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Just then her husband came in and called me aside and asked me what his wife said to me. I told him and he got sore, too. He wanted me to apologize, but I refused and told him if he said any more about it I would publish his name in the Democrat.

"I still say he is a — hog." — Mifflin County Democrat.

Selling It.

They were just about to get married and were discussing the details of domestic economy.

"But I'm afraid, dearest, we shall not be able to afford a servant at first," he said, looking tenderly at her.

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"Why, darling," replied Harry, genuinely puzzled, "whose work do you want to do?"

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Company Blamed for Strike by Federal Investigators.

PAY LESS THAN COMFORTABLE LIVING

Settled Policy Toward Employes Is Criticised—Laws Against Child-Labor Strongly Opposed.

Chicago.—The report of George P. West and C. T. Chenery, who investigated the July, 1915, strike of the Standard Oil Company employes at Bayonne, N. J., for the United States Commission on Industrial Relations, was made public by Frank P. Walsh, chairman of the commission. The report said, in part, after stating that the strike was against the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey:

"The company is the most important of the Standard Oil group and this group is the principal contributor to the wealth, prestige and power of the largest estate in the country, if not in the world, that of John D. Rockefeller, Sr., and his immediate family. The facts regarding the company's labor policies must, therefore, be regarded as of special significance because of the tremendous power wielded by the group of men who control this industry and because of their announced intention to enter the field of industrial relations with a view to widening their influence and activity, propagating what they deem to be the proper theories and principles that should govern the relations between employer and employe."

The following findings of fact are to be considered in the light of the foregoing:

"The Standard Oil company, of New Jersey, although conducting an enormously profitable enterprise, pays wages too low to maintain a family on a comfortable, healthful basis.

"It fixes wages, not with relation to the earnings of the company, but by taking into consideration wages paid by other companies in the same locality and then fixing the wage as low or lower than the prevailing wage in that locality. In Bayonne it paid common laborers less than those of two companies whose plants adjoin its refineries. This is in direct contradiction to the claims of the company in a statement issued at 26 Broadway that it has always paid the prevailing wage or better. The statement of the general manager of the company that the interests of other companies in the same locality are considered in the fixing of wages constitutes in effect an admission that the company combines with the poorest and least generous employers to fix the wage rate.

"The company has instituted no machinery by which real or fancied grievances may be peacefully and promptly adjusted. The officials say that any man has access to the general superintendent, but the employes allege that they would be discharged before reaching the office.

"General Manager Gifford is not a believer in child-labor legislation, and on the other hand, thinks the children should be allowed to go to work earlier. He and Mr. Hennessy apparently have little respect for the foreign-born men whose labor produces the company's earnings and are proponents of the extremely individualistic and reactionary industrial theories discarded by enlightened employers and by economists many years ago."

The report then recited that the company employed a detective agency of New York City to furnish guards and strikebreakers. It quoted the attorney for the agency as referring to these men as "a lot of thugs." The investigators added: "Their appearance amply justified his use of the term."

"The strike was broken by Sheriff Eugene Kinkhead," the report stated, "who first overawed and disorganized the strikers by assaulting and arresting one of their leaders and then strengthened his control over them by promising to use his influence to obtain an increase in wages and by arresting 30 of the armed guards."

Cancer Foe Discovered.

New York.—The Rockefeller institution announced through the Academy of Science at Washington a discovery by two of its investigators whereby immunity from cancer, it is hoped, may be obtained. The investigation was conducted over a period of two years. The doctors discovered that in the white lymph cells of the blood there are the necessary factors in making animals immune from cancer. A decided increase of the cells gives absolute immunity, the physicians declare they ascertained.

France Feeds 3,000,000.

Paris.—France has expended $384,000,000 during the first year of the war in feeding the wives and families of mobilized soldiers and workers thrown out of employment. There are at present 3,000,000 receiving allowances from the state. In the beginning a great many people entitled to these allowances preferred not to claim them, considering it an easy patriotic sacrifice for them to make, but as the war dragged on and their resources diminished, they were finally obliged to avail themselves of the aid.

