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Nov. 18 in American History. 1777—Fort Lee, N. J., opposite New York city, captured by the British. 1866—Chester Alan Arthur, twenty-first president of the United States, died; born 1829. 1906—Richard Watson Gilder, author and editor of the Century Magazine, died in New York city; born 1842.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS. From noon today to noon tomorrow: Sun sets 4:36; rises 6:48; moon rises 8:38 a. m.; runs at descending node, crossing sun's path downward.

VICIOUS TASTES. When a society woman makes such a pet of a monkey as to provide for it a superbly furnished room, an ivory bed for it to sleep upon, silver dishes for it to eat from and has a dozen or more servants to wait upon it, it indicates not simply a weak mind, and a foolish hobby, but is one of those straws which show the trend of life among people who are possessed of far more money than sense, and who have no idea of their obligations to the world.

Such people by their manner of life are imitating the practices of the idle rich during the degenerate days of ancient Rome, and which practices were largely responsible for her decadence. It is not to be supposed that the idle rich in this country will exert so great an influence, but undoubtedly they get many imitators and, what is

perhaps of more concern, they cause a vast amount of very natural discontent.

If a social revolution ever does occur in this country the responsibility for it will lie mainly with the class that makes more of monkeys and dogs than of children, which turns night into day, which misuses wealth, and has no scruples in smashing to pieces the decaying.

GRAFT IN CHARITY. The discovery of graft under the guise of charity in Chicago has led to the elimination of 5,444 families from the city's charity list.

These people had been receiving meat, flour and other necessities from the various branches maintained by the city charity department. On the roll were found a policeman, as well as his wife, employed as a police matron. They had received medical services free. Of the total of 5,444 undeserving families found there were 4,600 who enjoyed a good income. There were 267 in which children were holding good positions and 15 had bank accounts, some with deposits as high as \$7,000. In some instances the head of the family received pay of as much as \$180 per month, yet he received the necessities of life from the city's poor department. More shocking yet 247 of these beneficiaries of the city's bounty were found to be the owners of property.

Graft of this kind is of the most despicable type. And it is revelations of this character that hamper the charitable in their work among the really deserving poor, for purse strings when fears are roused by such exposures.

A writer in the Spectator points out that house servants have one great advantage over other wage earners. "They really know their employers."

Football has killed only three or four this year, and the season is almost ended; which causes the Leavenworth Times to remark, "Another crop shortage."

An Atchison woman, reports the Weekly Globe, who lives in fear of gas explosions, refuses to light the gas furnace in her home with anything else except safety matches.

This from the Toledo Blade: "Miss Lola LaFollette was quietly married. She isn't as noisy as her papa." And she is an actress, too.

If J. P. Morgan is really anxious to know how to unscramble eggs he might drop a line to Doc Cook.

CARD CLUB ORGANIZED. A card club was organized at the home of Dr. and Mrs. G. Ice on Eleventh and Cent. streets Thursday evening. A name will be decided upon at the next meeting, which will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vatcher, Tuesday evening, November 28. It is planned to have the meetings on Thursday evenings, twice a month. Five hundred was played at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Ice, the first prize being won by Jesse B. Garretson, and the consolation prize by Miss Genevieve Kelly. Refreshments were served. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Vatcher, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse B. Garretson, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Reddick, Dr. and Mrs. L. G. Ice, Mr. and Mrs. Teetz, Miss Genevieve Kelly, Mr. Bradley.

Charter Board Without Quorum. Owing to the absence of a quorum the charter board did not hold a meeting Friday evening. Messrs. Harding, Andreen and Toose were the only members present. President Harding probably will call a meeting next week.

Heart to Heart Talks. By EDWIN A. NYE.

Last month, when Rear Admiral Winfield Scott Schley crossed over to the other side, his countrymen, inspired by sentiments of grief and gratitude, gave him the full measure of honor that was denied him living.

The laurels that should have crowned his brow were hung upon his tomb. There is no parallel case in all our history.

Note this: When Dewey sunk the Spanish fleet in the harbor of Manila he was received upon his return as if he were a Roman conqueror. He was loaded with gifts and honors. He was placed upon a pedestal as an exalted patriot.

But Schley—Scarcely had the echo of the Brooklyn's guns died along the shores of southern Cuba, where was strewn the shattered remnants of Cervera's fleet, than the voice of detraction and slander was raised to cheat the gallant Schley of the credit for his famous victory.

And why? The malign influences that sought to give Commander Sampson more than was his due tried to accomplish their purpose by slandering Schley—an infamous attempt.

In this cabal of defamers were some of the servile, if not hired, agents of the public press.

But—How splendidly in that time of unjust attack did the great American sailor deport himself! Self-restrained as in the stress of battle, the heroic Schley met the charges with a manly dignity that would not stoop to meanness and that carried its own answer.

One of the greatest sea fighters the world has seen and one of the noblest characters patiently bided the true verdict of history.

And the American navy—The navy was always proud of Schley! And in its great display of grief at the formal obsequies it sought to make up to him what civilians had denied.

