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THE GREAT MEN

Lives of great men all remind us that it pays to advertise: every day of life should find us making all the people wise, to our coming and our going—nothing comes to him who's coy; all our wares we would be showing, if the limelight we'd enjoy. Let us seek the bland reporters if they do not hunt for us; seek them in dismal quarters. In their inky, pasty muzz; giving them our warm opinions of all things beneath the sky; over all the earth's dominions let imagination fly. Famous men? The crowds adore them. Lions thrive in every land! Let us keep our names before them and they'll cheer to beat the band! Let our pictures oft be printed lest the people should forget, even though the section tinted is the only place we get. Better have our faces beaming on the pink or yellow page than to have the people dreaming that we are no more the rage. Advertisers!—Let the grocer pay for space to bill his name; shall we do it? Not for Joe, sir! That is not the great man's game. We are onto smoother capers than the merchants often see; we have learned to work the papers, and to get our booming free.

WALT MASON.

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The city of Detroit is trying a novel plan for deriving revenue from its streets by renting them to the street railway company. The franchises expire this week, and the city legislators have taken advantage of this to assert the absolute proprietorship of the city in the streets and its natural landlord right to charge a rental therefor. The resolution takes advantage of the provision of a new constitution which denies the railways the power to operate without a franchise from the city. The rental value is fixed at \$300 a day. The new scheme does not involve municipal ownership and neither does it assert or lean toward any city ownership of the street car plant, but only of the streets in which the rails are placed. In short, it is nothing more nor less than a form of ground rent.

The report of the United States delegates to the International Congress on Alcoholism, held in London last July, now made public by the state department, is to the effect that "alcohol is a foe to man's welfare." The report will be received with gloom, horror and sadness in many quarters—regrets at thought of all the beers that could have been bought with the money used in sending delegates to London to find out something that everybody here already knew.

An advance of 10 per cent in the price of furniture, to take effect at the opening of the spring season in January, is in prospect, according to the members of the National Furniture Manufacturers' Association. The association is holding its annual convention in Chicago, and all the leading furniture makers from Grand Rapids and other centres are represented.

This is the real football day of the season, both East and West. Yale and Harvard meet in their annual struggle, and here in the Northwest Oregon and Idaho will battle in Portland and Washington and O. A. C. at Corvallis. This evening's Guard will tell its readers how these great gridiron contests resulted.

Alfred I. Dupont, practically head of the Dupont powder trust, has brought suit for heavy damages against a relative, Mrs. Elizabeth B. Dupont, for alleged "vulgar and untrue" statements made about his—Alfred's—wife. Evidently all the explosions in this famed family don't occur in powder magazines.

A Chicago man just returned from Africa brings the word that Mr. Roosevelt is much distressed at the reports reaching this country of his "indiscriminate slaughter" of animals when in fact he is slaying only necessary specimens. The setting right of this point will probably afford considerable consolation for the specimens.

Now somebody is wanting John D. Rockefeller to take up the fight against pelagra, the mysterious ailment that is arousing so much discussion and put his money in it. If Chicago University doesn't look out, it's going to get only a "hard times handout" from Uncle Jawndee next time.

Another example of the too handy gun. Fred Dawson, at Ardmore, Okla., mistook his wife for a burglar and shot her dead. Shooting first and investigating afterward has caused more sorrow than all the burglars the world has ever known could have created.

Up at Ottawa, Ontario, a ten-year-old boy has been sentenced to six years' imprisonment for horse-stealing? When eight years old he was convicted of train-wrecking. "Give the little boys a chance"—and they'll generally do their "durnedest."

Of course Eugene should have a city hall—a creditable building, costing not less than \$75,000. And the special election to approve the bond issue should be held in the near future, so that work may be commenced on the structure in early spring.

Many people of the South are criticising the Rockefeller hookworm fund. But why worry about the object? Let the millions get in circulation.

Conflicting reports are coming from Nicaragua as to which

side is ahead in the revolution there. However, both sides appear as enthusiastic as a gang of Democrats and Republicans before election—each gang claiming everything in sight.

