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Just Folks by Edgar A. Guest

GRASS AND CHILDREN

I used to want a lovely lawn, a level patch of green,
For I have marveled many times at those that I have seen,
And in my early dreams of youth the home that I should keep
Possessed a lawn of beauty rare, a velvet carpet deep,
But I have changed my mind since then—for then I didn't know
That where the feet of children run the grass can never grow.

Now I might own a lovely lawn, but I should have to say
To all the little ones about, "Go somewhere else to play!"
And I should have to stretch a wire about my garden space
And make the home where gladness reigns, a most forbidding place,
By stopping all the merriment which now is ours to know,
In time, beyond the slightest doubt, the tender grass would grow.

But oh I want the children near, and so I never say
When they are romping round the home, "Go somewhere else to play!"
And though my lawn seems poorly kept and many a spot is bare,
I'd rather see them growing grass, the youngsters happy there,
I've put aside the dream I had in that far long ago—
I'd rather have a playground than a place for grass to grow.

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Fatty Arbuckle is good in his latest comedy, "The Traveling Salesman." Starring with him is Betty Ross Clark, above. She's the country girl Fatty rescues from land sharks. The movie is a return to Fatty's old line of acting in his funny two-reelers.

ago or even six months ago. Not only that, but the owners who wish to sell are reverting to the old practice of selling for a small payment down with future payments "just like rent." This gives the prospective home owner a better chance than he has had for a long time past. For the man with a good salary or other fixed income on which he may rely conditions are now favorable for acquiring a domicile of his own. If he will look closely over the lists of property for sale he is quite likely to find a real bargain.

THE EAST TRIES TO THINK FOR THE WEST

THE peculiar lack of understanding of the Japanese issue which prevails in the east is illustrated by an editorial in the New York World, from which the following is a sample:

It is hard to see how an organization of the senators and representatives of eleven western states can contribute anything valuable toward the settlement of the Japanese immigration question which has so long agitated California. A certain amount of political capital may be realized by its members through an adroit appeal to race antagonism; otherwise the net effect of their efforts can only be embarrassment of the administration in dealing with a very delicate situation.

Japanese immigration is a more immediate problem to the western than to the eastern states, but not a more serious one. The friendship of the two great Pacific powers depends largely on the avoidance of racial discrimination. Being a proud and courteous people, the Japanese are resentful of summary treatment injurious to their dignity. Washington has understood and respected this attitude and has made steady progress to an amicable adjustment. California has declined to consider any feelings save her own and has as a result made the negotiations as difficult as they could be made. A coalition of states to re-enforce California's position bids fair to put a fresh burden of responsibility on the secretary of state and call for all his tact.

Not more serious to the west than the east. So long as the east talks that way they are hopeless. They are likewise far astray when they think the Japanese issue on the coast is a political affair. It is a social problem and as such it involves age long prejudices that must be recognized. It would be better to frankly acknowledge that the yellow race and the white do not mix and to deal with Japan on that basis. If the Washington government would thus firmly grasp the nettle with both fists the trouble would be quickly over with. But Washington does not do that. The policy has been to temporize and to make Japan believe something that is not true and can never be true. The west deals at first hand with the Japanese question and the wishes of the west should govern the national policy. The east should have wit enough to grasp this point but since they do not the only way is for western people to unite for their instruction. The east must learn that the west is able to do its own thinking.

BETTER CHANCES FOR HOME OWNING

FOR a time the "Own Your Own Home" idea could not operate real well because building costs were high and the man with a place to sell naturally wished to take advantage of the increase in values brought about by war conditions. But conditions have changed. The depression has brought about a heavy reduction in the price of lumber and there is to be a cut in labor costs. Thus the cost of building is being lessened. However, the best chance for the would-be-home owner in recent weeks has consisted in the better opportunities he has had for purchasing improved property. In numerous instances there has been a very marked decline in the selling prices of local residences. There have been sales of homes at figures that are very attractive to the purchaser. Some of the prices paid have been one-half what the owners would have taken a year

THE FUNNYBONE

My Bonnie bent over the gas tank.
The height of the contents to see;
He lighted a match to assist him—
Oh, bring back my Bonnie to me!

POTATO EXPERTS VISIT ON WESTON MOUNTAIN

WESTON MT., April 27.—County agricultural agent Leurg of Dayton, Columbia county Wash., Mr. Wiley, agent of five counties with offices in Walla Walla and Fred Hennion, agent of Umatilla county, all potato experts were in Weston last week looking after the potato situation here. The potatoes are free from "wilt" and all other kinds of disease. W. L. Rayborn a potato grower of eighteen years experience on Weston Mt. sold both the Washington men netted gem seed potatoes at \$40 a ton. F. O. H. Weston, J. W. Bowers shipped 500 sacks to Stanfield Monday. The potatoes are all sold now except one car, belonging to Mark and Fred Henderson, who are holding for better prices. Their potatoes are all Netted Gems and in first class condition. The potatoes here have been hauled a month earlier than usual on account of the warm weather.

DOWN TO BRASS TACKS

Marker—I think the gilt is off the gingerbread as far as the marriage is concerned.
Quissor—Why do you say that?
Marker—Mrs. Newlywed has started eating onions again.—London Answer.

