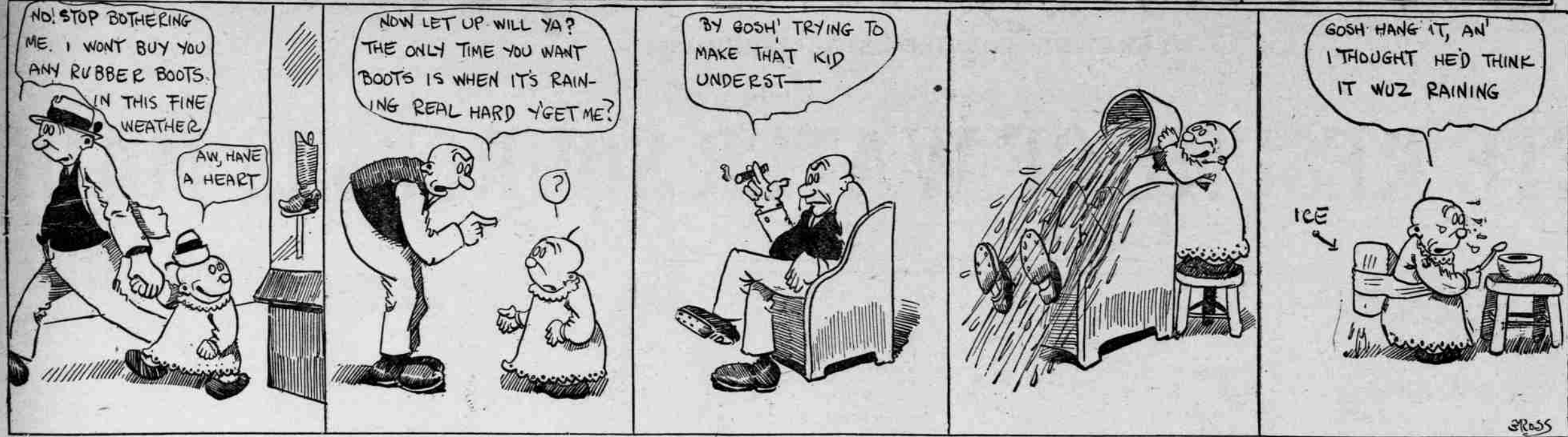


MR. HENRY PECK AND HIS FAMILY AFFAIRS

By Gross

HENRY JR. SAYS



HOWEVER THE KID MUST HAVE HAD A STORMY SESSION OF IT HENRY PECK JR.

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CITY OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER.

THOSE STOCK Reports from Portland tell of the first arrests made SPECULATIONS under the provisions of the new blue sky law. Two men have been held under the provisions of the act and are charged with the violations of the law.

In this way, the blue sky law stands as a bulwark between the people and the speculator. It protects the women, the widowed, the fatherless from the smooth and oily dispenser of worthless stocks.

A loaded gas bag, an inflated proposition from beginning to end, they nevertheless attracted the person with a small amount of capital to invest and take the savings of years from those who were the least able to stand the loss.

There is no more notorious or worthless rascal generally than the man who takes the small earnings of others through the medium of some of these fake schemes. The law is wise in providing a felony punishment for the perpetrator of such schemes and the punishment of the man who is guilty of them.

When the sufferings that have been brought to the new settlers in western states and landed on new irrigation projects that were worthless are alone considered, regardless of the thousands of other ways by which the speculators profit, there is no punishment short of the extreme penalty that is so severe in riding the state of a pest of this kind.

It is not in the spirit of vengeance, however, that the state should look at such matters for the state and society generally has no interest but in its own protection and the reformation of the criminal. But it is a protection to the state and a wall of rock between the innocent and inexperienced investor and the man who schemes and plots to get his money that a law of this kind is needed and that it has been enacted by the legislature of the state.