Tests of the new battleship North Dakota prove that it is the most powerful Dreadnaught in the world, exceeding the speed limit contracted for. Too bad she cannot be floated up into the Dakotas for an occasional jack-rabbit shoot.

No sooner will we get President Taft's strenuous tour off our hands than congress will be bobbing up to claim all the newspaper space. Life is just one little dill pickle after another.

George J. Gould in an interview gives out a very good set of rules for a young man to achieve success. However, it's not likely the same set of rules he handed Boni de Castellane.

If the report is true that Colonel John Jacob Astor has settled ten million dollars on his now divorced wife, then he is being relieved in more ways than one.

THINGS WE THINK AND WHAT OTHERS THINK
By Elbert Bede

First to thine own wife be true.
Too many Cooks spoil the North Pole.
The poor are always with us, and your rich relatives seem to hang on a long time.
Politics is a disease, says a learned doctor. The only cure is to make the patient a veriform appendix to some job.
Newspapers will soon be made out of cornstalks. In some cases this will be an awful waste of good cow feed.
Very few married men play football. They don't want to take the chances of letting their hair grow the required length.
We momentarily expect to hear that Harriman has secured a controlling interest of the road that is paved with good intentions.
Those who wish to be strictly up-to-the-minute language no longer say a person "went up in the air." He or she "aviated" is the correct form.
While part of the world is longing for luxuries it could enjoy, many of those who have them would be willing to give them back to be able to enjoy them.
It isn't the not having things that bothers us so much as the seeing others have them who do not appear any more worthy of them than we ourselves.
A Cleveland dyspeptic, who has fasted for fifty days, says he has not been bothered with indigestion during that period—and believes he has effected a cure.
Some one has truthfully said that nothing but a mint can make money without advertising. It might be added that the mint couldn't do it if it didn't put its competitors in jail.
The ideal husband and wife have not been born yet.
Being "one of the boys" is one way of getting old.
We are all made of mud, but it sticks to some longer than others.
Northfield News: Any kind of religion is good enough, if it is only put into use.
An exchange speaks of the electoral college as the "electrical" college. Shocking.
Dr. Cook, of North Pole fame, is said to be a Democrat. No wonder Republican papers are tardy in giving him credit for having attained the highest position in the world.
A large comet that has not made its appearance since the days of Christ will be visible in the heavens this winter. Those who saw it before say it is well worth watching for.

First Half.
She—How could you tell papa that you were up every morning in time to see the sun rise, when you don't get up till nine?
He—That's all right. The sun rises till noon, doesn't it?
Uncle George, we are studying synonyms in school, and I want to know the difference between "cute" and "sneaky."
"According to your mother, it is the difference between what you do and what Mrs. Jones' little boy does."
"Hey, there!" yelled the conductor. "Why are you taking that axe and saw out of the case?" "I want to open a window," replied the passenger.
"I want some cigars for my husband, please."
"Yes, madame, what kind?"
"I don't quite know; but he's a small man and always dresses in black."
"Is that rich young fellow's life all froth?"
"Looks like it. He has just bought another new bybble."

Plumber—Have you got all we want for Brown's job?
Boy—Yes.
Plumber—Wot? You 'aven't forgot nothin'? Well, that's a good 'un! Haven't forgot nothin', and you learnin' to be a plumber!
It isn't so difficult to strengthen a weak stomach if one goes at it correctly. And this is true of the heart and kidneys. The old fashioned way of dosing the stomach or stimulating the heart or kidneys, is surely wrong. Dr. Shoop first pointed out this error "Go to the weak or ailing nerves of these organs," said he. Each inside organ has its controlling "inside nerve." When these nerves fall then those organs must surely falter. This vital truth is leading druggists everywhere to dispense and recommend Dr. Shoop's restorative. A few days' test will surely tell! Sold by all druggists.

