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Ye Smudge Pot By Arthur Perry

A cooking school expert has discovered a way to make carrots taste like pineapples. This is very smart, but it does not help much.

The Corvallis high school was defeated by Benson Tech of Portland, for the state wrestling title, outside of Saturday night dances.

Another "unavoidable auto accident," due to unavoidably going too fast, has been duly chronicled.

Every time this department catches the Portland ball team, they up and win a ball game. They are a sweet aggregation, brilliant in the field and mighty at the bat.

IRKWISE, THE NEIGHBORS (Roseburg News-Review) Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Austin have returned to Dunsuir, California, leaving last Thursday. Sorry to have them leave. Their son and wife have a fine new daughter, so we hear.

The male legs exposed in the Legion Revue, were enough to make the angels, and former Governor Walker M. Pierce weep, and steps have been taken to prevent a repetition of the atrocity. Though all the loyal Americans, and good Republicans, they must not do it anymore. It was the greatest collection of cull shanks ever exposed to the gaze of Jackson county, and the chill breeze from the back door of the Craterian. One set of legs had been borrowed from a canary. Another pair did not match and were corrupted, and still others looked like a bull had taken a bite out of the fattest portion. If Nature erred and made one limb straight, the other had a long sweeping curve in it, and so on and so on. Man should keep his shins, and his sins, covered up.

DEATH PROVES FATAL TO STOCKMAN (Klamath Falls News) As it sometimes does. Nothing is very certain in this world except that the officers who arrested the two eminent dry congressmen, will not last very long in government service.

The great hay shortage which raged last fall, it was difficult to see anything but haystacks in the valley, was not as virulent as expected, as the hay lasted until the grass is now up where a cow can get a good mouthful of it. Another hay shortage is predicted for the coming autumn.

The Alice Hanley weeping willow tree has commenced to sniffle. A good-looking blonde from Frisco is in our midst, and talks contemptuously of Susanville, Calif.

Red springs, chicken coops, and fishing poles lashed to the sides of 40s, are fitting up and down the highway. EL DORADO, Ark., April 2—(AP)—Four prisoners held on robbery charges, one an alleged member of the notorious "Ace" Pendleton bandit gang, escaped from the new "break proof" jail here today. The reputed gangster is H. G. "Snake" Cain, an escaped convict from the Oklahoma penitentiary.

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When a man has lived in a community and helped when ever he could and been up against the swelling side of life and down with the breaks, he is a monger, not when a man pinches the pennies—helps no one hardly him self—we feel like the ropes of the Boat of Life will be cut off and they will fall off. Such is the word of God. A young man of fine personalities was canvassing for the Women's World. He said he came from Minneapolis and it was a rich country, but times were dull and they claimed it was too much gasolene and fine cloths. Well, look at the dresses out of what you made one when we were young.

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Klamath Falls.—Larfee kin being built for Klamath Brick & Tile Co.

QUILL POINTS

Blessed are the meek. They never drive trucks.

And whom the gods would destroy they first delude with the notion he understands women.

Add to Kipling's "Ifs": If you can love a dog and not be mushy.

"If the engagement is broken, the man may recover the ring." Sure; and a pedestrian has the right of way.

Another disadvantage in adopting a child. If your training spoils it, its bad traits are inherited.

If only there was some way to drop a check on the show cases to tell whether it is good.

Now Standard of Indiana is purged of sin, but you can't see much sign of repentance when you buy gas.

Soon the migratory bird will come north to the trees and the rookie to the bushes.

The proper time to leave a night club depends on whether you or day breaks first.

Americanism: Bragging about our Nordic ancestry; making immigration regulations to keep out northern Europeans and let in Italians.

An Arkansas legislator declined when offered a thousand dollars to support horse racing. One grant wouldn't support it very long, anyway.

And now Mr. Hoover takes steps to conserve the oil in public lands. That man may be a Democrat, after all.

Love is blind, and its survival in spite of gigles indicates a little deafness also.

It's easy to tell the sexes now. The one shivering in six layers of wool is a he-man.

There are few jazz programs now, but you can tune in two classical numbers at once and get about the same effect.

"Wealth brings unrest to the second generation." Yes; the mule was sired by a gentleman of leisure, and he's forever kicking.

What a joke on Hoover—Going to the trouble of giving the Indians a square deal when they don't vote.

A rose by any other name may smell as sweet, but the same hat sold at 49 cents couldn't give the pleasure it does to the woman who paid \$35.

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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.

ANTIDOTICANTION CAN'T HAPPEN. Now I have had enough experience trying to teach health—not disease, but health to the layman to know that a lay audience will never get my point or will never accept it as the simple truth until certain universal morbid delusions or fanatics are disposed of. So let us dispose of these obstacles right now.

