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Ye Smudge Pot
By Arthur Perry
One notes by a perusal of the exchanges, that the social dinner of the evening in the surprise party of the state is the "surprise party."

WENDELING, Ore., Nov. 11.
(Special)—A surprise party was held Friday evening at the home of Zola Steson.

When the male is the target of a surprise party, and aware that he is to be fully surprised, he makes a good job of it.

At any rate the reluctance of the women to buy, so scared the retailers that the wholesalers are left holding the skirts.

Great interest is being manifested by the fair sex in the football game and homecoming dance at Eugene, come next Saturday.

SENATORIAL FIDDLING
(Congressional Record)
Mr. Tydings—Mr. President, will the senator yield?

There seems to be a nation-wide demand that the sad and drooping mustache of Mr. A. B. Fall be curled around the steel bars of a cell.

Portland—Unit of Westminster Presbyterian church at East Seventh and Schuler streets dedicated.

Rainier—Unkefer Hardwood company workshop under construction in West Rainier.

Burns—Service garage building for company plant with double canopy.

DR. JEKYLL AND MR. HYDE

OF all the works of Robert Lewis Stevenson, "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" has lived longest, not because it is such a great book in itself but because it represented the discovery of a great truth in human nature.

It is no exaggeration to say that every individual represents, to a greater or less degree, the strange story of "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde"; and that nations, as combinations of individuals, represent the same thing—a mysterious combination and conflict between what is good and what is bad, between higher and lower natures, between Saint and Devil.

THESE observations have been called forth by the suggestion of Mr. Hoover that Freedom of the Seas, during war, should mean the free and interrupted passage of food ships, to the civilian populations of both belligerents.

BUT what would be the condition of public opinion in case of war? We have only to turn back the pages of Time a very few years to get a pretty fair idea.

IN other words, war brings out the worst in human nature; in days it nullifies the civilizing process of centuries, and throws entire nations back into the middle ages.

SO while we may still remain potentially, Dr. Jekylls and Mr. Hydes, the depth to which the latter may descend promises to gradually rise, in the future, as it has in the past.

The best thing you can say for the collegiate manner is that it sometimes wears off the last year of High School.

Another good thing about checkers is that no one is broadcasting the results when you want dance music.

If Shearer isn't an expert, show us someone who can beat him spilling the beans.

All good causes go to Geneva when they die.

Personal Health Service

By WILLIAM BRADY, M. D.

Second letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to chronic diseases 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. Replies are made to queries not conforming to instructions. Address Dr. William Brady, in care of this newspaper.

HOW TO FEED BANANA TO A BABY

Ripe banana is not only highly nutritious (486 calories in the pound, compared with apple which has 299 calories and orange with 240 calories in the pound), but is in itself a fairly well balanced meal providing 1.3 per cent protein, 64 per cent fat, 22 per cent carbohydrate, 75 per cent water, 0.8 per cent mineral salts, satisfactory quantities of vitamins A, B, C, even a bit of vitamin D (which prevents rickets) to meet the requirements of human nutrition.



quarts of boiled and filtered or distilled water in an earthen jar; stir it thoroughly and then allow it to settle. When it has settled, pour off the clear liquid into a bottle. This is lime water. More water may be added to the remaining lime until it is all used.

Aluminum Still All Right. Will you please state in your department your opinion of the claim that the use of aluminum ware for cooking utensils is poisonous.

What Teachers Are Taught to. Enclosed you will find part of an article on perspiration sent to us by teachers to teach. What do you think of it?—O. M.

Quill Points. Brisbane says the hiring of college athletes does no great harm, and benefits them. Paying voters a good price helps them, too.

Romeo said "good night" so charmingly! Wouldn't he have made a great radio announcer.

Among those whose labor is essential in preparation for the next war is the stork.

Brisbane's Today. In the big war battleships appeared in two engagements, one lasting 16 minutes, the other 24 minutes. No ship was sunk.

High spots of a college career: Cosmokin; pigskin; sheepskin.

Don't scoff at the college spirit. Remember your own school days.

Americanism: Saying "no" seven times; wondering how to get rid of the man; meekly signing on the dotted line.

The sight of a broken old man on his way to jail is almost as sad as the sight of an honored old man betraying his country.

One of the honored names in China is Chow Au-ham. "Chow" we assume, is Chinese for eggs.

A white cross means a fatal accident due to somebody's stupidity. And in France they cover many acres.

Bankers "saved the situation" in Wall street. To save a situation you give a search man a nickel for the whole he's carrying.

The comptroller-general complains that shipping board vessels are sold too cheap but doesn't give the market quotation on white elephants.

MAIL TRIBUNE DAILY CROSS WORD PUZZLE

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down. Includes solutions for previous puzzles.

Large crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1 through 57.

Do You Remember?

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY
(From files of the Mail Tribune.)
Nov. 13, 1919
John Kado, Elms steward, returns to Medford from Japan.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY
(From files of the Mail Tribune.)
Nov. 13, 1909
La Salle, Ill.—480 miners perish in explosion at Cherry coal mine.

Portland—C. M. & St. Paul railroad will extend to Pacific coast and make Everett, not Seattle, its terminus.

Paris—Mme. Steinhell acquitted of murder of husband, entire city celebrates.

SUNDOWN STORIES

Snow Flurry's Scattered Thoughts. By Mary Graham Bonner. "I suppose you don't whistle when you're introduced," said Snow Flurry to the girl who hadn't the great advantage of being a snow flurry leader.



Cadet Paul Capron, dismissed from West Point for marrying the colonel's daughter, is working as a reporter for Mr. Curley, editor of the New York Journal.

West Point, forbidding cadets to own "dogs, horses, a moustache or a wife," should change the wife rule.

For instance, a young English captain, Horatio Nelson, 24 years old, commanding the British frigate Albemarle in the war against this country, fell desperately in love with a Canadian girl at Quebec.

Rules of the navy would not let him marry. He left his ship, told his brother officers he was leaving the navy and went ashore to marry the girl.

He did not marry the girl, but he did win the battle of Trafalgar, and the battle of the Nile, and now he stands in bronze on his magnificent monument in Trafalgar square.

The power that cheated Bonaparte in the Mediterranean and probably saved England from Napoleon was part of the same power that made the young sea captain so ashore to marry.

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Monday—"The Air Taxi!"

wasting years of his life, besides spoiling hers.

For the first time in twenty years savings bank deposits have dropped. During the past year savings have diminished \$195,305,000, and the number of depositors by 524,221.

By BUD FISHER

MUTT AND JEFF—A Tackle Play Through Remote Control

Cartoon strip featuring characters Augustus Mutt and Doohickus. Includes dialogue like "DOOHICKUS HAS THE BALL! NO—IT AIN'T DOOHICKUS—IT'S DINKELSPPEEL. HE'S FUMBLING—I MEAN HE'S MADE A FORWARD = PARDON ME = HE'S GOING TO KICK!"