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of what he is going to dump in.

In a restaurant in Portland I saw

home I suppose they hoisted in a

ves, new stomachs and new vigor.

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THERE WILL COME A TIME. THE PACE THAT GETS.

Last Saturday Senator Kellaher of

Portland introduced a resolution that

sion form of government. It provides that a committee of el-

a constitutional amendment and submit the same to the voters in 1914. and very common complaint.

And when you come to think it ov-

enough and honest enough men to is because a weakened stomach has draw up that charter under which gone on a strike. the commission should govern, and You never heard of an Italian havthen if we could get big enough men ing acute indigestion did you? to fill that commission and act as Seldom ever hear of a farmer who

Oregon a great service if it only relieved us from this condition every a couple of business men come in two years—if it reduced this 900 to just before bed time and order this that little head of yours in the next triy's necessities needed severe pun-

And the trouble is that we haven't biscuit, baked beans, mince pie, black got the ninety we need out of this coffee, and ice-cream. On the way

The bills we wanted passed, (the most of them) the bills for the good of the taxpayers, the poor man and the state, were not passed. We wanted the useless school sup-

erviser law abolished, or a county optaste in their mouths. tion on the law, but the legislature We wanted judicial reform that ite. They load up on stuff that a yel-

would cut out miles of red tape and low dog would not eat. useless expenses, but the legislature told us to forget it.

The farmers wanted the law changed so that they might burn their slashings and clear their land during more hot footing. the summer months, but the timber trust wanted the law left as it is. It is left.

The people all over Oregon wanted Schuebel's water power bill passed. It was justice. It should have been a law. But the water power owners did not want it. It was killed.

But what's the use? Now Oregon doesn't want to be obliged to go to the initiative every legislatures, but each seems to be time to get important legislation, nor worse instead of betaer in this rego to the referendum every time to spect. There is no call for the allot-kill bills they do not want, and if they have to, some of these days they will either the senate or the house. A half break up this law factory—they will dozen good clerks or stenographers abolish it or change it to some form could do the work for the whole legwhere they can get what they want. islative bunch, and they would not It's in the air, men are talking it have to work any too hard either.

and just as certain as that legislatur- This thing of keeping an army of lad- seen that the people of the United es continue to ask for \$8,000,000 ap- ies sitting around with nothing to do States have taken a definite direction propriations and refuse such popular but to write an occasional letter and and any party, any man who does not retrenchment laws as cited above, draw \$5 a day of the taxpayers monjust so surely will the people of Oregon find a way to fire them and get what they want.

go with them in that direction they will reject. I am bidden to interpret as well as I can, the purposes of the will have to be abolished.—Dallas

Last year we imported \$232,000, worth of shoes and sold abroad \$14,-000,000, going to 87 foreign countries. And yet the shoe trust asks for "protection" from foreign competition in the home market. 'Scuse my smile.

And among the hundreds of bills Senator W. A. Dimick was the only introduced at Salem I never saw this man who opposed it. The senate put it one: That every person who operates through because some women framed an automobile should be required to it-as did the house. It never should pass an examination and take out a become a law because it isn't a fair license. Too many in the legislature deal because it does not treat deserv-who have buzz wagons. Eh? ing children alike. But women vote now, and the legislators didn't pro-

Both houses have passed the bill pose to take any chances. Dimick to raise the salaries of all circuit jud-didn't let a smile change his convictges in the state from \$3,000 to \$4,000. ions. He stood out against the bill. It is the bill Governor West killed two years ago, and he should kill it again. stands out, too, stands out with the Eleven men in the senate had sand veto. enough to stand out against it, and among them was Senator W. A. Dimick of this city.

Senator Kellaher has a bill before the legislature providing that no pub-lic official shall have his salary increased after he has become a candidate for office. It should become a WATCH THE VULTURES.

The following article is credited to ier is, but I do know that the Mil- really needed? ford editor has all his buttons, and read and remember it.

the few words of advice. It has been lutely freed. a very short time since your mother held you to her bosom, then saw your which they can be prosecuted. books and tablet going back and forth

You've dropped the playthings of Every day, every week we read of your girlhood and you are watching of a law that would punish men who thinking. how some big man's stomach quit on out for the sterner things of life—in plan to burn a rooming house! will go to the morgue as quickly as him and that he has gone to boosting fact you are almost a woman. And as It doesn't seem possible that this tor Dimick's work and voting in this I look into your sweet, girlish faces state could turn these men loose, one it, but it will have served all the purpose the introduced could hope for at pose the introduced could hope office have died or have been forced The vultures of human character are sible that a state like Oregon has no been the only voice and vote in pro-The bill would entirely abolish to quit the game, and it wasn't long both branches of the legislature and ago that Rockefeller offered a mil-black wings fan your innocent cheeks given twenty years in Salem prison to the control of the most keylous plans that as you pass. God made them in the for one of the most henious plans that Ask your father if there was any shape of man, but somehow or other depraved brains ever devised. acute indigestion in his day, and he'll the devil must of had charge of the even legislators be appointed to frame tell you he never heard of it, while soul factory when they were created, today it is becoming a very serious and your slightest act or word will This resolution was sent to a committee, and you won't have to guess dining room, and nearly every man distinct the same to the voters in 1912.

