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#### PASS. THE CARKIN BILL TO THE SENATE

The House should take the Carkin bill from the table and send it to the Senate-

This morning. This will give the Senate perhaps two days, maybe three, to pass the bill; to kill it, or to amend it and then pass it. This is the only consolidation bill that is alive now.

Oregon has been talking about consolidation for years-Consolidation was an issue in the last campaign; the people expect consolidation; they have a right to expect it-And the Legislature has no right to refuse to pass a consolidation bill.

The Carkin bill is well worked out. It divides the state many scores of thousands of dollars; and, mostly, justly. administration into five departments, with five secretaries. It gives a cabinet form of state government. Washington has such a form; but with ten departments and ten secretaries, instead of five-

greatly reduces state expenses and state taxes. It is up to the House to put it up to the Senate. Then the responsibility will rest with the thirty members of that

#### PASS THE OLEOMARGARINE BILL

There is a bill in the Legislature known as the oleomargerine bill that is a measure for the protection of the dairy industry of Oregon.

It is Senate Bill 118. It passed the Senate 22 to 7, and is now in the hands of the judiciary committee of the House, sent there for the purpose of killing it. It must come out of committee and be passed by the House. The votes are there

The dairymen of the state are a unit in demanding the bill. The children of Oregon, the people of Oregon who do not know the difference between cow's butterfat and vegetable oil are on one side. A few dealers, one manufacturer, the Portland Chamber of Commerce, and the Associated Industries of Oregon are on the other side.

For whom is the Oregon Legislature going to cast its

Which is the more important, the dairy industry of the state, and the men, women and children, who get their energy that produces growth, brain power and resistance to disease from the vitamines found only in any quantity in butter fat, . or the South Sea Islanders and South American Negroes who | ing Squadron, in interest of | ion of the end of the session?produce cocoanut oil?

The butter substitutes sold in Oregon last year replaced 10,000 cows. That is equal to the entire dairy product of Marion county, or Linn county; greater than Clackamas

county. Yet they say the industry is only in its infancy.

Oregon is now a butter exporting state; has been for several years. Last year we sought an outside market for nearly half a million pounds of butter. If this infant industry is allowed to grow, the dairymen

of Oregon will be put out of business. There is no halfway bout it. Let there be a small over production, and the en-

For Boys and Girls

tire market goes to smash, just as the potato market did ditions, apparently participated in eled much in Turkey, had the ancestors came to America on the seventh trip back to this year.

Filled milk and margerine consist of milk from which is no agitation for the repeal of the fat has been removed and vegetable oil added. It becomes the anti-vice laws. Instead, the a substitute, sold and eaten in imitation of butter. . This bill citizens of Chicago are turning Use 'em kindly, they rebel; forbids the manufacture or sale of dairy substitutes from out of office those officials re- But be rough as nutmeg-graters which the fat has been taken and vegetable oil substituted. sponsible for the lackness, and are And the rogues obey you well." It has nothing to do with oleomargerine, but does forbid the putting others in who have a use of the dairyman's product (skimmed milk) in the manu- higher regard for their oath of ounts to. Kemal, looking over they recognize is when the rising but he finds a lot of the o facture of a product which will put him out of business. He office. Non-enforcement never the cards in his hand, decided generation grows up and moves is certainly entitled to that protection.

There are 75 pages of tederal regulations trying to con- repeal of any law. Not until the yet a bit. He had already won trol margerine so that it can be manufactured and sold on people have seen the laws ap- quite a number of tricks that way, its own merits, but even that does not effect control. Oregon plied impartially to all alike, with because no one at Lausanne had forbids the coloring of oleo to imitate butter. Yet they use the penalties of the statute ap- the measure of the Turk as had skim milk to give it the milk flavor, and place a pill of color- plied to the culprits, are they in that great ambassador, Sir Henry ing in each package with directions for mixing, so that it is position to judge whether the Eliott, who said: "Don't argue; still served on the table camouflaged as butter.

The farmers demand this legislation. They are aroused. The vote is going to be watched, and an accounting will surely be demanded of those who so far forget their trust as to support the interests against the well being and happiness of the dairymen of the state, and of the men, women and children of the state.

