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## BUY A LOT IN THE BUSINESS HEART OF MOLALLA

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## FORUM OF THE PEOPLE

### TYPHOID PRECAUTIONS.

OREGON CITY, Dec. 4.—(Editor of the Enterprise.)—There is probably no one around town today who is drinking unboiled water, but we wonder how many are using the water direct from the tap for brushing their teeth! While very little of the water may be swallowed, if the water does contain typhoid germs, a sufficient number can be introduced into the mouth in this manner to put one in bed for forty days, as it doesn't take such a heap of them to do the work if the system is susceptible condition, and we do not remember just how many million bacteria can occupy one drop of water.

Until the present epidemic is over, the only safe way is to avoid everything on which suspicion falls, and no one is warranted in taking chances with the water. To use boiled water for drinking purposes, and for washing vegetables and fruit which are to be eaten uncooked, and then introduce the germs directly into one's mouth and throat by brushing one's teeth with the tap water is highly inconsistent when one stops to think about it.

Too many think if the water is brought to the boiling point they have done their duty, but in countries where the war against typhoid and other serious diseases is waged every day in the year it is the rule to boil the water not less than twenty minutes—actually boiling that length of time.

Small children when being bathed are apt to splash water into their mouths, and where there is known to be danger from the water, and the child is delicate, it should not be too much trouble to see that their bath water is properly sterilized.

While such rigid care may seem silly to some, these are merely the precautions—a few of the precautions that people in many districts are compelled to observe three hundred and sixty five days in the year, and in a very little while one forgets that there is any other way.

Not being afraid of typhoid, and thinking so many precautions foolish has not made anybody immune that we have heard of, but after you have done all that can be done, then "forget it," and you stand a pretty fair chance of escaping the fever, and what means a lot to most of us, keeping your hair.

ERNESTINE SINGER.

## MYERS TO SPEAK AT CRISWELL FUNERAL

The funeral of Eli Criswell, seventy six years of age, who was found dead in his barnyard at Maple Lane Tuesday evening, will be held at the crematorium at Sellwood at 2 o'clock this afternoon. A chartered car to convey the friends of Mr. Criswell to Sellwood will leave this city at 1 o'clock. All friends invited to attend the services. W. W. Myers, a friend of Mr. Criswell for many years will deliver an oration at the funeral. Mr. Criswell was the Socialist nominee for coroner at the election in November. His body was found by children returning from school. It is supposed he died of heart disease. Mr. Criswell is survived by three children, Charles Criswell, of this city, Miss Nira Criswell, who lives with her aunt, Mrs. S. M. Ramsby, and Miss Stella Criswell, who teaches school near Needy.

Quite Proper.

Little Radio-Pop, what is an upright piano? Pop—one that plays only sacred music, my son.

## Humanity Talks Too Much

By M. OSSIP LOURIE, Russian Psychologist

HUMANITY must now inaugurate a campaign against verbiety. Talking is a disease.

WORDS HAVE BECOME A MENACE TO SOCIETY, SCARCELY LESS THREATENING THAN ALCOHOLISM OR TUBERCULOSIS. CIVILIZATION IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS DISCOVERED MALADY, AND NOTHING LESS THAN A SPECIAL SYSTEM OF LAICAL MONASTERIES AND CONVENTS AND A STRICT REGIME OF SILENCE CAN STOP ITS RAVAGES.

Verbomania is a very ancient disease, but its ethical and social dangers are only beginning to be recognized in these days, when the value of creative activity is being emphasized and is becoming a generally accepted belief. PROGRESS IS HINDERED BY VERBOSITY, which has become a widely prevalent disease and vice. As such its importance cannot be overestimated, and its INDIVIDUAL AND SOCIAL CONSEQUENCES CALL FOR THE IMMEDIATE ATTENTION OF THE TEACHER, THE MINISTER AND THE DOCTOR.

Like the pianist who is able after much practice to render a difficult composition without thinking about it, men HAVE ACQUIRED THE POWER TO TALK WITHOUT EVEN THINKING ABOUT WHAT THEY ARE SAYING. Habit transforms conscious activity into a mechanical process. In the use of words habit becomes grafted upon instinct.

## A LEAP IN THE DARK

By ESTHER VANDEVEER

"Miss Eldridge," said Mr. Tourtelotte, "I have called on a matter of great importance to me; whether it is of any importance whatever to you remains to be seen. You remember we met but a month ago on a yachting party; that I chatted with you casually on that occasion; that you graciously permitted me to call upon you; that I have seen you since that first meeting perhaps a dozen times. During these meetings it has been but natural that I should take pains to conceal my faults; that I should wish to appear to you in as favorable a light as possible. You can have gained only a superficial knowledge of my character. I may be strong or weak, generous or mean, well poised or passionate, but you do not know which of these traits I possess.

