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Ye Smudge Pot By Arthur Perry... The Illinois congressman whose trunk leaked in Florida, en route home from where all good congressmen get their liquor...

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MEDFORD 20 YEARS AGO

JUDGING by the responses received, our "Do You Remember" feature has made a decided hit; the "20 years ago" column being particularly appreciated.

In the many comments received from old-timers, there is one common note which might be expressed in the familiar complaint, "Them days has gone forever."

Medford was a genuine "boom town" 20 years ago. There WAS something doing every minute. People from all parts of the country were pouring into the city, the two small hotels were filled to the doors, and a tent city had to be put up to accommodate the overflow.

So, as one of those who shared in this period of recuperation, we do not agree with "old-timers" who deplore the fact that the "spirit of 1909" has departed.

Medford has grown up. The exuberance and extravagance of youth have been replaced by the sober sense and wisdom of maturity. Instead of building on the sands of hysteria and speculation, Medford is building upon the rock of constructive development and genuine achievement.

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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.

USE YOUR DIAPHRAGM AND SAVE YOUR ARTERIES

This is the third and let us hope the last act of a little drama about high blood pressure. I promised to give a simple, harmless and fairly helpful remedy for it, to faithful followers who stick it thru to the end of the show.



Up to the two acts we have already given—"Low Breathing and High Blood Pressure" and "Exercise and High Blood Pressure."

In Act One, after the usual amount of play-by-play, we enunciated a physiological principle, namely, that in most cases of high blood pressure or "hypertension" as doctors love to call it, we find on careful observation that the patients have a low breathing habit.

Doctor's Hearing Poor... Before I could go to a camp I had to have a medical examination. The doctor remarked that he couldn't hear my heart and told me to jump around.

Well, we're getting along now. From now on you will get little practical help out of this if you have not conked the two preceding talks. We are about to take a daring step forward—in blood, urge the victim of high blood pressure to use his diaphragm.

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MAIL TRIBUNE DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down. Includes solutions for yesterday's puzzle and a list of words to be found.

Large crossword puzzle grid with numbers indicating starting positions for words.

will vanish. No sleeping sickness, without crocodiles, and use two files. No malaria or yellow fever, without mosquitoes; dogs and cats carrying diphtheria, horses house typhoid germs.

By order of the supreme court Harry P. Sinclair begins a three months' term in jail. That interests Americans, because Mr. Sinclair is rich, and our jails are not built for that class.

However, Mr. Sinclair's trip to jail does not shake the established theory that you are safe in America, if you steal ENOUGH. Mr. Sinclair is not convicted of theft, or any crime, except contempt of the Senate, refusing to answer questions.

It is still a truth that if you steal ten dollars you go to jail. If you steal ten millions, you go to Europe.

The Rev. Dr. Sokman, Methodist Episcopal, says the past enriches the future, with precious landmarks.

We are impressed by looking back on mistakes, now unlooked for. We learn to do better, just as it is too late to make much difference. But the learning may help us, in another life.

The Rev. T. A. Cronin, Knights of Columbus chaplain, says a majority of us play at life, on the edge of time, as children play on the hand at the edge of the snare.

President Hoover says the presidential yacht Mayflower is an extravagance, and orders the boat sold.

What a life! Just after New England mills move south to save

Do You Remember?

10 YEARS AGO TODAY (From files of Mail Tribune) May 8, 1919.

The U. S. navy air fleet hopped off for Europe today. Major R. W. Clancy of Medford was the guest of Portland today in an official welcome of the 182nd ambulance company.

Chief of Police Timothy rounded up a crowd of gypsy fortune-telling women today and shooed them out of town. Smudge: Sid Brown and Port Neff are the only Democrats left who still cheer for President Wilson.

Mrs. Ida M. Turner today purchased the Pantorium from Frank Elliott. Mrs. Ben Sheldon and Mrs. Frank Owen have loaned their party grounds to be worn by high school girls in their play, "Green Stockings," tonight.

20 YEARS AGO TODAY (From files of Mail Tribune) May 8, 1909. President Taft writes Will G. Steel of the Crater Lake company he will not visit the lake in August.

Spworth League are pouring in for their district convention in this city. Gold Beach.—The salmon industry here is virtually abandoned since the death of R. D. Hume.

Editorial: Medford has a population of 5332, according to the census of January, 1929, and five miles of pavement and more water power going to waste than Niagara Falls.

The Chamber of Commerce will pay \$1000 to any city in the United States which can show it has as many natural resources in a 40-mile circle as Medford.

Mark Applegate reports all the buildings at the Elk Creek mines were burned down a few days ago. The house owned by J. H. Perry and occupied by Mrs. Johnson caught fire last night. Driver Stowe got away in rapid order and made a splendid drive. Later the boys showed up, the coupling was rapidly made and the house saved.

In order to settle an argument, Charles Hammond and John Booth got into a fist fight at Ross & Hale's saloon this morning. Chief Shearer stopped them. money, the workers get tired of straight fat pork and grifts.

Just a few more laws and the national bird will be the jaffbird. Another way to get your face changed is to assume that the man is blaspheming because he has an inferiority complex.

True charity consists in giving the beggar a dime without insisting that he buy what you think he should have.

The farmer who exports produce will get a government coupon he can use to pay the duty on his next importation of diamonds or anything. Isn't that nice!

Bootleggers still do business on the Leveahian, the passengers doubtless thinking it dishonorable to use medicinal liquor as a beverage.

Correct this sentence: "Yes," said the little man, "I take my wife's little wooly dog out for exercise; but I do it because I enjoy it."

Edrene—The Terrill-Voight Planing Mill company considers transformation of part of plant at Pearl and Fourth avenue into box factory.

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By BUD FISHER

Comic strip panels showing characters in a bunion derby. Dialogue includes: "MUTT, WHO DO YOU THINK WE'LL HAVE TO BEAT TO WIN THIS BUNION DERBY OF COLD-CASH PYLE'S?" and "I WANT TO PLASTER HIM WITH THIS SUBPOENA!"