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By ordinance to go to bed at 9 o'clock or attend church twice on Sunday. It's an awful wicked city for a Eugene councilman to be turned loose in, and the good man should be strictly chaperoned if they insist on making such a daredevil excursion into the "enemy's country."

Senator Bingham seems to have satisfactorily answered the question as to where he stands on the railroad issue. The bill approved by the Portland Chamber of Commerce for the regulation of common carriers has been taken by the senator in the upper house, and his critics should quietly subside into the back tier of seats while he does business with the corporations.

There should be no vacant buildings in a city like Eugene and there would be none if a more liberal policy were pursued by the governing power. With every line of industry prosperous, especially that of lumbering, there should be a building boom here instead of "to let" signs along the main business streets. Prohibition towns are nice places to live in—but enterprising business men and investors generally go somewhere else.

**Humor and Philosophy**  
 By DUNCAN M. SMITH  
 PERT PARAGRAPHS.  
 The only sign that many people are superstitious about is the dollar sign.  
 Don't be too good if you have any reason for the feelings of your press agent.  
 A covering disposition is more elevated than a covergeful one and then, too, it is clearer.  
 Don't be a general information bureau unless you draw a salary for it.  
 Keeping on the sunny side is a chill proposition on a cloudy day.  
 Expert knowledge is known by its high price and general unintelligibility.  
 Borrowing money doesn't look like borrowing trouble, but there's where you are fooled.  
 Most self-satisfied people don't ask for much on the face of it.  
 The devil is always willing to speak for himself.  
 Kindness never gave anybody insomnia.  
 A Handy Feeder.  
 To see a furnace standing round,  
 So innocent and free of care,  
 So quiet, modest and serene  
 And with an almost childlike air,  
 You never would believe it had  
 So powerful an appetite.  
 That it could munch along all day  
 And fairly eat up coal at night.  
 The gentleman who put it there  
 No doubt expressive things would say  
 Could he but see the way it worked.  
 To make the coal pile fade away.  
 When he was putting in the joints  
 And deftly fixing up the flue  
 He solemnly declared that it  
 Would only burn a ton or two.  
 No matter if the coal should last  
 Or if the wintery winds should roar,  
 The furnace, he declared, would not  
 Lift up its voice and call for more.  
 No; on the weather colder grow  
 It was his most alluring guest  
 That it would gladly make things warm  
 And bright by burning even less.  
 A theory is a cheerful thing.  
 But practice knocks it galley west  
 And makes it look like thirty cents  
 When put severely to the test.  
 And as you shovel in the coal  
 And forty times the fire renew  
 You pause between the strokes and watch  
 Your bank account go up the flue.  
 His Specialty.  
 "Does he go in for physical culture?"  
 "Yes, I believe so."  
 "What form does it take?"  
 "Raising highballs and dodging collectors."

