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Why Dentistry is Costly
"They are Afraid"

Chapter VI.

Why don't people go to the dentist as often and as early as they should.

They lack time. They are afraid of pain. Sometimes they are afraid of foul-play.

Wage-earners especially demand prompt service.

They can't afford to wait long. Loss of time means loss of wages or salary to them. When they return from work most dental offices are closed. But a big establishment remains open.

It has a large staff of dentists who work in shifts.

The problem of pain has been solved.

The modern dentist can abolish sensibility without giving the patient "Gas," chloroform or anything else injurious.

Are dentists unscrupulous? Do they willfully injure the patient to keep him under their treatment? I am loath to believe that men of our profession can indulge in such criminal practices. But devils are everywhere. One thing, however, is certain.

A big dental establishment can't afford to do unscrupulous work. The good-will of the people, reputation for honest and standard service, are the foundations of its success.

Even devils become saints when organized for business and service. Organized dentistry gives standard, safe, prompt service.

It is rarely you will find science and art combined with the gift of organization and administration.

I have succeeded in systematizing and organizing dentistry.

Under the E. R. Parker System the money cost and the human cost of dentistry have been reduced to the lowest point. Prompt, standard, gentle, scientific dentistry has been brought to the door of the middle classes and the wage-earners.



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CITY FINANCES ARE IN SOUND CONDITION

Annual Report Of Treasurer Shows Indebtedness On Steady Decline.

Business for the city or salem as a corporation is good. That is, while it has piled up a pretty fair indebtedness, it is gradually paying this off and not incurring new debts. The city is assessed at something over \$12,000,000 and the indebtedness is about \$375,000. This does not include street improvements, as in this instance, the property assessed for the improvement is security for the lien.

The first 1919 quarterly report of City Treasurer C. O. Rice, presented to the city council Monday evening, showed that on January 1, 1919, there was in the city treasury, the sum of \$134,697.68. During the first three months of the year, there had been paid out \$73,581.98. With the several sources of income there was left in the city treasury March 31, 1919, the sum of \$115,619.45.

The largest amount paid out by City Treasurer Rice during the first three months of this year was \$42,136 for calling in improvement bonds "G," issued in 1912 and the paying out of \$12,735 on interest account. The city indebtedness will be further reduced when the city treasurer pays \$21,744.16 on improvement bonds May 20. Sewer bonds to the amount of \$42,812.24 will be called in and paid off this month also.

With more than an assessed valuation of \$12,900,000, the city of Salem really owes \$537,000 on municipal bonds and \$47,177 on charter set bonds.

According to the records of Earl Race city recorder, the city is paying off \$24,000 a year on sewer bonds and \$3000 a year on the second bridge across the Willamette. There is now unpaid \$15,000 in bonds against this second bridge and these are being paid off at the rate of \$3,000 a year. These bonds are due in 1924.

On the first bridge across the Willamette, built in 1889 and which was swept out a couple of years later in the big flood, there is outstanding bonds amounting to \$20,000. These are not being refunded and the entire \$20,000 will be due in 1920. Although the bridge was built 30 years ago, no city council has provided for a sinking fund to pay off this indebtedness.

It is estimated by City Recorder Race, that the city is paying off its indebtedness at the rate of about \$40,000 a year. And this is being done with a low assessment valuation and with a 1 1/2 mill city tax, compared to 14 mill of a few years ago.

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700 ELKS

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Chas. V. Galloway told eloquently of the foundation of the lodge by Charles Vivian, the first can to be refused admittance to the lodge and who never really belonged to the organization. This was in 1868 when a number of actors and newspaper men organized for sociability. Later the grand lodge made amends and erected a monument to his memory. With but 15 charter members in 1868, the membership now numbers more than 500,000.

Charter Member Back.
 "I've come back," declared John Wright, the first exalted ruler of Salem lodge, organized in 1866. "I want to come back to every home-coming. I'm always glad to be with you and I hope to come back for 20 years." Mr.

