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Ye Smudge Pot

By Arthur Perry.

More purty has busted loose in the super-saturated section of the state.

Up to noon today, no visitor to the fair had called the obese punkin, a pumpkin, with the accent on the pump.

POTENT STUFF

Elisha Jinks Took seven drinks Behind a hardware store; That very night He saw a sight He'd never seen before.

He later said, As he held his head A piteous sight before us, 'Twas a cross between A flying machine And an early plesiosaurus.

(Eugene Register)

The final returns from the Michigan primary Tuesday, indicate that the people of that commonwealth approved of the spending of \$299,000 to keep Henry Ford where he is.

DIFFERENT NOW

(Harrisburg News) Mrs. Ruby L. Feltwell yesterday sued George A. Feltwell for a divorce, cruel and inhuman treatment being the alleged ground. They were married November 27, 1920.

COURTHOUSE NEWS—Mortgages.

John Jones is a recent purchase of a 1923 model Elizabeth.

THE HUMAN RACE.—SO-CALLED

(Congressional Record) A man becomes a socialist not because he believes in any particular thing but because he is against many particular things. It is a cry of anger and resentment, a state of hysteria to a greater or less extent. It is fanned by agitation; it is fanned by discussion. Every disordered mind, every bug, every wheel that is loose in all the heads of all the cranks in the country will go fanning and buzzing the minute the Congress of the United States begins to discuss that sort of thing.

This is a country of happy homes; but there are people who believe in the destruction of the home and in the nationalization of women; they believe that the institution of marriage is an absurdity. Let us start an investigation touching the propriety of the proposition to nationalize women, to do away with marriage, and every unhappily married couple in the country, every bug that hates women, and every boggles that hates men will immediately be worked into a frenzy because the federal congress is considering the nationalization of women. All the cranks and all the criminals and all the fools in the country are stirred up by the waving of that sort of a red flag from the dome of the capitol. Leave these questions that act on bugs exactly like poking a hornet's nest acts on the hornets. It turns them all loose. Let the sleeping dog alone. Do not discuss the propriety of doing anything you know you are not going to do. Do not talk about giving medicine to a patient that you know will either kill the patient or drive the patient crazy.

The railroad strike is on the way to final settlement, without Sam Gompers being allowed to sneak in through the back door of the White House once.

EUROPE A RAVING MANIAC.

EUROPE is not only bankrupt, morally and financially, but crazy. One would suppose four years of war were enough. But here they are at it again, and fighting for a stake that has drenched the world with blood these hundreds of years.—Constantinople.

For this struggle is not what it appears to be.—a war between Greece and Turkey. It is in reality a continuation of the world war with the Central Powers left out.

Greece and Turkey are merely pawns in the ancient sport of kings. But for Great Britain backing Greece, to extend British influence in the Near East, and France backing Turkey to extend French influence in the same district, war on any serious scale would never have been attempted.

And once more France has won. Just as French guns and French strategy drove the Bolsheviks from Warsaw and saved Poland from extinction, so French guns and French strategy have driven the Greeks from Asia Minor and once more preserved the national consciousness of the Sick Man of Europe.

To an American mind the entire performance is incredible. With Europe already tottering on the precipice, with treasuries empty, with man-power depleted, more fighting seems the last thing for a sane mind to contemplate. And yet all the elements of war on a large scale are present in the situation today.

In all likelihood, however, there will be no material extension of the conflict. The spirit is willing, but the flesh is weak. And with the Musselman world in a ferment, France has no desire to back the unspeskable Turk, farther, and also invite the Bolsheviks to join Turkey in a general war on Christian Europe.

A general conference is therefore the probable outcome, with Turkey getting a better bargain than the treaty of Sevres, and Greece a worse one; with French prestige increased, and British prestige materially lowered.

But unless there is a different spirit in the chancelleries of Europe this doesn't mean an end of the conflict, merely a postponement. A spiritual revolution must take place, an effective will to peace must be created, or blood will run again in Asia Minor, as soon as the conflicting interests have enjoyed a breathing space, in which to revive their combative instincts.

Quill Points

When in doubt, vote "No."

Mr. Ford may shut down, but never up.

The hand that rocked the cradle is now learning to manipulate political bunk.

Some people never become virtuous, and some live long enough to outgrow their natural desires.

It appears that the candidate who has the best chance is the one who has a grouch equal to that of the people.

The two great influences that encourage a man to keep his word are true religion and the dotted line.

