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FOXY GRANDPA.

Mr. Taft is a progressive. The Ore-

"middle - of - the - road progressive.

There is one thing quite sure. The

ple's rule, and they will no longer

allow party fealty to stand in the

of Colonel Roosevelt.

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WHERE SHE FAILS.

Of course, woman's rights are a failure if woman doesn't avail herself of her rights. This is particuto her through politics; for profane thing progressive about its candihistory, since she took Adam by the date. Mr. Wilson is distinctly a proears and made him eat that apple gressive and the democratic convencore, is replete with demonstrations tion was dominated by the progresthat she'll take her other rights sive spirit. If the necessity for Mr. good and proper.

We instance a notable failure of been disclosed at the California city not because they view Mr. Taft as a sucker trap works overtime. of Daly, whereat Miss Clara A. Jess is duly inaugurated and installed as recorder. Mr. Ed E. Masters of San American people have been fooled Francisco and Miss Loraine A. Bander of Oakland appeared before Retal state, take the matrimonial risk, shake dice with Cupid, buck up against the double narness game, gonian that Mr. Taft is "a middleetc. Elsewhere they may refer to it of-the-road progressive" to convince steam. They will build more ships in addition to straining your eyes, spoiling the beauty of the room anu as connubial bliss, the blessed union them that Mr. Taft in any sense rep- and enlist more men than ever be- taking from the value of the picture. of two hearts that beat as one, happy consummation of the divine afflatus, Frisco and Oaklkand they figure short of one-third of the republican less things go her way, closer on the uncertain possibilities votes of the nation. The people are and keep one eye cocked on the ever- determined on the issue of the peolasting gamble in the hymeneal matter

Well, Miss Clara pronounced Ed way of it. If Mr. Roosevelt is not and Loraine man and wife proper a candidate they will support Mr. and plenty, and then came a most Wilson, embarrassing pause. It was time for

the official officiating to kiss the bridegroom.

Here is an excerpt from that paper We don't know whether Ed's anent the recent injunction issued pucker was repulsive or whether by the district court against the Med- amount of horsepower developed and Miss Loraine's eyes looked daggers. ford bridge: "Ashland judge upholds the number of ditches in the two whether his esteemed brothers and Anyhow, Miss Recorder Clara delib- suit brought by Ashland attorney on erately abandoned a right which has behalf of -Ashland parties against

BIGGEST MINE EVER.

The Oregonian calls Wilson a "Scotty" was a mystery. Every 'radical progressive" and Taft a once in a while he emerged from middle - of - the - road progressive." Death Valley, in the desert region at "Therefore," it says, "there is no ex- the back of the Sierras, with a bag cuse for a third party." By this short of gold. Once he hired a special

the continent and spent money with a man a har, scoundres, the thief, and no one makes complaint It is no wonder to find, through the prodigality of a prince in the when court adjourns. If a newspathe columns of the Oregonian, that metropolitan hotels of the effete east. per prints such a reflection on a All the time "Scotty" refused to man's character there is a libel suit One Year\$2.00 gonian has always been for Taft. It drop the slightest hint about the lo- or a dead editor. The people believe is progressive just like Taft, that cation of the fabulous mine. Noth-

being not progressive at all. The ing was known except that he disap-

ican people today is whether the government shall be controlled by the ted, capitalized and put in the mar- ahead. people or by predatory power. It ket. He sold like hot cakes. But knows that the republican conven- luck turned. "Scotty" received \$25.- sad, and laughs at you when you are tion at Chicago was dominated abso- 000 one day, was sued for a doctor's mad-the editor. lutely by political bosses in the inter- bill of \$1,000, couldn't explain what both kind and wise and never (hard-Ashland, Ore., Thursday, July 11, '12 est of big business-that the people he had done with his latest "roll lost in the fight for control-and (which he really never got), was a heart as well as cheek, possessed that control was gained against the jailed for contempt, and then-the of spirit proud yet meek, and lives on people by the crookedest methods mine was discovered.

