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Ye Smudge Pot By Arthur Perry.

A Chinese barber of Portland, ordered deported, because of illegal entry from Mexico, has been granted a reprieve by a governmental agency. The Oriental tonsorialist has been in America since 1922, and at all times behaved himself.

Republican spellbinders proclaim "Liberty is dying." It is generally agreed, it often sounds like it.

THEY'RE BOTH RIGHT (Fred D. Hatch). Says Dr. Carmel: "As the space between two humans or two stars increases, non-euclidean space degenerates, until at infinity it becomes euclidean or three-dimensional space, like the speed of a bullet dying out. This is just the opposite from the theory of Dr. Einstein, which holds that space is non-euclidean at infinity and is therefore curved."

S. Morris, the T-R.K. tiller, has been enjoying a visit from his brother. He showed him Crater Lake, Diamond Lake, the tall timber, the pear trees, and where the new silo will be built, if built.

The Bible, I. Samuels, 22 Chapter, Verse 2, accurately and aptly sizes up the current wave of demagogues. It reads: "And every one that was in distress, and every one that was in debt, and every one that was discontented, gathered themselves unto him; and he became captain over them."

Eugene and Salem papers, frequently note runaways of teams of horses, quite often when the farmer is in town trading. This has been branded as old-fashioned by Washington, D. C. nabobs, and, if it keeps up the campaign slogans will be plastered on the blinders, instead of the windshields.

VALUE RECEIVED (Bangor (Me.) Daily News). "Most unmarried daughters, between the ages of 16 and 30, pay more for their clothes than their mothers do, a government bulletin gravely announces. When you can get inside stuff like that for only ten or twelve thousand million dollars a year, where's the kick?"

Tests conducted by Columbia University of New York show women fall at fishing due to "temperamental defects." It seems the fair sex want to talk about something else, do something else, and not make fishing their life work.

The esteemed Salem Capital-Journal last week commemorated its 30 years of journalistic existence, with the issuance of a special edition. Special editions are the bane of journalistic toilers, from the editor to the janitor. A decade or so ago it was the fashion to punish the subscribers with a special edition when there was nothing else to do. The Capital-Journal's effort was different. It was the best special edition your cor. ever read, and the only one ever enjoyed. It had typographical, pictorial, and reader interest—three vital factors, that seldom if ever get together, in a special edition. The editor, George Putnam, is to be congratulated for the creation of a masterpiece.

It is now reported there will be a shortage of hay in the valley next winter. A casual glance over the landscape, catches the glancer to remark: It sure looks like it!

Big Trout Costs Plunge NEW HEAVEN, Vt. (UP)—While fishing here, Mrs. Albert Proctor, of Burlington, had a plunge into the river to land her catch. But she emerged triumphantly clutching a 21-inch trout weighing three pounds.

A Wise Republican Speaks

ONE of the best Republican speeches we have heard in many a long day was the one delivered by ex-Governor Landon Thursday night. In fact with certain reservations this column found itself agreeing with practically everything "Alf" said, and it certainly wasn't his radio voice or his "AIR PERSONALITY"—"Alf" is no better in this direction than he was during the last campaign.

But he did talk sense, and he didn't talk bitter partisan buncombe which as far as G. O. P. speech makers are concerned is a great relief. Take the following extract for example:

During the last election, there were 17,000,000 people who voted against the present administration. I think if you would take a poll of these 17,000,000 people, you would find that an overwhelming majority of them believe in collective bargaining, but they believe in making it work. They believe in social security, but they believe in making it work. They believe in unemployment insurance, but they believe in relief—relief to the needy and unemployed, but not the financing of a vast political machine under the false label of relief. They believe in a better distribution of wealth created, in raising the standard of living, and a great many other reforms.

