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LAUGHS

Convinced: Defeated Candidate—You encouraged me to run for office. You know you did. You said you thought I wouldn't make a bad alderman.

Above Such Things: "Girls ought to be taught how to stand and hold themselves."

Lacking: A rifleman, in telling a story, said: "My aim is to always tell the truth."

No Such Luck: Father was reading a list of the imports cut off by the European war.

How's that?: "You had more to dye, then."

To Be Sure: "Hist!" whispered the villain, creeping stealthily away.

His Tale of Woe: Boy Merchant—Yus. kind, lidy, there's sevin ov us at 'ome, ori starvin'.

Air Castles: "I say, Clarence has joined the flying corps."

Wife, you have overpaid your allowance.

Oh, that was due to an over-right.

"Henry, what kind of a stove is a Ty Cobb?"

"Good gracious, Ty Cobb isn't a stove."

"Isn't he? My, I've heard him referred to as a base burner."

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Reported by Jackson County Abstract Co., Sixth and Fir Sts.

Real Estate Transfers: Jackson Co. Imp. Co. to Rogne lands, Inc., land in 26, 1W, and 26 2W \$10.00

Medford Realty and Imp. Co. to Medford Warehouse Co. lots in blk. 31 Medford. 225.00

Theone E. Carlin to Cora F. Wilson, pt. 8, 37 1W. 1.00

C. H. Patterson et ux to G. A. Gage et al, pt. 7, 37, 1W. 1.00

Probate: Estate of A. P. Talent, report of sale of real property.

Estate of Edward A. King, citation. Estate of Wm. H. Johnson, final account and report, order fixing time and place of final settlement.

Estate of C. M. Webber, final account, order fixing time and place of final settlement.

With Medford Trade is Medford Made

SAFETY FIRST

"SAFETY FIRST" is the axiom today of all the large manufacturing and industrial enterprises. It is the motto of all railroads. The old disregard of human life belongs to a past era, when only the dollar entered into calculation.

To secure public safety millions of dollars are being spent. Thousands of appliances are being installed. Strict regulations are being enforced. Everywhere protection for the public is the controlling feature of construction.

Nowhere is the safety first idea being enforced more than in the construction of traffic routes—whether rail or highway. And this is so because it is realized that loss of life is easily avoidable if proper construction obtains.

The most fatalities on highways are caused by railroad grade crossings. As a consequence the rail crossing is being abandoned on all modern highways. The necessity for this is recognized in nearly all states by laws forbidding the establishment of such a crossing.

The state highway commission recognized the need of eliminating the grade crossings at its first organization by passing a resolution withholding state aid from highways with them.

The Siskiyou highway will have comparatively little travel compared to the highway in the heart of the valley. The need of avoiding a grade crossing held up the construction of the highway at the Billings hill.

The establishment of these crossings lengthens the highway half a mile. The route selected includes seven right angles, besides running alongside the dangerous open channel of Jackson creek.

The Mail Tribune, in calling attention to this subject, has no interests to serve but the public's—and the public interest demands the shortest, safest and cheapest route—which is not the route selected.

It is respectfully suggested that the county commissioners rescind their order and adopt a safe route.

BRYAN'S RESIGNATION

THE resignation of William J. Bryan as secretary of state at a critical moment in the nation's history is hailed with regret by supporters of the administration, and with jubilation by its opponents.

Bryan, as the author of nearly thirty peace treaties with the principal nations of the world, stands forth as the world's foremost peace advocate. For years he has devoted himself to forwarding the interests of peace, and his accomplishments for peace remain his crowning achievement.

For twenty years Bryan has been the target for partisan ridicule and abuse, such as has not been showered upon any American in this generation. In advance of his time, he has lived to see many of the measures he was denounced for advocating, the accepted law of the land.

Bryan's course is logical and consistent. The man who dared to defy plutocracy three in campaigns for the presidency and who again threw down the gauntlet in the Baltimore convention and forced the nomination of Woodrow Wilson and thereby reaped plutocracy's bitter resentment, the man who has always been firm for the right, as it was given him to see the right, is not the man to sanction acts he believes wrong.

Bryan's influence has always been for humanity and for better things. This is a better nation and a better world for his having lived. Of how many of our statesmen can the same be said? The loss of such a man will weaken the cabinet, though it may strengthen the administration in the nation, as much of the unreasoning partisan prejudice aroused by the mere presence of Bryan will be dissipated.

AWARD FRUIT FROM OREGON GOLD MEDAL

EXPOSITION GROUNDS, San Francisco, Cal., June 9.—Oregon has scored a tremendous triumph at the Panama Pacific international exposition by being awarded the gold medal for her horticultural exhibit.

The competition was extremely keen, and Oregon won over magnificent exhibits from all over the world, many of the states, and all the Pacific coast states. Oregon's exhibit cost the state \$2500, Washington's \$7500 and California a much larger sum.

John A. Perl UNDERTAKER, Lady Assistant, 28 S. BARTLETT, Phone M. 47 and 47-32, Ambulance Service, Coroner.

Be an Old-Fashioned Wife Advice of Madame Schumann-Heink to Brides



MADAME SCHUMANN-HEINK. (Tomorrow Madame Schumann-Heink will begin her series on "Advice to June Brides" in the Mail Tribune. Don't neglect to read them.)—Editor.

(By Idah McGlone Gibson.) CHICAGO, Ill., June 9.—We sat in the twilight of a wonderful spring afternoon in the beautiful drawing-room of the beloved prima donna—Madame Schumann-Heink, on Michigan avenue.

The diva, who had lost almost all her friends and relatives in the war, was pale with emotion. In the half light that played over her wonderful features great sorrow shone—the sadness in her big woman's heart over the suffering of the countless men and women in the wake of the great devastation.

The next moment her eyes danced with good nature and pleasure as the conversation turned to bread-making. And her children! Eight of them!

"So you are going to write what you have learned for other women—young women to whom the pitfalls of matrimony yawn wide—the brides of June?"

As I asked this Madame Schumann-Heink clasped her nervous hands—the slender-fingered hands of the artist and woman of temperament—over her heart.

She herself is all heart—the wonderful heart of the woman who has loved and suffered—who has asked for bread and has been given a stone, and yet remains a woman who is still in love with living—who has tasted and found all of life good.

It did not take me as long to come to the foregoing conclusion as it has to write it, and immediately I found myself listening to a speaking voice, vibrant with sympathy.

"Do you suppose I can help them—really help them—these dear girls who are going to take up the responsibilities of wedlock this spring?"

Madame Schumann-Heink is one of those very rare women who can and has made goodness interesting. She is intensely religious, a splendid mother and a wonderful singer.

She has lived the feminine life to the fullest; she has known joy and grief overwhelming. She has the naivete of the great artist and when I asked her the question in my open-

BILLINGS GIVEN WATSON'S JOB

A dispatch from Salem yesterday announces the appointment by Gov. Withycombe of G. F. Billings of this city, as a member of the conservation commission, to succeed T. B. Watson, also of Ashland. Mr. Billings disavows any knowledge of the appointment.

STAR Medford's Most Popular Playhouse

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