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DECEMBER 4

CURSE or BLESSING, Which?—He that withholdeth corn, the people shall curse him; but blessing shall be upon the head of him that selleth it.—Proverbs 11:26.

BROKEN TOYS AND MENDED HEARTS

Suppose you knew where there was a quantity of gorgeous Christmas toys that would be thrown away. And suppose you knew where there was a number of little children who would have no Christmas toys.

A thrifty big-hearted woman has the idea. She worked it out and found it practical. She had observed that every Christmas every store had many damaged articles, such as toys, cards, and so forth, that had to be thrown away.

So, a few weeks before Christmas she got a few of her friends together and they made the rounds of the stores, interviewing the merchants and easily got them to agree to donate such toys and cards and picture-books as might become unsalable through breakage or soiling.

Then just before Christmas a number of deft-fingered women met at the home of one of their number. The broken toys were there, so were the soiled picture-books and cards. Tables were ready and there was a supply of mending material—glue, twine, strips of leather, screws, tacks, adhesive tape, wire, paste, paper of various colors and quick-drying paints, and erasers to take the spots off books and cards.

A Christmas mending party is a splendid idea. It costs nobody anything, it utilizes a waste-product, it makes a lot of little hearts happy. It could well be made an institution every year in every locality. And it would help a lot of grown folks to feel better too.

LOOKING FOR THE LIGHT ON THE TARIFF

The Flexible Tariff from the point of view of the Tariff Commission may get some exposition about December 1. On that date, the Commission has said, it will make public the data it has collected in the course of its investigation in connection with an application it has received that it recommend a reduction in duty on sugar.

In October the Commission announced its first decision on a question about the flexible tariff. It was not, however, a decision that a duty should, or should not, be raised or lowered to equalize costs of production.

It did not reach this conclusion unanimously. Two of the Commissioners looked at things differently, insisting that when Congress transferred logs of fir, spruce, cedar, and western hemlock from the free to the dutiable list it meant to levy a duty even though it provided that if such logs came in from a country which had not placed limitations upon exports the duty was not to be collected.

NOW YOU HAVE IT

Here is the latest explanation, by a newspaper, of who opposed the income tax:

Even so, you have 55,000 others who voted against the bill. Who were they? Why the little fellows, of course. There is nobody else left. The unmarried clerks and stenographers, and the com-

mon married people, mechanics and members of the underpaid white-collared class, many, many of whom struggle as hard to make ends meet as does the average farmer.

There you have it. The "little fellows" put up the secret slush fund. They hired Brownell to fight the bill. They hired the lawyers to keep Brownell's books from being opened before election. They spread the propaganda. They paid for the newspaper advertising and the thousands of circulars.

Of course, it was "the members of the underpaid white-collared class" who did it all. Being "underpaid," they will have all the income tax to pay. That's why capital is going out of Oregon—the "underpaid white-collared clerks" are going to take it all out of the state. They are going to take "capital out of the state" by millions and billions and squillion. Being "underpaid" they simply can't stand the strain of the tax on their incomes. Some of them will have to pay at least 40 cents tax.

Now what's the use of peddling this humbug? Why tell them with one breath that the "underpaid little fellows" will have to pay most of the income tax, and with the next that the income tax will "drive capital out of Oregon?"

It was that kind of inconsistent and contradictory propaganda that helped pass the income bill.—Oregon Daily Journal.

It is encouraging to know that politicians who throw mud eventually lose ground.

It would hardly seem that anything as low as some European currency is fit to print.

Slippery places where the wicked stand are never so slippery that tax dodgers can't dodge.

Possibly this horse in McMoriam was named by a race track sucker recalling a lost bankroll.

A scientist has measured the heat of the stars, but the world is more interested in their salaries.

Movie salaries are to be slashed. Some of the stars may wish they had not been so wasteful with pies.

A life convict in Massachusetts plays the stock market and won't be first who has done that and finished behind.

Where East Is West

"East is East and West is West, and never the twain shall meet," was not spoken of the world of fashion, which laughs at geography, and unites continents in the cut of a sleeve.

There is something of the flash of the scarlet tangles about Madame when she fits forth in this costume of Cheney design, for the sleeves and sash are lined with a vivid red crepe, which appears again as a facing to the upturned brim of the small hat.