Now as everyone who reads this column knows, we agree heartily with that. We have frequently stated, the outstanding achievement of the Roosevelt administration has been to make the American people "socially conscious"; and the legislative results of this consciousness, such as Mr. Landon enumerates, are going to endure, regardless of who is placed in the White House, and the Republican party should be wise enough to see it,—but until this speech by Mr. Landon gave no indication of it.

BUT,—we don't agree with Mr. Landon when he declares an overwhelming majority of the 17,000,000, who voted against Roosevelt two years ago believe in these same legislative achievements,—i.e.—sincerely believe in collective bargaining for labor, old age assistance, unemployment insurance, work relief and above all, a FAIRER DISTRIBUTION OF WEALTH! More than that, we believe the REAL LEADERS of the 17,000,000, not only two years ago but today, are unanimously OPPOSED to what they privately term "socialistic fol-de-rol and nonsense."

And finally we believe it is because of that fact—the realization of it by the rank and file—in spite of those 17,000,000 votes against him, President Roosevelt was overwhelmingly re-elected. As Mr. Landon truly states a majority of all our people wanted these social reforms,—still want them,—and so when the issue is drawn will naturally vote for the party, whose leadership it knows is friendly, not hostile, TO them.

NOT that we question Mr. Landon's sincerity. Not in the least. We do believe him in this instance, mistaken. He is a true Liberal himself. The true leadership of the party he represents, ISN'T.

Here is another extract from the speech, which, with similar reservations we also endorse:

Certainly, things are wrong in this country today—just as they were in the 1920s. It is obvious to all that we need a change and we need a change in something far more fundamental than mere changing of political parties. We need a fundamental change in our attitude toward life and government. We need above all else a rebirth of public morality—"A new national avowal that public office is a public trust." As long as we are resigned to crookedness and waste in government, we will continue to have a government of expediency instead of truth, we will continue to have a government of psychology and propaganda, instead of well-informed public opinion.

We will never have fundamental economic recovery unless spiritual recovery goes with it. We will never eliminate abuses of government until we arouse moral indignation and fight for what's right because it's right.

To which we say "AMEN!" Our reservation is this: We don't believe the American people ARE resigned to "waste" in government although they realize that with such huge federal expenditures as exist today—and have existed ever since Roosevelt took office,—a certain amount of waste is unavoidable.

But we are certain they aren't resigned to "CROOKEDNESS." And we wish Mr. Landon would support this charge with some concrete facts. Waste, yes, but has there been CORRUPTION? This column doesn't think so. And we believe a man in Governor Landon's position should not make such a serious accusation, without producing some explicit evidence to sustain it.

BUT we do grant the "trickery,"—and we don't like it. As an example of what we mean was the statement during the recent gubernatorial campaign in this state, when President Roosevelt on the eve of the primary election, repudiated Governor Martin by denying the truth of the governor's Bonneville statement and then immediately AFTER the primary publicly announced he had taken no part in it! Perhaps some of the president's friends in this state can forgive that action,—we can't.

The President should have done one of two things. He should either have entered the primary against Governor Martin frankly, explicitly stated on what grounds he was opposing him, and let it go at that. Or he should have kept out of the campaign ENTIRELY. Instead of that he allowed himself to be quoted against the Governor, one day; and a week later solemnly declared he had taken no part in the primary whatever. Technically the President could justify his position of course, for the President of the United States can repudiate any citizen who quotes him without permission, and this is what the President did.

But to choose a week before the election as the time to do it, well knowing it would be interpreted by the people of Oregon, as showing the administration's opposition to Governor Martin's renomination, and then to solemnly assert he had taken no part in the campaign whatever.—!\*

No,—we can't stomach that! The Roosevelt worshippers may call it only smart politics, but Mr. Landon calls it TRICKY politics,—and in this column's judgment, the ex-Governor of Kansas is exactly right.

One could pick out other instances of similarly "smart politics," in the Roosevelt administration. This column can hardly be accused of being a purist in this direction, but we

regard such political smartness,—adroit insinuating smoothness,—this willingness to wound but fear to strike, willingness to profit by a blow below the belt, but afraid to deliver it,—as one of the greatest weaknesses of the Roosevelt administration.

