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A timely word to contemplated fruit planters: We all know of the great demand and shortage of fruit trees the past season, not enough to go around. Mr. Planter, if you want fruit trees, get in touch with us now, place your orders for fall 1909. We predict great demand and high prices for year 1909. However, we took a peep into the future and are well supplied to handle large commercial orders, are heavy on pears, apples, peaches, walnuts. If you have any special sort you want grafted to order, send in your choice of grafts and we will grow you a first-class tree at right prices.

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POOR GIRLS CANNOT WORK FOR THE TIPS

New Washington Law Makes Wait-
resses Sore in Cities of
That Estate.

SPOKANE, Wash., April 16.—
"Ain't it awful, Maggie?"

This from Masie, after recovering breath, as she made a two-handed grab for the bunch of puffy ringlets pinned to the back of her coiffure, when a solemn-appearing individual arose from the dinner table and mumbled something about "no more 'tipping' after June 10," while sliding a two-bit coin across the snowy napery.

"The mean old things!" said Maggie, who now had the center of the dining room and plainly showed her indignation, adding: "Me for the mining camps over in the Coeur d'Alenes if this thing goes through in sunny old Spokane."

Masie was referring to the action of the last legislature of Washington in fixing up a new criminal code, from which the economist had dug into these facts, effective the morning of June 11:

What the Law Says.

"Section 439. Every employee of a public house or public service corporation who shall solicit or receive any gratuity from any guest shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

"Section 440. Every person giving any such gratuity, mentioned in section 439, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

In the glossary of the new code a misdemeanor is "every crime punishable by a fine of not more than \$250 or by imprisonment in county jail for not more than 90 days."

There was a quick marshalling of forces and much language followed. Above the din these words were heard:

"So now they're going to pinch us for grubbing off the ribbon silver! What? And get the 'good ones, too'! I'm on my way."

Probably a test case will be made before the law is 12 hours old. Spokane people have the habit of up-setting enactments when the laws do not meet with their ideas of the fitness of things. In most instances so far the supreme court has upheld their contentions as to what constitutes rights and personal privileges.

ADVERTISED LETTER LIST.

The following letters remain uncalled for at the Medford postoffice April 14, 1909:

R. H. Bondshaw, Will Bailey, J. B. Buchanan, Mrs. Jessie Crow, H. W. Hansen, H. G. Harvey, Mrs. E. J. Hammond, Mrs. W. W. Hasgood, J. W. Hill, W. M. Jeschke, C. F. Kramer, A. L. Laler, Geo. Little, Robt. Lowe, Mrs. W. M. Miller, A. L. Randall, Adam Schott, Etta Ritchson, V. D. Schobert, Mabel Spicer, B. O. Stephenson, Dr. C. C. Van Scoy (22). In calling for any of the above letters please say "advertised." A charge of one cent will be made upon the delivery of any of the above letters. A. M. WOODFORD, P. M.

The Warren Construction company started work Friday morning on putting Central avenue in condition for paving. The steam roller is attached to a huge steel plow, which is tearing up the roadway in rapid order.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the city recorder will receive sealed proposals for the sale of \$22,000 worth of special improvements bonds until 4:30 p. m., April 20th, 1909.

Said bonds are to be issued under the Bancroft bonding act in denominations of \$500 and \$250, and will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the city treasurer of said city.

Purchaser to pay accrued interest from date of bonds to time of delivery.

Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated Medford, Oregon, March 30, 1909.

WENJ. M. COLLINS

ON APRIL 14

AT

HOOD RIVER

10 acres of 2 and 3-year-old Newtown
Trees sold for \$10,000 with no im-
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SIRES AND SONS.

Millie D. Bennett of Toledo, O., is said to be the fastest typewriter operator in the world.

Robert T. Lincoln is permanently out of politics. For years he has preferred private to public life. He is now sixty-six years old.

E. H. Green of Texas, son of Mrs. Betty Green, the multimillionaire, has purchased a \$7,500 aeroplane and plans to fly in June.

George W. Wickersham, of New York, the new attorney general, has bought the residence of Senator Brandegee in Washington for \$100,000.

Jose Miguel Gomez, president of Cuba, was a captain of Cuban revolutionists forty years ago and established a reputation for bravery and persistent energy as a youth.

Phyllander C. Knox, secretary of state, has one of the finest homes in Washington. It formerly belonged to Mrs. George W. Childs and is amply adapted to receptions and state functions.

Having traded four watches in one day, Albert Kilby, a fourteen-year-old schoolboy of Freeport, Me., thinks he holds the record in that state. Kilby has traded more than 300 watches in the past year.

The New York Herald asked who are the ten greatest living Americans, and the consensus of replies from all parts of the country follows: Thomas A. Edison, Andrew Carnegie, J. Pierpont Morgan, John D. Rockefeller, Mark Twain, Admiral Dewey, Charles W. Eliot, Cardinal Gibbons, Henry Claws and Alexander Graham Bell.

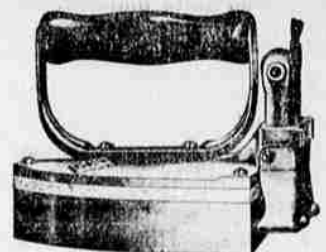
Church and Clergy.

The first clergyman in New York was Dominic Bogardus, who arrived there in 1624 and for whom a church was built. This was the first church in New York.

A church in Atlanta is to have a theater of its own in the church basement. A model stage equipment, with drop curtains, scenery and footlights, is being installed.

Miss L. B. C. Smith, sister of the Rev. J. H. C. Smith, curate of All Saints, Southpool, England, has been invited to become pastor of a large English Congregational church.

The Rev. W. W. Wainwright, vicar of the Established church in Oxford, England, recently celebrated his thirtieth birthday and the seventy-fifth anniversary of his appointment to his present living. He is still able to preach and write with much vigor.



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