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ADVICE TO A DAMSEL

When a damsel has a steady who's a pretty decent man, and who shows a disposition to perform the best he can; who is shy of sinful habits, and whose bosom holds no guile, and who labors in the vineyard with a gay and cheerful smile, then she shouldn't make him promise that he'll do a seraph stunt, when they've stood up at the altar, with the preacher man in front. And she shouldn't spring a lecture when he comes around to court, for a man is only human, and his wings are pretty short. When a maiden has a lover, who is surely making good, then she shouldn't make him promise that he'll be an angel boy when the wedding ceremony ushers in a life of joy; she should murmur: "He's a daisy, and we'll take things as they come, for a man is only human, and his halo's on the bum."

WALT MASON.

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YEAR GREAT IN PHILANTHROPY

Among the notable achievements to be chronicled for 1909 is the immense amount of money given for charity. The Chicago Record-Herald says:

"A New York contemporary, having consulted authoritative sources of information, states that the gifts of wealthy Americans for educational and humane work during the year now ended will exceed the extraordinary total of \$142,000,000. This figure is record-breaking, the previous high-water mark being upward of \$100,000,000 for 1908. Subscriptions to charitable institutions of the regular kind are not included in this total for 1909."

Of that amount one man whose name probably few remember contributed more than \$50,000,000. But when this is deducted the immense total of \$90,000,000 remains. All this amount is occasional and extraordinary giving. The regular contributions to charity, education and humane work are vastly greater.

Again it must be remembered that state aid is not considered. The pension list of the federal government alone is \$150,000,000. The expenditures for schools by the states will reach \$200,000,000, and then the institutional and out-door relief can certainly total no less.

This country spends truly an extraordinary amount in pure altruism. Nevertheless, the needs for money in this work do not seem to decrease. The poor we still have with us, and ignorance is still appalling. The great benefactions of 1909 still leave worlds to be conquered by the philanthropists of succeeding years.

The American Telephone & Telegraph Company (the Bell trust concern) officially announces dividends of \$150,000,000 for 1909. Yet when towns like Eugene ask for improved service, or talk of securing relief through an independent company, the representatives of this same trust come to the front with stories of small profits and general hard luck which are calculated to wring tears from the most unsympathetic. Such an incident occurred at a Commercial Club meeting in Eugene last year, when there was serious talk of encouraging the Home Telephone Company to enter this field. As a matter of fact, almost every local exchange is sending hundreds of dollars monthly to the general headquarters, and there is no reason why Eugene should be any exception to the rule. The business is built up on the principle of high rates for service and a parsimonious policy regarding pay of employees, betterments and general expenses. Local managers can't help themselves, because they work under orders from the higher-ups.

England has a sensation, created by the death of Earl Percy, member of the British parliament and high in official circles, which occurred at an obscure place in Paris. It was attributed to pneumonia, or something of that sort, but the generally accepted story is that it was caused by a bullet wound received in a duel with another Englishman just outside of Paris. It is said the Englishman received Percy into his home as a friend; Percy proved treacherous, and the challenge and duel followed. That sounds like "old times." Are the English-speaking people going back to the old duel code of three-quarters of a century ago?

The unusual severity of the weather has brought suffering to some localities that we do not experience in Oregon. In the inter-mountain states, for instance, the fuel famine is acute because of the inability of the railroads to deliver coal rapidly enough to meet the urgent demand. At Boise, Idaho, the temperature has dropped below zero, there is a heavy fall of snow on the ground, and hundreds of people, rich and poor alike, are besieging the coal dealers' places of business, begging even for a sack of coal, which the dealers cannot supply. Stock is suffering on the ranges, and thousands of sheep are already daed.

Now comes word from Washington that an Anti-Trust League is being organized, the members pledging themselves to boycott any trust or concern that forces the prices of necessities above reasonable amounts. Gee! It's a cinch all the members are doomed to starve to death—for we don't know of anything eatable they can get their hands on that doesn't directly come under that category.

Treasury receipts are said to show that beer sales are in-

creasing, following the slump of last year. Evidently some of the "boys" are learning the ropes in various parts of the country.

Philadelphia reported below zero weather. But it will probably be up to a hundred in the shade before these slow movers begin to realize how chilly they are.

