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The Blow Stagers.

Our esteemed, if belocled, friend, Major Patton, of the Hoquiam Washingtonian, is growing a grout that does not betoken well for the climatic influence of Hoquiam. Far be from us to cast the slightest aspersion upon the climate of our dearly beloved little sister to the west, but some influence or other has turned the erstwhile boosting major into one of those pessimistic pests that society tolerates—and pities.

With those few remarks, we will proceed to name the cause of our displeasure with the major. In a recent issue he gives vent to the following lament, and, as if the prelude was not sufficiently discouraging, he brings in our old friend Blagen to substantiate the fact that the "starving hordes" (The condition is of the Washingtonian's making, not ours) in the United States are facing a blow in the face that means a price of flour and meat that will permit the average man to eat both twice a week without shuddering when he passes his grocer or butcher.

Here is the wall: Note it closely. The people of Washington state are probably harder hit by democratic legislation than are those of any other portion of the United States. The removal of the tariff on farm products has administered a blow to our agriculturists which they will find it hard to withstand. Crops promise to be large, but prices may be vastly disappointing.

As for the lumberman of Western Washington, free trade and canal tolls bid fair to put him out of business altogether. Mr. N. J. Blagen, of the Grays Harbor Lumber company, recently stated in a letter to Congressman Johnson, that the best prospective freight rate he could get on lumber to be carried to Eastern points through the canal, by coastwise vessels, was \$13, while the Balfour-Guthrie company were offering to carry lumber from British Columbia for \$7 a thousand feet. A differential of \$6 a thousand is bound to militate against the industry in this section.

You will observe that when we are properly looted by finding our food supplies within reach we are going to have a deluge of lumber. The last section of the major's wall is not entitled to serious consideration. To begin with the Panama Canal tolls per thousand feet of lumber have not yet been determined, yet we are told that it gives British Columbia a differential of \$6 per thousand feet. Somebody was jollying the major, and it will require evidence to convince the Herald that N. J. Blagen was the guilty person.

Mexico and Annexation.

Annexation seems to be the first thought that occurs to some Americans every time we have a little diplomatic difference with a neighboring country. We had a very considerable body of otherwise sane and citizens clamoring for several years for the annexation of Cuba, despite the determination of a majority of our people that our duty in Cuba should end with the restoration of peace and the establishment of a stable government. Champ Clark threatened to have Canada annexed simply because the Canadians refused to accept our reciprocity proposition. Now there is a clamour for the annexation of Mexico.

Colonel Henry Watterson, editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal, is forgetting into action at once and driving the Mexicans into the ocean. The Chicago Tribune demands the enlistment of an army of 500,000 men and the immediate subjugation of Mexico, removing the Rio Grande boundary and extending our empire to the Panama canal. The Chicago Inter-Ocean calmly announces that our flag has been raised on Mexican soil and can never be lowered. And William Randolph Hearst is likely to secede from the union if we fail to adopt his plans for the annexation

of Mexico without further delay. Senator Borah of Idaho, whose faculty for getting outside the traces amounts to positive genius, declares that the "United States have an utter incapacity for minding our own business and leaving the internal concerns of other governments to their own people." He fairly weeps when he thinks of President Wilson's course in sending troops to Vera Cruz. He declares that it would be a national calamity for this country to acquire Mexico and yet, he insists, our flag is on Mexican soil and it will never come down; that we are engaged in an enterprise that means the taking of every foot of land between the Rio Grande and Panama; that if we war against the united people of Mexico, as he says we must expect to do, we shall be in the country so long as to forget the habit of coming out.

That sounds somewhat complicated, even after you have taken it home and tried it on your piano, but that is the way Senator Borah feels about it. That is the way he feels about most things relating to our country and the flag. He has coached, or coached himself into the belief that the American nation is the sport of Manifest Destiny and her course must be shaped by the Logic of Events. If Manifest Destiny wishes a war on us that will mean fighting for a generation and national disgrace for all time to come, all we can do is to accept it, drink the bitter cup to its dregs and wait for the next number on the program.

Senator Borah and the rest of his school, who get patriotic only when the boys are fighting at the front, should be honest with themselves and the people, for a change. If they favor annexation of Mexico, they should come out frankly and advocate it, instead of talking about Manifest Destiny. Most of these "flag-once-raised-shall-never-be-lowered" patriots are trying to embarrass the administration in its handling of the exceedingly trying situation in Mexico.

"It's a Sad Story, Mates"

"Never before has the United States sunk so low in its relations with other countries," laments the Hon. Curtis Guild of Boston. "We are the joke of the chancelleries of the world. We have touched the nadir of humiliation." This is serious. When the Hon. Curtis Guild begins to talk about the "nadir of humiliation" you may know that he is about as full of woe and dire forebodings as are Congressman Johnson and Humphries and Minority Leader Mann and Uncle Joe Cannon and Fire Alarm Foraker, all of whom are floundering in the slough of political despond and refusing to be comforted so long as a Democrat occupies the kingly seat in all this world.