"Nevertheless I have come to ask you to be my wife. Why I have done so, presuming my invitation by calling your attention to your meager knowledge of me, I will explain in a few words. I do not believe that, however long a man is acquainted with a woman or vice versa, the one can learn the other's good or bad qualities. To discover this they must have been married some time.

"Furthermore, I have observed that friendship rarely brings love. The sexes mate through a mysterious drawing together under the influence of what we call love, and all the world knows that love is blind. I therefore ask you to take the leap with me in the dark."

After this extremely well poised proposition Mr. Tourtelotte took out his handkerchief, drew it across his mouth—with no purpose that was apparent—but put it again in his pocket and awaited Miss Eldridge's reply with his eyes fixed on the ceiling. Miss Eldridge preferred looking on the floor; from which some women scorning men would infer that the male aspires while the female grovels.

"I assure you, Mr. Tourtelotte," replied the lady, "that I appreciate—and deeply touched—by the compliment you pay me. I am not surprised that one of your age should look upon marriage as a leap in the dark. I have always myself considered it so, and perhaps that is the reason why I am approaching middle age without having married like you. I am somewhat analytical. While I see in man a great deal that is noble, I also perceive a great deal that a woman cannot admire. Till the twentieth century it has been his province to be a master to his wife. It is only recently that brides are refusing to use the word 'obey' in the marriage service. Then too, a woman has no assurance when she marries that she will be gently treated. Our forefathers who lived in the middle ages considered women as their inferiors. In some barbarous lands today girl children are made away with. Among the Turks it is still a disputed victory with each step, and then there was the Sunshine society in attractive costumes, both of which are here shown.

Photos by American Press Association

## Interesting Features of the Great Suffrage Parade



Twenty thousand women, girls and men marched in New York in a great night demonstration to celebrate the suffrage victory in four out of five western states. Nearly half a million spectators lined Fifth Avenue from Fourteenth to Fifty-ninth street while the unique procession passed. The women outdid themselves in providing interesting features. For instance, there were several heralds in costume who blew victory with each step, and then there was the Sunshine Society in attractive costumes, both of which are here shown.

## Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE

### OBLIGATO PLAYERS.

The singer with the golden voice poured a flood of song into the great music hall, thrilling and moving the people almost to the verge of tears.

Behind the singer and the song was the modest violinist, standing in the shadows and weaving around the song a subtle tracery of sound, sustaining and filling up the measure of the singer's voice.

It was the violin obligato.

The singer got all the applause. And neither the audience nor perhaps the singer gave full credit to the modest violinist.

It is the way of the world.

Those who sing the solos get all the plaudits and all the flowers.

Yonder is a man the world calls great. He stands in the caesium light and bows acknowledgment of the encores. But—

Behind him stands the obligato player—his wife. She has made him possible. The world does not know. He gets the cheers. She is merely the obligato player.

Behind George Washington was the Washington—obligato player. Behind the general of the Salvation Army was Catherine Booth—his obligato player.

Perhaps the greatest woman in America is Jane Addams. Who was her obligato player? Read her autobiography. She knew and appreciated what it was—her scholarly father.

Obligato players!

Standing in the shadows behind the successful man is the mother or father or wife, who guides, teaches, sacrifices, encourages—glad and proud to be the humble player of obligato.

John the Baptist played obligato.

He said of the Master, to whom he was forerunner: "He must increase, and I must decrease." I am but a voice in the wilderness—a herald, a player of obligato.

There are many such.

They are content to accompany the solo singers, content to stand in the rear of genius.

And why not?

If one cannot sing solos and is able to play accompaniments, why not? Doing well what we do without praise and because of the joy of doing and because we can thus contribute to the pleasure and welfare of others, why not?

Do not envy the soloist.

Play your obligato.

### Keeping a Secret.

Banquo—I say, old man, can you keep a secret? Well, Smiggins told me in confidence that—Elmore—Hold on! Can you keep a secret? Banquo—I? Why, yes, certainly. Elmore—Then you'd better do so.

How, with all your misgivings as to men generally and one you thought of marrying in particular, could you so suddenly take the leap in the dark?"

"Firstly, it is the only condition under which I could marry at all; and secondly, I think taking a risk, after all, is rather nice."

### England's Youngest Bride.

The youngest bride who was ever led to the altar in England, so far as we can discover, was little Catherine Astley, who had only seen four summers when she became the wife of the first Earl Bathurst, who was exactly double her age. The tiny ring worn by Catherine on this occasion, over two centuries ago, is still preserved. Lord Bathurst survived to see the eighty-third anniversary of his wedding day, while his lady was a wife for seventy-six years.—London Chronicle.

