

You Can't Kid a Policeman in Mexico Any More Than in New York

By "Bud" Fisher



APRIL FOOL'S DAY SEES USUAL JOKES

Save for the fact that several imaginary railroads were started, a number of mysterious packages were found, and for the usual frank telephone calls, April Fool's day has so far passed serenely. There are hints of appropriate doings at the council meeting this evening and vague rumors of "rich stunts" to be pulled after nightfall are in the air, so that when the day is completed it may have lived up to its reputation. Constable Estes was perhaps the first man to bite on an April first joke. Someone telephoned him to call at an east side address to take an indigent to the poor farm. When he called he found a vacant house. The porter of Bates barber shop enjoyed the day watching pedestrians fall for a phony package he had placed on the sidewalk and a lot of people kept the telephone busy informing the newspapers and friends that crews of workmen were busy laying tracks in different sections of the city and county. One man who owed another \$40 paid the bill with a check and then ordered payment on the same stopped, which was perhaps the cruelest joke of all.

OBITUARY.

Clinton, Illinois, papers contain the following obituary notice of Ira C. Johnson, who formerly lived at Phoenix, Ore., and who was a nephew of Sam and Hulda Calver, deceased: Only a few days ago Ira C. Johnson was about the streets, the last time he was in public was at the lecture course number, February 13. He was taken sick and almost from the first there seemed little hope of his recovery and after three weeks of suffering, the summons came at 6:35 last Friday evening. He had been afflicted with heart trouble, which was made the more serious by a large goiter. His age was 67 years, 4 months and 25 days, being born in Champlain county, Ohio, November 19, 1845.

His parents were Mr. and Mrs. Eason Johnson, the latter's maiden name being Alice Calendar, and both were natives of Champlain county, Ohio. In 1861, when but a boy of 16, against the wishes of his parents Mr. Johnson answered his country's call to arms by enlisting in the 98th Illinois Infantry for the 100 days' service. At the expiration of his term of enlistment he went to Ohio and joined the 66th regiment from that state as a bugler and remained with it as such for about three years. About 1876 Mr. Johnson went west, where he successfully engaged in various occupations in Kansas, Minnesota and Colorado. Then going farther west, he took up claims near Klamath Falls, Ore., which he owned at the time of his death, and subsequently located at Salem. He was united in marriage to Miss Edna Smith October 26, 1875, in Portland, though their homes were both in Salem. Twelve years ago, leaving their business interests in the west, they came to DeWitt county and occupied the old homestead south of Clinton to care for Mr. Johnson's parents, which they did well and faithfully.

They remained on the homestead until about a year ago, when they bought property on East Main street in Clinton, which they occupied. He was well advanced in Masonry and an honored member of the G. A. R. He was a friend of everybody and everybody was his friend. Two brothers and two sisters sur-

CENTRAL POINT POINTERS

Sunday morning Dr. Hearst preached his farewell sermon at the Presbyterian church. Dr. and Mrs. Hearst expect to leave for Portland the last of the week, Dr. Hearst having an appointment near the city to preach. The many friends of Dr. and Mrs. Hearst regret their departure very much and wish them much success in their new field of labor. Miss Margaret Holmes spent Sunday afternoon at the Modoc orchard. Frank McKee of Seven Oaks was shopping here Monday. Ivey Turrill of Corning, Cal., is here visiting friends. Mr. and Mrs. Stone of Willow Springs were shopping here Monday. Mrs. Dodge of Medford has been spending a few days with Mrs. Tuttle Sr. Mrs. Gleason, wife of Editor Gleason, who has been quite ill, is now convalescing and will soon be able to be out again. Mrs. Gleason of Phoenix is here visiting this week. Professor Milan of Ashland spent the last of the week here.

EAGLE POINT EAGLETS.

Our daughter, Mrs. G. H. Shaw, of Fairview, Ore., who has been with us for the past six weeks, returned home last Thursday. Her mother accompanied her as far as Medford. Allison Allen of Spokane, Wash., who has been up at Derby to visit his mother and brother, John Allen, came out on the train Thursday on the way to Seattle, where he will visit another brother, Thomas Allen. Their mother is now past 92 years old, and Mr. Allen says that she looks just as well as she did four or five years ago, and that, if it were not for the little dampness we have here the old people would simply dry up and blow away, it is so healthy here. Mrs. James Gillespy and C. Heron went to Medford Thursday. Roy Ashpole, our new hardware man, has been getting a lot of plows, harrows, etc., in stock. Harvey Stanley and his brother Carl transacted business in Eagle Point last of the week. Ed and John Higginbotham of Derby were guests at the Sunnyside Friday night, and Saturday morning went on to Jacksonville to pay their taxes. Frank Cantor of Derby was among the visitors Friday, as was also Henry French. He was on his way to Jacksonville to appear as a witness in the case of the state of Oregon versus Walter Woods. Mrs. Susan Hart made Eagle Point a hurried call Friday. Nick Young, one of our prosperous young farmers, drove into town Friday with a load of grain. Mrs. Woolery is having her home remodeled and a brick flue built. W. H. Crandall called on your correspondent and gave him the following item: Died, in Laramie, Wyo., March 27, 1913, Miss Anna Carpenter, sister of the late Judge C. E. Carpenter, without a moment's warning, of heart failure. Mr. Crandall had just received a letter from her in which she said that she was enjoying excellent health, and Friday he received a telegram that she was dead. She and her brother were out here last fall, he owning a tract of land joining Mr. Crandall's farm, and they were planning to settle up their business in Wyoming and come

GOOD GOVERNMENT LEAGUE MAY DISBAND

The good government league organized during the recent city campaign may be disbanded in the near future according to a sentiment voiced at a meeting of the organization Monday night to consider the matter. Final action will be taken at a meeting to be held in two weeks. Beautiful Hair, a Joy Forever. If you have a beautiful head of hair, try to keep it. If you have not, try to get it. Meritol Hair Tonic keeps the scalp clean, promotes a healthy growth of beautiful hair, and keeps it soft and lustrous. Try it. Haskins Drug Store. Southern Pacific Excursion. Special train to Grants Pass and return Wednesday, April 2, 1913. One fare for round trip, \$1. Train will leave Medford 1 p. m. Returning, leave Grants Pass at 5 p. m., reaching Medford 6 p. m. Ball game between the American Giants (colored) and Grants Pass. Colored team recently defeated Portland Beavers four games out of five.

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