

# THE PLAIN TRUTH

## What More Can Forest Grove People Ask?

When well-known residents and highly respected people of Forest Grove make such statements as the following, it must carry conviction to every reader:

Mrs. L. M. Stream, living at 210 B. St., Forest Grove, Ore., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills cured me of a disordered condition of my kidneys and pain through my back. I felt tired and worn out most of the time and could scarcely stoop or bend and at such times sharp pains would dart through my loins and cause intense suffering. The kidney action was so annoying at times as these organs failed to perform their functions properly. I am now entirely free from kidney trouble, my back is strong and I feel better in every way since taking this remedy and can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills very highly to anyone suffering from the same disease."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

### AT THE CHURCHES

#### M. E. Church

Regular preaching services at the Methodist church every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and at 8:00 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Epworth League 7:00 p. m.; Mid-week service, Thursday, 8:00 p. m.

REV. H. GOULD, Pastor.

#### German Lutheran Church

The German Lutherans hold services on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month at 2:30 p. m.

H. C. EBELING, Pastor.

#### Christian Church.

##### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES.

Bible School, Sunday, 10:00 a. m.  
Communion and preaching, 11:00 a. m.  
Junior Mission Band, 2:00 p. m.  
Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting on Thursday night.

REV. S. S. AS, Pastor.

#### Congregational Church

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Morning Preaching Service at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Young People's Meeting held at 6:30 p. m. Mid-week service on Thursdays at 7:30 p. m.

REV. H. W. BOYD, Pastor.

#### Free Methodist

There will be preaching services in the Free Methodist Church every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

REV. H. K. BOWMAN, Pastor.

#### Christian Science.

Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. at the Christian Science Hall, 115 South Fifth Street.

### THINKING ALOUD.

#### A Ruse Which Roused Lord Dudley and Formed a Friendship.

One of the earls of Dudley, who was addicted to the practice of thinking aloud, found himself in a very awkward predicament on a certain occasion. He was to spend the evening at the house of a friend and ordered his carriage early, as he had a long drive back to his own home.

When the hour arrived the carriage was not forthcoming. Seeing that Lord Dudley was considerably annoyed by the delay, one of the guests, whose way homeward lay past his lordship's house, politely offered him a seat in his carriage. The gentleman was almost a stranger to Lord Dudley, but the offer was accepted.

The drive did not prove a very sociable one. Lord Dudley took his seat and immediately relapsed into silence, his thoughts apparently engrossed by some unpleasant subject. Presently he began to speak in a low but distinctly audible tone of voice, and his companion, to his astonishment, heard him say:

"I'm very sorry I accepted his offer. I don't know the man. It was civil certainly, but the worst I suppose I must ask him to do."

Silence followed this bit of audible thinking. His lordship was unaware that he had betrayed his thoughts and was probably still meditating upon the same unpleasant subject when the voice of his companion broke the stillness.

Apparently this stranger was afflicted with the same malady from which his lordship suffered, for he exactly imitated Lord Dudley's tone as he said:

"Perhaps he'll think I did it to make his acquaintance. Why, I would have done the same to any farmer on his estate. I hope he won't ask me to dinner, for I shan't accept his invitation."

Lord Dudley's abstraction was all gone. He listened to the other's words, immediately comprehending the joke against himself, and frankly offered his hand to his companion, making many apologies for his involuntary rudeness.

The stranger proved magnanimous, and from that night the two became fast friends.

### GERMAN GLEANINGS.

Germany has enacted a law prohibiting the throwing of mud at animals. Raphael's portrait of the brother of Pope Leo X., dated 1514, has been sold for \$100,000, a record price in the Berlin art world.

During the summer and fall of this year upward of sixty more or less important congresses will be held at Mannheim, Germany.

Germany's secretary of the interior notes a new cause of the movement from the land to the city. He says that, while universal military service is a great agency of national education, it implants tastes which cause young men to be hopelessly alienated from rural pursuits, and hence agriculture suffers.

# LIVING ON A WARSHIP

## The Fare That Uncle Sam Serves to His Bluejackets.

COSTS THIRTY CENTS A DAY.

