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Hood River Oregon

MAN ABOUT TOWN

(By LeRoy Armstrong)

Maybe the world will laugh with you if you laugh, and maybe you now and then need the incentive yourself. Maybe things are a little gloomy, and if the world would show you some reason for the smile, your heart would get lighter and your face would get brighter, and the whole day would seem filled with sunshine—no matter how many clouds were in the sky.

And it was cloudy the other day. As I came down town I tried to remember when the sunshine had been visible. Days and weeks—maybe months—of gloom! Talk about laughing, and getting the world to laugh with me! I didn't want to laugh, and I didn't care whether the world laughed. I didn't believe there was a laugh anywhere in it.

And just then a girl rode along and tied her horse to the telephone post in front of the office and went tripping gaily away. She was such a nice girl, and seemed so in tune with all good things and so tempered for the catching of happiness, that she shook my mood a little. I quit wondering—and half hoping—that it was unlawful for her to tie her pony to the telephone pole, and thinking of the look of her when they arrested her, and what she would do, and whom she would call, and what was the possible worst that the vengeance of an outraged ordinance would exact, as the price of her perfidy. And then the horse shook free from the pole, as the girl having not tied him very securely—which is the habit of girls; and while I was half wishing he would run away, along came a man and saw the loosened pony, and caught him and tied him up again. He hadn't seen the girl. He didn't have any inducement to go out of his way catching ponies for strange people who violated the law. But I remembered him.

Then the marshal found an old man who had served his time as a useful citizen through many years, had retired with a little money, but had lived longer than he expected—or perhaps had desired; who didn't have a dollar, or a home, or a friend—or a debt. Get the last word? Didn't owe a debt in all the world. Helpless, homeless, pretty badly discouraged, maybe not so presentable as he had been in his workaday years, he couldn't see sunshine even in the jauntiest days of June. But the marshal told some women about the old fellow, and they provided him a decent place to live, and others found enough for him to eat, and he had a bath and a shave and a dress of clean clothes, and all the world looked bright to him. He didn't say much, but as he sat in silence where their kindness had landed him, a tear splashed down on his weak old hand—and surprised him. And that helped.

A big business man came back from his annual vacation. He had been all the way to Portland, and had spent nearly a month there, and had met the biggest men of his line in the state, and they had been courteous to him, and had shown him some of the post-graduate work of their wide reaching houses, and taken him to lunch, and sat through pleasant evenings with him, and he had caught glimpses of the deeper water where they so strongly swim. But he said he was glad to get back home; glad he lived in Hood River; glad of the vacation, but content to make it only a brief and temporary absence. "I am very happy here," he said. And all that wasn't easily forgotten.

A fat little boy of about four years was walking along the street, not so very fast and not very straight, with a curious look in the eyes that no man could read, but which a good woman interpreted at a glance as being too brave to admit it even to himself. His parents lived up in the valley some where, and he had ventured to wander out of the store where his mother was trading, and she didn't miss him until he had turned the corner—and was absolutely vanished. But the woman, who had kiddies of her own, stooped down and took his hand and said: "Where's mother?" And he let go one sob, and then caught himself with many courage and told her his mother was lost but he went with his new found friend back on the main streets, where it was as certain as day his mother would be looking for him. And she was. And the good woman went on—and forgot all about it. But I didn't.

with a cheery good bye, and he turned and kissed. I don't know that it solved his problems for him, but he faced the weeks. And that is all a true man needs. All he asks is that the Gods give him courage, and he will face any Giant of Despair that ever wielded a club.

And a little boy that was very sick seemed drifting into the shadows of the Great Unknown, and about his bed of awful pain father and mother and helpless friends gathered and watched the torture they could not relieve, and yearned in agony for some help in a measureless world that it seemed should hold it. There wasn't enough money in the house—nor anywhere within the reach of the burdened father—to pay for anything. But three physicians left their offices and turned aside from their regular practice, and sat about the little bedside and gave the very best of a blessed profession—had put within their power, puzzled out the one chance on earth for the child's relieving. They didn't do it for pay, nor the hope of it. It was a sacred obligation laid upon them, and they gave as fully and as conscientiously as if their patient had been the child of wealth. And it didn't seem to them they had done anything unusual. And that appealed to me.

