



THE DOOM TRAIL

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LIKE living in the present and watching a vivid reconstruction of the past, is this stirring tale of the early settlement of northern New York and the Great Lakes region. A romance of the fur trade and its effects upon England, France and the American colonies. Presents such picturesque and powerful personalities as Governor Burnet, Cadwalader Colden and the great chiefs of the Senecas, Mohawks, Onondagas and other tribes, and fictionally, the sinister Andrew Murray in the days before the author made him a pirate and celebrated him in that other thrilling story, "Porto Bello Gold."

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The Camp Followers Of Public Health.

From time immemorial armies were followed by men and women who catered to the baser appetites of the soldiers. These camp followers added nothing to the comfort and wellbeing of the armies; instead they were always a prolific source of trouble and disease. In the world war the number and activities of these parasites were greatly curtailed for the reason that educated public opinion recognized their destructive viciousness.

In its fight against disease the vast army of public health workers have also been followed by men and women who, in their parasitic activities, resemble the camp followers of old. They are much more vicious, however, for they prey only upon the sick and infirm. They exist because public opinion tolerates them.

These modern camp followers know little of the anatomy of the human body, have not even a nodding acquaintance with the medical sciences, and yet they profess to cure all ailments, acute or chronic, infectious or non-infectious. They snatch at the crumbs discarded at the wayside by scientific workers, add mystery, leaven with fear, and finally offer to the receptive public half baked truths and pseudo scientific facts. People suffering with headache, with colds, with rheumatism, with epilepsy, with tuberculosis, or with cancer are all promised relief and cure by using several bottles of this or that "medicine" or by taking a course of treatment with this or that electrical contraption. The same "medicine" or "treatment", that makes you fat is guaranteed to make you lean.

Deaths from cancer in Oregon in 1925 totaled 931; deaths from organic heart trouble, 1487. How many of these were hastened by the camp followers of medicine it is hard to estimate. It is equal hard to estimate the thousands of dollars paid to these harpies by their victims. This loss in life and money is a loss that Oregon can ill afford.

The camp followers of public health must be exterminated. Educated public opinion can do it. Oregon State Board of Health.

At the Christian Church

Bible school, 11:00 A. M.
Prayer Meeting, Thursday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

A Cordial welcome to you. There will be no church services as the pastor is holding a meeting at Pine City.

E. L. Wood, Minister.

SOMETHING NEW AT STATE U

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON,

Nov. 12.

Names of students not doing passing work are being turned in to the scholarship committee by University instructors. Those low in their studies are given aid and many are helped instead of continuing to failure at the end of the term as they ordinarily would. This plan has been fostered by President Arnold Bennett Hall.

Submarine Booze Ship Captured.

St. Albans, Vt. — A "submarine booze ship" loaded with 4000 bottles of Canadian ale has been captured by the Canadian royal mounted police for American authorities, off Fort Montgomery, N. Y., in Lake Champlain. This is the third submersible to fall into the hands of customs officers, according to Collector Whitehall. The craft is a makeshift undersea boat towed behind a launch to foil the speed boats on guard.

Witches' Meeting-Place

Broken, the traditional meeting place of the witches on Walpurgis night, April 30, is in the Hartz mountains in the province of Saxony, and is the highest peak in northern Germany. Its height is 3,745 feet.

LEGION HALL THEATRE

The following list of pictures are booked to show at the Legion Hall, beginning June 12.

We have in this list a wide range of subjects and stars and hope to please every one. We are having a hard time to make ends meet, so, when in doubt, what to do, go to the show.

- Nov. 20 Simon the Jester.
- 27 Madam behave.
- Dec. 4 California Straight Ahead.
- " 11 Flowing Gold.
- " 18 Three Faces East.
- " 25 The Road to Yesterday.

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Bible Thoughts for the Week

Sunday.
The Value of Knowledge.—Israel served the Lord all the days of Joshua, and all the days of the elders that over-lived Joshua, and which had known all the works of the Lord, that He had done for Israel.—Josh. 24:31.