The coat-frock continues to be in first favor, according to this fashion authority, and matelasse one of the used materials. This particular frock fastens on the side—as do 99 44/100 per cent of the new modes—with a bow of self material, under which the material is drawn slightly across the hips.

A practical note is the close-to-the-wrist undersleeve in the wide bell-like drapery, which keeps from Madame's soft arms the chapping breezes of fall and winter.



FRIENDSHIP WITH INDIANS WON FEDERAL POST FOR HIM

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The three Applegate brothers—Charles, Lindsay and Jesse—and their families all came West in the same wagon train. Charles and Jesse were captains of divisions of the train.

Through his keen sense of justice and fair dealing, Lindsay Applegate, the captain's father, became very popular with the Indians. He learned their languages and was much beloved by them.

Evidence of his popularity with the Indians is shown by the fact that when the Government made a treaty with the Klamath, Modoc and Plute Indians in 1864 the Indians specified that Lindsay Applegate become the first Indian Agent. This was done, and Captain Applegate, although then only a boy, served as clerk to his father and soon learned to speak fluently the various Indian languages.

When only a boy Captain Applegate served in the Oregon State Militia and was commissioned a captain after displaying remarkable aptitude for military tactics. On November 29, 1872, when the Modoc outbreak occurred, Captain Applegate was called into the service of the United States Army to help subdue the rebellious Modoc Indians, who were headed by the notorious "Captain Jack."

The Chief of the Modoc (Old Scotchian) tribe remained loyal to the Government and rendered the United States Army valuable assistance in subduing the rebels. Had the Modoc chief not remained loyal it would have caused other tribes to have taken sides against the Government, and with such a small number of United States soldiers and whites in the country, it thought such action on the part of the combined Indian tribes

Have your clothes cleaned and repaired before the Holiday rush. Paulserud's. 781f

PILES advertisement with image of a man and text: Write Me About Your Case. If you will write me about your condition, I will send you my FREE illustrated book which tells many things about Piles and other rectal troubles which YOU should know.

CHAS. J. DEAN, M.D. advertisement for Piles. It lists hundreds of former patients, both men and women, who testify as to my skill. Mrs. Wallace Reid.

would have resulted in totally wiping out all the whites then in Oregon.

Captain Applegate tells many interesting tales of pioneer days in Oregon. He has spent most of his life in the open and is well versed in woodcraft. He is about six feet two inches in height and, not withstanding his advanced age, is remarkably active.

Captain Applegate still retains the buckskin coat he wore as a captain in the Modoc War and oft-times dons it for special occasions. He has been and still is active in all civic affairs and is credited with having done much to build up Klamath Falls and eastern Oregon.

His experience has been varied. He has been a private and an officer in the Oregon State Militia, Clerk to the United States Indian Agent, United States Indian Agent, school teacher, newspaper publish-

VINING advertisement: THE THEATER BEAUTIFUL Today and Tomorrow



THOMAS MEIGHAN advertisement: in a PETER B. KYNE story "Homeward Bound"

Treacherous seas and sea-men, storms and ship-wrecks—and the romance of a young skipper who braved all to win a girl's love.

"Human Wreckage" advertisement: Mrs. Wallace Reid

er, editor, printer, United States Commissary Agent, public school superintendent, merchant, stage driver, insurance agent and is now in charge of the Municipal Auto Camping Grounds of Klamath Falls, Oregon.

Save Your Auto advertisement: One gallon of Denatured Alcohol will prevent your Radiator from Freezing. \$1.50 Do it Now McNaair Bros. The Rexall Store

Whiz Anti-Freeze advertisement: Guaranteed to prevent freezing and not to injure radiator. Made and tried in the East. Quart 45cts. Gallon \$1.75. DO NOT USE ALCOHOL: It boils at 173 degrees (water boils at 212 degrees) Freeze-Meter Test Service Free. No-Dim: A Prepared Cloth (in can) only 50 cts. To keep your windshield clear. Will Last A Year. One application for a rain or Snowstorm. We Want Your Business Dr. Oeser & Son

GABRIEL advertisement: When you hear the word you think habitually of two things, his Horn or Gabriel

SNUBBERS advertisement: His horn will announce the Bright Golden Morn, we hope with pleasure; we know your car equipped with Gabriels will make riding a delight.