"Two strong men stood face to face," and quarrelled, and one of them was wrong. No matter what had been the wearying reasons for his taking a false position. They said things to each other that would have hurt less excited senses—and parted. It was the breaking of a friendship that had lasted for many years, and each of them hunted a while for ways to wound the other. And then the one who was wrong caught himself before the sun had gone down on his wrath, and frankly called his friend—his new enemy—and said: "When a man comes to the conclusion that he has done wrong there is only one thing for him to do, and that is to admit it, and say, 'Don't say another word,' came back the instant response. 'I was to blame, too. Let's both forget it. It never happened, anyway.'"

So that, as I went home that evening, there was a bright sun shining in the west, and while I felt no rain about me, there was a mass of shadowy mist from mountain top to mountain top, clear across the majestic gorge of the Columbia, and all the valley was filled with rainbows.

It was a pretty good day, after all.

BARTLETT WILL HELP BUILD NEW DOCKS

R. R. Bartlett, who closed his office as an architect in the Heilbronner building last week, left Friday afternoon for Astoria, where he will be the architect for the new municipal docks that will be constructed in that city. Before coming here to Hood River, Pa., Mr. Bartlett had had experience in architectural work that peculiarly fits him for the dock work. Before having been engaged at Scranton and Carbondale, Pa., he had laid out architectural plans for structures along the Jersey coast.

Mr. Bartlett enters his new duties associated with Newell, Gossett & Walsh, consulting engineers of Portland. The Astoria municipal docks will be constructed in units, each unit to be able to carry one single ocean-going vessel of the largest capacity. And each unit will include sheds, warehouses and freight and passenger depots.

Mr. Bartlett has made many friends during his residence in Hood River who will regret to hear of his departure, but who will wish him success in his new field. Mrs. Bartlett and children will remain in Hood River for the time being.

The King of All Laxatives

A stubborn, annoying, depressing cough hangs on, racks the body, weakens often leads to serious results. The first dose of Dr. King's New Discovery gives relief. Henry D. Sanders, of Cavendish, Vt., was threatened with consumption, after having pneumonia. He writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery ought to be in every family; it is certainly the best of all medicines for coughs, colds or lung trouble." Good for children's coughs. Money refunded if not satisfied. Price 50c and \$1. At all druggists. H. E. Backlen & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis.

Forest Notes

Receipts from the use of national forest resources were greatest in Arizona last year.

Dr. C. D. Marsh, of the federal bureau of plant industry, is delivering a series of illustrated lectures to stockmen in the west on the subject of plants poisonous to stock.

The Billmore forest school, established in 1898, and therefore the oldest forest school in America, has been discontinued. Dr. C. A. Schneck, its director, has returned to his home in Germany.

The forest service is compiling a new volume table for calculating the board contents of standing western yellow pine trees in the southwest. It is based on actual measurements of 6,000 trees.

In trying to find uses for blight killed chestnut it has been found that it cannot be utilized for crating stone-quarry owners say that chestnut wood leaves an insidious stain on the marble or granite.

Railroads caused nearly half the forest fires in Colorado and Wyoming last year, and almost one-sixth were set by lightning. In California lightning started more than half, with railroads a comparatively insignificant cause.

Methodist Minister Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Rev. James A. Lewis, Milaca, Minn., writes: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been a needed and welcome guest in our home for a number of years. I highly recommend it to my fellows as being a medicine worthy of trial in cases of colds, coughs and croup." Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a trial and we are confident you will find it very effective and continue to use it as occasion requires for years to come, as many others have done. For sale by all dealers.

Henderson Receives Beautiful Book. Prof. L. P. Henderson last week received from H. J. Rust, a botanist of d'Alene, Idaho, a book of photographs of the wild flowers of Idaho with woodland scenes, showing how the shrubs and plants grow in their wild state. No more handsome photographs have ever been seen in the city. Some of the photographic resemblances of the plants look like the real specimens pasted on the paper.