It was the biggest, deepest, most ever applied in a political conven-That convention was purely inexhaustible mine the world has they use up the most of their time reactionary; there was nothing pro- ever known-the pocketbook of the working out their petty grudges larly true of those rights which come gressive about it-nor is there any- credulous public. "Scotty" had been did not support them at the polls. the tool of a bunch of shrewd pro- They may be the worst hoboes on moters, who first exploited him, then earth, but that cuts no ice. You sold stock on the strength of his 'mystery."

It is an old saying that a "sucker Roosevelt is eliminated, it is because is born every minute." But that is the people are satisfied with the nom- a back number. We live faster nowpolitically empowered woman to ination of Mr. Wilson and with the adays. A sucker is born every secseize upon her rights that has just platform upon which he stands, and ond at least, and occasionally the

GERMANY LIKELY TO BOLT.

long enough. The metropolitan England deliberately invited Gernewspapers have been a large fac- many to modify her strenuous procorder Clara to plunge into the mari- tor in fooling them and they now gram of naval expansion, offering to that all perspective is lost, and the do likewise if the suggestion were ac- ceiling seems to be hopelessly high. are aware of it. It will take more now than the statement of the Ore- cepted. She now has her answer. The Germans have put on more

Looks as though Germany is get-

and such like, but round about nominated or not, Mr. Taft will fall ting ready to bolt the convention un-

133 CONTESTS FILED.

1,200 Water Users Affected in Adjudication of Rights.

With the close of the period in which contests might be filed for the adjudication of the water rights of all streams in Jackson and Josephine The Mail-Tribune still has 'em. counties, many salient facts and figures relative to the amount of water tributary to Rogue river, the amount First, because he needed the money, of irrigated land in the valley, the and he got 15 cents a line for it. counties, have been compiled by James T. Chinnock, superintendent



A lawyer in a court room may call what an editor says,

A tin peddler cheats a farmer wife trouble with a lot of the metropoli- peared in the desert, came back with cents on a calfskin, while she works tan newspapers is they are not hon- his yellow gold, "blew himself" for a off two dozen eggs on him at 14 est. The Oregonian knows full well riotous good time, then did it all cents, and stuffs a pound of hen's feathers into a sack of geese feathers At length "Scotty" was incorpora- Wonder how much the tin peddler is she sells him at 40 cents a pound.

Who weeps with you when you are Who has to be ly ever) lies, and when he does creates surprise-the editor. Who owns 40 cents a week-the editor.

Put some men in a petty office and against some one whom they imagine must say nothing but take your medicine and shout their greatness or you are a victim of their spleen. Did you ever notice this?

Hanging Pictures.

Did you ever realize that hanging. pictures in your home was quite an art? The manner in which they are hung makes a great difference in the appearance of a room. We made the above remark to one of our decorators the other day and this is what he said in reply:

"That fact is thrust upon me nearly every day. I go into some parlors where the pictures are hung so high Other folks hang theirs so low that it hurts your spine to look at them, All pictures should not be hung

on the same level, as they so often are, yet all should be as nearly on If square and oblong pictures are alternated irregularly with round and oval ones the best possible effect is gained."

Booze Advertising.

An Illinois editor recently was called to task because he inserted an advertisement for a "booze" palace in his town. In his next issue of his paper he replied to his critics in the following style:

He says he confesses to the act, he desired to ascertain sisters read his paper. Both his curi-

Can You Answer?

osity



Has No Selfish Interest.

