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Ye Smudge Pot By Arthur Perry.

The brazen blast of a man-sized saw mill is heard in the valley, and it intends "to ravish the virgin forests of Oregon," and invade the haunts of the notch-tailed woodpeckers.

Does anybody have any idea when the papers will quit printing stories headed, "Tells of Frightful Conditions

The plan to have the Statue of Lib erty hold aloft a coupling pin, instead of a torch, is petering out.

The Rev. Albert J. Hudson of Boston is proposing a movement to "have but one creed." The idea would put a mil-lion or so sects out of business, and is entirely too sensible to be successful.

A BLOW AT ROLLED SOCKS

(Albany Herald)
Miss Dorothy Scott escaped
from serious injury a week ago
Saturday when an auto hit her and then passed over her. The result was, however, that she only received a slight bruise on the knee.

"MONEY FOUND IN BANK"-(Hd-

The bottom is dropping out of the charges filed by Mr. Hall of Coos county, who went crazy with the notion he was destined by Providence to be governor of Oregon. His political oppo-nents committed every crime in the calendar except the one of voting for him. Wherever he lost cussedness was rampant, wherever he won civic virtue flourished. He was elected by the imagination of his managers, while under the law, nothing counts

AS IT HAPPENS

Oh, say can you sing from the star to the end,

What so proudly you stand for when orchestras play it—
the whole congregation in

voices that blend

Strike up the grand hymn and then torture and slay it? How they bellow and shout when

they're first starting out, But "the dawn's early light" finds them floundering about. Star-Spangled Banner

they're trying to sing, But they don't know the words of the precious old thing.

Hark! The "twilight's last gleaming" has some of them stopped, the valiant survivors press for

Ward serenely To "the ramparts we watched," where

some others are dropped And the loss of the leaders is manifest keenly;

Then "the rockets' red glare" gives the bravest a scare,
There are few left to face "the
bombs bursting in air"—

"Tis a thin line of heroes that manage to save

The last of the verse, and "the home of the brave."

"SEEK MEN TO SING PRAISES OF CRATER LAKE"—(Hdline Eugene Register). The Amalgamated Bassos stand ready to execute a few grunts.

NICE YOUNG MAN IS COP, PRISONER FINDS

CINCINNATI, Aug. 3.—(I. N. S.) "It was this way, Judge," C. L. Bowling explained in Covington police court. "I was walking along Seventh street when a nice young man drove up in a patrol and asked me to get in. He smiled and I just couldn't turn him down. Here I am."

The "nice young man" proved to be Policeman Moening, who had been sent to arrest Bowling. The prisoner was charged with being drunk and was released on his own recognizance.

TAMPERING WITH THE CONSTITUTION

VERY good American is supposed to revere the Constitution. A Not only the constitution of his country, but of his state. For the constitutions of country and state represent the wisdom of our York? forefathers, the fundamental law.

But as far as the state constitution of Oregon is concerned, this everence has, in recent years, been sweefully lacking. Through the initiative at every state election, there is a perfectly inane and muddle-headed onslaught on the state constitution, and only the saving tion? grace of popular common sense has prevented the fundamental law from being scrambled and hashed and mutilated, beyond either recognition or comprehension.

At the coming election the usual onshrught will be made. And with the public mind, distraught and disorganized as never before, there is grave danger that some of these proposals to change the fundamental law will be adopted.

mental law will be adopted.

2-in what state was tobacco first cultivated? Ans. Virginia. regulate through the state constitution, the operation of our fish hatcheries. Could anything be more preposterous? Imagine regulating the gentle art of angling, a necessarily changeable and roman-mined? tie recreation, by a change in the fundamental law.

Still another is changing the interest rate, a third is grafting the Still another is changing the interest rate, a third is graters the found? Ans. Georgia.

Single Tax nightmare on the constitution, and then of course the found? Ans. Georgia.

7—What is the weight of a barrel of much discussed Anti-Parochial school law, which would mark Ore- flour? Ans. 196 pounds. gon as the first and only state in the union, to deny religious and eduentional freedom.

With the possible exception of the income tax amendment, there is not a proposal, for constitutional amendment this year, which is desirable, either from a social or business standpoint, and yet the issues, thanks to the Initiative, have been raised and must be met.

There are only two ways to meet them. Either the people must effectively crush this tampering with the state constitution, by voting down each constitutional amendment that is offered, regardless of its merits, leaving the initiative in such fundamental matters, to the legislature, or there must be an awakening of public interest to such an extent that the voters as a whole, will study every proposal so that that its exact meaning and effect may be clearly understood.

The last plan is the better. But it will never work unless every voter assumes his and her share of the responsibility.

Quill Points

A good reputation, like charity covers a multitude of sins.

Some men go through life with undiminished faith in their fellow men, and some sign notes.

The chap who rocks the boat soon gets a chance at the one Charon poles across the Styx.

