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UNDER DISTRIBUTION, NOT OVER PRODUCTION

including dairy products. There is no such thing-

brawn, are capable.

persistent and intelligent development of the markets.

And the same is true as to our quality pears-

And our quality cherries-

and send to the consumers who are waiting for them. There may be over production of scrub fruits, of small

cream and butter and cheese made-But nothing but under distribution will put a crimp into sale to minors. They have such sight-I did not know which to Each application for a license, beany of our industries that hit the high places. Intelligent co- a law in Oregon and it is not en-

operation on the part of our people on the land and our people forced properly. The shortsightwho take the products of the land and prepare them for the edness of the liquor men in undersomething more interesting to tell mendation should be withheld unment would pay for the interest over-estimated. The benefits any partisan spirit realizing that markets of the world, and seek out and exploit such markets, estimating the prohibition senti- you. Smith hasn't been caught will iron out all difficulties; will result in placing our people ment ought to teach the tobacco yet.' in constant touch with the people all over the world who will men not to defy public seniment, take what we have to offer in quality products, and will pay, but to cooperate in enfercing any ful mischief as he gave me a long. such prices as will make the production and preparation of them fair law. alike permanently remunerative.

Forget about the bugagoo of over production. Major on

DOES THE TARIFF HELP THE WHEAT FARMER?

We lay down this proposition and challenge any free trader have a right to expect that Gover- "Ted Cosgrove!" I inadvertentrgentina, higher than in Australia.

If free traders want an opportunity to prove that the tariff on wheat is of no benefit to the American wheat growers, let them prove that our statement is untrue. If they cannot do that, jamin Franklin. Mr. Franklin is

We wonder whether the wool men who are now benefiting his time, but none of his fame from a Republican tariff want to go back to the days of '19 and rests upon that. His fame rests bought yet," I laughed, "for he's 20 when wool had no market price and sheep were selling for upon his substantial contribution saved me a lot of breath. Do you less than a good laying hen, and we also wonder if these same to life and strength of character. men will go up and vote for a free trade Democrat in the next He has been dead many years and election .- Arlington, Tex., Industrial Dixie.

THE PEACE AWARD

The Bok peace award has created tremendous interest largely because the world is tired of war. This is not a pacificst sentiment, and asks its readers, after care-

blic library orders 500, the City club of Cleveland 1,500 copies.

The telegram from Cleveland closes with a statement that the announcement of the "referenant churches Sunday and that 40,- cause it adopted the income tax. fug picture houses and hotels. Wisconsin. There isn't a sensible rassed flush I could not control, come a daily occurrence. I am of now become a problem how we This telegram illustrates the uni- man in Oregon who would not like especially as I knew from Dicky's the opinion that a more rigid en- are to keep the streets of the city fied preparation for the "referen- to have our state ruined precisely tone and look that he had fath- forcement of the traffic laws and clean with the limited funds which been provided in the 1924 budget

referendum" among its own economically it has made more I share, and I quickly resolved to accidents.

consin has a larger per cent of share your intuition." prosperous farmers than any other state in the union, and farming is the basis of all our wealth. Oregon is not going to be deterred by

A REAL PLAN

After consulting with the best minds in the country and working hard for a year, Secretary Mellon produced a scientific tax reduction program. Without any special thought the Democrats have presented an opposing program. The Mellon program is carefully digested and scientifically worked out, and the other is a happy-golucky, hit-or-miss attempt to belittle the issue that confronts the

The Mellon plan is sensible and workable and does not injure any There ought to be a law locking burdens of taxation. The demand all over the country for the Mel-

CIGARETTES

The Oregon Statesman is not making war on tobacco, but it does insist that boys should not tobacco companies insist that they lay his wrath." would obey a fair law. Oregon has a fair law and it is not obeyed. When the anti-cigarette law was enacted in Kansas the tobacco murely, determined not to humor companies insisted that they were him by exclaiming again over his in favor of a law preventing the undeniably clever guessing or in-

