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Joseph—Reason fat men always laugh because so fat no can run or flight.

Eddy—Aakee should you love neighbor Surely, if plitty enough.

Card of Tilton, N. H., man: LORD'S GARAGE. (Next door to the church.)

The Chicago Tribune suggests that this garage is probably entered on "high."

Not the Reason. "My stomach's out of order, doctor?"

"Have you tried home cooking?" "No; that's not the reason."

An Idyl "He's my ideal and I'm his idol," said the chic girl in blue. "Our love affair is an idyl and my fiancée—er-er-er—his idle just now."

A doctor from Blueberry Hills Who was always prescribing green pills, Turned his customers green From their instep to spleen But he never collected his bills.

Today's Bellringer Mayor Mitchell of New York when hunting in the west, came upon a cavalcade led by a hearse. Four horses were required to draw the hearse. The mayor asked a native why it took so many horses to draw the vehicle.

"Wal," came the reply, "se see, this tenderfoot got fresh with Big Pete, the bad man, and Pete pumped him so full o' lead that he makes considerable load."

Stella's Bargain Counter Many women with impertinent maids can't always make them keep their places—(more than two weeks.)

The New York Tribune is suggesting ways in which the modern newspaper writer might be expected to handle the great "news stories" of history. Following is the "story" of Barbara Frietchie:

Aged Dixie Woman Bravely Defends Stars and Stripes (Septagenerienne, showing one heart was loyal yet, shields national emblem from insult by "stone-wall" Jackson, "Fod" leader.)

By John G. Whittier. Baltimore, Md., Dec. 20—Miss B. Frietchie, a collector of Frederick, Md., narrowly escaped being killed early this morning early morning by the water through the obituary of T. J. ("Stone-wall") Jackson, a Confederate general. A troop of Confederate soldiers, Gen. Jackson commanding, was marching down 4th street, when Miss Frietchie, bowed with her 70 years, unfurled the union jack from her attic window.

The men were about to shoot at the banner, when Gen. Jackson ordered them to desist, under pain of ignominious death.

A YELLOW FIZZLE

THE PORTLAND OREGONIAN has surprised and shocked its circle of conservatives during the past week by a floundering, painful and almost pitiful attempt to display its yellow streak in the portrayal of news in a sensational manner. Its valuable first-page space, reserved for the world's most momentous events, and many other columns have been taken up in the repetitions of trivialities in a somewhat commonplace and tawdry tragedy occurring in a country town.

It seems that in the peaceful village of Willamina, William Booth, a farmer, was slain. The arrest on suspicion followed of William Branson, an employe, and of Mrs. Booth, wife of the murdered man, whom village scandal stood ready to accuse of undue intimacy. They were arrested because the authorities did not know who else to arrest.

All facts and circumstances regarding the tragedy could have been related in a quarter of a column of space. There was not enough of the unusual or sensational or of general interest connected with the story to warrant its mention in the press associations' reports. Yet from these meager outlines, this village mystery, the Oregonian deliberately set to work to manufacture a state-wide sensation.

There was perhaps the foundation for an interesting story, had it been well told, which it was not, or had the Oregonian sleuths succeeded in digging up any real evidence, but a week has seen the only evidence uncovered the fact that the murdered man was a distant relation of the late republican candidate for senator, and the families of the accused parties were "prominent and much respected" and the further important facts that "everybody knew them."

The Oregonian had best stick to its last as a newspaper for the classes and expend its yellowness in protection of plutocracy, for as creator of sensations it displays neither news judgment nor ability. Out of touch with the life of the people, it cannot vividly and interestingly portray even a village tragedy.

OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS

A BEET sugar factory is offered the Rogue River valley, providing the people are sufficiently interested to grow the beets.

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The Utah-Oregon company have the seed ready for planting. They have the experts to assist in growing the beets. They have the extra help needed. They offer the same contract to growers that is offered in Utah, except that they pay for the beets at the shipping point instead of at the factory, thereby paying the freight.

Tests made the past year show that beets can be grown most successfully here. Some of the beets average thirty-five tons to the acre. They average high in percentage of sugar. Soil and climate are particularly adapted to beet culture.

It is an undisputed fact that even during times of depression beet sugar districts are prosperous. There is plenty of work and a fair profit to the farmer.

It is up to the land-owners and farmers of the valley to accept or reject the very fair proposition offered. If the proposal is rejected, the valley has only itself to blame for continuation of present conditions.

Every land owner, every farmer should do his share in creating prosperity by signing up available acreage for sugar beets. Then he will have one crop on which he can always depend for profit. If he doesn't, he will only have himself to reproach.

\$2,000,000 MASONIC TEMPLE DEDICATED TODAY AT U. S. CAPITAL



The Scottish Rite Temple

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 19.—"Erected to God and Dedicated to the Service of Humanity," as the great inscription over its center door proclaims, the magnificent \$2,000,000 Scottish Rite Masonic temple was today dedicated with solemn ceremonies and with some of the most notable men connected with the order in attendance.

