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The Town Row

We had an ancient, visions fray, at Panktown-on-the-Heights, and people raised Old Ned by day, and filled with strife the nights. I helped to paint the village red, and fought our faction's foes; one day I had a busted head, the next a ruined nose; and oft my eyes were in a sling, and life was so intense I couldn't smile or dance or sing for twenty-seven cents. One day I sat me down to rest, a poelice on my face, and then there came a stranger guest, a man of wondrous grace. "I've watched your scrapping far and near, to put your foes to rout, and now," he said, "I'd like to hear what all the row's about." I hemmed and stammered for a spell about our local war; to save my neck I couldn't tell what we'd been scrapping for. "I've asked and asked," the stranger said, as he prepared to go, "why this poor burg is painted red, and no one seems to know." Then I obtained a flag of truce, and sought my warmest foe—full often I had cooked his goose, and he had laid me low. "I welcome peace," said he, "by heck, so let the White Dove whiz!" And then he wept upon my neck, and I shed tears on his. We thus might squelch most village rows, and shake our load of care; but we keep wrangling till the cows come home, their tails in air.

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AN AIRY NOTHING WITH A NAME.

UPON several of the nominating petitions appears the sentiment "Equal and exact justice for all", or words of that import. It is a splendid sentiment that appeals to every American. The only trouble with it is that: "there ain't no such thing". The poet Saxe divided mankind into two classes: "Those who have money and those who have not". It seems like a cold blooded proposition to even think that the quality of mercy and the inexorable demands of Justice should be warped, stretched and distorted just as the party interested has money or has not, yet it is the case. The gallows is a luxury reserved for the poverty stricken murderer while the insane asylum if any thing is within reach of the man with money, as witness Harry Thaw, and then the offense is smoothed down by having the name homicide saddled on it. A murder is the act of the poverty stricken, while homicide is the same thing wrapped up in a different package for the criminal with the dough. The well-to-do man pays a fine for his misdemeanors while his poorer neighbor goes to jail or gets a few days exercise on the rockpile. It is so through all the ramifications of the law.

In the matter of divorce for instance, it is no longer necessary for those who can afford to pay for the privilege to have their names dragged before the public. Divorces are as easy as anything else the lawyers have to hand out with the courts' help, if you have the price. A few days ago the Goelets settled up their marital difficulties not in the courts but out of them. The lady in the case was granted a divorce for "cruel and abusive treatment" which was the allegation in her complaint. She did not have to appear in court neither did the husband. The lawyers fixed it all up and submitted the papers and decree to the complaisant judge who signed them.

The disposition of the children, unfortunate results of the marriage, was made by mutual agreement outside of the courtroom and the testimony, which had been reduced to writing in the home of the lady, was read to the judge in whispers lest the poppy-petaled edges of her feelings should be ruffled.

"Equal rights to all; Special privileges to none", makes a fine slogan, whatever that is, but as was said before: "There ain't no such thing".

When it comes to twisting the British lion's tail Senator Chamberlain seems to be some twister. Probably it is good politics because a majority of western voters are natural-born jingoes, always spoiling for a scrap, but in contrast with these red-hot appeals to prejudice on the floor of the senate, President Wilson's calm logic is reassuring to a large majority of his countrymen. Politicians and statesmen have after all, very few attributes in common.

Here is one of the achievements of science. An escaping criminal was located by wireless on a steamer 21 miles at sea. A hydroplane carrying an officer was sent out after him, and the fugitive was returned to the town from whence he fled, and there tried for his crime. It would have made us shake our heads a few years ago of Jules Verne had told us such a story.

LADD & BUSH, BANKERS

Transact a General Banking Business
Safety Deposit Boxes
Traveler's Checks

Victorious Villa, the terror of Mexico, seems to have received his first set-back at Torreon, where his forces were defeated with great slaughter. The varying fortunes of war, which tend to show that the contending factions are about evenly matched, would indicate that the struggle is no nearer an end than it was months ago. The government still seems strongly entrenched except in the northern part of the republic, where the sway of the rebels is complete.

Chicago is swelled up because since women can vote there and not in New York, it now has more voters than Gotham. Still New York has it over Chicago in the matter of population and wealth so why try to get so much satisfaction just from counting the voters. Allowing for repeaters and Tammany New York can still cast the more votes.

Great Britain is so badly stirred up over the home rule question that even the militant suffragettes seem lost in the shuffle. Ulster is virtually in a state of open rebellion with the government impotent to cope with the situation. The United Kingdom seems to be facing one of greatest crises in its history.