One very popular delusion that is cultivated for profit by numerous subsidized health authorities, is that this and that item of diet is binding in effect. This is absolutely untrue. Nothing that fits into our binding or constricting. Some foods or combinations of foods are more laxative than others but none is binding, and there is no exception whatever to this, and I most earnestly assure you that one should never avoid a wholesome article of food on the silly ground that it may prove constipating. All food is more or less laxative, or, if you will, more true to this now, but please remember the unqualified fact I have asserted, namely, that no one can blame any food or mixture of foods for constiveness or constipation or the physic-taking habit.

Next I must dispose of another very morbid and nowadays, I fear, much too popular delusion. I fear, too, is cultivated by all sorts of "take leaders, nostrum makers, health food brigades and just plain nuts. I refer to the auto-intoxication obsession. Simply worried, auto-intoxication means some kind of poisoning of the body from the absorption of waste matter of one kind or another from the intestine. Such a thing absolutely does not happen, except in rare instances of complete intestinal obstruction which demands immediate surgical intervention to save the victim's life. With all the sincerity and conviction possible, I assure you that auto-intoxication can't happen to anyone who is not desperately or perhaps fatally ill of complete obstruction. I regret there is no time now to argue with you about this, if you cherish deeply entrenched sentiments about it, and find you cannot surmount your own preconceived notions, that is your misfortune. Even if certain illustrious members of my own beloved profession do still sound off about the auto-intoxication theory or make noises that imply they believe in some such thing, I still assert that auto-intoxication can't happen until and unless one is about to die or so darn near to death that there is no joke in it.

All right, then, either we have no auto-intoxication today or we just don't want to be freed from our pet physics, diets, or mechanical contraptions.

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RECOMMENDS IT TO OTHERS

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helps Her So Much

Cleveland, Ohio.—"I can recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to any woman in the condition I was in. I was so weak and run-down that I could hardly stand up. I could not eat and was full of melancholy. A friend living on Arcade Avenue told me about this medicine and after taking ten bottles my weakness and nervousness are all gone. I feel like living again. I am still taking it until I feel strong like before. You may use this letter as a testimonial."—Mrs. ELIZABETH TOSO, 14913 Hale Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

Amount of capital stock paid up: \$600,000.00

Net premiums received during the year: \$110,612.95

Interest, dividends and rents received during the year: \$2,967.10

Income from other sources received during the year: \$2,933.84

Total income: \$116,506.89

Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses: \$2,409.91

Dividends paid on capital stock during the year: \$23,000.00

Commissions and salaries paid during the year: \$7,307.68

Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year: \$648.53

Amount of all other expenditures: \$22,191.77

Total expenditures: \$34,558.83

Value of real estate owned (market value): \$0

Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value): \$487,388.25

Loans on mortgages and collateral: \$323,894.72

Cash in banks and on hand: \$5,967.84

Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1928: \$1,895.30

Interest and rents due and accrued: \$6,011.56

Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks: \$937,748.17

Gross claims for losses unpaid: \$5,088.57

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Dues for commission and brokerage: \$5,967.84

All other liabilities: \$8,059.00

Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock, paid up in U. S.: \$1,122,549.18

Business in Oregon for the year: Net premiums received during the year: \$4,758.72

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Losses incurred during the year: \$1,461.01

Name of Company, Home Insurance Company of New York, in the State of New York, on the thirty-first day of December, 1928, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Amount of capital stock paid up: \$200,000.00

Net premiums received during the year: \$28,126.85

Interest, dividends and rents received during the year: \$7,958.76

Income from other sources received during the year: \$1,317.66

Total income: \$37,313.03

Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses: \$139,359.01

Dividends paid on capital stock during the year: \$20,000.00

Commissions and salaries paid during the year: \$7,946.02

Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year: \$2,580.16

Amount of all other expenditures: \$19,250.72

Total expenditures: \$285,191.07

Value of real estate owned (market value): \$0

Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value): \$1,007,450.03

Loans on mortgages and collateral: \$7,248.54

Cash in banks and on hand: \$7,810.51

Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1928: \$11,508.31

Interest and rents due and accrued: \$1,508.31

Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks: \$1,145,477.22

Gross claims for losses unpaid: \$24,181.72

Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks: \$7,219.72

Dues for commission and brokerage: \$0

All other liabilities: \$5,425.63

Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock, paid up in U. S.: \$1,145,477.22

Business in Oregon for the year: Net premiums received during the year: \$1,350.80

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Losses incurred during the year: \$1,512.86

Name of Company, California-American Insurance Company, San Francisco, Cal., in the State of California, on the thirty-first day of December, 1928, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Amount of capital stock paid up: \$400,000.00

Net premiums received during the year: \$852,586.31

Interest, dividends and rents received during the year: \$6,390.15

Income from other sources received during the year: \$14,320.82

Total income: \$873,297.08

Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses: \$76,323.73

Dividends paid on capital stock during the year: \$0

Commissions and salaries paid during the year: \$272,579.10