Supreme Grand Commander Geo. Fleming Moore presided at the dedication ceremonies and also delivered the oration of the day. Lieutenant Grand Commander Charles E. Hamilton of Little Rock, Ark., and Sovereign Grand Inspectors General Charles E. Bink of Louisiana, Ernest B. Huxsey of Washington, Trevaun W. Hugo of Minnesota, John H. Cowins of Kentucky, John W. Morris of West Virginia, Adolphus I. Fitzgerald of Nevada and Sam P. Cochran of Texas, the ranking officers of the council, participated in the ceremonies.

The temple, patterned after the mausoleum of King Mausolus of Halicarnassus, which is one of the seven wonders of the world, has been in course of construction for several years. Viewed from outside, it presents a plain base upon which rest 72 massive pillars supporting a lofty pyramidal entablature. It is approached by four flights of steps and the entrance is flanked by two colossal sphinxes, symbols of divine power and wisdom, one with open eyes and the other with eyes closed.

The dedication service read today was adapted from the writings of the late famous grand commander, Albert Pike.

The benediction by the grand primate, who also made the opening prayer, was preceded by the unfurling of the Scottish Rite standard and the American flag, with the singing of "The Star-Spangled Banner" by the entire assemblage in united chorus, accompanied by the orchestra.

SQUIRREL FOOD — BY AHERN "DREAM DOPE"



THOMAS TAGGART'S CASE DISMISSED

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 19.—The case against Thomas Taggart, democratic national committeeman from Indiana, charged with election conspiracy, was dismissed by Special Judge W. H. Eliehorn in the criminal court today on the motion of Prosecutor A. J. Rucker.

The cases of more than 100 other men, who were indicted with Taggart and Mayor Joseph E. Bell, were put over to December 1. Mayor Bell was acquitted by a jury last Wednesday after a trial lasting more than five weeks.

Prosecutor Rucker, in moving to dismiss the case against Taggart stated that the testimony of witnesses affecting Taggart in the Bell case, was much weaker than the testimony they gave before the grand jury. In view of this change of testimony, Rucker said he did not believe the evidence sufficient to convict Taggart.

HOME RULE OPPOSER QUILTS BRITISH CABINET

LONDON, Oct. 19.—Sir Edward Carson, attorney general has resigned from the British cabinet.

Sir Edward Carson, prior to the outbreak of the war, was the leader of the movement against home rule for Ireland which for a time threatened civil war in Ulster county. At that time he was the conservative member of parliament for Dublin university and gained great notoriety for his speech attacking the government and the sympathies of home rule and threatening in case the king signed the home rule bill to aid in setting up a provisional government in Ulster.

He was the first to sign the covenant of resistance to home rule, and led the Ulsterites in the formation of the Ulster volunteers.

When the present coalition government was formed last May, Sir Edward was given the portfolio of attorney general. Some of the English newspapers expressed the view that this appointment was a mistake.

BRITISH MAJOR GENERAL AT GALLIPOLI RECALLED

LONDON, Oct. 19.—Major General Charles Carmichael Monro has been appointed to command the Dardanelles expedition, in succession to General Sir Ian Hamilton, who is returning to England to make a report. This announcement is made by the war office.

That all has not been going well with the expeditionary forces sent to the Gallipoli peninsula to open the way to Constantinople had been admitted not only by the official reports but by intimations in high quarters in London. A few days ago in the British parliament, Viscount Milner suggested the withdrawal of the troops from Gallipoli and their transfer to some other theater of the war.

In reply, Lord Lansdowne said it was impossible for any member of the government to give an undertaking that the troops would be continued in the Dardanelles operations or withdrawn from them.

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ITALY DECLARES WAR ON BULGARIA

ROME, Oct. 19.—Italy has declared war on Bulgaria, according to an announcement by the Stefani News agency.

The Havas correspondent at Rome telegraphs: "The Italian government, by order of the king, declared that a state of war existed between Italy and Bulgaria by reason of Bulgaria's having opened hostilities against Serbia, thus allying itself with the enemies of Italy and combatting her allies."

AUTO THIEF KILLS OFFICER AND ESCAPES

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 19.—Scores of police are searching the hills outside the city for Harry Duncan, whom the police allege, shot and killed Police Sergeant J. G. Toolen early today when he attempted to enter the Duncan home to arrest him in connection with automobile thefts. Late last night Toolen arrested three automobile thieves who made a confession, according to the police, implicating Duncan.

Looney Limericks A man with a gnat in his ear Tried to drown it by pouring in beer; But the gnat became stewed Like a regular dude, And he kicked the bloke's brains out of gear.

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\$25,000,000 GOLD FROM ENGLAND

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—The latest shipment of gold from England to the United States, said to be larger than any of the previous consignments, arrived here today and was placed in the assay office. The gold is said to consist chiefly of British sovereigns and to be worth approximately \$25,000,000.

The gold was consigned to J. P. Morgan & Co.

The latest shipment was surrounded by even more secrecy than the previous ones. While it had been rumored that a shipment of gold was on the way here, nothing definite was known until eight large auto trucks arrived at the assay office.

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