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UNJUST TREATMENT OF PUBLIC MEN.

There is notoriously a disposition on the part of some newspapers to treat public men unfairly.

For instance, a Portland paper prints an anonymous criticism of Governor Chamberlain, CLAIMING IT WAS WRITTEN BY A MRS. SMITH.

She charges that Governor Chamberlain at Astoria was intoxicated, and had to be put on board of his train by his friends.
BUT WHAT DOES A CHARGE FROM AN ANONYMOUS "SHE" AMOUNT TO?
 It might have been written by the governor's worst political enemy.

What bravery of a newspaper to hide behind a woman's skirts to print an accusation AGAINST A MAN IT HAS ALWAYS TRIED TO DOWN POLITICALLY!

Then it follows this up Saturday with clippings from other papers that bit at the fake letter from Mrs. Smith.

THE CAPITAL JOURNAL MAKES NO APOLOGY FOR A PUBLIC OFFICIAL WHO DRINKS TO EXCESS

It believes the governor of a state owes it to the dignity of his office to uphold the highest moral standards.
 But when a newspaper brings such a charge against a man LET IT DO SO AS A MATTER OF PRINCIPLE AND IN DEFENCE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

Let it not single out one man it hates and keep still about members of its own party who have been notorious in this respect.

Let it come out squarely and state facts over its own authority and not use anonymous letters signed by a woman TO ATTACK A PUBLIC OFFICIAL IT DON'T LIKE AND CAN'T CONTROL.

Let it show that the public service has been injured and public duties neglected.

If it cannot do that it has no case against Governor Chamberlain.

IT IS A WELL KNOWN FACT THAT THE EDITOR OF THIS SAME PAPER DRINKS WHISKEY.

But that is no matter. What we are now discussing is the unjust treatment of public men by an alleged newspaper.

Because a man owns press and type does not release him from the obligations of a gentleman.

IT GIVES NO RIGHT TO STAB ANOTHER CITIZEN IN THE BACK.

Governor Chamberlain is a man not without fault.
HE HAS ALL HIS LIFE BEEN A DRINKING MAN.

But nearly all the officials in the state house that we have ever known have drank more or less.

IN OUR TWENTY YEARS LIFE IN OREGON WE HAVE KNOWN BUT FEW TO DRINK TO EXCESS.

In twenty years we have never seen Governor Chamberlain take a drink of any kind of liquor in public or private.

Let us be fair and just as newspaper men AND TELL THE TRUTH ABOUT ALL MEN.

Let us tell all the truth and not publish dusky insinuations that lead

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the public to believe that the governor of this state is a reeking inebriate WHEN HE IS A MAN WHO SELDOM TAKES A DRINK.

Republicans officials have in times past kept whiskey in the state house. **GOVERNOR CHAMBERLAIN HAS NEVER DONE THAT.**

But because he is in the way of a certain faction that wants power he is made to appear black as possible.

If there are any of the leaders of the political machine that is trying to keep control of Oregon politics for selfish purposes WHO DO NOT DRINK WHISKEY AND AT TIMES GET DRUNK WE DO NOT KNOW THEM.

LINN ADOPTS LANE COUNTY PLAN

The question of submitting to the legal voters of Linn county at the regular November election a proposition known as "The Lane County Plan" is receiving enthusiastic support from that section. The school laws requires that a petition signed by 100 or more of the legal voters and taxpayers of the county shall be necessary to place on the ballot at any regular election the question of establishing county high schools. Petitions are now being circulated throughout Linn county. Should this plan, as submitted, be endorsed by the majority of voters, one of the greatest obstacles to the high school movement in that county will have been overcome. The union high school law requires the majority votes of all the districts before the high school is started. High schools are being established in Lane county, where it was impossible to maintain them before. A small county tax is levied and each high school student, regardless of location, draws his share of the tax. The more high school students the more money the district or combination of districts drawn from the county. Under this law county high schools can be established in every group of districts in the state not over 12 miles in extent, and which have 15 or 20 pupils to enter the high school.