The Food Is Good, Plenty and Varied and Better Than Many Civilians Get. The Officers' Meals and the Different Messes—The Paymaster's Work.

How many housewives would like to have to enter for a family for 30 cents a head a day? That's exactly the sum it costs Uncle Sam, and he has something like 30,000 bluejackets to feed at his man-of-war table.

Even on ordinary days a sailor sits down to a fare no civilian need sniff at, says the Home Magazine. Eggs, boiled potatoes, bread and butter and coffee form his breakfast one morning. Perhaps the next he has sausages and corn bread.

Roast veal with gravy, boiled potatoes, succotash, bread and butter, gingerbread and coffee is an ordinary dinner menu, while fried pork chops, bread and butter, apple sauce and tea is the bill of fare submitted by the steward to the paymaster for the same day's evening meal.

That the fare agrees with him is attested by his hospital record. Seldom more than five to ten men are sick at a time from the ship's crew of 850. Not all the seamen are brought up near the sea. Many of them are inland boys who run away from home for the life on the brine. The books of the Virginia, for instance, bear this out with a record that of the 850 sailors 600 have enlisted from states as far inland as Idaho and Wisconsin.

Every minute of the day aboard ship is lived according to rule. At 5:30 o'clock in the morning the sailor is aroused by the call of three bells. Thirty minutes is allowed him for lashing his hammock, etc. After that he is allowed to take it down only by special permission. There is no sneaking it off for seductive little naps in the day.

His breakfast is served at 6:30 o'clock, five bells. Twelve seamen mess at one table, one of their own number receiving an extra stipend of \$5 monthly from Uncle Sam for waiting on his comrades.

This assignment is now generally made in rotation. Jack tars have been known to come to blows in their zeal to secure it. Then, again, when stationed in warmer climes it was not easy to find men willing to officiate.

Uncle Sam sets seven tables, in accordance with his rules of class distinction, which are as fixed and unswerving as the laws of the Medes and Persians. There is, first, admiral's mess, at which the head officer is served in solitary state; second, captain's mess, at which the presiding officer enjoys the same lonely distinction; third, wardroom officers' or jollification mess, so called for the good times enjoyed by the tableful of commissioned officers below rank of captain; fourth, junior officers' mess, consisting of midshipmen, the young graduates of Annapolis, who, having been educated at Uncle Sam's expense, are now getting their first maritime experience; fifth, the chief petty officers' mess, for those in rank below the midshipmen; sixth, the warrant officers' mess, who, by pull, special ability or act of prowess, have raised themselves from the enlisted ranks; seventh and last, but not least, the general or mess table where the lusty appetites of the rank and file are assuaged.

Uncle Sam's officers want the fat of the land and supply it from their own purses. By special clubbing arrangements among themselves an officers' mess is provided at a cost to each officer of \$30 a month. Even a colored chef is retained. His souffles and his salads are true works of art. The key of the wine chest he guards with jealous care. But all this is a matter of reckoning between him and the officers. Uncle Sam enters not at all.

Uncle Sam's head housekeeper, the paymaster, indeed, has quite enough on his mind trying to keep nearly a thousand lusty men satisfied with their grub and at the same time keep his bills down to the satisfaction of the navy department auditor at Washington. It is no light undertaking.

The paymaster in truth must be a man of rare parts and is rightly esteemed one of the ablest and most honored officers in the service. Take the qualities needed to make a successful hotel man, add to them those to make the popular leader, throw in intense pride and loyalty to the service, seasoned with untiring zeal for the interests of his men, and you get the kind of mixture Uncle Sam has to find before he appoints his paymaster.

When he is loading up for an eight weeks' cruise no wonder his brow is knotted. Making out the next meal's order while in port is one thing—simply a confab with his steward as to whether it shall be 500 pounds of fish or 250 pounds of pork and a barrel and a half of beans.

By the ship's regulations every man is allowed a daily stipend of one and three-quarter pounds of fresh meat. For the long voyage, however, it's a different matter. The stipend must be reduced and more salt meat consumed. The ship's cold storage capacity is 10,000 pounds.