Were not Mr. Guild and his associate Jeremiah's so obsessed with their self-made griefs they might discover that the nation's foreign relations are not so hopelessly poor after all. About the time Mr. Guild was voicing his humiliation, the British warships were aiding the United States in rescuing Americans in Mexico; a German diplomat was defying the Mexican authorities in his determination to uphold our policy in Mexico; Japan was turning back Huerta's emissaries who were trying to buy arms; France, through her representatives at Washington and Mexico City, was encouraging President Wilson's plans for eliminating Huerta and Huertalism; and Argentine, Brazil and Chili were tendering their good offices and mediation proposals. These foreign nations realize that President Wilson's policy is a real bulwark for permanent peace and constitutional peace in every country of South and Central America. No better method could be devised for discouraging wicked upheavals by unscrupulous military leaders than that now being employed by President Wilson with the moral support of the chief republics of South America and with the approval of all the European powers. There should be profound congratulation that we have no Curtis Guilds in places of influence at this crisis. It is just as well that they be allowed to remain in "the nadir of humiliation."

How the bride can store her lingerie.

HOW THE BRIDE CAN STORE HER LINGERIE.

The bride to be up to date should have a cupboard full of shelves as well as a bureau full of drawers to accommodate her lingerie. And these shelves must be fitted with an edging of ribbon and lace and chiffon put on in the manner of pantry shelf paper.

This edging costs, according to the elaborateness of its pattern and the fineness of its material, a goodly price. But it can be made less expensively.

It consists of a strip of satin ribbon or a hemmed strip of satin about three inches wide. Over this lace is plaited, and the two are fastened together with chiffon roses or little satin flowers. The edging is tacked on the edge of the shelves under the little flowers. Thumb tacks can be used for the tacking.

Dust collecting? Of course it is. And foolish and frivolous to boot. But it is dainty and a fit finish for the piles of filmy lingerie which are stowed away on the bride's shelves.

WITH THE COOK.

How to Make Deliciously Toothsome Jams Without Sugar.

This is a fine way to make jam without sugar. Wash, dry and pick the fruit and boil it till thoroughly cooked. Soft fruit, such as currants, etc., requires no water, but it is better to put a very little with stone fruit. Sweeten to taste with saccharine, and if the jam is a red one add a few drops of cochineal or carmine to color. Draw the pan to one side of the fire, allow the jam to keep hot, but do not let it boil again. Next prepare the jars most carefully, for the whole success of the jam depends on the thoroughness with which this is done. Unless every germ is excluded the fruit will ferment.

Choose glass jars, as these are less likely to contain any flaw than the earthenware jars. Wash the jars with strong soda water, rinse them in hot fresh water, wipe them, being especially careful to dry the crevices. Soak the covering papers, use good parchment, dry them and leave them till wanted on a clean cloth. Place a small table within reach of the preserving pan, and on it put a tray with a clean plate containing a scalded soup ladle, have ready to hand a small coal shovel, a box of matches, two hatpins, a stick of sulphur and as many small bits of sulphur as there are jars.

Light the stick of sulphur over the coal shovel and hold it in the left hand. Take a jar and hold it upside down over the sulphur for a few minutes, and when it is full of the sulphur fumes set it on the tray, upside down, so as to retain the fumes. Put the shovel on the window sill outside and shut the window.

Stick a tiny piece of sulphur on the end of one of the hatpins. Take up the jar and fill it quickly with fruit to within half an inch of the top of the jar, using the soup ladle to do this; if any gets split on the edge of the jar wipe it quickly but thoroughly off. Light the small piece of sulphur at the end of the hatpin and let it fall burning on top of the preserve, using the second hatpin to push it off the point of the other.

Cover the jar quickly with the parchment and tie it down tightly with string. Proceed in this way till all the jars are filled. Let them stand for twenty-four hours, then store them away in a cool, dry, dark place. If exposed to light the jam loses color. On opening a jar for use remove the piece of sulphur. It does not leave the slightest flavor. After opening, however, use the jam at once, as it will not keep.

Appropriate Ejaculation. "I have been digging for water on my place." "Well, well!"—Baltimore American.

Who's Who

PROFESSOR FERGUSSON, HYPNOTIST

Demonstrator of Hypnotism, Mesmerism, Spiritualism, Clairvoyance, C. lairaudience, and kindred Psychic Phenomena Sciences to be at the Grand Theatre next Saturday and Sunday nights, May 16 and 17. Assisted by Dr. Clara Ferris, the Psychic Wonder. Two hours of fun, science, mystery, revelation and education.

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Hypnotism is the funniest show on earth giving abundant "food for thought" as well as the most mystifying, enjoyable and side splitting laughter entertainment before the public.

GROSS ERROR TO ORDER BY MAIL

Catalogue Houses Threaten Very Life of Farmer.

PLAIN FACTS ABOUT TRADE.

