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**The Way it is Done in Virginia.**  
I desire to announce to my friends and kinfolk that, assisted by Dr. Waxling and a miscellaneous assembly of elderly dames, the first durbar ever held west of the Alleghenies was brought to a happy termination amid the enthusiastic cheers of the new subject of our realm this morning. Mother and daughter are doing well. I may pull through. Sid Wheeler.—Southwest Times.

**Too Soon.**  
The cave-man was gifted with prophetic vision, and when he perceived how hideously hairy he was, a discontent took possession of him. "If automobiles were only invented," he muttered bitterly, "I should be setting the style in winter coats." That sense of having been born too soon, when he it not served to rob men of their peace?—Puck.

**Poor Economy.**  
Probably the poorest economy in the world is to buy things you don't want in order to make acquaintances you don't need.—Galveston News.

**Mistakes Must Be Expected.**  
Most people go over the same routine every day. They rise at the same hour and lie down at the same hour. In all that space of time between their rising up and their lying down they are doing familiar things. Every movement they may make is one that they made yesterday, and the day before that. There is no excuse, apparently, for errors. But every man who is familiar with office work, shop work or any other form of human endeavor knows that there is always a certain percentage of mistakes to be expected.

**Cannot Eliminate Love.**  
A periodical devoted to the drama pleads for plays based on some emotion other than love. The difficulty in producing such plays is that every play must have a hero, and in making a hero the playwright, as well as his audience, almost inevitably adopts the view expressed two thousand years ago by a scribe on one of the dead walls of Pompeii: "He who has never loved a woman is not a gentleman."

**Mountain Stops Wireless Message.**  
It has been observed repeatedly that board vessels stationed west of Cape Otter (at the southern tip of Australia) that it was impossible to communicate with vessels situated in the port of Melbourne. This has been attributed to the fact that the mountain which forms the cape contains large quantities of metallic minerals which absorb electric waves.

**CURRENT EVENTS OF THE WEEK**

**Doings of the World at Large Told in Brief.**

**General Resume of Important Events Presented in Condensed Form for Our Busy Readers.**

London suffragists continue to riot and smash windows.

Manchu troops and loyal police guard Pekin from mutineers.

A parcels post system is included in the postoffice appropriation bill.

General Orozco is preparing to move on the City of Mexico with an army of 5,000 men.

After traveling for ten years as a clown in a circus, Raleigh T. Wilson, of Lincoln, Neb., has resigned to take up the ministry.

The Inland Pet Stock and Poultry association has established a central depot in Spokane from which poultry and eggs will be delivered direct to consumers.

Mexican federal soldiers dashed across the border at Brownsville, Texas, and arrested two revolutionists, escaping with their prisoners into Mexican territory.

The temperature at Billings, Mont., fell 13 degrees in one hour, reaching 26 below zero. Five hours later it was 14 above. Much suffering and loss to stock is expected.

A \$50,000,000 merger has been organized at Klamath, Oregon, to control the Klamath Land company, the Hot Springs company, the Pioneer Press Publishing company, the White Pelican Mineral Springs company, the Klamath Investment company, the S. O. Johnson company and the White Pelican Hotel company.

A prominent doctor of Maryland claims he has entirely cured himself of tuberculosis by injections of rattlesnake poison, brought in tablet form from South America.

Children from Lawrence, Mass., testified before the house committee that they were forced to pay 5 cents a week for drinking water in the textile mills, and that the water was totally unfit to drink.

Yuan Shi Kai's imperial troops begin rioting in Pekin.

Thirty-six grammar school clubs of Portland have formed a baseball league.

Many Seattle brokers fear indictments in the Columbia Orchard swindling case.

Attorney-General Wickersham protests when the Bar association draws the color line on his assistant.

From a business standpoint the month of February, 1912, was the best February in the history of Portland.

Senator Lodge sees great peril in peace treaties.

A merger of the telephone companies of Seattle may be investigated by the Interstate Commerce commission.

W. J. Bryan spoke to an audience of about 10,000 at the Gypsy Smith auditorium in Portland. He favors the no-toll system for the Panama canal.

Hundreds of thousands of British coal miners go on strike, and the government is trying to force the coal operators to recognize the principle of a minimum wage.

**PORTLAND MARKETS.**

Wheat—Track prices: Bluestem, \$84@89c; club, \$86@87c; red Russian, \$85c; valley, \$86@87c; 40-fold, \$86@87c.

Millstuffs—Bran, \$20@22 per ton; shorts, \$22@24; middlings, \$30.  
Corn—New, whole, \$34; cracked, \$35 per ton.  
Hay—No 1 Eastern Oregon timothy, \$15@16; No. 1 valley, \$13@14; alfalfa, \$13; clover, \$9; grain \$10@11.