### THE INCOME TAX BILL

The income tax bill should be put through. It will no doubt be referred to a vote of the people. And there should be a provision, in case it is referred, for a call by the Governor of a special election in November; not in

#### FOREIGN INSURANCE BILL

The foreign insurance fee bill, introduced by Mott, and S.I., G.C.L.E., was standing, as it through the house, and in a committee of the Senate, ought were, watch in hand, in his sitting by all means to be passed. It will add to the state's revenues room in the Hotel de Chateau,

#### THE ASTORIA BILL

There is an idea of making the proposed loan for the re-And the Governor of Washington claims the new system lief of Astoria from the highway funds. Do not attempt this.

If there is to be a loan to Astoria, loan the money on deliberate conclusion that the end bonds from the state accident fund; and let the state stand of the bluffing was not yet. behind the bonds and guarantee their payment, in order to make certain those funds, which are trust funds.

That will hold water. No one will be harmed. There will be no question concerning constitutionality, or about pre-

Minutes count now, in the legis-

The verdict will be that the ing about a million pounds. mistakes of the legislature were not all of commission; some will

quickly so clear up that the legis- ious its hard working members, lature could redeem all the rest they cannot be expected to go on of its campaign pledges.

#### COMING EVENTS

Feb. 28, Wednesday, Chil- \* dren's Health clinic at Cham-

Prohibition enforcement. Afternoon and evening meetings in Presbyterian church. \*

March 3, Saturday, Prof. E, S. Conklin talk on "Autosuggestion," before University's Women's club at Chamber of Commerce.

March 5, 6, Monday and Tuesday, Lions minstrel show \* show for Boy Scouts.

he Junior Statesman

The Biggest Little Paper in the World

Needed, right now, a super schall von Bieberstein or Baron steering committee in the legislature-and a steam roller weigh-

There is an end to all things. The Oregon legislature is not done, and it will not get done. It would be fine if things would But, however generous and gracmuch longer working for nothing and paying their own board.

Three more weeks of the present session of congress, and there is much to be done. Why is it that the important matters are March 1, 2, and 3, Fly- | left until the hurry and confus-\* Los Angeles Times, Feb. 14 Don't know; but it is a way with congress, and also with the Oregon legislature; and the lawmakind bodies of most of the other states, if not all of them.

ENFORCE-NOT REPEAL

The vice investigation in Chicago has revealed horrible con-

by thousands of people. But there Turk in mind when he wrote: was an adequate reason for the that it was safe to go on bluffing to Oregon. law is good or bad.

#### HIS GREAT REFUSAL

(Los Angeles Times.) The last Sunday of Ismet Pasha in Lausanne must have been of Kendleston K.G., P.CM., G.C. having held up his train for 30 minutes And the meaning-the meaning was perfectly simple, just that Mustapha Kemal, carefully gauging the situation from Lausanne to Lahore and from the Ruhr to the Riff, had come to the

Running over the cards in his hand, Kemal found what? First, the usual jealousies and enmities among the great powers. Just as in the old days the German ambassadors in Constantinople, Matvon Wangenheim, could always safely be relief upon by Abdul Hamid or Envar Pasha to disrupt the unity of the powers, so now it was Franklin H. Bouilon with a secret Angora treaty, or Mr. Bompard with an intimation that Paris must not be taken too literally, when she announced her intention to stop fooling in Lau-

A separate treaty with France, calculates Kemal, would leave England very thoroughly in the lurch, just as did that earlier arrangement at Angora.

