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The New Cancer Treatment

IN view of the publicity given the Coffey-Humber cancer treatment, the following article on "cures" is of unusual interest. The article was written by a California physician and is submitted by the United States Public Health Service. It is an unbiased opinion and is given as a warning to those who might be misguided by the reports on the discovery, the tendency being to accept as a cure that which up to the present is still in the experimental stage.

"About once a month the daily press announces the discovery of an alleged new treatment or 'cure' for cancer, frequently exaggerating the importance of the results of scientific investigation and raising false hopes on the part of those afflicted with the disease.

"Such an announcement has recently been broadcast by newspapers throughout the United States regarding a report made by Doctor Walter B. Coffey and Dr. John D. Humber of San Francisco to the San Francisco County Pathological Society last month in which they stated that certain changes in cancer tissue has been obtained by the injection of a substance extracted from the suprarenal gland of a sheep.

"During recent years many investigators have reported that the injection of various substances has produced changes in cancer tissue. Such substances have included preparations of lead, gold and other metals, vaccines, and various proteins. The results of these forms of treatment, in general, have been quite disappointing and, in some cases, even disastrous. None of them has, as yet, justified any claim of a cure for cancer or has been generally accepted as a satisfactory method of treatment.

In their attempt to find a solution to the baffling problem of cancer control, Doctors Coffey and Humber have made an interesting discovery; of which the practical value is yet to be determined. Their frank presentation of facts to the medical profession conforms to the highest standards of medical ethics. Commenting upon their work, Doctors Coffey and Humber made the following statement in a recent issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association:

"This work to date has been purely of an experimental nature to determine the effect of malignant tumors. Softening with liquefaction has occurred in all tumors thus far studied. These tumors, except one, were carcinoma of different types; the exception is a recurrent spindle cell sarcoma, with extensive metastases. Because of these results, a broad plan of study has been outlined with a determination to discover as soon as possible the value, if any, of this extract in cancer. Until such time as additional data become available, we wish to impress on the medical profession the fact that the work to date, although quite promising, is still in the experimental stage and therefore decidedly inconclusive."

"The fact remains, therefore, that the only generally approved methods of treatment for cancer justified by present experience are surgery, radium, and X-rays in the hands of skilled physicians."

EDITORIALS

FROM OVER THE NATION

ACCORDING TO HER PRINCIPLES

Detroit News: Flora—It's rumored that you're engaged to Mr. Allfront. Are you marrying him for his money?

Fauna—There's nothing in the rumor. I shall never marry—especially a man I don't love—unless he has a lot more money than Mr. Allfront.

DEMAND RIGHT TO BE HANGED

New York Times: England prides herself on the impartiality of her justice. The same brand is meted out to rich and poor, high and low.

But now in England a movement to exempt women from the death penalty has been headed by Dr. Methuen, governor of the Maidstone prison. If it were successful, even the most flagrant murder committed by a woman would not be punished by hanging.

Curiously, many British women are strongly against it. They demand sex equality, even on the gallows. The Women's Freedom league calls such a measure sex discrimination, and protests vehemently against it. The secretary is quoted as saying: "I am strongly opposed to capital punishment, but I am against women being exempt from the death penalty while men are not exempt."

Obviously, these women are not eager themselves to dance upon the air. And there is no fanatic zeal to see an erring sister punished by hanging. But an exemption of this sort would put a weapon in the hands of anti-feminists. If

women are not to suffer the punishments of men, why should they share the privileges? After all, women murderers are rare in England. Why benefit them to the detriment of the vast majority of their sex? The right to be hanged is only one of many more pleasant privileges which the women of England are demanding.

AN OMINOUS SIGN IN GERMANY

Kansas City Star: "There arises a little cloud out of the sea, like a man's hand." The portent in the case at hand arises from across the sea. A short time ago the public economics committee of the German reichstag voted favorably on a proposal to stop the sale of alcohol on certain days of the week, such as pay days and others. More recently the same committee, which has twenty-six members, has endorsed a resolution which would forbid the advertising of alcoholic beverages in all public conveyances, places or buildings. The reichstag as a whole will have a final word as to disposition of these measures. But it is significant that they should be coming up and receiving attention. It indicates that booze is becoming suspect even in Germany.