Only Interest of Octopus is Farmer Customer's Money—Growth Due to Susceptibility of Persons in Small Communities—Mail Order Houses Consumed With Selfishness.

(Copyrighted, 1914, by Thomas J. Sullivan.) Error is not a fault of our knowledge, but a mistake of our judgment. It is almost as difficult to make a man unlearn his errors as his knowledge. Misinformation is more hopeless than ignorance, for error is always more hopeless than ignorance. Ignorance is a blank sheet on which we may write, but error is a scribbled one from which we must first erase. Ignorance is contented to stand still with her back to the truth, but error is more presumptuous and proceeds in the wrong direction. Ignorance has no light, but error has farther to go before she can arrive at truth than has ignorance.

So that these mail order traders may not plead ignorance in extenuation of their offense we give below a categorical list of things which the mail order houses do not do. We trust they will prove eye openers to the unwise.

What Catalogue Houses Do Not Do. The retail catalogue houses do not buy the farmer's produce.

They do not buy the farmer's stock and hogs.

They do not help to educate the farmer's children.

They do not pay any taxes in your community.

They do not help support your schools, churches and charitable institutions.

They do not encourage the farmer's boy or young men in small cities to engage in business.

They Don't Build Your Roads. They do not help to build your roads or care for your streets.

They do not sell you as good a grade of goods as you can buy in your own home town.

They do not show you goods before you pay for them.

They do not deliver promptly goods that you buy from them.

They do not advocate the building up of country towns.

They do not oppose the centralization of business in the large cities.

They do not, in return for the farmer consumer's trade, the farmer who buys their clothing, household goods, farm implements, etc.—buy the farmer's butter, eggs, cheese, grain and wood.

They do not buy your grain, butter, cheese and stock from pictures and pay in advance the same as you do.

They do not buy anything from the farmer or consumer from a picture.

They do not spend a dollar of their money with the farmer or consumer.

They never spend a dollar with your local merchant.

They do not furnish employment to a single resident of your community.

They'll Not Give You Credit. They do not extend to you credit, as does the local merchant, when you are hard up.

They do not sympathize with you at a time when you have sickness in your family.

They do not sympathize with you when your wife or children are taken from you.

They do not want to see your local merchant prosper in business.

They do not do anything for anybody except themselves.

Does the small city, town or village ever see a dollar of their money?

Like a Huge Octopus.

The above, it would seem, shows a good and sufficient number of reasons why this mail order octopus should be left severely alone by both the farmer and the residents of small cities and towns who have thoughtlessly lent it their patronage. It is spreading out over the land, daily gaining in strength and magnitude and gradually but surely sapping the life-blood of the small communities, reducing property values, endangering local investments and causing a condition of chaos and misery everywhere.

It is a monster of local destruction, this retail catalogue house, and we regret to say that its growth is entirely due to the susceptibility of the farmers and residents of small towns who patronize it extensively to their own financial injury.

The Modern Child. "Progressive Offspring—Pause, father! Is that whip sterilized?"—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

At MOTION PICTURE THEATRES



FROM "THE IMPERSONATOR."

"THE IMPERSONATOR." Edison special release for April 10, is a drama of life in Washington adapted from the well known novel by Mary Inlay Taylor. It is in three parts and produced in Washington and at the Edison studio under the direction of Charles J. Brabin. A dramatic moment from the photo play is here pictured.



LILLIAN DREW.

Lillian Drew is a talented member of the Essanay company of photo play producers. She appeared in "Luck In Odd Numbers," which you may have seen or may still see.

Edward R. G. R. Evans, commander of H. M. S. President in the English navy, who was the second in command of the Captain Robert F. Scott south pole expedition, was caught giving an autographed portrait of himself to Miss Norma Phillips, the heroine of "Our Mutual Girl" series. He will be seen in the coming chapter of this great Mutual movie serial.

After weeks of publicity "Samson," the great six reel production of the Universal company, is at last ready for the market. Never has a picture been more widely heralded than this. It has been advertised from coast to coast as the greatest effort of its kind, and it need not be added that the moving picture trade and patrons have looked forward to its first showing.

Scenario writers will be interested to learn that the American Film Manufacturing company of Chicago is on the qui vive for scenarios adapted for comedies and light dramas for use in the "Beauty" films.

Irving Cummings, one of the most popular leading men on the screen today, will soon be seen again in Mutual movies. Mr. Cummings, who has a large personal following among the photo play "fans," is now under a long term contract with the Thanhouser Film corporation.

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EAGLES TO JOLLIFY Grays Harbor Eagles Will Journey to Montesano to Observe Annual Grays Harbor Day

large delegation, headed by the Eagles' brass band of Hoquiam.

Aberdeen and Hoquiam Eagles will soar towards Montesano this evening to participate in the annual Grays Harbor Eagles day and the dedication of Eagles Hall at the county seat. The dedication will be followed by initiation of a large class, and ending with a banquet. The local Eagles' special train will leave the union passenger station at 7:30 p. m. and will carry a

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