As we look over the situation, it occurs to us that about the only thing charity does at home is begin.

Geddes says the English don't understand America but he was too kind to add that they seldom understand a joke.

About the only thing to be said in favor of a bald head is that it is easily kept sanitary.

About the only special privilege the upper class has in America is that of kicking dust in the face of slower cars.

When a man prays to be delivered from temptation, he is usually a little offended when the temptation turns him down.

There are many ways in which girls can climb in the world, but climbing into a stranger's automobile isn't one of them.

What does it profit a youth to have ancestors who came across in the Mayflower if his immediate ancestor won't come across?

The criticism of the American who knocks his country is easier to understand after you get accustomed to his foreign accent.



WANTING A JOB.

"I WANT employment," said a skate, attired in seedy garments, who met me at my garden gate, where I was trapping varmin'ts. "All right," I said, "you're strictly on; I need assistance daily; so wash the steps and mow the lawn, and ply you bucksaw gayly. I'm tired of toiling here alone, so labor like a winner, and I will pay a silver bone, and fill you up with dinner." "I do not like the wage you name," explained the weary Willie; "when up against a tightwad's game my swanlike foot grow chilly. It's worth against two bucks to mow the lawn, and two to saw the cedar; one plunk for all that waste of brawn sure gets me, gentle reader." And every day they come in droves, to earn an honest dollar; but when I'd have them polish stoves, or make a woodpile smaller, they don't indorse my rates of pay, when modestly I state they do not like my lordly way, my whiskers aggravate them. I'm waiting, watching for the gent who means it when imploring a chance to earn an honest cent by useful, helpful choring. I'm watching, waiting for the lad whose griefs have made him humble, who gives full value for a seed, and that without a grumble!

IMPERIAL WIZARD K. K. K. ARRESTED IN INDIANA ON A BOOZE CHARGE

After speaking to a law enforcement meeting at Muncie, Indiana, Acting "Emperor" Edward Young Clarke, national head of the Ku Klux Klan, was arrested on the charge of having and transporting intoxicating liquor. The sad story of the great moral reformer and hundred per cent American is thus related in the press dispatches:

Indianapolis, Sept. 7.—Edward Young Clarke, for the time being and in the absence of William Joseph Simmons, the imperial wizard of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, may hold sway over the invisible empire, but a certain bottle tucked away snugly in his hand bag at a meeting near here last night got all out of kilter and took a positive physical form.

As a result a warrant was issued today by Federal Judge Francis E. Baker for the arrest of the imperial wizard on a charge of the possession and transportation of intoxicating liquor. The information was gained by District Attorney Homer Ellis.

The imperial wizard spoke to a crowd at Muncie, near here, on law enforcement. Citizens reported to Mr. Ellis that a hand bag had been stolen from Mr. Clarke's automobile. It developed, however, that the bag had fallen through the car and burst open, revealing a quart of whiskey and \$500 in currency.

The arrest does not surprise anyone at all conversant with klan history or with the career of the "acting emperor and imperial kliegler." It is not the first time his hallow'en majesty has been in the police court upon a booze charge. At Atlanta, Georgia, he was arrested with Mrs. Tyler, his aid in propaganda work and the head of the female kukluxers in a questionable resort owned by the latter, taken in night clothes to the police station and fined for disorderly conduct and for illegal possession of booze.

Of such fine stuff is the great moral reformer, who leads the crusades of night-gowned hosts of the invisible empire in their mid-night efforts to purify a sinful world, made. Like many uplifters, he would reform the other fellow, but keep his own toddy. But are klansmen to stand this insult to majesty? Doesn't it make their blood boil to have a sacred personage so treated? Come through, klansmen, pungle up some coin, pay the fine and sue the court for libel. It's your great opportunity, klansmen.—Salem, Capital Journal.

PRINCE OF WALES AN OLD MAN AFTER HIS WORLD TOUR

LONDON, Sept.—(By I. N. S.)—What has the Indian tour done to the Prince of Wales?

Has it destroyed his youth? These are the questions that all London now asks. Everyone now sees the change in the Prince since his return from his adventurous tour, and the general inquiry is whether it was worth while, after all.

From a fresh-colored, smiling boy the prince has turned into a man of early middle age. All of the old light-heartedness seems to have departed him, and wherever he appears, he looks weighed down by care.

And there is a curious, apprehensive, watchful glance in his eye that none of his friends like. Talking to a friend, his glance is always roving the ground fifty yards ahead. It is not fear, but a kind of sub-conscious watchfulness. He seems like a man never released from an unending strain.

