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GOOD MORNING.

CHEERY "Good morning" often sends a ray of sunshine streaming through the innermost recesses of a household, resting there all the livelong day, and again follows hastening footsteps into the mart of business, lighting up and brightening "the way of the world" as it goes. A hearty "Good night" often soothes many a troubled mind to rest, and heals the wounds which have either come anew to a struggling soul, or been reopened by the harsh words or deeds that are spoken or done in season or out of season, as the daily battle of our life progresses.

"Good morning," with a heartfelt wish for blessings in the tone of its utterance, cheers the heart of faint and fearful ones, and softens many a hard spot that has place by inheritance or cultivation, in the breasts of humanity. The lovelight, that beams from the eye when one is greeted by such words as "Good night" lights many a weary spirit to a chamber of rest and peace and to a land of pleasant dreams.

The home where "Good morning" and "Good night" are carefully said by one to another, are the homes of the world where good thoughts are generated, where good deeds have place, and from whence go out good lives.

Then don't forget to say "Good morning," say it to parents, to children, brothers, sisters, schoolmates, teachers, friends and to all you meet, and say it cheerfully and with a smile. It will do you good and do your friends good. It will cheer the discouraged, rest the tired ones, and somehow make the wheel of life move more smoothly. A "Good morning" heartily spoken makes home fresher and brighter and seems really to make the morning good, and to be a prophesy of a good day to come after it.

WOMEN'S FASHION GRILLED

MRS. IDA HUSTED HARPER, author and lecturer, is out with a broadside against women's eccentricities in dress and absurdities in fashion. The suffragette leader blames them for defeat of the cause. She says:

"Nothing has done so much harm to suffrage in the last fifty years as the way women have dressed themselves in the last year or two. They have aroused general contempt and criticism and have made men say everywhere that they have neither sense nor judgment, and so are not fit to be trusted with the ballot.

"Their hats alone have made them the laughing stock of the country. These ridiculous objects are without excuse in either shape or trimming, and they are made worse by the wearing of long hatpins, which have been such a menace to others that legal relief has been sought all over the land.

"The most influential women have worn dresses on the street and in public places in which a woman of the demi-monde would not have appeared a few years ago. They have exposed figures, arms, bosoms, and ankles in so shameless a way that one is forced to suspect that if they have appeared modest in the past it was only because custom demanded it and from no innate refinement.

"It is impossible to go on the street without seeing the contempt men feel for these women and hearing the sneers and obscene remarks directed toward them. And as a result men say women have shown themselves unfit for suffrage or anything but dress and bridge and the most frivolous amusements."

Mrs. Harper makes it pretty strong, but it is certainly true that fashionable women used a little sense in dress.

Did you ever know a man who would wait for dinner at home as cheerfully as he waits for a bum free lunch to be served?

The Times' Want Ads bring results

Watkins' Pony Slough Reflections

Editor Times:

The other day I noticed in the family journal presided over by yourself, issued semi-occasionally, five plunks before taking, six after taking, per annum, a letter signed, "Progressive No. 2." Now, I believe the name is a misnomer, methinks I can detect the spoor of a cold storage republican. "The voice is the voice of Jacob, but the hands are the hands of Esau." However, it always affords me pleasure to observe signs of life, however slight, in any atrophied member of my party. Progressive sings of one W. C. Hawley, hence I sing with him. Hawley? Why the same Hawley whose pictures with the motto, "Only the people's interests," done in tar underneath, peer at you from every paper, from every street, from every alley, from every cubby hole and from everywhere like cuts of a prize stallion at a country fair, at least every two years, until you reach a stage where all you can see, night or day sleeping or waking is visions of Hawley.

"Progressive," says Hawley is of the Roosevelt type. There is certainly a striking resemblance, the same resemblance there is between a monkey wrench and an alligator, you can hardly tell one from the other.

"Progressive" also says the aforesaid is a hard worker. Yes, indeed. Observe how he has worked the people of this congressional district, progressives and all, at three elections, with prospects.

Note too how he has worked the Woodmen of the World for a hundred plunks a moon in the face of determined opposition for services rendered in performing Y X Z, while in the employ of your Uncle Samuel—sort of a leg pull job.

"Progressive" and I, also point with pride to the labors of the honorable in congress. The very first term he did all this 600,000,000. The second term he did even more of the same thing and this term he is industriously stacking up what he did the previous term. As a writer he is sure a lallypoo.