Soil Studied in Prison.

Martinez, Cal.—Henry Kuckel returned to his home here Monday on parole from San Quentin penitentiary, where he served one and a half years of a seven-year sentence for forgery, to accept a position as soil expert in California for an agricultural implement concern. Kuckel occupied his time in prison by taking a correspondence course in agriculture from the University of California, in which he won three degrees.

St. Louis Strike Ended.

St. Louis.—The strike of 1500 transfer company teamsters and chauffeurs which began here last Friday has been settled. A general wage increase of 50 cents a week, a reduction of about one hour in the working day and better working conditions are granted the men.

NORTHWEST MARKET REPORTS; GENERAL CROP CONDITIONS

Portland—Wheat: Bluestem, $1.04 bushel; forty-fold, $1.01; club, $1.01; red Fife, 98c; red Russian, 94c.

Millfeed — Spot prices: Bran, $27 ton; shorts, $28; rolled barley, $28.50 @29.50.

Corn—Whole, $38 ton; cracked, $39.

Hay — Eastern Oregon timothy, $16 @ 17; valley timothy, $15; alfalfa, $12.50@13.50; cheat, $11@11.50; oat and vetch, $12@12.50.

Vegetables—Cucumbers, Oregon, 15 @ 20c dozen; artichokes, 90c; tomatoes, 25 @ 50c box; cabbage, 1 @ 1½c pound; head lettuce, $1 crate; beans, 2½@4c; pound; green corn, 15@20c dozen; garlic, 10@12½c pound; peppers, 6@7c; eggplant, 6@7c; pumpkins, 1½c.

Green Fruits—Cantaloupes, $1@2.25 crate; peaches, 30@60c box; watermelons, 1½@1½c pound; plums, 50c@ $1.25 box; new apples, Astrachans, 75c @ $1; Gravenstein, $1.25 @ 1.50; pears, $1@1.50; grapes, $1.25@1.50 crate; huckleberries, 8c pound; casabas, $1.75 crate.

Potatoes—New, 70@75c sack.

Onions—75c sack.

Eggs—Oregon ranch, buying prices: No. 1, 24c dozen; No. 2, 19c; No. 3, 15c. Jobbing price: No. 1, 26c.

Poultry — Hens, 13 @ 14c pound; springs, 16c; turkeys, 18@19c; ducks, 8@12c; geese, 8@10c.

Butter — City creamery, cubes, extras, 27c pound; first, 25c; seconds, 24c; prints and cartons, extra; butterfat, No. 1, 28c; second grade, 2c less; country creamery cubes, 20@25c.

Hops—1915 contracts, 13@14c; 1914 crop, 14c; olds, 12@13c.

Wool—Eastern Oregon, medium, 25 @28½c; Eastern Oregon fine, 18@21½c; valley, 26@30c; mohair, new clip, 30 @31c.

Cascara bark—Old and new, 4c.

Cattle—Best steers, $6.50@7; good, $6.25@6.50; medium, $6@6.25; choice cows, $5.35@5.50; heifers, $4.75@ 6.50; bulls, $3.50@5; stags, $5@6.25.

Hogs—Light, $7@7.30; heavy, $6@ 7.20.

Sheep—Wethers, $4.75@5.10; ewes, $3@4.25; lambs, $5@6.

Portland — At the opening of the market Thursday morning there were over 1300 head of cattle at North Portland and three loads arrived from Central Oregon during the forenoon, says the Portland Live Stock Reporter. Buyers from all the smaller local packing plants were on hand, as well as from Puget Sound points, and trading opened with considerable spirit. A Puget Sound packer bought the greater part of the best offerings, paying $7 for the top steers, and he got some very good steers for $6.75. The smaller local packers were interested bidders and each got some good cattle. Just before noon a load of fat steers of poor type were sold to a local packer at $6.05. Up to noon the majority of the purchases had been made by the Puget Sound and nearby packers, and nearly half of the stuff had been sold.

