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Ye Smudge Pot
By Arthur Perry

The allegation of a prohibition administrator, that 75 per cent of the bootlegging in Arkansas is done by women is surprising tidings, and a smirch on the escutcheon of Arkansas, which has long been a hotbed of fiddlers, cyclones and camp meetings. Righteousness in Arkansas is distinguished for its rambunctiousness—they can lurk and feather a sinner quicker than an eastern Oregon cowboy can build a bull. The women-folks have always been pictured as docile souls, who, when they felt devilish, went down to the depot to see the drummers get off the train. You may recall that about a year ago, in a contest, an Arkansan threw a whiskey flask farther than a Nebraska woman threw a rolling pin. She could get mad at the whiskey flask, but not the rolling pin. Therefore, mighty was her pitching arm. The memorable situation has its silver lining, and indicates the emancipation of the Arkansas girls. For years, they have been hoing the corn, instead of peddling it.

The proposed new costumes for males, leaves the Adams apple loose and exposed, not to mention that the rest of the garment is something like the ric worn by the benighted Hindu. The male Adams apple is less to look at than the average female knee.

"One of the Colby girls went riding Sunday with a young man from the Three Star ranch" (Lostline Notes). Exclusively the business of the parties of the first and second parts.

The weather did some educational work for the woodman last evening.

JUST TELLING AMELIA
(Chambl, Kan. Tribune)

We haven't had a chance to read the papers very closely the past few days, so don't know whether Amelia Earhart went to the funeral of the man who flew her across the Atlantic or not. Our suspicion, however, is that she didn't and the basis of that suspicion we elude her. The gentleman may have been drunk at the time his plane crashed, but had it not been for him Miss Earhart never would have rated more than two lines on page twenty.

Thank you Jim, you had her picture in the papers no less than 10,000 times and is being paid cash money as the lady aviation editor of a magazine.

The proposed war between China and Russia excites nobody, but the Chinese will have the advantage in the clinches. They have cut off their pistals, but the Russians retain their whisksers.

It would do no harm to stage a pageant, and iron out the crevasses on the bounding Main.

Mrs. Mary Heft weighed, and was found wanting—wanting a square meal.

The snail are thick enough in the rural areas for a careful hunter to pull a shotgun through a fence, wrong end first.

Uncle, 85, called today and reported that the corn that has been bothering him, was the collar button he lost last Sunday.

One of these noons a new world record for going to lunch is going to be established on 6th street, but the driver won't be able to eat for a month or six weeks.

JAPAN MORE FRIENDLY TO CHINA

THE change of government in Japan was occasioned by internal questions which do not greatly concern anyone except the Japanese; while the delay in ratifying the Kellogg Pact was a factor in the dissatisfaction with the Tanaka ministry, the actual overturn came because of the government's insistence on disciplining certain army officers for their supposed negligence in connection with the assassination of Chang-Tso-lin in Manchuria.

The Managuchi government will differ from that of Tanaka chiefly in being markedly more friendly toward China; Baron Shidehara, who is to be foreign minister, is famous as the chief spokesman for a conciliatory policy toward the aspirations of Nanking.

If the Managuchi regime survives, it will be more than ever likely that China will manage to rid herself of the unequal treaties which are rapidly losing their force, in any event.

This is a question with which the American government must grapple sooner or later; and a great advantage would be gained if we were to be among the first rather than at the tail of the procession.—New Republic.

Now there is a car for every 5.6 people. The .6 kind doubtless are the less nimble pedestrians.

People of the old home town are much like city people except they wonder how you keep on fooling the world.

Gas will be deadly in the next war if the enemy can catch a tank driver or flyer and make him inhale it.

Al Capone says the Philadelphia court was prejudiced against him. That is the first compliment a Philadelphia court has received in a long time.

The question is does boyhood on the farm make a man great or does it take a great man to work up from that?

The cut glass nut bowl goes to the compositor who changed "full blooded friend of the farmer to "Bull-flooded."

Rich men pick up the pretty women but Nature keeps the balance. Pretty men don't get rich.

A grouch suffers in some ways but we notice he always knows where the lawn mower is.

Another need of the times is a postcard to mail to vacationists, "I don't give a d—how many blankets you sleep under."