Hail and farewell! He will forever stand a heroic figure in our naval history—a history whose illustrious annals hold the record of many a brave and noble fighter of the sea.

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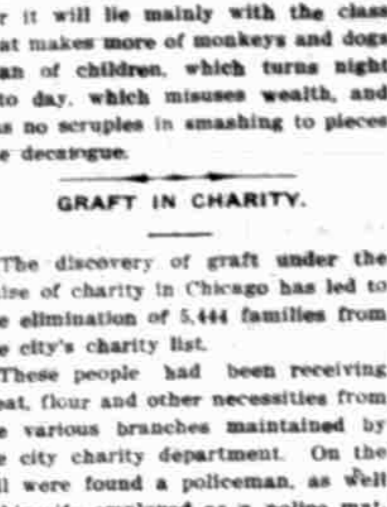


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FLYING in an aeroplane without a motor has been shown to be possible. Orville Wright has broken the world's gliding record in his trials at Kill Devil hill of the recently improved Wright glider. Whether or not it will be practicable to use this type of aeroplane as a noiseless aerial scout—the roar of the engine of the ordinary aeroplane detracts greatly from its efficiency in actual warfare—the North Carolina experiments have already shown that an aviator in this new machine may soar for a distance of 100 feet and remain in the air without motive power other than that furnished by the wind for several minutes. One glides in a biplane much as one sails in a yacht. Mr. Wright takes his place in the glider on one of the sandy hills of the Kitty Hawk region, the machine is launched into space by an assistant in the teeth of a stiff breeze, and the aviator steers in accordance with the wind pressure against his canvas wings.

KNIGHTS OF ROSE INITIATE 7 WOMEN

Court No. 2, Knights of the Rose, gave a dance and social Thursday evening in Willamette Hall. The speakers were: Supreme Commander, Judge Ditchburn and Secretary Kulta, of Portland.

The Oregon City Court No. 2 has the distinction of being the first court of the order to install women as members. Seven women were initiated at the meeting Thursday evening.

BARCLAY BALL TEAM BEATS M'LOUGHLIN

In a brief but exciting baseball game Friday afternoon on Canemah Park field, the Barclay school team won from the McLoughlin Institute, by a score of 6 to 3. The game was called at the end of the third inning on account of darkness. McLoughlin piled up three runs in the first inning, and in the second inning Barclay tied the score, and with three men on bases Kobelink whipped out a three-bagger that won the game for his team. Moody umpired the game. Story and Story were the battery for McLoughlin, and Myers, Kobelink and Vatcher for Barclay.

STYLES IN FURS.

Tailored Suits of Fur the Latest Novelty in Portland.

The fur novelty of the season is a tailored costume made of broadtail cut exactly like suits of cloth or silk. It is an expensive vogue that will not be taken up except by the very wealthy woman who affects faddish clothes.

It will be interesting news to prospective purchasers of furs to learn that muffs will continue to be large, with soft padding giving a little thickness. Some of the effective though less costly furs are made into these flat, roundish muffs, with a deep, heavy fringe of the same color across the bottom.

The big, fat bolster muff has been replaced by another style, a triangular creation, which is large, roomy and rather smart with its deep point hanging low when carried.

Neckpieces are either very wide in scarf shape or they are tiny cravats.

Wants, For Sale, Etc.

WANTED—Tourists and local people to see my collection of arrowheads, coins, Indian trinkets, old stamps and curios of all sorts. Will buy or sell in this line. Have some good bargains in second-hand furniture and tools. George Young, Main st., near Fifth.

WANTED—Drummaking by the day, first-class work guaranteed. Mrs. W. C. Snover, Roosevelt street, Oregon City.

WANTED—For light housekeeping, 1 or 2 rooms, as near center of town as possible. Address R. C. B., Enterprise.

WANTED—Boys and girls here is your chance youngsters to make your Christmas money easy. The Morning Enterprise will pay you a big commission for bringing in trial subscriptions. If you want to know more about it call or write to the Circulation Manager of the Morning Enterprise, Oregon City, and learn all about what you will have to do. The more you talk in the more you will make and you can make a lot if you hustle.

FOR SALE—A good store, delicatessen and lunch room doing a gross business of from \$500 to \$550 per month for sale of 1909 cash. Rent, including two living rooms, \$17. Located on Canemah in thickly settled residence district. A money-maker for man and wife, or for two ladies. Further particulars address 1117 E. Alder, Portland, or call after 6 p. m.

FOUND—Such containing men's clothing, inquire Brown & Kloostera's meat market, and pay for advertisement.

FARM LOANS. FARM LOANS—Dimech & Dimech, Lawyers, Oregon City, Or.

ATTORNEYS. O. D. BERT, Attorney-at-Law, Money loaned, abstracts furnished, law titles examined, estates settled, general law business. Over Bank of Oregon City.

BUILDER AND CONTRACTOR. HARRY JONES—Builder and General Contractor. Estimates cheerfully given on all classes of building work, concrete walks and reinforced concrete. Res. Phone Main 111.