WOULD KILL COUGARS TO SAVE THE DEER

That there will soon be no deer to speak of in the Oregon mountains is the belief of Dan Simons, a prominent Linn county pioneer, and one of the oldest hunters in the state. Mr. Simons lays the rapid passing of the game animals to the depredations of the cougar and will be one of the foremost in favor of enacting a bounty law on cougar scalps.
 There is no one in the state better qualified than Mr. Simons to speak on game conditions. Mr. Simons, who is 75 years of age, came to Oregon in 1851, and on October 8th of the same year encamped on the spot which is now his home. He is one of the heaviest taxpayers in Linn county and is willing to be assessed to provide a bounty fund. He thinks there should be a one-mill assessment in his county to cover the bounty.

He estimates that there are over 500 cougars in the state. A half thousand of these predatory cats get away with more deer than all hunters in the state, he says. From his experience with them he estimates that the cougar will average one deer a week for food. Figuring further, he shows that in a year the 500 cougars will kill at least 26,000 deer in a twelve-month. The amount seems unusually large, but other pioneers hunters back Mr. Simons up in his assertions.

Booming Oregon Fir.

The Portland Commercial club finished its new building with Oregon or Douglas fir, and in addition to this used this same exquisitely grained wood in making some high class permanent furniture for its main parlor. Nine out of ten visitors, admire it more than they do mahogany. During the visit of Mr.

The Can Eat Pie Now.

A lady recently visited a friend in Keene, N. H., whose husband was very delicate, and yet she noticed that he could eat all the pie he wanted. She began to wonder how it was that he could do it, when she had to give up this delicacy because of disagreeable after effects. She writes as follows:

"I found it was because the pies were made with Cottoleone, and as I am a great lover of pie, I began using Cottoleone, and have never had a bit of lard in the house since that time. I now enjoy my pie, as it does not give heart-burn as formerly."

Cottoleone makes crisp, flaky, "digestible" pie-crust, that tastes good, and does good--lard does you harm.

INSOMNIA

"I have been using Cascarets for Insomnia, with which I have been afflicted for over 10 years, and I can say that Cascarets have given me more relief than any other remedy I have ever tried. I shall certainly recommend them to my friends as being all they are represented to be."
 -Thos. O'Hara, Elgin, Ill.



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ANNUAL SALE, TEN MILLION BOXES?

E. H. Harriman he requested that samples be sent him for the consideration of his architects who are now building his country home, which will probably be the finest residence in America. Last Saturday President B. L. Winchell, of the Rock Island system, made a visit to the club and particularly admired this same wood. He gave notice to an official of the Harriman Hees who was present that if they didn't hurry the Rock Island would have the finest dining car or sleeper finished in the chief wood of the Pacific northwest--of which there is sufficient yet left to turn out more and richer millionaires than has the iron and steel district of which Pittsburgh is the center.

TEA

was a royal indulgence two hundred years ago. Tis yet.

Your money returns your money if you don't like it. We pay you.

PLAINT

Backward, turn backward, O Time, in thy flight!
 Give us an antebellum day and a night. Give us a "yellow" sans headlines to scan,
 A rustle in a skirt, and a hustlesome kiss,
 A teddy-bearless, a microbeless kiss,
 A fistie fight fakeless, a straight rontless miss,
 A gielle school-girl, and--better than that!--
 A summer-clad college man wearing a hat!
 I know, Father Time, that I'm asking too much,
 But turn to a day ere a dinner was lunch,
 Swing back to an age peroxideless for hair--
 An eon ere "rats" made their rendezvous there--
 An old-fashioned breakfast without Shredded Hay,
 A sea--on when farmers went whineless a day,
 A burg moving-pictureless--ah, what a treat!
 A gumless-girl town, and a trolleyless street;
 I'm asking too much, but I pray, Daddy Time,
 For days when a song had both substance and rhyme!
 --September Bohemian Magazine.