PATHOLOGISTS MEET MEDFORD NEXT YEAR

BOZEMAN, Mont., July 20.—(AP)—D. L. Fisher of Wenatchee, Wash., pathologist of the United States department of agriculture, was elected president of the Northwest Association of Pathologists, Biologists and Pathologists at the conclusion of the organization's convention here last night.

E. C. Schuster of Corvallis, Ore., horticulturist at Oregon state college, was elected secretary and treasurer of the association.

Meetings of the association will be held at Corvallis and at Medford next year.

TWILIGHT SLEEP GIRL IS BELIEVED SUICIDE

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., July 20.—(AP)—Fay Graves, former inmate of the New Mexico Girls' Welfare home and chief witness in the "twilight sleep" investigation last January, which resulted in the removal of Superintendent Beatty Lippo and the appointment of a new board of control, was fatally shot early today with the revolver of Deputy Sheriff Earl Rice, who was taking her home from a dance.

Rice said the girl committed suicide.

The district attorney said he was confident the girl killed herself.

New Small Currency More Difficult For Note Raisers If People Will Learn Portraits on Denominations

WASHINGTON, July 20.—(AP)—In making more difficult the task of converting a one dollar bill into a ten or a two dollar note into a twenty, the new small currency has brought an educational problem to the secret service.

Much of the past work of the secret service in dealing with spurious currency has been caused by note raising operations, although there have been sporadic appearances of counterfeit bills.

"As you can see, all these matters become an educational problem, we can go to the people and say, 'you must not take a bill with Washington's portrait on it for more than one dollar.'"

Moran has favored the adoption of denominational designs as a check to note raising operations for a number of years.

The new currency bears the following portraits:

One dollar, Washington; two dollars, Jefferson; five dollars, Lincoln; ten dollars, Hamilton; twenty dollars, Jackson; fifty dollars, Grant; one hundred, five hundred McKinley; one thousand, Cleveland; five thousand, Madison; ten thousand, Chase.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

13 Versus 81.

Is there any danger of a boy 13 sleeping in the same room with his grandfather aged 81?—Mrs. G.

Answer.—The area of sleeping partners makes no difference. The only objection to more than one person in a room or a bed is that each disturbs the other's rest and if either has any communicable disease the other is likely to share it.

Lifetime Habit.

I have been constipated all my life. I am now 44 years old and have taken more pills and other physes....—O. S.

Answer.—You should say "I have been taking pills and other physes all my life and I have established a habit of constipation." Send a stamped envelope bearing your address and ask for Rules for Recovery from the "Constipation Habit." If you tell me your symptoms I'll send you no rules. Just say "I have the constipation habit."

Cost of Vein Obliteration.

I saw something in your column about chemical obliteration of varicose veins. Will you please tell me the cost of this operation, if it is an operation?—A. H. C.

Answer.—It is not an operation. Such treatment, given in the physician's office, costs from \$59 to \$500, and of course is given free to thousands of people unable to pay.

Cinnamon As a Drug.

I use a lot of cinnamon. Have been told it will dry up the blood. Would this explain scanty or missed periods?—Mrs. W.

Answer.—Cinnamon has been given medicinally as a remedy for excessive menstruation, though it is not now used very much. It is a carminative and a stimulant. It does not "dry up the blood," though one should not habitually eat cinnamon or other condiment for the stimulation it gives—that is a drug habit akin to alcoholism. (Copyright John F. Dille Co.)

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.

IMMUNITY ARTIFICIALLY ACQUIRED

A professional man tells a sad story that deserves to be printed here. One day his daughter, aged 5, came home from school with a sore throat. The family physician was summoned and he diagnosed membranous diphtheria and immediately administered a fair dose of antitoxin. It will not say how many units in the dose, for a sophisticated readers and prejudiced readers will think it too large; it was not too large; I should want my child to have the same dose in the same circumstances. The child grew worse next day.

Another child, then 18 months old, received a protective dose of 1,000 units of antitoxin. This all occurred before the Schick test was introduced. This child, at the age of eight years, was given the Schick test, found susceptible, and thereupon received the three doses of toxin antitoxin at intervals of about a week, at the hands of the family physician. This was done because there had recently been several cases of diphtheria in the school and some "carriers" had been detected. The family physician told the parents that this toxin antitoxin treatment assured full immunity against diphtheria in six weeks.