The Baker county grand jury has exonerated District Attorney Godwin and Sheriff Rand, and placed the entire blame of the Copperfield affair on Governor West. A grand juror is always a peculiar animal but sometimes very handy for use by county officials who need whitewashing.

The aim of government is to protect fools, says Senator Owens. Probably speaking from recent experience and the help the government through its court gave him. Senator Owens should know a whole lot on that subject.

Only thirty-four persons were sent to the hospital to make Spain's election peaceful and the results satisfactory to the monarchy. The older Latin countries have learned how to do the thing with the minimum of goriness.

THE ROUND-UP.

Secretary of Commerce Redfield will speak at the Jackson club, in Portland Friday evening. He will also speak at Reed college Saturday night.

Clatsop county gets in line by having a woman candidate for office, it being Miss Kate C. Kelley, who is out for the democratic nomination for county treasurer.

Addison Bennett of the Oregonian is to go to Alaska to write up a series of articles tending to throw light on the trade conditions and point out the course Portland must pursue to gather in a portion of the trade of that section.

Milton has voted \$18,000 bonds for extending its water mains.

The Hubbard Enterprise is the very latest. It is a 5-column, 8-page weekly, half home print, published and edited by G. E. Brookins.

The Molalla Pioneer remarks that things in the railroad way are stirring so rapidly throughout that a weekly paper can scarcely keep up with the procession.

Best record as to delinquent tax rolls is claimed for Sheriff J. C. McKean, of Sherman county, who has reduced the lists of 1910, 1911 and 1912 to the small total of \$477.47.

Impetus to be given the town initially by the cement plant, with its large payroll, will make Gold Hill "the metropolis of southern Oregon," if the prophecy of the News is fulfilled.

To fill the vacancy caused by the refusal of Mayor-elect J. T. Donovan of Wheeler to serve, the council has named Councilman J. A. Jensen and has filled the Jensen vacancy by naming Donovan.

The largest single turnover of tax money in the history of Linn county was made last Saturday afternoon in the sum of \$137,379.53. The largest previous turnover was in 1913 and was \$127,092.42.

Six burros have been bought by the forestry department to be used in settlement work in the Siuslaw national forest. They will be used by the men in charge of surveying homesteads and assisting prospective settlers to locate upon lands.

Aurora Observer: U. L. Beas recently bought 13 of the old pillars supporting the Old Colony church. The pillars are of fir 18 inches square and 24 feet long. They are very old. All are hand turned. It is said that many of the pillars and ornaments of the old church were turned out by ex-Mayor J. G. Miller, of this city.

Only One "BROMO QUININE" That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE Cures cold in One Day. Cures Grip in Two Days. 25c.

Anybody who tries to get rid of his faults by advertising them makes a mistake.

"All is vanity," said the late Mr. Solomon, and every photographer knows the old king was right.

First class legislative material seems one of the things very difficult if not impossible to obtain.

GIRLS! STOP WASHING THE HAIR WITH SOAP

Soap Dries Your Scalp, Causing Dandruff, Then Hair Falls Out—Try This Next Time.

After washing your hair with soap, always apply a little Danderine to the scalp to invigorate the hair and prevent dryness. Better still, use soap as sparingly as possible, and instead have a "Danderine Hair Cleanse." Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one strand at a time. This will remove dust, dirt and excessive oil. In a few moments you will be amazed, your hair will not only be clean, but it will be wavy, fluff and abundant, and possess an incomparable softness and lustre.

Besides cleansing and beautifying the scalp every particle of dandruff; stimulates the hair, one application of Danderine disintegrates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair. Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

Men! Ladies! You can surely have lots of charming hair. Get a 25-cent bottle of Knewton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and try it.

PRESENCE OF A FLY A DANGER SIGNAL.

THE fly has been tried and found guilty, in spite of the questionings of those who maintain the doctrine that every creature performs some useful purpose. Undoubtedly the fly does, for where there is an abundance of filth there will the flies gather together, there will they multiply and increase. Their function today is nothing more or less than a danger signal to indicate insanitary conditions. Abolish these, and the breeding places of the flies will be eradicated.

One intelligent and energetic person can start a successful movement for the extermination of the house fly in any community if he or she is resourceful and patient as well.

WAR ON FLIES HELPED TO BUILD PANAMA CANAL.