AND finally the closing paragraphs of the speech: At the moment, we are in the midst of a business depression. Our most important immediate job is to get out of this business depression.

It is the responsibility of the president to inspire confidence, not only in one class, but in all classes; and when you find the small business men, the working people and the farmers in this country fearful of conditions, there must be something wrong. We are of course willing to do anything we can to help our country out of this depression; but we predict that unless there is a change in the president's methods and policies, we will be right back in another depression as soon as the government spending spurge is over. This has already happened once and it must be obvious that it will happen again unless confidence is restored and political abuses corrected.

Now we don't agree with Governor Landon that the second pump priming could have been avoided, or that all pump priming has been a mistake. As we view it, under the circumstances WHICH EXISTED, there was nothing else to do, except let the capitalistic ship of state, go on the rocks and pound to bits.

But we do agree that unless the President changes his attitude toward business, brings about a harmonious working relationship between, business and labor on one side, and business and the government on the other, the BENEFITS OF THE SECOND PUMP PRIMING WILL BE TEMPORARY, as the first were. For it has been demonstrated we think, that government ALONE can't save the ship, nor business ALONE, nor labor alone; but all three working together shoulder to shoulder CAN. And if it is to be saved that is what must be brought about.

SO with the exceptions noted above we liked Mr. Landon's speech very much, and particularly commend its generous, fair, tolerant spirit. As the Republican leader said at the outset:

"Mr. Roosevelt the other night gave you his side. Now I wish to give the other side. In all fairness I think we all agree, there is usually more than one side to every question."

There is. And in the opinion of this column Mr. Landon has given the "other side," more clearly, effectively and convincingly, than any other man in public life, up to date.

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. No reply can be made to queries not conforming to instructions. Address: Dr. William Brady, 263 El Camino, Beverly Hills, Calif.

IMPROVED TREATMENT OF PROSTATIC OBSTRUCTION The older method of relieving obstruction of the bladder by enlarged prostate involved operation, either via the perineal route or via the abdominal, or both, and a stay of many weeks or months in hospital under what, for the patient, were trying circumstances. Yet it speaks well for the courage of the elderly gentlemen of the day that many thousands of them, refusing to become a trial or nuisance to their family and friends, underwent the formidable operation and recaptured thereby an extra ten or twenty years of peaceful, comfortable life.



I have been delving deeply in the effort to find some plausible or tenable explanation for the occurrence of prostatic hypertrophy or enlargement of the prostate gland in men past fifty, or even to find a sensible reason why some men suffered earlier and other men later or not at all from this trouble. Net results, nil. No, your guess or suspicion has no weight at all.

All we know is that the prostate gland in men is analogous in embryological origin with the uterus in women. We don't know why some women of forty develop fibroid tumors of the uterus and others never have such trouble. There it is.

This being a health column, read by men, women and children, we cannot fairly suggest symptoms of prostatic hypertrophy here, but it is fair to say that the only symptoms of consequence are the symptoms arising from obstruction of the bladder. When a man finds it necessary to get up more than once at night he should consult his physician for examination and advice about the question of prostatic hypertrophy.

The modern method of treating prostatic obstruction involves no external wound and requires a hospital stay of eight days in the average case. It is called transurethral prostatic resection; it is done by means of special instruments which enable the operator to remove the obstructing tissue in a series of bites through the natural channel, any bleeding being controlled by means of direct sparking of fulguration of the bleeding point through the resectoscope.

In one of the great hospitals, the records show, this modern transurethral prostatic resection was used in 40 percent of the cases of prostatic obstruction treated in the hospital in 1931, but in 1935 the modern method was used in 99.6 percent of the cases. Average weight of the prostatic tissue removed in more than 3,000 transurethral prostatic resections was 1 1/2 ounces—enough to relieve obstruction and prevent recurrence of obstruction in later years in the great majority of cases. If any subsequent obstruction does occur, it will be as easily or more easily relieved than in the first instance.

