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Ye Smudge Pot

The frost did no commercial damage to the peaches, or trips to California and Europe next winter. Daughter is now 14, and her legs will soon be long enough to drive the high-powered car.

The sentence of three months in jail for Harry F. Sinclair, oil baron has been confirmed. All he did was to weaken the foundations of the government.

The son of Tom Hefflin, the eminent Alabama senator, wind-jammer, hater and dry follower, who got drunk on the way home from Panama, and made a fool of himself in New York, could have made matters worse.

Jim Grive of Prospect was in town yesterday and bought licenses for five of his 44 dogs.

The Meadow-Lark Concert company has resumed rehearsals on the Hill Grove fence.

The weather has been favorable to the woodman, but is not receiving any encomiums from the refrigerator agents.

Henry C. Egan is going to play some golf. If he wins he will be from Medford, and if he loses he will be from Chicago.

Open air discussions of the taxes are the order of the day. Some of the debates are suited with naughtily words.

The diplomats have decided that Mrs. Gann, the sister of the vice-president, can sit where she can get her fleeces in the gravy bowl.

Strawberries are on the market. They are as costly as a gold nugget and taste like one.

A juvenile was seen hauling a fire engine with a co-sinet-string yesterday. He will jab himself in the eye with his mother's hatpin next.

The wrath of the smudging has settled on the snow-capped peaks, and the permanent blondes.

ADVICE TO LOVELORN (Malden Merch) See where a judge up in one of the larger cities the other day awarded a fair damed \$50,000 heart balm in a breach of promise suit.

Things are looking bright for the thinners, as the fruit crop is a total loss in every direction.

BANKED TURNS ORDERED FOR NEW FRENCH ROADS PARIS—(AP) Banked turns are in store for fast drivers on the rebuilt roads of France.

Whoever a road is to be reconstructed or extensive repairs are necessary, the ministry of public roads has ordered that the turns be adapted to the fast travel of today.

Since about half the main highways are due for rebuilding in the next few years as money becomes available, there eventually will be a marked improvement in rural traffic movement.

"Cannon Woman" Dies MANTUA, Italy—(AP) Giovanna Osena, the "cannon-woman" reputed to be the heaviest in all Italy has died here at the age of 30. She weighed 485 pounds, her bust measurement was 6 feet 4 inches, and she stood slightly under 5 feet. It took 15 bystanders to lift her on the stretcher.

QUILL POINTS

But how does static know you have company? A sudden fall of temperature means, among other things, that you changed your summer ones yesterday.

So live that you never will feel an urge to wail about the violated freedom of the seas. Business executive: One who parks his feet on a mahogany desk and says: "Sick 'em."

Perhaps oil and water won't mix, but they have a unique affinity compared with white pants and a flat tire. Poise is the quality that enables you to keep your hands away from the inkwell when the book agent fails to hear your seventh "No."

Death and taxes, however, are no more certain than little Willie's spilling of the beans when you have guests. Why do the dears complain about changing styles when anybody with a needle and thread can hem up a skirt a little shorter?

Some men who drop out of public life note a decided change in atmosphere, but Mr. Dawes goes from the Senate to Chicago. Americanism: Buying things you don't need because a slick guy flatters you by promising to take your future earnings.

A snake's eyes look cold until you see those of a smiling woman about to kiss another woman she hates. Pennsylvania has discovered 175 licensed drivers who are deaf. People who hark in vain for gangway wouldn't be surprised to learn that all of them are truck drivers.

There's one comfort in stock speculation. Those who wit take it from those who have a surplus to play with. Dining-car service isn't much. Finger bowls are provided for use after grapefruit, but there's nothing to clean your eyeglasses.

"As mean as a dog," people say. But you never saw a dog shake hands with somebody and then bite him in the back. The way to see the silver lining of a cloud is to stand in the sunshine far from the fellow who is under it.

Advertising does it. Detroit has more killings per capita than Chicago, and yet nobody thinks of the town as a producer of anything that isn't f. o. b.

You'll notice that government officials who wish to grab liquor for a test case are careful to pick on Siam or somebody of that size. "Come in," cried the busy man cheerfully. "I'll examine your set of books in just a moment."

Location of the new Las Vegas, Nev., airport has been determined. The new port, which will be complete in every detail, is to be closer to the city. It will supersede the airport used for many years by the Western Air Express operating between Los Angeles and Salt Lake City. The lease for the old airport has expired.

The department of commerce plans the establishment of two additional beacons on the Boston-New York airways and is considering construction of one more intermediate landing field along the route. The Colonial Air Transport, operating along this airway, requested the installations.