SELECTING A SITE

the same building day after day it is not a hard matter for them to afraid you must yield the palm as get together: therefore, the people a news-bringer to-"

B. FRANKLIN

Yesterday was the birth of Bena living proof that offices do not make the man. He held offices in yet Franklin's fame is as bright answered cryptically, gazing steadas it was at the time of his death.

termined to connect with some fob and his chief qualification seems on Education, arrangements have to be that he was a cousin to the of those nose-to-the-ground stunts, late President Harding. There is as old Harry used to call 'em, and

PROBLEMS

Adele Garrison's New Phase of of hours. But I'd rather wait till REVELATIONS OF A WIFE

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CHAPTER 68

GUESSED

Dicky looked up lazily from the

satisfactory. Until I heard the reference from

"Know it!" echoed Dick.

"When Do We Go?"

term it. "I tried to tell her everything she ought to know about his injured feelings. But I've

teasing look.

asked. "My dear child, you're at conducted by persons of integrity for as all sections contribute their an unqualified success. hind schedule. I had the infor- of Salem I shall do all within my mation you are giving out several power to promote the good morals ment, so each section is entitled should ever be given first considminutes before you did. I am of our city.

had learned from him everything of which he had personal knowledge. For a second or two I was could take refuge in pretended

think they'll catch Smith?"

when do ye go from heah?"

Your answer is perfect."

ed slowly. "I can pack in a couple -till-"

"Till our respected friend, Miss Dean, vamooses, I suppos."

(To be continued)

BOND ISSUE HINTED BY MAYOR J. B. GIESY (Continued from page 1)

rustic veranda of our bungalow as consent of the council, and the I came up the steps. I had just solemn obligation is now ours to approved by the voters of Salem left Lillian, and my imagination see that the laws are faithfully ex- May 21, 1920, in which they prowas still running riot with the ecuted. Our police staff should vided that the cost of improving dramatic episode she had related be composed of men of sterling all street and alley intersections to me, and the still more dramatic character, men who commend the shall be assumed by the city of "Would it be too much temer- as will command due respect for the intersections. I, therefore, be- attractive and comfortable for inquire as to the result of the se- it is the duty of every police ofcret session?" he asked gibingly, ficer to enforce the law, and this streets as petitioned for by the hospitable atmosphere of its "I trust the romper pattern was he should do strictly and imparti- property owners unless there is camp ground. This is one of Saally, without fear or favor.

Traffic Casualties Deplored that I had made the copying of a traffic accidents occurring in this Cleaning Equipment Inadequate ing to see Lillan before her drive and relatively light traffic there is ment has been rapidly growing on

reason that lax enforcement breeds contempt for all law and threatens to undermine the very foundations upon which our government rests. "Don't worry," Dicky advised I also make special reference to indolently. "He has room for on- the unlawful sale of clgarettes to false conclusions not followed by ly one emotion this morning, and minors and urge upon all police that's jealousy of the stalwart officers of the city the strict enmilitary gent who just left us. I forcement of this law, the purdon't envey old Lil her drive this pose of which is to protect and preserve the health and morals of "What Lil ought to do," he went the youth of our city.

Charter Too Lenient

"The time has come when, in my opinion, the charter should be amended so as to increase the limit which the charter now places on fines and imprisonment for violation of city ordinances. The limit now provided by charter is a fine not exceeding \$100 and imprisonment not exceeding 29 days. This charter limit was fixed in the early days of Salem's governless sufficient, but conditions have greatly changed since then. Salem has grown from a village until she is now a city of 22,000 population, and with this growth has come the important obligation of enforcing such laws as are necescary for the preservation of the health, peace, safety and welfare didn't take sleuthing or psychic of a city of this size. I believe ability to discover that. He look- the need for this amendment is apparent to all who have given the matter consideration, and I they had just begun to light the therefore recommend to you that slow fire under the gridiron. I a charter amendment be submitsmoke cigarettes illegally, or any hope your warning to Lil was ef-other way, for that matter. The fective, so she'll know how to alof materially raising the present fine and imprisonment limitation. Would Check Up on Licenses

