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Ye Smudge Pot
By Arthur Perry
The interesting information is gleaned from a Frisco paper, that a lady is "dependent with a million dollars."

Judge Crews flitted over to Crescent City Sunday in his trusty '44, Model A. The judge described the jaunt glowingly, and the right ear Mr. Henry's head at Detroit burned all last night.

The community is making an honest effort to have a wholesome fuss over nothing that matters, as the civic liver seems to be out of whack.

Lady Fort-Corpus of the local imitation British set, played poker yesterday with the Older Girls. She had a flush—hand and face.

Harry F. Sinclair, oil baron, and Al Capone, gangster, both cooped, have disappeared from the news as completely as the vice-president.

The Portland ball team "has been rejuvenated." This will enable them to get defeated ten more times in a row, without blushing.

One of these days an insurance agent is going to get "up" right after he has ridden 17 miles in an automobile with H. Fletcher, the demon laker, etc., etc., etc.

Goldie J. Thessant, the Beau Brummel of the pastures and the fields, died Monday evening with Miss Anselia Lechner, of the Hill Gore homestead. He is an old college friend of Sarah Minerva.

Charles Shung said Sunday that he had a "tipping round of golf," and then looked as guilty as one of the DeAmentment boys.

AIR VITAL TO INFANTS
(Hearst Hint Helms). And that goes for all of us.

The gardeners are all flourishing. This indicates a decline in the fishing industry.

ADVICE ON CAT KILLING
Do the neighbors cats kill your little chickens? There is a simple remedy. "Miss Helms" One says her chickens will eat anything that is born with its eyes shut, but won't harm other creatures.

Pilot Salvaged
SABINA, Kans., July 14.—(AP)—Jack Hildebeck, pilot of the airplane which crashed here Sunday night, killing David Spillman and Stuart S. Kelley, passengers, died in a local hospital early today, from internal injuries received in the plane's fall.

LANDSKRONA, Sweden.—Swains in this city are independent creatures. Some years ago a fund was started to relieve the distress of starving birds, and now there is a bank account from which money is drawn whenever crumbs are needed.

THE ONLY WAY TO SOLVE THE NEGRO PROBLEM

CONGRESSMAN DE PRIEST, the only colored member of Congress, declares he will tour the South in favor of the political rights of the negro. He does not ask for social equality, but he does demand political equality; and in this crusade he declares he will not be deterred by threats of bodily violence.

CONGRESSMAN DE PRIEST, in his determination to tour the South, when he believes he is making a serious mistake. There was a time when such a campaign would receive the support of public opinion in the North, but that time has definitely passed.

NEVERTHELESS, in his determination to tour the South, whether we like it or not, whether it is right or wrong; the fact remains that, with the black migration which followed the World War, the negro problem ceased to be exclusively a Southern issue.

The recent situation in North Platte, Nebraska, demonstrates the reality and seriousness of this change. The murder of a policeman by a negro resulted in a white uprising, which forced the colored population to flee for their lives.

WE do not mean that, because race hatred exists in this country, wherever the individuals of color—black or yellow—settle in large numbers, a man like De Priest should meekly accept the situation and abandon all efforts to secure those rights guaranteed to him and his race by the Constitution.

But we do mean that, with conditions what they are, any militant and aggressive action, such as his invasion of the South would represent, instead of helping the cause of the negro in this country, would seriously injure it.

Such a situation may prove we have advanced very little from the jungle, but no useful purpose can be served by assuming a condition of true racial brotherhood has been reached, when everyone knows it hasn't.

The colored problem to our mind represents one of the most complicated and menacing problems in this country today. Theoretically it was solved by the Civil War; practically it was not.

THE ONLY hope for an ultimate solution, without tragedy, lies in the processes of evolution and education, rather than revolution or direct action. And, to achieve this end, restraint, patience and consideration must be exhibited by both sides, but particularly by the leaders of the minority, like Congressman De Priest.

THERE WON'T BE ANY CHINESE-RUSSO WAR

THIS talk about a war between Soviet Russia and China fools no one in any sense informed. China would no more go to war with Russia than an untaxed rabbit would spit in the face of the proverbial bulldog.

In any serious sense China has no army, and, nationally speaking, has no war spirit. A real war between these two countries would only last as long as it would take the Soviet army to reach Manchuria over the trans-Siberian railway.

JAPAN looks at Manchuria very much as we look at the Panama Canal Zone. She won the Russian war, but she lost the peace. She wants to win back those losses. Soviet Russia, therefore, will never secure absolute control along the shores of the Pacific unless Japanese battleships, machine guns and airplanes are unable to prevent it.

But unless something important has happened of which most students of the Far East situation are uninformed, the second Japanese-Russo war is not a matter of the present but future,—probably far distant future.

THE present ultimatum and mobilizing orders are merely pawns in the time-honored diplomatic game of "You bluff me and I bluff you."

MIDDLE age is that delightful period when you turn to page 54 to finish the love story and get interested in a bald tub advertisement.

Yes, education has a refining influence. Before daughter went to college she nearly always ate breakfast in the kitchen instead of in bed.

Personal Health Service
By WILLIAM BRADY, M. D.

