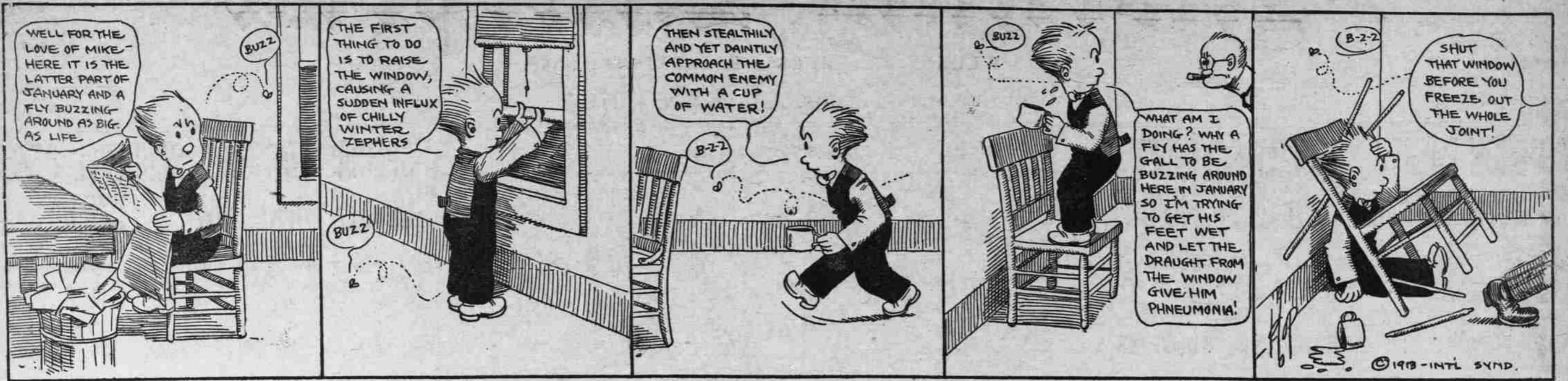


**SCOOP THE CUB REPORTER**

**Why Not Coax It Up A Ladder And Let It Break Its Neck?**

**By HOP**



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**CITY OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER**

**Jan. 17 In American History.**

1751—Battle of the Cowpens, S. C. The British under Tarleton defeated by the patriots under General Daniel Morgan.  
 1891—George Bancroft, historian, died; born 1801.  
 1893—General Rutherford Birchard Hayes, ex-president of the United States, died; born 1822.  
 1906—Marshall Field of Chicago, the richest merchant in the world, died; born 1835.

**ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.**  
 (From noon today to noon tomorrow.)  
 Sun sets 4:59, rises 7:21. Evening stars: Venus, Saturn. Morning stars: Saturn, Jupiter, Venus.

**CANADA AND THE CANAL**

A larger part of the solatide of the British ministry concerning the Panama Canal tolls is perhaps explained by the energy displayed in railway building in western Canada. For many months past, double tracking, extensions, and the displacement of lighter with heavier steel rails westward from the great wheat fields of Manitoba, Alberta and Saskatchewan, have marked an anxiety to get more perfect running arrangements to Vancouver by the time, or soon after, when the canal shall be opened to navigation. The Canadians are vitally interested not only in the proposed regulation discriminating in favor of United States coasting vessels, but also, if not equally, in that provision denying the use of the canal to vessels owned in part or in whole by transcontinental railway lines. The Canadians have gone on record as opposing our reciprocities. No doubt they are even more strongly opposed to our discriminations.

Sir Edward Grey seems to touch but lightly upon this phase of the controversy, but it is, in all probability, the gravamen of his entire dispute with us. The proposed discrimination could hardly militate against British commerce per se, anywhere else than along our western coast. It could not take effect anywhere along eastern or western coasts of South or Central America, or in western Canadian ports. No doubt there has been a protest in England against the acceptance of the regulation, and such a protest would naturally be echoed by the other commercial nations of Europe, all of which have a common interest, it would seem, in making our national property their international property, without the payment of a price of any kind. But there is no commercial or maritime nation in Europe with such a vital interest in the abrogation of the rule as the Canadians undoubtedly have.