"The matter of licensing pool halls and rooming houses is one which I trust will receive the most careful consideration by this council during the present year. fore being granted, should be re- style! ferred to the proper committee for fied that the applicant is a fit and leave a profit. proper person to conduct the business for which he desires a license and good character, and as mayor share in taxes to assist in defraying the expenses of city govern-

"The efficiency of our fire department has been materially in- such government. creased by the addition of the is sadly in need of ladder equipment, and this matter should be given careful consideration by this body and an effort made to supply the department with this muchneeded equipment.

a gross imposition on our citizens "With the addition of sufficient need tell Dicky nothing more, but ladder equipment Salem will have a fire department fully equipped to safeguard the lives and property of its citizens.

bility is ours to see that our city Street Department Praised is kept clean and healthful. Our "The street improvement departbudget provides the sum of \$24,ment is another important depart-600 for the construction of new sewers during the present year. ing which nearly three miles of streets have been paved. The organization of this department was and has been the means for laying at a minimum of cost to the propduty to maintain this department and its equipment to the highest news she spills wouldn't keep any degree of efficiency and it should be our aim to lay the best pavement at the least cost possible to be devised and consistently fol- and a municipally owned water the property owners. In this connection I wish to refer briefly to the expense of paving intersections

tamination to the rest of the city. which the charter now provides I desire to impress upon you the shall be paid by the city. Some of urgent necessity for prompt and your most careful consideration effective action on this matter so during the year. our members have expressed doubt as to whether the council shoud continue the present active paving program and thus increase the already heavy burden which the taxpayers are now carrying has done little in the way of per- possible consistent with efficiency. by adding to the heavy indebted- manent bridge construction and ness already incurred for inter- some of our main bridges have al- to see that the credit of our city section costs. The question is an ready reached the point where it remains unimpaired. The city important one and worthy of careful consideration. As representatives of the people we should faithfully endeavor to carry out place them with modern perma- and definitely provided for distheir wishes which in this instance quire a considerable sum of monto me, in the charter amendment ey and can probably be best provided by the issuance of bonds. I commend this matter to you for your careful consideration. Better Camp Grounds Favored "Our auto camp ground is a ivic enterprise in which we should With efficient management this camp ground can be made selfcal eyes with a confusion I could courteous, but firm, and their con- ous of making ample provision for supporting. It can at the same duct at all times should be such financing the cost of improving time be so improved and made so

tourists that Salem will be heraldceed with the improvement of ed far and wide on account of the some valid objection other than lem's real assets and we should the expense to the city for imstrive, as far as possible, to promote its usefulness. A comfortable and attractive camp ground will induce thousands of tourists to stop in our city during the sumone copies of the plan and ballots the Portland papers are holding with Robert Savarin. I was fur- no excuse for the greater number account of the greatly increased mer months, many of whom will will be placed in the theaters, mov- up to the world the ruination of jous with myself for the embar- of traffic accidents which have be- amount of pavement until it has return to establish permanent "An appropriation of \$890 has

To Do

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KAIRONG

CHUNGKING

Weed Nuisance Rapped

to be seen each summer upon the

tematic plan should be devised to

not only a disgrace to our city but

"Another important subject is

that of sanitation. The responsi-

beautification of their homes.

KWENANG

HANGCHA

"The longest way round is the shortest way to spell a queue,"

Edited by John M. Miller.

BREAKING DISHES FOR THE GOVERNMENT

What is that noise in Washington, D. C., that sounds like the crash and clatter of broken china and glassware? Why it's only Uncle Sam investigating dish breakage by smashing up some few thousand samples of crockery to determine their durability-a very add proceeding, but a very sensible one.