Prof. Henderson has been making a classification of some 2,000 plants sent him by Mr. Rust.

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THRIFT ADVISED AS SCHOOL STUDY

(Spokane Spokesman-Review)

The more people have thought of common schools the bigger has grown the question.

Another important thought in connection with public school education is brought out by Frank A. Chase, of Spokane, who declares that the duty of thrift should form the third great object in common school purposes.

The first purpose, that of a literary education, has absorbed the attention of the teachers for generations.

More recently vocational education has come into prominence as a second object.

Advocating the teaching of thrift in the schools, Mr. Chase well says that the "producing of wealth at any time is of doubtful value if the producer lacks an inclination and disposition to save and properly invest part of his income to insure him against want and dependency in his declining years." He goes on to point out a fact well known to persons of close observation, that the record of criminality is to a large extent a record of want and need, real or fancied, but so essential a necessity in the mind of the one tempted that crime has been committed in an endeavor to satisfy that need.

A definite and important part of moral education is here put in the limelight by Mr. Chase. Moral education must be taken up by the public school just as vocational education is being taken up. The fundamental virtues must be pounded, as well as be drilled into the minds of boys and girls just as much as the multiplication table. Thrift plays a larger part in moral education than is openly acknowledged by the moralists. Let thrift come to the front and there will be no great harm done in letting the other moral virtues radiate from thrift as the slogan of the third great purpose in the common schools of the country.

HEAVY RAINS FALL IN CALIFORNIA

Heavy rainfalls caused severe damage in southern California last week. A dispatch from Los Angeles last Friday says:

"Two lives were lost and damage estimated at sums ranging from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 was wrought by the storm which sent a record rain to six southern California counties during the past two days. At several points near Los Angeles a precipitation of from six to eight inches was recorded in the period between midnight Tuesday and 8 a. m., today. The strange growing section and the railroad and plane were still cut off, although the former was expected to regain rail communication with the outside tonight."

"At Covina, in the fruit growing section, the storm wrought damage estimated at \$100,000. Orange orchards were washed out there."

LOCAL MEN INVENT NEW CARD TABLE

R. R. Bartlett and W. H. McClain have invented a new card table, a patent on which has been applied for. The most important feature of the new table is its reversible top, one side of which is covered with felt and the other with green leather. A hostess can use the felt side for the card playing, while the table top can be reversed and lunch served on the leather side. The top can be removed in a second and made into a lapboard for sewing. The legs of the table fold like all card tables. However, by the new device of bracing and springs, it is more rigid than the ordinary card table.

Mr. Bartlett has made 150 of the tables, some of which have been placed on display at the Franz Hardware Co. furniture department, of which Mr. McClain is manager. Although the table has added facilities of convenience it sells for the same price of other patented card tables.

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Prizes Will Be Cash This Year

The prizes for the children's school fairs, which have been so successful in this county, will be cash this year according to County Superintendent C. D. Thompson unless someone voluntarily donates other articles.

Prof. Thompson has just issued a letter to the county teachers, calling their attention to the fairs. He also says the following about the approaching "alfalfa week": "Another thing that I would like for you to give attention is what we are pleased to call 'alfalfa day.' This is to be observed throughout the state during the entire first week in March. During this time pupils are to be given all the instruction possible along the lines of production and benefits of alfalfa. Make particular use of this in the language lessons of all grades."

A Winter Cough

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Adventist Conference in Session

The Western Oregon Conference of Seventh Day Adventists will be represented at the North Pacific Union conference, which began its sessions yesterday at College Plains, Wash. Elders J. G. Knight and T. F. Soule, of this city, will be in attendance, as will clergymen and bible teachers of all districts of the western part of the state. The conference will close on March 8.

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Disk Stove	1.8
Coffee percolator	1.35
8 lb. iron	1.65
8 in. fan (full speed)	1.2
Sewing machine motor	0.075
Ice cream freezer	0.165
Washing machine motor	0.6
Luminous radiator (small)	1.5
Heating pad	0.1
Tubular air heater (small)	3.6
Tea kettle	0.5
Ozonator	0.045
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