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'About the rarest thing nowadays is good old fashioned common sense!'

LAUGHS

Strategy: 'Yes,' said Mrs. Scraggs across the fence, 'we've changed all our bedroom furniture. We gave away the black walnut stuff and put in mahogany dressers and brass beds.'

Evidently an Aid: Williamson—What books have helped Hooker most? Henderson—The ones he borrowed from me, I suppose. He never returned them.—Judge.

Ma Grump Says: 'Don't make your defense too strong. Lots of time you'd never know a feller ever had a drink if you didn't smell the clothes.'—Peoria Journal.

A Donation: Mrs. Murphy was getting the supper for the children on Saturday night when a young woman came to her door. 'I'm a collector for the Drunkards' Home,' she said. 'Could you help us?'

Hard to Impress: 'Yes,' said nonchalant Mr. Wombat, 'I was in Egypt.' 'I suppose you stood awestruck before the grand and solemn sphinx?'

His Motive: Benevolent Individual—Yes, sir; I hold that when a man makes a little extra money his first duty is to make his wife a present of a handsome dress.

General Fault: 'Your boss says that the trouble with his office is that he can't get things done.' 'Yes, I've noticed that myself regarding a raise in my salary.'

Explicit: 'Boy, did you see a man pass here with one eye closed?'

Fangs of Absence: 'I see Mr. Gluzg pass on his way to work every morning and he looks very sad since his wife went to the country. He must miss her.'

STOCKS DECLINE FROM TENSENESS OF WAR CRISIS

NEW YORK, May 10.—The Lusitania disaster today continued to dominate the stock market, prices falling soon after a firm opening. Declines were moderate at the outset, but gained in extent during the first hour. War specialties, particularly Bethlehem Steel and Westinghouse Electric, were weak from the start, losing 3 to 5 1/2 points.

United States Steel and Reading sold down to a parity with the low level of last Friday. Southern Pacific, Great Northern, Pennsylvania, St. Paul and Mexican Petroleum went under their low quotations of that session.

That the investment situation shows little disturbance was seen in the announcement that almost 90 per cent of the Pennsylvania railroad \$65,000,000 bond issue had been sold. Liquidation became more effective toward midday, at which time leading stocks were at lowest levels for the current movement and the general list showed acute weakness.

The movement got part of its impetus from rumors from Washington and foreign sources, which bore upon the tenseness of the situation. Cotton broke badly just before noon today, losing in all 57 points as the result of alarming rumors which reached brokers from Washington and elsewhere. The reports were promptly denied and the market quickly rallied.

NAMES DRAWN FOR SPRING GRAND JURY

The work of selecting the spring jury was completed this week. The grand jury has also been selected and will go into session May 17th. There are three men in jail now awaiting the action of the grand jury. But all indications point toward a short session as the civil docket is fairly small.

The grand jury will be composed of Oris Crawford, foreman; Ed Helms, J. E. McDonald, E. D. Wolverton, Peter Barneburg, C. R. Moore and Lloyd Houston. The petit jury is as follows: Benl. C. Sheldon, Medford.

Clifton Smith, Rogue River, farm'r A. E. Hall, Griffin creek, rancher. A. S. Kleinhammer, Buncom, farmer.

LEO FRANK TO HANG

(Continued from page one) not upon the facts or the evidence. 'Since the jury heard the case, no court of inquiry or review has sifted the evidence. No decision of any appeals court undertook to predicate an opinion or the record of the testimony and evidence. The doubt of the trial judge as to my guilt still remains.'

IT'S IN HIS POWER TO START WAR WITH CHINA



Count Okuma, Japanese premier, who may plunge his country into war with China.

BRITISH MARINES FIRING ON MOSLEMS FROM CAPTURED TURKISH REDOUBT



The heavy fire from allies' warships drove the Turks out of this redoubt, which is now held by British marines.

PREDICT RETURN OF OF REVEREND DODGE

The Rev. C. E. Dodge, who left Medford two months ago upon orders from a father and brother of one of his women converts, will return to this city Wednesday, accompanied by his wife. This has been 'revealed' in the latest prophecy, and was received by members of the congregation at their last meeting, held in a home on West Fourth street. At the same time word was received that the 'non-believer' who was telling tales on the cult founded by the Rev. Dodge, would be punished. The congregation were also told the name of the 'non-believer.'

Though without a pastor, the flock holds regular meetings in homes of the converts. The sect predicted that Roxy Ann would erupt and destroy Medford, and last week received a message in a somewhat indefinite form that a holocaust was due to devastate the city and valley.

BRINGS PRETTIEST OF HIS FOUR WIVES HERE



Ernest Womack, a young man, was fined \$10 and costs in the police court this morning on a disorderly conduct charge. Young Womack is alleged to have thrown a sandwich at the Community day dinner at the City park Saturday noon, that struck a woman visitor. She remonstrated, whereupon the young man is said to have used insulting language. Womack was dismissed upon the promise that he would apologize to the woman and secure her permission for the remission of the fine.

