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THE COUNTY HEALTH OFFICER

How many people realize what the functions of a Health Officer really are? Probably in the eyes of some he is a dispenser of gloom whose most important duties are to tack up a placard on your door if you are so unfortunate as to catch an infectious disease, and to see that you are kept in quarantine until you recover. Usually you think of him as the official to whom you have to complain if garbage is not removed regularly or if an unpleasant odor comes from your neighbor's chicken-coop. These things may have been major functions in the past. Today they are but a minor detail among the important matters with which a Health Officer has to deal. What has caused this change? Chiefly the increase in our scientific knowledge as to the causes of contagious diseases and how they are conveyed from person to person.

In the past a Health Officer had to wait until a communicable disease appeared, and then isolate the patient and any person with whom he had been in contact. While this measure is still of value, a rigorous condition formerly imposed has been materially modified. Now the chief duty of a Health Officer is to take steps to prevent such diseases from occurring, instead of waiting for them to appear before taking action. Thus as an efficient watchman, he keeps criminals from entering the premises he guards instead of arresting them after the crime has been committed.

Diphtheria can be prevented by the use of proper antitoxin. Typhoid fever will not attack a person who has been protected with typhoid vaccine. Small-pox will not find a victim among those who have been successfully vaccinated within the last few years while most recent of all a preventive treatment against scarlet fever is now available.

It is the Health Officer's duty to see that the people of his community know about these methods of preventing disease, and to urge the parents to see that their children are thus protected against communicable diseases. He has many other duties in protecting the lives and promoting the health of the people. The purity of the water, and the milk supplies in the community are matters which he must give careful attention. If there are any conditions on the water shed which may lead to the pollution of the water supply, or if it is known to be contaminated, the Health Officer must bring the facts before the local authorities so that proper steps may be taken to render the water safe by filtration or chlorination.

Milk from producers or dealers who are dirty or careless must be ruled out and methods by which the milk is pasteurized, carefully checked. These are but a few of the most important duties of the Health Officer, but perhaps enough has been said to indicate that he is one of the most important officials in your community. Your health is of far more importance to you than your property, and yet in most cases the police and fire chiefs are paid more than the Health Officer and given more time to do their work. A modern up-to-date health organization is the best investment any community can make. Make your community attractive by advertising and guaranteeing health and happiness.

TRAINED RIGHT

In the recent hearings at Washington on the wet and dry question, Senator Jim Reed of Missouri seemed to be the chief cross-examiner. In a little colloquy with Mrs. Ella A. Boole, a W. C. T. U. worker, the senator met his match.

"Get me correctly," said Senator Reed. "We may differ about means, but we wish the same ends. Anyone who thinks I am for intemperance is badly mistaken."

Whereupon the dear old lady, with the frost of almost 70 winters upon her whitening hair, sweetly retorted: "Yes, senator, you were trained right. Your mother was a member of the W. C. T. U."

And the crowd, disregarding the rules of the committee, vociferously applauded the little old woman with the white hair while the senator blew his nose vigorously. As the witness and the senator were both born in Ohio, and within 100 miles of each other, it is altogether probable that Mrs. Boole knew whereof she spoke.

Another Red Flag



STEWART'S WASHINGTON LETTER

BY CHARLES P. STEWART
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON — "An equal share with men in the making and administration of the laws of this country."

That's what the National Woman's Party wants.

Mabel Vernon, its executive secretary, says so, and says it with an emphasis that, if you're one of the heepped sex, makes you shiver a little.

Some of the National Woman's Party's recent literature, as they hand it out mimeographically for public consumption, has been so darned resolute, to say the least, that finally I paid my respects—and a lot of 'em—at party headquarters, opposite the capitol, explained that I was in favor of giving women all the rights they wanted and ventured the hope that this would count in my favor if they started anything.

At this the membership laughed and told me they weren't going to start anything violent, but here's what they added: "Women's struggle for genuine equality is entering a phase which promises to be very exciting."

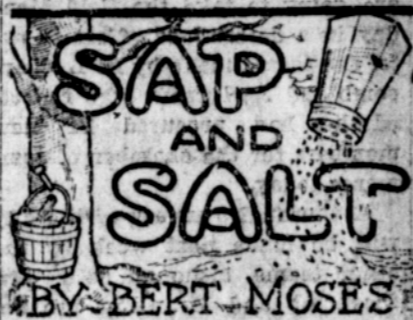
Not so blamed reassuring, to my mind. I'm glad I did my best to square myself.

When women were given the ballot I had an idea they were going to be satisfied, but it seems not.

In the first place, there are a lot of laws which discriminate between men and women, nominally for the women's protection, but really, according to the National Woman's Party, to handicap them and give men an advantage.

In the second place, though women can vote, the National Woman's Party makes the point

that they're expected to vote mostly for men. They're tired of mere "bonquets, honorary titles and minor parts," as Miss Vernon expresses it.



Troubles can always be found without a search warrant.

There should be no politics in taxation, but there always is.

Any man will listen to reason more than he will listen to law.

All opposition you meet in life does you an incalculable amount of good. Love gets it hardest strain when the biscuits are tough and the steak is tougher.

Some books are good, some books are bad, while now and then you come across a book worth reading.

Hez Heek says: "Ladies is as bad as liquor if you let 'em go to your head."

The Time Of The Summer Visitors Is Here.

While they are with you, one excursion you should not fail to miss is the one to the washtub. You can pass it by if you turn over the family washing to the

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Trees are beautiful. Yet they wear the same styles every spring.

If you have a good shaving brush and don't want your good shaving brush lost, don't get married.

From Hollywood—
Mr. and Mrs. Happy Russell of Hollywood, Cal., stopped in Ashland on their way to Canada on their honeymoon. They were guests of the Hotel Ashland.

THE WEATHER
Oregon — Fair tonight and Sunday. Warmer Sunday in west portion with variable winds along the coast.
Guest of Blumauer's—
W. W. West of Los Angeles, visited a few days in Ashland as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Blumauer. Mr. West also made a stop in Shasta City to view the holdings.



Business Visitor—
E. S. [unclear] of Portland, clear [unclear] [unclear] visitor in Ashland today and stopped at the Lithia Springs hotel.
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It Talks!

"IT TALKS!" exclaimed the astounded Dom Pedro, Emperor of Brazil, one June day in 1876, as he held to his car the receiver of Alexander Graham Bell's telephone, then on exhibit at the Philadelphia centennial exposition, while the young inventor, some distance away, spoke into the transmitter.

Time has not detracted from the drama of this scene, nor robbed the emperor's tribute of its truth. Fifty remarkable years have passed. Important among their contributions to human progress has been the development of Bell's idea into a nationwide, universal telephone service. But the wonder of the telephone is still that which arrested men's thoughts a half century ago—that it can talk.

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