Here is where the paymaster's real opportunity of generalship enters. Everything his men will need for the next sixty days must be planned to meet that capacity. And meantime there is ice to be manufactured with-

out the will he supposed himself to be possessed of only a few thousand dollars, but since his father had died the day before he had inherited the Conant fortune. The letter had come through the mails with no great delay. The loss of the ship in which Eugene sailed was reported by cablegram from Aden two days after the disaster occurred.

Upon the receipt of this news Miss Evans returned to her home and wrote Sumner Conant a note informing him that, after all, she was the heiress to the Conant fortune and offered him half of the property. He wrote declining the offer. She then wrote offering herself and half the property. This offer was also declined. She waited a few days, then invited him to come and see her.

"Why did you go off to Cuba without—without saying anything to me?"

"I couldn't support a wife. Besides—"

"Besides what?"

"I didn't know how much I wanted you. And I didn't suppose you wanted me any way."

She partly turned to a table and toyed with a book.

"But I did," she said faintly.

A revelation burst upon the man's stupid brain. He went to her, and—there was another last turn in the wheel of fortune. They inherited the Conant property as one.

HARRIET B. LEM.



### The Wheel of Fortune.

[Original.]

Sumner and Eugene Conant were two very different characters. Sumner, the elder, contrary to his father's wish, would have nothing to do with business. When the Spanish-American war came on he enlisted, went to Cuba and came back in command of his company. Eugene was like the father, with an eye single to the accumulation of wealth. They were both bent on money making.

Prior to going to Cuba Sumner Conant had paid some attention to Gertrude Evans, a lovely girl with no fortune. But as Sumner was poor and his father had repeatedly told him that if he didn't mend his ways—which meant choosing a career indicated by the old man—he would cut him off in his will the boy let the matter with the girl go by default. In the excitement of war he forgot all about her and on his return found her engaged to his brother. Eugene meanwhile had gone to the orient on a business mission for his father. Sumner had not been at home a week before his father suddenly died of apoplexy, leaving all his property to Eugene. This left Sumner out in the cold and was a rare turn of fortune in Gertrude Evans' favor. But another sudden turn of fortune soon followed. The vessel on which Eugene was returning to America was lost at sea, and all on board perished. This gave the Conant property to Sumner as sole remaining heir at law, and Gertrude remained poor.

It occurred to Sumner that with a fine fortune he might have a very pleasant life visiting Europe, hunting big game in India and Africa and such other occupations that were attractive to him. But considering that his fortune had so narrowly missed going to his brother's fiancée he thought he should do something for her. After thinking the matter over he concluded to offer her half of the property. The offer he made by note. He was greatly astonished to receive by return mail a refusal to accept the gift.

Then after much reflection Sumner made up his mind to offer himself with the half he proposed to give, thinking that the gift being, as it were, legitimized, the girl might feel warranted in accepting it. Since such a proposition to one who was supposed to be mourning for his brother was a delicate one to put, he concluded to do as he had done in the first case—write it. He wrote ten letters before he produced one he was willing to send. The reply was, as before, a refusal. No reason was mentioned, but Sumner naturally inferred that her love for his lost brother was an obstacle.

But the more Sumner thought about the matter the more it puzzled him. Here was a girl without a cent in the world declining the half of a large fortune either with or without a husband. He thought he would write begging her to permit him to do something for her with a fortune that had so nearly been hers instead of his. But he concluded to stop writing letters and to go and see her. He did so and was received very graciously. He stammered some incoherent excuses about trespassing on her grief with his affairs, but she stopped him to tell him that his conduct had been very noble and that she had been deeply impressed by his unselfish action. He tried hard to introduce another offer, but found it impossible to frame one that he considered sufficiently delicate. When he left her, somehow he felt as if he had deprived her of what rightfully belonged to her and there was no pleasure for him in his inheritance. He fretted and brooded, seeing her occasionally to make some new proposition which was always declined, till at last he made the discovery that he was desperately in love with her. Then he went to her and told her that if she didn't marry him he would blow out his brains. Then she consented to take the matter under consideration.

Soon after the making of this proposition so well fitted to enter the lady's comprehension she received a note from a lawyer saying that if she would come and see him he would tell her something to her advantage. She called upon him, and he informed her that he had received by mail from Bombay a letter from Eugene Conant mailed the day before he sailed for home containing a will leaving all his property to her. At the time he signed

the will he supposed himself to be possessed of only a few thousand dollars, but since his father had died the day before he had inherited the Conant fortune. The letter had come through the mails with no great delay. The loss of the ship in which Eugene sailed was reported by cablegram from Aden two days after the disaster occurred.