It is true, reasoned the Turk,

we cannot fight England at Chanak, but we might tire her out by heaping delay upon delay. We are not really in any hurry to get into Constantinople now, for we have no longer got the Greek army on the run; but that is a small trump in itself, as it will enable us to represent to Cairo and Kabul, to Agra, Lahore and Delhi that the English Giaour is keeping "the faithful" out of full control of their holy cities of Adrianople and Constantinople. And then, it is impossible to say what may not happen at Mosul. The Russians are always saying that they want an opportunity to get at the English. Redek said the thing was to find the place where dreadnaughts cauld not go and to which 15-centimeter guns would not carry. Mosul is just such a place. But, of course, it would be very dangerous to let a friend like Russia get there. Russia is so friendly that she has a way of declining to go home and remaining permanently with you. Anyway, delay does not matter to us and is very embarrassing to the great powers; while, having no The calculation is an astute one,

Uncle Bill drew a letter out but it is not without its weakalways dangerous to play tricks upon great nations. That redoubtable pair, Count Aehrenthal and Count Berchtold, played a very considerable trick upon Russia over Boznia and Herzegovina. It came off at the time; but the result is the condition of the old Austro-Hungarian empire today. Then, again, no nation can live upon swords alone; it cost money even to make them. Turkey has burned Smyrna and driven out the Greeks, who were her great moneymakers. Yet she cannot very well live upon concessions, and if she could, she would soon find the energy and driving force of the concessionaires scorpions in comparison to the whips of the Greeks. And here is a thing Kemal is by no means forgetting: The Greeks, with England behind them, are no longer on the run. What is the matter with Turkey is not other people and other nations, as Angora imagines; it is herself. The centuries come and go with their changes, but she remains unaltered. She is a good servant, but a terrible master. One wonders if that interesting publicist, Aaron Hill, who lived in the years when the old Stuart dynasty gave place to the Guelph in Great Britain, and who trav-

natures;

#### GRANDPA GEORGE

Among the fresh responsibilities heaped upon the graying head of King George is that of being one of almost unalloyed pleasure. a grandfather. It is the first He had announced his great re- time anything like this has hapfusal. On no occasion would An- pened to him and he is a bit flusgora sign the treaty presented to tered, don't you know. The calm her. As a consequence Glaour confidence of Queen Mary, howstatesmen were making last ap- ever, will pull him through all peals, Giaour motor cars were right, She will naturally repanting up the hill from Ouchy to strain him from any undue cele-Lausanne and down again; the bration. There's no danger of Pickard Bros., of Marion, Marion most notable, the Marquis Curzon having a king full around Buckingham palace.

#### NO MONKEY BUSINESS

There is a proposition to amend the Iowa code to forbid all teachtrs in that state from spreading Darwinian theories of evolution. The popular theory is that Darwin asserted that their forebears were orang-outangs, while the time friends. He now lives at Iowans know that most of their Marietta, Ohio, and this is his

Mayflower without even knowing scenes. George was with the "Tis the same with common how to shin up a mast. There- White Corner" store in fore they are not willing to give their consent to the extension of gossip that some of the old-timers and a lot of the other old had a strain of gorilla in the who were fellow members of That really is what it all am- family tree. The only evolution minstrel shows or the old

# BITS FOR BREAKFAST

Sine die is near-

\* \* \* It may be tomorrow night, and it may be Thursday.

. . . The new legislature has done well; but it is not done yet.

The new greatest Jersey cow in the world is, of course, a Salem

She is Darling's Jolly Lassie. and she is up in the 1100 class; with a record just completed of 1105 pounds of butterfat in a year; away up out of the 1000pound class, where all the great one were before. She belongs to county, Oregon, the greatest producers of world record Jerseys in the world. They produced this wonder cow, and her mother, her grandmother and her great-grand-

4 4 4 The 1200-pound cow is coming, and the Salem district will pro-

George M. Morris is in Salem for a visit of a week with old

when it was owned by J. M. senberg, from 1881 to 1893, misses Billy Dugan, John Co. strong, and he is having the t of his life. He wil be in Salem week, this trip, and he exp to keep on coming back to the

town for 1000 years yet.



Nemo Self-Reducing No. 333 is a real bargain. It has a low top and medium skirt. Made in durable pink or white coutil; sizes 24 to 36—and costs only \$3.00.



# **NEWER FASHIONS**

# For Spring

Costume Suits The new three piece costume suits take their in-Chinese princes of old. Elaborate embroideries in kaleidoscopic colorings enhance their beauty... What could be more expressive of youth? Want to see the new costumes? We want you to see them. Visit the ready-towear section any day-every day always something new.

