriously ill.

Dr. Perkins was released from the hospital today and the other four were reported to be confined to their beds in their homes.

Physicians said the poison resulted from a chemical reaction during the time the meat remained in the metal container.

SEATTLE TEAM WINS

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 11 (AP)—The return of Captain Jack Walker to the lineup of the Seattle club after a six weeks' layoff, gave the Eskimos new life yesterday and they won their first hockey game in their last nine starts. The team easily conquered the Victoria Cubs, Pacific coast hockey league cellar holders, 6 to 2.

Referee Mickey Ion handed out a ten minute penalty and a \$25 fine to both Max Sutherland of Seattle and Ossie Omondson of Victoria for fighting.



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By Williams Mt. Glen M. I. A. Hoop Team Wins

The Mt. Glen M. I. A. basketball team won from the Hubler quintet by a score of 16 to 8 in a first game played at the Mt. Glen amusement hall Thursday evening. This victory adds another to the list, the team having previously won from Baker, Union and La Grande second ward. Vernon White scored high for the Mt. Glen team and Leo Westenslow led the visitors.



Mrs. Willis—Our Willie has been swapping things again. Mr. Willis—Horn trader that kid, isn't he? I suppose he traded some marbles for the next door kid's knife? Mrs. Willis—Oh no. He swapped your appendix for Mrs. Bump's galtones.

Diner—"Walter, is this chicken soup?" Walter—"Yes, sir." "Well, I can't find any chicken in it." "Well, really, sir, you wouldn't expect to find a horse in horse-meat, would you?"

Boom: "I know one girl who thinks her husband is perfectly wonderful." Boom: "You must have just come from a wedding."

Yeh, some women are their husband's better halves, and some are their bitter halves.

A man spent \$10,000 in educating his daughter in order that later she may criticize his grammar.

She: "Really, I don't know how these foreign stars are able to become such great opera singers." He: "Well?"

She: "You know, they can't very well buy American cigars over there."

Hubby: "Why are you angry with the doctor?" Helen: "Just think! When I told him I was awfully tired, he asked to look at my tongue! Think of it, my tongue!"

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FOR SALE—Good used violin outfit, \$7.50, Bargain, Rm. 1, Odd Fellows Temple, 1-9-1 tp.

FOR SALE—Lounge hay, good alfalfa, G. E. Conklin, Imbler, 1-11-3 tp.

WANTED—Good fresh milk cow, Call 421-J, 1-11-1 t.

WANTED—A lady wants work by day or hour, Ph. 166-J, 1-11-1 t.

FOR SALE—1926 Buick 4 pass. coupe, first class condition, Inv. L. L. Snodgrass or call Main 777, 1-11-6 t.

FOR RENT—Steam heated bedroom, Close in, 1514 1/2 St. or 649-J, 1-11-1 t.

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FOR SALE—4 ft. cord wood, Ph. 326-W, 1-11-2 tp.

FOR SALE—Boston Terrier puppies, \$10, 1811 E. Penn, 1-11-3 tp.

FOR RENT—Sleeping rm. in business district, Can prepare breakfast, 1436 Adams, cor. of Greenwood, 1-11-1 t.

FOR SALE OR RENT—30 acre farm, Close in, Good cherry land, and general farming, Write Observer or ph. 357-W, 1-11-3 tp.

MISCELLANEOUS AM WRECKING yards at Ladd Canyon, lots of good boxing dimension and shiplap. Place orders first and save money. Geo. Hartwick, Cedar and Palmer, 1-9-2 tp.

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FOR RENT—5 room farm, house, full basement and garage, Phone 221-J, or call 1204-V, 1-9-1 t.

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FOR RENT—5 room modern house, and a 2 room furnished apt., Call 1707 Wash., 1-10-2 tp.

FOR RENT—6 room farm house, Close in, Garage, 815-W, 1-10-1 t.

FOR RENT—Modern steam heated 3 rm. furnished apt., electric range and refrigerator, Call McVillo's, 1411 Adams or Main 452, 1-7-1 t.

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WANTED—Elderly lady for light housework. No cooking, most of laundry sent out. Call Observer, 1-9-1 t.

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LOST

LOST—Black and white puppy with one black eye. Call 490-M, Heward, 1-10-2 t.

Garage Gossip

In Portland—M. J. Goss is in Portland this week attending the Oldsmobile dealers meeting and transacting other business.

Visited Here Wednesday—Arthur Foster, Studebaker distributor of Pendleton, was a visitor at the M. J. Goss garage this week.

From Portland—L. K. Nichols, Buick representative of the Howard Automobile company in Portland, was in La Grande this week on business. Mr. Nichols, also from the Howard company, accompanied him. They visited at the Jennings Motor company.

In Portland—G. R. Llewellyn of this city, factory representative of the Chevrolet Motor company, is in Portland on business. He left Wednesday and is expected to return tomorrow.

New Carload—A new carload of 1930 Chevrolet cars will arrive today according to an announcement from the Larison Chevrolet garage. Two sedans and two coupes will be included in the shipment.

Buyers Marquette—G. H. Forke is the owner of a new Marquette sedan purchased from the Jennings Motor company.

Chrysler "70"—Louis Zaugg, of Union, has purchased a Chrysler "70" sedan from the Chrysler garage, and a Chrysler "66" sedan was recently sold to David S. Schae, of Ontario, by the same garage.

Unpaid Carload—The Gettings and Hanes garage unloaded a carload of Willys-Knight sixes Monday containing

two de luxe sedans, one standard sedan, and one coupe.

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