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YE SMUDGE POT By Arthur Perry

Farmers are reported as "praying for rain." They are doing nothing of the kind.

It is duly noted in the press, that the supply of hootch for the Democratic convention...

Brown purse lost on bus or K car by working woman; contains tax money, buttons, union card, sick husband...

One of our poets has written some blank verse, which he did not know was verse.

SHE KEEPS BUSY (Juneau, Alaska, Stroller) Since my brother lost his wife three years ago...

A railroad was built to the coast on the 6th, by skillful use of a well-whetted imagination.

Results are being obtained against the devilish "U" turn, but there are 25 other letters in the alphabet.

Plans and specifications have been completed for the erection of a gasoline station...

A young lady was seen running down the street towards home last evening. She had forgot to wash the supper dishes...

Long distance nomination of a Republican candidate for President was started day before yesterday...

TERRORS OF OFFICEHOLDING "A public office hasn't by no means a private snap..."

A Big Bend in Hoover? JAMESTOWN, N. D., June 9.—(P)—Headed by Governor A. G. Sorley...

THE NEBBS—What Now? WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH YOU LATELY, FLINT? ANYTHING HAPPENED THAT WOULD WARRANT THAT SOLEMN APPEARANCE...

YESTERDAY'S MAGIC IS TODAY'S ACHIEVEMENT

THE most sensational news of the year was contained in the dispatch from Kings Bay, last night, that the Citta Di Milaao had been in radio communication with the lost dirigible Italia for twenty minutes...

The hazardous task of rescue is still to be accomplished but, with the facilities at hand, and the super-human assistance of the radio, there is every reason to believe that this will eventually be brought about.

It seems highly fitting that the invention of one great Italian should be the means of saving the life of another. But for Marconi and his discovery and development of wireless communication, General Nobile and his crew would long ago have been doomed to a slow and certain death.

Even with the Italia's position known, it may be impossible for the relief ship to get there in time. Shifting ice and an certain weather might prove fatally determining factors.

What marvellous agency of human betterment the radio has been, and how akin to what our early ancestors would have designated as magic. What Science now accomplishes as an everyday routine matter, was delegated a century ago only to such supernatural mediums as Geni, pagan gods, and fairy grandmothers.

Yes, we live in a marvelous age. We even think the limit of the marvellous has been reached. But the first law of Nature is progress. Probably fifty years from now, our children will look back upon the Twentieth Century with the same feeling of superiority and compassion that we look back upon the dark ages of the Nineteenth.

QUILL POINTS

Alas! The man who uses perfect English seldom has anything worth while to use it for.

The only war material that is equally useful in time of peace is the lie.

There are dark days ahead for corruption. Both party platforms will denounce it unmercifully.

If the worm turns, it's because a voice from the back seat gave him the idea.

The world isn't improving in some respects, but you seldom see a quill toothpick.

You can pick out the successful business men at a luncheon. They are the ones who aren't making diagrams on the table cloth.

Once in a while you see a man who doesn't want any more money. He is holding a Lily.

Several dams have threatened to burst forth this spring, but just wait until the nomination is made at Houston.

In every small town people can point out some ex-prominent citizen to prove that stock exchange gambling is wicked.

Americanism: Giving women their own way for the sake of peace; calling it chivalry.

Boobs: People who spend their nickels to provide wealth and fame for caustic critics who call them boobs.

A cynic is a man who seorns people and yet feels important because so many of them live in his city.

A man soon learns to like his wife's favorite dishes. It isn't difficult to learn when the alternative is a diet of bread and water.

If inanimate things can't think, how does a weak tire know when you have on a new spring snit?

There are many ways to account for that gas in Germany. Perhaps Hindenburg had another tooth to pull.

Jim Ham Lewis is willing to accept the Vice-Presidency. He probably figures there's no way to make red whiskers inconspicuous.

Very few people tote pistols. Observe how many stories conclude with the words: "The driver escaped without injury."

The naked and hungry in Shantung are different. They aren't trying to keep in style and they aren't trying to reduce.

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.

AN OUTLINE OF HYGIENE 36.—The High Pressure Idea.

Humble was the word we Americans lived a generation ago. Now it is high tension. We like to imagine we live under "high tension."

I have never seen anything in your column pertaining to feeding ice cream to children two years old. Is this harmful? Is the saccharine used in it injurious to the stomach?—Mrs. D. A. W.

The slowly developing impairment of the heart muscle that doctors call chronic myocarditis, most common among persons of mature age, is often only a part of arteriosclerosis in its early stage.

Notice the man who looks so healthy and who is so full of life. He is a man who has had his blood vessels like this. But when he sees the little arteries in the retina, irregular, tortuous, apparently undergoing sclerosis, or hardening, he knows that little arteries through the body, in the organs, are sharing in the process.

Another good way to tell a railroad crossing, if you can't read, is by the hump in the road. The feller that puts off Marylin' till he kin supporta wife hasn't very much in love.