Oats—No. 1 white, \$32@32.50.  
Potatoes—Buying prices: Burbank, \$1.15@1.50 per hundred.  
Vegetables—Artichokes, 90c per dozen; asparagus, 10@11c per pound; garlic, \$6@10c pound; hothouse lettuce, 50c@75c per box; peppers, 12c per pound; pumpkins, 14@22c pound; rhubarb, \$2.75@3 per box; sprouts, 8c; squash, 14@22c pound; turnips, \$1@1.10 per sack; rutabagas, \$1@1.10; carrots, \$1@1.10; parsnips, \$1@1.10; beets, \$1.25.

Onions—Association price, \$2.50 per sack.  
Apples—Yellow Newtown, \$2@2.50; Spitzenburg, \$1.75@3; Baldwin, \$1.50@2; Ben Davis, \$1@1.75; Red Cheek Pippins, \$2@2.50; Gano, \$1@1.75.  
Hops—1911 crop, 38@38c; olds, nominal; 1912 contracts, 25@26c.  
Wool—Eastern Oregon, 14@16c per pound; valley, 16@17c; mohair, 1911 clip, 30@31c.  
Butter—Oregon creamery butter, solid pack, 33c; prints extra.  
Eggs—Fresh Oregon ranch, candled, 21c per dozen.  
Pork—Fancy, 84c per pound.  
Veal—Fancy, 13@14c per pound.  
Poultry—Hens, 15@16c; springs, 14@15c; ducks, 16@17c; geese, 8@10c; turkeys, live, 16c; dressed, 20@21c.  
Cattle—Choice steers, \$6@6.65; good, \$5.75@6; choice cows, \$5@5.50; good, \$4.75@5; choice spayed heifers, \$5.35@5.50; good to choice heifers, \$5@5.25; choice bulls, \$4.25@4.50; good, \$4@4.25; choice calves, \$3@3.50; good, \$2.75@3.  
Hogs—Choice light hogs, \$6.50@6.75; smooth heavy hogs, \$5.75@6; rough heavy, \$5.50@5.75.  
Sheep—Choice yearlings, \$4.50@4.75; choice twos and threes, \$3.90@4.25; choice killing ewes, \$4.10@4.60; culls, \$2.50@3.25; choice spring-fed lambs, \$5.50@6; good to choice lambs, \$4.75@5; good to choice lambs, \$4.25@4.50; cull lambs, \$3.75@4.

**Utterly Wretched**

**Nervous Prostration Long Endured Before Remedy was Found.**  
Miss Minerva Reminger, Upper Bern, Pa., writes: "For several years I had nervous prostration, and was utterly wretched. I lived on bread and beef tea because my stomach would not retain anything else. I took many remedies, but obtained no relief until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla, when I began to gain at once. An hour cured."  
Pure, rich blood makes good, strong nerves, and this is why Hood's Sarsaparilla, which purifies and enriches the blood, cures so many nervous diseases. Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets called **Sarsatabs**.

**Type of Great Man.**  
The greatest man is he who chooses the right with an inflexible resolution; who resists the secret temptations from within and without; who bears the heaviest burdens cheerfully; who is the calmest in storms and whose reliance on truth, on virtue, on God, is the most unflinching.—Channing.

**Ninety Years in One Service.**  
Perhaps the world's record for service is held by the occupant of a grave in the churchyard at Battle, Sussex, England. This is Isaac Ingall, who died in 1798 at the age of 120. For ninety years he was in the service of the Websters of Battle Abbey. Sarah Thompson of Belfast served 83 years with one family, dying in 1895.

**Bud Doble**  
The greatest of all horsemen, says: "In my 40 years' experience I have found Spohn's Distemper cure the most successful of all remedies for the horse. It is the greatest blood purifier. Bottle, 50c, and \$1.00. Druggists can supply you, or manufacturers. Agents wanted. Send for Free book. Spohn Medical Co., Spec. Contagious Diseases, Goshen, Ind."

**Eye Water Before or After.**  
"I thought that in the fifteen years of my practice of medicine," said a physician, "I had answered almost every possible 'fool' question; but a new one was sprung on me recently. A young man came in with an inflamed eye, for which I prescribed medicine—to be dropped into the eye three times a day. He left the office, but returned in a few minutes, poking his head in the doorway, and asked 'Shall I drop this in the eye before meals or after?'—Everybody's Magazine.

**The Rialto.**  
The architect of the famous Rialto bridge in Venice was Antonio da Ponte. The bridge is a single arch, 90 feet in length, and is exceedingly strong and graceful. It is crossed by means of ascending and descending steps, while on the top are two ranges of shops, dividing the structure into three parallel streets.

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**Extenuating Circumstances.**  
The judge told the lawyer to stand up. "While your contempt of court was clearly expressed," he said, "I am going to give you the benefit of extenuating circumstances. In all my official connection with you I have never heard you use the expression 'lots of proof.' Discharged."

