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Ye Smudge Pot By Arthur Perry.

There was a cloudburst of disgust the middle of the week, when a Galshewiki returned from Portland with a new spring suit, only to find four just like it on the Main Stem.

Mark Sullivan, who gets paid for knowing what he is talking about, asserts that Sen Lodge will be re-elected in Massachusetts, despite the opposition of James Middleton Cox, Crown Prince McAdoo, Woodrow Wilson, and the Portland Journal.

Candidates for governor continue to spring up, who by herculean efforts and a run of good luck will get their own vote at the primary.

The W. C. T. U. (national committee) reports that "Prohibition has removed the youths of the land from brightly lighted dens of sin."

A STARVING OREGONIAN (Pendleton Tribune): Fred Windy won the distinction of being Rieth's champion raw egg eater Tuesday when he broke a dozen fresh eggs in a pan, poured in a can of condensed milk and drank all, demonstrating his ability before a crowd of men at Sarzent and Grant's store.

Co-eds at the state institutions have returned for the accumulation of knowledge, and another young man's fraternity pin.

It is almost warm enough outdoors today for the steam heat radiators to have heat in their vitals.

The 5 day week of Henry Ford and boy is the only thing they ever did that did not bring out at least a million smutty stories.

The week-end fight between country dogs in the biz dist, was augmented today by the impromptu bawling of rural babes.

HE NEEDS 'EM (Oregon City Enterprise): Adolph Aschoff who has lived at Marmot for 29 years receives letters of appreciation from all over the world.

DON'T GIVE UP THE KID! (Roseburg News-Review): Dear Mrs. Ellisburg: Although we were never engaged, I used to love very sincerely a boy that I used to go with. He is 23 and I am 20.

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Rippling Rhymes by Walt Mason. QUICK RICHES.

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POCATELLO, Idaho, April 1.—Spuz Meyers, Pocatello lightwight won the decision over Eddie Handley of San Francisco in a 12 round bout here last night. Meyers had the edge on Handley from the start.

BARNUM declared a fool was born every minute, and he made a fortune out of that assumption. Lincoln said, you couldn't fool all the people all the time, but he admitted you could fool some of the people all the time, and all the people some of the time,—which amounts to quite a foolish total.

Therefore, only a fool should be surprised to find that no person is fool proof all the time. He may put on a cap and bells at the most unexpected moment, and then take it off and never put it on again.

There was Uncle Dan for example. He was the leading citizen of Elmira, Wisconsin. He owned the mill, ran the general store, and was not only a pillar, but the entire foundation of the Beth-el church. (Yes, that was the way Deacon Dunbar painted it over the entrance door, a dash of such emphatic righteousness!)

And then at the ripe old age of 73 Uncle Dan met a couple of spruce looking strangers who drove over from Milwaukee and secured an option on his place at a figure about twice its worth. In the course of the dickering, one of the strangers introduced a simple little game of cards.

Now Uncle Dan believed card playing wicked, that is the conventional game with 52 cards, but this was very different,—only three cards were used, and he had the most amazing luck at it. In half an hour he had over \$200. But one of the players suggested that this was a mere pittance compared to what Uncle Dan could win if he had some ready cash. It might well go to 4 or 5 figures.

So Elmira's leading citizen accepted the invitation to go to the bank at Elkhorn and draw out \$6000, which is considerable money today and was much more back in 1889. En route home Uncle Dan suddenly found himself splashing about in a marsh with his \$6000 beating a cloud of dust, behind a three-minute trotter in the general direction of Milwaukee.

What a sensation! Anyone might expect Deacon Dunbar to fall for a game of Three Card monte, or Jess Wilkinson, but Uncle Dan! Who would have believed it. The last man in the world.

Yes, Uncle Dan was the last man in the world to play the fool. But he did. While that makes it practically unanimous, we can think of no particular application for this tale which, of course, is the excuse for the title.

Quill Points

O, Liberty, what rotten hooch the country buys in thy name.

We warn infant republics to avoid paternal government. See America nursed.

The "nameless pathos" in the air of Spring isn't nameless now. It's a yearning for new tires.

Too many patriots claim to be supporters of the government when they are merely holding it up.

Backbone won't get you anywhere, however, if the knot at the top of it is made of the same material.

The chief weakness of reformers is their disposition to think everything enjoyable a little wicked.

The promise of a little change in the styles would indicate that nothing new will be pulled off this season.

Beating swords into plowshares is all right, but domestic peace requires using golf clubs as rug beaters.

Human vanity is a funny thing, and the man who beats his debts really thinks he is superior to a common thief.

After close observation we conclude that the minimum on which a family of five can live is the sum the provider happens to earn.

