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Ye Smudge Pot

By Arthur Perry.

The latest craze in Paris is for men and women to pack oversized dolls, but the North Pole of Nuttiness will not be reached until fashion decrees that males with whiskers paint their bright and variegated colors.

Tapping of the undeveloped resources of Oregon with railroads continues, and all available maps are a network of lead pencil marks.

GAWKING WEATHER

(Eugene Register)

The cold snap saw the Central school pupils and teacher very appreciative of hot lunches.

It looks like James Midleton Cox and the Democratic party would never get over the refusal of the American people to function forever as an Ever-Ready Santa Claus to Europe.

The days are becoming more elongated.

WHAT DID HE DO WITH ALL THE CHEERS THEY GAVE HIM

(Portland News)

Is there no way to keep hunger and cold from my wife and two babies but to get bumped off so they can collect my war-risk insurance? Experienced in several lines, garage and machine work, shipping and receiving clerk and other lines. Have you any kind of steady job? Need it.

Henry Ford is such a visionary cuss. He favors the abolition of the bootlegger by giving his customer twice as much in time and cash as the original offender. This might be a trifle tough for isolated prominent citizens, but it would take the cuteness out of contempt for the Constitution.

It will soon be time for the farmers to plant something besides their feet up against Sam Richardson's stove.

BRING YOUR SEWING

(Coos Bay Times)

Mrs. Sam Holcomb, known familiarly as "Giranna" Holcomb, who owns and operates a sedate pool and billiard parlor which ladies may, and do frequent, in the city of Powers, is visiting in North Bend today.

The Oregonian announces that Mr. Toggery William Isaacs will be a candidate for mayor. Mr. Isaacs has assured his supporters he will execute no boss solos during the campaign.

Komeo Roppes who has been wrestling with a heavy cold, won the deciding fall in 2 days and 14 hours. His shoulders were pinned to the mattress by Kid Sorethroat early in the contest. The John Barleycorn hold was barred. The loser issued a challenge for a return contest which will not be accepted.

THE PAST BOBS UP

(Salem Capital Journal)

John V. Coffey, Mrs. Coffey and his two sisters were among out of town attendants at the Egan-Decker wedding. Mr. Coffey was raised in Salem and has been a member of many legislatures.

All the oil wells in the valley started gushing in the Nash dist. Fri. pm. The flow was a high grade petroleum on a bull base.

The Espee nearly eliminated a prospective candidate for something at the spring primary last eve. The near victim was watching women votes instead of his step.

Science Trustees Named.

BOSTON, Jan. 28.—Judge Crosby, in the supreme court today announced the appointment of Fred Lamson of Boston; William B. McKendie, of Cambridge and James E. Patton of Boston, as trustees of the Christian Science Publishing company.

OF COURSE.

THE defeat of Samuel Gompers at the Agricultural Conference was both right and inevitable.

The resolution in question urged reduction of railroad rates and recommended that both railroad operators and railroad workers cut their revenues accordingly.

Gompers, as usual, wanted all the burden of deflation borne by capital and none by labor. The farmers of the country have never been beneficiaries of such an artificial law. In the recent period of deflation they have carried rather more than their share of the burden.

So it was quite unreasonable to expect that the farmers would do anything other than what they did do, and they did it with cheers.

Gompers apparently is resting under the delusion that the farmer and worker will some day join under one political banner. Not until our industrial and social order is completely transformed.

For the labor and agricultural interests are essentially antagonistic. The farmer is a worker, but he is also an employer. Every increase in wages hits his pocket book and every strike, particularly every railroad strike hits both his pocket book and his bump of indignation.

Talk of a great Farmer-Labor party is and always has been the silliest sort of hocus poens. On any important issue the forces of labor and agriculture will divide just as they did in Washington yesterday.

The farmer sympathizes with labor in its fight for fair treatment and a square deal, but in its fight for privilege, and Gompers demand for a wage reduction immunity was nothing else,—it has no more patience with predatory labor than with predatory capital.

Quill Points

No, Ethel, the Chile cabinet is not an ice chest.

Uncle Sam's bill for "dry" cleaning has assumed enormous proportions.

Mr. Ford has produced enough firvers to get the world thoroughly rattled.

We are not sure yet that jazz is dead. But if it is we know where it has gone.

Congressional arguments should wax even hotter, now that Pepper is in the senate.

A man has finished sowing wild oats about the time he begins to wear comfortable shoes regardless of their appearance.

Some girls look like human beings. And some girls wear blue paint around their eyes.

A thing that a woman is sure to find—a new hat on the head is worth two on the mind.

A farm journal says Adam was the first gardner. And his garden was ruined by the first chicken.

One reason why the world persists in wickedness is because the reformers look so darned unhappy.

Does any peculiar significance attach to the fact that the Stillman case was moved to a cooler climate?

In a recent motion play the producers achieved the impossible. They made a moving picture of a messenger boy.

An optimist, again, is the man who reached for his overcoat when the preacher says, "Just one word more and I'll close."

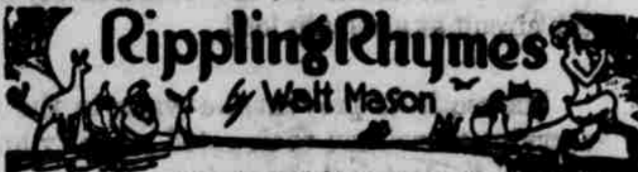
Tire chains help some, but the menace of reckless driving won't be removed until there are ball bearing chains for the drivers.

