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SOME WORK FOR THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

There is work at hand for the Chamber of Commerce. Elsewhere in this issue will be found a more detailed description of the alternative routes to reach Klamath Falls as proposed by the Oregon Trunk. It will appear, even to a novice, that the best route, from the standpoint of county development, is the one down Sprague river to Bonanza, Olene and on to this city. It will tap greater areas of timber; it will tap a portion of the reservation now without transportation and unlikely to have any for years; it will bring into close rail accommodation the great Langell valley, now on the threshold of wonderful development and it will furnish rail transportation to Poe Valley. Klamath county should have the east side line and every agency that can bring any influence to accomplish such a result should get back of a movement to that end.

This would furnish to the Chamber of Commerce an avenue of proof to the farmers of that section, as well as the rest of the county, that it really has the interest of the county at heart. There is no disguising the fact that there is a well-grounded suspicion throughout the county that the declarations of the Chamber about its interest in the farmer and outside communities is not sincere. Many things have arisen to justify that suspicion. But here is a chance for the Chamber to go on record—not perfunctorily, but wholeheartedly and with an enthusiasm that will insure the success of the movement.

The application for permission to construct this line will be filed with the Interstate Commerce commission today. There is no time to lose. This thing should be started at once and representative citizens in the various communities should be communicated with and asked to inaugurate a similar movement and any resolutions that may be passed should be wired to Washington at once. Klamath county MUST have the east side line and it is looking to the Chamber of Commerce to lead the movement that will insure its construction.

Will the Chamber do its duty?

THE SECRET IS OUT

The request of the Strahorn line for permission to build a fifteen mile branch line from mile post 43, in a westerly direction, has been somewhat of a puzzle to many people in this city. If it were just to serve as a lumber or other development operation, such a request would be unnecessary, but it has been surmised that back of the request was some motive that the public was not acquainted with. The reason is now quite plain, after the announcement of the two routes selected by the Oregon Trunk.

That fifteen mile branch was proposed for the purpose of blocking the construction of the Oregon Trunk line down the east side of the county. It starts at Sprague river, running west towards Williamson river, and effectively blocks the most feasible route the Oregon Trunk line would traverse to reach this city via Sprague river, Bonanza and Olene.

When Strahorn came to this city and succeeded in inducing the people of Klamath Falls to vote him \$300,000, it was on the impression that his line was to be an aid towards bringing railroads into this city and not blocking them. His line was to connect up and lead to this city four transcontinental lines; it was to go to Lakeview; to Burns; to Bend; and later to Flanigan, through Surprise valley.

According to the application to the Interstate Commerce commission it will only touch Lakeview. He will not grant common user privileges over the line, if he can prevent it. In other words, it will be used only for one purpose—to hamper the entrance of the Oregon Trunk into this territory.

If it develops that the O. C. & E. is under the control of the Southern Pacific, no stone should be left unturned to force the return of the \$300,000 bonus voted by this city. In addition, the contributors to the fund for the purchase of the terminal site should demand the sale of the property and the repayment of their donations.

It looks as if Klamath Falls has been double-crossed, and if future developments should prove this to be true, then the money it has paid out should be recovered, no matter the cost.

HOCH, DER PRESIDENT



At a recent meeting of the Kiwans club, R. C. Groesbeck, local attorney for the Strahorn interests, asked what assurance the Northern lines had given Klamath Falls that they intended to build into this city. The answer to that question is to be found in the news columns of this paper yesterday and today. The Oregon Trunk is coming to Klamath Falls and the people are not going to stand for any monkey business on the part of anyone looking towards interfering with its easy entrance to this city.

The famous stage play, "Cornered," which had a two-year run in New York, has been translated to the silver sheet and will be presented at the Pine Tree theatre tonight.

The dual role which caused such a sensation among theatregoers will be played by Marie Prevost, who is surrounded by a brilliant cast including Joan Roche, Rockcliffe, Fel-lows, Raymond Hatton and Cissy Fitzgerald.

The story deals with the resemblance of an heiress to Mary Brennan, a girl of the slums. This fact is discovered by Mary's pals, who make plans for her to establish herself in the household of the heiress as the mistress of the house.

Can you imagine the situation when the real heiress returns unexpectedly? One of the girls is a thief, but which one it is nobody knows. The story comes to a dramatic climax when it is learned that both girls are twin sisters.

There is plenty of action, plenty of romance, and clever acting.