When the nomination of Governor Marshall of Indiana for vice-president was practically assured on the Attention. Wood Consumers second ballot. Bryan urged and suc

SEE ME BEFORE BUYING.

resents the true interests of the gov- fore erned. Whether Mr. Roosevelt is

always been conscientiously claimed construction of Medford bridge. by gentlemen officiates whenever the Which reminds us of the little boy bride wasn't too much off color, or who was a big bluffer. Once upon ing of the water rights. These rights izations, given the preachers complihadn't too heavy a moustache. a time in an altercation with a neigh-

Verily, this instance of official bor he accidentally administered a ditches in the two counties. woman's miserable failure to exercise knock-out blow. Then ne imagined water rights extend over the three her right is not only discouraging to himself a fighter. He strutted about bmanches of water use-irrigation, the suffrage cause, but it also must challenging every boy he met, until, mining purposes and power. In iga-tion claims 1,000 water rights, minhave its effect on that divine institu- at last, an innocent looking little fel- ing 160 water rights and power 45 tion called marriage. low took a fall out of him that put water rights,

AWAY.

In Albany, a few days ago, a man to be peaceful and dislikes discord, who had been a telegraph operator but if nothing will do but a fightfor 45 years committed suicide be- if no persuasion but a sound licking was assigned to other work, the the game. There are so many places available for all purposes, of the whole county in the scrap. learned to do.

That man had at least 25 years in So be it, Mr. Mail-Tribune; the bars hefore Mr. Chinnock, findings will be horse, when tethered with a rope, alwhich to learn to operate a type- are down, come on with your ratwriter. He must have had many killing. spare hours, which he spent in some other manner. A few of them would have sufficed.

What opportunity are YOU over- campaign is whether the govern- into a higher court. looking daily, you who read these mental agents shall be controlled by lines, for the improvement of YOUR- the people or by predatory wealth-SELF, for keeping yourself up to big business-then follows the re- Naval Organization Reported on Fadate in the march of world-progress? vision of the tariff and trust control. What are YOU doing, and what are If the first is lost there is little hope you NOT doing, in those invaluable that either of the others will be set-"spare hours" which glide away tled in the interest of the people, and recommendation that the state he bumps his chin with his knee beevery day?

PROGRESSIVES FOR WILSON.

igan, who has been a staunch Roose- of the abusers, velt supporter, without making any direct reference to the nomination of Wilson, says that there is now no necessity for a new political party, and lion. People are beginning to underthe Minneapolis Progressive Republi- stand that political freedom consists can League, at a meeting Tuesday, of independent political action. The decided to support Governor Wilson. political party that hopes for success it is possible that the report of the we would like to know, but will wait George Loftus, president of the in future must be truly representa- commanding officer of the Maryland until another time. league, in a statement said: "There tive, is no reason for us to join a third party movement, and neither can we work for Mr. Wilson in this state." of white space, it will always be hard

If a national convention without shame or apology will steal the balance of power in its own convention. how much will it steal from the people if successful in the election?

of water division No.

Approximately 1,200 water users intemperance, devoted much space to are affected directly in the adjudicatare located upon the 315 streams tributary to Rogue river and to \$40 The he knows that they are and concludes men are permitted without criticism

him to sleep for all. The Mail-In the district there are 37,000 ners and keep himself from the "SPARE HOURS" THAT GLIDE Tribune is bound that Medford and acres of land under irrigation. At world. Ashland shall fight. Well, Ashland 136,000 acres, in addition to the 37,this time it is proposed to irrigate

is not looking for a row. It hopes 000, making a total of 170,000 acres. In the streams of the district, which include Rogue river and all its tributaries, the figures compiled a white horse. good for?

made and given to the circuit court, ways unravels it, while a cow always where it will be approved, unless ex- twists it into kinky knots? Why do at Chicago. ceptions are taken. If exceptions are leaves turn upside down just before

taken the circuit court will determine a rain? The paramount issue before the a decree, which decree can be ap- horse's head-is it as long as a flour American people in this national pealed if the defendant wishes to go barrel? What animals have no up-

MAY PERMIT MILITIA.

vorably by Captain.

