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JUSTICE IS BLIND, ALL RIGHT!

"Justice is blind," and the action of some juries encourages one to add, "There are none so blind as those who will not see."

Grover Todd, veteran of the Spanish war, the Philippine insurrection, the Mexican border campaign and the World War, was shot through the head and killed after Philip Warren, Indian bootlegger, had shot to death Todd's co-worker, Glenn H. Price when Price sought to arrest him.

Warren is tried for the murder of Todd—and ACQUITTED. It is perhaps unwise for one to rush to conclusions in a criminal trial with nothing more definite than newspaper accounts on which to base judgment, but out of the fiasco of the trial at Dallas several things are sure. Either the prosecution was incompetent or blundered; or the jury let maudlin sympathies sweep it away; or the moral consciousness of the people of Oregon is paralyzed.

A drunken Indian killed Price—admits it. Says he was drunk, not responsible, and at the same time says he never saw Todd, and a jury feels that maybe the Indian is telling the truth, while the bullet which killed Todd plowed through his head with deadly aim.

The grand old poem, worn threadbare now, says:
"If you break faith with us who die,
We shall not sleep."
Todd did not break faith with those who died in France. He did not acquit the German. He returned no verdict of "not guilty." He went, he fought, he dealt out true justice.

Now he has died himself, in his country's cause. If the people of the state of Oregon let Todd's murder go unavenged his blood will be on the heads of the people of Oregon; on the heads of their agents, the prosecutors; and on the heads of counsel for the defense just as surely as it is on the head of the man who shot him down.

However, Warren will still be tried for the murder of Price. SOMEONE committed murder, and should receive the punishment of a murderer.

EDITORIAL SIDELIGHTS

If the currency printing presses in Europe would declare a lessatorium, a moratorium might not be needed.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A French author of best sellers has been kidnapped and is held in hiding. We should do more of that sort of thing in this country.—St. Paul Dispatch.

The Germans naturally feel that if they had been allowed to win the war there wouldn't be any troublesome question of German reparations.—Brooklyn Eagle.

That doctor who advocates washing dishes as a cure for neurasthenia may be right scientifically, but he is in danger of dying a poor man.—Chicago Daily News.

We were not aware that they had settled the question of who won the war, but it may be significant to note that Europe has about agreed upon who should pay for it.—The Weekly Review (Shanghai).

There is said to be a trick heat clause in the new leases landlords are using. Is the landlord losing faith in his janitor?—New York Morning Telegraph.



TOM SIMS SAYS

Let's make Safety First last.

The trouble with the movies is they show what people like.

Many a dumb-bell has tolled.

Every man thinks he has too much cheek when he shaves.

What is sadder than a poor imitation of being happy?

MRS. SARAH LAMB



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Birds of a feather flock to hats.

All kinds of flowers get loved except wall flowers.

Ohio farmer caught wolves killing his hogs. He cared not to leave your hand out at night.

An actress is known by the husbands she divorces.

This winter it will be "Where there's smoke there's a crowd."

Kentucky farmer whipped two aviators who landed in his field. His slogan is "Swat the fliers."

28 YEARS AGO

(From the Daily East Oregonian, October 17, 1894.)

Col. E. E. Compton of Fort Walla Walla is here today.

O. H. Smith and A. B. Glover of Ione, Morrow County are here today.

Rob. Benn now takes charge of the express office nights. Agent L. G. Frazier finds that much to his liking.

The Salisbury family will move to Starbuck on account of Mr. N. Saline being who is an O. R. & N. locomotive engineer, having been transferred to Starbuck.

The Red and Gun Club met Wednesday and levied an assessment to secure money to purchase traps etc. to conduct shoots. There are thirty members in the club. A. D. Stillman is president, Harry Morgan, vice-president and C. O. White secretary-treasurer.

The coroner's jury fully exonerated Jim Cash cash, the Indian policeman for the shooting of Thomas Black, another Indian who was related to him. A copy of the verdict was shown by Attorney J. H. Lawrey and a portion reads: "We are uncertain whether the shot was intentional or not but in any case, and that Cash cash had been violently and seriously stabbed before Black had been shot, and that Black was engaged in taking the life of Cash cash when shot. Cash cash was engaged in the performance of his duty when the affair took place." Cash cash is a highly respectable Indian who bears an excellent reputation.

