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IF SOMEWHERE ELSE (Salem Journal)

If the proposed linen mill were only to be located in the heart Copyright by Newspaper Feature of that tropic garden of Eden off the coast of Sinalog known as Palmeto del Verúe, instead of Salem, there would be a lot of our fellow citizens walting in line to invest; if it were in some mythical timber belt promoted by a convicted swindler, good citizens of Salem would be falling over themselves to buy; or if it were a wild-cat oil well in 'exas or Panama or some other distant oil-less region, or a remote gold or copper mine where gold and copper never grew, how WHAT DICKY DID TO "MAKE the Salem money would roll in!

If, instead of being 7 per cent preferred stock in a local enterprise designed to build up the city and develop the country, the investment were in 7 or 8 per cent bonds of some shaky foreign nation on the verge of collapse and revolution, how popular the investment would be; or if it were in the high interest bearing securities of some faraway bankrupt community, what a harvest the highpowered salesmen would reap in Salem!

In the past few years, Salem investors have lost enough money in get-rich-quick schemes and fly-by-night frauds to build several linen mills. They have invested enough in foreign securities to make the valley a textile center. They have, in addition, actually financed paper mills in Vancouver, Washington, and St. Helens, and in short have been and are keen for any investment outside Salem. But we cannot build a city by sending money made in it away

to create payrolls in other communities, nor by boosting realty prices, raising rents and letting the other fellow do it for our own benefit in Salem. We will have to cooperate—each do his share, throw off lethargy, shake indifference, bury cupidity or herald to the world that we lack enterprise, progress and public spirit.

The linen mill is not asking a donation, nor a gift, but offers an investment in the best security for the rapid upbuilding of the city and permanent development of country and state.

KINDNESS TO ANIMALS

This is "Be Kind to Animal Week"-a portion of the year set aside by proclamation of highest state authority for emphasis on kindness to dumb creatures. It is an observance trated on its contents as I do when common now to nearly every country in the world, though the movement was orignated by the American Humane Educa- done the rest. tional Society and a similar organization of Massachusetts, only a few years ago.

Humane education and practice is endorsed by leading men and women the world over as a requisite for worthy belief that I was responsible for to get my transcription of the tel- A foreigner, seeing many of our citizenship. That humane treatment of all living creatures the disappearance of the import- egram, but in the nervous fingers newspapers, would get the idea deserves the maximum of consideration is the declaration of cuse his obstinacy in giving but pers I saw the original telegram ed in bathing suits. the nation's chief executive. It is and has been a cause close a perfunctory search to his own to the heart of truly great men and is increasing in interest and application with the march of civilization. A few years phantly as I finished. "I'm sure ago the employment of animals trained and performing under this is an exact copy," and I handcruel treatment and under fear was an amusing spectacle it with a ludicrous mixture of for men and women, boys and girls. But this condition has been changed.

Humane societies have sprung up, have united and become national in their operation and influence. The righteousness of their cause has been recognized by legislatures and mouth, and I knew that his illmunicipalities and their efforts to obtain kindly treatment for children and for dumb creatures are supported even from the public treasure. Their work has been and is now outstanding in accomplishment.

A single example of the results of humane effort and said with his hand on the hall door knob. "Only Lady Luck change of public sentiment is the recent action of Ringling knows when I'll be back." Brothers circus management who have eliminated this year from their program those acts in which animals have for- between frank intervals of dozmerly played an unwilling part. The elimination of the danc- ing. ing monkey and the hand organ outfit is also in response appeal and education.

Kindness to children, to pets, to every living creature is the slogan of every school. It is the demand of every worthy

The effect of cruelty to animals is to dull the sympathies, increase indifference, deaden the emotions and make more brutal the individual. Cruelty inflicted upon the kitten, the dog, house bird or other living creature makes easier infliction of cruelty upon the helpless child or other persons. Away have for my husband? with cruelty to animals and cruelty to human beings will also disappear. Every boy and girl, every man and woman owes it to self and to the state to participate in kindliness-to-everyliving-creature, education and effort.