The honeymoon is over when she begins to intimate that parking space in the kitchen is worth considerably more than his company.

One reason why the human race made slow progress at first was because leaders had no opportunity to get their names in the paper.

Wireless telephones may be used to broadcast political propaganda, but political advancement will still depend largely on wire pulling.

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3.—What fate did Ananias meet as a result of his lie? 4.—In what part of the Bible is his story given? 5.—Does a toad lay eggs on land or in water? 6.—Why is a tiger lily so called?

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8.—What two large Canadian cities are on the St. Lawrence river?

9.—Why was Roosevelt awarded the Nobel Peace Prize in 1906?

10.—In what state are our greatest coal fields?

Answers to yesterday's questions.

1.—What is the character of the land in the center of Australia? Ans.—It is a desert.

2.—Where is Pango-Pango? Ans.—Tutullis Island, Samoa.

3.—For what is it used? Ans.—An American coaling station.

4.—Does Ellis Island belong to the United States? Ans.—Yes.

5.—Is the Epworth League of American or English origin? Ans.—American.

6.—From what is the name Epworth taken? Ans.—From the birthplace of John Wesley.

7.—Who is Admiral Horthy? Ans.—Regent of Hungary.

8.—What must be the velocity of a bullet to make its curve parallel to the curve of the earth? Ans.—Twenty-six thousand, one hundred feet a second.

9.—Into what body of water does the Thames river empty? Ans.—The North Sea.

10.—What form of government has Great Britain? Ans.—A constitutional monarchy.

NEW YORK—Eddie Hernandez, San Francisco featherweight, defeated Eddie Brady of Brooklyn, receiving the judges' decision after their 12-round bout.

APPLETON, Wis.—Ed (Strangler) Lewis, heavyweight wrestling champion, defeated George Hill of Appleton in straight falls.

MINNEAPOLIS—Stewart McLean, St. Paul, won from Earl Puryear, of Denver, in a ten-round no-decision bout, according to sport writers.

DELMONTE, Cal.—The San Mateo polo team played the champion Midwick team to a standstill in the opening chukkers, but the champions came through in the final chukker and won 8 to 4.

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This Man Was Helped John Grab, 2539 Jackson Ave., New Orleans, La., writes: "My kidneys were weak and had a soreness and dull pain across my back. I felt dull and languid and my kidneys didn't act right. I began taking Foley Kidney Pills and they soon put my kidneys in a sound healthy condition."

Foley Kidney Pills help the kidneys rid the system of acids and waste that cause lameness, backache, sore muscles, swollen joints and rheumatic pains. Tonic in effect, quick in action. Sold everywhere.

Highest Quality Jewelry Repairing, Diamond Setting, Watch Repairing. Satisfaction Assured in quality and price. Mail us your wants. MARTIN J. REDDY



At the Page

Doug's latest motion picture, "The Nut," is to be the film attraction at the Page theatre for a two days' showing beginning this afternoon.

The star will be seen as a Greenwich villager, a "nut" among "nuts" with a passion for eccentric inventions and a willingness to do fool stunts in the hope of winning the hand of his "nut" sweetheart who has a plan, based on her own theories, of reforming the children of the slums by having them entertained regularly by members of the "400."

The story idea presents Fairbanks with many unique and humorous situations and the picture is a series of mirth provoking scenes, Doug discards for the time being much of his athletics and becomes a finished farceur. In support of the star is pretty Marguerite Delamotte and a picked cast of well known players.

At the Rialto

Short story writing is a great game these days. Sophie Kerr has just had another of her clever Saturday Evening Post stories made into a motion picture with Wanda Hawley as the star. The story was originally published under the title, "Sweetie Peach," but the picture has been christened "The House That Jazz Built."

It comes to the Rialto theatre tomorrow matinee for a three days run.

JACKSONVILLE

The Presbyterian church held their annual business meeting Wednesday evening with a good attendance. The reports of officers of church, missionary society and Sunday school were read and approved, the following officers for the ensuing year being elected: Elders, Jas. M. Cronmiller and Frank Landry; Samuel Ritter and Roy Martin; trustees, Geo. Wendt, Paul Godward, Otto Neidermeyer, Grace Pope and Mrs. Kate Hoffman; Sunday school superintendent, Frank Lindley; assistant superintendent, G. W. Godward; treasurer of church, Chester Wendt. Rev. J. K. Howard was chosen as pastor for the year.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Hulise and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cann went to Trail Sunday.

Mr. Brown and two daughters, La Verne and Francis were visitors at the Highland home Sunday.

Vida Bradshaw spent the week-end at her home in Brownsboro.

