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## Cal on Proselyting.

"Good morning, Cindy," said Mr. Tulp, as he entered my house last Sunday morning. "Where is Cal?"

"Tubs," said Cindy, "has arranged for a prize-fight between the dog and his pet coon. He calls the dog Corbett and the coon Jackson; and Cal has gone out to stop the fight, altho' 'Tubs' says they are to spar for points only."

"Well, Cal, did you stop the fight?" asked Mr. Tulp after we had exchanged greetings.

"Yes," said I, "after some persuasion. 'Tubs' contended that I had no right to interfere as it was to be a glove contest, but I over-ruled the motion. Then he set up the plea of non-jurisdiction, but I soon convinced him without having to refer to Blackstone. Then he threatened to go to Waterloo, 'where,' said he, 'the spelling club would even offer a purse for a little good, solid fun.' The boy has been running with them Waterloo boys and I fear he is to give us trouble."

"Boys will be boys," said Mr. Tulp. "But," he continued, "Cal, what do you think of that article in the Express under the caption of 'The Rev. Gives Some Free Advice'?"

"Well, said I, "I first thought that it was a kind of a broadest insinuation meant to apply to any individual who had been guilty of the charge, but really I didn't understand the meaning of the word 'proselyte.'"

"I will tell you what I think of it," said Cindy. "He is hitting at the Baptists, and I think it a shame to offer such insults to as good a man as the pastor. He is a ove reproach and I venture to say that his new converts are as sincere as any who cross the Methodist threshold."

"What is the full meaning of the word 'proselyte'?" asked Mr. Tulp.

"Its significance has no bounds," said I, "as I have just learned. I was educated in just a tolerable good-sized school-house, on a farm, and the books we used were the best known in the world. We had Webster's elementary spelling book, McGuffey's readers, Rey's arithmetics and—I have forgotten whose grammar it was but I know it was an awful good one because I learned to parse in it so quick, and I could parse faster than an ordinary Democrat could change the significance of a ballot. I remember one Friday evening when I returned home the proud possessor of nine head marks, my mother asked me to parse some for Mrs. Longdecker. I needed no persuasion, so I 'it out.' 'First person, I am; second person, you are; third person, th—' I could go no further, as my mother had me smothered up on her bosom, and when I was freed so I could hear she was telling Mrs. Longdecker that 'Cal is bound for Washington. But,' said Ma, 'I don't know how in the name of God he is to get there. I wouldn't have him to go out on the ocean for anything.' My teacher was of Scotch descent, and a more thorough scholar never licked a nigger or made a wooden nutmeg. But somehow we got some things kinder mixed and I believe now that a great many grammatical errors must have existed in our old grammars. The article you refer to has led me to this conclusion. The author of the article is an educated gentleman and holds, perhaps, dozens and dozens of diplomas. You know, Mr. Tulp, that we were taught that a noun could not be used as a verb, or a verb transitive or a verb intransitive, and we were taught that the word 'proselyte' was a noun and could not be used otherwise; but in this, you see, we are away off, as 'proselyte' can be used as a noun, a common noun, a verb, a verb transitive, a verb intransitive, adjectives, and—and—I started to say, all the genders, but I guess not. How glad 'Prince Duke' (Uncle Balaam) would have been if he could have 'caught on' to the word 'proselyte.' Wouldn't he have 'whooped her up' though? My' you could have heard him to Long Branch. It is so easy to say, too. I am sorry I did not know this before. I could have used it to such good advantage last fall when them proselyters was in Lebanon, proselytizing. Every night they would proselyte some new proselyte,

two at a time. Their proselytes numbered many but it did not stick well, as the proselytes de-proselyted as soon as the proselyters had proselyted to fields anew where they are proselytizing proselytes."

Thank you, Mr. C. Rank; I will take the job and I assure you I will do it up brown. I have been stuffing skins of dead animals and the like for twenty-one years. Several of us boys commenced learning the trade together in S. C. in the year of our Lord 1872. Our first lesson was in stuffing ballot boxes. But we are scattered now. Some of the boys went to the Okelnoke swamps in Florida; some went to Sling Sing; and I, your humble servant, immigrated to the Pacific slopes. If the proselyters keep on proselyting I think I will have a good job stuffing the skins of the two old political parties. Well, as to the "Elder," I want him to have a rest. I was always of a forgiving nature. You may be close on to right as to the author of "A Startling Sensation," but from the way the story wound around I think the author must have been a snake instead of a human. Again, you remember it went into a torpid state all of a sudden.  
CAL JEWETTER.

