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Clark Wood Says—

"The senior Rockefeller bestowed his customary largesse the other day upon Harry Lauder and his relatives. A good dime was had by each and all."

LIVING UP TO AN IDEAL

From time to time the efficiency with which the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company, as one of the public utilities is serving its public, has been noted in these columns.

"The telephone industry has made an amazing record in improving and broadening its service to the public and at the same time lowering rates. Within three years four major reductions have been made in long distance rates which are saving the public almost \$15,000,000 annually.

announce his candidacy. Tom has been in office a long time and by force of desire, wants to remain longer.

With half of Detroit's 1,500,000 population, living as they do on the Canadian border, holding "wet" views, and election "wet" representatives to Congress, an ex-mayor of that city is of the opinion that prohibition cannot be effectively enforced in America's automobile manufacturing center at this time.

Opinion seems to be centering on financial responsibility loss rather than compulsory automobile insurance to promote care among motorists and reduce the number of accidents on highways.

To facilitate agreement in the naval parley at London, England has offered to scrap a couple of "paper ships." That's nothing. When it comes to the showdown, Stimson went into the conference with blueprints of fifteen cruisers tucked away in his "inside pocket, don't you know?"

Only an incident in Chicago. A big car jammed traffic at a street intersection. Investigation revealed one of the city's beer runner chiefs slumped in death over the steering wheel, his body perforated with bullets.

California is again facing the age-old problem, that of the races. This time it is the Filipinos who have invited violence and hatred by their presuming to qualify for racial equality, and competitive labor performance.

The deadly "22" again! But this time in the cool nerved hand of one Bert Ragon of Carson, Wash., who brought to bag a big cougar.

If a law must needs be 100 per cent popular to be reasonably enforced, then what is 100 per cent popular?

Wets and dries are putting on the annual show in Congress; national taxes are paying for it.

The slogan of Tillamook county is "Home of Cheese, Trees and Ocean Breeze."

The KITCHEN CABINET

(© 1929, Western Newspaper Union.) "There is no 'age limit.' Many people do not learn how to live until they have passed fifty. Gladstone, at eighty-six, was brilliant. Goethe, at eighty-four, found his life full of interest. You are never old until you think you are."

COMPANY DISHES

Here is a griddle cake which will please the most fastidious:

Marmalade Griddle Cakes.—Mix and sift two cupsful of flour with one tablespoonful of baking powder and one teaspoonful of salt. Add one beaten egg, one and one-half cupsful of milk, beat thoroughly and add three tablespoonfuls of melted butter. Drop by large spoonfuls on a hot greased griddle.

Orange Omelet.—Separate the yolks and whites of six eggs. Beat separately. Mix two tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar, one-fourth teaspoonful of salt, one-half teaspoonful of cornstarch, two teaspoonfuls of lemon juice and one-half cupful of orange juice. Beat the egg yolks and add to this mixture.

Galatine.—Put one pound of round steak through the meat chopper, add one pound of uncooked ham, two beaten eggs, one and one-half cupsful of bread crumbs, one-fourth teaspoonful each of grated nutmeg and pepper, one teaspoonful of salt, the juice of a lemon and the grated rind. Mix and pack into a buttered mold; steam for four hours. Serve cold, sliced very fine.

A Seasonable Drink.—Take two cupsful of sugar, add two cupsful of boiling water, six whole cloves, two pieces of stick cinnamon, three allspice berries, one tablespoonful of chopped Canton ginger, the juice of five oranges, four lemons and two cupsful of cider. Make a sirup of the sugar and water. Add the spices and ginger and stand covered one hour. Strain and add the fruit juices and cider, bring to a quick boil and serve hot. This serves twelve.

New implements to take the place of plows are being demonstrated, but the Oregon experiment station gives warning to farmers that it has yet to test the implements before recommending their purchase and use on the farm.

John W. Kelly, political writer for the Morning Oregonian says that doctors control the candidacy of Tom Kay for governor—that is, if, after they have given him physical examination and find him fit, he will

Nellie Maxwell

SCHOOL TOPICS

(By E. E. Coad, Supt.)

One of the most perplexing things in relation to school work arises from questions about property rights. In every school there are pupils who have no regard for the property rights of other people.

If such a pupil needs a book to use and his own is not at hand, the neighbor's book will do just as well. If he forgot and left his book at home, he borrows another book in the absence of the owner of it and leaves the owner to his own devices.

Habits concerning the property rights of others are fixed quite early in life. Such things are not instinctive, for the individual ownership of property is an artificial thing. Respect for the rights of others must be taught. But often a child comes to school with the idea that the only thing wrong about using the belongings of another without the owner's permission is being caught in the act.

