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UNION LABEL

Ye Smudge Pot

By Arthur Perry

The country is getting back to normalcy all right, which has nothing at all to do with hulleconomy.

About the only thing the Illinois lady who fasted 43 days accomplished because her husband would not go to church, was to get out of eating her own cooking for that period.

THE BRUTES HAVE IT ON THE INTELLECTUALS AGAIN (Corvallis Gazette Times)

This is the evening when Dr. Sparks, chautauquan, lectures at Moose hall.

He is reputed to be a wonder. The lecture will be over in time for the Firemen's big Smoker.

An anti-elopeement bill will be introduced in the legislature. Regulation of the sentiments will be as highly successful as prohibition. Man will swoon when the notion hits, not according to law.

Herb Alford is not mad at himself anymore, and has cut off his goatie.

The boys of today are the men of tomorrow, and under the present capitalistic system the blondes of Tuesday are the brunettes of Thursday.

HIC! HIC! HIC! (Klamath Herald)

O. Wabblers of Stuckie bridge, in town on business today.

The British government does not like the idea of American ships sailing thru the Panama canal without paying tolls. Inasmuch as the canal was built with American money, and by American brains it is quite unreasonable. This gives rise to the question: What European nation is collecting the rent for use of the White House?

Predictions of panic are still running amuck in local citizens, who have no equipment for the care of their whiskers.

Mr. Harding is having a hard time picking out a secretary of war. If the idea is to get one to compare with the present occupant, it is not worth the mental effort involved.

"BOYS WILL BE BOYS" (Albany Democrat)

Wanted—A middle aged lady capable to care for home and two little boys while mother is in hospital. Call at Democrat office, No. 2523 for information.

A farmer friend reports that it is unjust to tax the country dog, and let the city cat run loose. Still they wonder at the steady growth of fool ideas among the masses.

"Hanson A Democrat Still" (Hillside Roseburg News). Officer, said that man!

The man who invented the ready made necktie is dead. The time saved in tying was lost keeping them in place. They hitched onto the collar button, and were considered a great invention when a man with two pair of suspenders was a dandy.

OBITUARY.

MAYFIELD—Florence Josephine Mayfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mayfield, died at the family home six miles north of Beagle, Dec. 28, Saturday, January 16, of pneumonia, aged 18 years, 8 months, 23 days. She leaves her parents and two brothers and two sisters, Raymond, Herbert, Margerite and Roberta. The funeral service will be held at the First Presbyterian home Monday at 2 p. m. Interment in Central Point cemetery.

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SKATING ON THIN ICE.

JAPAN is smaller than California. There are less than three and one-half million people in California. There are over 58 million in Japan. Obviously Japan must have, and should have, an outlet for its excess population.

According to a dispatch from Tokio today, the United States protest on the killing of Lieutenant Langdon contains an intimation that Japanese penetration in Siberia, will be opposed by Uncle Sam. Japan resents the suggestion that while the United States holds fast to legemony in the west, she is denied it in the east.

There is valid ground for Japanese resentment. If the Anglo-Saxon world is to deny her expansion in both the east and west, it is difficult to see how trouble can be averted. For Japan must go somewhere, and if she can't go peacefully, she will fight her way,—for no nation can be expected to sign her own death warrant.

The situation clearly shows the necessity of an understanding with Japan, which recognizes her needs, as well as her obligations. Certainly the world must be large enough to allow Japan elbow room without encroaching upon the color question or inflaming American susceptibilities.

Japan is the leading nation of the far East, her vital interests are woven inextricably into the Oriental fabric; it would seem not only good business, but good policy to grant her a leadership in the eastern world, which the United States enjoys in the western world.

The question, of course, is a complicated one. Anti-Japanese feeling in China is strong, there is a basic incompatibility between the Samurai idea in Japan and the Soviet idea in Russia, no Anglo-Saxon could view with complacency the threat of a Yellow race alliance, and yet something must be done to furnish Japan room for normal growth, or war will be inevitable.

