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SUSPICIOUS CHARACTERS

When spring opens early with mid-summer heat and warms up your rooms free of cost, don't shed all your woollens or move to the beach until we have had the last frost.

If a man who ignored you for years every day grows friendly with uncommon speed, with a smile on your face, look him straight in the eye and say, "neighbor I'm hep," its your lead.

THE KISS DEFINED.

What is a kiss? When is it offensive and when inoffensive? Here are the answers as laid down by the Supreme Court of the German Empire.

A kiss is a reaction upon the body of another.

A kiss always requires the permission of the person kissed.

Without such permission one may kiss only if one is sure of the other's tacit consent, as in the cases of parents, children and lovers.

If the kisser is not only coy, but gravely objects, it is to be assumed that the kiss is considered an illegal interference with his or her personal freedom and a violation of his or her honor.

Anyone who inflicts a kiss in such circumstances is guilty of assault and battery.

KIPLING WRITES POEM TO RILEY

BOSTON.—The almost simultaneous appearance of the new complete edition of the works of Rudyard Kipling, and the first complete edition of the works of James Whitcomb Riley, has brought to light the information that Kipling and Riley have for years enjoyed an acquaintance that has been the incentive to poems dedicated by each to the other.

In 1890 George C. Hitt, then editor of the Indianapolis Journal, visited Mr. Kipling in England and carried with him, as a gift from Mr. Riley, a copy of the latter's well-known collection of poems called "Rhymes of Childhood."

To J. W. R. Your trail runs to the westward, And mine to my own place;

There is water between our lodges And I have not seen your face.

But since I have read your verses 'Tis easy to guess the rest— Because in the hearts of the children There is neither east nor west.

Born to a thousand fortunes Of good or evil hap, Once they were kings together, Throned in a mother's lap.

Surely they know the secret— Yellow and black and white, While they meet all kings together, In innocent dreams at night.

By a moon they all can play with— Grubby and grimed and unshod, Very happy together, And very near to God.

Your trail runs to the westward, And mine to my own place; There is water between our lodges And you cannot see my face.

And that is well—for crying Should neither be written nor seen.

But if I call you Smoke-in-the-Eyes, I know you will know what I mean.

November 20, '90. The student and admirer of Riley, upon reading these affectionate lines will at once recognize the similarity they bear to the melody of Riley in his famous poem, "Longfellow's Love for the Children."

PRIMARIES IN PENNSYLVANIA.

Bitter Contest Between Democrats Over Governorship.

PHILADELPHIA, May 19.—Final preparations for the primary election tomorrow are being made by the candidates and their supporters in the various parties. The bitterest contest is within the Democratic party for the gubernatorial nomination between Vance McCormick, former Mayor of Harrisburg, and Michael J. Ryan, city solicitor of Philadelphia.

COMMITTEE TO PLAN EXHIBIT

Question of Coos Building at San Francisco Fair is Still Undecided.

(Special to The Times.) COQUILLE, Or., May 19.—At a joint meeting of the Exposition committees from North Bend, Marshfield, Coquille, Myrtle Point and Bandon, held here yesterday, a committee of three was appointed to visit the director of works at the Panama Exposition company's office in San Francisco and ascertain definitely whether or not Coos county or Coos Bay would be permitted to erect a separate building representing this section.

This motion was made after several hours discussion by members of the committee from the different communities in which the general sentiment was expressed that Coos county could not have a building, but Coos Bay or the adjacent country could be represented by a building of some designation other than a county designation. The committee, which will visit San Francisco during the latter part of the present week consists of L. J. Simpson, Hugh McLain and George Geisendorfer.

Many Views. L. J. Simpson made an address in which he stated that he had the direct assurance of Mr. Connick, director of works at the Exposition, that Coos Bay would be permitted to erect a building, and stated that he had been granted the refusal of a very desirable site adjoining the Iowa building, and that according to the maps of the Exposition grounds as they read on his last visit this ground was marked "Coos," and that it was only a question of whether or not the people of the county desired a separate exhibit that would be of immense value or allow themselves to be crowded into the Oregon building amongst a score of like exhibits that would pass unnoticed.

W. S. Turpen also spoke, bearing out the remarks of Mr. Simpson, in which he related a recent visit to San Francisco in which he visited the offices of the Exposition and viewed the site that had been reserved for the people of this section which was marked "Coos."