Rest—perhaps a happy marriage—may bring back the old ease and gaiety. But at present the young prince looks like a man who has survived a terrible ordeal.

DRY NAVY CAPTURES TWO BOOZE SCHOONERS

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—(By Associated Press.) The dry navy today captured two alleged rum running schooners with cargoes worth about \$150,000 and \$40,000 in gold aboard, near the entrance to New York harbor, as well as an unnamed launch which sank while it was being towed into port. Another schooner and swift power boat escaped.

Stage and Screen

"The Storm" a Hit at Page. The acclaim which has been accorded "The Storm" is due as much to the humanness of the characters as to the scenic splendors. While there is no questioning the fact that the play, like its original on the stage, is replete with unusual thrills, this in itself would not be sufficient to make it a play everyone praises.

Portrayal of parts in this manner is what makes the great actor and House Peters and Virginia Valli in the two chief roles prove their ability beyond question. Matt Moore as the third person on the eternal triangle likewise does notable work. The picture will close at the Page theatre tonight. Manager Hunt has received many compliments upon bringing this attraction here.

Hoot Gibson at Rialto. Hoot Gibson, the popular star of western plays, scored at the Rialto yesterday in "The Gallant Kid," adapted from the "Mistif" stories by Wm. H. Hanby. The story is fitted with romance, action, love and thrills.

There are several short films and music by Alice Jay at the organ. A roaring race track classic "Queen of the Turf" will be shown Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

Stanford Man to Reed STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal. 15.—C. S. Botsford, director of intramural sports at Stanford university for two years, is leaving for Portland, Ore., to become the head of the physical department at Reed college there.

HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW?

- 1. Was Paul Lawrence Dunbar, the poet, a negro or a white man? 2. North of what degree of latitude is the Southern Cross invisible? 3. In the lumber business what is a deal? 4. How many people die every minute in the world? 5. What disciple spilled salt at the Last Supper? 6. When did America's Vesputius reach the American continent? 7. Before the calendar was changed what was the first day of the year? 8. Who drew attention to the markings on canals on Mars? 9. Is Othello a comedy or tragedy? 10. On what river was Rome founded? Answers to Yesterday's Questions: 1. At what corner of Lake Michigan in Chicago situated? Ans. Southwest. 2. When and where were children's courts first established? Ans. In Boston in 1869. 3. Where are the Chincha Islands? Ans. Twelve miles off the coast of Peru. 4. In what state was President Cleveland born? Ans. New Jersey. 5. Where is Seven Dials? Ans. In London about half way between Trafalgar Square and the British museum. 6. Before prohibition how much beer did the United States produce? Ans. One-fifth of the world's output. 7. How many airplane accidents were there in 1921? Ans. There were 114. 8. How many motor vehicles were registered last year? Ans. 10,448,632. 9. When will there again be five Sundays in February? Ans. In 1948. 10. How many deaths occurred from motor vehicle accidents last year? Ans. 9103.

Bible Questions And Answers

- Questions 1. What King of Judah introduced the sun-dial? 2. Who first brought the news of Absalom's defeat to King David? 3. In what town did Martha, Mary and Lazarus live? 4. What religious position did Jonah hold? 5. With what peculiar weapon did Samson slay 1000 Philistines? 6. Who recovered Lot and his possessions when King Chedorlaomer had taken him captive? Answers to Yesterday's Questions 1. Admatha was one of the seven princes of Persia mentioned in the Book of Esther. 2. David was the father of Adonijah. 3. Agabus predicted a famine would occur in the reign of Claudius. 4. When Ish-bosheth died, David was made King of Israel. 5. Cana of Galilee was the scene of Christ's first miracle. 6. When Naboth refused to sell King Ahab his vineyard, Ahab brought a false accusation against him and had him murdered, then took the vineyard.

Bible Thought for Today

RICHES HAVE WINGS.—Labour not to be rich: cease from thine own wisdom. For riches certainly make themselves wings; they fly away.—Proverbs 23: 4, 5.

Helen Wins Wins

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 15.—Miss Helen Wins of Berkeley, Cal., won the girls' national lawn tennis singles championship today by defeating Miss Helen Hooker of New York 6-3, 6-3, on the courts of the Philadelphia cricket club at St. Martins, Pa.