The market was practically on a steer basis, as there were only a few cows offered and only three or four bulls. Most of the steers offered, however, were of killer quality and of weights that killers require. While the market started out steady and most of the best stuff was sold before noon at prices which correspond with those of last week, the larger local packing interests are bidding lower.

Oregon Crop Report.

August 1 crop estimates by the United States department of Agriculture are as follows:

Winter wheat—Forecast, 14,000,000 bushels; final, 1914, 13,684,000.

Spring wheat — Forecast, 3,650,000 bushels; final, 1914, 2,920,000.

Oats—Forecast, 14,300,000 bushels; final, 1914, 12,740,000;.

Barley—Forecast, 4,240,000 bushels; final, 1914, 3,660,000.

Potatoes—Forecast, 6,730,000 bushels; final, 1914, 4,753,000.

Hay—All tame; forecast, 1,740,000 tons; final, 1914, 1,716,000.

Apples — Forecast, 3,400,000 bushels; final, 1914, 3,600,000.

Mule's Machinery Good.

Olympia, Wash. — Edward Kelly, a teamster at Vancouver, Wash., was given a blank to report to the Industrial Insurance commission on his injuries, resulting from his being kicked by a mule while in pursuit of his duties. The commission received the following: "State part of the machinery on which accident occurred." Answer, "Hind part of a mule." "Was the machinery in good working order?" Answer, "Yes." Kelly's claim for $27.65 for 24 days' lost time on account of the accident was allowed.

Fish Hatchery Accepted.

Vancouver, Wash. — The Clarke County fish hatchery, recently completed by contractors, has been accepted by the Clarke County Game commission, comprising Dr. R. D. Wiswall, George B. Simpson and G. R. Percival. The commission has ordered 1,000,000 eggs from the hatchery in Yellowstone National Park, which are expected to arrive this week. The hatchery is on Cole Creek, five miles from Vancouver. A bungalow for the county game warden is to be built on the land bought by the commission.

Hopyard Reports Are Better.

More favorable reports are coming in from the Oregon hopyards. The warmer weather, in combination with the vigorous spraying operations, has at last got the better of the lice. The yards are by no means clean as yet, but good progress is being made toward that goal, and if the weather only continues right, there will be little to fear from mold. No business is passing in local market, and quiet conditions also prevail in California.

Wenatchee Pears Moving Fast.

Wenatchee — Wenatchee pears are going into the market in full force. The shippers say the fruit is of extra fine quality this year and that the growers are putting up a good pack. Thirteen outbound cars rolled Saturday. Warren O. Dow, manager of the Wenatchee-North Central Fruit Distributors, has received notice of a large sale of apples to Steinhardt & Kelley, of New York, at good prices.

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He Desired It.

A boy walked into the office of the telegraph company at Chicago and asked for a job. He said his name was "Missouri."

The manager happened to want a messenger boy just at that moment and gave him a message that had to be delivered in a hurry.

"Here's your chance, my boy," said the manager. "These people have been kicking about undelivered messages. Now, don't you come back until you have delivered it."

A little while afterward the telephone rang. On the other end of the wire there appeared to be a building watchman somewhat terrified.

"Have you got a boy they call Missouri?" inquired the watchman.

"We did have 10 minutes ago," replied the manager.

"That Missouri feller came over here and said he had to go to one of the offices. We don't allow no one up at that office at this hour and I told him he couldn't go."

"Yes, yes," said the manager.

"Well," said the watchman, "he said he would go and I had to pull my gun on him."

"But you didn't shoot him?" exclaimed the manager.

"No," meekly came back the response over the wire, "but I want my gun back."—Philadelphia North American.

High Finance.

"Did Swift borrow money to buy an auto?"

"No, he is a higher financier; he bought an auto to borrow money."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Safeguarded.

"Do you boys expect to catch anything in that filthy pond?"

"No, sir. We've been vaccinated." —Philadelphia Record.

WOMAN IN BAD CONDITION

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SIX INDICTED FOR EASTLAND DISASTER

Charges of Manslaughter and Negligence Are Made.

JURY HOLDS SHIP WAS UNSEAWORTHY

Company Officials Accused of Guilty Knowledge and Ballast Was Not Understood by Engineer.