**Unwelcome Guest at Funeral.**  
A five foot long snake was the unwelcome guest at a funeral at Katzil, Victoria, Australia, a few days ago, and its appearance caused the wildest confusion and panic among the mourners. It was only after great difficulty that the reptile was killed. The funeral service proceeded without further interruption.

**Always in Demand.**  
No age has ever been so plentifully supplied with great minds that any of 'em went jobless.—John A. Howard.

**WHERE DOCTORS FAILED TO HELP**

**Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Mrs. Green's Health—Her Own Statement.**

Covington, Mo.—"Your medicine has done me more good than all the doctors' medicines. At every monthly period I had to stay in bed four days because of hemorrhages, and my back was so weak I could hardly walk. I have been taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and now I can work. I think it is the best medicine on earth for women."  
—Mrs. JENNIE GREEN, Covington, Mo.

**How Mrs. Cline Avoided Operation.**  
Brownsville, Ind.—"I can say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done me more good than anything else. One doctor said I must be operated upon for a serious female trouble and that nothing could help me but an operation. I had hemorrhages and at times could not get my medicine down. I got in such a weak condition that I would have died if I had not got relief soon. "Several women who had taken your Compound, told me to try it and I did and found it to be the right medicine to build up the system and overcome female troubles. "I am now in great deal better health than I ever expected to be, so I think I ought to thank you for it."—Mrs. O. M. CLINE, S. Main St., Brownsville, Ind.

**PISO'S REMEDY**  
FOR COUGHS AND COLDS

**REBELS MARCH TO CHIHUAHUA**

**Scene of Mexican Conflict Shifts From Juarez.**

**Orozco Said to Have Deserted With Entire Command—Americans Retire Across Border.**

Washington, D. C.—A telegram received by private persons here from El Paso drew a grave picture of conditions on the Mexican border. The telegram said that fighting between Federalists and rebels began at Chihuahua City at 11 o'clock Sunday, and that many Americans were in danger. Americans in Northern Mexico are rushing across the border at El Paso and other points, fearing massacre by Mexicans, despite denials by administration officials that President Taft intends to intervene in Mexico.

Fervid activity prevailed Sunday in the War department, which usually is deserted on that day. This activity, around which a veil of secrecy was thrown, is believed to mean that more troops will soon be moved to the border.

El Paso—A telegram stating that fighting for the possession of Chihuahua City, capital of the Mexican state of that name, had begun, was followed by the hasty departure of the rebel garrison at Juarez to join their comrades in the fight.

Two telegrams bearing on the fight were received by General Ynez Salazar, the Juarez commander, from El Paso, one of the rebel leaders in the district about Chihuahua. Neither message was as detailed as its recipient could have wished, but both were sufficient to dispel languor which has characterized the work of the Juarez forces, and the detachment of from 800 to 1,000 men was speedily placed on board three sections of a freight train.

**FOOD SAMPLES STARTLE.**  
Sand, Salt, Alum and Glucose Among Adulterants Used.  
New Haven, Conn.—Even the food chemists at the Connecticut Agricultural station are surprised by the result of a series of tests they have just completed, which show that of 722 samples of food, drink and drugs analyzed, 232, or nearly one-third, were adulterated below standard or misbranded. The wooden nutmeg was not in evidence, but other things were, for example:  
Of 290 samples of milk, 7 were skimmed, 87 watered, and 3 both skimmed and watered.  
Of 46 samples of summer drinks, 10 contained benzoic acid, 2 coal tar dyes, 20 saccharine, and 8 artificial colorings.  
Only 4 out of 27 "cider vinegar" samples were genuine. The rest were made of distilled vinegar, boiled cider, apple waste and dried apples.  
Sand was found in chocolate.  
Root beer was commonly sweetened with glucose.  
Every sample of table relish except two had alum in it.

**TONGS PLANNING FOR WAR.**  
Outbreak is Expected at Any Moment in San Francisco.  
San Francisco—The temporary treaty of peace in Chinatown, which leading Chinese prayed would be made permanent, has been broken and the war clouds again hang low. Representative Chinese conferred with the leaders of the five tongs involved in the controversy and pleaded in vain that the existing difficulties be forgotten and that peace be restored.  
The peace envoys met with no success and asked the Six Companies to intervene. However, prominent Chinese concede that the prospect of restoring the peace hatchet is dim and war is expected at any time. Every member of the police squad in Chinatown is alert, for it is known several gunmen have come to the local Oriental quarter and are in hiding.

**City May Stop Merger.**  
Seattle—A court order was issued here temporarily restraining the Independent and Sunset Telephone companies from effecting consolidation of their systems. The order was issued on complaint of the city, which claims an equity of \$200,000 in the poles, wires and conduits of the Independent company, which equity will be placed in jeopardy if the merger is completed. Three deputy sheriffs who sought to seize copies of the order on the telephone officials were unable to find them.