INSURANCE. B. H. COOPER, Fire Insurance and Real Estate. Let us handle your property—we buy, sell and exchange. Office in Enterprise Bldg., Oregon City, Oregon. CLEANING AND PRESSING.

MUSICIANS. J. ALBA SAGER, teacher of wind and string instruments, director of band and orchestra. Will furnish music for any occasion. Call at Electric Hotel.

Defying the Dictionary. George Eliot and Horace Walpole introduced the strange word "greenh" in place of "greenery" into their writings. Shakespeare wrote "kist" and "drest" and is said to have signed his name in sixteen different ways, and Carlyle was fond of such terms as "sensiblist" and "pittablist." Even Queen Victoria often spelled separate "seperate." Dickens introduced the most eccentric punctuation when writing "Pickwick." Jane Austen was very partial to the use of the word "exceedingly," and the critics have accused Miss Marie Corelli of using "perspicuity" instead of "perspicacity."

BEING HAPPY A DUTY. It is our duty to be happy, and there is no duty we so much underestimate as this duty of being happy. By being happy we sow anonymous benefits upon the world which remain unknown even to ourselves or when they are disclosed surprise nobody so much as the benefactor. A happy man or woman is a radiating focus of good will, and his or her entrance into a room is as though another candle had been lighted.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

Goethe's Apology. Goethe once apologized to a friend for writing a long letter because he had no time to write a short one.

DO YOU KNOW that the Enterprise year-end Bargain Period is now on! See ad on back page for particulars.

OREGON CITY IS SCORED. I notice in your issue of November 15 an announcement to the effect that a meeting of the East Side Highway Association was to be held in the Commercial Club parlors, etc., etc. I have no doubt in my own mind but that the Pacific Highway will be a grand thing for a favored few, but don't you think that before Oregon City becomes so enthusiastic over the Pacific Highway that it would be a good thing to attend to some of its own roads first. No one who has to use the South Road leading to Molalla and Highland can fail to notice the disgraceful state of the road belonging to this city, and more especially at the moment you leave the city limits you strike the well kept County Road.

How is it, Mr. Editor, that Oregon City shows such a wonderful lack of appreciation of the farmers' trade? We have asked repeatedly for extra hitching space for our teams, but Oregon City takes no heed, and they allow the main traveled road to be in such a disgraceful state of repair as to be a terror to all who have to use it. I have often seen in the Morning Enterprise such commands as "Support your home town," "Patronize our advertisers," but why should the farmers patronize Oregon City stores when the business men do not care whether the road leading into town is passable or that there is any place for him to hitch his team when he gets there. I spend a good deal of money in Clatsop and Portland, all of which rightly belongs to Oregon City, and what is more I induce my neighbors to do likewise and shall continue to do so until Oregon City takes a tumble to the undeniable fact that it is far better to take good care of the dirt that is in their hand, than to be reaching out after two that are in the bush.

Very respectfully, A CLACKAMAR COUNTY FARMER.

Busch Hall Improvement. Frank Busch is having a fireplace installed in his hall. A mantel will be one of the attractive features. Mr. and Mrs. Busch have gone to much expense to make the hall attractive. Many dances will be held there this winter.

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MARRIAGE, THAT HOLIEST OF INSTITUTIONS, IS GETTING IN THESE DAYS TO BE MERELY AN EXPERIMENT IN THIS COUNTRY.

The modern woman in order to be up to date abandons much of that which is to be most prized in her own soul and which, if she but knew it, is certain to be most admired by others, even by the deeper and better part of the most worldly.

MOTHERHOOD as we once knew it and as it should be known is now a rarity, and so the children suffer. WIFEHOOD as we once knew it and as it should be known seems almost no longer to exist. The HOME in every detail suffers, and the home is the FOUNDATION OF SOCIETY.

There is no home, too often, in this country for the children or the husband or, as far as that goes, for the wife. And NATURALLY the husband is degenerating. It is less his fault, for the PRESERVATION OF HOME LIFE, the transformation of the home into a place in which he WILL BE GLAD TO STAY, is part of woman's task.

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Gilding the Pill. Diner—I suppose you are accustomed to getting very large tips. Walter—Yes; the patrons here are very generous. Diner—Then you can easily overlook the trifling one I am compelled to give you.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Instinctive Action in Death. The cannon ball which planged through the head and tore out the brain of Charles XII, did not prevent him from seizing his sword hilt. The idea of attack and the necessity for defense were impressed upon his mind by a blow which we would naturally suppose to have been too tremendous and instantaneous to leave the least interval for thought.

DOUBLE BREASTED COAT. about four or five inches wide, fitting snugly around the neck. The short coat that is finished with a shawl collar is a favorite of the season. It is adapted to both the useful and dressy suit. In the illustration one of the new rough suitings is finished with collar of silk and fancy braid. JUDIC CHOLLET.

This May Manton pattern is cut in sizes from 34 to 44 inches bust measure. Send 10 cents to this office, giving number, 748, and it will be promptly forwarded to you by mail. If in haste send an additional two cent stamp for letter postage, which insures more correct delivery.

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