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Ye Smudge Pot

Henry Ford is doing a vocal hootchy-kootchy over the purchase of Muscle Shoals from the government.

Now is the time to make a bet that the first man to wear the new style short pants will be the proud and bouncing father of a C. Chaplin mustache.

Ralph Bardwell has returned from California, and reports that the marriages should be taken off the mail cars and placed in the restaurants.

NOT KNOCKING ANYBODY (Oregon City Enterprise) Mrs. C. Zinsler is going to reside with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Idehoff.

A number of newspapers maintain that the switch of Will H. Hays from politics to the movies is a step upward.

It is nice to read that millions of citizens have quit drinking whiskey, and instead are filling their hides full of vanilla extract, paregoric, patent medicines, and Jamaica ginger.

The Portland kid who was spanked by his teacher, did not go to the hospital as forecasted, owing to public sentiment being with the teacher.

ANY PLACE BUT HOME (Eugene Register) Dear Miss Page: Where is the best place in the city for a young girl to meet young men?

The economic conference at Genoa, called for the purpose of formulating ways whereby the United States can bankrupt itself in a painless manner.

The jury, largely women, has thus far failed to agree in the case of Mr. Burch, who the fair Madalynne Oberchick talked into killing another woman.

THE PARTITIONING OF HEAVEN (German topic, Salem Statesman) Resulting in a church row to see which denomination will be allotted the space on the left side of the Pearly Gates.

FAMINE BALKED (Tulatin News) Iva Borland, of Tualatin Meadows, and George Meador of Stafford were united in marriage Wednesday, Jan. 4.

Now that the cold spell is over, bedding used on furs will be used on steam heat radiators.

Pendleton is going to have a "Pay Up Week," Feb. 13 to 19th. According to the Pendleton Tribune, several speakers will emphasize the meaning of the week.

All hope of finding out the identity of Lonesome Nell vanished Sat., when the police announced their intention of locating her.

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DON'T BE A BEAR.

THERE are bulls and bears in the Rogue River Valley, as everywhere else. And J. P. Morgan's dictum holds good here in the west, as it did many years ago in the east. "Don't be a bear on the United States," said J. P.

Don't, because in the long run, the bear must lose. For while temporary reverses are inevitable, through the years, growth and increased prosperity in this country are as certain as sunrise. This is particularly true here and throughout the far west.

Brisbane predicts there will be fifty million people in California by 1940. Oregon is certain to get her share,—a larger share, we predict, than anyone believes probable today.

Some day in the near future for example, the yield per acre in Southern Oregon will be doubled. There will be some of the largest canneries on the coast in operation here. There will be large lumber mills operating night and day, there will be mines turning out precious and semi-precious metals, there will be a railroad to the coast, or a paved highway to act as one, there will be a railroad to the east, making Southern Oregon a transportation center, independent of Portland and San Francisco.

All these things are bound to come EVENTUALLY, and only the bear, dismisses such predictions as the idle vapourings of a bullish imagination.

Don't be a bear on the United States, don't be a bear on Medford and the Rogue River valley. The man with vision, on one hand, and the courage to act upon that vision on the other, will be the successful man of the future in this section of the coast, and in every other. The chronic bear, the professional Kill-Joy, the habitual Gloom, he is the only type of citizen, riding to a certain fall. Don't forget that. Don't be a bear.

Quill Points

When a statesman boasts that he will hew to the line, he usually means a party line.

You see, we must teach Haiti a lesson. What does she mean by being so small and helpless?

A cynic is one who supposes the unpardonable sin to be inability to hire a slick lawyer.

Vital statistics show that the most hazardous occupation is that of being an innocent bystander.

And another reason why men are idle is because there are not enough white-collar jobs to go round.

Birth control is doomed. The poor don't believe in it, and the rich need the income tax exemption.

When the Foolkiller persuades a man to drive at night without lights, he knocks off and calls it a day.

It frequently happens that a man thinks he is a philosopher when he is merely too darned lazy to worry.

It may be all right to make Carpentier a nobleman, but in the old days they didn't knight 'em for getting licked.

There are always two sides to a story. Let us confess frankly that the sun never sets on the English sparrow.

A hick is any man, even a wise one, who lives in a town smaller than that inhabited by the fool who does the talking.

Photographs of the hungry in the Near East suggest a method by which our fashionable fat may reduce without violent exercise.

When a grown man gives you the benefit of an open-face sneeze, you regret that birth control wasn't popular among his progenitors.

As proof of our intelligence, there is the fact that a European bone surgeon gets no more honor among us than a European bonehead.

Rippling Rhymes by Walt Mason. INCOME TAX BLANKS.

THE day draws near when Uncle Sam will send me bughouse blanks, on which to state how rich I am, what coin I've in the banks. Already this disturbs my dreams and makes, my days seem vain; those income blanks are simply screams that drive a man insane.

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SAP AND SALT BY Bert Moses. "Don't" is generally better advice than "Do." Friends and health beat any combination you can name.

Reviews of Recent Books at the Public Library. Henry Adams, Education of Henry Adams. One of the most intriguing of contemporary autobiographies.

WILFRED T. GRENFELL, A Labrador Doctor. The story of thirty-two years spent in mission and hospital work among the deep-sea fishermen.

JOHN MAIR, Alaska Days with John Mair. by Samuel Hall Young, Dr. Young, a missionary stationed in south eastern Alaska, describes two journeys of exploration and discovery.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT, and His Time Shown in His Own Letters; by Joseph Bucklin Bishop. The authorized Roosevelt biography, edited partially under Roosevelt's own direction.

DR. ANNA HOWARD SHAW, Story of a Pioneer. In the days when women still were "sheltered," Dr. Shaw was nurse, doctor, preacher and leader of the woman suffrage movement.

FREDERICK WILBUR, His Five Decades of Adventure. Here is a man who dined with royalty and marched with the rank and file of the world's armies.

ROSE COHEN, Out of the Shadow. The beautiful and sincere story of a Russian Jewess who came to America at the age of twelve, and her struggle here with poverty and ignorance.

HERBERT HOOVER, The Man and His Work; by Vernon Kellogg. The life and career of one of the best known and most humanly likable figures of the great war, written by a Stanford

HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW? 1. How long did the Meuse-Arnonne battle last? 2. What states touch the border of Canada?

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