**Mrs. Asquith Threatened.**  
London—Premier Asquith is worried over threats contained in anonymous letters which are being received by his wife. These are to the effect that unless women are enfranchised the Asquith family will be poisoned. It has been noticed that no windows with mirror panels were smashed by the suffragettes in their recent raid. This is attributed to the old superstition that it is unlucky to break a mirror. Some shopkeepers are now thinking of placing mirrors in the centers of all their show windows.

**Strikers to Resume Tasks.**  
Lawrence, Mass.—Striking operatives of the Arlington and Pacific mills, affiliated with the Central Labor union, have returned to work and accepted the 5 per cent minimum wage increase offered. The action is accepted generally as an indication that the Central Labor union will recommend the acceptance of the concession offered in all the mills. The Industrial Workers of the World strike committee declined the offer.

**Americans Advised to Leave.**  
Washington, D. C.—The gravity of the situation in Mexico has caused President Taft to issue a proclamation virtually warning American citizens to refrain from entering the country and advising those now resident there to leave when conditions threaten.

**Governors and Their Salaries.**

In Alabama a futile effort has just been made to raise the salary of the governor from \$5,000 to \$7,500. Alabama is one of the 16 states that pay their governors \$5,000 a year. There are three states that pay only \$4,500. There are seven in which the salary is \$4,000 and eight that pay \$3,000. Wyoming, Vermont and Nebraska think that \$2,500 is enough for a governor. There are 13 states that pay salaries higher than \$5,000, the range being from \$5,000 to \$12,000. One state, Illinois, pays the latter amount. Five states, including New York, pay \$10,000 each. Alabama is one of the leading commonwealths in the \$5,000 group. Colorado, Florida, Oregon and Idaho are others in this group. The governors of Alaska and Hawaii, both appointive, get \$5,000 a year each, while the governor of Porto Rico gets \$5,000.

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**Digestive Powers of Insects.**  
Some insects digest their food first and eat it afterward. They are so built as to be able to take only liquid food and they inject a digestive fluid into their prey and thus gradually dissolve it, sucking in the liquid so formed until nothing remains but the dry skin.

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**Curious English Custom.**  
Every Englishman is curious to observe in rural England, the auctioneer putting up a field and accepting bids only so long as a number of boys are running a race over a five course. The moment the hindmost boy reaches the goal the hammer falls and the meadow is knocked down to him who has made the last bid. This having been satisfactorily settled those present sit down to a meal of bread, cheese and spring onions.—London Times.

**Natural Trait.**  
The people who are weighed in the balance and found wanting are apt to complain that the scales are out of order.

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**Cotton Manufacture.**  
The cotton manufacture was introduced into Europe by the Arabs. Abdurhaman III, about the year 930, caused it to be commenced in Spain, from which country it spread slowly to other European lands. He also established extensive manufactures of silk and leather, and interested himself much in the culture of the silkworm. The Arabs were also the authors of the art of printing calicoes by wooden blocks, a great improvement on the old operation of painting by hand.

**Let the Truth Stand.**  
In Lillian Whiting's "The Brownings" occurs this anecdote: "In the last days in Venice Browning was reading to his son and daughter-in-law that 'Elogium' which sums up his own attitude to life and its problems—the familiar verse beginning, 'One who never turned his back, but marched breast forward,' and, pausing at the stanza, said, 'It seems almost like praising myself to say that, and yet it is true, the simple truth and so I shall not conceal it.'"

**The Deadly Pipe.**  
Personally we do not like the sight of distress, but we think we would rather enjoy seeing what would happen to a germ that tackled the kind of man who smokes a short black pipe.—Galveston News.

**Cannot Endure Human Gaze.**  
Wild animals are irritated by the gaze of man. If you are without arms, it has been found a good plan to pretend not to see the beast at all. He takes the gaze as a challenge.

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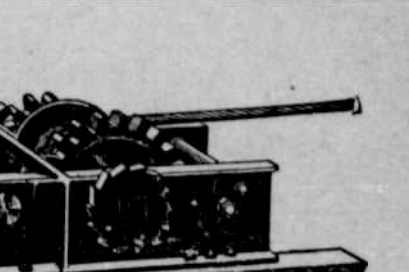
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**AMERICAN STUMP PULLER**



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Will pull them all, large and small, and pile them just like a 100-H. P. DONKEY ENGINE. Will clear two acres to the Donkey's one, using less or no powder at all. Am operated by one horse and one man.

Write and find out why you should know about the AMERICAN STUMP PULLER. THINK THIS OVER; Stump land does not pay TAXES, but when cleared it pays everything. This Machine is guaranteed to stand wear and tear and pull your stumps, or