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UNION LABEL

Ye Smudge Pot By Arthur Perry

Mr. Fatece Arbnuckle got peeved at one of his lawyers yesterday, and, at the time he would have given \$900 for one of the custard pies he used to throw so merrily.

This is the season of the year when they hold turkey shoots in the rural districts. Shooters going to and from should exercise care lest they be shot for a robber.

The Portland Journal says Roy Gardner made the trip to Arizona on a motorcycle purchased in this city.

At last something has been beaten worse than the democratic party. California beat Washington 72 to 3.

MAJOR PORTION OF BOOZE ILLICIT—(Hillside SF. Bulletin). So is the 2nd lot portion.

Merchants are urging people to Shop Early, as usual, which means that the great majority, as usual, will wait until after 3 pm., December 24th.

Great glee is manifested in some circles that the nation is going to sink a few battleships, disarm, and reduce taxes.

The nippy eyes and morns make the lids throb at every nut and bolt.

The U. of O. plays the O. A. C. tomorrow on the gridiron. People who claim one or the other as their alma mater, are all excited about it.

THE UNUSUAL, USUAL (Yreka, Cal., Journal) Elmer Higgins was kicked in the head by a mule, he was driving Tuesday night, and returned to his work Wednesday morning, as usual.

The foreign idea of disarmament is for the United States to render itself absolutely helpless, and then fight each other to see who will take the first crack at the world's richest nation.

It is getting so a state official can't make a move for fear of losing the Umatilla county vote at the spring primary.

The management of the Portland ball team is having difficulty picking out a manager, but from the showing they made last year, they better be looking for some ballplayers.

RANCHER SHOT WHERE HE SAT—(Hillside Red Bluff News) Cruel and atrocious.

Heinz Mince Meat None-Such Mince Package

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The Miner's Union have adopted the all day parking system for the Nash radiator.

BOLOGNA, Italy, Nov. 19.—Giacomo Lusardi, a carpenter, who says he has suddenly become heir to millions by the death of a brother in America has been offered large palaces to live in.

Quill Points

One-half the world can't eat unless the other half gives. Prohibition jokes, be with us yet; lest we forget, lest we forget. One of the most annoying problems a president has on his hands is congress. The only state in which man's rights are not equal to woman's is the state of matrimony.

There are people who scorn wealth, and then there are people who tell the truth about it. Free man: A bachelor who is too old for military service and owns a bale of tax-free securities.

The chief fault of American idealism is that it too frequently permits the other fellow to deal. In England, dish-washing is a prolific cause of insanity. Stack 'em up, dear, and go to the movies.

There's one good thing about a bad cold. You don't have to take all the advice your friends give you. Still, we wouldn't have believed it if the author had said D'Artagnan jumped around the way Doug does.

Travel teaches shrewdness, no doubt; but a man who can make money enough to travel is shrewd enough. We can't tell which has proved the greater factor in shaping times like these, Karl Marx or easy marks.

Statesman: One who has an appetite for more land and can think up some "great principle" to serve as an entree. An advertisement says you can judge a man's age by his suit. Not, in this age of gay old dogs, by his divorce suit.

Still, the man who holds the altitude record, gets no more publicity than the girl who holds the pulchritude record. There is romance in the automobile business, all the way from the ore in the hills to the leaping pedestrian on the street.

At this season of the year, the great American housewife is more grateful for open plumbing than for open diplomacy. It is unfortunate that the infant republics began business at a time when it was rather difficult to find a good model.

For that matter, it is no harder to get through barbed-wire entanglements than it is to get through red-tape entanglements. There are two classes of citizens: those who never break the laws made to regulate automobile traffic and those who have cars.

We agree with the physician who says husband and wife should have different rooms. Then he won't be disturbed when she gets up to make the fires.



BOOTLEG BOOZE.

HE BOUGHT a half pint in a land where bootleg booze is dear, he looked before, he looked behind, to see no cops were near; then took his drink—it made him blind, and he's been blind a year. He was a large and stately man, an athlete, trim and strong, built up along the Milo plan, no pistons hitting wrong; and now a sightless also ran, he toils and gropes along. He really didn't care for drink, he had no costly thirst; but he was aye a haughty gink, his motto "Freedom First"; he said, "I'll sip the scarlet ink, though all the statutes burst. My fathers fought at Bunker Hill that people might be free, and no outrageous Volstead bill can come and hogtie me; so mark my curves and watch me swell a bowl of graveyard tea." He poured the deadly bitters down, and then fell on the floor, and had a fit, and rent his gown, and his long whiskers tore; and though he hobbles through our town, he'll see it never more. The bootleg merchants boast the tomb, and for the death-cart root; they kill the young men in their bloom, and do not care a hoot; the stuff they sell is liquid doom, distilled from Dead Sea fruit. It's made and sold by reckless knaves, this substitute for rye; its victims fill ten thousand graves, and hundreds daily die, and over them the willow waves, the sexton heaves a sigh.