Advised Differently. George Geisendorfer, manager of the Coquille River Manufacturing company stated that on a recent visit to the California metropolis, he was advised by an assistant of Charles C. Moore, President of the Exposition, that an irrevocable rule had been made that all county exhibits must be made in the state's building. In the face of this ruling Mr. Geisendorfer stated that he did not believe the people of this section could be represented in a county building, although he agreed with the former speakers on the fact that a building might be erected under some title not conflicting with that of a county title and the exhibit would be allowed.

Favors Oregon Building. G. T. Treadgold of Bandon stated that the county should make its exhibit in the Oregon building, as the movement on foot at present to construct a building and ignore the Oregon representation, would be held in contempt by the commissioners of the Oregon building. Mr. Treadgold said that the time in which to erect a county building was growing very short and that something should be done immediately, if Coos Bay, county, or a building of any other title were to be erected before the closing of the Exposition.

Simpson Replies. "We are only bound to the rest of the state as a matter of courtesy, and an opportunity to avail ourselves of the advantages afforded by a separate building should be taken at once," said Mr. Simpson. "If we allow technical differences to delay or destroy our intentions, I don't think we are very earnest in our purpose. Coos county is strong and healthy enough to stand on its own legs and not be advised by the remainder of the state on a matter of self betterment. We all want this building. Let's all say 'We shall have it,' and not allow an opportunity that will never come again in our lives to pass us and be content with representation in a county building that will be at the discretion of persons from other communities."

Mr. Simpson's talk was very well received and a motion was made by Hugh McLain to the effect that the committee be appointed to visit San Francisco and come to an understanding with the exposition directors. The motion passed, all of the committee voting in the affirmative.

Permanent Committee. A permanent committee was appointed by the body to act on the matter of a building, who are: Peter Loggie, J. A. Smith, L. J. Simpson, Hugh McLain, C. R. Peck, Dr. Mingus, G. T. Treadgold, George Geisendorfer, F. J. Feeney and Dr. Johnson. The committee elected L. J. Simpson chairman and Dr. Johnson secretary. A report will be made by the committee upon the return of the delegates from the Exposition and until then the question of a building will be undecided.

Along the Waterfront.

The tug Roscoe took out the tug Lawrence laden with coal for Porter Brothers at Florence this morning.

Have your job printing done at The Times office.

If you are not ashamed of your goods—ADVERTISE THEM.

SUTHERLAND ON BANDITS MADE CANAL TOLLS A RICH PAUL

Says Proposition As Presented by the President is Most Astounding One.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) COLUMBUS, O., May 18.—Orders declaring a strike of all coal miners in Ohio went out from the headquarters of the United Mine Workers of America today. The union began paying strike benefits of \$3 per week to every member. The mines have been closed since April 1 by the operators.

TROOPS KEPT IN COLORADO

President Not Disposed to Withdraw Soldiers Immediately from Strike Zone.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, D. C., May 19.—After a conference with the President, Representative Keating said that although the President had advised that the government Federal troops not be allowed to remain indefinitely in the Colorado strike zone, the President is not disposed to withdraw the troops immediately. He said he was willing to do everything for the preservation of peace.

MINE WORKERS ON A STRIKE

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, D. C., May 19.—Senator Sutherland of Utah declared in the Senate today that in the history of free government "no such astounding proposition was ever before presented to a great legislative body as the demand of President Wilson that Congress repeal the Panama tolls exemption without raising the question as to whether we are right or wrong."

He said he intended to vote against the repeal but added that he was in favor of arbitrating the dispute, because of the difference of opinion prevailing among the greatest thinkers of the country over the question.

CANDIDATES IN BANDON

After looking over the field thoroughly, and getting the opinion of a number of the leading business men of Bandon, The Recorder presents the following names to the voters for their consideration as candidates for the various city offices to be filled this spring:

- For Mayor—Geo. P. Topping, C. R. Moore, John Nielson. For Councilmen, East Precinct—J. L. Kronenberg, F. J. Chaburn, Geo. J. Armstrong, J. H. Gould. For Councilmen, West Precinct—O. A. Trowbridge, C. R. Wade, F. S. Perry, R. C. McKinnis. For City Recorder—E. B. Kausrud.