A hotel in Chicago spends \$25,-000 annually for dishes because its old ones get broken. Other hotels have reported that the purchase of new dishes is a big item of expense, so the American Hotel association is cooperating with the government in an investigation to discover the reason why china

At the national ceramic laboratories in Washington the tests are being made. Building glass is also being surveyed for wind and water pressure. The report of the investigation will help architects who design aquariums and other structures where plate glass is under pressure. Five thousand samples of plate glass have been tested for transverse and lateral

China and glass that stand the sterilization test of six hours of said the Jigedy with the next-longest braid, changing a trifle the old boiling will probably be able to saying. And by that he merely meant that the course of travel the bear up under the dish-washing Jigedies took on their Oriental tour spells something. You can find machines of hotels and restauout what by tracing with your peucil a line through the following rants. German and French imported china that has been tried Starting at Yungnan, go to Canton, on to Changchau, to Fuchau out at the laboratories has proved to Hangchau to Hsuchau to Kaifong to Singan to Chungking to to be inferior to crockery made in Kweiyang on to Yungnan. To make the tail, go from Yungnan to the United States, for the crush-Changchau to Taichu on the island in the ocean. There you have ing machines in most cases have proof that China has not yet heard the news that bobbed hair is the quickly smashed the foreign sam-

til the committee is entirely satis- and depreciation on same and which the children of shlem will our's is the duty to serve honest; receive from the supervised play and efficiently our constituents "I wish also to impress upon will be far in excess of the cost without regard to creed or party

"The welfare of our youths

Remarkable new treatment stops Rhoumation or Neuritie in any motion picture shows and its in- form. Very worst cases relieved at fluence on the children. While I | ones. Thousands of oures reported. "In marked contrast with the majority of pictures thrown upon any druggiet for "Allen's Rhouthe screens in this city afford Price \$1 per box. All druggists wholesome entertainment to the carry it. Hart M. Allen Labora-Mirs. Box 1840, Les Angeles

FUTURE DATES

January 8; Tuesday—Jackson day.

January 8 and 9—Benefit show at
Grand theater for Albertina Kerr Baby January 6-13-International week of January 10, 11 and 12,-County judges and commissioners of Oregon to meet in

January 11, Friday-Boxing Smoker at Phil Bayes and Benny Dotson n main event. January 11, Friday—Carol Robinson, pianist, First Christian church, auspices January 14, Monday-Annual banquet

January 14, Monday-Dr. Ira Landrith, January 15, Tuesday—Harding Memor

observed locally.
January 19. Saturday—Meeting of de-partment officers, administration council and past commanders, Veterans of For-cign Wers.

house grounds. Narch 13, 14 and 15—State Interscholarstic basketball tournament,

EXCITING BOOKS

Three more good books today or you fellows who like to read. Robert Louis Stevenson's "The



Black Arrow" is first on the list I cancer is due to the continual and it is an exciting story of "Merirritation from neglected Piles. rie England" of long ago. There are fights and chases and plots just boiling over from cover to

"White Fang" is one of Jack I have been a Rectal and Colon London's great stories about a Specialist for many years and it is this dog. Say, boy, if you want to successful experience which enables me hear about a dog that is a dog.

> you fellows will like the best. It is a story of a boy in far away India-a very active and quick-

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Job Department

and the possible over production soon of various Oregon crops; interest, while relieving all interincluding loganberries, prunes, pears, apples, cherries, etc.; even ests as much as possible from over beautiful garden." There is in some cases under distribution, and in others the lon program cannot be resisted by production of things not up to the high standards of quality congress.

We are hearing a great deal now about over production,

of which our soil and showers and sunshine, and brains and There are markets available for all the loganberries we raise, or are likely to raise-but there must be organization and

And all the 99.6 per cent dairy products we may prepare are likely to grow can be sold, and at fair prices. Our high quality apples never go begging, and never will-

And all t he99.6 per cent dairy products we may prepare sizes and inferior quality; and there may be too much poor

distribution of quality products.

