

"Let us have faith that right makes might, and in that faith let us to the end dare to do our duty as we understand it."—Abraham Lincoln.

### A Voice in the Dark

Why! If It Don't Sound Like Old Nick Carter, Himself!

The News trusts that its evening contemporary, armed with that congenial tolerance and broad-mindedness for which its astute editor is noted—The News trusts that the Herald will pardon it the covert smile precipitated by a glance at its editorial page of last evening.

Couched in phraseology reminiscent of the Diamond Dick period of literature, the evening paper speaks of a newspaper in Klamath Falls which "pollutes the public conscience," and "poisons the public mind," and—heaven help it!—plans a campaign of "assassination."

The News, ever modest, nevertheless assumes that it simply must be this newspaper to which the Herald referred. Bear with us, if you will be so kind, while we quote further: "Paid tools of the corporations . . . paid mouthpiece of the corporations . . . servants of this corporation . . . villification and abuse of the chief executive."

Correct us, please, if we didn't see such colorful phrases, long years ago, when we were avidly perusing a paper-backed copy of "The Black-Haired Villian, or How Honest Edward Won His Reward." But no. Surely the evening paper could not be guilty of plagiarism. We absolve it and insist that our memories must be at fault.

The News also stands indicted and, no doubt, convicted, of unjustly attacking Mayor Goddard because the News has pointed out that the city engineer is not qualified—by law—to serve in the office to which he was appointed by Mr. Goddard. If that be treason, make the most of it. The News, however, would explain that it has no quarrel with Mr. Henry, but it does hold that in such a position should be qualified by standards set up by the state board. Strangely enough, the evening paper, always fair in its position, doesn't mention the legal angle of the Henry affair.

The News, which hopes it has a sense of humor, thoroughly enjoyed the delightful effervescence, the amusing persiflage with which the Herald editorial was replete. Could we but possess ourselves of the necessary talent, the News, too, would conduct a humorous column on its editorial page.

### Misdirected Passion and Prejudice

It Won't Get By Here With Progress and Development

Misdirected passion and prejudice can play no part in the development of a community.

A newspaper is generally regarded as the spokesman for the community in which it is published, reflecting the views and characters of its people.

The News does not believe that any newspaper operated on a policy of passion and prejudice can long endure. Despite continued misrepresentation and violent attacks, despite reiteration of false and misleading statements, the real facts eventually will become known. We have faith in the common sense and sound judgment of the people here.

With malice toward none and with good will toward all, the News is working and will always work toward the development of this vast, productive, new country. From a practical business standpoint we believe that is good policy, and that we will benefit together with others in the community.

The hundreds of Klamath baseball fans who have been preparing to go down to Weed armed with machine guns as a matter of self protection may desist. Word coming from Weed, is to the effect that Weed has had a change of heart toward Klamath fans. Why not? We never did nuthin'.

If his nose is affixed to a grindstone, you never hear him complain that his wife doesn't understand him.

Nature is progressive. By the time a man develops wisdom enough to be cautious she takes him out of the way.

Educational system: Spending four months to master a book he could master in a week—if he would.

### Unload or Sink



### Sunny Dick Says

Mayor Appoints a City Engineer With No State License—Land of bumps! Now we can expect all our new paving will look like a roller-coaster

\$20,000 Branch of Standard Oil Company Given Klamath—Oh, boy! How would you like to have the whole tree?

Both Praise and Opposition Given to Dimming Law—The dimming law has always been all right, only there were so many to whom it wasn't clear.

Only Manslaughter to Be Charged Against Laudeco—Well, if he gets away with that because he was drunk it will only be necessary for murderers to decide whether they were drunk or crazy.

Klamath News Special Choo Choo Is Gaining Customers to Weed—A drama in three acts: Choo choo. Coo coo. Choo choo.

Four Are Injured in Pelican Bay Mill Accident—Consider the poor mill owners. Their state workmen's compensation rate may be raised.

Burning Peat Bed Is Threatening Rich Pine Belt on the Skillet Handle on Upper Klamath Lake—An old bed, and old belt, and an old fry pan. Sounds to me like something the prehistoric cliff dwellers or mound builders left behind.

Sheiks Routed Out of Dance Hall and Made to Battle Forest Fire Near Pasadena, California—If this happens very often shiekling will quickly become one of the lost arts.

Prosecution in Young Case Flops When Autopsy Surgeon States Death of Wealthy Wife May Have Been From Suicide—"To him who hath shall be given." He's got the coin, he'll get his freedom.

Four Daylight Bandits Get \$500,000 Jewel Haul—Whether from big corporations or small, the property owner gets it in the neck.

Crooked Los Angeles Councilmen Caught With Marked Cash—Judging by councilmen's salaries could they have been caught with any other kind?

Photograph of Coolidge's New Appointment as Governor of the Virgin Islands—Is he flapper proof?

