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The PRESS force has been doubly worked this week to get out any kind of a newspaper whatsoever. Due to moving the plant last Friday and Saturday to our new office on Main street, and the great delay and confusion that has necessarily followed, we request that we be forgiven for any omissions, or transgressions that we may have been guilty of, assuring you that we did our best under the circumstances. We are now well established in our new home, which we cordially invite you to visit.

The advantages of civilization bring with them equal responsibilities. As the West is developing more and more what was once referred to as Eastern problems are coming to the care of the Westerner. Until recently there has been no need for the muzzling of dogs in the summer. But as the population is becoming more dense the danger is increasing due to many causes. Several cases of rabies in the Northwest have been reported during the past few weeks, causing much legislation to be enacted to prevent further cases.

The time has come when but a few of the real pioneers remain with us. The first generation of native born are calling themselves pioneers of the west, and such they are in many respects. But the adventurers, the early settlers, they are rapidly passing away. Too much respect to those who still remain cannot be shown. It was they that made possible the many wonderful advantages now enjoyed by all of us.

I. W. W's. (independable will o' the Wisp's) who call themselves Industrial Workers of the World, are creating much uncalled for disturbances in Portland this week. We are not sure, but that by their own declaration of faith members of that organization(?) could be convicted for treason, and deported either for other lands or other worlds.

By the way, where could there be found a more ideal location for a chautauqua assembly

than Forest Grove. A city far famed as an educational and religious center, and known as the "prettiest town in Oregon," it seems to us that it is truly an ideal location for an annual chautauqua gathering.

It is to be hoped that the respectable Portland papers succeed in their endeavor to either subdue or suppress the Portland News. It is such abuse of the right of free speech, for which the News claims to be fighting, that would shortly result in the censorship of all journalism.

We are opposed to wars and quarreling. Yet if the teacher's spanking is good to keep children from scraping, then it seems that the United States would be justified in taking necessary efforts to produce a state of peace and security in Mexico.

Swat that fly. But don't keep an open sloop barrel in the back yard so that you may have the distinction of killing the greatest number. It really is more criminal to breed flies than it is virtuous to swat them.

This is the time of the year when all should begin to think and plan for the coming county fair meet. The farmers are already picking out what they expect to be the prize pumpkins, hogs, etc. Let's all boost a little.

The people of Forest Grove sympathize with the unfortunate citizens of Sheridan and give them their best of wishes in building an even better and larger city than before the disaster.

Kicking the cold until last Thursday, and now growing at the heat, such is the nature of man. But his broad smile tells us that the farmer is happy, so who should worry?

The good word comes from the authorities at Pacific University that the prospects of an excellent freshmen class for the coming year are very certain.

More Oregonians are reading the sporting news these days since the Beavers are finally leading the Pacific coast league procession.

Some one has said that the best thing to do to a man who is full of prunes is to place him in a drier.

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The Impossible.

Somebody said that it couldn't be done,
But he, with a chuckle, replied
That "maybe it couldn't," but
he would be one
Who wouldn't say so until he
tried.
So he buckled right in, with the
trace of a grin
On his face. If he worried, he
hid it.
He started to sing as he tackled
the thing
That couldn't be done, and he
did it
Somebody scoffed: "O, you'll
never do that;
At least no one has ever done it."
But he took off his coat and he
took off his hat,
And the first thing he knew he'd
begun it.
With a lift of his chin and a bit
of a grin,
Without any doubting or quiddit;
He started to sing as he tackled
the thing
That couldn't be done, and he
did it.
There are thousands to tell you
it cannot be done,
There are thousands to prophesy
failure;
There are thousands to point out
to you one by one,
The dangers that wait to assail
you;
But just buckle in with a bit of a
grin,
Then take off your hat and go to
it;
Just start in to sing as you tackle
the thing
That "cannot be done," and
you'll do it.—Exchange.

The Cigarette Habit.

Cigarette smoking begins with an innocent boyish effort to be smart.
It soon becomes a pleasure, then a satisfaction, next a necessity.
The last stage evolves into a third, a condition of fever and unrest, wandering of mind, accompanied by a loss of moral and mental control. This may take two years or ten. But finally a flabbiness of tissue results from taking the smoke into the bronchial tubes, where pure air is required to oxygenize the blood, and a nervous weakness follows that leaves the victim unprotected, a prey to any sort of malady or disorder to which he may be exposed or liable.
The first indication of degeneration is in the youth's secretiveness. "Bluff" is his chief characteristic. He confuses dates, times and places, and often will tell you he has done a thing when he only intends to do it.
Only the strong man is honest; only the healthy tell the truth.
A lie is a disease of the will; hypocrisy is a symptom.
The cigarette is apt to dream over his word, to dandle indefinitely. He proves for us again and again the maxim that the strong man is the one who can complete a task, not merely begin it.
One marked peculiarity of the cigarette fiend, is that often he makes the discovery that cleverness, astuteness, trickery, and untruth are good substitutes for simplicity, frankness, and plain,

common honesty.
The cigarette has an abnormal egotism—he has much faith in himself. If his faith wavers, he rolls a cigarette.
He grins at warnings, laughs at the advice of his best friends, and turns your brotherly appeal into a joke.
The man who would quit the cigarette habit must see his own folly, and convince his own mind of the existence of the vice ere it can be eradicated. The trouble is in his brain. There is no salvation for him outside himself.
The choice between cigarettes and daily doses of cocaine, morphine, or bromide is very slight. Fortunately, most young men who begin the habit quit it before it gets a vital hold upon. But for the young man who has become so calloused that he smokes cigarettes in the presence of his mother, sister or sweetheart, there is little hope.
The poison has already tainted his moral nature, and for him the work of dissolution, disintegration, and degeneration has begun. He is a defective—a physical, mental and moral defective.
Cigarettes stupefy the conscience, deaden the brain, place the affections in abeyance, and bring the beast to the surface.
It is a busy world, boys, and competition is keen. We need all the strength we can muster. No one thinks more of us because we use cigarettes—and there are those who think less. And these last are the people whose good-will we prize. Let's cut them out!—Elbert Hubbard, Cosmopolitan.