Galveston, Texas, has obtained 160 acres of land east of the city which will be developed into a municipal airport. Construction work will be started soon so that the field may be used late in the spring. Complete facilities are to be installed during the summer. At present, the army airport at Fort Crockett is available for transient planes.

The Alexandria, La., Aero club is making plans for an "airport day" in an effort to arouse interest in the municipal airport to effect the installation of needed facilities. Army planes from Fort Crockett

Fashionable London has taken to counterpaneing the type Queen Elizabeth used, made by miners' wives in distressed coat fields. Classified advertising gets results.

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 to enclose 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.

GALL BLADDER DYSPEPSIA Invalids or prospective invalids of the Rockies should have a care where they have a pain. A Spokane internist—in case you do not know precisely what an internist is, let me inform you that he is a kind of all-around specialist on pretty much everything except perhaps eczema and poison ivy.

corns, falling hair and earaches—one such versatile specialist out there deposes and says, to-wit and as follows, as duly recorded in the medical literature: "We should not wait for pain. However, when a patient says, 'I have a pain here,' and pulls his hand along his last rib, I think the diagnosis is almost certain from that point."

The doctor is speaking of the diagnosis of gallbladder disease whether gallstones are present in the diseased gallbladder or not. So I warn patients in the northwest to keep their hands out of their right waistcoat pockets when consulting physicians in that part of the country, that is, unless in a hurry to get to the operating table.

Hereafter we have made it rather routine practice to order the operating room made ready when ever a patient of the feminine gender, fair, fat and 40, complained of "gas" or belching. In a fair proportion of cases, moreover, our suspicions were confirmed at autopsy at the operation by the discovery of stones or at least the makings of stones in the gallbladder.

Probably about 90 per cent of the entire population of the country remains unaware of the situation or purpose of the gallbladder or gallstones in the human economy. Economy is what I said. Yes, and I'm discussing a surgical subject.

Well, just to avoid embarrassment and confusion we had better locate the gallbladder and offer extenuation for its presence, if any. It's a little sac shaped like a pear, some away bulb or a camera shutter bulb, about the size of a young hen's egg, and it lies, oh, how it directly under the tip of your middle finger if you stand at attention and flex your right arm to a right angle and dig in firmly but gently with the finger.

Put an uncomplicated dyspepsia, that is, entirely functional, doesn't happen, and that's all there is about it. I certainly hate to give anybody bad news, but this is quite essential for the pursuit of health.

Any difficulty or discomfort or pain or distress from the digestive organs or their working is assuredly not from "indigestion" or from a mere error of diet if it happens repeatedly or persists more than momentarily. When you suffer "dyspepsia" frequently or constantly there is something serious the matter with you, that's certain.

Of course gallbladder inflammation (doctors call this cholecystitis) with or without gallstones (cholelithiasis) is only one of the many disease conditions that produce "dyspepsia" of one kind or another, but it is probably the commonest cause of dyspepsia, and it happens in the best of regulated households, too.

In most cases of gallbladder dyspepsia, whatever preconceived notions the patient may have, analysis discloses that the acidity of the gastric juice is lower than the normal. If operability is almost unknown in gallbladder dyspepsia.

Not every case of gallbladder disease requires operation. If gall stones are present, surgery is positively the only cure.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS Quack Mistake Patient for Ninnyhammer My doctor told me I have a chronic cold of the throat. (A. B. M.) Well, I've often intimated there are a lot of old fossils in practice who ought to be pensioned.

Is it possible that a person with adhesions can get well and strong, or is an operation necessary? (Mrs. E. S.) Answer—I am pretty well and moderately strong, and I hope I have in adequate number of adhesions in there where the old appendix used to be. Adhesions are a great blessing to people with a grave localized infection or inflammation. They serve to stick together surrounded tissues and so

Traders Get Badges NEW YORK—(AP) Blue celluloid badges, four inches in diameter, now are used by traders on the floor of the New York stock exchange for identification. The innovation is one of a series designated to speed business and reduce errors.

NOTICE TO WATER USERS HOPKINS LATERAL An important meeting of the water users under the Hopkins Lateral is hereby called next Saturday, April 13th, at 2 o'clock p. m., in the basement of the Medford Hotel at which the committee will make an important report on an option recently obtained from the Public Water company, and other matters in which every land owner will be interested. All water users are urged to be present.

VICTOR BURRELL, Chairman, Donald Clark, M. F. Hanley, L. F. Kline, Frank E. Upton, John H. Carlin, Committee.

General Motors has purchased for \$5,000,000 the Citroen, biggest automobile plant in France.