ONE thing which has rendered possible the building of the Panama canal more than anything else has been the sanitary and preventive measures taken to keep down the deadly yellow fever and pernicious malaria. This has been done by waging war against all insect life believed to carry disease, particularly flies. There is an old saying that every rail put down for the Panama railroad cost a life.

CLEVELAND, O., turned the common house fly into a curiosity at a cost of only \$2,000 a year by beginning to swat pests that survived February and by enlisting schoolboys as "junior sanitary police" to report insanitary spots in which insects could breed.

Lots of men would rather have a political job than earn an honest living.

For variety, style and low prices come to the Chicago Store for the latest.

Spring Millinery

Hundreds of dainty styles and shapes now on sale. Price. 98c, \$1.49, \$2.50 and up

Exclusive styles shown in Ladies Suits and coats.

NEW SPRING COATS SUITS AND DRESSES

Now on sale at remarkably low prices. Balmacaen coats and late New York models in stylish suits. Prices low.

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We Make the Low Prices for Salem

500 Pairs of Ladies' Misses' and Childrens' Shoes

New Spring Shoes

Now on sale. The greatest bargains in Salem.

Children's Shoes 35, 49c, and 98c. Misses' Shoes 75c and 98c. Ladies' \$3.50 Shoes 98c, \$1.49, \$1.98.

20,000 yards of the very latest wash fabrics now placed on sale.

DOMESTICS

Our Wash Goods Department is considered by close buyers to be the best in Salem. Come and look through this mammoth stock. Yard.

4c, 5c, 8 1-3c and up

500 Girls' Wash dresses now on sale percales, ginghams and fancy wash goods. A great line to choose from. Fast colors.

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Salem's greatest store for silks and dress goods is the Chicago Store.

SILKS AND DRESS GOODS

In all the new spring novelties now selling rapidly. See our prices. Yard

19c, 25c, 35c, 45c, 65c and up



SALEM OREGON
CHICAGO STORE
THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY

Ladies' 50c Union Hose Now 25c \$1.25 Kid, Gloves' Pair 69c

Household Worry Is 99 Per Cent Wash Day

Good Riddance by the Laundry Remedy.

Linen, blankets, curtains apparel—all come back beautiful when we do your work.

Salem Steam Laundry
136 South Liberty Street
Phone 25
Dry Cleaning. Ask the Driver

Swell Corns? Try Wonderful "GETS IT"

Greatest Corn Cure World Has Ever Known—"GETS IT" Cures as Sure as Fate.

Thousands say "GETS-IT" is simply magic. If you've tried nearly every thing else under the sun to get rid of those corns, so much the better for "GETS-IT." Corn freedom is yours at



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Every druggist in the land sells "GETS-IT." 25 cents a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

SPREADING GOSPEL OF CLEANLINESS.

The scope of cleanup day in New York city is being widened. A special hygienic program for schoolboy athletes prominent in cleaning up the town has been arranged as follows:

Go to bed at 8 o'clock after a thorough wash and a cold splash over chest and trunk. Scrub teeth and gums well. Have clothes and books ready for the morrow.

Open bedroom windows at top and bottom.

Get up not a minute later than 7 o'clock. Go through a two minute drill and hygienic exercises. Clean face and neck and scrub hands. Finish up with a big cold splash and hard rub all over. See that feet and legs are clean and rub them hard to get them into condition. Brush teeth and gums thoroughly.

Breakfast and all meals: No coffee, no tea. Drink milk a little at a time. Chew all food to a pulp. Ask your teacher what foods to avoid. No smoking.

Before school look yourself over.

Am I clean from head to toe?

Are all my clothes clean and in order down to the skin?

Do I stand up like an athlete?

"CASCARETS" CLEANSE LIVER AND BOWELS

Cure Sick Headache, Constipation, Biliousness, Sour Stomach, Bad Breath—Candy Cathartic.

Get a 10-cent box now.

Are you keeping your liver, stomach and bowels clean, pure and fresh with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passage-way every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil? This is important.

Cascarets immediately cleanses the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels.

No odds how sick, headachy, bilious and constipated you feel, a Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from your druggist will keep your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a gentle cleansing, too.

After the newly-made husband has settled with the parson he might as well keep his pocketbook in his hand, for that is merely the beginning.

House of Half a Million Bargains

Come and see the biggest wonder in the history of Salem. We buy and sell everything from a needle to a piece of gold. We pay the highest cash price for everything.

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