DECLINE IN NUMBER OF STUDENTS FOR MINISTRY

A western minister says, in the September American Magazine:
 "The startling decline in the number of students for the ministry is causing alarm in all branches of the church. In 58 theological seminaries the number is over 700 less than 12 years ago, though the population has increased 8,000,000. In one leading denomination the loss has been 33 per cent, while the membership has increased over 250,000. Historic Andover seminary, with seven instructors, a library of 50,000 volumes and an endowment of \$850,000, has but 12 students.
 "Statistics gathered by H. D. Williams, of Boston, show that of American farmers, 90 per cent come from farmers' families; of lawyers, 40; doctors, 30; bankers, 42; ministers, only 8 per cent. Ministers' sons are turning largely to other callings, and they are probably doing so because of conditions within the churches."
 Then the writer goes on to describe some of these conditions. What he says about the inadequate support which the church gives a minister is particularly interesting:
 "After spending ten year's time and enough money to have set himself up in business, a minister gets on the average less than \$600 a year. He is expected to furnish his talents at a discount of from 30 to 60 per cent because he is a minister, and pious people generally figure religion on a charity instead of a business basis. The inadequate salaries are materially reduced in the long run, as short pastorate means time lost, expense of moving, etc. So in many cases the church is starving to death the goose that lays the golden eggs."

THE IMPORTANCE OF SALMON AS A FOOD

During the last few years canned salmon has been taking its place very rapidly among the important food supplies of the world. The expansion of the markets in the United States has been truly remarkable. Brokers taking the aggregate of the 1906 pack, in comparison with the amount of salmon remaining in first hands before the opening sales on the 1907 pack--found a ready market during the 12 months after its production. Because of this increased domestic demand, the usual allotment of half a million cases to the markets of the United Kingdom was reduced to less than a hundred thousand cases, leaving the British shippers clamoring for stocks month before the new pack was available. In nine months' time, the consumption of canned salmon in the United States was virtually 3,000,000 cases, or, concisely, 2,956,000 cases, and three months before the 1907 pack arrived, jobbers were sending in orders for stock which could not be supplied. The clean-up of the 1907 pack was accomplished with an equal facility, only a few months being necessary to mark the ex-

haustion of all grades of salmon

except one, which being a cheaper grade and not so largely in demand, was carried over in considerable quantities.
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THE NEW DIRECTOR GOWN THIS FALL

"Paris says: Extreme Directoire modes for the autumn--the sheath skirt slashed at the sides, satin knickerbockers in place of petticoats, the highest of high collars and the slimmest of slim silhouettes," writes Grace Margaret Gould, the fashion expert in Woman's Home Companion for September.
 "New York says: Directoire modes? Yes, but first let us modify them. The American woman likes to take her fashions from France, but always subject to her own ideas. She wants to be in style, of course, but she wants more to be herself. This will be especially evident this fall.
 "The influence of the Directoire will be felt in the lines of the new gowns and separate coats, in neckwear and in hats, but with our best-dressed women the conspicuous features of the Directoire modes will be omitted."

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A Nurse's Story

If you are a sufferer from headache, neuralgia, or pain from any cause you should read the following letter from a nurse.
 "For sometime I have felt it my duty to write you, I was having my doctor twice every week for headache. All he did for me was to give something to ease the pain. Sometimes the pain was so severe that I could not speak, and members of my family stood over me and gave me medicine every fifteen minutes until I was relieved. A sample of Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills fell into my hands. I read the circular very carefully, and found my case described exactly. The next time my head began to ache I took the Pain Pills according to directions and I felt I was getting better, so I sent to the druggist for a box and took them until I was no more troubled. I was about the house all the afternoon, I have not had a doctor for headache since. When he met me sometime after he wanted to know how I was, and I told him what I had done, and he replied: "If you have found anything that will help you, stick to it," and so I have. Being a nurse I have recommended them to a great many grateful people. One case I will mention. I saw a doctor go to a neighbor every week for months because she had such awful headaches; but for a long time I dared not suggest anything to her. One day I met her and I gave her a half a box of Anti-Pain Pills and she used them and has had no doctor since. She says they are a great blessing to her and said, "why didn't you tell me about them before?" I could tell you of many similar cases."
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"Bostonian Minstrel Maids"

The offering at the opera house for Wednesday, October 30, will be quite a novel one, "The Bostonian Minstrel Maids," as they are termed. Minstrel Maids, as they are called, are by no means a black organization, but in reality a company composed of refined, pretty young ladies who individually and collectively, furnish an evening of real enjoyment. There will be catchy songs, tuneful music, gags, and topical illusions galore. For a unique organization they stand preeminent.

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