Falls once more descended on this home. Five weeks after the last toxin antitoxin injection, the boy complained of a sore throat and had a high fever. The family physician diagnosed diphtheria of nose, larynx and throat. He gave the boy at once two-thirds as large a dose of antitoxin as he had given the girl who died. Then the other third two days later. The boy improved steadily, until the sixth day, when his heart began to show some sign of weakening, and in spite of all the doctors could do the boy died on the seventh day of illness.

Subsequently the family physician told the father that it is now believed the process of immunization takes six months instead of six weeks. The father says this experience has shaken his confidence in the toxin antitoxin immunization, and if he takes six months for the full immunity to develop that leaves a formidable period during which the child is likely to contract diphtheria.

I do not know just any one knows how long it takes for immunity to develop, though in any case where artificial immunity is produced, as by so-called bacterial "vaccine" treatment, or even in specific protein sensitization work in the treatment of asthma, hay fever and other troubles, I believe three months or more is required for the immunity to develop fully, from any one dose.

The moral I should draw from this sad instance is that it is better to have the children Schick tested and, if susceptible, immunized against diphtheria NOW before they go to school. Every good doctor is prepared to test and immunize the children.

Quill Points

Lighter cars will encourage neatness, too. Locomotives can knock them entirely off the right-of-way.

The tariff wall serves a double purpose. By keeping out foreign goods, it also keeps out foreign debt payments.

An alien is a foreigner. A darned alien is a foreigner who isn't humbled by the fact.

It's still a hick town if it resents the leadership of a man who wasn't born there.

Well, if space ends somewhere, that means there's a limit to everything except the American consumer's ability to absorb punishment.

Statistics are men who plan carefully to avoid a war the people never would dream of if there were no statistics.

We aren't sending a better class to jail. It just seems that way because a worse class has been admitted into the better class.

Americanism: Thinking the Smiths don't amount to much because they seem eager to be friendly with you—as though you body low enough to want your friendship could be worth while.

How easy to solve all problems if we could compromise without giving up to those hard-heads on the other side.

Perhaps "two car garage" is the only way to say it but usually it is more polite than exact to call the older one a car.

Science has found a way to mix oil and water, but we still have white pants and flat tires.

It's easier to understand the bends in a new highway if you know where the friends of the boss engineer own property.

You resent the Kaiser complex in others, of course, but how often have you wished you were driving a five-ton truck?

The four essentials in making modern gin are grain alcohol, juniper berries and imagination.

Correct this sentence: "She and I talked for an hour" said the wife, "but neither of us mentioned jewelry, car or other possessions."

The highest bidder at a United States marshall's sale in Portland, Me., bought a towboat for \$7500. He sold it for \$70,000.

MAIL TRIBUNE DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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| 1. Ever | 11. African antelope | 21. Point of the compass | 31. Rough |
| 2. Inlet | 12. Small prairie | 22. Discover | 32. Broken up |
| 3. Mother of Apollo | 13. Soap of Syria | 23. Broad smile | 33. One of the swells on a vessel |
| 4. Common verb | 14. Common verb | 24. Excessively | 34. Crazy spins |
| 5. Queen of England | 15. Queen of England | 25. Crazy spins | 35. Man's nickname |
| 6. Arabian | 16. Arabian | 26. Excessively | 36. Rocky pinnacle |
| 7. Half cent | 17. Half cent | 27. Greek letter | |
| 8. Fender store | 18. Fender store | 28. Greek letter | |
| 9. Primary color | 19. Primary color | 29. Greek letter | |
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Do You Remember?

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY (From files of the Mail Tribune.) July 20, 1919.

War tax on ice cream, soda water, due today reports Milton A. Miller, internal revenue collector.

Mike Womack leaves for Nevada to investigate mineral properties in that state.

Porter Neff gives address on League of Nations before Ashland Chautauqua.

President Kerr of O. A. C., visits Medford and Talent experiment station.

Washington—Suffering from a slight attack of indigestion President Wilson is ordered to his bed.

Twenty Years Ago Today (From files of the Mail Tribune.) July 20, 1909.

Berlin—Germany is now threatened by racial suicide.

John Wilkinson leaves for Seattle exposition, also Vern Van Dyke and Basil Gregory.

