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## Ye Smudge Pot

By Arthur Perry.

Prof. Scopes of Monkey trial fame, has refused an offer of $150,000 to appear in the movies, and the next time there is a fight of note editors will chase out the old moan, that pugilists get more money than professors. Whither are we drifting?

It's about time for a farmer's wife to conspire with a hay hand to put rat poison in his oatmeal.

Everett Booster of Woodburn took a brief business trip to Salem this morning.—(Salem Capital Journal. Grab him, Rotarians!

!!XX@%??—&!
(SF. Bulletin)

Slowly, silently, she yielded to his fond embrace. The great red moon smiled down in approval. As he clasped her in his arms and pressed a kiss on her upturned lips, she gently murmured—

(To Be Continued)

The auto trip to Crater Lake now only needs the average turnout of cars, for a fiendish serenade down the Main Stem.

The defendant in the Chicago germ murder trial is apparently in as much danger of conviction as a guilty bootlegger.

Of course, the present weather is unusual, but it's the right time of the year for it.

She is a very competent and reliable young lady of sterling worth.—(Baker, Ore., Democrat.) Groomly praise for the blushing bride.

People are always losing money, and running the ancient bluff: "Party who picked up purse was seen. Return at once and avoid trouble." Why don't the loser go to the finder and tell him or her about it, instead of the wide world?

THE DEFENSE OPENS
(Pendleton East Oregonian)

This road, owing to lack of dragging, has been almost impassable for weeks, but the heavy bus has beaten down all the rougher places.

Do the Humdingers realize that to date the visiting soldats have not been bass soloed?

The eagle will scream in Oregon, July 4th, from joy, and what he sees in the parades.

cut quite a gash in the lift side of his face, which necessitated his going to a doctor in Medford and having several stitches taken.—(Local paper) Or, as you might say, the jaw.

Ford story No. 987,654 is merrily going the rounds.

What the country needs is a window screen that keeps out flies, like it keeps flies in.

The social whirl has started to whizz.

IF WINTER COMES

If winter comes will some one mourn?
If sleet should form upon the street
And make us wabbly on our feet,
Would mankind feel forlorn?

If winter comes will some one yelp?
If frost should come and bitter chill,
Would anybody sound a shrill
And anguished call for help?

If winter comes will some one care?
If icy blasts benumbed the nose
And penetrated futile clothes,
Would anybody swear?

If winter comes will some one weep?
If snow should pile and drift about,
Would anybody fuss and pout
And toss in fretful sleep?

If winter comes will some one growl?
If pelting hail should whack his beans
And bring us bleak and wintry scenes,
Would some one raise a howl?

If winter comes will man deplore?
You bet your life if winter came
We'd kick and grumble just the same
And raise a mighty roar.

(Baltimore Sun.)

The make-up man says two lines are needed to fill this space.

## SENATOR LA FOLLETTE.

SENATOR LA FOLLETTE is dead. After life's fitful fever he sleeps well. This is not the time to appraise his character or career. His ultimate place in the annals of his country, must be left to the perspective of history when passions have cooled, and a clearer judgment may be attained.

To thousands he represented all that was reprehensible and undesirable in American public life. To others he was a demi-god and hero, who regardless of the consequences, fought the fight for the common man.

Between these two extremes, as usual, the truth will probably be found. But at his death, even his enemies will join in paying a certain tribute to his strength and courage.

Right and wrong, Senator La Follette had the courage of true greatness. He had the mental power of greatness. He had that loyalty to a chosen cause, which while it does not make greatness, is usually associated with it.

And yet somehow he failed to attain greatness. No man did more than he to advance, in its early stages, the cause of progressive polities. He fought the money and railroad control in his own state, when it was strong, but wrong, and he was politically speaking, weak, but right. Eventually, he won.

And yet when the supreme test came he failed. During the war and after it, he failed. And at the end he failed.

Shakespeare said:

"The evil that men do lives after them;
The good is oft interred with their bones."

But fortunately, this isn't true. It is the good that lives after death, and the evil that is oft interred with the bones,—gradually viewed with compassion, if not forgotten.

So, to the beneficient hand of time, when justice may be tempered with mercy, must be left the task of writing the Wisconsin senator's final epitaph.

## QUILL POINTS

Eleven of the Apostles remained true. The other one kept the funds.

Hotel: A place supported by the consumer of goods the traveling man sells.

What a dramatic critic Thor would have made! He had a real hammer.

The thing we don't like about some highbrows is their psychoasininity.

In all of history there is no record that hanging a man ever made a better citizen of him.