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# FARMERS

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### Guardian's Sale of Real Estate.

Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of a license and order sale duly made and entered by the County Court of Washington county, Oregon, on October 22, 1907, licensing me to sell, at private sale, for cash in hand the hereinafter described real estate, belonging to William Ziegler, a spendthrift and incompetent person, I will, from and after Monday, December 2, 1907, proceed to sell, at private sale, for cash in hand, to the highest bidder, all the following described real estate, situated in Washington county, Oregon, to-wit:

The east half of the northeast quarter of section 10, T. 1 N. R. 4 W., Will. Mer. Also the following described tract of land: Beginning at a point on the west line 38 rods south of the northwest corner of the D. L. C. of John Lowmignont and wife, in T. 1 N. R. 4 W., Will. Mer., and running thence east 15 rods, thence south 31 rods, thence west 15 rods, thence north 31 rods to the place of beginning; Excepting from the above described lands the following, to-wit: Beginning at a point the northeast corner of the northeast quarter of section 10, T. 1 N. R. 4 W., Will. Mer., running thence south 8 rods, thence west 36 rods, thence north 8 rods, thence east to the place of beginning; Also a strip of land 25 feet 9 inches in width lying and being on the west side of the above described land, the same running from north to south lines thereof, and being 25 feet 9 inches wide, the land to be sold being 80 acres, more or less.

Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, this October 28, 1907.

H. G. KING, Guardian of the Person and Estate of William Ziegler, a Spendthrift and Incompetent Person.

W. N. Barrett, Atty. for Guardian. (First Pub. Oct. 31) 5-1

### PUBLIC SALES

#### Auction Sale.

As I am going out of the dairy business I will sell at public auction my farm, known as the Pat Richey place, on the Cedar Canyon road, 2 1/2 miles northwest of Graysville,

THURSDAY, NOV. 14

sale beginning at 10 o'clock sharp, the following described property; to-wit: Nine good milk cows, 6 giving milk, the rest fresh soon; 1 full blood Jersey, 1 poling, 1 half Holstein, the rest graded Jerseys; 1 yearling heifer, and other articles.

Terms of Sale:—All sums under \$10, cash; sums over \$10, one year's time with approved notes at 8 per cent interest. Free lunch at noon.

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It is estimated by the head of one of the large tobacco establishments of New York that at least \$5,000 worth of tobacco is daily thrown away in the city in unconsumed cigars and cigarettes.—New York Herald.

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### SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY

#### Forest Grove Time Table

NORTH BOUND.  
No. 7 departs 6:40 a. m., arrives at Portland 8:00 a. m.  
No. 3 " 8:47 a. m., " " " 10:20 a. m.  
No. 9 " 1:30 p. m., " " " 2:50 p. m.  
No. 1 " 4:10 p. m., " " " 5:30 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.  
No. 2 lv. Portland 7:00 a. m. lv. Forest Grove 8:34 a. m.  
No. 8 " 11:00 a. m., ar. " " 12:20 p. m.  
No. 4 " 4:10 p. m., lv. " " 5:40 p. m.  
No. 10 " 5:20 p. m., ar. " " 6:40 p. m.

E. C. SIMPSON, Agent.

W. E. COMAN, General Freight and Passenger Agent, Portland.

#### Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office, Portland, Oregon, July 30, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Mark Bailey Fann of Hillsboro, county of Washington, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement, No. 7514, for the purchase of the lot five and the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section No. six, in township No. 3 N range No. 3 W Willamette meridian and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or some other than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver at Portland, Oregon, on Saturday, the 9th day of November, 1907.

He names as witnesses E. W. Howell, of Mountaineer, Ore.; J. H. Howell, of Mountaineer, Ore.; Emil Seifert of Brooma, Ore.; D. D. Bump of Forest Grove, Ore.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 9th day of November, 1907.

ALGERNON S. DRESSER, Register.

(Date of first publication Aug. 29.)

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