MR. AND MRS. CINDERELLA Time: In a tiny Scotch cottage among very common neighbors, live Mr. and Mrs. James Brown, he a coal miner until his grumpy neighbors in their might sent him to parliament. In 1924 the king-emperor could think of nobody better than Mr. Brown to send as lord high com-

Timely Quotations From People in the Public Eye

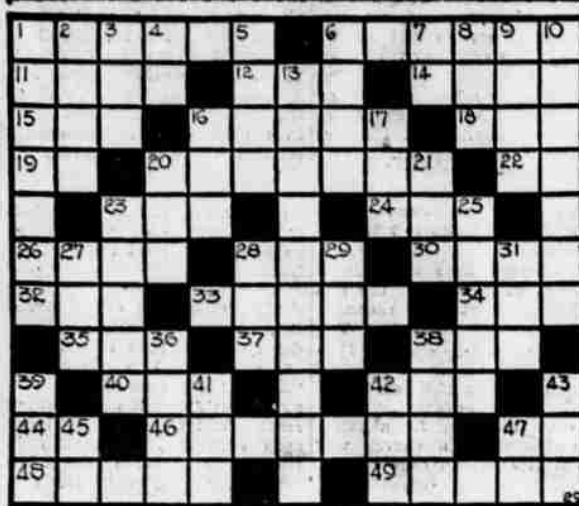
"In my humble opinion, prohibition can never be enforced until everyone is converted to it."
—Ida M. Tarbell.

"I believe the acting of today is not only equal but decidedly superior to that of the so-called old school."
—De Wolf Hooper.

"Woman apparently is doing everything possible to destroy in herself those qualities which render her beautiful; namely, modesty, purity and chastity."
—Pope Pius XI.

"I have never known a husband to wear longer than six months."
—Peggy Hopkins Joyce.

Geographic Questions



HORIZONTAL 34 By way of. 40 To entice. 7 Sun god. 1 Of what country was Marie Antoinette queen? 42 Tree. 44 Dye. 46 Upbraided. 47 Dad. 48 To squander. 11 To wash. 12 One in cards. 13 Native metal. 16 To chatter. 18 Lion. 19 Scale note. 20 Chivalrous. 22 Doctor. 23 Merriment. 24 Noise. 26 To mend. 28 Aster. 30 Fairy. 32 Verb. 33 Sweeper's tool.

VERTICAL 1 Everglade State. 2 Uncommon. 3 Farewell. 4 Northeast. 5 Title. 6 "B" in the Greek alphabet. 7 Sun god. 8 Cajun. 9 To require. 10 Where is Atlanta? 13 Where is Sacramento? 16 Skillet. 17 Plumb. 20 Revolver. 21 Point. 22 Caprice. 25 At no time. 27 Skill. 28 Part of a circle. 29 Plaything. 31 Border. 36 Sancy. 38 Pelt. 39 Uncooked. 41 Born. 42 Grazed. 43 Jolly. 45 Minor note. 47 Italian river.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER
LABOR SOLAR
REPUTE MUTTON
UNITE POISE
RED STAGE NEI
B E R E
EKK LAMED PAL
ROUSE BROSE
SALIVA SPARKS
METER POKES
RELEGATES

missioner and direct representative of his majesty to the assembly of the Church of Scotland.

In a great, clattering coach Mr. and Mrs. Cinderella rode to Holyrood palace, larded it over dukes and earls for ten splendidous days, ate and drank with homely dignity things they had never dreamed existed, and then went back to their cottage literally among the cinders. Soon afterward the labor government fell, and it looked as though Cinderella times were over for Mrs. Brown and "Jemie."

The lord high commissioner to the Church of Scotland last year was his royal highness, the duke of York.

But now labor is in again. Last week the king-emperor said to Mr. and Mrs. Brown in effect: "Here are some more glass slippers for you. Once again you shall be Mr. and Mrs. Cinderella!"

In aristocratic Edinburgh the news that "Jemie" will be sent this spring as lord high commissioner to the Church of Scotland caused rich old ladies to implore their Maker. They will have to address frumpy Mrs. Brown as "Your Grace."

MR. EDISON AS A TONIC

Toledo Blade: Frankness is the outstanding characteristic of all of Thomas A. Edison's interviews. That means they are refreshing. Mr. Edison does not hide his light under a bushel. (Not to be mistaken for a pun.) He expresses

opinions as a man of experience and years is privileged to express views.

