

The Office Cat



BY JUNIUS

Whatta Ya Know? I used to think I knew I knew. But now I must confess The more I know I know I know, I know I know the less.

Caruso will return to America to sing next autumn—headline. Home is where the money is.

Just as we get to enjoying ourselves telling someone else how bad we feel the other fellow begins to talk about his own symptoms.

A Reminiscence Among Word Painters Macon (Mo) Chronicle-Herald As a flowery orator Dan Hughes can stir the monkeys up. When he says "My friends and fellow citizens" they just can't keep from cheering.

Bob Robertson says with peanuts at 10 cents a bag, it can hardly be advertised truthfully as an old-fashioned Fourth.

Aye, There's The Rub He slips his French in a fluent way. 'Tis but the truth—we do not stretch it; The trouble is, we're frank to say. There are but few who seem to catch it.

"Lynching must be stamped out in America," says a New York Daily. Really we can't think what our country is coming to. We'll be stopping baseball next.

How long should Spaghetti be cooked? asked a correspondent in a woman's journal. "About 23 inches, we think, is the right length."

We read of a Spanish chess player who made four moves in two hours. After a little more practice, he certainly ought to make a fairly good American Brick Layer.

Our Own Hall of Fame In reporting that Will Still is a resident of Indianapolis, W. C. W. neglects to state whether or not he is a plumber.

Or, as Alf Tennyson might have expressed it: It was the time when "Kelly's" blew Along the street while owners swear.

The Sad Mishap of Mr. Sherry Richmond (Ind.) Item Connersville, Ind., March 24.—As Ed Sherry was driving to his home southeast of the city, Sunday, the extra tire and rim of his machine became unfastened and rolled over the edge of the fill between this city and East Connersville, and down the bank and into the pool which lies below. The water is about ten feet deep. Fishing for the tire failed to bring results and it is still there, a thing of some value which will be much less valuable by the time it is recovered, if it ever is.

A modern versifier declares he writes his poems without thought of reward. If all of the craft did likewise there would be fewer disappointed poets.

A Bold Hunter Lecturer (in loud voice): "I venture to assert there isn't a man in this audience who has ever done anything to prevent the destruction of our vast forests."

Man in audience (timidly): "I've shot woodpeckers."

Shadows are always behind those who look toward the sun.

A Pickle of Toledo isn't in the business one might easily imagine. He runs a bakery.

DORRIS PERSONALS DORRIS, California, July 5.—Rapid progress is being shown by B. Long in the completion of his concrete theatre building on Third Street. The walls are finished and carpenters are now busily engaged in putting on the roof. George Carter, who operates a mill west of town was in recently attending to business. Local friends are in receipt from Charles Twoby, of the news of his

marriage June 29, in San Francisco to Miss Margaret Alderson of that city. It is understood that Mr. and Mrs. Twoby will make their home here and Klamath Falls. The groom is manager of the Dorris Lumber and Box company.

SHANTA VIEW NEWS Mrs. C. M. Kirkpatrick, daughters Beth and Eliza and sons, Orville and George spent last of the week with relatives in Klamath Falls.

Roy Fogle, wife and daughter from near Pine Grove spent Saturday night at J. L. Bailey's and Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Bailey accompanied them to G. W. Myers for the day.

Among those who attended the oil gathering at Merrill from this immediate vicinity were the Wm. Layman, C. M. Kirkpatrick, H. E. Wilson, G. W. Parker and Oliver Martin families.

Clarence Hunt and family from near Klamath Falls visited Mr. Hunt's brother O. E. Hunt and family Saturday night and Sunday.

We understand the electric line will soon reach Adams Point and we trust eventually as far as Malin.

The Helping Hand ladies were entertained by Mrs. Jayne Parker Wednesday and will meet with Mrs. Smith at Malin, July 13th.

Harry Wilson and family started Thursday for a week's camping in some of the cool and shady nooks of this county and will attend the Bly celebration the 4th.

Garner City Now Has Population Of Close to 500

DORRIS, Cal., July 5.—Garner City, the new center of activities of the Weed Lumber Company's logging operations, is a complete little town with all necessary qualities, including a railroad, to entitle it to that distinction. Situated about seven miles east of Bray in the heavy, primeval pine timber that clothes the mountain slopes in that section, Garner City is ideally set from the standpoint of beauty.

The little town was built by the Weed Lumber company in the heart of their vast tract of timber and a standard gauge railroad was built from the Southern Pacific line near Bray to the scene of operations. Between 400 and 450 people live in the little forest city, plying their toll to the task of converting virgin pines into a product of civilization.

OIL MEN SPEAK OWN LANGUAGE

TULSA, Okla., July 5.—Oil men have a language all their own, as it were, for the oil industry, like others, has a number of more or less technical terms and phrases connected with it that are not generally understood outside the oil field districts.

For instance, "shooting a well" has an entirely different meaning from that applied in river navigation to the term "shooting the rapids." In the oil country the phrase means the lowering into the well of several dozen quarts of nitroglycerine and allowing it to explode in the bottom of the well in the oil sand.

Oil wells are drilled much like artesian water wells. A "rig" or tall pyramid framework, is erected over the spot where the well is to be drilled. At various stages during the sinking of the well it is cased in by steel pipe, the joints of which are screwed together, making a continuous pipe. This serves to keep out water and to keep the well from caving.

As the well is bored deeper, the size of the casing is reduced in order to keep putting it down inside of that already in place. Two or three changes, or possibly four, are all that are usually made in reducing the size of the casing.

If no oil is found the well is termed a "dry hole." If gas is found, it is a "gasser." A producing well is named according to the number of barrels of oil it produces in 24 hours, as a 50-barrel or a 500 barrel well.

Oil as it comes from the ground is called "crude oil." It is carried to the refining plants in pipe-lines, iron pipes ranging all the way from 3 to 10 or 12 inches in diameter, or in railway tank cars. There it goes thru the refining process.

Almost all oil men lease the land on which they drill, paying "royalties", from one-eighth to one-sixteenth of the value of the oil produced going to the owner of the land. A "location" is a piece of land on which a well is drilled. It varies from 300 to 500 feet square. Thus in a field that is closely drilled, each well will have wells on four sides of it between 300 and 500 feet away. These wells are known as "offsets."

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W. E. BURRISS, Clerk Merrill, Ore.

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