### Children's Pictorial Cross Word Puzzle



Running Across.  
Word 1. What the man in the picture is called.  
Word 4. To watch secretly.  
Word 6. Part of the foot.  
Word 7. A California city near San Francisco.  
Word 9. The nickname of a famous Civil war president.  
Word 10. A delicacy made chiefly of egg and milk.  
Running Down.  
Word 1. The name of an ocean.  
Word 2. The letters of a language arranged in their proper order.  
Word 3. A road for heavy steam transportation.  
Word 5. Biblical form of "you."  
Word 8. Another name for father.

### YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE ANSWERED.



### Dinner Stories

A little girl had been listening to rumors about her father. One day she asked him: "How long do people live?"

"Our allotted span," replied her father, "is seventy years."

"Then you'll live to be 140 won't you?"

"Why, no, of course not. What do you mean?"

"Isn't it true, then," said the little girl, "what everybody says about your living a double life?"

Mr. and Mrs. Jones were discussing married happiness.

"You know my friend, Jenkins, don't you, dear?" said Mr. Jones, "after a while."

"Yes, dear."

"Well, that man has the most happy ideas about marriage."

"Really?"

"Yes; he believes that man and wife should always be in full harmony; that they should have no thought in the world but true domestic happiness."

"Splendid; and, of course, Mrs. Jenkins agrees with him?"

"Not so fast, my dear; Jenkins isn't married."

Said ex-Premier Georges Clemenceau when Colonel Edward M. House visited him at his house in Paris: "It is very kind of you to visit the dead man."

"Tut, tut," said Colonel House, "you are a long way from being dead; you are one of the greatest living men."

He went on to recall the magnificent work which the "Tiger" had done in the war.

### Heart and Home

By MRS. ELIZABETH THOMPSON

Expectant Mother's "Horrible Dream"

Some sort of special punishment needs to be devised for husbands of the type portrayed in this letter:  
Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a married woman of 33. We have a dear little girl, three. The last three months have been one horrible dream to me. I know my husband is seeing another woman. He says we never did get along, and blames it on me. I think we have gotten along as well as the average couple. We have been married ten years, and I am about to become a mother again. He says this should never have happened. We have a farm and he promises me that we will go there one year from date, and he thinks it best for us to separate until that time as, he says, I am not contented here, and things will get worse instead of better as long as I am in this town. I will admit I am almost crazy. My trouble has all happened here. I can't get interested in anything, and am so nervous I don't know what to do. I do not want to separate for. I really love my husband and want my little family held together. I go to his mother for everything, and she takes my part and is good to me. Please tell me what to do. MRS. F.

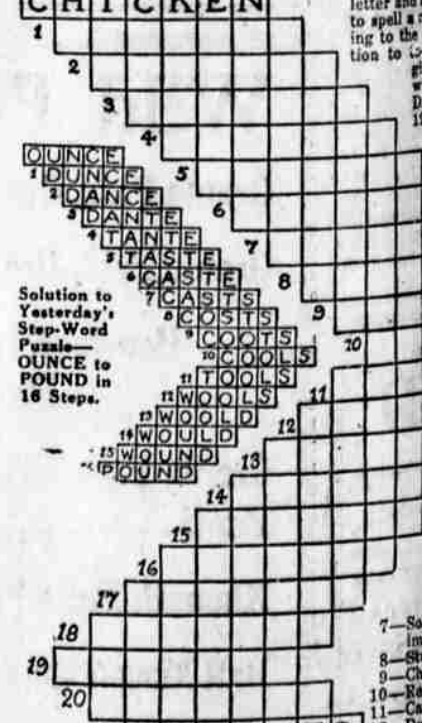
Your husband needs to have something to happen to him. To think of deserting you in this manner at this time! Resist any of his efforts to leave you, and keep his mother on your side. Do not be reluctant to use strong measures with him, because a man so cruelly selfish and devoid of parental responsibility deserves them.  
HIS RIGHT AS WELL AS HER'S  
Dear Mrs. Thompson: I love a young man very dearly and have gone with him steady for three years. Last year I went to college at the same place he did and we were together about twice a

### STEP-WORD PUZZLE

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By ARTHUR WYNNE, Originator of the Modern Cross-Word Puzzle.

Here's a puzzle calculated to tax your ingenuity and lary. Can you step from CHICKEN to ROASTER in 21 definitions below may possibly be of some assistance by the word to be inserted on each step down. The word in the puzzle is to differ in one letter only from the word on the step above it. You are to add one letter and subtract one letter to spell a new word. The definitions are given with a small number to indicate the step on which the word is to be inserted.



Solution to Yesterday's Step-Word Puzzle: OUNCE to POUND in 16 Steps.  
DEFINITIONS:  
1—To make dark or obscure  
2—More dense  
3—Immortalized by Rodin in stone  
4—Not so fat  
5—One who shines  
6—One who avoids  
7—Improving  
8—Shuffled  
9—Checked  
10—Restrained  
11—Cannibal  
12—Depleted  
13—Sharpened  
14—Connected  
15—Equipped with  
16—Elevated  
17—An apparatus for goods  
18—A leather case for the head  
19—A long pillow with the head  
20—One who begs