Any such interest, wherever located, is without standing in equity or precedent. The British position denies the soundness of long recognized and accepted principles of action in fixing the obligations of private owners

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of property designated and intended for a public purpose. In fact, the rules and regulations guaranteeing equality of service and rates can be taken as applying only to foreign vessels. A railroad corporation leasing any part of its lines to another company invariably reserves privileges to itself as to rights of way for designated trains, and adjusts its time and running schedules to its own uses more than it does to the uses of the lessee, which must adjust itself to the lessor's convenience. To push the British position to its reductio ad absurdum, it would deny the United States the right to discriminate in its own defense in the use of the canal in time of war. Sir Edward Grey evidently sees this weakness in his reasoning, and seeks to get away from it by formally conceding our right to fortify, as to which, he says, no protest will be offered. Really, a protest against fortification of our property on the isthmus would be little more untenable than one which protests against a discrimination in tolls in favor of American ships plying only in the American coast trade. We imagine Sir Edward to feel the insecurity of his premises and conclusions, and we suspect that the pressure which has placed him in such a weak position is more colonial than domestic.

Under the peculiar system prevailing in New York a citizen buys police protection just as he buys any other commodity, and it is subject to the same fluctuations—that is, it keeps getting higher and higher.

Democratic congressmen are about to hold tariff hearings. They should open each session by reading the constitution which, their platform asserts, forbids protection. This claim should now be verified or dropped.

As the Panama zone is our possession it is not easy to understand why the shores of our canal are not part of our coastwise property.

Foreign trusts waste time when they look to the United States as a field for their operation by treaty or any other device.

**FORUM OF THE PEOPLE**

**"BOIL THE WATER."**  
 OREGON CITY, Jan. 16.—(Editor of the Enterprise.)—History informs us that the elder Cato began and ended every oration, no matter what the subject, with the phrase "Delenda est Carthago," "Carthage must be destroyed." In this way he aimed to keep continually before the Roman people the ever threatening peril to their ambitious city from their powerful rival on the southern shore of the Mediterranean.  
 For a like reason it behooves every one alive to the deadly hazard to re-

mind the people of Oregon City, in season and out of season, that the "Willamette water must be boiled." There lies our danger; and no filtering plant nor "hypochlorite process" can possibly remove it. Such make-shifts are "a delusion and a snare." Cleveland tried it—Buffalo tried it. Doubtless "J. W. Webster, a water plant expert of Portland" employed by the water commissioners is an excellent engineer, mechanic and machinist, and can install the "hypochlorite plant" or any other, without a hitch, but there is nothing to show that he understands "bacteriology" any better than our own "expert" water superintendent who had the gall to argue the case against Dr. Moutt—God save the mark!  
 In the meantime—Boil the water! Boil the water!!! Boil the water!!!  
 W. C. SCHULTZE.

**WEST SIDE SCHOOL TO BE ENLARGED**

The taxpayers in school district No. 34, west side, at a meeting Thursday evening, adopted a resolution providing for the platting of the land in front of the "Hill School" the property being in Willamette Heights, granted by the Willamette Pulp & Paper Company for homes for employees. The taxpayers decided to dedicate the remainder of the street to the school district. It will not require the removing of the fence. Electric lights have been ordered for the school building. It also has been suggested that another school building be erected in order to provide quarters for a high school.

**A Business Proposition.**  
 "I put perfect trust in you, Amarantha," said Dobleigh, "and now I find that you are engaged to a dozen men all at once."  
 "Now, Tommy, don't you be silly," said Amarantha. "Have confidence. Don't you know that a perfect trust always requires the services of a president and a board of directors?"—Harper's Weekly.

**MRS. JONES HOSTESS OF BRIDGE CLUB**

Mrs. Linn E. Jones was a charming hostess of the Auction Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. George Hankins won first prize, and after the games delicious refreshments were served. Among those present were Mrs. W. E. Pratt, Mrs. Nelson J. Wisner, Mrs. A. A. Price, Mrs. E. P. Rands, Mrs. M. D. Latourette, Mrs. C. H. Meissner, Mrs. L. L. Porter, Mrs. John Lewthwaite, Mrs. George A. Harding, Mrs. Nieta Barlow Lawrence, Mrs. C. C. Huntley, Mrs. E. T. Chapman, Mrs. George Hankins, Mrs. O. E. Eastham, Mrs. Theodore Osmund, Mrs. Linn E. Jones and Miss Marjorie Caulfield.