Chicago—Indictments charging manslaughter and criminal carelessness were returned before Judge Kersten in the criminal court Thursday in connection with the Eastland disaster.

The captain and engineer and four officers of the St. Joseph-Chicago Steamship company, owners of the boat, were named. Those indicted were: George T. Arnold, president of the company; William H. Hull, vice president and general manager; W. C. Steele, secretary-treasurer; Ray W. Davis, assistant secretary-treasurer; Harry Pedersen, captain; Joseph M. Erickson, engineer.

Bonds were fixed at $20,000 each for the company officials and $10,00 each for Pedersen and Erickson. The two last named are charged with criminal carelessness, and the officials with manslaughter.

Separate bills were returned against the captain and the engineer, while the four officials were named in a joint indictment. The bill against the officials contained five counts, charging:

1. That they knew the Eastland was unseaworthy and had no stability.

2. That they permitted 2500 passengers aboard the vessel, which is more than its carrying capacity.

3. That they were negligent in hiring an incompetent engineer, who, because of his lack of skill, was unable to control the boat properly.

4. That the crew did not number enough hands to manage and control the Eastland properly.

5. That the ballast tanks were allowed to be out of repair and not filled with water.

Against Captain Pedersen these charges were brought:

1. That he permitted aboard the boat a larger number of passengers than she could safely carry.

2. That he neglected to warn the passengers to leave the Eastland when it became apparent to him that she was about to turn over.

3. That he was negligent in not seeing that the ballast tanks were properly filled and in good repair.

4. That he was negligent in not seeing that the chalk holes and gangways were closed when the ship was loaded.

The counts in the indictment of Erickson are in essential similar to those against Pedersen.

The report of the grand jury finds that the disaster was caused by "instability under conditions of loading," and says that the instability was due to "one of three main causes, or any two, or all three of them," as follows:

First—The overloading of the vessel with passengers.

Second—The mishandling of water ballast.

Third—The construction of the vessel.

Public Should Bite the Bubble to Be Safe at Drinking Fountains

Washington, D. C.—"Bite the bubble" is the latest "health hint" from the United States Public Health and Marine Hospital service. An expert for the Marine Hospital service says:

"If improperly constructed or improperly used, the bubbling drinking fountain may be a greater menace to health than the common drinking cup.

The other day an inspector of the Public Health service took a seat beside a bubbling drinking fountain in a railway station and watched the way it was used. Forty-seven different persons, 11 men, 22 women and 14 children used the bubbling fountain. In almost every case the lips were placed almost completely around the metal ball from which the water spurted.

Navy Swindle Charged.

Washington, D. C.—George D. Will, a clerk in the bureau of navigation of the Navy department, was arrested Saturday on a warrant charging conspiracy in that he was concerned in a scheme to obtain sums of money from enlisted men of the navy for transfers.

Government investigators say they have found evidence of a conspiracy to collect payments ranging from $25 to $50 from enlisted men for transfers and promotions to which they were rightfully entitled.

Clinton, Ia., Is Flooded.

Clinton, Ia. — A cloudburst struck this city late Thursday. Ten square blocks, including the business district, are under four feet of water. Street-car service has been suspended. The big tents of a circus playing here were swept away. The spectators escaped from the wreckage by wading in water above their knees. The property loss will be heavy. Bridges and culverts were washed away by the onrush of waters. Streets became rivers and hundreds were imprisoned in upper floors of houses and store buildings.

Northwest Business Big.

Washington, D. C. — Reports received by comptroller of the currency from bank examiners in the Northwest on business conditions in that section are digested as follows by the comptroller: "There is unusual activity in Alaska trade. The livestock, agriculture, fruit, dairying and salmon industries are also active. The lumber and building trades alone are reported as being depressed. The cereal crop will be unusually good."

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"How do you know that Blinks has had a raise in salary?"

"He argues that the world is getting better, that the danger from monopolies has been greatly magnified, and that human nature isn't so bad after all."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Offhand Comment.