The problem is a real one, and of immediate importance. The new Republican administration will need the best ability, the greatest degree of foresight and diplomatic skill, in effecting a just and desirable settlement of this perplexing question.



THE KNOWING ONE.

IF I HAD John H. Milton's harp, my brow in wreaths arrayed, I'd sing an ode about the sharp who truly knows his trade, be it the boning of a carp, or filing of a spade. Nine workmen tried to fix my bus, which had been hitting wrong; for days I saw them with it fuss, the while their bill grew long, and I could only weep and cuss, when scheduled for a song. They held an inquest on my cart, that was of little use; they took the motor all apart, and pried the crankshaft loose, to find out why things wouldn't start when they applied the juice. And when their greasy toil was done, the boat was just the same; the whatyoucallit wouldn't run, the thingumbob was lame; and it had taken all my ton to pay them for their game. They might have made good auctioneers, or coroners, or clerks; they might have won out herding steers, or preening in the kirks; but they were lemons it appears, among a motor's works. And then came workman number ten, when those nine jays had gone; ye one, of nature's noblemen came skipping up the lawn; he came to earn an honest yen, and did, so help me John. He was a man of pep and sense, a workman skilled was he, and in an hour he banished thence the grief that spoiled my glee, and my old car would jump a fence or climb a banyan tree.

CHILD FEEDING FUND NEAR \$700 MARK

To the Editor: Your splendid benevolent campaign in the support of Hoover to relieve the suffering, help less children in the far east is extremely commendable. Your aggressive campaign with the graphic reminders causes one to stop and wonder, "What if the center of war had been in our locality?"

Every time I buy a tin of Prince Albert or a cigar, every time I sit down to appetizing meal, I am reminded of these humiliated, starving human beings, brought to that condition by force of greater power of other so-called humans, and the wish follows that I might share with them some of the good things that surround me.

No humane person having plenty to eat, sufficient clothing and a comfortable place to repose should neglect to shove out a few dimes to help this cause.

I feel quite guilty for procrastinating so long, so here is ten,—and I feel better already.

May the Supreme Power keep you steadfast in this admirable humane work to the end that you, Hoover and all his supporters may be crowned with glory for your Saviour-like labor.

ED STAPLES, Ashland, January 14.

This letter is typical. There is nothing sanctimonious about Ed. He would never win the prize as a psalm singer, or distributor of halos. But he has a big heart and a warm one. And any sort of suffering, particularly among those who are too young to fight life's battles alone, hits him straight between the eyes.

And in this he is typical of America, of this section of the country, as well as every other. It is this spirit that has brought a voluntary cam-

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Some states are now making automobile owners carry liability insurance as a protection to all concerned.

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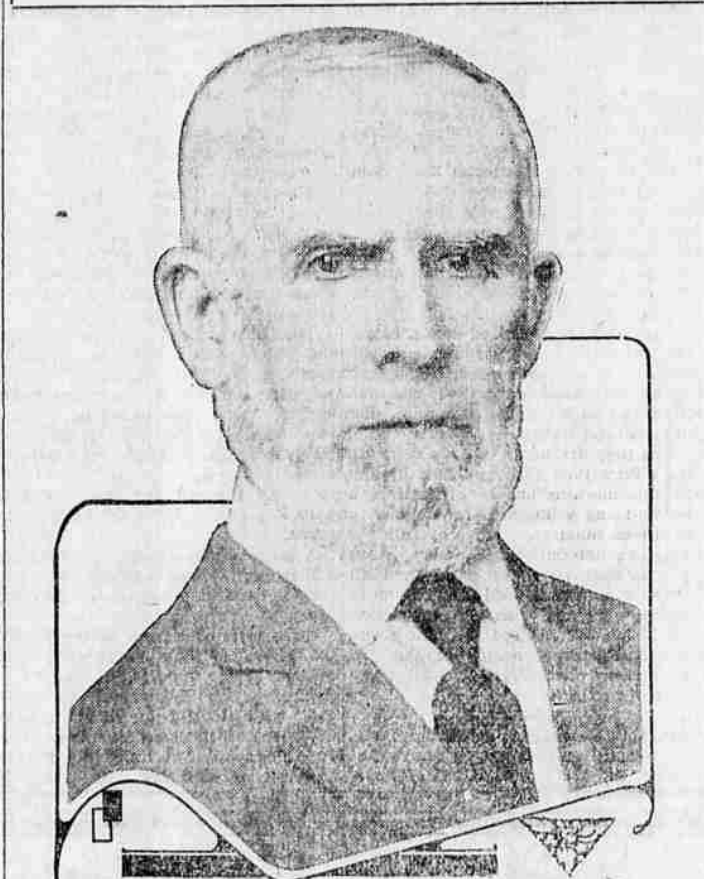
All Forms of Insurance Medford National Bank Building

