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## A Slap on the Wrist

**P**OLICE JUDGE GORDON yesterday assessed a fine of \$100 against B. F. Ivy, manager of the Troy laundry, after he had decided that Ivy was guilty of having discharged Johanna Hilts, one of the laundry employes, because she had obeyed the summons of the Industrial Welfare Commission to appear before them at Olympia and tell of conditions in Seattle laundries.

## Where Tightwads Err

**I**T ought to be easy to tell the difference between thrift and stinginess. But many folks don't know it. No tightwad does.

A THIRTYFIVE MAN IS ALWAYS A LIBERAL MAN, though not a wasteful one. When he spends a dollar his face doesn't show spasms of pain nor does he tremble with avarice until his dollar returns, leading another dollar of profit.

He spends intelligently and therefore willingly, and is content to await the outcome, because he knows that in the long run he will get back from society about in proportion as he gives.

As with individuals so with communities, states, nations. Economy doesn't mean parsimony. It means when and how to be liberal. It means having foresight.

Looks plain, doesn't it?

## The Throb of Brotherhood

**A** PROSPEROUS farmer and a battered bum drove into a little Nebraska town the other day—but neither the bleared eyes of the vagrant nor the keener ones of the farmer saw the whirling maze of life.

For their hearts were full of other visions—drawn from the dusts of a half-century by the humming of a song. They saw the whitewashed hut, the peat fields, the donkey carts of Ireland, and they felt again the throb of boyhood and of brotherhood.

Two brothers left the Emerald Isle to try their fortunes in America. One found his place in the broad wheat fields of Nebraska, where each summer's sun added to his stock of worldly goods. The other kept looking—gazing too often through the bottom of glasses to see opportunities and ever moving on in the hope that Fate would toss a fortune, ready-made, into his hands.

No word passed between them. This year the battered wanderer went into the harvest fields to work. No names were given. But as he worked he sang—and he sang the song of other years.

The song had its echo in the memory of the employer—only they are no longer employer and hired hand, but Pat and Bob, as they were when they left Ireland a half-century ago.

The moral? There isn't any at all—except that the world is full of a number of things, and that among them are emotions so changeless, memories so deeply engraved that a song can wipe away the wealth of the prosperous and the scars of battered failure and leave them simply "brothers."

**MAYOR OF Montreal has gone on strike and refuses to attend official meetings unless his back salary is paid.**

**LOSING AN ear in an accident, Baltimore man had a new one built by grafting, which is declared a genuine work of art.**

**HIGH PRICE OF BEEF—Holstein bull calf at public auction sale in Chicago sold for \$20,000, the highest price ever paid for such an animal.**

**LARGEST FLAGPOLE in the world was raised on Panama-Pacific exposition grounds. It is an Oregon pine, 230 feet high and six feet thick at the base.**

**BECAUSE THE bridegroom was late, Scranton girl promptly married the best man.**

**SINGULAR CASE of rabies developed by a girl in York, Pa. Fifteen years ago she was bitten by a dog, and she was married a week ago.**

**LITTLE NECK, L. I., folk want to change town name. Tired of being called clams.**

**JERSEY CITY man lost diamond ring feeding his fifty chickens. He has already killed 12 to examine their crops, and the rest will have to go in batches until he finds it.**

**FIRST MAN to pitch a curved ball died in Binghamton. His name was Bert Dorr.**

**JOHN HAM, an actor, changed his name to Hammond. He considered his original name too pointed for his profession.**

# 'I'LL TURN THE PENITENTIARY INTO HOSPITAL'

### Blease of South Carolina, Champion Pardoning Governor, Tells Why He Lets Convicts Go by Hundreds

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 8.—Cole T. Blease, governor of South Carolina, has been roasted and ridiculed up and down the United States because he is the champion pardoning governor.

His latest announcement is as follows: "I am determined to clean out the penitentiary by Aug. 1 and turn it into a hospital."

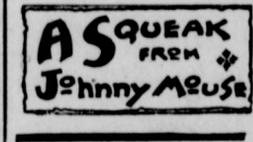
It may be all right to ridicule and damn Blease, but what is Blease's point of view? Your correspondent called on the governor and asked him to give his reasons for such lavish pardoning for the benefit of The Star readers.

PLAYING THE GOLDEN RULE THAN BY SHOWING MERCY wherever I can. I believe there will be a reward for me in heaven for the mercy I have shown.

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## THE SEATTLE STAR'S LAUGH DEPARTMENT



WHAT A GRAND THING THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE IS! ME, FOOL MOUSE!

SHE IS THE ONE MIND OF REFINEMENT FOR WHICH TO TELL AN EDUCATED PERSON! YOU SURE ARE RIGHT!

BY GOD! I CAN'T KNOW HOW I GOT ALONG IF I DON'T HAVE MY GOOD ENGLISH TO FALL BACK ON! THAT'S NO BLARNEY!



### OUTBURSTS OF EVERETT TRUE

DO YOU'VE HAD AN ACCIDENT, HAVEN'T YOU? WELL, ALL I HAVE TO SAY IS I'M GLAD OF IT!

DO YOU KNOW WHO YOU'RE TALKING TO?

YES, YOU'RE THE LAD THAT TRIED TO SEE HOW CLOSE YOU COULD PASS WITHOUT KILLING ME BACK HERE ABOUT A MILE!!