Modern terms are courteous. A "fish-pole complex" sounds so much better than "laziness."

A gasoline war is a safe business. The filling stations never fail to collect the indemnity when it is over.

There is no more compassion for horny hands. They may be caused by steering wheels and golf clubs.

Most of the world's big jobs are handled by men who don't know what kind of tie is becoming to them.

Among the most cordially hated reformers is the one who made it vulgar to eat fried chicken with one's fingers.

Beginning a journey at 5 a. m., enables you to escape the dust of everybody except those who start at 5 a. m., to escape the dust.

Correct this sentence: "I'm darned tired of seeing that frock," said the husband, "and I wish to Heaven you'd get some new ones."

## Rippling Rhymes
by Walt Mason

### GOOD BUSINESS.

TODAY I ate my dinner at Bingle's dining hall; the coffee was a winner, likewise the codfish ball. I ate a brace of chickens, a codfish and an eel, and muttered, "Oh, the dickens, how satisfied I feel!" And when I went to settle, the boss was standing there, with coffee in a kettle and salad in his hair. I said, "Oh, Mr. Bingle, your hash-house can't be beat! Your victuals make me tingle with joy from head to feet! I like your serambled taters, I like your beans, gadzook; you have the finest waiters, you have the ablest cook." And Bingle was so tickled the poor man almost cried, and from his eyes there trickled the tears of joy and pride. Then to the desk came Dutton, a man with frozen face; he said, "My slice of mutton was simply a disgrace; the viands you are selling are not as advertised; your kraut is evil-smelling, your pies are vuleanized." Then Bingle said, severely, "I do not want your trade; you are accustomed, clearly, to grub that is decayed." Now when again he sees me in Bingle's bean bazar, the boss will strive to please me in all the ways there are. He'll give me meat that's tender, and cake that's like a kiss, and doughnuts that engender the ultimate of bliss. And so the path is easy down which I gayly tread; though compliments be wheezy, I see that they are said.


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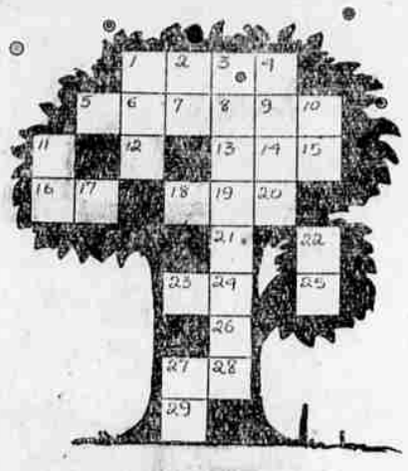
## CROSS-WORD PUZZLE STORY
### OUR OLD OAK

Our old oak tree has a great big 5-6-7-8-9-10 sticking out on one side. It had 18-19-20 branches but father thought it would 22-25 wise to cut it off. 11-16 one day 10-15 took 13-14-15 big saw and sawed it right off. 16-17 course the tree 27-28 lopsided now but we begged him to leave the one branch 23-24.



The leaves swing to and 1-6-12 in the wind and you can smell the 1-2-3-4 mountain air up in the tree-top.

You can hear the 4-9-14-20 of your own voice if you go into the hollow tree and shout "2-7" loud enough! The ivy 3-8-13-19-21-24-26-28 all the lower branches and the trunk of our tree and keeps it green all year round.

Answer To Last Puzzle

4-10 (in), 1-2-3-4-5-6-7 (taxicab), 40-41-42 (are), 14-18-23-33-39 (meter), 44-50 (on), 37-38-29 (for), 47-48-49 (man), 41-48-51 (ran), 15-16-17 (car), 8-11 (of), 22-23-24-25-26-27 (starts), 22-32-38-46 (stop), 24-34 (an), 40-47 (am), 8-9 (or), 28-29-30-31 (fuss), 43-44-45 (top), 11-12-13 (fur), 27-35-42-49 (seen), 19-29-36-43 (suit), 32-33-34 (ten), 1-9-12-15-49-30 (trucks), 19-29-21 (sky), 13-16-21-31 (rays).

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## Personal Health Service
By WILLIAM BRADY, M. D.

Signed letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to disease diagnosis or treatment, will be answered by Dr. Brady if a stamped, self addressed envelope is enclosed. Letters should be brief and written in ink. Owing to the large number of letters received, only a few can be answered here. No reply can be made to queries not conforming to instructions. Address Dr. William Brady, in care of this newspaper.