In some instances nothing but extreme severity will suffice to overcome the habit. Some respond to reason and a clear enunciation of the rights of the individual to property. Others respond to nothing except compulsion.

I recall talking to the father of a certain boy who had shown gross carelessness concerning the rights of others in property. He was inclined to make light of the matter. "Boys will be boys," he said, and that sort of thing. But I tried to impress upon him the fact that the boy's attitude was fast developing into such a disregard for the rights of others that it might soon be a serious matter.

A few months later the boy wanted to use the family car for some evening jaunt or other but the father refused. So the boy broke into a neighbor's garage—the neighbor being absent from town—picked up a couple of companions and ended up by wrecking the car completely. The owner of the wrecked car traced the responsibility but had to bring suit to collect the value of the car from the father of the boy.

The Goths and Visigoths The Goths divided themselves into two great groups—the Visigoths (Eastern Goths) and the Ostrogoths (Western Goths). The former lived on the slopes of the Carpathians, in Dacia, and the latter dwelt on the shores of the Black sea.

Widow Surely in Luck A story from Pittsburgh's "Wall Street" concerns a woman who entered a broker's office and timidly pushed a paper across the counter of the cashier's window and asked if it was worth anything.

School District Number 2

School News

In studying the various birthdays that occur in this month, a certain third grader would like to know how important you would have to be to get your birthday on the calendar in red letters.

John Robert Stewart returned to school Monday after a month's absence from school. The pupils of this school assisted in the program given at the reception for Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McFadden at the Baptist church.

The pupils have organized a study club which meets every Friday. The purpose is to give talks about important topics and prominent citizens. Community News Rachel Smith spent Monday night at the Roy Cannon home and Tuesday night with Jewell Pinkerton.

Pine Seals 13,500 Feet A huge pine tree which, according to a count of its growth rings, pushed its way above the Deschutes slope in 1280, was cut recently in the Fort Rock country and hauled into Bend for milling.

Conner, State Secretary Athena members of the Pendleton Eagles Lodge, are pleased to learn of the appointment of Lyle Conner, Past President of the Pendleton Lodge to the post of state secretary for the Oregon Aerie of the Fraternal Order of Eagles.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

"The Test of Discipleship," (Acts, 4:13) will be Mr. Sias' theme Sunday morning. This feature is considered worth the effort to attend. The Bible study class at 7:30 is manifesting a keen interest.

INSURANCE PLUS

Every motor vehicle should be protected by Public Liability and Property Damage insurance. Cost very little and is worth many times the cost. Every owner should carry Landlords, Owners and Tenants Liability insurance, only \$7.50 and may save your home.

Tum-A-Lum Tickler

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Editorial There is an old saying that a silk, purse can't be made from a sow's ear, but they certainly build fine Stadiums by kicking her hide around. A. M. Johnson, Editor. Up in Walla Walla they have a stadium built of Tum-A-Lum cement and it sure is nice. There are 1000 other uses for this concrete on the farm and in town. Come in and let us show you some of them. Little Mary on seeing her first peacock exclaimed, "Look, Auntie one of your chickens is in bloom." Leon Miller and his thawing machine did it. We advise that you model the house, paint everything, roof the roof. RE new your happiness, pair everything, visit our office, new our friendship. Poor fellow he has all kinds of bad luck. Got an auto and it blew up. Got an airplane and it blew down. Never mind Gerald two summers with one winter before us. If any more towns get in debt as badly as Chicago, they will probably call on the Farmers to give City Relief. We might give them a cow and two chickens and let them raise their own food. The most unpleasant place to live is just beyond your income. By building a Tum-A-Lum home you will get a lifetime lease on happiness and will save money instead of paying rent. Have you seen our Celotex ads in some of the leading newspapers and magazines? Look for them in the Ladies Home Journal, Saturday Evening Post and others. The patient about to be operated on for the eighth time asked the doctor, "Say, Doc why don't you put in a Zipper?"

Real Estate

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Reduction In Electric Light Rates The following reduction in Electric light rates will be in effect on and after March 15, 1929: Residential Rates First 30 KWH hours used, per month...10c per KWH Excess over 30 KWH used, per month...3c per KWH Commercial Rates First 100 KWH used per month...10c per KWH Next 200...7c per KWH Next 300...6c per KWH Next 400...5c per KWH Next 1000...4c per KWH Excess over 2000...3c per KWH Preston-Shaffer Milling Company

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