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THE MAN AND THE PRICE.

"Resolved, That every man has his price", which is evidently a Buster Brown way of speaking. But really why is not that a good question for debaters to discuss instead of "Resolved, That fire is a more destructive element than water, or that there is more pleasure in anticipation than in participation?"

It does not do to make too general statements and so it can be better said: "The most of men have their price though it must be confessed that the price is not always a money one. Many a man who would scorn a \$2000 bribe can be cajoled by a temptation of power. Then there is the matter of social recognition and many a man has sold himself to the Devil for the smile of a woman.

The most sordid example before the people at the present time is San Francisco. The festering mass is just about ready to break, thanks to some good warm poultices that have been applied by Dr. Heney. And the core that is floating in all this rottenness is a Jew, Abe Ruef, the Curley Boss.

Given a community where the majority of the people believe that every man has his price and an Abe Ruef will be the product every time. Back of it all is the insatiable desire for the almighty dollar. They would make the dollar the end and not the means of life. Not how you get it but just so you get it.

Then Nature's law of compensation steps in and adjusts the balance to a nicety. The grafter thinks he is just "finding" money but there is a price that has to be paid for all, the "easy money," free telephones, free gas, and the mansion furnished in luxury. The price the grafters pay may well cause him to shudder. Shame, disgrace the striped suit are what bring the balance true.

San Francisco is a horrible example of all of this. Mayor, Supervisors, Judges, County Officials, all corrupted and befouled and then when they thought themselves the most secure, the handwriting on the wall says in unmistakable English, "Guilty as Charged."

No wonder Abe Ruef does not sleep well. Who would? Every man may have his price but before you sell out be careful to remember that oft times another package is delivered with the price.

THAT EASTER HAT.

Polonius said: "Costly they habit as thy purse can buy for the apparel oft proclaims the man." But, thank goodness, he did not say anything about hats or wovens.

If the modern Paris gown has evolved from three or four fig leaves, what did the Easter hat evolve from? There is a puzzle that might well tax the ingenuity of any believer in evolution. It may well be that some dusky maiden in that far off long ago, in a desire to please her lord and master went out on some Spring day and gathered a flower or two, twining them in her hair. The result was so charming and had such a beneficial effect on the lord and master that he did not grow about the stew for a whole week. Of a consequence the maiden was accustomed to thus decorate herself every Spring and others followed her example until it became a world-wide custom.

The few flowers grew into a wreath and the wreath into a hat and the hat became so elaborate that it is a dream of expensive loveliness.

You have all seen the Easter Hat and maybe have enjoyed paying for one. That is one of the duties of mere man. Man finds his enjoyment in mere earthly things; catching a good string of trout, bagging a five point buck, or winning seven games of solo in succession. But such things do not appeal to the gentler sex. The ambition that urges them onward is to wear the loveliest Easter hat of anyone in their crowd. And so they plan and scheme and hope the weather bureau will give them a sunny Sunday. It comes and the pews on Easter morning look like an animated flower garden with enough black coats scattered throughout to make a contrast. Who cares anything about the sermon with all this before him? Hats upon hats and then some.

What can a poor man do but crouch down in the pew and gaze on his surroundings in bewilderment? He can see no preacher or choir; nothing but back hair combed in unheard of ways, pink ears, hat pins stuck at all angles possible and everything in the flower line from cabbage roses to pink daisies.

But it pleases them, so what's the difference? Harriman has reached the cartoon point of fame in his career. He has been pictured as a fox, pig, hobo and a whipped school boy and more to follow. But it is too bad that he cannot walk across the S. P. right of way on Sixth Street on a rainy day and learn some of the beauties of decomposed granite as a pavement.

Just think of giving nearly every adult in Grants Pass a dose of Epson Salts. That is what 3000 old soldiers in the Soldiers Home at Leavenworth, Kansas had to take one day this week and all on account of hash for breakfast. But just look at the receipts: 500 pounds of extra beef 15-cents of potatoes, and four bushels of onions in making hash for a single breakfast.

Read the Ad of the R. L. Bartlett Company on page 7.

Sheet Music Sale at Music Store Saturday.

COMING EVENTS.

- Mar. 29, Friday—Bethany Presbyterian men entertain at the opera house.
- March 30, Saturday—Fruit growers meeting for Rogue River Valley to be held in Grants Pass, to be addressed by speakers from the Agricultural College and Hood River.
- April 1, Monday—Penalty avoided if one-half tax is paid before this date.
- Apr. 3, Wednesday—Chicken Pie by Christian Church Ladies at hall over Hall's. 3-23 2t
- April 3, Wednesday—Regular session of county court for Josephine county.
- April 5, Friday—The Lady Macbees will give a Hobo Social at the W. O. W. hall, Everbody invited. 3-29 1t
- April 22, Monday—Regular term of the Circuit Court.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Christian Church
Morning address—"A Thoroughly Apostolic Church." Evening, Easter Program in the interest of Home for Orphan and Helpless aged throughout the world. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Junior C. E. and Boys Club at 3 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to all meetings.