The Moroccans have resumed war on the Spanish forces. Some of the Spaniards there are getting in pretty good practice for professional foot-racing.

The federal probe is being inserted in the Chicago milk trust. Here's hoping it doesn't stir off the cream.

The Big Four telegraphers are not to strike. Probably they found the iron wasn't hot this cold weather.

Even Alabama is kicking about cold weather. Why don't they prohibit it?

A good old-fashioned warm Oregon rain would suit almost everybody about this time.

FOURTEEN PERSONS AT COUNTY POOR FARM AT THURSTON

Superintendent Russell Makes
Out Her Annual Re-
port

Mrs. M. E. Russell, superintendent of the Lane County poor farm at Thurston, hands in her yearly report for 1909 as follows:
Number of patients received during the year, 28.
Number of deaths, 4.
Number of discharged, 6.
Number in home at present, 14.
The patients are: Jackson Brown, total paralysis; S. Stattler, paralysis; James Sheppard, rheumatism; James Stoner, heart failure; J. K. Crabb, injury to hip; E. D. Johnson, blindness and old age; W. M. Tackiner, asthma; Pearl Freese, dementia; Grace Beckwith, orphan; Clara Beckwith, spinal disease; Sarah Snow, injury to hip; Miria Dickerson, cretinism; Andy Green, rheumatism; James Henry, erysipelas; Mack Roberts, rheumatism; Mrs. G. W. Thomson, heart failure; G. W. Thomson, crippled arm and hand; Allen Wallace, paralysis; Thomas Kain, Bright's disease; George Aurtherton, rheumatism; George Thomson, dementia; Jap Eddy, total paralysis; H. D. Buffum, total paralysis.

DIED

At the Eugene hospital Jan. 6, 1910, John Stolberg, aged 81 years. The funeral will be held tomorrow with burial at Marcola where the deceased resided.

At Cottage Grove, January 5, 1910, Maude, the ten-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rouse, of whooping cough. The mother of the child is a sister of Mrs. Eugene Matlock and Miss Abigail Johnson, of Eugene.

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to endure the itching, painful distress of piles. There's no need to. Listen: "I suffered much from piles," writes Will A. Marsh, of Silver City, N. C. "Till I got a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon cured." Burns, boils, ulcers, fever sores, eczema, cuts, chapped hands, chilblains, vanish before it. 25c at W. A. Kuykendall's.

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MANY "VARMINTS" KILLED SINCE BOUNTY LAW WENT INTO EFFECT

County Clerk Lee Issues Bounty
on Ninety-Seven Animals
Since Early Summer

Lane county hunters have been busy since the bounty law went into effect in the early summer. Bounties on 97 "varmints" having been paid up to the first of the new year on that many scalps and pelts brought in.
Wildcats lead with 65, then comes cougars with 29, coyotes with 6, bobcats with 3 and gray wolves with 2.
Before the bounty law was passed the "varmints" had been very troublesome to owners of sheep and other small stock, often making raids on the flocks and killing a great many. Deer have also suffered from attacks by cougars and the statement is made by the mountaineers who are in a position to know whereof they speak, that more are killed by the cougars than by the hunters. The bounty law is good for sportsmen and farmers alike.

The Why and Wherefore.

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SEWING WANTED.

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Billy Wheeler, the popular gardener, won't work for his board any more unless he can have Folger's Golden Gate coffee served him.

Mark Hurlburt, of Albany, owner of a 500-acre farm in an county, and breeder of Clydesdale horses and Jersey cattle, was today appointed a member of the state board of agriculture, to succeed the late M. D. Windom.

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Frank Elson et ux to J. C. Cluck-

ey, nw 1/4, sec 24, tp 21, 3 w; \$650.00.

John C. Beck et al to H. J. Humphrey, lots 9 and 10, block 58, Chicago add to Florence; \$5.00.

W. A. Cox et ux to A. J. Humphrey and John Beck, lots 7 and 8, block 58, Chicago add to Florence.

B. A. Washburne et al to George H. Krutz, lots 9 and 10, block 104, Washburne's subdivision of Springfield Power & Inv. Co; \$200.00.

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