EXPLORER FINDS BOOKS OF UNKNOWN LANGUAGE

HARBIN, May 6.—The site of the ancient city of Harahoto, once capital of the kingdom of Tangut, is reported to have been discovered by P. K. Kosloff, a Russian explorer. He recently has returned from a two years' stay in the heart of Mongolia, bringing with him, it is said, quantities of treasures of interest to scientists.

A library of 2,500 volumes in seven languages and some 350 pictures are said to have been recovered from the ruins of the long lost city, covered for centuries by the sands of the Gobi desert.

Some of the books reported to have been found are in a language hitherto unknown to philologists, but the explorer had the good fortune to find a dictionary of the language which should greatly facilitate the translation of the books.

In addition many objects of art in gold and bronze and some artistic tapestries were said to have been found. The collection has been sent to the Leningrad Academy of Fine Arts.

TOM SIMS SAYS

Tobacco smoke kills germs. Kitchens are full of germs. Just the same, maybe girls shouldn't smoke.

No man is worthless, but some are worth less than others.

All's fair in love and war and they are alike in other ways.

It takes a couple to mend a broken engagement.

They say there are more women than men in an Italian town, but it may be the men stay home more.

Fall in love with yourself and there won't be any competition.

In Chicago a man with \$300,000 in his pocket jumped into the river, but things are very high in Chicago.

A real live wolf got shot in a Wisconsin town, but we don't know whose door he was hanging around.

AT THE LIBERTY

Have girls the same right to flirt as men? Shall women boldly tell men of their love? Should a woman propose marriage to a man?

And if not, why not? What is the basis of all the reticence on the part of the gentler sex? They do not hesitate to turn a man down coldly when they do not want him. Why then, shouldn't they make an open declaration to a man they do want?

Of course some immortal heroines haven't hesitated in this regard, but even with their example and with the examples of a growing number of modern women, the rank and file of girls and young women still play the same old game of putting it up to the man.

Perhaps this is all traceable to the days of the more or less well-known caveman. The caveman certainly did not like to be talked to. It is a matter of Biblical history that, beginning thousands of years

ago, fathers took their sons aside and advised them to beware of her who lay in wait with honeyed words and perfumed with pyrrh. The "Second Youth" is at the Liberty tonight.

AT THE PINE TREE

A most unusual act is featured in the vaudeville at the Pine Tree tonight and Thursday. This is Signor Bertholdi and his birds in "A Feathered Carnival" and will be a real surprise to Klamath Falls. Louis Abadie, "International Violinist" also deserves special mention. Russell & Ford, the "Dark-town Strutters" in typical eon dancing, are very amusing, and add a great deal to the evening's fun. Two other dancing acts, which also include comedy singing, are Allen and Dale and the Kuhn Sisters. In their inimitable "Bits of Vaudeville." Taken altogether, it is a most enjoyable bill. With it is an unusual feature picture, "Cornered," starring Marie Prevost.

Stewart's Washington Letter

BY CHARLES P. STEWART
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WASHINGTON — 'Tis spring and the cows are beginning to eat garlic. The Agriculture Department is experimenting with ways to take the taste and smell of it out of milk and butter. "Garlic," comments the public health service, "is a wholesome vegetable." "Yes," admits the Agricultural Department, "but so many people object to dairy products flavored with it."

Meanwhile Washington milk retailers employ official sniffers to sniff at each bottle of milk before



putting it on the market. If garlicky, back it goes to the farmer. Otherwise it would be left on the dealers' hands, for consumers won't have it at any price.

"THANK God," they're whispering among themselves at the State Department, "it was an English shipmaster, not an American, whose vessel 'stood by' while all 38 of the crew of the Japanese cargo boat Reifuku drowned in the North Atlantic." Officials are chary of saying anything about that might be construed as unfavorably critical of Captain John Roberts of the Homeric. But there's no mistaking the way they feel.

"They're only Japs—let 'em drown!"

"That's how Japan would have read the mind of an American commander who had had such a story, as Captain Roberts' to it."

At all events, the State Department thinks so. Things of that kind count in international relationships.

It would look so much better if Captain Roberts had but a single rescue to his credit, in evidence of a resolute effort. Or if he could report having cruised for an hour over the lost ship's grave, looking for survivors, though at the risk of scratching his paint or even smashing a propeller blade on the wreckage. I've seen a captain delay a 1,000-ton vessel four or five hours, twice seven minutes trying to save a dog lost overboard.