## LEWIS MADE GREATEST FIGHT ON RECORD

R. R. Cook, referee of the fight between Jack Lewis of this city, and Tommy Forhan, at Weed, California, several days ago has written to Milton Price of this city regarding the bout, which places the Oregon City man in a different light from what was at first reported. Lewis not only fought a heavier man than himself, but was fouled throughout and fought for nine rounds after an artery had been severed. Never before in the history of boxing in the United States has such dogged determination been shown by a ring expert. Cook writes:

"Jack Lewis put up a good game fight. His opponent is an old hand at the game and weighed 184 pounds and had at least five inches in reach on the Oregon City man. A glove on Forhan's hand had a brass clipp on each end and one of them cut an artery in Lewis' nose in the second round. Despite this disadvantage the Oregon City lad fought gamely through nine more rounds when I stopped the bout although Jack wanted to continue. I believe Lewis could have eventually won the fight and would now hold the welter-weight championship of the northwest. He made many friends while here. I am trying to arrange a return match between the men."

In Memoriam of D. K. Bill!

Whereas God in His infinite wisdom has removed from our midst our beloved brother, D. K. Bill, a charter member of Abnerethy Grange No. 346. And whereas, as he was a very active member of this grange, therefore be it resolved: That this grange feels deeply the loss of Brother Bill and extend to the members of his family our sympathy and love; also that the Charter be draped in mourning, and a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes, a copy to be sent to the family and to the Oregon City press.

Attest:

## DON'T PULL OUT THE GRAY HAIRS

### A FEW APPLICATIONS OF A SIMPLE REMEDY WILL BRING BACK THE NATURAL COLOR

"Pull out one gray hair and a dozen will take its place" is an old saying, which is, to a great extent, true, if no steps are taken to stop the cause. When gray hairs appear it is a sign that Nature needs assistance. It is Nature's call for help. Gray hair, dull, lifeless hair, or hair that is falling out, is not necessarily a sign of old age, for there are thousands of elderly people without a single streak of gray.

When gray hairs come, or when the hair seems to be lifeless or dead, some good, reliable hair-restoring treatment should be resorted to at once. Specialists say that one of the best preparations to use is the old-fashioned "sage tea" which our grandparents used. The best preparation of this kind is Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, a preparation of domestic sage and sulphur, scientifically compounded with later discovered hair tonics and stimulants, the whole mixture being carefully extracted by experts.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur is clean and wholesome and perfectly harmless. It refreshes dry, parched hair, removes dandruff and gradually restores faded or gray hair to its natural color.

Don't delay another minute. Start using Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur at once and see what a difference a few days' treatment will make in your hair.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists.

### MISS BILZ SPEAKS TONIGHT AT UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH

Miss Margaret Bilz is holding evangelistic services nightly in the United Brethren Church. The attendance is large and the audiences enthusiastic. The subject tonight will be, "My Grandmother's Psalm." Mr. Harrison will sing and Harold Swafford will render whistling solo.

### WOOD AND COAL

OREGON CITY WOOD AND FUEL CO., F. M. Bluhm. Wood and coal delivered to all parts of the city.

### SAWING A SPECIALTY

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NOTICES

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon for the County of Clackamas.

Stella Lee, Plaintiff,

versus

Vincent Lee, Defendant.

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer to the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 20th day of December, 1912, and if you fail to answer, the plaintiff will take a decree against you, forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore and now existing between the plaintiff and you and for such other and further relief in the premises as the Court may deem just and equitable as prayed for in the complaint filed herein.

Service of the summons is made upon you by publication in pursuance of an order of the Honorable J. U. Campbell, Judge of the Circuit Court, for Clackamas County, State of Oregon, made November 6, 1912, directing such publication in the Morning Enterprise, once a week for six successive weeks, the first publication being November the 7th, 1912, and the last the 19th day of December, 1912.

J. T. ELLIS,  
Attorney for Plaintiff.

### Notice of Special School Meeting

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 62, of Clackamas County, State of Oregon, that a special meeting of said District will be held at the county courtroom of the courthouse in Oregon City, Oregon, on Monday, the 9th day of December, 1912, at 7 o'clock P. M., for the following object:

For the purpose of levying a special tax for school purposes.

Date this 27th day of November, 1912.

W. A. HUNTLEY,  
Chairman Board of Directors.

Attest: E. E. BRODIE, District Clerk.

### Notice to Creditors

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Clackamas County.

In the matter of the estate of J. E. Underwood, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Lizzie M. Underwood as the widow of the late J. E. Underwood, deceased, has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Clackamas County, Administratrix of the estate of J. E. Underwood, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me.

properly provided as by law required at the office of my attorney: J. A. Stowbridge, No. 206-207 Commercial Block, Portland, Oregon, within six (6) months from the date hereof.

Dated this 25th