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**KEEP A TOAD**

If you happen to find a toad in your war garden, don't interfere with him. He is a patriot. His work is beneficent, and he knows precisely what he is about.

He eats flies, mths, worms, bugs and all sorts of noxious insects that prey on plants. He works at high speed, too, despite his apparent inertia. A biological authority says a toad has been observed to snap up 128 flies in half an hour. Try catching that many flies yourself and you will gain respect for the humble and homely batrachian.

The same authority estimates that if cutworms do a cent's worth of damage apiece, a single toad may be worth \$20 a season merely through his anti-cutworm activities.

So do not kill the little reptile. He may be ugly, but he has a kind heart and a disposition to do his bit toward saving democracy. If you have not a family of toads in your garden, it will pay to import some, and guard them zealously from small boys and lawnmowers.

It's the Empire of Austria-Hungary now.

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**CITY NEWS**

**Weatherford Returns—**

Attorney J. K. Weatherford has returned from Portland where he spent two days trying a lawsuit.

**Back From Salem—**

Deo McClain has returned from Salem where he was visiting with his parents. Mrs. McClain and daughter will remain a few days longer.

**Ed Bailey Returns—**

Sergeant Ed Bailey, who has been visiting with friends in Albany for the past two days, left on the late train last night for Eugene, where he will spend a day at the home of his parents and then return to Mare Island.

**Accepts Position—**

Lawrence Metzgar has accepted a position as brakeman on the Southern Pacific and given up his position in the Bruce Barber shop.

**Visiting Here—**

Mrs. W. R. Scott and son are here for a visit with W. R. Scott of the Linn and Benton Fruit company.

**Honor Guards Met—**

The Honor Guard girls met last night at the library.

**In Portland—**

C. H. Murphy of the Chevrolet agency is attending to business matters in Portland.

**Nebergall at Seaside—**

D. E. Nebergall made a business trip to Seaside this week.

**Went to Tacoma—**

Mrs. G. H. Dunn and daughter, Velma, went to Tacoma yesterday afternoon to visit relatives.

**Visiting in Eugene—**

Mrs. W. B. Chance and children are visiting in Eugene for a week at the home of Mrs. S. R. Stevenson.

**Returned Home—**

Mrs. E. Thrall has returned to her home in Eugene after a two weeks' visit with Albany and Linn county friends.

**On Business Trip—**

G. H. Kendig went to Portland this morning on business.

**Went to Seaside—**

Geo. Davis left yesterday afternoon for Seaside on business.

**MILLIONAIRE FORGIVES SON WHO WEDS DANCING TEACHER**

Patrick Dugan and son Jimmy are reconciled. The battle of wills is ended. Miss Joyce Clifton, godchild of Lady Blessington and society dancing teacher, has been welcomed into the Dugan home as Jimmy's bride. Jimmy will not be disinherited.

The romance is decidedly interesting. Following Dugan's expulsion from college caused by a quarrel with sons of wealthy families, he entered the nursery business with an obscure Italian. His parents, advised of his affair at college, hurried East. They took the magnificent mansion which they now occupy at Long Island, unaware of the fact that they had become the neighbors of Lady Blessington.

This is the tale of Dugan and his boy Jimmy as it is fought out in Triangle's great photoplay, "Real Folks," which will be shown at the Rolfe Wednesday and Thursday.

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FOR SALE—Chevrolet, in good condition. Call Home phone 1305, or 937 East Third St. 22324

FOR SALE—Canadian lands. Easy terms. Full information, see Geo. Taylor at corner of 2d and Broad-albin. 19347

FOR SALE—CAR BARGAINS—1916 Maxwell \$595; 1917 Maxwell, \$675; new tires. Ford light delivery, \$275; Ford truck, \$575; Studebaker, \$295; Waldo Anderson & Son, 19347

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FOR RENT—1 furnished house and 2 other good houses. Inquire of W. F. Pfeiffer. 22347

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FOR SALE—Pigs and cows. Bell phone 22312. 22325\*

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WANTED AT ONCE—Woman to do family washing. Bell phone 236. 20329\*

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WANTED—5 men for factory work. Steady employment, good wages. Apply at office of Collins & Taylor, Hotel Albany building, Albany, Oregon. 22327

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**Miscellaneous**

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