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barrels, national guardsmen and civic organizations will also be seen in the park.

Few Investors Here.
 With the option of investing in the Victory Liberty loan and of not investing, judging from the reports furnished by the four banks of the city, the average investor who might have taken \$50 or \$100 worth of bonds has decided to let the other fellow do it.

In other words, the small investor in Salem has failed to show any great amount of patriotism when given the choice of taking bonds or of not taking them. This is the opinion of officials who are in charge of the fifth liberty loan.

With its quota of \$850,150 for the city, it was confidentially expected that with two or three days work, that this amount would be subscribed. The fact is that without the campaign, there has been subscribed for in the two days only \$175,000 worth of bonds.

More than half of this amount has been taken by investors who call for bonds in \$500 and \$1000 lots. Several investors have taken \$5000 blocks.

With the bigger investors taking say \$100,000 of the amount so far subscribed, this would leave but \$75,000 in Salem that has been subscribed by the small investor.

It is thought that several of the larger sales will be made early in May as the bonds do not begin to draw interest until May 10 the last day on which bonds may be purchased.

If You Want to Make a Change from Coffee consider the All-American table beverage so many former Coffee drinkers now use—

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It has a decidedly coffee-like aroma, taste and appearance, but contains no caffeine. Consequently those with whom coffee disagrees find the new drink free from all coffee objections.

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Wright now lives in Portland. When a resident of Salem he served a term as sheriff of Marion county.

Frank T. Wrightman, having served as an alternate to the national convention for 20 years and having never had a chance to attend one, told of his feelings under the circumstances. He called on W. L. Toole, "Bill" Evans and Judge D'Arcy for sympathy. An alternate is a man hoping that something will happen to the accredited representative to the grand lodge, Mr. Wrightman said, but that nothing had happened.

Patriotism Runs High

Justice L. T. Harris paid a glowing tribute to the patriotism of the American soldiers and to the fact that the American boys had stemmed the tide less than a year ago when France and England were calling for help.

John W. Todd, true to his instinct as a teacher, put his 700 Elk pupils through a little vocal gymnastic work. Mr. Todd sang and ran the boys join in the chorus. They sang with a will, "Uncle Sammy, I'll do my share." This refers to liberty loan subscriptions.

Senator Louis Lachmund was the class orator, telling of the virtues of the past exalted rulers. He started in by saying he had a feeling of extreme modesty in speaking, forgetting what he did as senator at the last session of the legislature. Having read up on ancient history, he said that the first man that Noah met on coming out of the ark was John Wright, the first exalted ruler of Salem lodge. Frank Wrightman was referred to as the perpetual alternate and Judge D'Arcy for his eloquence in certain lines. Senator Charles McNary made the song "Cast Aside" famous and Chas. V. Galloway as Handel. He said August Huckstein was the great pacifier and that M. L. Meyers once beat for office the best man in the lodge. Walter E. Keyes was referred to as a respectable citizen, even if he was a lawyer and Harry J. Wentworth as his torpedoborean friend.

Band Makes Initial Bow

One of the happy surprises of the evening was the first appearance of the Elks' band under the direction of Oscar Steelhammer. With 17 first class musicians, the band played like old timers.

The evening's entertainment closed with the presentation of a vaudeville show of 10 numbers, with E. Cooke Patton as chief announcer. It was a good show and the 700 Elks stayed with

CASUALTIES TOTAL 285,950

Washington, April 23. — (United Press)—Total casualties of the A. E. F. were 285,950, according to latest corrections, the war department announced today. This is an increase of 1164 over previous totals. Total deaths now reported number 75,344, an increase of 305.

305. The bolshevik hold fifteen American prisoners, according to the report.

Failure of certain Jewish interests to obtain the inclusion of a religious liberties clause in the revised league of nations covenant was announced Wednesday.

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