I prayerfully read that part of Progressive's letter the other day, wherein he states that Taft, etc., etc., recognize Mr. Hawley as a great man, to a degenerate friend of mine, and this fellow quietly grinned and hummed:

"And I polished up the handle of the big front door, I polished up the handle so carefully That now I'm the ruler of the Queen's navy. I polished up the handle so carefully That now I'm ruler of the Queen's navy."

Well, you know me. To another fellow I pointed with pride to that part of Progressive's epistle wherein he directs attention to what Mr. H. had done for Coos Bay.

In a fatherly way this man laid his hand on my head where the hair is not as long as it once was, looked straight into my weather eye, not the one I keep on Pasco and said: My dear J. Rufus—you are as good a man as I ever saw when you are asleep, but since you have ceased to raise hair on this think box of yours, it is of no use to you on earth, it's worked out, the soil is exhausted. Do you not know that the chances are a thousand to one that the same appropriation would have been made in the general river and harbor bill for Coos Bay as was made if Mr. Hawley had never been on earth? Your simplicity makes me tired. Well, that fellow had a wicked eye, so I generously passed him up.

"Progressive" claims that Mr. Hawley is a great orator. Yes, indeed. He has Demosthenes and Cicero skinned to a frazzle. Progressive and I will back him against any artist in oration in this or any other state. We defy competition. Whoopie for Hawley!

GEO. WATKINS.

THE GOOD APPETITE

The man whose appetite is fine, who can, when he hits up to dine, dispose of sundry chops and steaks, and finish up on pies and cakes, who goes clean through the bill of fare before he rises from his chair—that man should envy none on earth—the gods were smiling at his high! He may be doomed to humble toil—to pushing plowshares through the soil, to sawing horns from muley cows, to digging gumbo in a ditch—but he can view the idle rich, and he can look on scapery kings, and say: "I'm better off, by gings! For what avails all wealth or pomp if one is not inspired to romp when sounds the glad dinner horn? I'd rather chew an ear of corn, or eat a shoulder of a ham, or sit myself with prunes and jam, and know I can digest the same, than mask in wealth and roll in fame." This world with sorrow is replete for those who wince when they must eat, who have to exercise the jaw on pedigreed chop and straw, who look with horror on a roast, as though it was their father's ghost! But life is full of wholesome glee for him whose stomach, bold and free, is always ready for a chore, takes what it gets and asks for more.

—WALT MASON

Seagoing freight steamers of a new type and with light enough draft to permit them to ascend the river Seine to Paris are being built in France for trade with ports on the west coast of Europe.

MANY TURKEYS SHIPPED

Douglas County Ships About 10,000 Birds.

The Roseburg Review says: Shipments of turkeys from Douglas County for the Thanksgiving trade will not aggregate over 10,000 head, the lowest number for many years. Roseburg will send about 3,000 head, while those from other parts of the county, approximately about 7,000 head, will be shipped either from Oakland or from other points.

Of the out put from Roseburg, two-thirds left the city Saturday under consignment of Young & Company, which invaded the local market with an offer of 21 cents a pound for dressed birds, or one cent higher than any other buyer would pay. Most of the turkeys were sent to the San Francisco markets, the strength of the markets in Portland and Seattle having deteriorated from an influx of turkeys for the Christmas trade which were laid down in those cities at 20 cents a pound, clipping five points off of the quotation that prevailed early in the buying season. The 10,000 turkeys shipped out of Douglas county for Thanksgiving would average 100,000 lbs. in weight, netting the owners a little more than \$20,000. To this amount must be added, however, the money to be received for turkeys for home consumption, which will number not less than 2,000. Shipments of turkeys for the Christmas trade promises to be very light.

PUGET SOUND BOAT BURNS AT ANACORTES

(By Associated Press.) SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 28.—The wooden stern wheel steamer Vashin caught fire at the dock at Anacortes early today. She was cut adrift and practically burned to the water's edge. She was built at Aberdeen in 1891 and valued at \$25,000.

CLATSKANIE GIANT WALLOPS CITY DADS

ASTORIA, Ore., Nov. 27.—Walter L. Pullman of Clatskanie, has been charged with assault and battery in the county court by District Attorney Harris. It is alleged that Pullman entered the chamber of the city council in Clatskanie while that body was in session and literally "cleaned out" the house.

CHILD SLAYS MOTHER.

Accidentally Kills While Trying to Keep Drunken Father Back. WATSONVILLE, Cal., Nov. 28.—Mrs. Geo. Ball of Vega, a station five miles from here, was accidentally shot and instantly killed last week by her seven-year-old daughter, who was trying to shield her from attack by the girl's father. Ball and the girl, who are wild with grief today are being held here to await the coroner's verdict. According to local officials, Ball returned home in a drunken condition last night and was abusing his wife when the little girl interfered. The pistol the child held was discharged twice, one of the bullets striking the mother above the heart.