ASTONISHED THE MINISTER

Tom Crum of Texas, prominent in oil circles of late, tells the following on a minister who had discovered oil on some land he owned. The minister invited some of his deacons to go with him to the new field, so that they might share in the opportunities. They were breakfasting at the local eating house and had decided that they would order chicken. When a waitress, a calumined and peroxidized miss, came up, the minister inquired:
"How is the chicken this morning?"
"All right, kiddo," she retorted.
"How are you?"—Argonaut.

THE BOOTLEG BUSINESS

"You never hear of a bootlegger drinking the stuff he peddles."
"No," said Uncle Bill Bottlegger, "I don't see what object there is in being a bootlegger except to get together enough money to buy himself something that's fit to drink."—Washington Star.

TAKE CAR MARKED "THRIFT"

"Ja, how do we get to Easy street?"
"You come to it after 50 years' travel down Hard Work avenue, my son!"—Boston Transport.

RESPECTFULLY DECLINED

An income tax form was returned recently with the following remark:
"Sir, I belongs to the Foresters and don't wish to join the Income Tax."—Tit-Bits (London).

FIRST PICKPOCKET—SO YOU'RE IN THE BUSINESS, TOO, EH?

Second Dittie—In a small way—yes. All the rolls I've lifted so far belonged to married men.—Nashville Tennessean.

LARGE FISH IS CAUGHT OFF NEW JERSEY COAST

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., April 27.—(A. P.)—Old sea dogs whose chief pastime ashore is to spin yarns of gigantic fish they have landed were "nonplused" today when Captain Siam's craft docked with a marine monster weighing more than two tons. It was caught yesterday in a mackerel net, 60 miles off the coast. The fish, 29 feet long, was hauled aboard with a block and tackle after putting up a stiff battle. None of the sea veterans could name its species.

POLICE LOOK FOR MEN WHO DISTRIBUTED 'MAY DAY' UPRISING POSTERS

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 27.—(A. P.)—Police today are searching for two unidentified men who last night distributed hundreds of handbills in St. Paul calling on workers to prepare for a revolution on May Day to overthrow the government and establish a soviet. The handbills bore the signature "The United Communist Party of America."

REALTY TRANSFERS

DEEDS

A. Dorn to P. R. Dorn \$1. Lots 7 and 8 in Block 1 in the W. W. Whitworth Addition to Echo.

W. J. Thorn to J. A. Williams \$2200. E 1-2 and SE 1-4 and N1-2 NW 1-4 Sec. 33, Tp. 5, N. R. 20.

E. M. Pickard to C. D. Bergovin \$2900. Lots 7 and 10 in Sec. 36, Tp. 5, N. R. 25.

E. J. Sommerville to C. L. Howard \$5500. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, Block C. In Addition to Addition of Jacobs Addition, Pendleton.

The remains of an imposing temple have been unearthed by Greek archaeologists at Honas in Thessaly. The temple is in an excellent state of preservation and is as large as the Temple of Jupiter at Olympia. Inscriptions in bronze establish the date of 499 B. C.

More New House Aprons

Came in today, made of gingham, unbleached muslin and percales. The values are exceedingly good and the styles are perfect 98c to \$2.19

- WASH WAISTS**
Very pretty crisp new ones, made of batistes and voiles, with detachable cuffs, trimmed with ruffles and pearl buttons, plain white and colors. You will like them fine. Each \$3.19 to \$4.39.
- PONGEE SILK**
Extra fine grade pure silk Pongee at 98c
- PONGEE SILK 69c**
Chinese pure silk pongee, each... 69c
- GEORGETTE CREPE**
in all colors, 40 inches wide, yd. \$1.49
- BATH TOWELS**
Good size and weight, each.... 23c
- Flesh Colored Crepe Night Gown**, empire yoke, each \$1.59
- Levi Strauss and Co.'s COVERALLS FOR CHILDREN**
Big values at, pair..... 98c

Shopping Bags 59c Each



Boston Bags \$3.49 and \$3.69

Music Charms—Sometimes!



Jazz music made a tremendous hit, in one instance, and nearly caused a riot, in another, when a concert for the animals and spectator children was held at the Central Park Zoo, New York. The picture shows that Miss Betsy Elephant appreciates jazz, while Miss Helen Lioness gets a 11.

28 YEARS AGO

(From the East Oregonian, April 27, 1892.)

M. A. Ferguson, deputy assessor, who has been assisting in Adams precinct, states that so far as he has listed about \$200,000 worth of property there and found but \$1000 worth of notes owing by the taxpayers, which shows the locality to be prosperous.

Mrs. R. A. Carden was here from Athens.

J. H. Counts of Echo, is in the city today.

A. D. Leedy of Helix, is a Pendleton business visitor.

Mrs. C. A. Barrett, accompanied by Henry and Miss Reta Barrett, of Athens, are in Pendleton today.

U. OF O. WINS

FULLMAN, Wash., April 27.—(A. P.)—University of Oregon's baseball squad won from Washington State college here yesterday, 12 to 7. Knudson, Oregon moundman, was the individual star at bat, getting two 3-baggers and a home run in four times up. Oregon also won Monday's contest by a score of 4 to 3.

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