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PUT ON BEST BIB AND TUCKER.

IF YOU were expecting a number of visitors at your house would you allow yourself to greet them with clothes gone to seed and grease-spotted here and there, with your beard unshaved and your hair uncombed?

Or would you put on a neat suit, shave your beard, comb your hair and polish your shoes?

You would not greet visitors looking personally shabby. In the first place you take too much pride in your own appearance to do so. In the next place you wish to make a good impression.

Cottage Grove expects lots of visitors this year. It wishes to make a good impression upon them. It is just as important that the city have a neat dress, have grease spots and unsightly nuisances removed, have its grass neatly trimmed, its trees neatly pruned and its streets scrupulously clean. All weeds going to seed, unsightly, tumble-down outbuildings, unpainted sheds, litter in the streets, unkempt lawns and scraggly flower bushes will make just as unfavorable an impression as would disregard of personal appearance on the part of its people.

Cottage Grove would profit much by a slick and clean appearance and the expense would be almost nothing.

Let the citizens give every possible assistance to the public improvement committee of the Commercial Club.

The clean-up and paint-up work in the city should be emulated by the occupants of the land surrounding the city. Neat, prosperous looking farms with well-built, painted barns and houses, will do more for the development of the agricultural resources of the Cottage Grove country than all the booster literature the Commercial Club could issue.

Clean up and paint up!

W. A. Bell is the new mayor of Eugene. Ring out the old!

PUNK POETRY.

SOME little time ago The Sentinel criticized an alleged piece of poetry which appeared in a local paper. We said it was wobble-legged, had no feet and no meter, was a very poor rhyme and violated every known rule for writing of poetry. In addition rules of grammar were violated for the sake of rhyme. In fact we rather imagine that the person who wrote the alleged poem picked out words that would rhyme and then filled in the lines with little regard for sense. Now the paper which published the alleged poem takes up the defense and in a choleric spasm declares that the alleged poem is a literary gem, that its verses are exquisite, its construction perfect, and the meter faultless. Because it failed to see these alleged beauties in the crude lines referred to, The Sentinel is accused of being unappreciative of good poetry. If that was good poetry we certainly are cruelly unappreciative, but the editor of our contemporary comes to the defense so nobly and so easily picks out the fine points that are apparent to no one else that we become suspicious that he himself is the author. No one but the person who wrote it could find any good in it. Until a denial is forthcoming we hail our contemporary as the author of a poem that will live forever—in the mind of its author.

Resumption of industry throughout the land is a harbinger of better times. Optimism will bring 'em and the talk is getting much more optimistic.

EDITOR WANTS A JOB.

EVERY once in a while an editor gets a notion in his head that he should be rewarded in some way for his services to the party. This is a peculiar thing for an editor to do, for his services are presumed to be free. Others are rewarded as a matter of course but a newspaper man is rewarded only when it is impossible to do otherwise.

Editor F. M. Brown of Brownsville would be the next game warden. He knows the newspaper game, has ridden the elephant for twenty-five years or more, and has other qualifications. He

has strong endorsements from numerous rod and gun clubs and leading men of the state. If the newspaper boys would come forward with anything like a unanimous endorsement for him the job would be cinched. Get busy, boys, get busy!

Think of a good slogan for Cottage Grove and submit it to the Commercial Club.

THE OREGON VOTER.

C. C. Chapman, former secretary of the Oregon Development League, is again a full-fledged newspaper man. The Oregon Voter is the name of the magazine he will edit. Mr. Chapman resigned a \$7000-a-year job to go into the newspaper business—but there's something wrong with every good newspaper man—and, of course, Mr. Chapman will be a good one. The Voter will be devoted to news and editorials of vital interest to voters—and C. C. has a fund of information along those lines. There is a field for such a magazine. The only question is whether it will take—or whether the voters will take The Voter. C. C. can make such a magazine a success if anyone can. Besides, he probably has considerable funds on hand, which is an important and fortunate thing. Here's hoping The Voter meets with the success it so richly deserves.

Things We Think

Things others think, and what we think of the things others think.

The man who can't get married might find a graphophone a pretty fair substitute.

When a wife rushes to kiss hubby the moment he comes home we become suspicious as there is a desire to smell of his breath.

A scientist who claims to know has declared that man laid eggs before he was an ape. Probably had to hatch up a few excuses for domestic use.

We don't know what will happen to the man who lets his wife carry in wood, coal and water, but we have our suspicions.

A store advertises "Another fourth off women's clothes." All right, let us get turned the other way.

Whether Christian Science or not, the thoughts you think absolutely guide your moral conduct.

Silence is said to be golden, but that good old saying was probably written before the chautauqua was invented.

Every good and charitable deed you do a fellow being is a jewel in the crown to be worn in the hereafter.

You can't expect your boys and girls to behave away from home if you don't make them behave at home.

There is no business in the world so large that the people couldn't put it out of business in a month by refusing to buy its products.