TOO MUCH FOR THE DOG.

His Habit For Strong Drink Gets Him. TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 28.—Ben Franklin, a valuable English greyhound owned by Edward Tschopp, is dead, and the cause of his demise, veterinary surgeons agree, was Bright's disease superinduced by alcoholism.

Ben could drink more beer in a day than any two men, and for the past two years he scarcely drew a sober breath. Those who knew Ben's mother says that she was even a worse tippler than her offspring. He had a regular round of saloons to cover almost daily.

THE FAD-IST

He is seeking, ever seeking, for some doctrine that is new, he is striving, always striving, all the old things to undo; he has risen from the level of the plane where father stood, and has solved the greatest problems that perplexed the Ancient Good.

He disputes the proofs of science, holds himself aloof from those who have sought and found in Nature, all the things that there disclose agencies for human healing, proven in the light of day; finds instead, that this is error, leading mortals far astray.

He has gone into the teachings of Mohammed, Eddy, Pa'ne; finds in these the greatest merit, and for them he now would deign to o'erthrow all other doctrines, banish them, and lead alone, all the poor, misguided mortals o'er his pathway to the throne.

Now, I used to sit and listen while he told a wondrous tale, of the power of absent treatment, when no other could prevail; and he told me of the dangers of malicious man's hand but the more his thoughts were studied, less the comfort I could find.

But, maybe there's a reason for not grasping his Great Truth, there was a Christian mother in the happy days of youth, and maybe 'twas her teachings that dim my power to see, for her noble honest efforts, still, are good enough for me.

Nov. 27, 1911. R. O. GRAVES.

THE HOUSEWIFE.

She worked so hard, the long, long day, at putting mislaid things away, at sweeping all the floors and stairs, and shaking rugs and dusting chairs, and cleaning grease marks from the doors and forty thousand other chores. And when her husband came at night his cottage was a cheering sight. But he, like many of his kind, though having two good eyes, was blind; never gave a glance or thought to all the things his wife had wrought. He stretched himself upon two chairs, and talked about his selfish cares. She wanted just a word of praise, and he discussed all evil days; she wanted just a little smile, and he observed that times were vile. She wanted bread, and got a stone, and bowed her head to weep alone. A man may lug a lot of gems, and velvet gowns with silver hems, and all such doodads, to his wife, and then not brighten up her life one-half as much as he might do if he would give at times a few kind words that do not cost a yen, but make her heart grow young again.

WALT MASON.

NEWS OF COQUILLE

Coos County Seat Events as Told by The Sentinel Mrs. John Mechant of Marshfield spent Wednesday in Coquille, visiting with friends.

Miss Anna Miller left for Mar's field today, where she will visit with friends for a few days.

Last Saturday evening several young lady friends gave a linen shower to Miss Anna Child who is soon to be married to Mr. E. H. Emerson.

Marriage licenses were issued during the past week to: Charles L. Cox and Etta Belle McLeod, November seventeenth; Robert A. Wilder and Vera J. Foss, November twenty-first.

Last evening a surprise miscellaneous shower was given Miss Emma Maury at the home of D. H. Johnson by a number of Coquille's young people. Miss Maury is to marry Hal Pierce in the near future and she was the recipient of many dainty gifts.

County Assessor Thrift is having maps drawn of all the townships of the county and maps of the additions of all the towns. Deputy Hawkins is doing the map work. He has finished the township plats and expects to finish the addition maps before spring. The maps will be a great help in the work of the office.

County School Superintendent W. H. Bunch received the library books, the first of the week, which are to be distributed among the different schools of the county, according to the number of pupils in each school. The County buys the books, giving ten cents to each school for each pupil enrolled. The amount given for books amounted to \$569.08, which bought 921 books.

When a man is accused of a crime he is also sure to be accused of having a "guilty look."

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UNPOPULARITY OF QUEUE

Manchus Forced Pigtails on Chinese Hence They Discard It Now SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 28.—The real reason for the unpopularity of "pigtails," among the Chinese revolutionists was disclosed by Tong King Chong, secretary of the Chinese National association, and editor of a Chinatown daily paper, in an address on the present war given at the Press club.

"The very queue which has heretofore been the badge of the race," said Mr. Tong, "was put upon the Chinese so that the Manchus might the easier hold his head and pull

out his neck to receive the executioner's sword."

SPECIAL NOTICE.

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