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### PRODUCTS MUST BE GRADED

A Sacramento brokerage firm has sent out a circular letter to growers and shippers calling attention to market conditions. Among other things the letter says: California apples, potatoes and onions are practically cleaned up; from now on until Spring we will draw heavily from your section." This, as the saying goes, "listens good." At the same time a word of advice to growers may not be out of place, and that is "whatever you bring to market sort and grade it." Farmers complain that they get less for their products than the market quotations call for. No doubt this is generally true, and it is true because, the product is not sorted and graded, and this work which should be done by the grower is performed by the buyer, who checks the cost up against the farmer and takes it off the market price.

The orchardists in all the big fruit growing sections grade their fruit, and throw out all culls, worm injured or ill shaped fruit. The farmer does not do this. He brings fifty bushels of potatoes to market, when he should haul only forty, sorting the smaller and ill shaped ones out for his pigs. He pays freight on the fifty bushels, to get paid only for forty and he does not get full pay for this amount because the commission house charges him for sorting out the ten bushels, and for these he gets nothing. By careful sorting he avoids this, pays less freight and gets better prices.

Almost anybody would like to be ruined the way the eight-hour day law has ruined the railroads of this country. Dividends are growing, business is so heavy that cars cannot be had to meet the demand of supplies, and—strangest of all—investors instead of being frightened by the passage of the Adamson bill, are falling over one another in their anxiety to buy railroad stocks. It has been a long time since there was such a boom in railroad securities as that which is sending prices sky-high in Wall Street at the present time. Once more the doleful predictions of the railroad magnates have failed to materialize.

The Billings case promises to be long drawn-out, due largely to the American system of court procedure. Billings today asked for a new trial. If he gets it the state will appeal to the supreme court from the judge's decision. If he does not get it, he will appeal. A strong point is made by the defendant's counsel, who says the jury was influenced, and was induced to find Billings guilty by the understanding that the death penalty would not be demanded. His attorney says: "If Billings is guilty hanging is too good for him," and calls the whole proceedings farcial. He is correct in his first statement, at least.

The street car strike in New York emphasises the fact that green men cannot operate cars safely, any more than they can any other machinery they do not understand. Since the strike began accidents have been of daily occurrence. Yesterday there was a bad accident when two trains crashed together, but fortunately no deaths. It is an open question whether the authorities should allow green men to run cars even though to prevent it would be to stop traffic. That question is whether the loss of life and maiming of passengers is too big a price to pay for transportation facilities.

The public schools at Reno, Nevada, have been closed on account of infantile paralysis, two cases having developed there recently. In New York yesterday but fourteen cases were reported and the schools reopened yesterday, though more than 100,000 of the city's million school children, did not attend due to fear still prevalent of the epidemic. The cases in Reno may be sporadic, but being on the direct line of travel from the east, it is feared this is not the case.

It is Major General Pershing now, he being promoted yesterday, succeeding the late General Albert L. Mills, which is proof of the proverb that "Its an ill wind that blows nobody good."

South Carolina in the recent primaries turned down Cole L. Blease who was in the race for the governorship. At the same time Georgia, not profiting by the troubles of its neighbor, nominated Hugh M. Dorsey for the governorship on the democratic ticket, which of course is equivalent to the election. Mr. Dorsey made his fight on his prosecution of Leo M. Frank, it being through his efforts that Frank was convicted. His deliberate exploiting racial and religious prejudices show he is not fit for the place. If his administration is marked by the same spirit that he manifested in the primary he may yet be entitled to rank with and be a fit companion of Blease.

The Oregonian commenting on Senator Stone's defense of the action of the administration and congress settling the threatened labor strike among other things says: "The Oregonian and other newspapers urged that the government ascertain in what respect it (the arbitration and mediation law) was unsatisfactory and that congress amend the law to meet the objections, but nothing was done." Too bad didn't it that the administration did not heed the wise advice direct from the big tower? How much trouble and how many mistakes the administration would have avoided had it thought to employ the Oregonian editor to dictate its course.

A world's record for exports was set by the United States in August with a total of \$510,000,000, or \$20,000,000 dollars a day for each working day in the month. This is \$35,000,000 more than the previous record made last May. The exports for the year ending September first totalled \$4,756,000,000, or an amount equaling \$47.50 for every person in the United States. The total gold imports during the year were \$410,000,000 which is the record. Your Uncle Samuel is sure doing some business.

Truth outdoes fiction every day. Saturday when a Chicago-Elgin train struck an auto at Lombard station near Chicago, J. G. Hemmingway moved by curiosity stepped off the train to see what had happened, and when a body was pulled from the wreckage he recognized it as his brother. In fiction such a situation would have seemed far fetched and impossible.