This is the first case that has been brought under the new law. It will probably mean that the statute will receive its first test in the courts. Though it is highly probable that the law will find its way successfully through the

Modern Craze For Speed Proves That We Have Come to Be a Bad Lot

By DAN CRAWFORD, Idealist and Missionary, Who Recently Completed Twenty-two Years of Christianizing Work In Central Africa

IT is the obvious fact that you are GOING TOO QUICK. You are cursed with the delirium of speed and a speed along the paths of the most vile materialism.

Now, what does this involve? It means that if you bolt your food—most impolitely bolt your food—you'll disorganize gastronomic functions. Nationally you are bolting terrifically, and you are IN THE THROES OF ECONOMIC INDIGESTION.

The old definition of speed hits off the whole situation. For what is speed but A MEANS BY WHICH YOU MISS AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE BETWEEN THE POINT OF DEPARTURE AND THE POINT OF ARRIVAL? When as a child you ate your candies as fast as possible so as to get them all and quickly, how you longed to have them back again!

Remember you cannot have an omelet without breaking the eggs. And if you will go tearing across the crust of this planet earth in automobiles at the rate of fifty miles an hour YOU CANNOT HAVE YOUR SPEED AND ENJOY YOUR SCENERY TOO. And too late you will find that your emphasis is wrong—that the scenery profiteth more than the speed.

THE OLD BIBLE SAYS, HE THAT BELIEVETH SHALL NOT MAKE HASTE. IT'S A PITY. IT PROVES YOU ALL A BAD LOT. IT IS A GOOD IDIOM IN ANGLO-SAXON SPEECH TO SAY THAT A HASTY MAN IS A BAD MAN, THERE IS MORE MEANING THAN WE FANCY IN OUR CONNOTATION OF A MAN WHO IS SWIFT, WHO IS FAST, DON'T YOU SEE IT?

labyrinth of the courts, there is need for some sort of a law that would protect those who need just protection from the fake plotters and get-rich-quick Wallingfords that permeate the western states and have permeated those states for many years past. Stories are daily printed in the newspapers of the country of the sufferings of settlers who have been "bunked" by these enterprising fakers.

It is to be hoped that the new law will have the effect that it was intended by the legislature and that it will successfully eradicate such a pest from this state and become an example to other western states in enacting legislation that will protect the innocent and the helpless from the unscrupulous and designing.

SCHOOL PROBLEMS The problems of education that this county and OF THE COUNTY every other one in the state has to face are such that no county court can afford to play with fire in its selection of the man who is to handle the affairs of the schools.

Education is an important factor in the reduction of crime. It is an important force in the elevation of the intelligence of the community, of the county and of the state. For that reason, it is a matter of vital importance that the county courts of the state should be extremely careful in the selection of the man who is to have complete charge of the educational matters in the county and whose dictum is final on all matters that pertain to the county schools.

The court of this county realized that proposition when it made the selection of J. E. Calavan for county superintendent yesterday. It appreciated the responsibilities that he has to shoulder and the difficulties that he must meet. It also appreciated his ability to meet them. For many years, the new superintendent has been connected with the rural schools. He has had ample opportunity to see the conditions in the schools as he has become acquainted with them in his travels from one district to the other and from one institution to the next through the several districts.

The action of the court is a wise one in this instance and the good work that was started by Superintendent Gary will be ably continued by his successor. The Enterprise is heartily interested in every phase of the educational problems of the county and it believes that the new superintendent is a man whose experience and training is balanced by a judgment and clear sightedness that will bring material results in the way of improving the conditions of the county schools.

If you pay by check, people will see that you have a bank account and credit will be greatly improved.

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HALE MEETS CHIEF FOR HIS FIRST TALK

NOGALES, Sonora, Nov. 12.—Crossing a narrow little street from the United States into Mexico, William Bayard Hale, personal representative of President Wilson, met the constitutional chief, General Venustiano Carranza, and his cabinet, and presented to them a definite proposal from the American government.