P. S. "Tubs" has a bound volume of "A Startling Sensation," which he wants to trade for a treatise on evolution and proselyting.

CAL J.,  
Per "Tubs."

## The Lord Was Ungallant.

"I will get off here," said a dignified, prepossessing lady to a conductor on the Washington street line as it arrived at a certain corner, a few evenings ago. "Oh no, don't stop the car," she remarked, as the conductor reached for the bell cord. "The Lord will take care of me." The conductor paid no further attention to the lady and she went out on the rear platform, attempted to step off on the crossing and went sprawling upon the street. Some persons who witnessed the affair rushed to her assistance and picked her up, muddy and badly shocked. She was recognized as one of the most prominent faith curists in the city, whose name has been sensationally mentioned in the newspapers during the past few months. The Lord, however, did not make a very graceful job of assisting her off the car.—Sunday Welcome.

## Republicans, Attention.

There will be a meeting of the Republican Club of Lebanon, Ore., at Miller's Hall (over postoffice) Friday, February 9th, 1894, at seven o'clock p. m. The object of the meeting is to elect officers for the ensuing year, and to transact business of importance that will come before the club.

At a meeting which was held last Friday night much enthusiasm was manifested. Ruff Hiatt, J. G. Reed and Frank Hardman were selected as delegates to the state convention of Republican clubs, which convened in Portland Tuesday of this week.

Let every Republican come out to next Friday night's meeting, whether he be a member of the club or not. In unity there is strength. Let us organize; and when the Ideo of June roll round, victory will perch upon our banners.

A. A. KEES, Pres.  
ALBERT CRADALL, Sec.  
A. F. STOWE, Chairman of Chairman's Committee of Seven.

## Dorcas Aid Society.

To all who are interested in the work of charity, we will state that the Dorcas Aid Society meets the second and fourth Thursdays of each month, at 3 p. m., in the hall over the postoffice. If there are any worthy poor suffering for the necessities of life, or any children remaining out of school for want of proper clothing, let them apply to Mrs. F. M. Miller, at the postoffice. Cast-off clothing that will do to make over will be thankfully received by the society. Provisions will be very acceptable. All donations to be left at the postoffice. Mrs. F. G. REED, President.

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## Another Defaulter.

The faith of the people of Linn county in their officials has been sorely tried in the dishonest practices of Supt. Russell. No man believed that any one of our court house officials would take a dishonest dollar. In none was their trust more freely given, and by none could it be more basely betrayed. Human nature is weak and may err, and can often be forgiven; but no man can palliate the crime of robbing school children of the money that tax-payers have paid for their education—especially when the robber was at the head of the schools of the county.

Poverty could not have been Russell's excuse, for his salary was an ample one and his legitimate expenses were not great. Circumstances would indicate that a recently acquired fondness for fast company has been his downfall.

Russell was under no bonds, as the law does not suppose a superintendent to handle county funds. Hence there are no bondsmen to make good the losses, and these losses will have to be met by parties who have been duped.

A rigid search should be made for the defaulter, and speedy justice meted out to him. His whereabouts are now unknown, but he cannot escape. It is possible that he has gone to Hawaii. He visited these islands last spring—probably at the cost of his dupes.

His system of robbery was well planned. In some cases he obtained the money from the county treasurer by forging the names of the clerks in out-lying districts. He also drew money for districts not in existence, by using fictitious names. He also increased the number of school children in the county by several hundred and thus made another haul. He pocketed the fees received from applicants for certificates. The amount thus obtained will reach several thousand dollars. He has also run his credit in Albany to a large amount.

Attachments have been issued and his goods have been taken.

His wife has returned to her father's house, and is said to have refused to join her husband. Much sympathy is given the unfortunate wife and little ones.