(Clay County Enterprise, Brazil, Ind.)

to prove that it is untrue. The tariff on wheat has helped the nor Pierce and Secretary of State ly completed his sentence with the new pumper which the voters wheat farmers of the United States because the price of wheat Kozer will make a selection for the name of the boy whom I had comin the United States is higher than it is in any wheat producing reform school site at an early date country in the world which does not depend upon other coun- so that the new plans can be tries to supply the demand which its own production is inade- worked out the coming year. quate to supply. It is higher than in Canada, higher than in

they should "ever after hold their peace."

but the sentiment of upstanding colleges take the "referendum" men, men who believe their lives not only among the faculty but and their brothers' lives are too among the students, to the numvaluable to be shot away in war. A referendum on the award has leges and universities are taking been ordered. The "referendum" the "referendum" not only in the makes no account of prejudice. but is a mobilization of the public as, for instance, Mt. Holyoke, opinion for peace. The Oregon which will conduct the "referen-Statesman will carry the ballot, dum' throughout South Hadley. fully reading the article publish- try are taking it up and are en-

Cleveland contains in 100 words a tels, banks, department stores, intremendous order for plans and surance companies, all show the fallots for that city alone. The inconvertible evidence that it is Pederation of Women's clubs of fundamental to the American Cleveland orders 40,000 copies, peace. The peace award was made the Cleveland Federation of Labor by men high in statesmanship. orders 35,000; the Cleveland The jury of awards, for instance, possibilities of the things she had respect of their fellow citizens, and Salem. Provision at the same time Council of Women for the Pre- consisted of Elihu Root. James left unsaid. - Dicky's drawling who regard their oath of office as was made for bonding the intervention of War orders 70,500, and Guthrie Harbord, Edwin M. House, tones brought me to earth with a something sacred. In enforcing section costs which clearly indi-500 ballot boxes; the Business Ellen F. Pendleton, Roscoe Pound, jerk, and I looked into his quizzi- the laws they should always be cates that the people were desir-Women's club of Cleveland orders William Allen White and Brant 1.000; a post of the American Le- Whitlock. These have made the gion orders 250; three Catholic award as outlined in our news ity on the part of a mere man to the law. As an executive officer leve that the council should propriests order 2,500; the Cleveland columns today.

dum" were made in all Protest- Oregon is on the road to ruin be-

Civic Forum, etc. The pastor of the First Presbyterian church will broadcast the plan.

Through the American Council been made to have universities and ber of 700,000. Some of the colcollege but in the town as well:

All of the churches of the coun-

ed elsewhere in this issue, to pass listing their influences in the way judgment on the sufficiency of the of peace. The Union of the Am- Copyright 1921, by Newspaper erican Hebrew congregations has In a number of cities there is an enlisted itself for the "referenorganized effort to secure a large dum." The National Catholic vote. Mayors are asking their Welfare council has presented the SOME OF THE THINGS DICKY citizens to vote for the "referen- "referendum" to all its constituent bodies. It is so all over the A telegram received today from country. The larger concerns, ho-

A GREAT STATE

say that Wisconsin is prosperous the romper pattern is non-exist- arict enforcement, both upon its and the people are happy. Wis- ent, but-I hope Robert doesn't own merit and for the additional

Dicky is Observant.

morning.

on, frowning, "is to give that solemn old goat a swift solar plexus and knock some of the archaic ideas out of him. Bob's a great artist. Whenever I think of his work I feel like getting down and knocking my head three times against the floor and waiting for permission to speak. But, as I believe I've told you before, he belongs on a pedestal. When he comes down to earth and begins to dabble in human emotions and affairs he's out of the picture, allee same all other great men. each of them up in an isolated

I stared at Dicky in am ment.
"Then you know he distroit her going in Col. Travers's hotor car," I stainmered.

ed exactly as if he were one of the victims of the Inquisition, and

"I trust it was," I replied de-

Dicky's eyes danced with glee-

"Do you call that news?" he least three red-ink editions be-

course Dicky and the Cosgroves chagrined at the turn things had taken, then relief swept me. 1