EXERCISES WITH NO CLOTHES ON BRINGS \$50 FINE

(By International News Service.) KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept.—Callisthenes staged by Mike Starpino, physical culturist, a la Adam, were not appreciated by his neighbors.

As a result Mike worked out a \$50 fine imposed by Judge Edward J. Fleming in municipal court.

Several witnesses residing in the vicinity of Starpino's home testified that his muscle exercising exhibitions were too revealing.

"It was terrible," one woman testified. "Every morning and every evening he would stand before an open window and shimmy. His exhibitions were revolting."

"I wasn't shimmying," interrupted Starpino. "I was practicing a muscle exercise that has enabled me to gain weight."

"And Judge," shrieked another woman, "he wouldn't have as many clothes on as a flapper—nothing but a mighty short pair of white pants—"

"Trunks," corrected Starpino. They are just narrow minded."

Defectives from a South Side station testified that as a result of complaints from the callisthenes enthusiasts neighbors they had watched his house for more than two months. They declared that when they arrested him he was clad dishabille and was practicing his gymnastic stunts.

Bishop Who Allowed Rabbi Parish House Upheld by Fellows

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 16.—The verdict of an ecclesiastical court which upheld the Right Rev. Richard Wilkinson of Montgomery, Ala., who had been tried by an ecclesiastical court on a charge of having permitted a Jewish rabbi to conduct New Year's services in his parish house was in effect approved by a report to the house of bishops recently that the words in the canon which had been brought into question were sufficiently clear. The bishops accepted this report which was considered by officers of the house as a rebuff to Bishop H. M. Beckwith of Alabama who had brought Rev. Dr. Wilkinson to trial.

SINN FEIN PLOT TO SCUTTLE SHIP

BELFAST, Sept. 16.—(By the Associated Press.)—The Ulster government, it was announced today has discovered a plot to blow up or scuttle the steamer Argenta on which 300 Sinn Feiners are interned at Larne Lough, county Antrim.

The object of the plot it is declared was to release the interned republicans. A letter found on a prisoner about to be released contained reference to the sending of fourteen pounds of gun cotton, a fuse and detonator, to a friendly address in Larne, and then to experts in explosives on board the vessel, who in blowing up the boat, were expected to prevent injury to the prisoners.

POISON RUM BLINDS MAN IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Fearing an epidemic of poison rum deaths in Manhattan, paralleling the experience of Brooklyn, where wood alcohol has claimed a dozen victims since Labor day, the police today were seeking the source of the liquor which this morning sent three persons to Manhattan hospitals, two unconscious and one blind.

Storks Invade Westphalia CEYNHAUSEN, Westphalia, Sept. 16.—(By the Associated Press.)—A flock of storks, estimated to number 300,000 has invaded Ceynhausen. From ten to twelve of the birds roost nightly on the roof of each house.

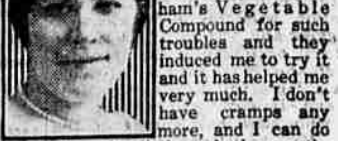
Used by Three Generations "I use Foley's Honey and Tar personally, give it to all my children and now to my grandchildren with the same good results. I tried many kinds of cough medicines, but never want anything but Foley's Honey and Tar," writes Mrs. E. K. Olson, Superior, Wisc. Foley's Honey and Tar was established in 1875 and has stood the test of time serving three generations. It quickly relieves colds, coughs and croup, throat, chest and bronchial trouble. Sold everywhere. Adv.

CRAMPS, PAINS AND BACKACHE

St. Louis Woman Relieved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

St. Louis, Mo.—"I was bothered with cramps and pains every month and had to go to bed as I could not work. My mother and my whole family always look Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for such troubles and they induced me to try it and it has helped me very much. I don't have cramps any more, and I can do my housework all through the month. I recommend your Vegetable Compound to my friends for female troubles." Mrs. DELLA SCHOLZ, 1412 Salisbury Street, St. Louis, Mo.

Just think for a moment. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been in use for nearly fifty years. It is prepared from medicinal plants, by the utmost pharmaceutical skill, and superior methods. The ingredients thus combined in the Compound correct the conditions which cause such annoying symptoms as had been troubling Mrs. Scholz. The Vegetable Compound exercises a restorative influence of the most desirable character, correcting the trouble in a gentle but efficient manner. This is noted, by the disappearance, one after another, of the disagreeable symptoms.



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Come in early Tuesday morning and look the goods over. Sale starts at 1 p. m., sharp.

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