J. BULL ESPOUSAL OF NAVAL LIMITS MARKED BY DEEDS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—(By the Associated Press.)—Decision by Great Britain to stop work immediately on her four capital ships of the super-Hood type was head with satisfaction today by members of the American armament delegation. They regarded the order for cessation of work announced today in London as indicative of the whole-hearted espousal by the British of the principles of the American naval reduction program. American officials commenting on the decision, emphasized that Great Britain would suffer less from stoppage of work on the super-Hoods than the United States would if a similar order were issued relating to its 1916 building program. It was pointed out that the super-Hoods virtually were in the "paper" stage while some of the new American ships were nearly completed. Congressional leaders declared today that there was little prospect of any action in either senate or house on resolutions, designed to stop the 1916 program until the results of the conference are seen. It was pointed out that, under authority of an amendment to the 1916 naval appropriation bill, the president in event of international agreement, has authority to stop the present building program without further authorization from congress.

HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW?

- 1—What four cities have had the most big league baseball champions in the last 15 years? 2—Who wrote "Little Boy Blue"? 3—How many legs has a spider? 4—What is the national hymn of Greece? 5—How many of our states border on Mexico? 6—What profession has furnished the United States with 29 of its presidents? 7—Of what is the city San Juan the capital? 8—How much sugar do grapes contain? 9—How can you tell directions by a watch? 10—Who wrote "A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush"? Answers to Yesterday's Questions 1—How many automobile tires were produced in the United States last year? Ans. 34,200,000. 2—Which of the American colonies made the first coins? Ans. Massachusetts. 3—How long ago was the movement started to take city children to the country for a fresh air outing? Ans. In 1849. 4—How many lives were lost in the Galveston flood? Ans. 6000. 5—What is John D. Rockefeller's middle name? Ans. Davison. 6—What was the Franklin fund? Ans. It was a bequest made by Benjamin Franklin in 1791 to make loans to young married mechanics. 7—What states have women serving on juries? Ans. California, New Jersey, Ohio, Kansas, Utah, Washington, Michigan, Minnesota. 8—What is the Huro Siwo? Ans. The Japan current. 9—What does Quo Vadis mean? Ans. In modern English the words are translated to mean "Where are you going?" 10—When was rural free delivery of mail established? Ans. In 1896.

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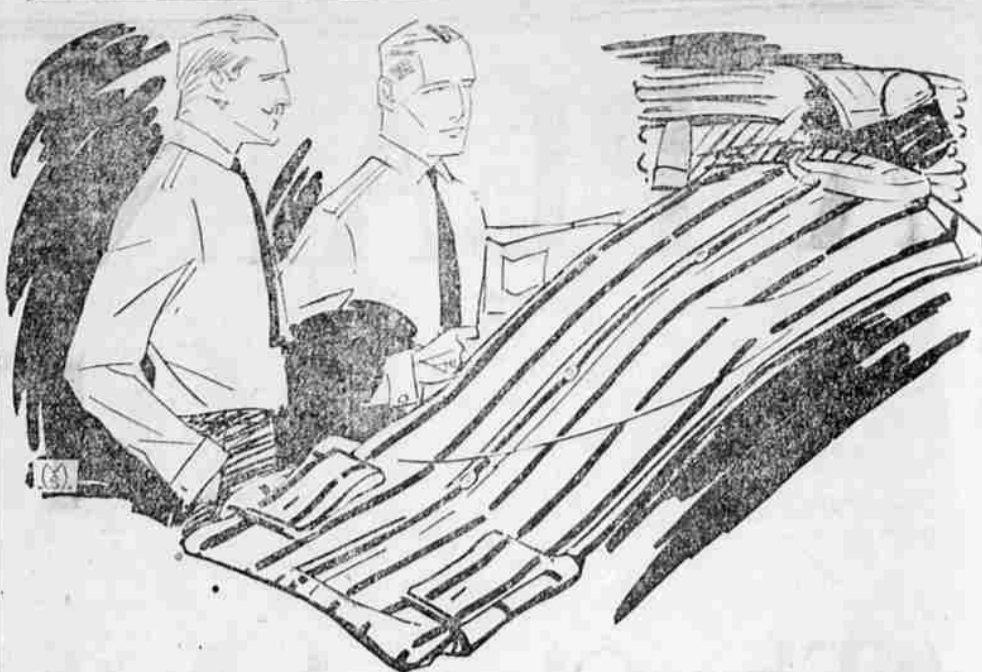
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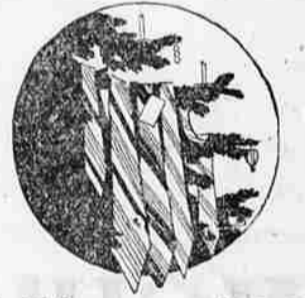
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