"Bliggins says tobacco is disagreeable and unnecessary."

"Yes," replied the sardonic smoker, "but it's all a matter of opinion. I should say the same thing about Bliggins."—Washington Star.

Woes of an Author.

"How's your new book coming on?"

"Passably well. The demand isn't what it should be. I mean among the purchasers. And, of course, if people don't buy the book there's nothing in it for me."

"I see. By the way, I'm reading it now. Blinks loaned me a copy that Tompkins borrowed from Bradley. Pretty fair story."

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One day Dr. Reed bought a new horse, with which he was much pleased until he discovered that the animal had an insurmountable objection to bridges of all kinds and could not be made to cross one.

Inasmuch as at that period it was necessary to cross certain bridges in order to reach any one of the surrounding towns, the doctor decided to sell the horse. He did not think it necessary to mention the animal's peculiarity but was much too honest to misrepresent him and, after some thought, produced the following advertisement, which he inserted in a local paper:

"For Sale—A bay horse, warranted sound and kind. The only reason for selling is because the owner is obliged to leave Boston."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

Ouch!

"It says here that blue is the only color that can be determined by the sense of touch," remarked the Old Fogy. "Do you believe that?"

"Sure I do," replied the Grouch. "You have often felt blue, haven't you?"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Intense Sarcasm.

"What are those, girlie?"

"Summer furs."

"To ward off the scorching rays of sun, eh? I suppose when you want to keep cool at home you put on a buffalo robe kimono."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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"Mister," said the small boy who was sitting on a rock by the roadside, "do you s'pose they's any kidnapers goin' through the country this time of year in automobiles?"

"I haven't heard of any."

"But sometimes they come along unexpected, don't they?"

"I suppose so."

"Well, I'm goin' to hang on here a little while longer. There's enough chores waitin' fur me at home to keep me goin' till 10 o'clock tonight an' I ain't never had an automobile ride in my life."—Washington Star.

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Force of Habit.

A veteran car conductor in Boston recently lost his job and was obliged to take the next best thing he could find, the position of sexton in church.

He presented the collection box to a pillar of the church one Sunday and, in fishing out some change from his vest pocket, the man brought to light two cigars.

The former conductor leaned over him and in the most solemn of tones said:

"Smokin' in the three rear seats only."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Leave it to a Woman!

He—As it is to be a secret engagement, dearest, it would not be wise for me to give you a ring at present.

She—Oh, but I could wear it on the wrong hand, you know.—Boston Transcript.

In 1950.

Owens (driving his aeromotor)—Gee whiz! I must hurry and get behind a cloud; here comes my tailor.—Boston Transcript.

A Good Job.

A certain cottage and its old mistress had improved so greatly in comfort and appearance that a visitor shrewdly surmised that the son of the house, a lazy ne'er-do-well, had turned over a new leaf. He inquired about it. "Yes sir, my son's in work now," said the smiling old mother. "Makes good money, he does, too. All he has to do is to go twice a day to the circus and put his head in the lion's mouth. The rest of 'is time 'e 'as to himself." —Buffalo News.

An Advantage.

"To what do you attribute your remarkable health?"

"Well," replied the very old gentleman, "I reckon I got a good start on most people by bein' born before germs was discovered, thereby havin' less to worry about."—Washington Star.

HOWARD E. BURTON—Assayer and Chemist, Leadville, Colorado. Specimen prices: Gold, Silver, Lead, $1; Gold, Silver, Zinc, Gold, Zinc, Zinc or Copper, $1. Mailing envelopes and full price list sent on application. Control and Umpire work solicited. References: Carbonate National Bank.

Perfectly Dry Now.

A stranded but still haughty "leading lady" was obliged to put up at a dilapidated country hotel. She glanced frowningly about the office, reluctantly signed the register and took the brass key from the proprietress.

"Is there water in my room?" she demanded.

"Why, there was," replied the proprietress. "There was, but I had the roof fixed."—Kansas City Times.

How Did He Dodge That?

Designing Widow—Speaking of conundrums, can you tell me why the letter "d" is like the marriage service?

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