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UNION LABEL

Ye Smudge Pot By Arthur Perry.

The New Brunswick, N. J., murder unique, because it has nothing at all to do with bright lights and choruses

Information comes to light that the emo-Kiano candidate wears suspenders, which is just what is needed in

A COMPLIMENT IS HURLED (Roseburg News-Review) Again, don't forget—keep this thought well under your ivory

The Portland-Yakima railroad is being "received with enthusiasm." The

The visible government at Washington, D. C., is going to investigate the

NO DOUBT ABOUT IT (Eugene Guard) FOR SALE—1918 Ford touring, this car speaks for itself. Price \$165 if taken at once. Vick Bros. Garage.

A LADY TALKS "Listen! Elsie slapped him, right over the corner player's nose, and, if

Only \$25,000,000 worth of liquor has shipped into the U.S. the last six months over the Mexican and Canadian borders, not to mention the European contributions. The way to stop

Rev. Jack Frost is the new pastor of the Baptist church in Red Bluff—Red Bluff Sentinel. Horticultural note.

Miss Neva Morris has an ideal school room—she has had a single upli.—(Albany Herald.) A school for salousy.

"THE CITY OF HONOLULU."

IN SPITE OF the parlor pessimists we live in a wonderful world. Today in many directions the pendulum is swinging back, but in due time it will swing forward again, and reach a farther outpost of human advancement than was ever reached before.

Meanwhile it is well to note an amazing blessing of comparatively recent advent, which in the hurly burly of everyday affairs, is too often taken as a matter of course, or in a sense, entirely forgotten.

But for the wireless, the newspapers of America today would be ignorant of a frightful tragedy at sea, a passenger ship burned to the waters edge, and 300 human beings reported among the missing.

But thanks to the radio, and the fine traditions of these "telegraphers of the sea," no tragedy is chronicled but the thrilling story of a merciful rescue.

"Everyone on board safe and well" was the cheering message projected over the waves through 300 miles of space last night. In youth we marvelled at the potency of the magician's wand, but nothing in Grimms could surpass in its sheer dramatic wonder, this defiance and mastery of what were the accepted laws of nature only a dozen years ago.

And so the world progresses, and becomes, in spite of periodic fits of the gloom brigade, a safer and better and finer place in which to live.

Civilization today, to many thinking people, appears tottering on the abyss. Well civilizations have tottered before, empires have fallen, but if one can withdraw from the immediate scene sufficiently to secure a perspective of history's stage as a whole, it will be found that the human race, the lot of the average man, has through all the ages maintained a steady ascending betterment.

Quill Points

Where did people park their used gum before movies were invented?

Constantine doubtless has moments when he feels about as unnecessary as an adenoid.

A beauty contest usually selects the girl who will let mother wait on her from now on.

Some small boys seldom have a good time, and some risk their necks forty times a day.

The football team isn't the whole college, however. They also serve who only stand and root.

The married man who says he doesn't play second fiddle in his house probably plays the lyre.

Our idea of a modest man is the parent of a new-born son who admits that the mother was also present.

An international question never is really settled until it is settled at the expense of the weaker side.

It is hard to understand a sex that is too proud to do housework at \$15 a week, but will marry and do it for nothing.

America will be satisfied with any settlement of the Turkish question that leaves the straits neutral and also America.

Some day a publisher will arise who has the courage of his convictions, and he will print a magazine called "Nasty Stories."

Correct this sentence; "No dear," said the mother; "you mustn't speak your piece; I don't like to have you show off before visitors."



THE DOOMED SEVEN.

MY SEVEN cousins used to drive before my cottage door, and they seemed very much alive, but now they are no more. James Henry's ear was trimmed with brass, and blithely it would flee; he stepped too fiercely on the gas and wound it round a tree. John drove a car with faulty brakes—he would not fix the same; we gathered up, with garden rakes, the fragments of his frame. Ned was a glad and smiling wight; where is that springald now? He ran without his lamps one night and bumped against a cow. Charles tries to cross a railway track before a rushing train; there were nine fractures in his back, his head was rent in twain. And Joseph swung around a curve at fifty miles an hour; his monument you will observe hard by you old gray tower. Adolphus lit a match to see if he had gasoline, and by the mer and on the sea he is no longer seen. Theophilus was prone to race with other speeding boats, and o'er his quiet resting place now graze the village goats. No more their chugging vans I hear, no more their joyous whoops; oh, other men have cousins dear, but mine have looped the loops.

COMMUNICATIONS

In His Best Oratorical Manner To the Editor: In a recent edition of your paper you headed an article on the Citizens Progressive ticket, headed by me, as the Fehl-Lindas ticket.