**Bright.**  
 First Man (taking out timepiece)—Something's wrong with this watch of mine. It stopped. Second Man—When? First Man—Oh, some time during the night. I can't tell you exactly when.—Boston Transcript.

**Wants, For Sale, Etc.**

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**HELP WANTED—MALE**  
 WANTED—By middle-aged man work in private family. Any kind of work. Address "H" care of Enterprise.  
 WANTED—Work on ranch by young man. Address Geo. Michelfelder, Electric Hotel, Oregon City.  
**WANTED—Female Help.**  
 GIRL WANTED—Phone. Main 1501.

WANTED—Girl to work in Bindery. Inquire this office.

**FOR SALE**

**COAL**  
 The famous (King) coal from Utah, free delivery. Telephone your order to A 56 or Main 14, Oregon City Ice Works, 12th and Main Streets.

**FOR SALE—A 1300-lb. mare, also A-1 Fresh cow.** Robt. Clarke, Mount Pleasant, R. F. D. No. 1, Oregon City.

**FOR RENT**

**FOR RENT—Four unfurnished house-keeping rooms with private family, no other roomers.** Inquire 1315 Madison St., or Telephone Main 2133.

**FOR RENT—A modern 5 room cottage.** Inquire at 324 Washington St.

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**PAUL C. FISCHER**  
 Attorney-at-law  
 Deutscher Advokat  
 Room 2 Beaver Bldg.

**MUSICAL**

**VIOLIN LESSONS—Mr. Gustav Flechtner, from Liepzig, Germany, is prepared to accept a limited number of pupils.** Mr. Flechtner may also be engaged for solo work or ensemble work. Address for terms, etc., Gustave Flechtner, Oregon City.

Oregon City Branch Northwestern School of Music, Opens Wednesday, Jan. 8, 1913, in the Masonic Temple Building, for new winter term students in various branches of music writes to 129 1-2 Grand Ave., Portland for application, terms, etc.

**EXCURSION RATES**

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**MISCELLANEOUS.**

Anyone that is out of employment and feels he cannot afford to advertise for work, can have the use of our want columns free of charge. This places no obligation of any sort on you, we simply wish to be of assistance to any worthy person. THE ENTERPRISE

Rheumatism cured. I will gladly send any sufferer a Simple Herbal Recipe that cures Rheumatism, also a Trial Treatment, all sent absolutely free by one who was cured. Enclose a two cent stamp. W. H. Sutton, 2601 Orchard Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.

It will pay you to trade with the Chicago Store, 505 Main Street, Oregon City, for Clothing and Gent's Furnishings. We also do cleaning, pressing and repairing, at reasonable prices.

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**NOTICES**

**Administrator's Notice.**  
 Maria de Grubissich Estate.  
 Notice is hereby given and published that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the Estate of Maria de Grubissich, deceased, by an order made by Hon. R. B. Beatie, Judge of the County Court for Clackamas County, State of Oregon, and entered in the said Court on the 16th day of January, 1913, and that all persons having a claim or claims against the Estate of said Maria de Grubissich, deceased, are required and notified to present the same to me at my office, 553 Sherlock Building, Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, with proper vouchers and duly verified, within six months from the date of this notice.  
 Dated and first published January 17, 1913.  
 First insertion January 17, 1913. Last insertion February 14, 1913.  
 WALTER S. ASHBK.  
 Administrator of the Estate of Maria de Grubissich, Deceased.

**Notice.**  
 Notice is hereby given that the Annual meeting of the stockholders of the Clackamas County Fair Association will be held in the parlors of the Commercial Club at Oregon City, Oregon, on Saturday, February 1, 1913, at the hour of 1:00 o'clock P. M.  
 This meeting is held for the purpose of electing six directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the purpose of such other business as may legally come before the meeting.  
 O. D. EBY, Secretary.

