

WON POPULARITY BY FEAST

How New Hebrides Outcast Chief Centred to Become the Big Ruler of Vao.

Many of the inhabitants of the island of Vao in the New Hebrides are refugees from the big island of Malekula, who were vanquished in battle and literally driven off the earth by their enemies.

FLYING ABOVE THE CLOUDS

Possible to Experience Every Degree of Fog and Sunshine Within a Few Minutes.

The full majesty of the aerial perspective can only be realized when one is above the clouds and the earth is shut off from view.

Preserving Fruit in Transit.

In an attempt to evolve methods of preventing the spoilage of fruits and vegetables by freezing while in transit or storage, the Department of Agriculture is conducting thousands of experiments at the Arlington (Va.) laboratories.

People Hard to Reach.

How much remains to be done before we shall have a complete knowledge of the inhabitants of our planet is indicated by the failure of an expedition from the American Museum of Natural History to get into communication with the Naskapi Indians of Labrador.

Disabled Soldiers Good Students.

In a report made by the dean of the University of Wisconsin, special mention is made of the excellent progress made by the 234 disabled soldiers who are known as federal board students.

Mortland Won.

The Rev. R. P. Jones, of Franklin, was talking rather seriously to his four-year-old son, Mortland, Sunday, on misbehavior, when the child interrupted him by saying: "Daddy, you know you make me lose my heart when you talk like that."

SOME SMILES

Absolutely! Hereafter there will be absolutely no smoking in barracks at any time," bellowed a captain in Maritan arsenal, New Jersey, after a fire caused by a forgotten butt had been quelled.

The Grand Essential.

"What is the plot of your new play?" "We haven't begun to think about that," replied the producing manager.

Spoiling the Show.

"I understand the magician's performance was broken up in disorder." "Yes, while he was levitating Princess Oompah, a careless stage hand left a door open and exposed her to a strong draft."

An Ingenious Thing.

Mrs. Mason, who had just had installed an electric cooking stove, asked her maid, Norah, what she thought of it.

Light-Headed.

The lights were very low, and stillness reigned in the back parlor. Presently a female voice was heard: "Freddie, dear!"



AN IMPOSSIBLE UNDERTAKING. "I hear that you have been laid up with nervous prostration. What's the cause, overwork or worry?"

Best Way Out.

When Brazer hints that he is short and starts the same old song, "Don't wait to hear how short he is, but just remark, 'So long!'"

Place to Park Cars.

Styles—I see that pawnbroker on the next block has started an automobile department in connection with his business.

Saw His Mouth.

Belle—Did his face express any emotions while I was slugging? Beulah—Really, I don't know.

Inevitable Leisure.

"Nobody ought to enjoy the bread of idleness." "And yet you can't expect a man who sells bread these days to avoid getting rich enough to quit work."

This Is Mean.

"Why don't married men kiss their wives often?" "I dunno. I have noticed, however, that the mouse in the trap seems to lose all taste for cheese."

Give Him Fits.

Jones—Clothes don't make the man. Bones—How could they be expected to when even a man's own opinion of himself doesn't fit.—Cartoons Magazine.

A Touch of Authority.

"You claim to be an optimist?" "I do," replied the photographer. "When I tell a man to smile, he invariably does his best."

A Cynical Woman.

Mrs. Green—My husband seems to enjoy life thoroughly. Mrs. Wyse—What a lot of bad habits he must have.—Boston Transcript.

Going Alone.

"There's one advantage golf has over baseball." "What's that?" "You don't have to take your wife to see it played."

HOW TO RETAIN YOUTH LONG

Learn to Employ the Passing Years With Constantly Increasing Wisdom and Discretion.

Youth is a quality, a spiritual energy, and, properly speaking, there is no "old age," but spiritual decay. "The foot less prompt to meet the morning dew" is no valid evidence of growing old, any more than to lose a leg in battle.

Because we grow wiser and stronger, less selfish and generally more useful to our fellows with the passage of the years is not to say that we have lost our youth. It only means that we have learned how to employ it.

Decay, disillusion, weariness; we mean these things when we speak of "growing old," but we fail to realize that these are no necessary accompaniments of the years. We may, unfortunately, inherit them, or acquire them, like bad habits, or through neglect of a proper care and exercise of our spiritual selves.

HAVE KEEN SENSE OF HOME

Abundant Proof That Birds Return Year After Year to Scenes of Familiarity.

Bird lovers have believed for centuries that migratory birds return to the same home, year after year. Modern science has proved this belief to be right. Birds are caught in traps that do not hurt them, marked with tiny legbands of aluminum, each bearing a number, and released.

Evidently, a bird's memory for direction and location must be quite as marvelous as the older writers believed. The catbird winters as far south as Panama, yet catbirds marked in northern Ohio came back to the same neighborhood, year after year.