AUTOMOTIVE Shop advertisement: Cor Main and Pioneer

Holiday Meals advertisement: As the holiday season nears it is no longer necessary to take down the trusty rifle and go out to hunt for your turkey, goose, or other holiday meats. Civilization has driven these from your haunts. At the same time, however, civilization has provided for you even more bountifully than did nature in the old days, and modern efficiency and service have removed the hazards that once attended the securing of those early meals. Today, Swift & Company brings to your retailer, whether he is in village, town, or city, the kind and quality of meat you desire. This service also makes available to you Swift's Premium Milk-Fed Chickens, Golden West Fatted Fowl (both identifiable by tags), turkeys, ducks, and geese. Skill and care in feeding and handling, coupled with the efficiency of the packing plant, branch house, and car route, thus assure you of the best to be had, whether you live near centers of production or hundreds of miles away. Our profit from all sources averages only a fraction of a cent per pound. Swift & Company Ashland Local Branch, Cor. First and A Sts. F. Crouch, Manager

DENIES THAT FORD IS NOT AMBITIOUS

WATERTOWN, Dec. 3.—E. J. Leibold, private secretary to Henry Ford, yesterday denied he told U. S. Cherry of Sioux Falls, that Ford did not care for either the Republican or Democratic nomination for president. This is according to a telegram made public here by James F. Houlihan, leader of the Ford-for-President movement in South Dakota.

"I do not know this man Cherry and he certainly is not authorized to quote me with reference to Ford's presidential attitudes," the telegram to Houlihan said.

Home for Thanksgiving—Two boys from Linfield College claim the distinction of having the most hazardous and eventful trip home for Thanksgiving that

CUT THIS OUT—IT IS WORTH MONEY

Send this ad and ten cents to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive a ten cent bottle of FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND for coughs, colds and hoarseness, also free sample packages of FOLEY'S PILLS a diuretic stimulant for the kidneys and FOLEY'S CATHARTIC TABLETS for Constipation and Biliousness. These wonderful remedies have helped millions of people. Try them! Sold Everywhere.

can be supplied by any corner. Vernor Corson and Walter Misch left McMinnville, via motorcycle and experienced all manner of delays. Not only did it rain in torrents, but it rained so bad that the boys were obliged to abandon their two wheeled pusher and board the train near Roseburg. They arrived home at midnight Thanksgiving and were served their belated Thanksgiving dinner the following day. They returned Saturday in the Carson motor to vouch a more rapid and comfortable trip.

Converse Rubbers \$2.15 advertisement: There's tougher stuff in them, with a non-skid sole. They do not slip. The kind railroad men want. OVERLAND Shoe Shop Corner Main and Oak

California advertisement: Spend the winter there, or if going East, go via California! Stopover privileges will permit you to tarry a while and visit its numerous points of interest. ROUND TRIP FARES San Francisco \$26.50 Los Angeles \$51.50 Similar fares to other points. Illustrated booklets describing the attractions of California may be had from your local agent as well as information concerning fares, train schedules, etc., or by writing JOHN M. SCOTT, Asst. Passenger Traffic Manager Portland, Oregon

MORTON HOSPITAL advertisement: Special Attention to Surgical Diagnosis, Radium for Cancer and Modern Treatment for Diabetes. 1055 Pine St., San Francisco, Cal.

RELIEVED BOY'S COUGH advertisement: Mrs. L. Van Belle, Pendroy, Mont., writes, "I like your Cough Medicine very well. My little boy 6 years old, had a very bad cough and after using FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND he secured relief."

Ashland Service Station advertisement: Cold Weather is coming It's Here. Do not forget your Radiator. Try Whiz Anti-Freeze. Guaranteed to prevent freezing and not to injure radiator. Made and tried in the East. Quart 45cts. Gallon \$1.75. DO NOT USE ALCOHOL: It boils at 173 degrees (water boils at 212 degrees) Freeze-Meter Test Service Free. No-Dim: A Prepared Cloth (in can) only 50 cts. To keep your windshield clear. Will Last A Year. One application for a rain or Snowstorm. We Want Your Business Dr. Oeser & Son