What other man who has done much would join Mr. Edison in saying that the average human being uses scarcely any of his brain, that it is idle for the most part? Or that people are just beginning to learn how to take care of themselves and are just commencing to suspect how to live? These are rather daring statements, in view of the criticisms that are offered against the behavior of moderns. The great inventor's independence of thought is stimulating.

Waldorf Reopens Pool Hall Today

After being closed for several days for alterations and repairs and for redecorating and remodeling, the Waldorf pool hall opened this morning ready for business in a greatly improved store.

At a high cost to the owners of the Waldorf, Ellis and Jonnis, a modern lunch counter serving barbecue meats, with R. S. Tillman as chef is a feature of the new store which is a modern billiard and pool room.

DAILY LETTER ON AFFAIRS AT U. S. CAPITAL

Senator Reed Smoot Is Still Plugging Away to Make Customs Inspectors Censors of "Obscene" Books—but Opposition in the Senate Is Beginning to Crystallize.

BY RODNEY DUTCHER

NEA Service Writer
WASHINGTON, March 29.—Around last Christmas Senator Reed Smoot of Utah, the chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, let it be known that he was reading many allegedly obscene books confiscated by the customs service and that he would seek to retain for the customs officers their previous right of censoring literature brought to this country from abroad.

That was quite a while ago and in the meantime hundreds of educators, clergymen, authors, editors, librarians, scientists and other persons have been able to get together and raise their voices against the proposal to allow the customs to ban books which its employees deemed improper or seditious.

Lots of Opposition
The result is that when, in the closing phases of consideration of the tariff bill, Smoot gets around to the censorship provision he must fly in the face of an unusually formidable array of intellect.

Some callers have been trying to call him off, especially hinting that everyone will be laughing at him if he insists on demanding a secret session so that he may read the more offensive passages in the banned books aloud to the Senate. But Smoot seems prepared to go through. He and Senator Bronson Cutting of New Mexico, leader of the anti-censorship fight, each claim promises of vote switches from the previous vote when the obscenity censorship provision was knocked from the tariff bill.

Both the National Popular Government League and the People's Legislative Service went to work opposing Smoot and supporting Cutting. The league rounded up more than five hundred signatures from intellectuals, mostly on college and university faculties, protesting Smoot's stand. The service compiled quotations from prominent divines, editors, college presidents and professors to the same effect and made public many excerpts from speeches of Brigham Young (Smoot is an apostle of the Mormon Church) which might be considered obscene, blasphemous or seditious.

Among the originators and signers of the petition presented by Cutting were Professors Charles A. Beard and John Dewey of Columbia and Zechariah Chafee and Roscoe Pound of Harvard. Father John A. Ryan and William Allen White, Congress also found among the learned signers David Starr Jordan, Edgar Lee Masters, President Herbert J. Burghardt and 37 faculty members of Cornell College in Iowa, five justices of the Kansas supreme court, 13 faculty members of St. John's College in Maryland, President Ada Comstock of Radcliffe College, 47 faculty members of the University of Michigan, 20 members of the Michigan State Normal faculty, President Ernest Hopkins of Dartmouth, Rex Beach, Heywood Brown, Bishop Francis J. McConnell of the Methodist church, 38 faculty members of North Dakota State College, President William B. E. of Oklahoma University, President Arnold B. Hall of Oregon, President E. W. Hunt of Bucknell, President Charles E. Beury and the whole faculty of Temple University in Philadelphia—numbering 45, President Glenn Frank of Wisconsin, President Irving Maurer of Beloit College and a host of pro-

fessors representing most of the leading educational institutions.

A Few Quotations
Excerpts from the Legislative Service's quotations on customs censorship, introduced by Senator Wheeler, include:

Bishop McConnell: "No more inappropriate and inadequate dealings with censorship could be conceived."

Rev. Henry Sloane Coffin of New York: "It would be a most unwise curtailment of liberty of the press. Let the courts decide what is obscene or seditious."

President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia University: "How even a single senator could dare vote for such a thing is beyond my belief."

Statement representing 300 or 400 members of the Yale faculty: "It would be highly inimical to the interests of scholarship and learning."

William Allen Whittier: "No form of censorship would be quite so bad as that proposed by Senator Smoot, which would make baggage inspectors on the dock censors of our foreign literature."

H. W. Poole Turns Appointment Down

An appointment to the Oregon state game commission was declined last evening by H. W. Poole, Klamath theatre owner, following a request from Governor A. W. Norblad that he fill a vacancy which now exists in the commission.