Yesterday's dispatches stated Venizelos, former Greek premier, had gone to Salonika, and it was intimated that he is preparing to head a revolution in Greece and undertake to depose King Constantine. Salonika is the headquarters of the revolutionary movement, as well as of the allies, and the wise ones intimate there is a strong connection between the two facts.

The printers' supplies salesman of New York are advertising for the ugliest girl in the city to lead the grand march of the guild next week. This is one case where advertising may not get results, for the right girl would surely hate to admit it. Besides when she got tagged up for the occasion she would no longer be the ugliest girl.

Now Colonel Roosevelt will know how it feels to have a dictionary hit him. Dr. John Holmes says the colonel is "a monstrous survival of a pre-neocene age of human thought." That ought to keep Oyster Bay busy for some days.

Even hops, the last product to be affected by the tidal wave of prosperity, are on the upward grade and bid fair to get up toward the head of the procession in a short while.



## Rippling Rhymes

Walt Mason

### NATURE'S WAY

All summer long, to save the grass, I kept the lawn well wetted down; the grass all shriveled up, alas! and changed from green to gray and brown. I worked nine hydrants over time, and used three miles of garden hose, for sprinklers squandered many a dime, and still the grass turned up its toes. "Your grass is dead," the neighbors said; "you'll have to seed it down once more; the life from all the roots is sped, the lawn's as barren as a floor." And then one night there came a rain, the kind we had when I was young; J. Pluvius grew safe and sane, and from the rain tank knocked the bung. And then the grass once more showed life, the green came back, that long was gone; and I and Susan Jane, my wife, turned joyous handspings on the lawn.

### Lane County Schools Provided Playshed

A special report of school conditions in Lane county has just been made to J. A. Churchill, state superintendent of public instruction, by E. J. Moore, county superintendent. Superintendent Moore says the year's work has been very interesting and profitable. Parent-teachers associations have been formed in almost every district where it was possible to do so. In a great many districts commodious playsheds have a tragic significance to the young. Another feature of the year's work was the annual county fair and rally which was held in Eugene about the middle of May.

### THE TATTLER

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THE TATELER ..... murt vd  
Considerable weather prognostication is going on about town.

A fellow doesn't have to be at the state fair more than an hour or two before his faith in the future of Oregon begins to sit up and take nourishment.

What do you reckon those Harney county kids will talk about principally during the next few weeks?

Rex Lammiman, the sunshine chap who erstwhile conducted "The Once Over" in the Portland Journal, is a fair visitor.

And "Bill" McKevitt, who performed on the traps in the good old days of the picture show in Salem, is also present.

Speaking of picture shows and the good old days, a letter came to town yesterday from town stating that "Pat" Beamer, who used to produce "effects" at old Wexford and Ye Liberty, has just taken to himself a wife.

A gentleman connected with the swine exhibit says he finds hogs an excellent medium through which to study human nature.

There is an ear of corn in the state hospital's exhibit that is almost as big as some of the stories told by former middle west farmers. And it is just about as true.

### New Book at Library "How to Write a Movie"

Amateur scenario writers who have an ambition to make a few extra hundred dollars pin money will find a book at the public library that may lead them on to the road of fortune. This book that leads to a life on easy street is entitled, "How to Write a Scenario for a Motion Picture Play."

In attending picture shows one often wonders why the play has no plot, or why such impossible things, so contrary to every day events are introduced. Well, this book on scenario writing gives something of the technique. There is a big market for good ideas and even if the whole plot cannot be used, the contributor is paid for suggestions. At least that is what a writer in the Saturday Evening Post said. Two new books on the subject were received this week.

- The complete list of new books for the week is as follows:
- Barrie—Window in Thrums.
- Burnett—The Shuttle.
- Davis, R. H.—Notes of War Correspondent.
- Eusevian, J. B.—Writing the Short Story.
- Gordon, C. W.—Patrol of the Sun Dance Trail.
- May F. J.—How to Write a Scenario for a Motion Play.
- Miller, W. H.—Camp Craft.
- Moreton, D. P.—How to Make a Wire-less Set.
- Roberts, H. M.—Rules of Order.
- Ross, E. N.—Scenario Writing.
- Trybom, J. H.—Correlated Hand-work.
- Warner, Anne—Sunshine Jane.
- Williamson, C. M. and A. M.—Secret History Revealed by Lady Peggy O'Mulley.
- Willis, H. M.—Still Jim.
- Wodehouse, J. G.—Something New.

### BROOKLYN STREET CAVED IN

New York, Sept. 26.—Underminded by construction work on the new Coney Island subway, a portion of 68th street, Brooklyn, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, caved in this afternoon. More than a dozen persons were reported to have been engulfed in the cave-in. Ambulances from three hospitals and police reserves from the Seventy-first district were rushed to the scene of the accident.