Miss Velda Monia and Miss La Verne Brown are spending this week at home. They are students of the Hurto Falls high school.

Mrs. Rhoger of Lake Creek visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hansen, Sr., Sunday.

Business callers at Medford last week were: Mr. George Hansen, Mrs. J. Mania, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Hulise, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cann, Frank Simpson, Mr. W. N. Staub, and Mr. L. D. Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Simmons and mother were visitors at the Staub home Sunday.

The last heavy rain has done a great deal of damage to the irrigation ditches.

Visitors at school last week were: Mrs. William Hansen, Sr., Mrs. Geo. Hansen, Mrs. J. Monia and son, Vernon and Mrs. Kuhl.

Miss Velda Monia was a visitor at school Monday and while here she lost us in singing.

The children and Miss Greb of Persist have planted a number of rose bushes, lilac bushes and flowers of all kinds.

We have spaded our garden, but owing to so much rain, we have been unable to plant it.

The pupils of our school that have taken up camp cookery are now doing this work. Mildred and Viola Peterson are the two girls, and they certainly enjoy doing the work.

Miss Dorothy Peterson is spending a week with Mrs. Claude Moore on Elk Creek.

Miss Greb spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Art Moore.

Mr. V. E. Peterson spent a few days last week in Medford. He returned Saturday.

We, the pupils of the Persist school are preparing for track meet to be held at Trail April 15. Our teacher, Miss Greb, and all of us pupils intend to ride horseback to Trail on that day.

Miss Greb spent Saturday at the home of Mrs. Wilbits.

Antone Bing went to Trail Tuesday evening.

All the pupils of our school have won the second crusade pins and we intend to keep on working, so we can win the gold pin.

Cherney Whitley spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Greb at Eagle Point.

Ezra Whitley went to Medford Sunday and intends to return the latter part of the week.

A dance was given at the Elk Creek hotel Saturday evening. The affair was a grand success.

Miss Minnie Pool and Edna Peterson were responsible for the affair. A fine supper was served at midnight. A large crowd attended and everyone reported having a fine time.

A number of people from Persist attended the dance given at the Rogue Elk Hotel Saturday evening.

Miss Ester Mechem spent the week-end with friends at Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ringdale and children, Mable and Burton, spent Monday with the former's mother near Medford, who is very ill.

The dance at McDonalds was well attended, and greatly enjoyed by all present, we all appreciate all the trouble Mr. and Mrs. McDonald went to for our benefit, and the lovely supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Howe and little daughter, Wanda, and Lowell Ash were Medford visitors Friday.

Harold McDonald of Eugene is spending his spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McDonald.

There was a large crowd at the Matlock dance Saturday night, and all report a fine time.

Hay hauling is still in vogue around Trail. The farmers are all hoping for good weather soon.

school this month: Clayton Smith, Margaret Hamilton, Marie Matney, Harlan Cantrell.

Miles Cantrell and Mr. Devlin motored to Medford Saturday morning.

A number of our people attended the dance at Applegate Saturday night.

Between showers work on the roads is being done.

Mrs. Allen spent Saturday in Medford.

An Arbor day program is to be given at Rich school house, on the evening of April 14. The program is to be followed by an old fashioned ciphering match.

Mrs. Chas Smith was a Medford visitor Tuesday.

The girls of Rich school have organized a sewing club.

Leland Cantrell and wife were Medford visitors Saturday evening.

Mrs. Martha Mitchell of Jacksonville, is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Hoon.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

STATE REPRESENTATIVE I hereby announce my candidacy for the republican nomination for representative in the state legislature at the May primary. JOHN H. CARKIN.

I announce myself as a candidate for Representative in the Legislature, on the Republican ticket, subject to the primaries in May. RALPH COWGILL.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER Thos. H. Simpson, of Ashland, authorizes his announcement as a Candidate for the nomination for the office of County Commissioner of Jackson County, subject to the decision of the Republican voters of said county at the Primary Election, May 19th, 1922. Adv.

I am a candidate for the nomination for County Commissioner of Jackson county, on the Republican ticket, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary to be held May 19th, 1922. Adv. GEORGE ALFORD, Phoenix.

Cherro Hard Wheat Flour Guaranteed At Your Grovers

RICH RUMBLES

Captain Rich made a business trip to town Wednesday.

Glenn Smith returned to school Monday after several days absence, on account of a bad cold.

Those perfect in attendance at

Why We Are Catholics We are Catholics because we are Americans, natives of the soil. And Americans more than others have abundant reasons for being Catholics.

JOHN BARRY, THE FATHER OF THE AMERICAN NAVY WAS A CATHOLIC.

These advertisements inserted daily and paid for by two native Medford business men who believe in their religion.