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Ye Smudge Pot By Arthur Perry

Antlers went their hungry way to the northward these days.

Light week was unique. Nobody doubted to expect a modern service station.

HOSANNA! (Fondleton East Oregonian) A "windy" contest will be staged during the Sunday school hour...

Adolph Menjou, a movie actor, whose nose-width mustache thrilled the Older Girls...

The Professional Women held a picnic yesterday, a number of amateur men being on hand...

Speed boats have started running into each other, instead of into objects firmly embedded in the earth.

Dead Heath was up town Friday and was kissed by seven female admirers...

The corn is fence high, and will run about 17 inches to the acre, if they don't get caught.

The butcher's daughter weighs 41 pounds, with her Paw's hand on the scales.

The \$100,000 a year man who accepted a \$12,000 a year job on the farm board...

H. Flewler, the hell-for-efficiency baker, drove up Griffin creek last Thursday...

Mrs. Cochran-Robin entertained the ladies of the Birds society yesterday at a nestal warming...

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Galicia Flooded. WATLSAW, Poland, July 15.—(AP) Persistent rains in the mountain regions of western Galicia have caused floods over a wide area...

CRIME AND THE LEGISLATURE—(Harper's Mag. (Hollis).) Whorens the difference, if any, is ably discussed.

THEY'RE QUITE NOURISHING. P. S. Proctor, veteran employee of Charles Brown & Sons...

Valley doctors are returning from the medical convention at Portland, and all are in good health.

GIVE THE FARM RELIEF BOARD A FAIR CHANCE

WITH July wheat at \$1.34 the new Farm Relief Board is launched today under auspicious circumstances.

As President Hoover declares, the main purpose of the board will be to secure "the facts" and particularly to adjust production to world needs.

A few weeks ago wheat was selling at one dollar. The steady increase since then has been attributed, in some quarters, to the sentimental effect of the formation of the Farm Relief Board.

Such an interpretation is scarcely warranted. There is very little sentiment in the wheat pit. The wheat bulls have had an inning simply because the probable supply has been reduced by extensive drought and damage from pests.

In other words, the old reliable law of supply and demand has been working for a brief interval in favor of the wheat farmer.

As President Hoover remarks, he realizes, and he believes the farmers realize, that this new board can accomplish nothing tangible "overnight" and cannot work miracles at any time.

It is a big job they have undertaken, and it will take time to bring about any permanent results.

In general their task will be to accomplish, by artificial means, what in the past few weeks has been brought about in the wheat market by natural ones—namely, to restrict the supply in the face of a more or less constant demand.

Another important effort will be to increase the profits of the producer by decreasing the "spread" in distribution, which has only benefited the speculator and middleman.

As was to be expected, the commission men and speculators have already started their barrage of propaganda against the measure.

They will do everything possible to create public sentiment against the Farm Relief Board and render their efforts to benefit the farmer fruitless, entirely from a selfish standpoint.

But this propaganda will not get very far. The farmers of this country, and the people as a whole, will be inclined to withhold judgment regarding the value of the Farm Relief Board until the new experiment has been given a fair trial.

"Give them a chance," will be the prevailing attitude of the American people. In the atmosphere of a rising wheat market, the probability of the Farm Board being REALLY given a "fair chance" is materially increased.

NO EXCUSE FOR OCEAN AIR RACES

THE widely heralded "first trans-Atlantic air race" has ended in disappointment and, for one plane, disaster.

At the present writing details are too meagre to justify the definite assertion that the "racing element" was responsible for this unfortunate outcome.

But, with the tragic result of the Pole-Hawaii race in mind, one is justified in maintaining that the less long-distance air racing we have, the better for aviation.

The whole spirit of high pressure and undisciplined competition, which racing engenders, has no proper place in long-distance aviation at its present stage of development.

WITH human nature what it is, there is no possible way of preventing contestants from taking unnecessary chances, and unnecessary chances are just what all flying men who take their profession seriously are trying to avoid.

Colonel Lindbergh said the "final word" on this point. Every aviator worth his salt must take chances. But the difference between taking chances which are necessary and those which are not, represents all the difference between loyalty and disloyalty to the cause of aviation.

The time will, no doubt, come when ocean air racing will have a legitimate place in the sports of this sport-mad world. But that time has not arrived as yet, and the old adage, "Haste makes waste," holds good.