You evidently did so for the purpose of suggesting that I was a weak-willed puppet controlled by Mr. Fehl. There was nothing in my petition or in the petition of any of the councilmen that justified such a statement. If you wish to oppose me for office come out and do so and state your reasons. I am able to defend myself and I don't dodge anything you have to say. If you favor some one else come out and say so. But at least be fair about it. Mr. Fehl does not control me or any one on the ticket. He supports me because he thinks I will give the people a square deal. I trust every citizen has a right to support whoever he wishes to support. You claim that

privilege, and exercise it, and it would be unjust to the man you support to refer to him as the Fehl candidate or his ticket as the Fehl ticket.

I wish to announce, therefore, that I am not running for any individual or for any ulterior purpose. I stand on my own record, my own ability and my own reputation. I do not care whether the Mail Tribune supports me or not. I do not care whether they attack me or ignore me, but I do ask for simple justice and for a manly attack if they desire to make one.

As you have published the article above referred to, I should appreciate it if you would publish this letter also. Very truly yours, R. F. LINDAS.

Medford, Oct. 11th. Note: The Mail Tribune did not realize that Mr. Lindas considered the name of Fehl so damaging. We shall do our best in the future, as far as circumstances permit, to not associate the two names together again.

HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW?

- 1—How many fluid drams are there in a fluid ounce? 2—Of what ocean is the Mediterranean sea an arm? 3—How many feet are there in a kilometer? 4—How many acres are there in a hectare? 5—What are two synonyms for grand? 6—In measurement of type how much does a point equal? 7—When is the next leap year? 8—What was the "Old Guard"? 9—In what part of the world are there two summers? 10—Who was Anne Hathaway? Answers to Yesterday's Questions 1—What is a marquee? Ans. A large field tent. 2—How wide is the state of Delaware at its north end? Ans. From nine to twelve miles. 3—What city is the capital of Sicily? Ans. Palermo. 4—What U. S. president had the largest family? Ans. William Henry Harrison. His family consisted of six boys and four girls. 5—When was Maude Adams born? Ans. Nov. 11, 1872. 6—What is a mare's nest? Ans. A seemingly important discovery which turns out worthless or fraudulent. 7—What is the poetic name for Portugal? Ans. Lusitania. 8—How many different forms of knots are there? Ans. About seventy-six. 9—What is kip? Ans. Untanned calfskin. 10—What are two synonyms for the word eager? Ans. Ardent, earnest.

Bible Questions And Answers

- Questions. 1. Why was the place Bochim called "Weepers"? 2. What did the rest of the kings of Canaan do when they found that the Gibeonites had made peace with Israel? 3. What special command was given to Israel at the destruction of Jericho? 4. When was the Book of Deuteronomy written? 5. After the numbering of the Israelites, how many men were left who had come out of Egypt with Moses? 6. How did Galaam prove himself bad in Moab? Answers to Yesterday's Questions: 1. Joshua was the son of Nun, of the tribe of Ephraim. 2. The city of Jericho stood near the west side of the Jordan. 3. Joshua endeavored to ascertain the strength of Jericho by sending spies. 4. The meaning of "Bochim" is "Weepers." 5. The great host which fought against Joshua had chariots and horses. 6. Joshua burnt the city of Hazer with fire.

Expert's Views on the School Bill

The bill proposing an amendment to section 5259 on compulsory education is very interesting. With the purpose of it I am in entire accord. I believe, however, that it goes altogether too far. It seems to me to violate fundamental rights of American citizens with regard to the education of their children. It is quite true that the public schools would be supported liberally. It is quite true that children in private and sectarian institutions should not be deprived of such training in the English language and in the essentials of citizenship as will make them a group apart in the body politic. To accomplish these ends, however, it seems to me by no means necessary to prohibit private schools. Public education and private education have gone hand in hand in this country now for many generations. Private institutions are enabled to do not a few things which cannot be done in

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

STATE REPRESENTATIVE Having been nominated by the people at the May primary, I hereby solicit your support and votes as one of the two State Representatives in the legislature, to be elected at the November election. Adv. JOHN H. CARKIN.

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public institutions. Citizens who prefer the kind of training which private institutions can provide ought to have the opportunity of availing themselves of it. It is perfectly just of the state to supervise private institutions in the common interests. It seems to me entirely unjust to prohibit them. Measures of this kind have been proposed, I am informed, in the Japanese empire, and have been more or less carried out. I cannot believe that such measures so extreme will be carried out in our republic. HARRY PRAT JUDSON, President of University of Chicago.

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