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ROYAL BAKING POWDER ABSOLUTELY PURE

YOUNG GIRL RUN DOWN BY BICYCLE

Stepped From Behind a State Street Car and Was Injured

What might have been a serious accident occurred at the corner of State and High streets this afternoon. Raymond Templeton was riding his bicycle at a moderate speed on State street, and, just as he passed a car, little Bertha Williamson, a small girl about seven years old, stepped out from the rear of the car and collided with her, throwing her to the ground,

and causing her nose to bleed quite severely. Bystanders rushed to her assistance, and she was taken to Zinn's candy store, where she soon revived. Accompanied by her younger sister, she was on her way to see relatives down town, and she proceeded on her journey, somewhat scratched, but not, apparently, suffering any severe injury. The boy could be blamed for the collision, as it was purely accidental.

Principal's Club.

The Marion County Principal's Club met at the office of State Supt. Ackerman at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Principals Newbill, of Independence, and Wiley, of Jefferson, were in attendance, as well as local members of the club, about 20 in all.

Hear Them.

The Mozart Symphony Club, of New house Monday night.

WALLA WALLA VICTIM OF BADGER GAME

Prominent and Wealthy Citizens Forced to Give Up Large Sums of Money Under Threat of Exposure

There is a bad state of morals at Walla Walla, and the Statesman says: Law-abiding people generally will agree that the "badger" game is being overworked in this town. Within two weeks two prominent and wealthy citizens have been forced to give up large sums of money by unprincipled men and women acting in collusion to place their victims in a compromising situation, and then threatening exposure if hush money were not forthcoming. The charges made against the victims should be taken by the public with due allowance for the motives of the operators of the game, who, of course, make the alleged conduct of their helpless victim as infamous and heinous as possible, in order to destroy all sympathy for them.

Many who have been guilty of robbery and blackmail by this badger game have openly flaunted their gold in the face of the public, and have looked upon themselves as heroes and by some of similar instincts have been upheld as clever artists in their line. In New York a few years ago one Moore and his wife were sentenced to seven years each in Sing Sing for extorting \$10,000 from a wealthy victim caught in a fashionable hotel. The woman was afterwards pardoned

through the influence of her father, who was an ex-governor of Oregon. The game was worked in Seattle a few years ago, with a like result. Thus it will be seen that in other communities the "badger" game is looked upon as a dangerous crime and is adequately punished. If the game is allowed to run unmolested it is far worse than open gambling, and it is no wonder that it is regarded by some men as more profitable than any tin-horn game. There is no telling how soon some innocent man may be caught in this way. It is true that virtuous men are scarce in this world, but there is a possibility that a few might be found in this city to save it from the fate of Sodom and Gomorrah.

If a bunko artist or a gold brick sharp comes to town he is placed under the surveillance of the police in short order, and given to understand that his room is better than his company. The same rule should apply to all workers of the badger game. In fact the couple who turned the first trick of this kind, about two weeks ago, had self-respect enough to leave town the next night. Others of the same sort should be encouraged to imitate their example.

RUSSIANS FALLING BACK

Were Repulsed Beyond the Yalu River

Russians Suffering from a Superstition That Is Favorable to the Japanese

Seoul, April 2.—The Japanese have allowed the bullock pack train, en route from Ping Yang to Amser, an American mining concession north of the Anju river, to proceed after considerable delay. The act is supposed to indicate that the Japanese success at Chong Ju on the 28th was so full as to allow them to make a considerable advance. Further that the Russians are falling back beyond the Yalu.

A Russian Superstition.

St. Petersburg, April 2.—Siberian papers report a legend to the effect that the Japanese possess a magnet, which, used in time of battle, draws the strength from their foes. This has profoundly impressed the Russian troops. The military authorities, to counteract this, called soldiers from the ranks, and had them hold a magnet to see if they felt any weakness. The soldiers are not convinced, stating the Japanese magnets are different.

SALEM JEFFERSON BANQUET

Arrangements have been completed for the Jeffersonian banquet, which is to be given at the Willamette hotel in this city on Monday evening, April 4. Dr. W. S. Mott, a former chairman of the Democratic central committee, will act as toastmaster, and toasts will be responded to by Governor George E. Chamberlain, P. H. D'Arcy, W. H. Holmes, John M. M. Gearin, Samuel White, William Galloway, M. A. Miller, Dr. Harry Lane, R. A. Miller and J. A. Jeffrey.

CHICAGO MARKET FIRMER

Chicago, April 2.—May wheat, 94½; old July 89½@89%; new, 88@87½; July corn 53½@53½.

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Easter Services.

DeMolay Commandry, Knights Templar, will hold a special Easter service at the Masonic hall tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Thompson, of Independence will conduct the services. All Masons, their families and friends are invited.

J. C. Johnson went up to his Turner farm today.

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The Episcopal Bazaar.

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7½-inch plates, per dozen	3.50
6½-inch plates, per dozen	3.00
5½-inch plates, per dozen	2.50
4½-inch fruits, per dozen	2.20
5½-inch mush bowls, per dozen	2.50
6½-inch ice relish, each	.45
8½-inch ice relish, each	.75
12-inch platter, each	.65
14-inch platter, each	1.00
16-inch platter, each	1.50
18-inch platter, each	2.65
12-inch round platter, each	1.00
13-inch round platter, each	1.25
Bread tray, each	1.00
Medium-size spoon tray, each	.55
Large-size spoon tray, each	.65
Cracker jar, each	1.00
Medium-size pickle, each	.55
Large-size pickle, each	.65
Broth bowl, each	1.00
Extra large coffee cups and saucers, per dozen	5.50
Coffee cups and saucers, per dozen	4.50
Tea cups and saucers, per dozen	3.75
A. D. cups and saucers, per dozen	3.25
Uncovered bullions, per dozen	5.00
Covered bullions, per dozen	7.50
8-inch cake plate, each	.65
9½-inch cake plate, each	.75
10-inch cake plate, each	.90
10½-inch cake plate, each	1.00
Covered sugar for three persons, each	.65
Covered sugar for nine persons, each	1.00
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Cream pitchers for nine persons, each	.65

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