salem, Ore.—Praise for the men palm of his right hand with his left,

ernor West. As the government delayed the dis- fature has given a clear and healthy There is less of party spirit this bandment of the organization until complexion have to paint it till she year than ever before since the rebei- the report relative to the conduct of can't wink for fear of breaking the the militia during the cruise could enamel? Why does she bang her be forwarded to the war department, hair like a spitz poodle and make her and has indicated that if it was fa- head look like a window mop? There vorable he might change his mind, are a great many other queer things

Captain Ellicott, after praising the showing an interest in the collection If the voters will persist in mark- men and saying the state should feel of Oregon exhibits to be shown this support President Taft. We will ing crosses wherever they see a bit proud of the organization, and rec- winter at the land shows of the midommending that the state support the die west. In response to a call sent naval militia, declares the cruise con- out by Manager Chapman of the Ore-

vinced him of the importance of sim- gon Development League, many outlar organizations for national de- side societies have been heard from, Permanent good comes to an agri- fense. Governor West, when seen in each promising to collect samples of cultural or horticultural community relation to the matter, was non-com- the best products grown there this from raising crops, not from raising mittal as to what action would be season, and the season, and the season is assured. No locality should taken in relation to the militia, but tion is assured. No locality should will likely permit it to live. allow itself to be unrepresented.

and cupidity have been satisceeded in having the North Dakotans withdraw Burke, so that Marshall's nomination would be unanimous.

In response to calls for a speech, Bryan said: "He who fights must mentary notices, but no intimation bear the scars. Any regret I may had ever been given that his efforts have had is wiped out by the realizawere appreciated or even read. Now tion that I can fight in the coming than 10 tiers to a place, at campaign as I never fought before. that while all classes of business I will be able to show that no selfish interest is, actuating my course. to do business with a saloonkeeper, hope to demonstrate to the people the country editor isn't. He must be that the party we love so well is in 'holy," undefiled, separate from sinreality the party of progress."

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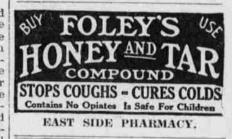
lying along the Natron cut-off of the Here is a list of questions for the wide-awake boys. Can you answer Southern Pacific between Odell Lake all of them? You can any day see and the Klamath Indian reservation Why do you never is being prepared for agricultural deby Mr. Chinnock and his assistants see a white colt? How many differ- velopment with the advent of the cause his "wire" had been given to will take the bluff and brag out of show that there are 225,000 miners' ent kinds of trees grow in your new railroad, which is now under a younger employe. The older man our neighbor, Ashland is ready for inches, or 5,600 second feet of water neighborhood, and what are they construction 22 miles south of the Why does a horse eat tract. Four townsites that have alchange being made because his suc- "near Medford" against which the been 133 contests fied. Of this Why does a hop vine always wind one company will be opened simultanecessor could operate a typewriter- Mail-Tribune has set its town that number it is estimated that two- way, and a bean vine another? ously with the lands, and will control something the older man had never Ashland will have the solid backing thirds will be amicably settled before Where should the inside of a chim- the trade of a large district in norththe time of hearing, which will begin ney be the bigger; at the top or bot- ern Klamath county.

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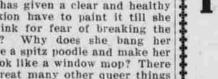


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per teeth in front, and why? Why does the young man who rides a bicycle double himself up like a homemade doughnut the minute he begins to work the pedals? Yes, and why does a fellow when he gges to throw

composing the Oregon naval militia then hop on his right foot, while Mark this: The history of the world do all possible to maintain and de- fore he throws it? And why does a does not disclose a single instance velop it, are features of the report man when he gets a raw-boned plug where the abusers have corrected an Maryland, to the secretary of the the poor crowbait up like a turtle abuse. Before the abuses are cor- navy, with the relation to the recent treading water, till it can't see the Governor Chase S. Osborn of Mich- rected the government must be rid cruise of the naval malitia, and a ground before it, and goes stumbling copy of which was submitted to Gov- along as if trying to read the answer in the stars? Why does a girl whom

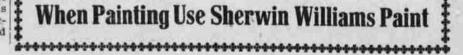


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