A man may think the world owes him a living but he will never collect. He is more likely to go to jail as a vagrant.

It is rankest fallacy to assume that something worth while may be had for nothing. The world parcels out its bounty according to individual effort, generally.

IF HARRIMAN HAD LIVED

If E. H. Harriman had lived, the Willamette valley would now be much further along in the development of the linen industry-

Its ultimately greatest industry-

Because the natural conditions are more nearly perfect for its development and permanent prosperity here on a gigantic scale than in any other section of the entire world.

Through the work of the late Mrs. W. P. Lord, the favorable attention of Mr. Harriman had been attracted to the possibilities of the industry here, and he was moving towards making the connections that would have put it on its feet on a firm basis and on a large scale. He was ready to furnish himself or to underwrite the necessary capital-

And in the midst of the negotiations, a plume from the wing of death brushed the cheek of that great and far seeing captain of the forces of progress, and this section lost its

If E. H. Harriman had lived ten years longer, Salem would now be a city of 100,000 people.

There are several men living in Salem who could give some of the details of the negotiations, and so could some of

The Oregon Statesman the world has had, has seen the light. He grew 800 acres of flax last year, will grow 4000 acres this year, and 100,000 flax last year, will grow 4000 acres this year, and 100,000 acres annually a few years hence, to supply the 3,600,000 yards of cloth he needs for car tops and seat coverings and other uses of his automobile manufacturing.

> Better than all this, however, all the people of the Willamette valley now see the light -And the Harriman dream will come true, perhaps in ulti-

mately greater measure than it could have done under the leadership of a few big men.

> during Dicky's absence, prolonged for two hours. I had no sewing or mending with me, and I could

not fix my mind upon reading,

although I kept up the pretext

of perusing a book. I was glad

indeed that Claire seemed disin-

clined to conversation. I felt that I could not have born the strain of talking with her upon any sub-

but Claire Foster either did not

"What luck?" she asked laz-

"Luck!" Dicky reiterated scorn-

I haven't seen any of it in

But of all the idiotic, asi-

mully. "Where d'ye get that

so long I wouldn't recognize the

lady if she came up and kissed

The adjectives preceded a dia-

"They treated me like a second-

Bliss. The telegram wasn't ad-dressed to me, they argued, there-

fore-I had no right to any infor-

mation about it. Of course, if I

could have had the original tele-

gram to show them it would have

been different, but as it was I

suppose I'm lucky to be here in-

funny you look!" she gurgled.

"Glad I'm amusing you," he

"There's only one think I can

said stiffly, and then he sat down

and pulled the letters from his

do," he said. "I'll telephone a

wire to old Bob. telling him what

get in touch-Holy mackerel!"

(To be continued)

American Lumberman.

nine, mulish-

stead of in jail."

pocket once more.

blamed me,

see his mood or disregarded it.

ject. And I was glad indeed when dele Garrison's New Phase of Dicky came in, even though my first look at his face showed that REVELATIONS OF A WIFE he was in a black mood indeed. I forbore to ask him any questions

Service

CHAPTER 435.

GOOD" ON THE TELE-GRAM.

Dicky put his packet of letters back in his pocket, and stared tribe against telegraph companies moodily at the floor. My fingers and their employes which was itched to snatch the letters from highly picturesque and eloquent, his pocket and look them over but which I guessed to be unjust. carefully, for I was sure that Boiled down, it amounted to a somewhere among them was the refusal to give out to Dicky the telegram which Dicky had accused information for which he asked. me of losing. But I could do nothing to prove my theory, or story man," he said, "just because to help Dicky in the dilemma now my name didn't happen to be Bob facing him,

"Fine time I'll have trying to trace this address now without that telegram," he growled. "Would it help you any if you

had the words of the message?" I asked diffidently. "How would that-"

began truculently, then he changed it to a grudging "it might Can you remember them?" "I think so," I said, pretending gleefully.

diffidence. But in reality I was very sure of every word enclosed in the yellow envelope which meant so much to Bob Bliss. Almost unconsciously I had concen-I am trying to remember something, and my freak memory had

"Then write them down please," has happened and repeating what he said ungraciously, and I com- you remembered of the original plied, with outward docility, but telegram, and then he'll have to puzzles?" inward rebeilion.