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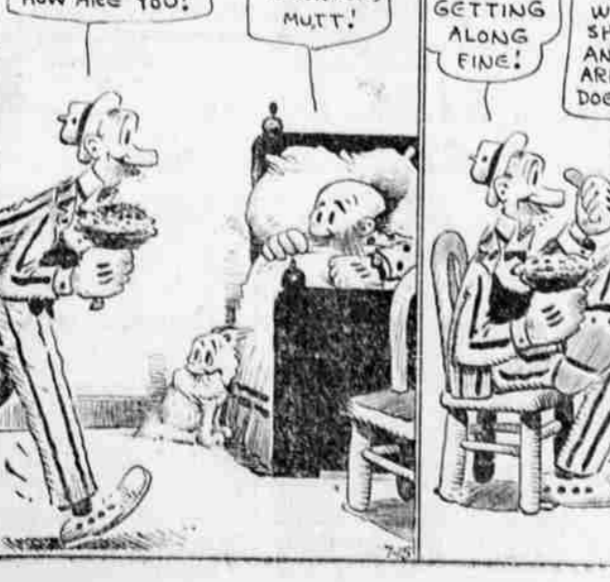
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MUTT AND JEFF—Saved by a Hungry Flea



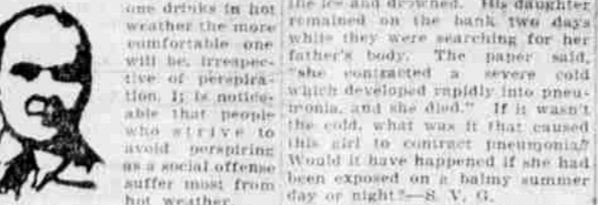
Personal Health Service

By WILLIAM BRADY, M. D.

Argued 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.

IT TAKES A COOL HEAD TO STAND HOT WEATHER

Least drinks and chilled foods are pleasant and welcome in hot weather, but they contribute practically little or nothing toward keeping the body cool and comfortable.



Fat folks feel the heat more than thin ones, in moderately warm and moderately humid weather. But why are both extremely high...

Everybody should ease down on the consumption of protein food, no matter whether of animal or vegetable origin, and no matter whether the food is taken cold or hot, in extremely hot weather.

At this season of year it is a good plan to revise the old way, if you still adhere to it, and make the main meal the evening meal.

As a rule, the total quantity of food taken in the day should be decreased in hot weather, mainly in the protein items—such as lean meat, egg, chicken.

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Quill Points

There is no reason to believe that women eventually will control things. The meek shall inherit the earth.

The next little job for the expert in acoustics will be to attach an amplifier to the voice of conscience.

All blind deers have some characteristics in common, but only the smaller ones wear stripes.

He hasn't a true reformer complex unless he thinks you a bad citizen when you criticize him for using indecent methods to get results.

As to law enforcement, the first essential to a successful operation is to have your instruments clean.

Americanism: Laboring to acculturation and culture in order to "be somebody," respecting a dumb millionaire more than you respect a college professor.

Nature balances things. Where snakes are numerous, the wildness encourages stills.

If you think it worth while to risk your life for fame, name all of the people who have flown the Atlantic.

Good driving isn't just a matter of playing safe. You must allow an extra margin of safety to care for a fool.

You don't need a correspondence course to develop will power. Just practice doing nothing when a mosquito bite itches.

If we knew just when men learned to talk, we would know when wars became "inevitable."

The propaganda department needs to do much by way of preparedness. It can just refresh the same old atrocity stories.

If that colonel who "humiliated" a general isn't busy just now, there's a certain floorwalker we'd like to have him work on.

Correct this sentence: "Ten people called to see baby today," said the new mother, "and all gave me the same advice about raising her."

MAIL TRIBUNE DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

ACROSS: 1. Nuisance; 2. Flood; 3. Brit; 4. To-nation; 5. Medical; 6. Implement; 7. Wild animal; 8. American; 9. Prima donna; 10. Human date; 11. Companion; 12. Trivial verse; 13. Affirmative; 14. Kingly; 15. A measure; 16. Utter; 17. Conjunction of choice; 18. Equal; 19. Revertent fear; 20. Roman goddess of the hearth; 21. Thrub; 22. Appliation; 23. Make lace; 24. Arouse; 25. Along with; 26. Park in the Rockies; 27. Something set in; 28. Boy's nickname; 29. Men's party; 30. Forward; 31. Chart; 32. Public carrier; 33. Consumer.