See a bunch of travelling men in a and woven into a web of slander that will blight your young life and darkat the murderous things the commit-tee will do to it. Tis dead of course. sin before he loads up his insides—that a blot on your name, a stain on It will never be submitted to the people through the legislature. to get his works going to take care your character, can only be wiped out by the rest of the grave digreer's show. f what he is going to dump in.

Nine out of ten men who sit at el. And remember also that it is Chicago er in the light the present legislature desks, and about ten out of ten wo- these human hyenas, these bonegnawis shining, this commission government might not be so bad IF.

The light the present legislature desks, and about ten out of the week have to be "careful what they winged bats that gather on corners where the community of their sielesses." And the IF is if we could get big eat," and over half of their sickness and crossings, that help make public opinion-and an innocent, thoughtless guilty, and there was absolutely no act on your part is to them a murder

of morals in the first degree. My advice to you is this: Make a 'chum" of your mother. She may not can't put away three meals of the know as much about Greek and Latin price and clothing up where he could There have been about 900 bills introduced in the legislature—almost
ten to a member—and don't you think

ten to a member you think mencement, but she has forgotten more about men and women of this families to pull through the winter. line of nightmare: Steak, rare; hot ten years.

> popular vote passed the eight hour couple of bottles of beer; and before going to bed burned two or three strong cigars. And then I suppose that it had no enacting clause, and they laid awake the most of the night the supreme court held its funeral.

and in the morning had a cess pool In order to rectify this technicality Senator Smith of Coos County, in-Men are simply poisoning themtroduced the bill in the Senate, and selves satisfying a cultivated appetit was passed without any opposition. accept the fine!

It was simply a matter of form. The Patton paid people had passed on it and it was up What the indoor man and woman to the legislature to remove the deneeds is less medicine and more fect the supreme court had found.

roughing it; less ice cream and more corn bread; less automobiles and Tuesday, that body of men, elected to Exercise, the real hard work that our forefathers had, the work that the people want done, defeated the bill—killed it by a vote of 26 to 23.

tires and brings into play each organ It is such acts as these that help promise to represent the people and blunt. There could be no question as to what The clerk graft is one that should the people wanted, for the people had hibits any depot to harbor a saloon to be eliminated from the cost of our voted on the measure and passed it become a law, and this is the way his Representative Schnoerr of this

Some men have been slow to observe, but the majority of us have act so far as my choice determines the action, only through the instru-The widows pension bill, that dis- mentality of persons who also repcriminating measure that would pen-sion the child of a father in Salem pick out progressives and only proprison, but would deny the same aid gressives. I shall be acting as a repto the child of the man who deserted resentative of the people of this great it, passed the senate Friday last, and country.-Woodrow Wilson.

> If that boy of yours who you permit to rule the roost at home, and run around as much as he pleases after night should happen to go wrong; if as the years roll by and bad habits and economy." become so thoroughly ground into him that he turns out to be a criminal, you will curse those who prosecute him and for the good of society pen the governor power to remove sherhim up. But there will come no sat- iffs, district attorneys and other ofisfaction from such a course. The ficials who refused to do their duty, fault will be your own; you are ne-glecting him now when you should Senator Dimick of this city voted for be bending every effort to plant into the bill. him the principles of manhood. The boy might be all right, but certainly he has the wrong kind of father.

And the Pope's physician has de-clared Charles W. Morse entirely well. Poor, old easy Taft. that the saloon keeper shall be liable es are good for three more. And when for damages for giving away or selling liquor to intoxicated persons or a general break. habitual drunkards. With such a law over his head, with the many other restrictions, the saloon man will have through the house like a breeze Monto keep stepping sideways to dodge day, and it would seem that the sen-

The moving picture program changes often in Mexico. Madero, who the people yelled for and fought for a few months need is now deposed and a receive, the name of the person or months ago, is now deposed and a fugitive, and Felix Diaz, grandson of only appear before committees and fugitive, and Felix Diaz, grandson of the old Mexican ruler, is provisional president. Mexicans like uprisings and scrapping. Diaz of the iron hand and scrapping. Diaz of the iron hand would not have it, but since his banishment the people have rebelled, plotted and pillaged to their heart's

Two of the labor leaders and convicted dynamiters of Los Angeles W. S. U'Ren's schemes, and that hidhave been put back in office of the State Building Trade Council. In Pittsburg a bank restored its president to his former high office as soon as to his former high office as soon as his penitentiary time expired. It would seem that labor and capital are competing as to which shall heat are competing as to which shall heat are competing as to which shall best protect its convicts.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA guish between fear and reason.

THE CRIMINALS' PARADISE.