A Vermont man, the despatches say, swallowed his own brains and is now in a serious condition. We know a lot of people who could swallow their brains with no more ill effects than comes from swallowing a spoonful of warmed-over porridge.

A dentist in New York has dislocated a patient's neck while trying to pull a tooth. We suppose he put in a pretty stiff bill for that extra job.

Getting "half shot" is prohibited in the armies of Europe.

If a woman ever agrees with a man it's just when he doesn't want her too.

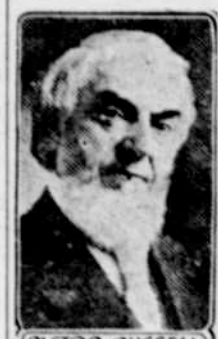
Most people have a greater fear of public opinion than of personal injury. Most any man would rather fight than be laughed at.

Over-estimation of self is pretty disgusting but it is doubtful if that keeps a person down as much as under-estimation of one's ability.

WHY SEVEN WOMEN DESIRE ONE HUSBAND

A Symbolical Bible Picture of Present-Day Religious Conditions

Woman a Symbol of the Church—Jewish Marriage Typical of the Union of Christ and His Church—The True Church a Betrothed Virgin—"The Marriage of the Lamb"—Who Are the Seven Women?—Who Is the One Man?—Why He Turns From Them.



PASTOR RUSSELL

Rochester, N. Y., April 18.—Pastor Russell's text today was, "Seven women shall take hold of one Man in that Day, saying, We will eat our own bread and wear our own apparel; only let us be called by Thy name, to take away our reproach."—Isaiah 4:1.

The Pastor showed that throughout the Scriptures a woman is the symbol of the Church—a pure woman of a pure Church, a corrupt woman of a false Church. Our Lord compared the true Church in the end of the Gospel Age to a company of virgins—some wise and some foolish—and Himself to the bridegroom. St. Paul amplifies the figure, declaring, "I have espoused you [the consecrated Church] as a chaste virgin unto one husband, which is Christ." (2 Corinthians 11:2.) Here, as in our Lord's parable of the Ten Virgins, the Jewish marriage is set forth as typical of the union between Christ and the Church—a very different figure from our marriage custom.

In olden time, when a betrothal took place, legal and binding documents were signed by or for the contracting parties; but no actual marriage occurred for about a year. While waiting for the bridegroom to take her to his own house, the espoused virgin was expected to be as faithful to her espousal as is now expected of any true wife. We see the harmony between this custom and our Lord's dealings with His Church.

No one is espoused to our Lord who has not entered into a definite contract with Him. The Lord's part of this contract is the assurance through the Scriptures that if faithful the Church shall be His joint-heir in His Millennial Kingdom. The Church's part is a covenant of consecration, loyalty even unto death. The interim between our personal acceptance of our Lord's gracious promises by a full consecration of our all to Him and His service until we actually die corresponds to the betrothal period of the Jewish maiden. But the more exact fulfillment of the figure is found in the history of the Church as a whole. Our Lord's virgin Church was espoused to Him at Pentecost, and has since been waiting for the Bridegroom's coming and her resurrection change to glory, honor and immortality—the union, the marriage.

"Seven Women in That Day." Then the Pastor proceeded to explain the meaning of his text. The number seven is well recognized throughout the Scriptures as a symbol of completeness; and so it may here signify all the churches of this world—excluding the true Church, which is not of this world, and which does not follow its course.

We have come to the time when all the various sects and denominations feel the reproach of their situation, brought about by the confusion of doctrines amongst the different branches of Christianity. The heathen are inquiring how it comes that there are so many kinds of Christians and that they all get their various theories out of the same Book. This is a reproach that is keenly felt by the leading minds of all denominations.

The one Man of the text very properly represents our Lord, the Heavenly Bridegroom. The text signifies that all the nominal churches have come to the place where they desire to be called merely the churches of Christ, but wish nothing more to do with Him. They desire to hold their sectarian names, but they wish also to be called Christians—their chief asset. For the doctrines of Christ they care nothing; and for any thought of redemption and covering of sins through the merit of His blood they care nothing. They desire merely His name.

Not So With the True Church.

The more these women desire to eat their own bread and to wear apparel of their own furnishing, the more will the true ones of the Lord's people amongst them find that they have neither lot nor part there. The true Church does not wish to eat her own bread; she desires the Bread from Heaven. She does not prefer her own theories, her own plans of salvation, but that which God has provided—things new and old from the Storehouse of Divine Truth. Neither does she desire to wear her own apparel; for she has come to understand that all her righteousness is as filthy rags. More and more is the true Church learning to appreciate the robe given her by the Heavenly Bridegroom—the wedding garment. More and more does she trust in the merit of her Redeemer, the covering of whose justification was symbolized by the skins of the sacrifice given to Adam and Eve as the covering of their nakedness.