Ad. Hear Mrs. Clayton sings "Bliss Forever Past" at the opera house tonight.

W. A. Rau, former New York City hotel man, leaves Moore hotel from the Delroy Gatchell syndicate.

Robert Teller elected city recorder over N. L. Narrengan and Wm. Ulrich.

Notice of Sale.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon in and for the County of Jackson

Do hereby Matter of the Estate of William A. Cowley, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the real and personal property herein-after described, or such portion thereof as may be necessary to pay the outstanding claims against said estate, and the costs and expenses of administration thereon; such sale to be at private sale to the highest bidder for cash or upon such other terms as the court may approve; such sale to be made either in bulk or separate parcels as the administrator may elect, and said estate and the costs and expenses of administration thereon, to an order of the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, made and entered on the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1929, authorizing and licensing the undersigned to sell said property as aforesaid, such sale to be made subject to the confirmation of the above named court, the real and personal property above referred to, and to be sold as above set forth, is situated in the City of Central Point, Jackson County, Oregon, and described as follows, to-wit:

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Brisbane's Today

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man and killed him. Its shell was the "house."

Charles Forrepaugh, dead at the age of 30, didn't live as long because he tried to avoid danger. At the end of the Civil War, Charles Forrepaugh and his brother, Adam, bought horses and mules from the government and started a circus, with John O'Brien. The circus got a few lions, and Charles Forrepaugh put his head into the mouth of one of them at each performance. No man had ever done that before, although many have done it since.

That makes his death "news."

His many friends learn with relief that William Fox, the motion picture magnate, has come through an accident that might have resulted seriously.

When news of the accident came, reporters were requested to ascertain what sort of glass Mr. Fox had in his Rolls-Royce car. He and others had been advised by the writer to use "safety glass" instead of the sort that breaks into razor-edge pieces.

Mr. Fox had not taken that precaution. His injuries were due to broken glass. He and others risk their lives going 50 miles an hour in plate glass cages, knowing that a collision at any moment may mean a severed jugular vein.

J. B. S. Haldane, writing on "Man's Destiny," encourages you with the statement that our earth has lasted "about" twenty thousand million years, and will carry us comfortably for millions of centuries more.

BUT "the sun may possibly swell up temporarily, as similar stars occasionally do. In this case the human race will be very rapidly roasted."

The human race is not yet exactly roasted, but it is suffering from drought in many places.

Rain has ruined wheat in many parts of the United States and Northwestern Canada, putting up the price in a way pleasant for those that have wheat for sale.

England suffers in a drought at most unparalleled. Mills are clos-

CHAMPLIN ACREAGE

FOOTS CREEK SOLD

FOOTS CREEK, Ore., July 20.—(Special)—The river frontage of the Champlin subdivision of about five acres has been sold to a Mr. Clements of Central Point.

Dr. and Mrs. Murray of Washington, D. C., and Palo Alto, Cal., spent a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Leland Skelton, in September Dr. and Mrs. Murray will return to Washington, where Dr. Murray will resume his position as Quaker minister of the church which President and Mrs. Hoover attend.

SPECIAL BULB PRICES

3c Tulips — Hyacinths 3c and other fall bulbs, Daffodils, Narcissus, Freesia, Anemone, Ranunculus, Crocus, Etc. Special advertising offer on 100,000 bulbs. 100 bulbs worth \$9.00 for only \$3.00, postage prepaid, satisfaction guaranteed. Free to every one answering this adv. within 10 days a 50c bulb Aconitum Fisherii. Lovely blue cut flower 3 feet high, grows in shade. Bulbs bought, sold, exchanged. Parties wanted to grow bulbs, cash or share basis. Write. Bulb box 10c.

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MUTT AND JEFF—It Was No Time for Geography Lessons

JEFF, THIS IS TERRIBLE! WE'RE LOST ON THE GREAT LAKES!

WHAT GREAT LAKE IS IT, MUTT?

WHAT DIFFERENCE IS IT? WE'RE LOST, AIN'T WE?

YES, BUT IF WE KNEW THE NAME OF THIS LAKE, WE'D KNOW WE WEREN'T LOST ON THE OTHER FOUR!

CAN YOU SWIM?

NOT A STROKE IN A CARLOAD!

THASS ALL I WANTED TO KNOW!