Nearly seven hundred bills have the Milford Courier. I don't know been introduced in the present legis- at Salem. It is "Dimicked." When where Milford is or what the Courlature—and how many of them are a legislator refuses to vote for a bill Now listen:

a few words I would say to you. I've story rooming house, they confessed refusing to vote for them. The word was coined by to speak—and I think you will pardon the plans—and then they were abso-

There is no law in Oregon under And over six hundred bills been introduced at Salem!

Self-confessed to this horrible arson program, yet turned loose! And nearly six hundred bills have been introduced at Salem, and not one provides for this crime.

LICENSING ROBBERY.

Did you read what our great govrnment did to James Patton, the gambler, for cornering otton' Wasn't it awful?

But you see the government was simply forced to. Patton pleaded defense. He had been caught with the goods on him, and he must take the consequences.

He put a hardship on every family

in the United States in this gambling deal and made it harder for the poor shment.

The government realized this; it In November the people by a large realized that the people were in no sopular vote passed the eight hour mood to be trifled with further and day law as applying to public that the hand of iron must come down works. After its passage it was found on these gamblers in the poor man's HE WAS FINED FOUR THOUS-

AND DOLLARS. And Attorney General Wickersham INSTRUCTED Judge Mayer to

Patton paid his license fee to rob. The government issued the license. Oh, but this is a hot bean of a

THE GOVERNOR'S WAY.

When Governor West goes after a thing he simply goes to it. He does It is such acts as these that help not use a very fine quality of diplom-to make the legislature contemptous acy or couch his words in fancy frills. atre, 4 nights, starting Sunday, Feb. 16. Matinee Wed'day. country need. With it comes new ner- These men are elected to and under He states things, puts them up plain

He wants the senate bill which proto the house the other day:

*BREAD AND CAKE

If it is proper that our public stations, where our wives and daughters are obliged to wait for incoming and outgoing trains shall be used as a loafing place for swearing and vomiting louts, and where they are forced to submit to indignities and insults, then this amendment should carry. Otherwise it should not.

Now let us see what will be the fate

Governor West used the veto ax on the first bill that came to him. More strength to his ax arm!

Both houses have passed and the governor will sign the Lewelling bill for the sterilization of degenerates

One hundred and sixty-three bills arrying appropriations of \$8,437,-819.07 have been introduced at Salem. And this is a session of "retrenchment

With only four senators who dared o stand out against it, the bill giving

Nevada, Montana and Dakota have voted to submit the matter of equal suffrage to the people. Arizona is sur-That bill which has passed both rounded with states where women ouses, and which the governor will vote and it is probable that she will without doubt sign, will put fear in do as Oregon, Idaho, Utah and Cal-the hearts of the liquor seller, for it ifornia have done. Nine states now is drastic, it has claws. It provides permit women to vote, and the chanc-

> Schubel's anti-lobby bill went ate would not dare to kill it. But the senate dares to do plenty of things this spring. The bill provides that \$100 to \$1,000 for employee.

Only a few weeks ago you voters had the splendid opportunity to abolish that legislature that is now standing between you and what you need. But some one told you it was one of den in it somewhere, where he did not know, but it was certainly there, was a something that was or would get it through your heads that W. S. U'Ren is playing your game a thousand times where the interests and politicians play it once. Some of these days when the wind blows from the south, you will learn to distin"Dimicked."

There has been a new word coined they say he "Dimicked."

In Portland Tuesday two men, one fact of W. A. Dimick, senator from and and remember it.

of them the proprietor, were caught this city, standing out on the most of the bills introduced, fighting them and

boys in line, but it is not working out him. It is a distinction that he re-

rest.

The word found its birth from the

The word was coined by the senators as a sort of a whip to keep the that way, for it is becoming a credit to a legislator to have it applied to fuses to let the organization drive And no legislator has found a need him and that he is doing his own

If a lot more of the Oregon senasatisfaction given at Salem, and there of our husband and father. would be much more political un-

Scene from the Pullman Farce "Excuse Me," Heilig The-

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(By O. B. Server.) Yes, my Son, it is indeed pretty. The owner has just finished it. He

A Tax Tragedy in Ourtown.

will soon be sorry.
Why do you think that Papa? Because, my Son, here comes the Assessor; he will fine the man for improving his lot.

And, Papa, will he fine the man with the empty lot next door? Not much, my Son.

Why not, Papa? Why not? Why because the man with the empty lot is not guilty of making an improvement. Why should he be fined?

Oh, Papa, you are joking. Am I, my Son? Well just put up a fine house and see the Assessor come after you with a Big Stick-I mean a Big Bill.

Papa, what kind of people are the people of Ourtown? There are two kind of people in Ourtown, dear Boy, the Asses-sors and the Asses-sed.

Papa, that makes me feel sad. Me too, my dear Boy. It drives me to drink. Have some root beer on me.-Exchange.

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A New York banker has been

sentenced to five years' imprison-

ment. His doctors are already

making out affidavits that he will

die almost right off if not let

out.-Portland Journal.