M. E. Church South
It will be a joyous Easter occasion for all who love the Risen Lord, at this church next Sunday. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Spiritual songs, short sermons, brotherly love and a warm welcome for all who attend.

Baptist Church.
The services at the First Baptist Church on Easter will be appropriate to the day. A varied program of special music has been prepared for both morning and evening. The Pastor will preach on the following subjects: "The Easter Blessing" in the morning and "If a Man Die Shall He Live Again?" in the evening. The other usual services will be held. "Cuba and Porto Rico" is the subject of the conquest meeting at the Young Peoples service; Leader, Nina Paddock. A cordial welcome awaits you.

Newman M. E. Church
Easter Sunday will be observed at the Newman M. E. Church. A special sermon appropriate to the day will be preached in the morning by Rev. S. M. Nickell. In the evening the services will be under the auspices of the Sunday School. A nice program has been prepared to which all are cordially invited. No Epworth League services.

Presbyterian Church.
Glad Easter will be here on Sunday, and joyous song, sweet carol, nature's flowers and children's happiness will tell of the triumph of Resurrection. In Bethany Church the day will be a carnival of Song.

Subjoined is the musical program for the 11 a. m. worship:
Anthem—"Rejoice, O Sons of Earth, Rejoice." Frank L. Eyer
Easter Carol—"Have You Heard the Wondrous Story?"

P. A. Sneecker
Anthem—"Sing Alleluia Forth"
Dadley Back
Anthem—"Sing With All the Sons of Glory"
P. A. Sneecker
Theme of the sermon by Eyan P. Hughes. "The First Easter Sermon."

At 7:30 p. m. an Easter Exercise entitled "Easter Dawn" will be rendered by the Bible School under the leadership of H. C. Kinney, the superintendent. Soloists, recitationists and classes are preparing diligently for the evening service. To all a most cordial and hearty invitation to attend these Easter Exercises is extended.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

NEW TODAY.

SURREY—A superb, not much for looks but good for years of service. For sale cheap. See it at the Variables House, 101 1/2 Second and B streets.—Geo. Howland. 3-29 1t

LOST.

PURSE—Lost Sunday afternoon, March 24, lady's purse, somewhere between High School and Kinney's such store. Finder please bring to Courier office. 3-29 2t

FOR SALE.

PULLETS—For immediate sale, five dozen thoroughbred, White Leghorn pullets at \$3 per dozen. Call on or address J. M. Taylor at Paddock's Boulevard. 3-29 1t

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SEWING MACHINE—New Home Sewing Machine for sale at \$30, new, never used. Inquire Music Store.

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FOR SALE cheap, at Woodville, four acres fenced and under cultivation, some small fruits, new four room house barn and outbuildings good chicken ranch, more land joining if needed. Come and see it. Geo. W. Morton, Woodville, Ore. 3-8 4t

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CATTLE—17 head of Shorthorn cattle, 5 2-year old and 10 1 year old steers; two cows 5 and 8 years old will freshen about May 1, for sale at a bargain. Call on or address A. A. Hanseth, Dryden, Ore. 3-1 6t

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FOR SALE—By E. Steele at 2d ware house west cold storage plant—Sugar Pine Shakes, Plymouth Rock Cockerels, Fruit, Vegetables, all kinds, fresh ocean fish, crabs, shrimps, clams, oysters by the pint, quart and gallon, also in cans. Cash paid for fruit and produce. E. Steele. 11-3 1t

FOR SALE—A few pair of bronze turkeys, turkey eggs later at J. H. Robinson's Grants Pass, Ore., R. F. D. No. 2.

GOATS—F. A. Pierce, Merlin, Ore.; Breeder of Pure blood Angora Goats; Flock headed by South African import; correspondence solicited in regard to goats. 11-26 1t

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WANTED—Grants Pass business property in exchange for Hood River apple land. Also 80-acre improved stock farm in Yamhill Co., for sale or exchange. For particulars address W. H. Albert, Hood River. 15-4t

WANTED—Grain Sacks, Tools and other second-hand goods. Harrison Bros., Second hand-store, corner Sixth and J streets. 2-9 1t

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PERSONAL.

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Notice is hereby given that all applications for permits to graze cattle, horses and sheep within the SISKIYOU FOREST RESERVE during the season of 1907 must be filed in my office at Grants Pass, Ore., on or before April 1, 1907. Full information in regard to the grazing fees to be charged, and blank forms to be used in making applications, will be furnished upon request.

M. J. ANDERSON, Acting Supervisor.
Conklin Building, Grants Pass, Ore.

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