Helps Kidney and Bladder Trouble

Everywhere people are taking Foley Kidney Pills, and are so satisfied they urge others to take them also. A. T. Kelly, McIntosh, Ala., says: "I recommend them to all who suffer from kidney trouble and backache, for they are fine." Best thing you can take for backache, weak back and rheumatism. Owl Prescription Pharmacy, Frank D. Cohan, Opposite Chandler Hotel, Phone 74, Central Avenue Drug Store, local agency.

BANDITS MADE A RICH PAUL

REPORTED TO HAVE SECURED \$10,000 FROM NEW YORK THEATER AFTER WORKING DETECTIVE RUSE THERE.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) NEW YORK, May 19.—Posing as detectives, four men gained entrance to a Broadway motion picture theater this morning, made the watchman a prisoner, handcuffed three workmen in the theater and then blew open the safe in the box office and obtained \$10,000.

ONLY AMERICAN PILOTS WANTED

Colonel Goethals Places Restrictions on Those Applying for Canal Service.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, D. C., May 19.—American citizens only are to be trusted to pilot vessels passing through the Panama Canal, under the rules laid down by Colonel Goethals to govern the appointment of pilots. The applicants must, in addition to their American nationality, be under forty-five years of age and hold master's licenses for the great lakes or ocean going vessels.

EVIDENCE IS CORROBORATED

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) NEW YORK, May 19.—Charles B. Platt, at one time press agent for Becker, on trial for the murder of Rosenthal, took the stand for the state and corroborated many details of the story told by Jack Rose and others that Becker was the instigator of the murder plot. After the murder Platt swore Becker said: "What is the matter with Rose and that bunch. To pull the stunt the way they did was very bad. You would suppose it was being done for moving pictures."

KERR IN WASHINGTON.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, D. C., May 19.—Robert J. Kerr, who was provisional governor of Vera Cruz for a short time following the American occupation, arrived in Washington and called at the White House. He expressed a desire on his arrival to lay the information relating to Vera Cruz before the president.

SYNOPSIS OF THE ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE German American Insurance Company

OF NEW YORK, IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK, on the 31st day of December, 1913, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Table with columns for CAPITAL, INCOME, DISBURSEMENTS, ASSETS, and LIABILITIES. Total assets: \$21,724,918.16. Total liabilities: \$889,557.50.

BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR.

Table showing business statistics for Oregon in 1913. Total risks written: \$8,220,214.00. Gross premiums received: \$120,780.83. Premiums returned: \$18,044.89. Losses paid: \$64,631.68. Total amount of risks outstanding: \$6,031,306.00.

Business is Good

There's a Reason The Pianos are good Ask Thomas about it

The Wiley B. Allen Co. FOUNDED 1873 L. L. THOMAS Manager

Lace Remnants

WE HAVE QUITE A LOT OF LACE REMNANTS, EDGES AND INSERTIONS, TWO TO FIVE YARD LENGTHS, WHICH WE ARE OFFERING AT ONE-HALF PRICE. ASK TO SEE THEM.

The Golden Rule

The Parisian IRVING BLOCK

Special Sale on Men's Clothes

We have placed on sale for this week a beautiful assortment of handsomely tailored all wool suits, all new merchandise and well worth \$16.50 Your choice \$15.00 \$18.00 Your choice \$20.00 \$22.50 Your choice \$20.00 \$25.00 Your choice \$27.50

A Better Buy You Never Made. WHY? Because We Sell For Cash See Window

Tempting Underpriced Offering For Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Come and get your share of these bargains.

- White dresser scarfs and table covers, some hemstitched, others embroidered; were 40c and 50c— Now Only 23c. Ladies' 25c and 36c sleeveless vests, fancy or plain— Only 19c. Ladies' Chamoisette wash gloves in natural and tan shades, special— PER PAIR, 50c AND 35c. Men's and ladies' heavy gray sweaters, all sizes, values to \$3.00— Now \$1.85. Men's "Everlasting Sox," tan or black, linen heels and toes, wear as well as any 25c sock, now— Only 15c.

The Fair Next to Chandler Hotel. SATISFACTION—ALWAYS OR MONEY REFUNDED.