"I'll be glad to doff to him my new fall chapeau which I haven't

ily at me until I flushed crimson and was furious with myself for doing so. "But keep your little anything worth very much, I'll I have a little fancy that what reporter in oyster crackers. When

do we go from heah, old deah-"You mean you want to go

"Go to the head of the class! "We can go any day," I return-

Dicky smiled in superior fash-

"There are entirely too many proving intersections.

fied preparation for the "referento have our state ruined precisely
to confidently GUARANTEE to cure read this story. In Syracuse the chambers of last 20 years Wisconsin has been Dicky countries included by the last year to my surprise that court upon those found gailty of effort should be made to provide ren's playground. This appropria-In Syracuse the chambers of last 20 years Wisconsin has been Dicky sometimes jealously resents traffic violations would very our street department with modition was made pursuant to author-the confidences which Lillian and materially reduce the number of ern equipment for street cleaning ity granted by the voters of Samembers, but has arranged for progress than any other state in importance of the line control of law enforcement I wish to lay in the local of the control of law enforcement I wish to lay efficient work. Furthermore, the playground board consisting of the control of law enforcement I wish to lay efficient work. Furthermore, the special stress upon the enforcement of the prohibition law and its operation and in my opinion the mayor. The importance of the last week said laughing. The confers last to emphasize the importance of its the saving which could be real-officiently managed children's

you the importance of giving prop- to the citizens of Salem. Let us affiliation. er consideration to the needs of all take a personal interest in secit that such places of business are the outlying districts of our city, ing that this playground is made of this year may be a success in

Bad Films Are Hit

TO CHINA FOR A CUP OF TEA

WITH GLEE @ @

THEY TRIED WHILE JAUNTING

WOVER THERE A

THE CHINESE WAY OF DRESSING HAIR.

CHANGOING FORTH WENT THE JIGEDIES

to participate proportionately in eration and in this connection I

the benefits to be derived from wish to comment briefly on the wholesome entertainment to the carry public, there are, nevertheless, too Calif. many which tend to give young abate the weed nuisance which is people the wrong perspective on life. Such pictures are positively harmful and indirectly contribute who take a laudable pride in the to the moral delinquency of many of our young people. This is a subject which should receive special consideration during the coming year by our local board of

censorship. "During the past year by di-With the rapid growth which our curing for Salem an adequate sup- smory. city is making this sum will not ply of pure mountain water. While be adequate and I believe it should the report of the engineer employconstruct sewers where the great- been filed it will show that an est number of people will be sery- abundant supply of pure mouned and thus render the greatest tain water can be obtained from possible service with the funds the Santiam river within a dis-Would Eliminate Garbage Dump ing more essential to the welfare "A sanitary method of dispos- of any community than an abuning of the city's garbage should dant supply of good pure water lowed so that the place of its dis- plant furnishing such water to the posal may not be a source of con- citizens of Salem at a reasonable cost would be an invaluable asset. I commend this matter to you for

"Our budget for 1924 provides which has existed in the past may for an expenditure of \$225,000. In the disbursement of this sum we should exercise all the economy We must take care at all times will soon be necessary to replace should not be permitted to assume them and it will be the wisest any financial obligation unless at nent structures. This will re- charging the same upon its ma-"In conclusion I wish again to

express to each of you my appre-

ciation for your loyal cooperation

during the work of the past year.

I am looking forward with keen

linterest to the work of the new

year. May we enter upon it with Cause for Serious Thought

T is estimated that 70% of rectal

Future risks, as well as present

ill-health, warrant skilled atten-

tion if you are suffering with a

Rectal or Colon disorder. I have been a Rectal and Colon

your Piles or refund your

"I hope and trust that the work

of the Marion-Polk County Realty asso

ial campaign opens in Oregon. May 16, Friday—Primary election in January 16. Wednesday - Pomona Grange meets in Salem.
January 17-24—National Thrift Week,

February 23, Saturday—Dedication of latue "The Circuit Bider." in state

I think that Rudyard Kipling's "Kim" is the best book of the

witted boy.

-CAP'N ZYB.