THE MARKETS Livestock PORTLAND, Ore., June 9.—(P) Sheep: On contract 215. Totals for week (approximately): Cattle 1450 calves 150; hogs 4620; sheep 5455; cars 20.

THE MARKETS (Continued from Page One) The policeman, "meaning it all for the best," shot down two of the innocent taxi men, killing one, knocked a third unconscious with a club.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS Great Grandmother. Reading in your column about the boy who was saved from choking to death on a person carried by a street car passenger who applied artificial respiration, while an indignant woman belabored the man with her umbrella, reminds me how my little one's life was saved years ago.

THE NEBBS—What Now? (Continued from Page One) "I DON'T KNOW WHAT BUSINESS I'VE GOT WITH MY EMPLOYEES AFTER HOURS, AS LONG AS SHE ATTENDS TO HER BUSINESS I'VE GOT NO KICK COMING."

THE NEBBS—What Now? (Continued from Page One) "GEE, WHAT A SWELL COUPLE THEY WOULD MAKE. HE'S HANDSOME AND SHE'S GORGEOUS. I DON'T KNOW WHO HE IS BUT HE'S GOT EVIDENCE OF GOOD FORTUNE AND SHE'S JUST A HEADWAITRESS—IT DOESN'T LOOK TO ME LIKE SHE CAN GET MUCH THE WORST OF IT."

THE NEBBS—What Now? (Continued from Page One) "LITTLE DOES NEBB KNOW HOW VITALLY FLINT IS INTERESTED IN THIS AFFAIR."

THE NEBBS—What Now? (Continued from Page One) "DO YOU THINK, GENTLE READER, THAT FLINT SHOULD LET THE WORLD KNOW THAT HE'S HER FATHER?"

Rippling Rhymes (By Walt Mason)

FUTURE WONDERS.

Some day great airships will proceed from shore to shore at dizzy speed, and passengers, in guided seas, will soar above the seven seas. A man will mutter, in New York, "This evening I will dine in Cork; tomorrow I'll be coming home by way of Petrograd and Rome."

Portland Wheat. PORTLAND, Ore., June 9.—(P)—Wheat: BBB hard white, 11.75; soft white, 11.42; western white, 11.42; hard winter, northern spring, western red, 11.23.

San Francisco Butterfat. SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—(P) Butterfat (c.o.b. San Francisco) 47 1/2c.

Wall Street Report NEW YORK, June 9.—(P) Stock prices continued to yield to heavy liquidations for both accounts in today's brief session of the market.

THE MARKETS (Continued from Page One) CATTLE—Compared with week ago: All classes around steady; bulk good steers \$11.25-11.75; others down to \$10 and under; best heifers offered in load lots at \$10; bulk desirable she stock \$8.50-9.25, off quality down to \$5; bulls, mostly medium to fairly good kinds \$6.75-7.50; bulk desirable calves \$12.50-14, a few strictly choice \$14.50; calves 10 down, heaves and thins down to \$7.50.

THE MARKETS (Continued from Page One) HOGS—Compared with a week ago: Butcher classes steady; slaughter pigs and feeders 60c higher; bulk light hogs \$8.50-9.50; a few to shippers Monday at \$10; heaves and underweight \$9.50 down; extreme heavies \$8.50; a few slaughter pigs \$8.95-9.50; a few feeders at \$7.50-8.00.

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THE MARKETS (Continued from Page One) Produce PORTLAND, Ore., June 9.—(P)

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Wool steady: eastern Oregon wools (c. o. b. country points): Choice light shrinking fine 35c-37c; heavier shrinking fine 32c-34c; cross bred wools 30c-40c; valley, medium 47c; coarse 45c-46c.

Notice. Bids for contract to build a one-room school at Trail are hereby called for. Blueprints and specifications at office of County School Superintendent, Medford, and at Superintendent, Medford, and at the residence of Mrs. Lou L. Dawson, clerk of Trail School Dist. No. 45.

Notice of Final Settlement. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Jackson, Oregon, a verified final account, as administrator of the estate of Ernestina Erdmann, deceased, and that said Court has fixed Monday, the 25th day of June, 1928, at the hour of ten o'clock of said day, as the time, and the County Court room in the County Court House, at Medford, Jackson County, Oregon, as the place for hearing said final account and all objections thereto.

Notice of Sale of Real and Personal Property. In the County Court of the State of Oregon in and for the County of Jackson, Oregon.

POTATOES FIRM IN PORTLAND AND CHICKENS WEAK. PORTLAND, Ore., June 9.—(P)—Serious shortage threatens the new potato market within the next week or two and prices on the local wholesale way are already decidedly firm.

Notice of Annual School Meeting. Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 49 of Jackson County, State of Oregon, that the Annual School Meeting of said district will be held at the Junior High School, to be held at the hour of 2:00 o'clock p. m., on the third Monday of June, being the 18th day of June, A. D. 1928.

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