### Whew But It's Harmless.

Experienced physicians with highly trained senses can feel, see, hear or smell things which are scarcely appreciated or appreciable to others. I have known good doctors who staked a diagnosis of typhoid fever in a doubtful case upon the peculiar odor they could detect about the body of one ill of typhoid. Several diseases have their distinctive body odor, notably smallpox. But this characteristic odor in itself is absolutely harmless in every instance, whether it is particularly disagreeable or offensive or not. Even the odor of sanctity is a poor criterious. Some folks associate certain odors with cleanliness, but this is purely an association of ideas and there is no specific odor which signifies either esthetic or hygienic (sanitary) cleanliness. The perfumes used by women sometimes suggest to those who know the origin and significance of certain scents, anything but pleasant thoughts. This whole question of odors is merely psychological and has practically no importance in physiology or hygiene. I for instance find nothing offensive in the atmosphere of the operating room, the dissecting room or other places where no doubt various odors occur, but please deliver me from confinement in a room where there are carnations poluting the air with their ghastly fetor; it sickens me, although I recognize perfectly that it is purely an association of the carnation odor with unhappy events in life.

The sebum or oil secreted by the sebaccaus glands is poured out upon the surface of the skin through the common ducts of sweat and oil glands, both glands emptying in the well of the hair follicle, wherever there is a hairy or downy covering of the skin (that is everywhere except the soles and palms.) The sebum serves to keep the skin soft, smooth, warm, clear and pliable. It is a better cleanser than any soap or other artifice. Decomposition of the sebum when the clothing too effectively shuts out the air, probably contributes to the disagreeable odor associated with that fault of hygiene. The exact composition of the sebum is undetermined, but physiological chemists tell us it contains fats and soaps, some cholesterin, a kind of casein, remnants of epithelial cells, and minute traces of the inorganic salts which are present in sweat.

Water.....995.58 parts per thousand
Ordinary sal....3.00 parts per thousand
Potassium chlorid.....
.....0.25 parts per thousand
Alkaline sulphates .....
.....0.01 parts per thousand
Alkaline phosphates.....
.....0.008 parts per thousand
Albuminates, lactates, fatty acids.
Insignificant traces sometimes found.
Urea.....1.00 parts per thousand
Uric acid, creatinin, ethereal sulphates of phenol and skatol. Insignificant traces.

The excretory function of the skin is obviously of no practical importance so far as the elimination of waste matter is concerned. This physiological fact, which cannot be contradicted unless you would sweep aside all scientific knowledge and substitute figments of imagination, is worthy of repetition.

Nothing of consequence is excreted (eliminated, thrown off) by the skin in health or in sickness, except salt and water.

### QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.
Mothers and Friends.

I was told by mother and also by a friend that it was bad to wean a baby when the sign was in the head or near the heart. They say the sign should be in the thigh going down to the feet when I wean him. Is that true? My baby is just a year old. Is he old enough to wean. He has four teeth. Does he have to have a certain number of teeth before weaning? (Mrs. R. L .C.)

Answer.—That is superstition, a very poor substitute for science or common sense in the care of the baby. As a rule babies should be weaned when they are 10 months old, no matter what time of the year or what phase of the moon or what sign of the zodiac may happen to occur then. The most effective way to wean is to give the baby one less breast feeding each successive day, substituting a bottle feeding for the breast feeding, and in this way complete the process in a week. A little firmness in adhering to this plan, and a strict let alone policy in regard to after care, will save much trouble for all concerned. What to feed the baby after weaning is another question. Send a self addressed stamped envelope for instructions about that. There is really only one drawback about weaning a baby in hot Weather—and that is improper feeding. There is no excuse for improper feeding of a baby today—ignorance is no excuse, for the necessary knowledge about the proper preparation and adaptation of the food or diet for infants is available to every mother from the health department in any community, not to mention scores of other sources.

### Neuritis Bobs Up Again

Kindly let me know the cause of neuritis and how to prevent it. (H. T.)

Answer—Neuritis means inflammation of a nerve center somewhere. It is questionable whether an attempt to give a general description would do anybody any good. Among the causes of neuritis are alcoholism, poisoning with lead, arsenic and sometimes other metallic poisons, the toxins of such infectious diseases as syphilis, diptheria, typhoid fever, influenza, extension of inflammation from adjacent tissues, injury of the nerve. So you see an attempt to answer your question would be like trying to tell folks how to keep well in half a column. Then again, such a question might be sent in from morbid curiosity, that is, by some one in the very unhealthful business of collecting symptoms, and I try hard not to encourage that bad habit. They are already far too many misguided folk cultivating imaginary "neuritis."