COMMANDER PIERCE



Photo by American Press Association

Sir R. H. Pierce, commander of the British fleet of warships which attacked the Turkish port of Smyrna.

BRIEF WAR NEWS

So far as actual fighting is concerned, the official reports contain little news from the western theatre of war. The big effort in the west, which has been so long awaited, seems to be still far off, and the operations are confined to an occasional attack and counter-attack, while the armies on both sides are kept busy watching the opposing force and dropping bombs where they might be expected to do the most damage.

The Russians now are reported to be on the offensive along the whole of their front, from the Baltic sea to the Roumanian border and in the Caucasus.

The Germans are pouring reinforcements into Hungary to support the Austrian armies, which are being hard pressed by the Russians in the passes of the Carpathian mountains.

The battle in the Carpathians continues by night and day. The Russians are making desperate efforts to force Uzsook and Lupuk passes, and on the success of these operations their army which is on the Hungarian side of Dukla, is waiting before continuing its advance.

As the days pass, the operations in the Dardanelles appear likely to be more and more protracted; even the London papers are inclined to admit that the Turkish positions perhaps have not yet been seriously damaged. German submarines continue their activities, and a number of ships have been reported sunk during the past week.

Right of Embargo is Not Admitted.

Washington.—The United States government made public its note to Great Britain announcing that it could not "admit" either the right of the allies or their assertions for justification in placing an embargo on all commercial intercourse between Germany and neutral countries.

The note reviews at length the legal phases of a blockade of belligerent territory and virtual blockade of neutral coasts.

Kitchener Bans Liquor From Home.

London.—War Secretary Kitchener is among the first of the prominent men in England to respond to the suggestion of abstention from the use of alcohol contained in the letter sent by King George to Chancellor of the Exchequer Lloyd-George. The war secretary issued instructions that no alcoholic beverages be served in his household for the duration of the war.

Plot to Aid British Warships Charged.

New York.—Dudley Field Malone, collector of port, charged that British cruisers patrolling the waters along the coast of the United States had been violating the neutrality law by coaling and taking on supplies from vessels putting out from the port of New York.

Grants Pass Line to Ocean Assured.

Portland.—Completion of the California & Oregon Coast railroad from Grants Pass to Crescent City, Cal., at a cost approximating \$5,000,000, was assured when Twohy Bros., railroad contractors of Portland, arranged with the city officials of Grants Pass to finance the project and perform the work.

Receivership Asked for Shipping Trust

New York.—A petition for a receiver for the International Mercantile Marine company was filed here by the New York Trust company. It is alleged that the concern, known as the "shipping trust" had defaulted on \$2,300,000 interest on its bonds.

The International Mercantile was formed by the late J. Pierpont Morgan.

Deadlock on Western Battle Front

London.—Reports from Paris and Berlin indicate that the deadlock in France and Flanders continues with virtually no change.

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Directions.—Put sugar, rhubarb, water and ginger in a baking dish, cover closely and bake in a slow oven till the rhubarb is pink and tender. Add the lemon juice and rind and the gelatin and pour into a mold wet with cold water.

A big plant for the screening and washing of sand and gravel will be installed at Roseburg in the near future. Several thousand dollars will be invested in machinery and buildings and side-tracks connecting the works with the Southern Pacific railway will also be put in. Contracts have already been entered into for disposing of a large part of the output.

Toasted Cheese Sandwiches.

Slice cheese thin, butter entire wheat or white bread lightly, put the sliced cheese on half the pieces of bread, spread the other slices sparingly with French mustard, press together in pairs and toast very slowly to melt the cheese. They should be served at once.

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Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the County Court of Lane County, State of Oregon, duly made and entered of record the 19th day of March, A. D. 1915, in the matter of the estate of Olof Berggren, deceased, the undersigned, Axel N. Berggren, was duly appointed administrator of said estate. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present them duly verified as by law required to said administrator, at the law office of Alta King, Cottage Grove, Lane County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated the 26th day of March, A. D. 1915.
m31-apr28 AXEL N. BERGGREN,
Alta King, Attorney Administrator.

THIS newspaper belongs

to you, Mr. and Mrs. Subscriber, just as well as to the publisher. You want it to be a new one, of course. You can help make it so. Every reader should be a reporter, at least to the extent of reporting the news he knows concerning his own family and friends. You perhaps have much news for every issue. If every reader would give us the items he knows, we could make it twice as newsworthy as it now is. Merely paying for the paper and taking what we give you is not enough. Other readers would be interested in learning the news you know. You'll enjoy seeing it in print, yourself. If you do not acquaint us with the items you know of, you cannot find fault with the paper for not containing them. If you think for one minute, right now, several items will come to your mind. What if they are but "personals"? We want personals. We want anything that is news. Take a livelier interest in YOUR paper. You'll appreciate it more, as will all of your friends. Help make The Sentinel more and more a live wire newspaper.

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