Cats find their way back to the old home across a township, horses across a county or two, and dogs have been known to pass through several states in returning to a beloved master, but birds find their way across a continent, and sometimes over a sea as well.

Very Useful Tree.

What is claimed to be the most marvelous of trees grows in Brazil. It is the carnahuba palm, and can be employed for many useful purposes. Its roots produce the same medicinal effect as sarsaparilla. Its stems afford strong, light fibres, which acquire a beautiful luster, and serve also for joists, rafters and other building materials, as well as for stakes for fences.

Teak Wood Highly Valued.

Teak, for some purposes the most valuable of all woods, is chiefly produced commercially by Burma, although it is also supplied by India, Siam and Java. As a plant, teak is remarkable for its large leaves, which reach ten to twenty inches in length and eight to fifteen in breadth, and are so rough that they are used for sandpapering. The trees often grow 80 to 100 feet tall, with a circumference of six to ten feet, the largest recorded log cut in Upper Burma in 1898, having measured 87 1/2 feet in length and yielded over twelve tons of timber.

Mystery of Egg Lines.

Why are some birds' eggs pure white and unmarked and others variously and highly colored, with all sorts of marks upon them, from minute dots to scraggly lines? asks the American Forestry Magazine. How are these spots and markings produced? Nests of birds run all the way from the female laying a single egg on the bare rock on the coast, to those laying ten or more eggs in a very elaborate nest built in very different localities.

RECALLED FOND MEMORIES.

A director, who has a reputation for being rather harsh and overbearing in his methods was giving his leading man a tongue lashing that fairly turned the atmosphere blue.

"What the deuce are you grinning about?" barked the director. "Do you like to be cursed?" "Why, yes, I rather enjoy it," chuckled the actor. "It recalls the good old days, you know, when I played Uncle Tom and was beaten to death every night by Simon Legree."—Film Fun.

Modest.

First Manager—I'm fed up with these movie stars. Young Cecil Le-grand is just the limit.

Second Manager—What's the matter now? First Manager—He wants me to put on a play he's written in which he's featured as a heavyweight champion in the first part and a winning jockey in the second.—Film Fun.

Strange—Passing Stranger!

The city visitor was consulting the oldest inhabitant. "How many people in this town now?" he asked.

"Twenty-five, sir." "How many did you have last year?" "Twenty-five, sir." "That's strange. Aren't there any babies ever born in this town?" "Yes, sir. But most every time a baby is born, somebody leaves town."



TWELVE BUG POWER.

Papa Spider—Hey son, run out and catch a few more fireflies, the light is getting low.

Advice.

Here, young man, is a simple plan. Go to it; if it is un-American, Don't do it!

Sympathy.

"See that man going into the office building?" the chauffeur inquired as he casually prepared to move his car from the curb. "I feel sorry for him sometimes—he has to work so darned hard."

"You mean in order to make his living?" the doorman, in response, asked idly. "No," the chauffeur replied as he gently let in the clutch, "to make mine."

Tragic.

He (during quarrel)—Then why did you marry me? She—Just to get even with that hateful Maud Brown and to make her cry her eyes out because I took you away from her. He—Good heavens, woman, what have you done? Why, I married you just because she threw me over.

Good Advice.

"This—uh—glub—spaghetti is awful—lob—glob—slippery—stuff!" complained a customer in the rapid-fire restaurant. "Aw, don't try to eat it with your knife!" briskly said Heloise, the waitress. "Ketch it by the tail and reel it in."—Country Gentleman.

Of Course, Not!

Staff Officer (benevolently to little girl)—And what is your name, my dear? Modern "Little Dear"—D'you know you shouldn't speak to a lady without being introduced.

The Universe and Us.

First Star—They think they know how big we are. Second Star—Well, that's nothing; we think we know how small they are.



A PERTINENT QUESTION

Monk—Say, old chap, what are you behind the bars for?

In Botany.

"Of what are you afraid, my child?" Inquired the kindly teacher. "Oh, sir, the flowers! They are wild!" Replied the timid creature.

All Serene.

"I notice they're on very peaceful terms with their next-door neighbors." "Yes; the two families don't speak to each other."—New York Sun.

His Views.

"Can the ouija board read the future?" "Well, I don't know. Sometimes I think the future is a blank page."

His Mistake.

Tom—I tried to open my heart to her, but she stopped me coldly. Ned—No wonder; she's an anti-vivisectionist.—Boston Transcript.

EARTH'S SURFACE IN UNREST

Scientists Have Proved That It Is Never at Any Time Without Some Movement.

No portion of the earth's surface is ever at rest, though all but the great movements of earthquakes escaped attention until recent years. The minute vibrations are followed by J. J. Shaw in Nature as an unending train of waves, waxing and waning in amplitude, that are unceasingly coursing along the earth's crust and reach to unknown depths.