I knew he was honest in his He had brought out the packet

"There!" I looked up triumed the paper to Dicky, who took sulkiness and respect.

A Puzzling Question.

"Hate yourself, don't you?" he queried, but the beginning of a grin quirked the corners of his nature, always evanescent, was al-

ready fading. "I'll do the best I can with this." he said, and rising, put on his hat and light top-coat. "'Don't sit up for me, girls," he

Clare was stretched full length on the couch reading a magazine

"Oh, we couldn't think of sleeping with you out alone in the great cruel city!" she burlesqued. "So have pity on us and hurry back."

"Much worrying you'd do over anybody, young woman," Dicky retorted as he went into the hall. And when the closing door had given a period to his words, l pondered them in puzzled fash-ion. Was this airy indifference of Claire's the secret of the undeniable attraction she appeared to 'Holy Mackerel!"

The question remained with me

Henry Ford, another of the greatest captains of industry THINGS THAT NEVER HAPPEN,



MAXSON FOXHALL JUDELL

I had hard work to repress a smile at his ludicrous exaggera-Will have few friends to cling to tion, but Claire laughed aloud him: While he whose face is wreathed among young girls. Harriet, who "If you could only see how

in smiles for miles.

Probably Not

Mother: "Does Dick ever kiss "you oughtt not let strange men you, Miriam?"

times a week to work cross word one can be kissed by men they

man kiss you in an evening?" she uffling the pa- that American girls always dressfor whose disappearance he had entirely on his self-control. This

Powers: "I understand he's model husband.

and said I was the first kirl he Singer: "He must be, He comes had ever kissed; Imagine! I told Russia Believes not only in givng them liberty or giving them up to the expectations of his wife's him I was inclined to believe him." death, but in giving them both .- | relatives. -Mrs. T. F. Schuler.



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The man whose face is long and MEOWS FROM The CAMPUS CAT Dear Ed .: The question of kissing came up last night, as it will you know,

graduates in June from Wellesley, Will have friends tagging him quite shocked little Lola, '27, by admitting that she had been kissed by a young man whom she

kiss you.' Miriam: "Now, ma, did think Dick came up here three know; the new ones require tech-

nique.'

Solid Voucher

poor boy only kissed me once and then looked fearfully embarrassed

"But what do you do? what do you say, when a man kisses you?'

asked the bewildered Lola. "You must say something! "Not at all," said Harriet, crisply, "Just keep your mouth shut. Never try to talk in clinches."

only met that afternoon.

Lola became interested!

"But Hattle," gasped Lola,

"Nonsense," said Harriet, "any-

"How often do you let a young

"That," said Harriet, "depends

Perhaps it's just as well that Harriet graduates in June, eh Ed? Not that I think you are interested in the subject of kisses, because of course you're not! Me-ow . . meow. Yours for the fat of the land.

The Danger Light Little Billy, aged three, was ding in the country with his Noticing some lightening bugs

along the road he exclaimed: "Oh, OAC after spending Easter Daddy, look at the mosquitos with home.

Their lights lit."

Irony Of Fate Feist: " I've sold all those okes I wrote making fun of the Easter bonnet." Mrs. Feist: "Then hand over the money. I've just selected the

-Nicholas Kerr.

Catty

Mary: "At least I've tried not partly covered by insurance. to let my beauty go to my head.' Jane: "You mean, at least none of it went to your face.'

SOLD! !

Salesman: "You'll find it an excellent pocket-book, Madam. makes you look very slim."

TURNER

The folks about Turner had an interesting time at the "impromptu wedding party" of Fay Webb and Miss Reed, who were married Easter. The jolly couple came to. town but finally followed the crowd out to the farm. They enjoyed watching them storm the house and find no one. They then went in and waited until the crowd tired of hunting, returned. Then the lights were on and a lively time followed.

Miss Avalyn Deljell returned to

Miss Thelma Delzell of Wood burn attended the Christia church dedication Sunday.

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