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Ye Smudge Pot By Arthur Perry

A school election was held yesterday. Many voters, who would have been too busy to vote, complained they did not know it was being held.

As a feature of its Fourth of July celebration, Ashland will present "Community dramatics," featuring Shakespearean works on an Elizabethan stage.

Commencement exercises are underway at the UOFU. This week, chances are good they will be commingled with the recalling of the Governor, "beating up" the orator of the day, or calling out the militia.

Instead of a CotC. banquet, and a parade in his honor, a Skiskiyou county resident, who successfully cheated a slot machine, was ordered to deport himself, within 24 hours.

Gooseberry pies are now being inflicted, in all their vinegary quiddity, upon young and old diners.

Farmers are now falling off haystacks, with all the ease and grace they usually exhibit in being chased by an irate bull, in the spring.

The grain crop around Lexington is reported to be an almost total failure, but certainly the grand dinner served did not indicate anything of the kind, nor even that there has been any depression—(Lexington Ore.) Jottings—Appearances are so deceiving. The best of the steering wheel of a brand-new auto.

State bankers convened at Salem, over the week-end. They opposed any legislation permitting a man to take out money, out of a bank, though he had none in it. The "elasticity of loans" was discussed. It was agreed that more "elasticity" was needed in loans, also that the borrower should show more "elasticity" in paying it back.

This lady knows how to put of the T-bones and hash and sling it too.—(Sawyer Bar News)—And—shoot the biscuit!

An Oklahoma federal court jury, promptly found a Denver lawyer, guilty of conspiring and conniving with the Urschel kidnaping gang, whereupon the government promptly arrested his star witness—a lady, alleged to have engaged in some plain and fancy lying, during the course of her testimony. Press dispatches reveal the lady was considerably put out, by detention on a perjury charge. It seems the government intends to be rough with both criminals, and their liars.

The Prospect hall team, came out of the little end of the horn again Sunday, being squelched by Gild Hill, 10-9. T. Carleton, the Flourco Rock cowboy, upset the game, in his Sunday clothes. The spectator who called him a "robber" left in the seventh inning.

Take care of the pennies and the dollars will take care of themselves. Don't take care of either and the Government will take care of you.—(Judge)—Great truth of the week.

Graduation speakers are "busy chattering youth to stand fast." By way of variety, youth should occasionally be challenged to go slow.

The Elks eat is convalescing from a broken hind-leg, due to not getting out of the road in time. For a few hours seven of his nine lives were in the balance.

Clara Phillips, former movie queen, who pecked out the love of a rival in love, with a 10c claw-hammer, has been pardoned after serving 13 years of a California prison sentence. She started freedom with a combination saxophone-banjo, either one or both, being bad enough.

All the English sparrows are out in the country eating strawberries, instead of lingering in town picking huge out of radishers.

A chewing tobacco that "aids the worker, and helps the thinker" adorns the advertising pages. Used in conjunction with the cigarette, that beautifies the skin, and calms the nerves, there is no need of manna from Heaven.

Editorial Correspondence

ROCKFORD, Illinois, June 15.—Our first trip to the Sugar River farm took three hours. Jinks and Hank, two middle-aged plow horses supplied the motive power, over the old Tressbridge road, which wound its way over the rolling prairies, in the general direction of a little country village known as Durand.

Everything had changed except the old red brick farmhouse, the sandstone "spring house", the meandering creek under the willows and the Sugar river. New barn with double-barrelled silo, new fences, a new shed with concrete floors for a tractor and five passenger car, and new owners. We didn't stop but just continued on to the Sugar river, which was a great catfish stream in the old days, and may be now—but we doubt it.

A familiar name on a weather beaten mail box attracted our attention so we drove in, to find the spindle-shanked acquaintance of our youth, weighing about 200 pounds, and seated in a swinging settee on the front porch, seemingly suspended by an electric wire extending from his waist to a lamp socket above.

During the past winter, two men broke into this farm home, one cold night, and ransacked it apparently in search of several thousand dollars they believed had been secreted there.

It would be fun to motor a native Oregonian about this Sugar River country. No mountains, no forests of fir and pine, no hills higher than a man's hat, no waterfalls or sparkling streams, nothing but a sleepy, meandering river, about the color of a chocolate milkshake, between banks of solid black loam, and shaded by towering trees,—not a rock, a stone, or even a digger squirrel in sight.

Something phoney about that Baer-Braddock fight as we heard it over the radio "Graham MacNamee speaking." Nothing about it carried conviction, and no one can persuade us, it was on the "up and up." Max claimed his hands were broken which wasn't true, and then announced he would never fight again, which will also prove untrue.

English branch of the Astor fortune has not been so fortunate.

Frank Buck will come back to America with one more wild caribou, but that will likely be his last. He has purchased controlling interest in the famous Raffles hotel in Singapore and expects to retire to the leisurely post of Mine Host. He will make occasional safari into the jungles for special animal orders, but mostly he will be ready to meet his American tourist friends on the veranda in the cool of the evening for the customary gin-sling. He also has orders for many magazine articles he has never been able to supply. So he'll do some writing, too.