General Motors, however, HAS bought the great German Opel automobile works. A while ago that was denied.

Cardinal O'Connell, chief of the hierarchy in America, refers to Professor Einstein's "relativity and utterly befogged notions about space and time" as having a basis "to produce a universal doubt about God and His creation."

The cardinal said he did not wish "at this time" to accuse Professor Einstein of "deliberately wishing to destroy the Christian faith," but

Quill Points

QUILLS—An optimist is one who thanks Heaven for his rescue; a pessimist is glad Heaven treated him no worse. It may be heresy, but the number of nice girls who yearned for Lindy probably didn't exceed two. Pullmans now have every comfort except noise enough to drown the talk in the smoker. Of course man is superior, but other creatures don't labor to make their world fool proof. If a monkey in a cage does much thinking, it probably sympathizes with American celebrities.

Personality is what a youngster has if he is homely and dull and owns a sporty roadster. A specialist is a man in a white coat, who can say "Thirty dollars" without blushing. Economy, government style: Keeping salaries down to \$142.49 a year; hiring 10 men to handle one job. Nothing has yet induced us to cross the Atlantic, but a spelling bee in Wales would be a great temptation.

Americanism: Boasting of freedom; reading the popular book, going to popular places, wearing popular clothes. The correspondents who call it the "Rio Grande river" doubtless are the same ones who wrote about "the lip gripper" last winter. Boston police say they don't know how to handle joywalkers. What's the matter with the old-fashioned stretcher?

Under the new Jones law, providing 5 years and \$10,000 for bootleggers, a New York offender got three months. Maybe the Jones law should have made it 300 years.

Another curiosity was a spinning wheel that worked. Mrs. Phyllis Rankin Davenport, a retired actress of Canton, Pa., explained that most of the old wheels now are merely ornamental, usually lacking spindle, or distaff, or both. Enough in working condition still exist, however, for her and other devotees to keep the art of hand spinning alive.

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There were, too, a bronze peacock under a crystal-pendant tree, six and one-half feet high, given by Napoleon to Josephine and now converted into a lamp, and a model of the French ship "L'Herolite," made of bones from meat rations by prisoners captured from her by the British ship "Mars" in 1788.

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THE MCCURDY-DANIELS INSURANCE AGENCY, Inc. Local Agents, Medford

"Never mind!" ORONITE CLEANING FLUID A STANDARD OIL PRODUCT Cleans

By BUD FISHER

the cardinal described the Einstein theory as a cloak "beneath which lies the ghastly apparition of atheism." Einstein, in Germany, said he did not wish to enter into any discussion and that Cardinal O'Connell's statement "left him cold." It would not have left him cold had it been made in the days of Gallileo or Giordano Bruno.

About New York

By Richard G. Massock. NEW YORK—Heard about town: Erotic books that have been suppressed are being bootlegged literally wholesale. Copies are cheaply printed or photostatically reproduced and peddled to dealers, the jobber calling on the trade with his books in a suitcase or handing them over surreptitiously behind counters.

James Joyce's "Ulysses," D. H. Lawrence's "Lady Chatterley's Lovers" and Frank Harris' "Life and Loves" are the standard works. The bootlegged copies cost only a few cents to manufacture and sell at \$10 to \$15 retail.

Whisky flasks, I am told, have just been elevated to antique standing. They have been collected for some time, but an object must be a hundred years old to be an antique, so part of the collection of 2000 bottles picked up by George S. McCourin of Hoosick Falls, N. Y., and dating back to the early nineteenth century, was displayed for the first time at the recent exposition of old treasures.

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"My Tongue Was White and Furry"

"Some time ago I began waking up with a terrible taste in my mouth every morning, and my tongue seemed to be coated with a white fur. At first I wasn't alarmed, but when I began to tire early in the day and suffer dull headaches, I realized my system was storing up poisons. I began taking Dioxol tablets for the ex-gall they contain, as my doctor said there was nothing better for the liver and bowels. I was amazed at the amount of old waste matter expelled from my body, and in a very short time began to feel like a new man. Let your liver become sluggish and it fails to cleanse the blood of the poisons formed in the food waste. These poisons, try them and see what a difference it makes when your liver is functioning right. All good druggists sell Dioxol tablets, except agent Jamin & Woods Drug Store.

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of the MAJARA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY for the year ending December 31, 1928, made to the Finance Commission of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Table with financial data: Amount of capital stock paid up, Net premium received during the year, Interest on investments, etc.

LIABILITIES Gross claims due, Losses on hand, Premiums in course of collection, etc.

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MUTT AND JEFF—Information Is Power