Solution to Saturday's Puzzle: 1. JESYS; 2. CAMEL; 3. EASTON; 4. ELATER; 5. RIYEARNED; 6. SO; 7. ART; 8. SPOT; 9. EASE; 10. TURN; 11. SUET; 12. BED; 13. OSIER; 14. TROWER; 15. MAIN; 16. SOOT; 17. IN; 18. PETAH; 19. LEAST; 20. LOPPEAH; 21. SPUR; 22. ERIA; 23. IRON; 24. ELI; 25. AM; 26. SEVERAL; 27. LE; 28. CANINE; 29. SIEVES; 30. LOADS; 31. ELGIN.

A crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1 through 35 indicating starting positions for words.

Brisbane's Today

Russia has marched troop to the Chinese border, and China may enjoy a real fight, in place of comic opera internal wars.

If the Russians really have their army on a war footing, and mean business, in conjunction with China's railroad seizure, prepare for a surprise.

It will not be the old czarist Russia that Japan fought and laughed at, but a new Russia, of terrific energy.

Whatever we may think of revolution, we know that it creates enthusiasm and ability to fight.

A few French revolutionists, in stove pipe hats, directing improvised revolutionary armies, made the great armies and generals of Europe look foolish, finally produced Napoleon and turned him loose.

A man diligent in his business can do well in these days. Glancing over financial news, you see that the Central States Electric Corporation increases income 149 per cent for the year.

And Mr. Gifford's A. T. & T., which is the big telephone company, sold above \$247. On Friday the stock was worth \$75,800,335 more than it was the day before. The company is worth now three and a third billions.

And Mr. George F. Baker's First National Bank, now biggest in the world, sold at \$7000 a share. Mr. Baker is supposed to own only one-fifth of the bank. His fifth is worth \$140,000,000. The bank pays 100 per cent on par, and earned that in the first six months of this year. This is not a pessimist's country.

Great oaks from little acorns grow, great fortunes from little sums. Mr. Parsons, head of the Woolworth "five and ten," is building a house in Paris to cost \$1,200,000.

That is a good deal for a house in France, 20,000,000 francs. Mr. Parsons intends to live much of his time in Paris hereafter and is one of many Americans that will help France pay her war debts.

Rival "five and ten" enterprises will rejoice to hear of Mr. Parsons' plans. They would rather have him out of America. He is a hard competitor.

Mr. Dooley would say something about the French court sentencing Klotz, once French minister of finance, to two years' imprisonment and \$2 fine for issuing checks without funds.

In this country we give a man \$10 or 10 days. Two dollars and two years seems like yoking a house to an elephant.

Aristide Briand, French premier, seeks to organize a "United States of Europe." He hopes to bring European countries, including Russia, into an agreement to trade freely with each other and protect each other.

It would be a wonderful thing for Europe and the whole world. But in this century, at least, it will remain only a beautiful dream.

Tolley Gets Damages. LONDON, July 15.—(AP)—Cyril J. H. Tolley, British amateur champion, was awarded damages of 1000 pounds sterling, (about \$5000) in a legal action against a firm of chocolate manufacturers, who used his portrait as an advertisement of their products.

Twenty-five miles an hour is "reckless driving" if the road is crowded, decrees a new Indiana law.

Do You Remember?

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY (From files of the Mail Tribune) July 15, 1909.

Washington—Senate votes down bill for 2.75 per cent beer, 128 to 84.

General Pershing marches at the head of procession in Paris, celebrating Bastille day.

Her Lowry buys John Hosh orchard, 20 acres of Comice pears. With the mercury at 94, Medford has suffered from 10 days of extreme heat.

Stanley Lyford of Table Rock buys Ray property of 428 acres known as the Jennings ranch.

Stewart Edward White, famous author, comes to Medford for fishing excursion on Rogue river.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY (From files of the Mail Tribune) July 15, 1909.

A schooner wagon, driven by J. C. Barnes, arrived in Medford today from southern California. The schooner bears the legend, "Los Angeles to Medford, Oregon, or Bust."

BURIAL JARS FOUND IN PHILIPPINE CAVES

MANILA.—(AP)—Scientists exploring caves and old burial grounds in the Philippines have been puzzled by huge porcelain jars which they found in some of the caves.

Although skulls, bones and other relics indicated that the jars had something to do with burial rites, their size precluded their use as containers of food or water for refreshment of the deceased in the spirit world.

The mystery was solved recently when one of the jars was unearthed intact, containing the complete skeleton of a man. The skeleton was in a sitting position and further research has convinced the explorers that the ancient custom of burying the dead in jars was widespread throughout the archipelago.

Some of the jars showed indications of having been made in China during the Sung dynasty which reigned there from 960 to 1232 A. D. Others apparently were of domestic manufacture. The jars have been given to the Philippine museum by Prof. H. Otley Beyer, an ethnologist.

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By BUD FISHER