### Children Cry for Fletcher's



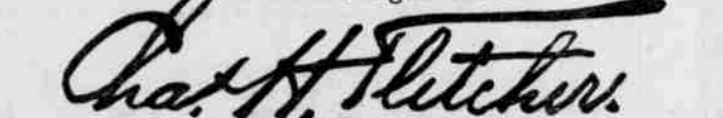
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### OBITUARY

Mrs. Carolina Carl was born in Elze, Hanover, Germany, August 25, 1839, and died very suddenly at her home on North Fifth street, September 18, 1916, at the age of 77 years and 25 days. In 1861 she was married to Conrad Steingrub, which union was blessed with seven children of which three have preceded the mother to their eternal home. In 1881 she came with her family to this country and first resided in Connellsville, Pa. From there they moved to Chicago, then to South Dakota. Her first husband died in 1886. In 1892 she was married to John Hofb and in 1901 they moved to Salem, Ore., where three years later her second husband died. Being not only she but also Frederick Carl, whose companion had been taken from his side through death, felt very lonesome and both believed they could make their older days more pleasant for each other if they would live together so they united in marriage about four years ago and lived together very happily until death also broke up this union. Shortly before Mother Carl was married the second time she was converted and joined the Methodist church of which she was a highly respected and faithful member as long as she lived. She loved God and the church and was, through word and deed, a light in the world. She was a well read woman with good judgment and many a time she was a blessing and an encouragement for her pastor. On Sunday, September 17, she was very feeble but managed to attend her church where (after the sermon) she took communion with other communicants. That same afternoon she found it necessary to go to bed and the following afternoon, very suddenly, she went to her heavenly home. Mother Carl leaves, besides her bereaved husband, two brothers and two sisters in Germany, two sons and two daughters, 16 step-children, 16 grandchildren, one great-grandchild and many friends. The funeral service was held on Wednesday afternoon at the German M. E. church, after which the body was laid to rest at the City View cemetery.

**FLOUR UP 20 CENTS**  
Chicago, Sept. 26.—Special brands of spring wheat flour were quoted at \$9.10 an advance of 20 cents a barrel, on the market here today. This is the first time flour has gone up \$2 and over in many years. Bakers declared today that in the face of such prices, an advance in the price of bread is inevitable.

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### MRS. FRANKLYN SENDS AN INVITATION

CHAPTER XXXI  
For some time after Clifford left I stood in the corner of the floor trying to adjust myself. I saw that all my reasoning had been at fault. That I had made no progress, nor gained any happiness for myself. I had no weapons to fight this discouragement that was overwhelming me. I felt that I was being pushed aside; and that I no longer had the power or the will to struggle. My body relaxed. I thought I was going to faint. Then the telephone rang. It might be Clifford—perhaps he had forgotten something. I pulled myself together. He might have thought of me enough to want to say good-bye again. Is it hard to understand the workings of my mind? I think all young wives who are not happily married, or are neglected by the one man they have loved, will appreciate my feelings.  
**A Telephone Call.**  
"Hello!" Yes, this is Mrs. Hammond.  
"Oh, Mrs. Franklyn! Oh, that will be lovely! Mr. Hammond has just gone away for a month."  
"This morning."  
"Yes, I do expect to be lonely."  
"Yes, thank you."  
"Good-bye."  
Mrs. Franklyn was going to give a straw-ride out to a popular road house—a supper, and then ride home by moonlight. What sport! I was young. My husband was off having a good time—I too would enjoy myself. Then I would give a dinner party and repay some of the things that had been done for me. So, instead of sitting down and thinking about my unhappiness, I at once commenced to plan my party—the people I should invite, etc.  
When I told Mandy of my plan she was delighted.  
"Dat's right, honey; have sun folks here, den yo' won't git so lonesome."  
But, in spite of the anticipated straw-ride, and my dinner plans, the day dragged. And more than once my lips trembled as I thought of the way Clifford had left me, and that he was with people I had never met, whom he was unwilling I should know. He must be ashamed of me. And somewhere back in my mind an idea took form, that sometime he should be proud of me, that I would become as much a woman of the world, his world, with poise, self-possession, knowledge of dress, etc., as Mrs. Horton, or the mysterious L. O. must be. It was a passing thought, but one that was to recur very often.  
**A Letter From Home.**  
That afternoon I had a letter from Mother, begging me to make them a visit. My sisters were so anxious to see Edith, who was just beginning to walk, and Mother herself said she couldn't wait much longer, but that it was impossible for her to leave home.  
I replied at once. I told her I would come down in a few days, and would

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