That prominent churchman, who says sex novels sell by the ton doubtless means the sexton.

These hot days, she is a fortunate woman who has leisure to lie about home wrapped in thought.

When you observe mangled political hopes along the highway, you always know that a tariff bill has passed.

get an extra thirty minutes for sniping. That Texas girl who married a ball playing poet probably doesn't

If an Irish business man eats a very light lunch, he usually can

know whether she took him for batter or verse. You can't really buy a nomination, but in process of getting it you

The world isn't really growing better. It just seems that way be cause people have quit saying "camouflage."

can spend more mency than it is worth.

Impossible happenings: "Take her boy," said the fond parent "She has been badly spoiled and a little poverty will do her good,"

It is pleasant to live in the country where you know so many stage. "Bought and Paid For" wil people, and pleasant to live in the city where so few people know please as well in six reels as it did in

A physician says: "If you would get a rest, tour the country during your vacation." He probably means: "If you would get ar-



UR DOCTOR is a wise old lad, and oft he says to me, "The whole blamed world is feeling bad, as siekly as can be, because the people are galoots who seem to want disease; they will not live upon the fruits that grow upon the trees. The wholesome turnip they traduce, they shy at beets and prunes; they will not look on onion juice, or pour it in with spoons. They all must have their roasts and steaks, and victuals fried in grease; and so their forms are filled with aches, which aches destroy their peace. You've eaten many cows, my friend," the good old doe declares, "and pigs and chickens without end, and geese and Belgian hares. And now your bones are full of lime, you are a wreck no doubt, and you are groaning half the time with rheumatiz and gout. If you had eaten pears and plums and rice and lemon peel, you would not have scorbutic gams, or anthrax in your heel, Right gladly would I now explain the evil of your way, but I must go and see Bill Blaine, who has the cramps today. He ate too many apricots, the contents of a can, and now a bob-tailed spasm trots around his inner man."

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HOW MUCH DO

1-How many Jews live in New

2—What sets the postoffice hours? 3—What name does Switzerland use on postage stamps?

-What is ballistics? 5-What are two synonyms for sanc

6-What color is Mars? 7-What color is Venus?

8-What is a mongoose? -When did the German submarine dockade of Great Britain begin?

19-How many official languages has Switzerland? Answers to Yesterday's Questions I—Has there ever been a complete election of Colorado minerals? Ans. here is one at Pueblo, Colo.

3-in what state are both alligators and crocodiles found? Ans. Florida.

Ans. One, Pennsylvania, 5-in how many states is soft coal 6-What state did James Oglethorpe

8-What is the black coating on tar-8-What is the black coating on tar-these lands is conservatively figured nished silverware called? Ans. Silver at \$1,500,000, while the bond base 9-Who invented the ice making ma-

Ans. John Carrie of New Or. leans in 1851 10-What are two synonnyms for the vord salve? Ans. Help, remedy

Bible Questions and Answers

What was the first disaster befell Job?

What brought John the Bap this public ministry to a close?

3. When Moses perceived the suffering of his people what did he determine to do?

4. Whose family did God find faithful.

faithful? How many years was the ark

under construction?
6. What was the "Stone of Abel"? Answers to Yesterday's Questions: 1. In various places in the Bible, the Ten Commandments are called

Testimony and Covenant.

2. God did not allow the people to come to the top of Mount Sinai while He was speaking to them.

3. God commanded Aaron to assist Monagana.

sist Moses as an interpreter.
4. Cain was jealous of Abel because God had accepted Abels offering of sacrifice and had rejected his.
5. David was called to the court of King Saul, to chase away the

6. Galilee was very remarkable for its fertility of soil.

Bible Thought for Today

HAVE ALL GOOD:-The young lions do lack, and suffer hunger; but they that seek the Lord shall not want my good thing.-Psaim 34: 10.



Broadhurst's hardy perennial, reached the screen of the Page theater this week as a William De Mille produc-tion, with Agnes Ayres and Jack Holt in the leading roles.

In its camera reincarnation "Hought and Paid For" has lost none of the fundamental appeal which made it a phe iomenal stage success. William De Mille has not taken any liberties with the story and has given it much the

"Bought and Paid For" remains a the Page theatre only two days more

"Golden Dreams" at Rialto

Spanish intrigue and American duck face one another in "Golden Oreams," a picture made from a Zane Grey story which is now playing at orey story which is now playing at the Rialto theater. And the craft of the Latins soes down before the on-siaught of open-hearted courage. The picture is one which the much abused word "thrills" expresses best. One must see "Golden Dreams" to

get the full enjoyment of its thrills. It is well acted by a cast of player folk with big names, Carl Gantvoort doing the Scotchman and Claire Adams the lady of his heart. Bertram Grassby is the handsomer of the two principal villains and Frank Leigh gives a great performance of the crafty old Span-lard. Lesser roles are well done by Mme. Rose Dione, little Mary Jane Irving, who owns the monkey H.; Gor-

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