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USES OF THE SAILING SHIP

WHETHER the sailing vessel, which for many years has been taken comparatively but little trade, is again to come into general use, is a question that is suggested by the number of sailing vessels which have been recently engaged to carry grain from the Pacific Coast to foreign ports...

It will depend, of course, upon whether the sailing vessels in competition with the steamers can be made to pay a sufficient profit on their ventures to warrant their being used generally in the ocean carrying trade.

THE RISE in freight rates during the past two years and the figures ruling at the present time would seem to favor this movement, says the New York Maritime Register.

AVIATION'S DEATH TOLL

AS WAS TO be expected, the year 1913 showed a considerable increase in the number of deaths due to aeroplane accidents. Many more airmen than ever before made flights during the year; many more miles were covered. As against 140 aviation fatalities in 1912, there were 192 in 1913.

A DREDGED PORT.

WHY debate over the practicality of dredging? The case is proven. The whole world is in the record. The experience of the ages is in the testimony, says an engineer.

BOATS ENOUGH FOR ALL

THE problem of securing safety at sea for navigators and travelers is no easy one to solve. It has many factors that the landman is ignorant of and would hardly know how to handle if he tried to deal with them.

COOS BAY.

When the winter storms are drifting from across the sunset mahn And the champagne sands are shifting all along the coastal plain...

For I'm dreaming of the ocean and its rolling billows wide; With its ever restless motion, and its ebbing, swelling tide.

Where the great Pacific surges on our Country's western strand, And the forest inland stretches far across a fertile land.

WITH THE TOAST AND THE TEA

There is a man in our town And he is full of prunes; He plays a rusty phonograph And never changes tunes.

There is a man in our town, Our coat for sure he's got; He dumps all sort of rubbish on His vacant corner lot.

There is a man in our town, Who helps mosquitos breed; He owns a world of vacant lots And never cuts a weed.

There is a man in our town, Who's even worse than that; He's teaching tango dancing on The floor above our flat.

There is a man in our town, A pest you probably know— No matter what the day brings forth He says: "I told you so."

There is a man in our town, For hot Avernus bound; Each night he ties in his back yard His cussed, howling hound.

Often a Coos Bay man strains his intellect trying to butt in.

A soft-hearted man always gets the worst of it when he has occasion to transact business with a hard-headed one.

A sage is a man who will sit up all night and worry over things a fool never even heard of.

THE OLD GROUCH SAYS:

"A man may be able to make money with a common school education but his son must have a college education to know how to spend it."

THE LIMIT.

I can stand for the man with a cute little bow, On the back of his green-colored hat.

For there are a lot of good fellows I know Who some times have fallen for that.

The fedora of plush is a lid I don't like, It's a fed that will never be missed, But somehow I've always an itching to strike.

The man with the watch on his wrist, I grow covish at times with the ladylike man Who says "Mercy me!" and "O dear!"

And the chap in the ballroom who uses a fan, Is a chap I could sweat on the ear, The swell with the cane in the crotch of his arm.

Isn't human, I often insist, But some day somebody is going to harm The man with the watch on his wrist. —Exchange.

Think what a deaf and dumb woman misses!

Being good looking is a duty every woman owes herself.

It is a common mistake for a man to think himself a lady killer.

If a man doesn't know when he is well off the chances are he isn't.

Cut out the unnecessary talk and you will be surprised at the little you have to say.

A man gives a party to entertain his friends. A woman gives a party to snub her enemies.

It isn't necessary for a man to have money to burn in order to keep the pot boiling.

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BELIEU CASE IS UP AGAIN

Woman Says That Their Marriage Was Void Owing to Divorce Restriction

The troubles of the Belleu family, which were aired a year or so ago, and which came up in Justice Pennock's court a few weeks ago when Mr. Belleu paid a fine for attacking his wife after, he alleged, she had bounced an alarm clock off his head, have reached a new stage.

Mrs. Belleu in a published notice today declares that they are not man and wife and that they are no longer living together.

She alleges that Mr. Belleu secured a divorce in Wasco county, Oregon, from his first wife, who was a Salem woman, and a few months later she and he went to Vancouver, Wash., where they went through some sort of a ceremony which she then thought was valid.

Mrs. Belleu says her maiden name was Baldwin and that her first husband died. She has considerable property but the income from it is not available as it has to go to educate her children by her first marriage.

OUT FOR CHARITY.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish will head the reception committee for the "bal ebanant" to be given tonight at the Ballanore, by the directors of the Schola Cantorum.

The objects of this school are to give the highest types of choral music in America and for the education and advancement of deserving voices which otherwise might not receive proper training.

In 26 states there are state foresters who co-operate with private timberland owners in solving forest problems.

LOCAL OVERFLOW

Drain Progresses.—City Engineer Buckingham stated today that the Mill Slough Drain was ready to have the water turned in as far as Seventh street and if the weather remains fair they will have it done in ample time for the dredge Seattle to start in on the Mill Slough fill by February 15th.

BETTER ROAD TO COOS BAY

Roseburg Merchants See Chance to Build up Business by Good Roads

A communication that will interest to all good road enthusiasts was received by Secretary Motley of the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce from Carl D. Shoemaker of the County Good Roads Association, Roseburg.

AN INTERESTING LECTURE.

Dr. Mattie B. Shaw Tells of the Power of Cleanliness for Health.

At the Baptist church last night Dr. Mattie B. Shaw addressed a good-sized audience under the auspices of the local W. C. T. U. on "The Road to Health."

The doctor stated that the main sign-post on the Road to Health had written on it the word "cleanliness." Emphasis was placed upon the absolute necessity for clean air to breathe, clean water to drink, a clean skin and clean thoughts.

The doctor depicted in moving words the awful menace to racial conservation and well being of the two great social diseases which issue from immoral habits.

Geo. W. Shelley visited at his home at North Bend from Friday till Sunday. Mr. Shelley expected to leave for Portland on the last Breakwater but the reservations were all gone before he got in his order.

SHELLY PLANS TRIP.

SLOGAN FOR SUSAUW.

The Susauw Commercial Club will pay \$5 to the person offering the most acceptable slogan to be used for advertising purposes.



INTERIOR VIEW OF PERRY & NICHOLSON'S FURNITURE STORE.

AT A GLANCE one might say there is no difference in furniture except as to price.

All pictures look alike and if you take first impression for your guide you are likely to find out the truth later which means too late for you.

If you are buying a chair compare a Kingcraft with any other and note the difference in construction.

Likewise a Robbins' Dining Table. If you are technical and discriminating we know your verdict.

Our stock at this time is complete, clean and desirable. Our prices are low and terms liberal and our name and reputation for fair dealing a safeguard to our patrons.

Perry & Nicholson

The Parisian FASHION'S CENTRE SPECIAL SALE Your choice of our entire stock of men's \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00, and \$27.50 Suits and Overcoats. All wool, well made, box and Semi-English Cuts. \$16.50 Big reductions on Shirts, Underwear, Sweaters in Broken Lots. SEE WINDOWS. We Guarantee Satisfaction

BOOKS OF THE WEEK. "Gloria Mundi," "Joan Thursday," "Friday the 13th," "The Man Who Was Thursday," "The Cotter's Saturday Night," "Bible Sunday's Sermons." Now Hardware.—It is reported that J. W. Hildenbrand and W. F. Schroeder, two well-known Marshfield men, will open a hardware store in the quarters which will soon be vacated by the Marshfield Hardware Co.

SALE OF FINEST CATTLE. TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 4.—The finest lot of Scotch short-horns ever offered for sale has been collected for the annual market held at Union Stock Yards today.