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Love is thin when faults are thick.

Good schools, good churches and good roads never fail to make a good town.

Make it a rule to have the backyard, at all times, as clean as the front one.

A teakettle can sing when it is merely full of water. But man, proud man, is no teakettle.

It is strange how crowded the thoroughfare looks to a man that's chasing his hat down the street.

Six of ten people who hunt you up want to tell you their troubles and the remaining four have bills.

The prosperity of a town depends chiefly upon the confidence the people have in it. No town can prosper whose citizens are untrue to it.

The man who has enemies amounts to something. He is a live man. He is a fighter. People don't kick a corpse. A live man can swim against the current; a corpse floats down stream without hindrance. God bless our enemies. We love them. They make life worth living.

Go as you please, do as you please, go whenever you please and wherever you please and like many other wayward souls have done, you will fail to please the multitude. Even in the trivial matter of getting a wife, how many there are who would like to choose for you or grumble at your choice.

The country editor is a reliable encyclopedia. A subscriber sent us this query recently: "What ails my hens? Every morning I find one or more of them keeled over to rise no more." Our reply was: The fowls are dead. It is an old complaint, and nothing can be done except to bury them.

There are plenty of fellows who could teach a better school than those who teach, preach a better sermon than those who preach, who could run a better business and publish a better paper. Yes, the woods are full of them, but they neither teach, preach, run a better business or publish a better paper. They are like the lilies of the field they toil not, neither do they spin,

The News believes the city council has made a grave mistake in refusing to pay \$50.00 a year for city health officer's ser-

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N. I. MORRISON

vices, especially in view of the fact that contagious diseases have been very prevalent for several months in this vicinity and this action on the part of the council leaves the city without any protection along this line, according to the charter. It appears to be a case of "Penny wise and pound foolish."

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SHELburn ITEMS

Mrs C W Dart left this morning for Marguin to visit her brother.

A P Hizons came home Saturday from Gates, returning Monday morning.

Ernest Brant is busy now days sawing lumber and ties.

Mrs A C Norris and family have taken charge of the telephone office at Shelburn.

Mrs Bell Churchill will entertain the members of the Sunshine club at her home this week.

Theron Russell of Macleay spent Sunday at Shelburn.

Mr and Mrs Earl Gooch made a business trip to Albany last week.

There was quite a large crowd at the dance at Shelburn Saturday night.

Mr and Mrs Piatte spent Sunday at the home of Mrs Churchill.

Mrs Watkins of near Jefferson is visiting at the home of H O Shilling.

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Thomas

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SANTIAM FARM TOPICS

Mrs M C Gaines is still quite ill and confined to her bed.

Geo Griffin was over Saturday and Sunday at Albany, with his sick wife. He thinks the operation performed on her has been of no benefit, as she suffers with the same ailment now as before with no change for the better.

Mrs Jennie Lovejoy returned to S W Gaines home Sunday after being on a visit in Portland the past six weeks.

Mrs Bell Alvord of Portland returned to the home of her mother Mrs S W Gaines for repairs the remainder of the winter after several months of hard work.

M V Bilyeu of Albany who has been over visiting with his brother Geo, returned to his home Saturday.

Uncle Henry Ray has lost three of his fine cows by hard luck and mishaps, which is hard luck, as cows are so high in price.

PIE EATER.

An Eye For Business.

A life insurance agent was standing on the rear platform of a crowded car and was given the squeeze by a bunch of pickpockets. He felt himself jostled, but did not know that he had been touched until the thieves had left the car. Then another passenger remarked:

"I think those fellows got the purse out of your hip pocket."

"No," said the insurance man, with a sigh of gratitude. "If they only got to my hip pocket they got a rate book, and perhaps they'll take out some insurance."—Chicago Post.

Long Winded.

There have been many terms of reproach and ridicule applied to interminable and wearisome talkers, but here are two that seem to be particularly pat:

One is the comment of a politician on a Washington orator. "He has a good train of thought, but it lacks terminal facilities."

The other comes from the village humorist, who said of the village orator, "He's the only feller I ever knew who could set his face talkin' an' then go off an' leave it."

A Good Start.

"Now, Johnny," said the arithmetic teacher, "suppose that one man were to put a stone two feet thick on top of another like stone, and the next day another on top of that, and keep on thus for seventy years, what would be the result?"

"I dunno," replied the student, "but I guess he'd have a pretty good start for a new postoffice."—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

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