plan fund, starting at \$10 up to nearly \$700 in less than a week's time, and it is to this spirit, rather than to any individual or organization, that praise should be given.

Over three score of the starving children of Middle Europe are to be fed and clothed during the winter, thanks to the people of Jackson county who have responded to an appeal for help. As Senator Harding has said,—it is this fine spirit, this spirit of kindness, of wholesome unpretentious beneficence which represents the true heart of America.

Table listing names and amounts contributed to the fund, including Mrs. V. M. C., Mrs. C. H. Dunniston, C. A. Parr, etc.

Quaker Minister Is Grateful to Tanlac



Rev. Parker Moon, Carthage, Missouri

Nearly everybody in Southwest Missouri either knows or has heard of the Rev. Parker Moon, who for a full half century has devoted his life and talents to Sunday school and organization work for the Society of Friends or Quakers. He resides at 628 Howard avenue, Carthage, Mo.

"Uncle Parker," as he is more familiarly known, came from five odd rugged Quaker stock and there is not a better known or more highly respected citizen in that part of the state. In referring to his remarkable restoration to health, by Tanlac, he said:

"About five years ago I suffered a general breakdown. My principal trouble was nervous indigestion. My appetite was very poor and my food seldom agreed with me, and I had to live on a very restricted diet. I suffered a great deal from headaches and dizzy spells; I had severe pains across the small of my back and was badly constipated most of the time. In fact, I was so weak and rundown I was not able to attend to my duties.

"This condition made me very nervous and I could not sleep at night. Frequently I would be awake most all night and was in that condition more or less for five years. My physician said he could not do anything for me and suggested a change of climate. Then moved to Texas and went back and forth three times, but did not get the relief I had hoped for. Finally, I got so bad off I was not able to get around with any degree of comfort. I was also told I had heart trouble.

"I had read about Tanlac and, as it had been very highly recommended to me, I decided to try it. I got a bottle and had taken only a few doses until I could notice a marked improvement in my condition. I noticed especially that I was not troubled any more with sour stomach after eating, which was a great relief. "I kept on taking Tanlac until I fully regained my health. My appetite is splendid; I enjoy my meals and I do not find it necessary now to take any laxative medicines of any kind. I can sleep much better and am not nearly so nervous.

"I take great pleasure in recommending Tanlac to anyone who needs a good system builder, or who suffers with stomach trouble. I have recommended Tanlac to a great many of my friends and am pleased to reach others by giving this statement for publication."

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Medford, Oregon, Jan. 13, 1917. This is to certify that I, the undersigned, had very severe stomach trouble and had been bothered for several years and last August was not expected to live, and hearing of Gim Chung (whose Herb Store is at 214 South Front street, Medford), I decided to get herbs for my stomach trouble, and I started to feeling better as soon as I used them and today am a well man and can heartily recommend anyone afflicted as I was to see Gim Chung and try his Herbs. (Signed) W. R. JOHNSON.

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