What that proposal was the American diplomatic agent declined to say. The Mexican revolutionary leaders also were silent, but to those who have been anxiously awaiting the development of the American policy with regard to Mexico it was fraught with possibilities for the destinies of the war-worn republic and her relations with her northern neighbor.

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EARTHQUAKE KILLS HUNDREDS IN PERU LIMA, Peru, Nov. 12.—A dozen towns were destroyed, at least 200 persons were killed and 5000 or 6000 were made homeless by an earthquake which shook the mountainous province of Aympara last Friday, according to news received here today.

Look out for the jolt when you ask one of these absurdly candid men for his honest opinion of you. Read the Enterprise for the news.

TWO ARRESTS MADE UNDER BLUE SKY LAW

Warrants were served on L. R. Kaylor of the Oregonian building, and A. D. Baker, of 723 Chamber of Commerce building, late yesterday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Phelan for violating the provisions of the Blue Sky law. The men were released on \$1000 bail.

Following these arrests will come the first criminal prosecutions under the new act. The men are charged with offering stocks for sale contrary to the word of the act, which provides that it is unlawful to deal in stocks or securities of any company unless a permit is first secured from the state corporation department.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

John H. Johnson and wife to the United States, beginning at the northeast corner of the donation land claim of Samuel L. Campbell in section 10, range; \$9600. Harry A. LaBarre and wife to Reginald F. Carter E. 1/4 N. W. 1/4 S. E. 1/4 S. W. 1/4 section 2, T. 4 S., R. 5 E.; \$10. Katie Hanlon to Mary Hanlon lots one, two, five, and six in block 21; \$300. J. F. Spiger to David Moehnke and wife, lots one and two in Opportunity, five acres; \$4000. Christian Kraft and wife to Louise A. Koehler, one acre in N. E. 1/4 N. E. 1/4 section 4, T. 4 S., R. 1 E.; \$1. Warren D. Kingdon to W. O. Walter, N. 1/2 section 16, T. 7 S., R. 4 E.; \$100.

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FRANCHISES TO STIR UP WAR

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He read reports from the decision of the supreme court in the Portland case. The case, he says, applies directly to the backers of his proposition late want to construct a dock on Eleventh street and that the line would interfere with the construction of the dock.

Harvey E. Cross said that such a difficulty could be easily overcome as the upper deck of the dock would be on a line with the road and the lower deck could be built to accommodate the teams and wagons that carried loads into the place for shipment by boat. Father Hillebrand of the Catholic church opposed the construction of the line because of what he considered a necessary loss in value of the church property that the line entailed. He said that it would place his church between two railroads and the property to that extent damaged. C. T. Toose also fought against the construction of the line on the ground that it would materially damage his property on that street.

Railroads Oppose. Harvey E. Cross finally answered the arguments of the opposition by declaring that the Portland Railway, Light & Power company and the Southern Pacific lines were the real enemies of the new road and that their opposition to it was responsible for some of the opposition that had been manifested at the council. He said that almost every proposition that indicated progress in the city ever since he came here had been opposed by some faction or other and that some even opposed the construction of the bridge over the Clackamas river and the erection of the court house on its present grounds. He said that in all of the time that he had been in the city and the county he had never seen any progressive move suggested but that there was some bunch or other to make a kick. The franchises will be discussed at a special meeting of the city council one week from Friday when final action will possibly be taken.

WALKER HAS MUCH CONFIDENCE IN TEAM

In spite of the fact that the University of Washington team will prove a heavy favorite in the battle for the intercollegiate championship here Saturday, Dean Walker, captain of the Oregon team last year and graduate manager at present, is not discouraged at the prospect of apparent defeat. The Oregon man believes that no team in the conference could have beaten O. A. C. last Saturday, and attributes it to the natural desire of the O. A. C. players, naturally stung to the quick by attacks of the press, critics and public on their lack of gameness.