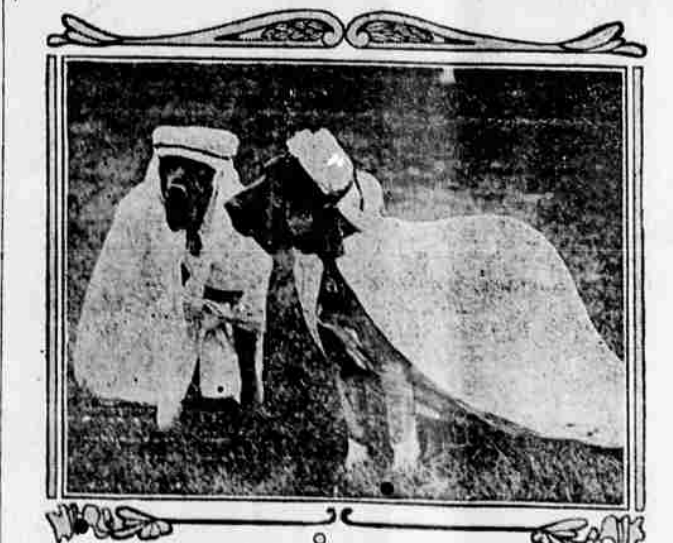
C. I. Hansen of the Smithfield neighborhood, attended Masonic lodge at Harrisburg Saturday evening and reports an unusually interesting meeting. Dr. Mendelhall of Coburg, was made a Master Mason. Harrisburg is his old home and the members did him up proper. After the ceremony the ladies of the Eastern Star made their appearance in full masquerade and had the members guessing for some time. Later refreshments were served. —Junction Times.

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Great Northern engineers have begun work in the Lake Chelan district for the development of 80,000 horsepower of electrical energy to be used in operating the western division of the railroad. Title to the power sites was secured several years ago. The Great Northern is now running its trains through the Cascade tunnel by electric power, but the Leavenworth station, which supplies the country, develops only 12,000 horsepower.

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BLOODHOUNDS USED BY MOORS IN WAR WITH SPAIN. During the early stages of the Spanish war in Morocco Major Richard... the bloodhound expert, was in the camp of the Riffs with several of his dogs. The Moors, seeing how well trained the dogs were, evolved the idea of using them to develop the position of the Spaniards. Several of the animals were dressed in white turbans and gowns and sent out from a position occupied by the Riffs. Mistaking the dogs for Moorish troops, the Spaniards opened fire, and their position was disclosed, giving the Riffs a good chance to fire upon the Spanish flank.

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Real Estate Transfers

Daily transfers reported by the Eugene Abstract Co., Fred G. Stickles, Sec.
Z. T. Kintzley to F. Smith, lot 14, replat lots 17, 18, 19, Clark & Washburne's add to Springfield, \$1,000.
Melvin Hansen to Mathias Momb, lots 12, 13, 14, Hansen Riverview Acreage: \$10.00.
Nelson Signor to T. H. Downs, acres 28 and 33, H. L. and T. B. Stewarts plat of acreage: \$650.00.
Harry Cramer to ux to Frank Gillingpatrick et ux, 480 acres, sec. 27, 19, 11 w; \$4000.00.
Melvin Hansen to J. M. Talley et ux, part lot 6, block 19, Skippers add to Eugene: \$10.00.
Louis E. Bean et ux to W. T. Campbell, 3 acres, sec. 16, 5 e, and lot 2, sec. 17; \$2560.00.
Mabel Hinkson and husband to Edna Patterson, 160 acres, sec. 10 and 11, tp. 19, 8 w; \$100.00.
Mary Stevens to Elmer James et ux, lot 1, block 13, Fairmount; \$10.
U. S. to Frank Drew, 120 acres, sec. 27, tp. 17, 12 w; Pat.
U. S. to Minnie Holcomb, 40 acres, sec. 34, tp. 29, 6 w; Pat.
PERS
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Not Yet Settled BUT Some small Pictures, Frames, Books, Etc., that are good but slightly shopworn are in the way. Early customers will find some choice bargains at half price and less

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