**Sure!**  
In the census office at Washington acts against the law are recorded under a few main heads, such as murder, burglary, etc. A lady who was working there recently ran across the crime, "Running a blind tiger." After a puzzled moment she placed it under the list "Cruelty to animals."

**Out Yesler Way**  
"Do you know, I envy the birds."  
"Yes, they're so gay and free; fly here and—"  
"Yes, and have only one bill the year 'round."

**Looks Bad for Pa**  
"Ma," inquired Bobby, "hasn't pa a queer idea of heaven?"  
"Why do you ask that?"  
"Cause I heard him tell Mr. Nabor that the week you spent at the seaside seemed like heaven to him."

**Essily Recognized**  
The candy raucator into the village shop and asked, with an offensive air:  
"Do you sell puppy biscuits in this queer little shop?"  
"Yes, sir, certainly," said the shopman suavely. "Shall I put them in a bag for you to take home, or will you eat them here?"

**A Give-Away**  
"What are yer goin' ter whip little Josh fer, pa?"  
"Playin' with condensed milk cans right before all them summer boarders."  
Pure Gold!  
Oh for a barber who does not talk! Oh for an auto that does not balk! Oh for a summer without a fly! Oh for a baby that doesn't cry! Oh for trousers that will not bag! Oh for a job that will never fag! Oh for a man who likes to wait— Oh for a woman who's never late!

**And Then Good-Night**  
The Seven Ages of Man, in Relation to Woman:  
(1) Infancy ..... Dependence  
(2) Childhood ..... Indifference  
(3) Adolescence ..... Idealization  
(4) Young Manhood ..... Experience  
(5) Early Middle Age ..... Disillusionment  
(6) Later Middle Age ..... Tolerance  
(7) Old Age ..... Dependence Again

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### CAUTION NEEDED



"I have been told these tortoise shell glasses make me look scholarly."

"Then for goodness' sake don't take them off near people who haven't seen you without them."

**WHAT'S IN A NAME?**  
"What's the child's name?" asked the priest of the grandfather at the christening.  
"I dunno," the grandfather replied. And he turned to the father and whispered hoarsely: "What's the name?"  
"Hazel," replied the father.  
"What?" asked the grandfather.  
"Hazel," repeated the father.  
The grandfather threw up his hands in disgust. "What d'ye think uv that?" he asked the priest. "With the calendar av the saints full av gur-r-i names—an' him nam-'in' his after a nut!"

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**IT'S UP TO JOHN**  
A claim of \$2,242.30, filed with the county commissioners by the socialist party for damages done to headquarters during the riots of last year's Potlatch, has been referred to Prosecutor John Murphy.

**ELIHU WRITES TO CHAMBER**  
The Clayton anti-trust bill exempting certain organizations from the effect of the act contains some very bad provisions, according to a letter from United States Senator Elihu Root, read yesterday before the Chamber of Commerce trustees.

Frank Stone, a white man of Laurens county, swindled a neighbor by palming off on him a blind horse. "There's no excuse for a man saying a blind horse was put off on him unless he was either blind or drunk," said the governor, freeing Stone.

Negroes, according to the governor, have a low standard of morality, and therefore he paroled William Johnson, a negro, who killed another in a fuse over a woman.

The governor does not think a white man should be punished for killing a negro who curses him. He paroled Otis Hilton, a white man from Chester county, who was given a life sentence in the state penitentiary for killing a negro.

"My experience with detectives, or so-called detectives, who are to receive so much for each conviction, has been that THEY WILL SWEAR TO ANY KIND OF A LIE in order to get the \$10," is one of the reasons given by the governor in pardoning Bud Willis, a white man who had been convicted of selling liquor in Spartanburg.

**Shows Mercy**  
Carrying out his idea of paroling prisoners, Governor Blease has granted freedom to scores on the condition that "if he ever takes

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**ASSETS.**  
Loans and Discounts ..... \$31,022,894.30  
Bank Premises San Francisco and Branches, 1,183,634.68  
Other Real Estate ..... 485,469.13  
Customers' Liability under Letters of Credit, 3,635,820.47  
Sundry Bonds and Stocks ..... 4,514,694.70  
United States Bonds to secure Circulation, 5,019,000.00  
Other United States Bonds ..... 285,000.00  
Redemption Fund with United States Treasurer ..... 250,000.00  
Cash and Sight Exchange ..... 16,897,648.59  
\$63,294,161.87

**LIABILITIES.**  
Capital Paid in Gold Coin ..... \$ 8,500,000.00  
Surplus and Undivided Profits ..... 8,266,347.60  
Circulation ..... 4,999,500.00  
Letters of Credit ..... 3,770,518.77  
Other Liabilities ..... 47,949.93  
Deposits ..... 37,709,845.57  
\$63,294,161.87

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Gov. Cole L. Blease

led to the state penitentiary to serve the remainder of the sentence.

Although no official compilation is kept to show the race of the prisoner receiving clemency, the governor himself is of the opinion that over HALF OF THE MEN HE HAS TURNED LOOSE ARE NEGROES.

This in a state where the negro is of no account and where a man has no use for the black brother, brother.

**Diana Pippickles**  
In "An Element of Risk in Motorcycling"  
A 4-Reel 'Screecher' Film