COUNTY ASSISTS BLUE LEDGE BRIDGE

By action of the county court this morning a bridge is assured across the Applegate at the junction of the Middle Fork and Elliot creek. The structure will cost \$1900, \$250 being granted by Jackson county, \$250 by Siskiyou county, Cal., and the remaining \$500 by the farmers and miners of the Blue Ledge district. The application was granted upon the petition of the Medford Commercial club, and the residents of the Blue Ledge district.

John A. Perl UNDERTAKER

Lady Assistant 28 S. HARTLETT Phones M. 47 and 47-J2 Ambulance Service Coroner

ARTIST BWEIGAARD SUFFERS A STROKE

O. Bweigaard, while working in his garden at his home on East Main street was stricken with paralysis on the left side and lies at Sacred Heart hospital in a serious condition. Bweigaard is an artist, his greatest work being the construction of inland wood work, which won first prize at the Lewis and Clark exposition at Portland in 1905. He has these pictures on exhibition at the San Francisco fair. The picture that won the highest award at Portland is well known to Medford people, having hung on the walls of the Medford National bank for the last ten years. The stricken man is well known in this city.

THROWING SANDWICH COST TEN DOLLARS

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Medford's Leading Theater MONDAY and TUESDAY



CHARLES CHAPLIN in 'By the Sea' LUBIN FEATURE RATED AT \$10,000,000 Three Parts VITAGRAPH THE SORT OF A GIRL WHO CAME FROM HEAVEN ESSANAY SUE Monday Only Special feature for the Modern Woodmen of America 'THE MAN WHO CAME BACK' 5-10-15c

NO FORMAL HEARING OF BULLIS CROSSING

Word was received by the Southern Oregon Traction company (Bullis line) that there would be no formal hearing of their application for the right to cross the Southern Pacific tracks at Main avenue, by the State Railroad commission. All the details of the petition will be conducted by mail, the commission finding it was unable to come to southern Oregon as scheduled. It is said the Southern Pacific will offer no contest on the application, aside from the fixing of crossing expenses, proper ties, and signal facilities.

SUBMARINE U-39 SUNK LUSITANIA

LONDON, May 19.—The Central News has received a dispatch from its correspondent at Genoa, who says a telegram received there from Munich declares that the German submarine U-39 was responsible for the sinking of the Lusitania.

STAR

Medford's Most Popular Playhouse TONIGHT

PARAMOUNT PICTURE

Herbert Bosworth IN THE COUNTRY MOUSE

A story of country and city life COMING THURSDAY-FRIDAY

MRS. BLACK IS BACK

WITH MAY IRWIN FIVE AND TEN CENTS

NO TRAINS FROM SOUTH TILL THURSDAY

Traffic on the Southern Pacific from the south is paralyzed, owing to the washout of three-quarters of a mile of track near Kennett, Cal. Local officials said today that they did not expect a train before Thursday afternoon. In the meantime all travel for California points below Kennett will be routed via Denver. The Shasta Limited, due in this city at 2:30 a. m., is tied up by the washout. Heavy rains and flood conditions in the Sacramento river valley are responsible for the condition.

PARTY LABEL IN CALIFORNIA NOW ANCIENT HISTORY

SACRAMENTO, Cal., May 10.—Four bills wiping out all political party lines in state elections and leaving the party label only to candidates for congressman and United States senator stand out as the most important legislation enacted by the forty first California legislature, which adjourned sine die today. Under the non-partisan acts, voters will register without naming any partisan affiliation. At primary elections where members of congress are to be nominated, there will be only one ballot. Voters when handed their ballot will declare their party and all candidates for congress of other parties will be stamped out. In place of the present method of selecting delegates to the state party conventions, committees will be elected by congressional district, and they, with the party nominees for congress will compose the state conventions. Movements have been begun by advocates of the party political system in state government for a referendum on these non-partisan measures, which were the principal legislation urged by Governor Johnson. Other important bills for raising approximately ten per cent, the tax rates on gross revenues of corporations, permitting the employment of state prisoners on highways, for establishing a tuberculosis test for dairy cows, no milk to be sold from cows showing symptoms of tuberculosis and standardization tests for fruit.

IT THEATER TONIGHT

'The Inside of the WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC'

Samuel London's World-Renowned Photo Play in Five Big Thrilling Reels.

The Most Graphic Exposure of the White Slave Traffic Ever Attempted. Produced at a Cost of \$20,000

This is the photoplay that was seized and stopped by the Seattle police at the Melbourne theater last week. It was afterward released without prejudice, and at the urgent solicitation of reform workers in that city it has been engaged for a return date at the same theater. If you sympathize with crooked police work and the ruin of innocent young girls DON'T COME. You will be offended. If you would know the trail of the serpent from homes like your own to the gateways of hell in a city's 'restricted district' go to the It Theater tonight and see a powerful sermon without words. You will come away a cleaner-minded man or woman.

Helen Knight, physician in charge of the Magdalene Home, New York City, says of this film: 'The presentation of your picture, 'The Inside of the White Slave Traffic,' in every town and hamlet in the United States would mean the elimination of white slavery.'

there is nothing in these pictures to offend the pure-minded. ONLY TEN CENTS

ROOSEVELT SCHOOL

REPEATS

A Mid-Summer Night's Dream

AT

STAR THEATER TONIGHT

AT 8:00 P. M. General Admission 25 Cents to All