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Yesterdays Of Old Salem. Town Talks from the Statesman of Earlier Days. March 15, 1907. The rich man's panic continues, and Wall street securities are down. There will be a new starting point, with much of the water squeezed out, and a healthier tone will prevail.—Bite for Breakfast.

HERE'S HOW By EDSON. MACHINE EYES FOR THE BLIND! LIPSTICK MARKS WITH THE LIP STICK. THE PHOTO-ELECTROGRAPH JUST INVENTED. CONVERTS ORGANS INTO BRaille AT ONCE. SO THAT THE BLIND MAY READ ANY BOOK.

"THE LOVE TRAP" By ROBERT SHANNON. SYNOPSIS. Mary Kennedy, pretty secretary, engaged to Buck Landers, wealthy, middle-aged sports promoter, realizes love is greater than riches when she meets young and handsome Steve Moore, Landers' ward. Buck surprises Steve and Mary as they confess their love for one another. When Steve refuses to give up Mary, Landers threatens to frame him. Landers warns Mary Steve's fate depends upon her. He insists that she go with him to his apartment to talk things over. Fearing for Steve's safety, Mary has him move to her boarding house. Then she secretly goes to keep her appointment with Landers. He insists that Mary marry him and Steve leave town. Mary tells him she would rather work as a scrub woman than be his wife. Landers' henchmen knock Steve unconscious when he voluntarily asks them to take him to Landers.

Fall of an Industrial Monarch. ONE of the absolute monarchs of world industry, Ivar Kreuger, ended his life in Paris Friday night. Here was a modern substitute for the Caesars and Alexanders of ancient times. In his drive for financial power Kreuger invaded the world, and brought vast areas of industrial enterprise within the confines of his dominion. The Laplander striking a match in his desolate hut, the Mexican lighting his cigarette, the American housewife using a match to light the gas of her cooking range, the Pole starting a fire in the factory furnaces,—all these were paying tribute to Ivar Kreuger who at 52 was "match-king" of the world.

City Attorney McNary yesterday declared that it is compulsory upon the United Railways company to build the Salem line or its bond will be forfeitable. If this interpretation of the franchise is upheld, it will mean two parallel electric lines to Salem.

Tomorrow: "60-Minute Dynamite" BITS for BREAKFAST By R. J. HENDRICKS

His career reads like a Horatio Alger story. He started as a salesman, turned into the match business and expanded his interests and activities until they included not only a virtual match monopoly over the world, but mining, manufacture, banking, utility operation. The strain of management proved too great, particularly when hard times came on and he faced difficulties in financing his vast enterprises. So Kreuger crumpled up, like many another whose hopes were shattered on the rocks of adversity.

New Views. "Should this state make a concerted effort to retain Dr. Spears as head coach at Eugene at a salary of \$11,500 annually?" Statesman reporters yesterday asked this question about town.

When Willamette was small; by a co-partner of gentlemen (including Feter H. Burnett, afterwards the first governor of California), as the most natural depot for the produce of the well settled Trallity plains, and a road was opened over the ridge of hills intervening between the plains and the river. It contains only a few log houses, which are overshadowed by huge firs.

Kreuger represented almost the peak of concentrated control of industry. The apex of his pyramid was the firm of Kreuger & Toll. Its great subsidiary was the Swedish Match company which in turn controlled an American corporation, the International Match company. The great device by which Kreuger built up his financial empire was that of the match monopoly. Swedish matches through their inventions of processes and economies in manufacture, gained a world-wide market.

Howard Tomlinson, clerk: "I suppose there are two sides to it all right, but I don't see why he should not be retained if public interest is great enough."

"Eight or nine miles above Linton, on the same side of the Willamette, we come to a more promising appearance of a town. It has been named Portland. . . Twelve or fifteen new houses are already occupied, and others building; and, with a population of more than 60 souls. . . its prospects of increase are favorable."

Besides the match business Kreuger & Toll through subsidiaries operated the largest iron ore mines in Europe, were engaged in the manufacture of cellulose and wood pulp, operated banks in Sweden, France, Germany, Poland, Holland, and held large interests in telephone companies. Some months ago the concern acquired a large interest in the International Telephone & Telegraph company which controls telephone interests in many foreign countries and is tied up with the Postal Telegraph and Mackay companies in this country.

TO GIVE PLAY. PRATUI, March 14.—A three-act play entitled "Wild Ginger," by Myrtle Girard-Elsley, is to be given Friday evening, March 18, at 8 o'clock at the Pratum school. Proceeds from the play are to be used for buying school equipment.