## Evans Again.

FRESNO, Cal., Feb. 4.—A fight between the bandits, Evans and Morel, and Deputy Sheriffs Timmins and Boyd, occurred in the Slippery Rock country about 20 miles east of Dinubia this afternoon. The officers were looking for the bandits in that neighborhood, and were riding in a cart. When they got near the place of a rancher named Robinson, Timmins alighted and started in the direction of the house. He had only gone a short distance when Evans and Morel came out of St. Clair's house near by and immediately opened fire on the officers. The latter had the advantage of being separated, and could have raked the bandits from both sides, as Evans and Morel were in a line between them. Instead, it is reported, the officers took to flight, the bandits diligently firing upon them.

## HAPPY HOME.

Mr. French is quite sick.  
W. W. Bishop is planting several acres to prunes. He has sold eighty acres of his land to a man by the name of James, consideration ten dollars per acre. Mr. James has built a house and stable and is knocking the rails out at a lively rate. We wish him success in his new home.

There was a populist meeting at the Burrell schoolhouse last Saturday. The people were addressed by Mr. Parker, of Waterloo, and C. D. Steen, of near Lebanon.

W. G. Brown is very busy looking after his sheep. There are over one hundred horns, and at this time of year it requires much time and attention looking after them.

The past week has been very foggy and chilly. Still there is considerable less sickness than heretofore in this part of Canada.

Jacob Newman is still very feeble, although able to walk.

Grandma Cummings is carding and spinning wool, knitting socks and stockings. Says, "Economize these hard times."

## BEZBOCK.

### A Man Lost.

One day last week a man was passing down Main street, and all at once disappeared into Baker's Dry Goods, Boot and Shoe store, where he fell into Baker's low prices and was lost to all.

M. A. Miller is just in the receipt of an assortment of fine stationery.

## A Harrow Factory.

Rev. J. R. Kirkpatrick some time since thought he would be hospitable so he wrote a letter to the Cumberland Presbyterian, a church paper published at Nashville, Tenn., inviting all Cumberland Presbyterians who visit the Midwinter exposition to stop at Selma and take a look at Fresno county. He is now receiving letters from people all over the east asking for information about the country. A man named J. B. Thompson wants to locate a factory for revolving harrows in this valley in some town where they will give him a building site. The factory will cost \$20,000 and will furnish employment for twenty skilled workmen. If this man means business it will pay him to come to Selma to investigate the situation for himself.—Selma, (Cal.) Irrigator.

The same paper in a later issue says: J. B. Thompson, of whom mention was made in Tuesday's Irrigator, is here from Lebanon, Oregon, investigating the opportunities offered by this place as a manufacturing point for his newly patented rotary harrow. Mr. Thompson's home is in Oregon but with proper encouragement he can be induced to locate in Selma and establish a factory which would be of great benefit to our growing town. He comes to us highly recommended as a gentleman of integrity and excellent business qualifications, and we hope satisfactory arrangements can be made to induce him to locate here.

## Probate.

In estate of Nancy Marks, inventory filed. Appraisers appointed.

In estate of N. G. McDonald, inventory filed. Real property, \$6300; personal, \$745.50.

In estate of T. A. Westervelt, will admitted to record, Fannie Westervelt appointed executrix.

In guardianship of Leander H. Jones, bond of \$900 approved.

In guardianship of Pearl and Bessie Miller, Mary J. Miller appointed guardian; bond \$1000.

In estate of Martha Hunter, inventory filed. Real property, \$2845.75; personal, \$48.95.

In estate of Rebecca Brown, final account set for Monday, March 5.

In guardianship of David, Flora, Bertha and Lola Miller, Maria Miller was appointed guardian. Bond, \$1000.

## For Sale.

I will sell on easy terms very cheap the following property:

1. My residence property—a good house, new barn, and 19 acres of very best land, with fine orchard—within the corporate limits of Lebanon, Oregon.

2. A farm, with good improvements, of 120 acres, one and one-half miles from Lebanon. Finest hop land in the county.

3. One house and house lots in J. M. Ralston's addition to Lebanon. Good house and good location.

4. Four head of good horses—Two work horses and two buggy horses. Two wagons and usual farming implements. Ten head of cattle.

All in good condition. Any man who wants a bargain can get it from me.  
J. W. SCANLON,  
Lebanon, Or.