Signal letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to disease diagnosis or treatment, will be covered by Dr. Brady in a stamped, self-addressed envelope to be 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.

THE COOTIE THEORY.

It seems that some old ladies in England have opined that maybe the girls who run and jump and play games and develop vigorous bodies will not be such profitable mothers as English needs. This newfangled physical training, the old ladies of England fear, may render women less fertile.

There is nothing handwringing motherhood in this country—and sometimes it seems there isn't isn't physical training. Indeed, much of the frailty and irresponsibility of American women is directly due to neglect of their physical education.

British sponsors have followed this up with some more advanced hygiene for the American public. After all, the crystalline application of conservative English medical thought has it according to the London Times, "the night air may not be so beneficial as was supposed 19 or 20 years ago."

Encouraged by the way some of our American papers copied all this from the London Times, the same "conservative medical thought" next raised a doubt of the "germ theory" by citing the failure of antiseptics or germicide to cure diseases that are caused by germs.

The cootie theory still stands in England, even the parasites failed to keep soldiers free from the beggars.

In this country we have a big time comedian who frequently includes some medical wisdom in his daily output of comment. In England the London Times provides such humor.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS
The Trouble With Regular Doctors
It is amusing to hear you putting of "regular doctors" or "real physicians" and attempting to imply that none others are genuine.

Food Values
Please give the relative food value of a quart of milk as sold by grocers or dairies and a can of evaporated milk. I want an equal amount of water as directed. I have a suspicion that the loose milk is pretty poor stuff at 12 cents a quart.

Answer—Evaporated milk when diluted with an equal quantity of water has approximately the same food value as fresh milk, but is not equal to fresh raw milk in vitamin content. A fair grade of fresh raw milk should have two or more inches of cream on the top on standing.

Heartburn
I am foreign born and perhaps that explains my ignorance, but I submitted your explanation at Beaumont to some college graduates in our office who confessed they were unable to translate it into every day English.

Blue shoes for men, eh. Well, they will match the color scheme of the first chap who springs them in Hogan's alley.

Correct this sentence: "I know I'd look swell in it," said the flapper, "but I'd feel silly wearing a riding habit without a horse."

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FOR THE LOVE OF MIKE, IT CAN'T BE THAT SANDY'S GONNA SPEND TWO BUCKS FOR A TURKISH BATH! I'LL TARRY HERE A BIT AND SEE!

HOOT MON! SANDY! ???

IT WAS HOT IN THE TURKISH BATH, MUTT, BUT I'LL SAVE ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY TWO DOLLARS ON THE TRIP!

OUR HOURS LATER.

MAIL TRIBUNE DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle
ACROSS
1. Sing
2. Narrow piece of leather

Word puzzle grid with words filled in. Includes words like ALICE, MARY, and others.

Quill Points

It must be painful to feel so righteous that you can't stoop to speculation in stocks except in secret.

You can't tell. A child may need beating if it inherits the traits of a sire who delights in beating it.

Teach logic and honor in the schools and respectable isms will need no support of law.

Your principles are sound and sane if you can observe and uphold them without yearning to swat those who disagree.

Yemen aren't really loyal echoes of the boss. Most of them are "yes, but I'd really like to sock you on the jaw" men.

Americanism: Ridiculing an alien who judges America by New York; thinking 119,000,000 people depraved because New York supports a rotten show.

Credit seldom is given where credit is due. The bronze statue of the great agnostic should be a bronze reproduction of his liver.

The go-getter isn't at the top man who has arrived is a set-and-tell-George-to-go-getter.

You can't blame the high-brow cynic. The world would look that way to the plowman if he sat indoors and spoiled his digestion.

Don't blame the female who giggles. Nature made her feel as others do after the second cocktail.

New they are discussing the pronunciation of Miami. When we were there, the dry was silent as in New York.

Mr. Dawes won't keep liquor at the embassy. A law is gaining ground when even the highest officials decide to obey it.

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Do You Remember?

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY
(From files of the Mail Tribune)
July 16, 1919.

Henry Ford on stand in Chicago Tribune Hotel suit declares history is built and General Pershing a murderer.

Congressman Sullivan of Massachusetts declares Congressmen have stored away enough liquor to last them 20 years.

Lieut. George Vilas returns from service overseas via Camp Lewis.

Seelye Hall and Floyd Hart purchase Curtis plane in Sacramento for local airplane company just organized.

Smudge: "Very kind of the Associated Press to give President Wilson ivory tools, even tho' the ivory supply in the cabinet is inexhaustible."

1200 acres of timber on Anderson creek burned.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY
(From files of the Mail Tribune)
July 16, 1909.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Orr are in Seattle visiting the exposition.

Wanted—A girl must be good cook, \$30 a month. Apply Dave Wood, Nash Hotel.

Mrs. Adeline Stowell arrives from Hopedale, Mass., in answer to matrimonial ad, but refuses to marry Ed Root of Tribuna.

President Taft sets aside Oregon Caves as a national monument.

Wheat hits new record price in Portland at \$1.05.

James Korshaw of Antelope, traps an animal half coyote and half mountain lion.

A growing appetite for rabbit forced California to import 250 tons of the meat last year, altho 3400 tons were butchered within the state.

Fletcher's CASTORIA

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By BUD FISHER