Poole's name was endorsed by the Klamath Sportsmen's association, since he is an ardent sportsman.

Following is the telegram sent to the governor, and a statement which Mr. Poole gave the press after declining the office:

"Pressure of personal business makes it impossible to accept game commission appointment at this time. Thanks for your consideration. Will be glad to consider appointment at a later date."

"H. W. POOLE."

"After giving the matter deep consideration I feel that it is impossible for me to take the appointment at this time owing to pressure of my own business. I also hardly believe it fair to the sportsmen of western Oregon to expect an appointment here at this time, as we already have two men east of the mountains now, Mike Lynch of Redmond and L. A. Wright of Union. With over 75 per cent of the population living west of the mountains, it is hardly fair to ask for three over here out of the five commissioners."

"At a later date I would be very glad to consider the appointment as game commissioner from this district, as I believe this section is much entitled to representation and I believe this condition will be brought about. I want to thank all of the men and various organizations who so ably endorsed me for this position but after careful thought I feel I cannot accept at this time," he stated.

Dance Attended by Crowd Last Night

A large and cheering crowd attended the dance last night at the Allmont dance hall when the Klamath Automobile Dealers association presented the gifts to the girls in the beauty contest and when the winners of the contest were announced.

Miss Vernice Radtke of Chilloguin was selected by three judges as queen of the 1931 Klamath Auto show and Miss Hazel Young was chosen as alternate and was given the title of "Miss Popularity."

Duke O'Neal introduced the contestants and presented the gifts to the girls.

Baldy Evans and his Pelican Troubadours furnished the music for the dance.

Banner-tail, the kangaroo rat, is the champion high jumper among all rodents.

EIGHTEEN YEARS AGO IN KLAMATH

The coroner's jury which investigated the death of the two men who lost their lives in the burning of the lodging house of Mrs. Remington early Friday morning, finished their work this morning and brought in the following verdict:

We the jury empaneled and sworn to inquire into the cause of the death of said Mike Peterson and George Kotetos, find: That the said Mike Peterson and George Kotetos came to their deaths on the morning of March 29, 1912.

That the immediate cause of their deaths was from suffocation and burning.

That in our opinion the fire was caused by the kitchen stove in said building.

That the lodging house was not properly equipped with exits and we recommend that the condition of all hotels and lodging houses similarly situated be investigated and that some means be taken and some measures adopted to prevent similar casualties in the future.

"Judging from the temper of the people," said a prominent public official to the Herald in discussing the case of the state vs. George McLane charged with grand larceny by horse stealing. "It will not be long before that will be restored to a coroner who will be needed."

And then the same gentleman went on to tell that complaints have been made that cattle rustling had been going on for twenty-four months in the Hornanza and Langell Valley country, that horses had been stolen not within weeks, but over night, and that Lynch law methods were imminent.

The defendant, George W. McLane, who was recently arrested from that section on a charge of horse stealing, is held under a \$2000 bond and is at present confined in the county jail in this city.

Prosecuting Attorney D. V. Kaykendall returned last evening from Salem, where he went on legal business. While away he spent a few days at his old home in Eugene.

Court of Honor Is Held Friday Eve

Seventy awards to 30 Boy Scouts were presented last night at the court of honor at the city library auditorium before an audience of nearly 100. Rev. Joseph Ewing was speaker of the evening, being introduced by R. C. Grossbeck, who presided over the court.

In his talk, Rev. Ewing pointed out that the awarding of merit badges makes the boys really feel their achievements, and that the scout program encourages the boys to keep busy as scouting challenges the best that is in them. He mentioned the book, "Epic of Mt. Everest," and told how the men picked for the conquest of the mountain were the finest of body and spirit in order to conquer the elements, and he

felt that boys taking advantage of all offered by scouting would be so developed.

A number of experiences during his 15 years as a scoutmaster were told by Rev. A. O. Broyles.

Cahill Hearing Is Set For April 2nd

Winfield Cahill, who is accused of shooting Billie Huff, Chilloguin fighter, last Sunday in a pool hall in the reservation city, has asked for an extension of time before making a plea in justice court, which was granted.

Cahill was scheduled to appear in court Friday afternoon, but Stanley Jones, his attorney, asked that the hearing be postponed several days. It has been set for Wednesday afternoon, April 2, at 3 o'clock.



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