Monday.
God's People Know.—Ye know in all your hearts and in all your souls, that not one thing hath failed of all the good things which the Lord your God spake concerning you.—Josh. 23:14.

Tuesday.
Family Rejoicings.—And ye shall rejoice before the Lord your God, and your sons, and your daughters, and your men servants, and your maid servants.—Deut. 12:12.

Wednesday.
Our Integrity With God.—Thou shalt truly tithe all the increase of thy seed, that the field bringeth forth year by year.—Deut. 14:22.

Thursday.
The Light of Life.—For Thou art my lamp, O Lord; and the Lord will lighten my darkness.—1 Sam. 22:29.

Friday.
Rejected.—Because Thou hast rejected the Word of the Lord, He hath also rejected thee.—1 Sam. 15:23.

Saturday.
The Lord Our Strength.—The Lord was my stay. He brought me forth also into a large place.—1 Sam. 22:19, 20.

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Milwaukee Road Grants Grain Rate

Portland, Or.—The rate advantage held by Puget sound flour millers interests over Portland and Columbia basin mills relative to production for the California market—the principal market for northwest milled flour—will be eliminated December 20. Officials of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, following a conference held at the office of N. A. Leach, vice-president of Kerr, Gifford & Co., announced that on that date would be established through rates on wheat and flour from all its Montana points to California via the Columbia basin and Portland, the rates to be in equality with those via Puget sound.

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Italian Ace Wins Seaplane Honors.
Hampton Roads, Va.—Italy won the Jacques Schneider international sea plane race from the United States navy team. Major Mario de Bernard went around the 31-mile triangular course seven times in 52 minutes at an average rate of 246.24 miles an hour in his Macchi-Flot monoplane outspeeding the three American biplanes.

South Bend Elects Dr. Anderson.
South Bend, Wash.—Dr. F. W. Anderson, physician and surgeon who served overseas as a major in the army medical corps during the world war, has been elected to take "command" of the city beginning January 1, as mayor. Dr. Anderson won over C. A. Coulter, present mayor, by a total vote of 386 to 163 in the primary election.

Idaho Projects Cover 2,500,000 Acres
Boise, Ida.—The irrigation system in Idaho, built at a total estimated cost of over \$90,000,000, now irrigates 2,500,000 acres of land, according to a survey just completed by the state department of reclamation.

Swedish Princess May Marry.
London.—Rumors are circulating in Stockholm, says a dispatch from the Swedish capital, that the engagement soon to be announced of Crown Prince Olaf of Norway and Princess Martha sister of Princess Astrid, who recently was married to Crown Prince Leopold of Belgium.

Lafayette Young, Veteran Editor Dies
Des Moines, Ia.—Death claimed another member of the old school of American journalism, Lafayette Young editor and publisher of the Des Moines Daily Capital and ex-United States senator. He was 78 years old. The veteran editor was one of Iowa's foremost citizens.

FARM INCOMES GROW

\$679 Set as Average Return for Labor and Management.

New York.—The average farmer's income in the United States improved by about 4 per cent during the crop year of 1925 to 1926, says an analysis of the agricultural industry by the national industrial conference board. It points out, however, that this improvement has been canceled by the increase in the farmer's cost of living during the same period.

The analysis shows that the average return for the labor and management by all farm operators amount to \$679 per farm operator, for the year, including food, shelter and fuel supplied by the farm. Allowing the farm owner-operators a return of 5 1/2 per cent on their investment, the remaining income from the farm representing labor and management averaged only \$440 per farm owner-operator, the analysis shows.

The average earnings of hired farm help are given as \$575, not including board.

Herman Wise, Astoria Ex-Mayor Dies
Astoria, Or.—Herman Wise, for 48 years a prominent resident of Astoria, died Saturday night of heart disease. His death came unexpectedly. He had been chosen county judge at last Tuesday's election. He was 64 years old and was born in Germany.

Three Bids Made on U. S. Ships.
Washington, D. C.—Three bids, the lowest a million dollars, were submitted to the shipping board for purchase of the five ships of the government's American Merchant line.

James K. Hackett, Famous Actor, Dies
Paris.—James K. Hackett, famous American actor and producer died here.