**Summons.**  
 In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, in and for Clackamas County.  
 Vera Artelia Perry, Plaintiff,  
 vs.  
 George Herbert Perry, Defendant.  
 To George Herbert Perry, Defendant:  
 In the name of the State of Oregon: You are required to appear and answer to the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, on or before the 28th day of February, 1913, and if you fail so to appear or answer, plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in said complaint, to-wit:  
 A decree severing and dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore and now existing between the plaintiff and yourself, and for such other and further relief in the premises as the Court may deem just and equitable.  
 Service of this summons is made upon you by publication in pursuance of an order of the Honorable James U. Campbell, Circuit Judge of Clackamas County, State of Ore-

gon, made on the 16th day of January, 1913, directing such publication in the Morning Enterprise once a week for six consecutive weeks, the first publication being January 17, 1913, and the last being the 28th day of February, 1913.  
 DAN POWERS,  
 Attorney for Plaintiff.

**Summons.**  
 In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Clackamas County.  
 C. G. Morey, Plaintiff,  
 vs.  
 Nellie M. Morey, Defendant.  
 To Nellie M. Morey, the above named defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and cause on or before the expiration of six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit:—on or before Monday the 17th day of February 1913, and if you fail to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in her complaint on file herein, to-wit: that the bonds of matrimony be dissolved on the grounds of Cruel and inhuman treatment.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable J. U. Campbell, Circuit Judge of said County, and said order was made and dated on the 31st day of December 1912, and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 3rd day of January, 1913, and the date of the last publication of this summons is the 14th day of February, 1913.  
 Attorney for plaintiff, 142 1-2 2nd Street, Portland, Oregon.  
 C. H. PIGGOTT.

**Summons.**  
 In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Clackamas County.  
 Ethel Lussan, Plaintiff,  
 vs.  
 Anthony Lussan, Defendant.  
 To Anthony Lussan, the above named defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and cause on or before the expiration of six weeks from the first publication of the summons, to-wit: on or before Saturday February 23rd 1913, and if you fail to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in her complaint on file herein, to-wit:—that the bonds of matrimony now existing be dissolved.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable J. U. Campbell, Circuit Judge of said County, said order was made and dated the 26th day of December 1912, and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 27th day of December 1912, and the date of the last publication of this summons is the 7th day of February, 1913.  
 Attorney for Plaintiff, 142 1-2 2nd St., Portland, Oregon.  
 C. H. PIGGOTT.

**Summons.**  
 In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Clackamas.  
 W. W. Martien, Plaintiff,  
 vs.  
 Floe Martien, Defendant.  
 To Floe Martien, the above named defendant:  
 In the name of the State of Oregon. You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 1st day of February, 1913, said date being more than six weeks after the first publication of this summons, that being the time prescribed to so appear and answer and for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in plaintiff's complaint in said suit, to-wit:  
 For a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now and heretofore existing between the plaintiff and defendant.

This summons is published pursuant to an order of the Honorable R. B. Beatie, County Judge of Clackamas County, Oregon, made, dated and entered on the 19th day of December, 1912, Judges J. U. Campbell and J. A. Eakin being absent.  
 M. J. Mac MAHON,  
 Attorney for Plaintiff.  
 Date of first publication Dec. 20, 1912.

**American School Boys Are "Softened"**

By Dr. GEORGE KIRSCHENSTEINER, German Educator

AMERICAN PUPILS, PARTICULARLY BOYS, ARE BEING SUBJECTED TO HARMFUL "SOFTENING" PROCESSES.

The cause lies partly in the employment of methods which make the pupils' tasks too easy and partly in the lack of men teachers.

Boys in the four lower grades may well be left in the hands of women teachers. The upper grades should unquestionably be UNDER MEN who understand the nature of the boy better than women do.

The boy should in many cases be much more FIRMLY AND VIGOROUSLY HANDLED than is possible for a woman. It is doubtless the overfilling of the schools with women teachers that is EFFEMINIZING the process of character building and weakening the pupils' respects for authority.

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