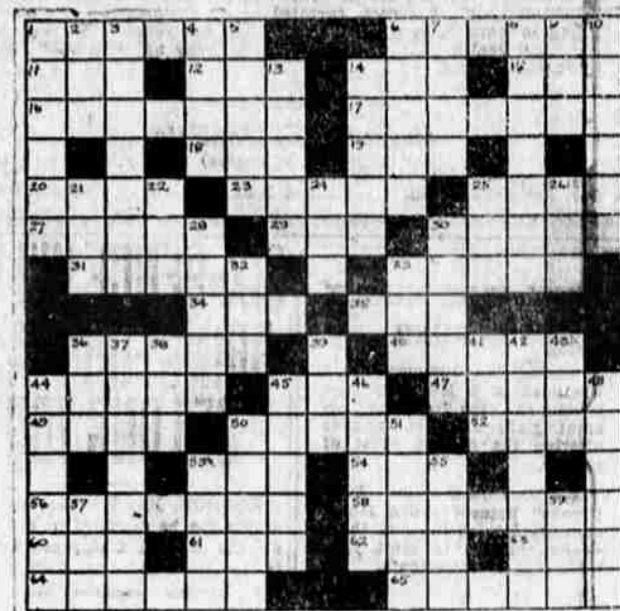
THE Pan American Union is getting stacks of queries from people who, if South America is going to develop during the next 50 years as the United States has developed during the last 50, which is what General Pershing predicts, wants to get in on it.



General Pershing, like most tourists who spend a couple of weeks finding out all about the southern republics, missed a few items of information.

South of the Tropic of Capricorn there really is a vast area of fine uncultivated farm land, but the laws discourage its settlement. Further north the laws are more liberal but such of the country is equatorial jungle, so thick that it has to be tunneled, rather than cut, through. And as fast as cleared, it grows up again. South America will develop, but nothing as fast as this country.

TODAY'S CROSS WORD PUZZLE



HORIZONTAL

- Paleness.
- To rave.
- Blackbird (cuckoo family).
- Steel block containing pattern for forging.
- To cut timber.
- Rock containing meat.
- Redeems from captivity.
- Shiverings.
- To soak flax.
- Carmine.
- Nights.
- Settees.
- Medicine in small ball.
- Eats according to prescribed rules.
- Common poultry disease.
- Principle.
- Sanctuaries.
- Treatment.
- Frozen dessert.
- King part of a seed.
- To sow.
- To construct.
- Twisted (as clothes).
- Value of bond at time of issue.
- To clean with a broom.
- Piece of iron in a millstone.
- Equipped for war.
- Sea Eagle.
- Beer.
- Skill.
- Bears witness.
- Body.
- Digit of the foot.
- Aurora.
- To hasten.
- Constellation sometimes called Lion.
- Thermometers with compound bulb (unkeyed letter r).
- To be diminished.

VERTICAL

- Separated.
- Collection of facts.
- Flashed.
- Smell.
- Makes verses.

6. Feared.

- Articles of merchandise.
- Feared.
- Condemning.
- To sin.
- Conclusion.
- To impede.
- Leather strip.
- By way of.
- Inflamed bull on eye.
- Part of fish used in swimming.
- Vegetable growing in pot.
- Sheltered.
- Prick of a bee.
- Emperors.
- To perform.
- Rubber tree.
- To open by leverage.
- Crescent shaped.
- Common conjunction.
- Thigh of a hog.
- Female sheep.
- Grain used for food (pl.)
- Seven plus three.
- A garland.
- To iron.
- To stretch.
- A human being.
- Contracted.
- Hook used in trolling.
- Towards the sea.
- Largest plant.
- Plaything.
- To observe.

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION



An airship without a rudder landed in Belleville, Ill., without even one person mistaking it for a congressman.

Shipbuilding concern is being sued for 11 millions, which is enough money to spend at a summer resort hotel.

If you are planning a trip to New York, now is the time to go, before they build another subway.

May flowers bring June bills. Many an amateur gardener hasn't even grown disgusted yet.

There is talk of Jackie Coogan's retiring to go to school instead of to take up golf.

Where life is too intense, it is too soon in the past tense.

Most people expect something for nothing, which is why many people expect medicine to keep them well.

Choose your mattress as carefully as your beauty parlor!!

PERFECT sleep is the only remedy that will replace the nervous energy which you are constantly draining.

An Edlow-Spring mattress gives a perfect sleeping surface. It will not sag, stretch or lose its resiliency.

The secret is the Edlow-Spring construction, a series of flexible, piano-wire springs built between layer after layer of snow-white, felted, staple cotton and interlaced curled hair.

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