### Notice of Call for Bids.

The School Board of District No. 59, Prospect School District, having been authorized by a majority vote of the legal voters of the district as cast at a legally called school meeting on May 23rd, 1925, does hereby call for bids on a loan up to $6000 to be secured by negotiable interest-bearing warrants of the district. Said loan shall be for a period of ten years (10 years) with interest not more than 6 per cent, repayment to be in ten annual payments together with accrued interest each year.

"Each bona fide resident of the district shall have the right to subscribe once for said loan for the entire amount, or any portion of the same not less than $50, at par value."

Bids to be received in writing by the School Board up to 12 o'clock noon on June 26th, 1925.

Dated June 5, 1925.

JAMES E. GRIEVE,
Chairman of Board.
E. C. AMIDON, Clerk of Board.

### Notice of Appointment of Administratrix and to Present Claims.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Jackson.
In the Matter of the Estate of G. O. Mateer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Katie M. Grieve was on the 28th day of March, 1925, duly appointed administratrix of the estate of G. O. Mateer, deceased, by the County Court for Jackson County, Oregon, in which court the estate of said deceased is pending, and that all persons having claims against said estate will present the same with proper vouchers to the undersigned, Trail, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated this 5th day of June, 1925.

KATIE M. GRIEVE,
Administratrix of the Estate of G. O. Mateer, Deceased.


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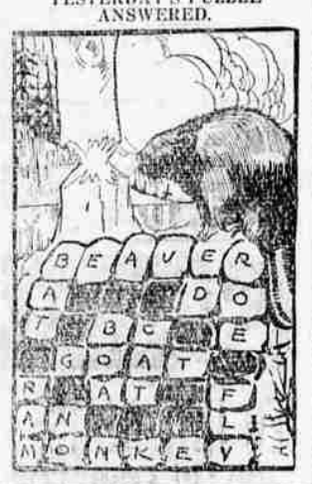
Running Across.

Word 1. The spring flower in the picture.
Word 3. Older; also a kind of berry.
Word 5. What the woods are full of.
Word 6. To unweave or unknit.

Running Down.

Word 1. A building for the presentation of plays.
Word 2. A sunshade.
Word 4. A female deer.

YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE ANSWERED.




### Summons for Publication.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Jackson.

The City of Medford, a municipal corporation, Plaintiff, vs. Robert Linnville, and Jane Doe Linnville, his wife, also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint herein, Defendants.

To Robert Linnville and Jane Doe Linnville, his wife, also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint herein, Defendants:

In the name of the State of Oregon: You and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the last day of six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, said period of six weeks being the time prescribed for publication hereof; and if you fail so to appear and answer said complaint, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in its complaint, to-wit: That a decree be entered adjudicating any and all right, title, estate, lein or claim which you or any of you have or claim to have in, to or upon the real property situated in the City of Medford, Jackson County, State of Oregon, described as follows:

Lot 13, in block numbered 9, of the duly recorded amended plat of Queen Anne Addition to the City of Medford.

and declaring any and all such claims to be null and void, and decreeing that said plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of said premises and of the whole thereof, free and clear of any and all right, title, estate, lien or interest in said real estate, and that each and all of the defendants herein and each and all of their servants, agents and employes and each and all persons claiming or to claim by, through or under them or any of them, and all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in said real estate be forever enjoined, restrained and barred from asserting, attempting to establish or claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in or to said property or any portion thereof, and that plaintiff's title to said premises be forever quieted and set at rest.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable C. M. Thomas, presiding judge of the above entitled Court, made and entered in said court and cause on the 20th day of May, 1925, prescribing that this summons be served by publication therof once each week for six consecutive weeks in the Medford Mail Tribune, a newspaper published in Jackson County, Oregon.

May the 22nd, 1925 is the date of the first publication of this summons and July the 3rd, 1925, is the date of the last publication of this summons.

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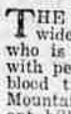

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## Abe Martin

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## Poems That Live

### Like Barley Bending

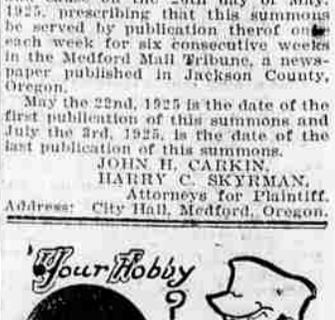
Like barley bending
In low fields by the sea,
Singing in hard wind
Ceaselessly:

Like barley bending
And rising again,
So would I, unbroken,
Rise from pain;

So would I softly,
Day long, night long,
Change my sorrow
Into song.

—Sarah Teasdale.

More than half the roads of Brazil are suitable for automobile traffic.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