Authors from small towns, especially fiction writers, are usually unpopular with home folk. He is belated, such as Irvin Cobb for whom Padurash named its leading hotel, are a minority. Often the natives imagine they see themselves in the book characters. Or maybe it is their friends or relatives, Edgar Lee Masters, whose Spoon River Anthology made him famous years ago, is freely ridiculed in his home district, Sauk Center, Minn., by a bit over the "Main Street" of their native son, Sinclair Lewis. So did Maryville, Mo., at some of Homer Croly's lines.

There are high stand-up desks, piles of ancient ledgers and furniture that suggests the middle 80's. Vincent Astor, head of the \$70,000,000 real estate fortune, is at his office regularly when in the city. Many employees are those green veterans in service. The skull capped sort.

Astor is the real boss of the properties. And has shown such executive skill that, despite a depression where real estate fortunes were the worst hit, he has kept out of the red. The

Personal Health Service

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. No reply can be made to queries not conforming to instructions. Address Dr. William Brady, 265 El Camino, Beverly Hills, Cal.

THE LAST OF THE VITAMINS

The last, let us hope, of the vitamins to be recognized are E and G. But already there are threats in certain quarters to postulate a vitamin F and a vitamin H. So I suppose we must expect the worst.

In a casual or idle way I have been musing around with the vitamin rather intensively for quite a while now, and speaking as a lowbrow and just a door-to-door doctor, I don't think vitamin E or vitamin G is so hot.

Vitamin E, the scientists tell us, is essential for fertility in the animal economy. The best source of it is wheat germ oil, but it is found in many grains, vegetables, meat, milk and butter.

Vitamin G, the scientists tell us, is essential to prevent pellagra. The best sources of it are yeast and wheat germ, but it is found in practically all foods which contain vitamin B.

Now here are some suggestions for folk who want to increase their vitamin intake.

Breakfast. Citrus fruit or citrus fruit juice, Tomato juice, fresh or (factory) canned. Fresh milk, raw, certified or pasteurized. One or two eggs, cooked as you prefer.

Luncheon. Salad containing the outer green leaves of lettuce, raw carrots, raw cabbage, raw onion tips and bulbs, chesec, escarole (chicory greens, endive), peppers, tomato, bits of chopped liver or kidney. Two fresh vegetables. Milk, buttermilk or any milk beverage. Bread with plenty of butter. Fresh fruit dessert.

Dinner. Crab, shrimp, lobster or oyster-cooked or chowder or soup. Fresh fish with greens in salad or sauce. Roast meat or fowl or steak. Baked potato, including the skin. Two other fresh vegetables. Home ground whole wheat flakes, rolls or biscuits with butter, honey or syrup. Cheese, Parmesan, cream, American, etc. Fresh fruit dessert with cream or evaporated milk.

What should one do with boys in their teens during summer vacation? Last summer we had the older boy (16) in a box factory and later at work, but it seemed to make him wiser rather than stronger.

Our daughter, aged nine years, was reported by the school doctor to have poor eyesight. We took her to an oculist, who said she has astigmatism and will always have to wear glasses.

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Comment on the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

EIGHTY years ago this week, Gustavus Franklin Swift started into business for himself.

He was then aged 16, and he had a total cash capital of \$20, acquired by hard work and careful penny-pinching. He paid \$10 for a neighbor's helper, killed it, dressed it and cut up the carcass himself, and sold the meat in his little home town on Cape Cod.

OF this enterprise on the part of its founder grew the great meat packing firm of Swift & Co., which has been caused liberally by demagogues from coast to coast during the greater part of its incorporated existence, but which nevertheless has performed a service of inestimable value to the livestock industry.

IN 1876, twenty years after his first business venture back in his home town, Gustavus F. Swift arrived in Chicago. By that time, he had become a successful meat dealer and cattle buyer and was looking around for a larger field of operations.

He found it in Chicago. He brought with him to Chicago two things of the utmost importance—ambition and an IDEA. His idea was that the meat business, as then conducted, was sinfully wasteful.

MEAT animals were then shipped to the point of ultimate consumption on the hoof and there slaughtered. That involved a lot of cost. It seemed to Swift that there was a better way of doing it, and he staked his fortune on the belief that refrigeration provided this better way.

His idea was to assemble meat animals at strategic points, slaughter them there by factory methods. Instead of in the old hand way, and distribute the meat in refrigerated cars, saving all the by-products at the same time.

THE TRAVEL industry is one of the largest in America today. The United States Department of Commerce values \$3,000,000,000 as the estimate of the money, paying the wake of travelers in America annually. On this basis, reports the commerce department, when they meet in Medford, an information booth is always established with a competent girl in charge and she assists in the registration of delegates and by virtue of her experience carries out many duties for the organization sponsoring the convention which otherwise may be neglected.

THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE does not put up any money towards securing a convention, the directors having definitely determined such policy is not good because if conventions have to be bought they naturally would only go to the larger centers where the most money is available. However, the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce renders many services to conventions when they meet in Medford. An information booth is always established with a competent girl in charge and she assists in the registration of delegates and by virtue of her experience carries out many duties for the organization sponsoring the convention which otherwise may be neglected.

THE SHOE industry has been the target for innumerable demagogues, large and small.

GREAT fortunes have been built out of Gustavus F. Swift's original idea, and these great fortunes have been the target for innumerable demagogues, large and small.

But remember that this idea, which originated with a boy who started in business for himself at the age of 16 with \$20 of capital which he had saved out of his own earnings, CHEAPEARED ENORMOUSLY the cost of handling meat, delivering it to the consumer for less and making it possible to pay the producer more.

Thus everybody benefited, and Gustavus F. Swift KNEW IT!

Flight 'o Time

(Medford and Jackson County History from the files of the Mail Tribune of 10 and 20 Years Ago)

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY June 18, 1925 (It was Thursday) National guardsmen stage a sham battle at Camp Jackson before large crowd, and a theoretical enemy is chased off the north flank of Rocky Ann.

Bobby Strang, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Strang, narrowly escaped death yesterday when struck by his father's automobile while backing out of the family garage. The little lad had attempted to ride on the car unbeknown to his parent, and had in some way slipped, thus allowing the front wheel to run partly over his body. He was injured in no other way than being bruised and in a few hours was again at play.

A lawyer-preacher from Los Angeles starts a revival meeting on Haymarket Square.

Explorer Amundsen, safe after 28 days in the Arctic, determined to try another air flight to North Pole.

First forest fire of season rages near Bend, Ore.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY June 18, 1915 (It was Friday) Kansas cyclone blows a baby a mile without injuring it.

Police report three auto accidents all trivial, this morning in the business district between Fords and wagons.

Court and Seelye Hall return from Portland, where they purchased a Cadillac for use on the Crater Lake run.

Farmers of the valley are using every available man in the rush to handle the hay crop before the coming of rain, and have enlisted the services of the police in securing help. The hay raisers' fear of rain seems to be largely founded upon tradition, as the sky is practically cloudless and the sun is shining brightly.

COURT MACHINERY TO SPEED UP FOR WALEY'S SENTENCE

John Doe Undisclosed. The identity of the "John Doe" charged, with Mahan and the Walters, in last week's "holding charge" of conspiring to use the mails to defraud by demanding \$200,000 ransom, still was a closely guarded mystery here, and federal agents refuse even to acknowledge that such a person was charged, although it was known that they repeatedly sought a "John Doe" warrant for his arrest.

In addition to the conspiracy charge and the Lindbergh law kidnap charge, Mahan also has been charged with depositing in the Tacoma postoffice the letter demanding \$200,000 ransom.

Woman May Weaken. As federal authorities have prepared today to lay the Weverhauser case before the grand jury, speculation became stronger that Mrs. Waley may plead guilty to the conspiracy charge and face a maximum of 20 years' imprisonment and a \$5,000 fine. Federal law presumes a wife takes part in a crime through her husband's coercion. Also it was pointed out, federal agents contend it was through her confession in Salt Lake City that they caught her husband, recovered much of the ransom money and implicated Mahan.

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deal thought on the subject. It follows: "It is generally agreed among world statesmen, scholars and business men that action should be taken to bring the currencies of the leading countries into some definite form of equilibrium. Until the relationship of international currencies has been established upon a basis inspiring more confidence than the present improvised system of clearing transactions between nations... it is reasonable to assume that the total volume of world trade will not expand appreciably in the coming months. Moreover, if the gold bloc should be forced to give ground, except in accordance with international agreement, world trade would undoubtedly receive another setback."

Unofficial feelers sent out by the new deal have developed the fact that Britain does not want to stabilize. She considers the dollar undervalued. We consider the pound overvalued. Also, money has become more deeply involved with the tariff and debt questions. Trying to settle all these things involves a stupendous task, for which the world is not yet ready. If the financial authorities among the new dealers understand the situation correctly, these things will be settled some day, but not just yet.

Here's an amusing one on the Russo-Japanese tension along the Siberian border. A few days ago, the Soviet lodged a protest at Tokio against the killing of a Soviet soldier by Japanese troops along the border. The Japanese asserted the Soviet trooper was shot on Manchukuo's soil. They pointed to the fact he is buried there. The Soviets have protested that the Japanese crossed the border, shot the trooper on Soviet territory, and cut off his body back and buried it on Manchukuo soil to escape the charge of crossing the border.

Communications

To the Editor: The Medford Garden club wishes to thank Mr. Ruih for his courtesy thru the columns of the Mail Tribune—especially during the state convention and the annual flower show.

MRS. H. N. BUTLER, Secy. June 18, 1935. Lawnmowers Sharpened Phone 261 Medford Cyclopedia 23 N Fir

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