"From the city the governor accompanied me for a week's ride through the Willamette valley, and a MORE LOVELY COUNTRY NATURE HAS NEVER PROVIDED for her virtuous sons and daughters than I here traveled over. The excursion ended, the governor took a seat in my boat, and accompanied me to Vancouver. He was received on board the schooner (the Shark) with a salute and remained with me for two days. (They were punctilious in regard to military and gubernatorial salutes). . . In person I visited the Twality (Tualatin) plains, and returned again by the city and river." (Here follows a long historical sketch of the Oregon country up to that date.)

The fate of Kreuger and Lowenstein and of many others of less renown will not deter men with similar aspirations. The lust for power is inborn. If it cannot be sated on the field of battle which once was the path to glory, it will find outlet in the field of industry, commerce and finance. But the permanence of power in any field of endeavor is still insecure as the lifeless body of Kreuger now witnesses.

Pulp and Paper Rate High. OTTAWA, Canada.—(AP)—The gross value of pulp and paper manufactured in Canada last year was \$215,674,246—the dominion's most important manufacturing industry.

Quoting again from the Howison report: "The Methodist institute, designed as an educational establishment for the future generations of Oregon, is still in the hands of gentlemen who were connected with the Methodist mission. It is finely situated on the Willamette (Howison's spelling), 50 miles above Oregon City. . . As a building its exterior was quite imposing from a distance, but I was pained upon coming up with it, to find its interior departments in an entirely unfinished state. Mr. Wilson, who is in charge of it, was so hospitable and polite to me that I refrained

Germany Stands Fast. GIVE an impending danger enough advertising and very likely it will never come to pass. That is what seems apparent from the German elections held Sunday. For months the world has been told that Adolf Hitler, the Mussolini of Germany, would sweep into power. Hitler got lots of free publicity. But when the sober German people turn in to vote Hitler received fewer than twelve million votes and old President Paul von Hindenburg over eighteen million. Though President Paul's vote lacked a small number of being sufficient for his reelection it is taken for granted that he will win in the finals on April 10th.

WELCOME MUSIC HEARD IN SHANGHAI



The German election will have a good effect on sentiment both in political and financial circles. It indicates that Germany is not going to resort either to repudiation or to revolution at least at the present time. Perhaps Europe will keep from going over that fearful brink after all.

British, French, Italians and Chinese were intensely relieved to see Uncle Sam's boys on the job of protecting the settlement against invasion. Inset shows the daughter, in a scene reminiscent of 1917. Loaded in trucks they are en route to take up their posts on the boundaries of the settlement.

CHAPTER XXII. MARY had determined one thing firmly before she went to sleep—it would be important for her to discontinue her employment at the Metropolitan Hotel. . . She began to listen for his footsteps, but the only sounds that reached her ears were the petty noises of the rooming house. . . "Telephone for Mr. Kennedy!" called the shrill voice of the negro maid up the stairs. . . "He's not here! I can't find—"

TURNER MAY HAVE JUVENILE GRANGE

TURNER, March 14.—Surprise grange met Saturday in an all-day session. The usual routine business was taken care of during the morning. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Webb were initiated into the first and second degrees. As there are a number of children belonging to grange families it was decided to try and organize a juvenile grange with Mrs. Maurice Townsend and Mrs. J. M. Bones appointed on a committee which will make further arrangements at the Woman's Work club meeting at the home of Mrs. Townsend near Aunsville Tuesday, March 29.

Auburn Community Club Meets Friday

AUBURN, March 14.—The Auburn Community club will meet at the school house Friday night. George Baumgartner has charge of the program and Mrs. T. C. Morgan, Mrs. Harvey Armstrong and Mrs. C. J. Griffith will serve on the refreshment committee. Mrs. Stowell was the inspiration of a surprise shower, given by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Stewart Johns, at her home on Monroe avenue. The afternoon was spent in playing 600. Mrs. S. M. Huselman and Mrs. Jake C. A. Rattcliff of Morningside, H. Reschke received prizes.

Daily Health Talks By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D.

CARELESS mother in her efforts to cleanse her baby's mouth may do great injury to the lining membrane. This mucous membrane is very sensitive to irritation and prone to infections, and on this account the use of unclean nipples for feeding babies is most dangerous. . . Under medical treatment, even severe cases may recover. The giving of tonics, as well as local treatment, is imperative and better living quarters must be provided. . . "Thrush" is another form of stomatitis. This is caused by a germ. Small, white, opaque patches, resembling curds of milk, are seen on the mucous lining of the mouth. . . Answers to Health Queries. M. B. Q.—What causes a patient to feel very restless at night? I sleep well but seem to jump around and kick a great deal.

LEENERS HOSTS. LARWOOD, March 14.—Mr. and Mrs. George Leener and son Otto were hosts to a number of friends and relatives at their home Sunday. A sumptuous dinner was served in honor of Miss Mamie Jones' birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gaines, Willette Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Gaines, Miss Mamie Jones, Harvie Culler and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baria.