This modern transurethral prostatic resection robs the affliction of prostatic obstruction of its terrors and makes it much easier for the old gentleman today to remain a gentleman than it was for his father before him.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS Wrong Logic You state that malaria is carried only by the bite of the anopheles mosquito. You must admit, to be consistent, that poisoning is as likely to occur from inhaling the odor of decaying vegetable matter as it is from inhaling the fumes of carbon monoxide. (S. S. G.) Answer—Sorry, but I can't admit that. There is no evidence that inhaling the odor of decaying vegetable matter ever poisons or injures any one.

Eye Exercise is Eye Wash Please give your opinion of eye exercises as a means of overcoming weaknesses of the eyesight so that one can discard glasses. (Miss L. A. F.) Answer—It is an absurd idea. Sweating Feet What strength of formaldehyde solution do you advise as a lotion to correct foot sweating of the feet? (E. D. M.) Answer—Apply to soles and between toes, each alternate day, a solution of one part standard formaldehyde (37 percent) in four parts water, three times.

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Man About Manhattan By GEORGE TUCKER NEW YORK—Bud, you're wrong about everybody loving a fat man! They don't, not in New York at least. I didn't believe it either when I first heard about it, but after talking with people who are usually reliably informed on such matters there isn't anything for me to do but believe it. Let's analyze the story anyway. Some time ago, it seems, a special gymnasium opened in the midtown sector. They specialized in shaving off extra pounds, and one of the claims

more of this and he'd be a walking shadow. Caring good nature Joe slipped into his coat. Well, the coat simply hung on him in folds. He couldn't believe it. He was jubilant. Yes, sir, he'd tell the world what a wonderful thing they were doing for business men who were too concerned with world affairs to take the proper exercise. He'd have all his friends down. No more of the wobbly fat for old Joe. No more bulging in the wrong places. No triple chins and extravagant waist-lines.

And for only \$10? Dirt cheap, if you asked him. Like taking candy from a baby. They tell me lots of candy was thus obtained before the bottom fell out of the get-thin-quick racket. But one day, one of the numerous Jos who had been "pared down" to skin and bones happened to observe a rent in the seam of his coat. He couldn't understand a thing like that, the coat being new. He picked it up and looked at it. Suddenly berserk, a wild gleam in his eyes, he flung the coat on the floor and jumped up and down on it. Then he called the police. The little "courtesy" press at the gym had been on the level all right. But they neglected to mention that with it went a little alteration, also free of charge.

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Flight o' Time

Medford and Jackson County history from the files of the Mail Tribune 10 and 20 years ago.

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Comment on the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS DON FISHER, chief ranger of the Lava Beds national monument, has just received from the war department a new file of pictures taken by army photographers during the Modoc war.

Among them is a picture of General Canby that is interesting because of the character and the courage that are shown in his face.

GENERAL CANBY had been warned that if he went to the parley with Captain Jack (on the spot now marked by the Canby cross) he and members of his party would be killed. There is abundant evidence that he believed the warning to be genuine.

Yet, knowing that in all probability he was going to his death (along with the other members of the peace party) he insisted on attending the parley in accordance with the arrangements that had been made.

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standing, the sooner the object restored. FRED LAWRENCE, Rec. Sec. Local Union No. 1124, Medford, July 7th. Cardozo Rallies After Bad Night PORT CHESTER, N. Y., July 8.—(AP)—Associate Justice Benjamin N. Cardozo of the United States supreme court, who is ill at the home of Judge Irving Lehman, was reported today to have "rallied nicely this morning after a not particularly good night." The justice was stricken with a heart ailment in Washington several months ago. He came here to spend the summer at Judge Lehman's home. He has been under an oxygen tent for several days to conserve his strength.

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