**When They Met Again**  
 (Copyright, 1905, by R. H. Douglas.)  
 There were feasting and merrymaking after the marriage of George Williams and Sarah Lee. George was a bachelor on a freight train, and Sarah was the daughter of his landlady.  
 Sarah fell in love with the bachelorman, but they were married. He had saved enough money to go to Eugene, where he had a year's wages in a heavy couple. Then two things happened. George was promoted to a run on a passenger train, and the engineer of a freight was introduced to the wife and was at once interested. Other people soon began to see, not the husband's good, but was met with protests and tears and finally with hot words of anger. One day it became known that the wife and the engineer had disappeared together. Williams came home to find his cottage deserted. They expected to see him fly into a fury and hear him utter awful threats, but they were disappointed. It could easily be seen that the iron had entered his soul and that he was gnawing his heart, but he said very little, and even the mother of the missing wife was not taken into his confidence. One day three months after the event he quietly dropped out of sight, and to this day there are plenty of men in the railroad yards at K, who have heard nothing further from him.  
 When the deserted husband set out on his quest he might have turned to any point of the compass. No one knew which way the wife had gone. A sort of intuition took him to Chicago and kept him there. Under another name he found employment of a different sort, and in his spare hours he walked the streets. At the end of two years he met his faithless wife. They came face to face on the street, and before they had looked into each other's eyes he knew that the man had abandoned her and that she had become a social outcast. When she recognized him she would have run away, but he quietly said:  
 "Sadia, you need have no fear of me. All I want is to ask you a few questions."  
 "George, are you going to kill me?"  
 "I haven't the slightest idea of it."  
 "But you won't forgive me and take me back."  
 "Never."  
 "Then what is it?"  
 "Only the name of the place where I can find the man."  
 "But I don't know. After a year he cast me off."  
 "Then good day to you."  
 Williams did not go back to his work, but traveled here and there for a week. One day he located his enemy in a town a hundred miles away. It was in the far west. The engineer had become a station agent and was married. It was 9 o'clock in the morning, and he sat at his desk when a stranger walked in and sat down opposite.  
 "Well?" queried the agent.  
 "Do you want a chance for your life, or shall I shoot you like a dog?"  
 It was the man he had wronged. He looked into a face in which there was no mercy. There was not one soft line in it. The face didn't look murder, but it looked determination to kill. The agent read it and knew that the crisis was at hand.  
 "If you shoot you'll be lynched," he finally said.  
 "Have you got a gun?"  
 "Yes."  
 "Then get it. I will not open fire until you are ready. One of us will be hell within the next five minutes."  
 The agent was no coward. His revolver was in the drawer beside him, and as he moved his hand in that direction he hoped to get the first shot.  
 He would have had it but for his haste. He snatched the weapon and cocked it at the same time, but the cuff of his sleeve caught, and the weapon was discharged. The next instant he fell backward with a bullet in his brain, and three or four of the yardmen came running. The killer was of the railroad. The girl he had married was the railroad man's wife. It was the railroad men and women who knew of his shame. The thought drove him mad. He turned his gun on the men who came running and killed two and wounded a third. Then he walked to the door and saw a switchman across the tracks. A bullet stretched the man dead. A freight train stood on the siding. The engineer was smoking in the cab, and the fireman was down on the ground wiping the machinery. Each received a bullet and fell dead.  
 The railroad had brought about the marriage, and the railroad had brought about the disgrace. The railroad should pay the bill. Williams saw that one of the freight cars was loaded with hay. He touched a match to the compartment, and a great fire shot up. Things he wanted back to his depot and shed it. Men came running, but he passed them all. They were dead at the end of the line. Then he drove him away from the building and the great crowd charged in a body and bore him down. He was hustled to a tree, a rope produced, and then a dozen hands pulled him up and about and into the arms of the crowd. Yes, he was hanged by the neck until dead, but what of it? He had killed seven men, caused a financial loss of \$50,000 and had been done with life months before. It was only the semblance of a man they had lynched.  
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**OREGON STATE NEWS.**  
 Isaac N. Sargent, an Eastern Oregon pioneer, died at The Dalles.  
 M. V. Weatherford, of Wasco, won the agricultural college oratory contest.  
 H. W. Dickey, an Oregon pioneer, died at Portland.  
 The Libby mine has raised the wages of its miners 25 cents on the ton.  
 It is said that some of the miners in the north end of Baker county in what is known as the Panhandle, will try to have a new county formed in that section.  
 There is no church in Curry county.  
 Congressman Williamson has been in congress for almost two years and has never taken his seat in the house.  
 Hillsboro will have a \$35,000 hotel.  
 Mrs. J. R. Bucknum was married at Harrisburg Saturday after waiting eight years to find her first husband, who disappeared while on a hunting trip. It is believed that he is dead and the insurance companies paid up the policies on his life.

**Our New Pavement**  
 They took a little gravel  
 And they took a little tar,  
 With various ingredients  
 Imported from afar.  
 They hammered it and rolled it,  
 And when they went away  
 They said they had a pavement  
 That would last for many a day  
 But they came with picks and smote it  
 To lay a water main;  
 And then they called the workmen  
 To put it back again.  
 To run a railway cable  
 They took it up some more;  
 And then they put it back again  
 Just where it was before.  
 They took it up for conduits  
 To run a telephone,  
 And then they put it back again  
 As hard as any stone.  
 They took it up for wires  
 To feed the electric light,  
 And then they put it back again  
 Which was no more than right.  
 Then came along the gas man,  
 Who thought the time was ripe  
 Again to dig the pavement up  
 And lay a larger pipe.  
 They of course replaced it nicely,  
 Then raised it for the sewer,  
 And when they got it back again  
 The ridges were no fewer.  
 Now the pavement's full of furrows;  
 There are patches everywhere;  
 You'd like to ride upon it  
 But it's seldom that you dare.  
 It's a very handsome pavement,  
 A credit to the town;  
 There always diggin' of it up  
 Or puttin' of it down.  
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**GENERAL NEWS NOTES**  
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 Representatives of the trainmen and railway managers conferred yesterday at Chicago upon employees' demands for increased wages and shortened hours.  
 The coroner's jury at London has returned a verdict of "watal murder" against George Farmer, who killed William Whaley last Thursday.  
 The legislature of Wyoming will appropriate \$300 to build a monument over the grave of Sacajewea, the bird woman.  
 How to Cure Chills, writes John Kemp, East Otisfield, Me., "I apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Have also used it for salt rheum with excellent results." Guaranteed to cure fever sores, indolent ulcers, piles, burns, wounds, frost bites and skin diseases. 25c at W. L. DeLano's drug store.



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