SAP AND SALT
BY Bert Moses
Sap and Salt on the Woods, Oakland, Oregon.

The proportion of candidates to statesmen is as 100 to 1.

Taking things as they come is not philosophy; it is necessity.

You can't save anything until you earn it, so spit on your hands and pitch in.

Good liquor obtained legally probably did less harm than had liquor obtained illegally.

It takes a big man to admit that a large part of his mind is occupied with things he doesn't know.

Fashion having nothing more to show us, the disease of rubber-necking is disappearing rapidly.

Hez Heck Says:

"Winnies would rather be a little ashamed than out of style."

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IRON TO NEUTRALIZE HEAT AND COLD IN CALIFORNIA ORCHARDS

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 17.—A successful means of protecting fruit trees against extreme cold and heat has been arrived at after extensive experiments with iron, according to an announcement made by W. M. Heitzman, local landscape gardener.

Merely to hang a piece of the mineral in a tree is sufficient to minimize the icy breath of Jack Frost of the shivering beams of Old Sol.

"The iron hanging in the tree absorbs the cold or heat and stores it within itself, which the tree and foliage would otherwise have to do," said Heitzman in explaining the working of this method. Heitzman stated he tried this system last year on a date and fig ranch and that it met with absolute success.

Heitzman claims that by his method the effect of a freezing temperature could be made that of a temperature approximately 10 degrees warmer. The principle of his scheme could be applied to flower beds by the placing of iron filings among the flowers, he added.

WIFE LICKED FOR SMOKING, "WON'T QUIT FOR ANY MAN"

KANSAS CITY, Kan., Oct. 17.—The tobacco habit which his wife had acquired when she was a girl caused Cecil Perleidas, thirty-eight, to whip her, he told Judge George West, whom he faced on a cruelty charge. All of his protestations against his wife's cigarette smoking, he said, have been unavailing and he was forced to drastic measures.

"I admit I whipped her. Your Honor, but her smoking was ruining her health," Perleidas explained. "The only way I could make her mind was to treat her rough."

"I've smoked cigarettes since I was twelve years old and I won't quit for any man," Mrs. Dolly Perleidas countered.

Judge West ordered the case referred to the Welfare Board.

Great American Drought is Boon to English Fake Flask Makers

LONDON, Oct. 17.—Sheffield workers are rejoicing in American prohibition, for it brings them prosperity in hard times.

The "Pussyfoot" department of the Sheffield firm is working overtime to satisfy the insistent demand for electro-plate and silver opera articles for the United States.

Orders are pouring in by the thousand, and one firm alone has orders for fifteen thousand opera glasses on hand.

This does not signify a great stage revival in America, but merely further evasion of prohibition regulations.

The innocuous-looking opera glasses are "fakes." If one examines in screw-off, a neat little flask, capable of holding a considerable amount of liquor, is revealed. Hence the urgent export orders.

Prohibition has no more enthusiastic supporters than these fortunate employees, who are working to capacity while many of their fellows are unemployed.

They drink "Pussyfoot's" health daily and long for the day when other countries, at a decent rate of exchange, so dry also.

SOUTH SEA FLAPPERS LIKE NORTHERN SISTERS

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 17.—(C. P.)—The modern American flapper is a tame sister compared to the South Sea Island girl of the same persuasion, according to House Peters, Antonio Moreno and members of the film company that has just returned from Tahiti.

"If you wonder how flappers can dance all night and be up in the morning for a game of golf," says Moreno. "You ought to see the South Sea maiden. When they get started it's dance, dance, dance from morning till night. Dancing parties sometimes last for three or four days at a time."

Like the American flapper the Island girl is bound by neither convention nor clothing, it was said.

"They are sisters under the skin said one member of the troupe, "but the Island flapper shows it less."

"They actually wear more clothing than the American girls," he claimed.

Queen of Chicago's Stenos



* Miss Edith Schwanbauer is winner of a contest held to pick the most beautiful stenographer in Chicago. And she says she'll stick to her typewriter.

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Says the man from Kulshan to the gent from Tia Juana, "You're on—I accept—I like fine Havana. Your taste I admire—try a Chesterfield—do. It's a beautiful blend—only 2 bits for two."

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