## Assignee's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of January, 1894, F. C. Ayers made her voluntary deed of assignment of all her property, both real and personal, to me, J. W. Menzies, in trust for the benefit of all her creditors, and said creditors are hereby required to present their claims, duly verified, as required by statute, to me, at my office, in Lebanon, Linn county, Oregon within three months from and after the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: January 19, 1894.

J. W. MENZIES,  
JOHN M. SOMERS, Assignee.  
Atty for Assignee.

Ten days loss of time on account of sickness and a doctor bill to pay, is anything but pleasant for a man of a family to contemplate, whether he is a laborer, mechanic, merchant or publisher. Jas. O. Jones, publisher of the Leader, Mexia, Texas, was sick in bed for ten days with the grip during its prevalence a year or two ago. Later in the season he had a second attack. He says: "In the latter case I used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy with considerable success, I think, only being in bed a little over two days. The second attack I am satisfied would have been equally as bad as the first but for the use of this remedy." It should be borne in mind that the grip is much the same as a very severe cold and requires precisely the same treatment. When you wish to cure a cold quickly and effectually give this remedy a trial. 50 cent bottles for sale by N. W. Smith, druggist.

Hiram Baker has just received a large invoice of boots and shoes. Call and examine before buying elsewhere.

## Some Pertinent Questions.

**EDITOR EXPRESS:**

The Oregonian, in an editorial, on Jan. 30 says: "The first cause of the present deficiency of the revenues was the repeal of the sugar tariff in the McKinley act, which cut off nearly sixty million dollars since the law went into effect."

Now we have been taught that the foreigner paid the tax. Have we been wrongly informed? Had the tariff remained on sugar, who would have paid that immense sum of two hundred million dollars? Would sugar have been just as cheap as it is now, or would it have been higher? Is it not a solid fact that the greater part of this vast sum would have been paid by the so called common people?

Kindly answer plainly, so we can all understand this great question.

## ONE WHO IS TIRED OF TAFFY.

[Some other person who "is tired of taffy" will probably answer the above questions to your satisfaction.—Ed.]

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Plums—Dried, 5c.  
Onions—2c.  
Bees—Dressed, 5c.  
Veal—4 1/2c.  
Pork—Dressed, 5c.  
Lard—14c.  
Hams—12@14 per lb.  
Shoulders—10c.  
Sides—11c per lb.  
Geese—\$7 per doz.  
Ducks—\$4 00 per doz.  
Chickens—\$2 50@3 00.  
Turkeys—10c per lb.  
Eggs—18c per doz.  
Butter—20c per lb.  
Hides—Green, 1c; dry, 2c.

## Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of Linn county, Oregon, as administrator of the estate of Mary Gallagher, decd, late of Linn county, Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same, with proper vouchers, within six months from the date hereof, to the undersigned, at the office of Samuel M. Garland, in Lebanon, Linn county, Oregon.

JAMES W. CHESBIRE, Adm'r.  
S. M. GARLAND, Atty for Adm'r.  
Dated this 9th day of January, 1894.

Died, at his residence in Albany, Feb. 5, of consumption, Geo. C. Henderson, aged 26 years. Mr. Henderson was a native of Linn county, and well and favorably known. His mother, Mrs. Dugger, an estimable lady, the daughter of our well known aged citizen, Dr. G. F. Crawford, and one brother, Mr. Will Henderson of Oakland, California, are the surviving members of the family. An affectionate and faithful wife, who has nursed him through his long illness, and a young son, are left without the kind care of a loving and faithful husband and father.—Herald.

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O. W. O. Hardman, Sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale by N. W. Smith, druggist.

I have just received my spring and summer samples, and will be glad to have every one call and examine them before going elsewhere, for I am prepared to make clothes to order cheaper than ever before. Genuine Black Clay Worsted suits, from \$25 up; business suits, from \$20 up; pants, from \$6 up. Fit and workmanship guaranteed. Don't forget the address, G. LOVELEE, Merchant Tailor, Lebanon, Or.

The business prospect of the Albany Woolen Mills continues good. The company have recently received orders from the east that will take two months to fill, and orders are coming by nearly every mail, a fact that is certainly encouraging. The company have received in the last week 60,000 pounds of wool, and hence are prepared for a good season's work.—Democrat.

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