Nothing will make a man fight so quick as a reflection of this sort, and it was only natural that the Aggies would play as they never played before. Walker believes that the Oregon team is as strong as it was given credit for being before the game with O. A. C.

WHITMAN CRIPPLES TO PLAY IDAHO SATURDAY

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Nov. 12.—Having failed in an effort to get next Saturday's game with the University of Idaho canceled, Coach Archie Hahn will take a crippled aggregation to Moscow with the idea of getting the worst defeat of the season hung on him. W. F. Young, of Sherwood, was in this city Wednesday.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 1, 1913. M. D. Reynolds, says:—

This is to certify that I have been a great sufferer from Rheumatism since 1894. Contracted the disease while working with a snow plow on the railroad. For several years I have been obliged to use crutches a great part of the time. Having used three boxes of the Meritol Rheumatism powders, I have thrown away the crutches and am now almost fully recovered. It certainly has done wonders for me and I heartily recommend it. M. D. Reynolds. Jones Drug Co.—Adv.

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PRETTY WEDDING IS CELEBRATED

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Symes, Zelda Cox, Anna Tomosewskie, Josie Zurber, Conrad Preister, George Marley, Anton Naterlin and Dwight Bain. Prasp's orchestra of Portland, has been secured for the occasion. Mrs. S. O. Dillman and Mrs. Gilbert Hedges will be hostesses of the Dertic club Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. A. Chase.

On Thursday afternoon at four o'clock the W. C. T. U. will hold a reception for the teachers of the Oregon City schools in the parlors of the Presbyterian church. Mrs. Butland, state president of scientific instruction, will give a short address. The mothers of the pupils are especially invited to meet the teachers. Carl A. Schram, formerly of this city, who holds a responsible position with the Powell River Company, Ltd., Powell River, B. C., is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Schram.

MANY CHANGES NOTED IN LOCAL MARKETS

Ducks, geese, and turkeys are coming into the local markets heavily in the past few days and the receipts from the country districts have been large. There seems to be a rather general demand, too, for the produce of this kind and the trade has, of late, been rather brisk. There are many other changes in the local quotations as well. Potatoes took a drop in price while eggs took a flier or two in the markets. Livestock, Meats BEEF—(Live weight)—steers 7c; cows 6c; bulls 4 to 6c. MUTTON—Sheep 3 to 4c; lambs, 5 to 5 1/2c. POULTRY—(Buying)—Hens 13c; old roosters 9c; broilers 13c. SAUSAGE 15c lb. PORK—10 to 10 1/2c. VEAL—Calves 12 to 13c dressed, according to grade. DUCKS—(Live)—13c; geese, 12c; turkeys, 20c. APPLES—50c and \$1. DRIED FRUITS—(Buying)—Prunes on basis 4 for 35 to 40c. ONIONS—\$1 per sack. POTATOES—75c and \$1.00. BUTTER—(Buying)—Ordinary country butter 23c to 25c. EGGS—Oregon ranch, case count 43c; Oregon ranch candled 45c. Prevailing Oregon City prices are as follows: HIDES—(Buying)—Green salted, 9c. OATS—(Buying)—\$23.00 and \$24; wheat 77c and 78c; oil meal selling \$38; Shady Brook feed \$1.25 per cent. CORN—Whole corn \$36; cracked \$37. SHEEP PELTS—75c to \$1.50 each. FLOUR—\$4.30 to \$5. HAY—(Buying)—Clover at \$9 and \$10; timothy \$13 and \$14; at hay best \$10 and \$11; mixed \$9 to \$13; Idaho and eastern Oregon timothy selling \$20; valley timothy \$15 to \$16. FEED—(selling)—Shorts \$24.50; bran \$22.50; feed barley \$30 to \$31.

Just to show how difficult it is to distinguish a football player in action—"Pooch" Donovan, the Harvard trainer, was unable to pick out his own men in a recent game at Cambridge.

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