SENT FRIEND UNIQUE GIFT

When Andrew Johnson Resumed His Needle to Fashion a Mark of Personal Affection.

There's always just one more story about any of America's former Presidents. This time there is another about Andrew Johnson, Lincoln's tempestuous successor.

Johnson, while governor of Tennessee, once resumed his vocational implements. He had formed a strong friendship in the Tennessee legislature for W. W. Pepper of Springfield, a staunch Whig, and once a blacksmith. Despite their irreconcilable political creeds the personal relations of Johnson and Pepper were extremely cordial.

His Time Was Not Up Yet.

A man of mercenary spirit had a son whom he kept well under parental charge, allowing him few liberties and making him work hard.

It was with a feeling of considerable satisfaction that the young man rose on the morning of his twenty-first birthday and began to collect his belongings preparatory to starting out in the world.

The farmer, seeing his son packing his trunk, which he rightly judged to be evidence of the early loss of a good farm hand, stopped at the door of the young man's room and asked what he was going to do.

The boy very promptly reminded his father of the day of the month and the year and declared his intention of striking out into the world on his own account.

"Not much you won't!" shouted the old man. "At least not for a while yet! You weren't born until after 12 o'clock, so you can just take off them good clothes and give me another half day's work down in the potato patch."—Harper's Magazine.

It Was a Good One.

It was our custom in English class at school to choose a certain person to read his theme aloud before the class, writes a correspondent. On this particular day the girl who sat across the table from me had let me see her paper before class started. It was a good one, so when the teacher asked whose theme we would like to hear, I promptly suggested that the girl across from me read hers.

Keeping the Record Straight.

"You say you didn't write burning letters," thundered the lawyer for the plaintiff in a divorce suit, "but here is the proof in black and white." "Black and blue," interrupted the judge, "if you are referring to the letters in your hand."

Some Girl.

"How about Miss Peacher?" "In what particular?" "Is she pretty?" "She's so easy on the eyes that a 100 per cent fan wouldn't mind tasting her to the ball park and explaining every play that was made."

LEGAL NOTICES

First Pub. April 28, 1921—4w PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of Dakota County, Nebraska.

In the Matter of the Estate of Miles Riley, also known as Miles T. Reilly, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that the creditors of the said deceased will meet the Executor of said estate, before me, County Judge of Dakota County, Nebraska, at the County court room in said county, on the 23rd day of July, 1921, and on the 23rd day of September, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M. each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance.

Five months are allowed for the creditors to present their claims and one year for the Executor to settle said estate, from the 23rd day of April, 1921. This notice will be published in The Dakota County Herald for four weeks successively prior to the 23rd day of July, 1921.

Witness my hand, and seal of said court, this 23rd day of April, A. D. 1921.

SHERMAN W. MCKINLEY, County Judge.

First Pub. May 5, 1921—3w. Order of Hearing on Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

State of Nebraska,) ss. Dakota County,) In the County Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Olof F. Mogensen, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Chris Mogensen praying that Administration of said Estate may be granted to him as Administrator.

Ordered, That May 21, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a County Court to be held in and for said County, and show cause why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Dakota County Herald, a weekly newspaper printed in said County, for 3 successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing.

Dated April 30th, 1921. SHERMAN W. MCKINLEY, County Judge.

First Pub. May 5, 1921—3w. Order of Hearing and Notice of Probate of Foreign Will.

In the County Court of Dakota County, Nebraska.

State of Nebraska, County of Dakota—ss.

To Peter A. Fosselmann, John Fosselmann, Alois Fosselmann, Charles F. Fosselmann, Celia Fosselmann, now Sister M. Bernardine; Irene Schoenborn, now Galloway; Frances Schoenborn, now Sister M. Sylvius; Celia Schoenborn, now Sister M. Evangelist; Anthony Fosselmann, Joseph Fosselmann, Bernhard Fosselmann, Frank Fosselmann, Leo Fosselmann, Rose Fosselmann, now Sister M. Theresa; Bernardine Fosselmann, Mary Katherine Fosselmann; Father Ludon or his successor, and to all persons interested in the estate of Charles Fosselmann, deceased.

On reading the petition of Peter Fosselmann praying that the instrument filed in this Court on the 30th day of April, 1921, and purporting to be a duly authenticated copy of the last will and testament of Charles Fosselmann, deceased, that said instrument be admitted to probate, and the administration of said estate be granted to Peter Fosselmann as executor for the State of Nebraska.

It is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter, may, and do appear at the County Court to be held in and for said county on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Dakota County Herald, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

Witness my hand, and seal of said court this 30th day of April, A. D. 1921.

SHERMAN W. MCKINLEY, County Judge.

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