## Priced from \$39.50

Whether your choice is a wrap for the new motor or just to Wraps wear generally, it will doubtless have features to mark its newness-long waist line, with buckle or side-sash and long slender straight

Ideal selections here in Bolivia, Ormondale and Velverette in the new shades of pampas, bonita, grey, navy and tan.

Priced from \$22.50





## BOY ADVENTURERS

Cromwell's Fight With a Prince

boy the spirit which was one day one year at college his father ered, and no wonder. Coiled When Oliver was a schoolboy, His mother then decided that saw the largest snake he had the young Prince Charles was he should become a justice, so over seen in his life. traveling from Scotland to Eng. he went to London to study law. land. He stopped at the Crom-

the Prince said to Oliver made greatest general. him angry, and he forgot that the other by was the son of a Protector of the country. As Pill was telling me about last king. His fist shot out and the long as he held this position he night. He called it the 'prefight began. Prince Charles was always wore armour under his cious snake' because it is so not a strong boy, and he came clothes and never slept in the rare. Say, can't we catch him out of the battle with a bleed- same place twice, so great was alive?" Jack looked doubtful, ing nose. How furious Oliver's the danger of his being murder- but, Dick pointed to the large

## Oliver Enters School

Oliver was such a troublesome boy that his father sent him off to a free school, though he had intended to have him educated at a fine private school. The proved to be a good allnd scholar, however. He When Jack saw the terrible was equally good in Latin and

tered Sidney Sussex college, he stopped short "It's a snake." Oliver Cromwell showed as a Cambridge. After he had been he whispered "Look!" He shivmake him ruler of England died, and he had to go home up nearby on the ground Dick Becomes Leader

well home for a rest, and Oliver In London Oliver became in- big." Jack looked puzzled. "I something 'precious' in it for was allowed to meet him. It terested in the religious wars never saw one like him before, was considered a great treat for that were then sweeping Europe. either, and I've lived here all my on ordinary boy like Oliver to He wasn't content to stick to life. I'll wager he's a bad one, the study of law. Inch by inch The two boys went off in a he made himself a leader, until "Wait!" Dick grabbed Jack's side room to play. Something he became known as England's sleeve. "You say you've never

Oliver Cromwell.

## THE SHORT STORY, JR.

THE PRECIOUS SNAKE

snake-

Then maybe our fortunes we'll

"Let's capture him quick;

A whole summer down in New Mexico with Uncle Bill! To Dick who had never been out of New York in his life it seemed almost too good to be true. "I'm sorry we can't spend the very first day together," Uncle Bill said the morning after Dick

other like old friends. With a yelled with give. Dick and Jack took to each can of water and a bag of pro- of his pocket. "This is funny," ness. To begin with, in an imvisions they started off up the he laughed. "Look here! Just pressive phrase of Bismarck, it is what Jack called the "Haunted

They reached the place about noon Just as Jack was coming At the early age of 17 he en- around the corner of the shack "Gee!" he gasped, "Isn't he

though. We'd better kill him." seen one like him before? It Finally he became the Lord looks to me like one Uncle ed. Life was always a fight for box. "Couldn't we get that over him?

In a second the boys grabbed the box and made a dash for the snake. They caught him just in the nick of time. He had uncoiled and made a hissing strike towards Dick when they popped the box over his head. Dick sat down and wiped Greek, horseback riding, and He started to shiver and shake; his forehead. Then together



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and fastened the box down. arrived, "but my business keeps Bill to come to meet them. At They could hardly wait for Uncle me in town today. I'll take you last when he arrived it proved give in at the last moment if we up the trail and you and Jack that Dick had been right. It Hobbs can scout around to was a "precious snake." The boys danced around the box and and fanaticism of Islam.



ig museum offering \$500 this very snake. There'll a whopper I never saw one so

## PICTURE PUZZLE

SAFD THE WANDEN AS HE BEGAN HIS DUTIES AT THE STATE PRISON.



Answer to last puzzle: Fog. rake, Okla.