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CAN'T IMPROVE ON NATURE

People who live in glass houses should undress in the basement. This serves to introduce the thought that we laugh at ridiculous practices in others, yet go serenely along ignoring them in our own affairs.

Personal adornment is an instinct deep rooted in all life. The animals of the fields preen themselves and seek in every way possible to keep their feathers or their fur or their hair beautiful.

But the desire to be beautiful is not confined to the lower animals. Humans have the instinct in rare degree.

Sometimes it is perverted. The women of the South Sea Islands and the men too, loop rings in their noses and their ears and those who wish to appear especially alluring put sticks in their ears and noses. A most grotesque effect is thus obtained.

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Among many tribes of the earth tattooing is practiced. The man or the woman who has the most patterns indelibly written into his or her skin is considered the most beautiful.

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Coming right down to facts, it seems sacrilegious to deface the form and features God has given His people. We are trying, it would seem, to improve on the handiwork of the Almighty. There is nothing so beautiful as the human form. Artists and lovers of beauty sense this and offer statues and paintings of nude studies because they embrace the last word in highest beauty.

Nothing ever devised by man is as wonderful or as beautiful as the human form. All inventions have their counterpart in the human body and beauty of body has inspired some of the greatest literature of all ages. Desire for beauty has made men in all climes do miraculous things to show the women they loved that they were fit to be given a feminine smile.

Yes, we laugh at the poor savages who disfigure themselves seeking beauty. However, practices as idiotic and as foolish among ourselves we condone or ignore. Laughter for the one, praise of a kind for the other.

Some American women, prompted by the desire to be beautiful seek to improve on nature. They daub rouge on their lips. They do not know that a red blooded man is nauseated by this vile paint. What art can improve on ruby red lips, soft as rose petals, warm as tropic night.

Indeed, recently, women in quest of beauty have done scandalous things to their eyebrows. While we are on the matter of eyebrows, it is well to remark that some men have been sprouting eyebrows on their upper lips. This, too, has come about in the quest for beauty.

Women today aren't content with their own complexions. They must buy complexions by the box at the drug store. They think they can improve on nature. They may, through

observing the rules of health, clear up their complexions and thus add to their beauty, but they can't do much by daubing on a cover to hide the imperfections.

Oh, yes, powder in reason is all right. But it shouldn't be used in thick layers and it shouldn't be so powerfully scented as to neutralize an onion or a moonshine breath.

Then there's the matter of hair. Some women these days have come to the conclusion that they can improve on nature and thus acquire a certain beauty. They don't like the color of their hair. So they hie themselves out and procure dye stuffs and henna and set about making nature appear as she isn't.

It is quite common for girls to change the color of their hair now as often as they change their style of frocks.

We wonder if the savages of the Pacific isles who mutilate themselves in quest of beauty wouldn't laugh uproariously and long at the attempts of civilized women to win beauty by trying to improve on nature by paint and powder and dyes.

At any rate our women have no license to laugh at the poor dwellers on Pacific isles for adorning their noses and ears with sticks and rings.

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THE FORUM

Wapinitia, April 1.

Editor, The Chronicle:—Just a letter to show appreciation for the "flying squadron" of The Dalles.

The delegation of business men who flooded the county with encouragement and good cheer on their whirlwind trip of this week, took Wapinitia plains by storm. After their arrival at Wapinitia they circum-automobiled the plains, visiting the headquarters of the Wapinitia Irrigation company and inspecting portions of the canal distribution system. Thence they visited various farms and returned to the school house at 4 o'clock, where a representative body of live wires and club directors awaited their coming. In a few minutes all the old time doubts and prejudices were subdued by the big guns, shot by President H. S. Rice and Secretary E. F. Van Schoek, loaded with facts.

The new, acceptable medium of exchange introduced by T. H. West and L. Barnum, in cooperation, which will unlock the flood-gates of Wasco county's treasures, John G. Odell, district manager of the Tum-A-Lum Lumber company, used "Dimension Stuff," in laying the foundation for the enlarged organization. N. A. Bonn, of the Stadelman-Bonn Hardware company, pointed up the structure with the well-tempered steel of confidence and understanding.

Responsive addresses were delivered by J. S. Brown, president of the Wapinitia Plains Commercial Club, and J. L. West, E. E. Miller and others, urging endorsement of the new chamber. It is like seating a hungry man at a free dinner to offer the county at large one half to two-thirds of the directors of the Wasco county organization. Since The Dalles has voluntarily assumed the \$5000 popular subscription budget, and some 400 members out of the 500 objective have now responded from The Dalles, all possible fear of ulterior or selfish motives must needs vanish from the outlying points. The saving of The Dalles-California highway and its early construction is a major example of the need and usefulness of a strong county organization, to cope with county and inter-county problems.

On Saturday, April 2, at the regular commercial club meeting, a director will be named to represent Wapinitia Plains Commercial Club.

Signed,
N. G. HEDIN Secy.

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Capital	
Amount of capital stock paid up	\$ 400,000.00
Net premiums received during the year	\$4,593,601.08
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	174,230.88
Income from other sources received during the year	1,821,198.81
Home office	11,597.11
Profit on securities	11,597.11
Total income	\$6,000,627.38
Disbursements:	
Net losses paid during the year, including adjustment exp.	\$2,968,607.08
Commission and salaries paid during the year	1,214,008.27
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	108,816.82
Amount of all other expenditures	1,004,967.48
Total expenditures	\$5,300,899.65

Assets:	
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)	\$2,714,382.04
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	25,000.00
Cash in banks and on hand	1,128,009.96
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1920	\$41,519.87
Interest and rents due and accrued	41,489.54
Losses due from reinsurers	7,688.09
Total admitted assets	\$4,258,479.60
Liabilities:	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	\$1,098,506.43
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks	1,465,890.44
All other liabilities	105,000.00
Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock of \$400,000.00	\$2,669,456.87
Surplus	\$88,022.73
Total	\$4,258,479.60

Business in Oregon for the Year.
Net premiums received during the year \$4,593,601.08
Losses paid during the year \$2,968,607.08
Losses incurred during the year \$3,744.56
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