The theory that war between America and Japan is inevitable is accepted by thousands of men who are too old to fight.

Signs of life on the moon, says a scientist. The increased demand for moonshine livened up a lot of dead communities.

The prediction, by a Frenchman, that a great American statesman will die this year is something for Tom Watson not to worry about.

We used to wonder what per cent of our income the income tax would take. Nowadays we wonder what per cent of our income tax our income will pay.



MY BEAUTIFUL AUNT.

AUNT JULIA was a beauty, men said, in bygone days, and flatterers galooty were throwing her bouquets. They said that she was queenly, the fairest of her sex; when she went by serenely the other girls seemed wrecks. Wherever Julia trotted the noseays came her way, and flatterers besotted were praising her all day. The poet wrote his sonnet, all burdened by his wraith, about her boots and bonnet, her eyeballs and her teeth. And so she grew up feeling that she was divinely fair; she would not mop the ceiling or clean the cellar stair. And she was high and haughty, she would not toil or spin, or with a swatter swatty hit flies upon the chin. Conceited and disdainful, she scorned the household law, and left impressions painful upon her Pa and Ma. She turned down many suitors, her townsmen good and true, corn doctors, clerks and tutors, and taxidermists too. Some prince would come and wed her, she figured in her pride; long, long such visions led her, and warmed her up inside. Alas, there came no prince, and she'd be glad to wed the clerks and other quinees who loved in years long dead. She finds old age so dreary that all its moments hurt, and she is sick and weary, a disillusioned skirt. My other aunts are dingers, they were not spoiled with praise, and as they turn their wringers they carol joyful lays.

SAP AND SALT

By Bert Moses. When it comes to grabbing everything in sight, how about you and me?

If you wonder why so many boys turn out bad, just take a look at their dads.

The bigger failure a man has been, the more he feels qualified to lecture on "Success."

Farmers can tell colleges a whole lot more about farming than colleges can tell farmers.

The place to plant an orchard is away back from the road.

The clerk who always gives polite answers to foolish questions is on his way to the superintendent's job.

HEZ HECK SAYS: As many folks go to church to get customers as to get salvation.

The Screen

"The Three Musketeers" Louis Gottschalk, who will long be remembered as the producer for Henry Savage of Franz Lehar's famous "Merry Widow," in this country in 1908, arranged the musical score for Douglas Fairbanks' film version of "The Three Musketeers," which will be shown at the Page theatre beginning next Tuesday.

Tom Mix at Rialto Tom Mix is announced by the Rialto theatre as the attraction for three days opening tomorrow, in his latest picture, a "Western," entitled "The Big Town Round-Up."

According to report, Mix has here a story which keeps him at "concert pitch" from start to finish. In fact, it is declared that for speedy and sensational action it never has been surpassed by any photoplay in this lively star's long list of successes.

"Garments of Truth" at Page For those who prefer a lighter touch in their romance, Gareth Hughes' latest picture, "Garments of Truth," which comes to the Page theatre, beginning today will more than fill the bill. Lyric, to Lester Crope, was the whole of life. It was a sport and hobby and art all in one. Yet Barnfield, where he lived and made his living, by selling groceries over the counter of the store, showed no pride in him. It called him a nuisance. But it didn't realize what it had until some outside people came to put a sanitarium in the village. It had gone and got Lester cured of lying, and it wished it hadn't. Such is a fragment of "Garments of Truth."

Added features on the same bill are James Oliver Curwood's two reel northern drama, "The Northern Hall"; a sunshine comedy, "The Gopher"; a Prizma, and "Betty" Brown playing Al Johnson's latest song hit, "April Showers."

Sacramental Wine Bandit Kills Priest

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—The Rev. Florian Chodmiewicz, pastor of St. Florence's Roman Catholic church in South Chicago, died last night the victim of a bullet fired by a burglar believed to have been seeking sacramental wine. The shooting occurred in the Parish house.

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HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW?

- 1—Is lead heavier than platinum? 2—In what town did gingham cloth originate? 3—What acid was originally obtained from the bodies of ants? 4—What city is the capital of Connecticut? 5—Of what was Hymen the god in Greek mythology? 6—How many heads did the mythical hydra possess? 7—What huge body of water was accidentally formed in southern California? 8—With what is alcohol distilled to produce ether? 9—What is Denmark's largest possession? 10—What is ammonia also called? Answers to Yesterday's Questions 1—What anniversary is called a bicentenary? Ans. Two hundredth. 2—What is the conclusion of an oration called? Ans. Peroration. 3—What is the main root of a plant called? Ans. Taproot. 4—In what harbor is Fort Sumter? Ans. Charleston. 5—What city is the capital of Delaware? Ans. Dover. 6—What is unrefined sugar called? Ans. Muscovado. 7—Which president of the United States was the father of fourteen children? Ans. John Tyler. 8—Where is the Kalahari desert? Ans. In Africa. 9—What is the business of a graphologist? Ans. Studying handwriting. 10—Where is Faneuil hall and what is it sometimes called? Ans. It is in Boston and is called the Cradle of Liberty.

Annual Canoe Fete Oregon Under Fire

EUGENE, Ore., Jan. 28.—The annual canoe fete, an attractive feature of junior weekend at the University of Oregon, which draws people from all parts of the state is under student fire as occasioning useless expenditure of time and money. The event, which is held each year on "the old mill race" of a type around which most college songs are composed, is fanciful and decorative in the extreme, inasmuch as it is a competitive affair. Fraternities and societies have been known to spend weeks in preparing canoes for entry.

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