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MACKINTOSH SHOWS HIGH TARIFF NEEDED IN SKAGIT COUNTY

CONCRETE BOYS WIN FROM HAMILTON IN BIG GAME OF SEASON

LOCAL ELEVEN HAS EASY TIME
IN ROLLING UP 20 TO 0 SCORE
—MOUNT VERNON RESERVES
ALSO TAKEN INTO CAMP.

The Concrete high school not only won the big game of the season over its traditional opponent, Hamilton, on the local grounds last Friday afternoon, but in doing so, rolled up the largest score ever made by a Concrete football team against a Hamilton team. In fact, Concrete victories over Hamilton in football have been few and far between.

This year the Concrete team clearly outclassed Hamilton, the local eleven outplaying the boys from the downriver town in every department of the game. Hamilton made yardage but a few times during the game and were never in position to score, unless getting a lucky break. The teams were pretty evenly matched for weight, but the Concrete boys had the advantage in experience and knowledge of the game.

"The purpose of a Republican tariff is to impose duties high enough to protect the American markets, which are the richest in the world, for American farmers, American industries and American labor," said Mr. Mackintosh. "The Democratic platform adopted this year declares for a 'competitive' tariff, a name adopted when the notorious Underwood bill was passed in 1913. In no event, said the Democrats, would they consent to a tariff higher than the difference in cost of production at home and abroad. They do not promise that much protection. They say, in effect, to foreign producers that in no circumstances will they be embarrassed in entering American markets in competition with our producers. The Republican promise absolutely guarantees safety from ruinous competition.

"I am a protectionist from conviction and training. I have always favored full security to our farmers, manufacturers and labor. I shall vote that way in the senate and in the caucuses of the Republican party. My Democratic opponent, Mr. Dill, has voted on every test in favor of tariff reduction. In addition he wrote a letter to the Spokane Spokesman-Review in January of this year saying that he stood squarely with his party for a 'competitive tariff'; that is, to let down the bars to foreign producers. He voted for a senate resolution asking the House to introduce a bill cutting tariff rates. When in the House in 1916 he voted against a resolution directing the ways and means committee to prepare a protective tariff bill—one designed to wipe out the inequities of the Underwood bill.

"Under the Republican Payne-Adrich bill we had a tariff of eight cents per 100 pounds on cement in barrels, bags or other containers, and seven cents on cement in bulk. The Democratic Underwood bill took off this protection and admitted cement free. Al Smith said frankly he regarded the Underwood bill as a model tariff measure and Mr. Dill endorsed its 'competitive' scheme of opening our markets. I am in favor of protecting Skagit county's great cement industry."

"Skagit county is on its way to become the greatest seed producing center of the world, but experience has shown we need greater aid from a protective tariff to offset the cheap labor conditions of Europe.

"There isn't a dairyman in Skagit county who has not learned through personal experience of the destruction that follows in the wake of a Democratic 'competitive tariff,' which is a disguised term for free trade. Skagit fishermen, saw and shingle mills have suffered from Democratic free trade and are entitled, when the next tariff bill is drawn, to the protection that we demand for other American industries."

"More than forty Washington products were placed on the free list by the Underwood bill and we have not recovered, in some industries, from the blighting effect of that measure."

"Tariff revision is promised by bot-

Concrete scored its first touchdown in exactly 42 seconds after the game started. Hamilton kicked off and the first kick went out of bounds. The ball was brought back and kicked again. Thosath caught the ball and started down the field; after a nice run he tripped and dropped the ball, but Linne was following him closely and picked up the ball on the first bounce. As the whole Hamilton team was after Thosath, Linne had a clear field and made the goal line without any trouble. A pass was tried for the extra point and failed. The play was in the center of the field for the rest of the quarter, with both teams playing safe football.

In the second quarter Concrete went down the field on a series of line bucks, end runs and reverse plays, with a few short passes, the finish being that Frank went over the line for the second touchdown. Another pass was tried for the added point, and failed but Concrete was given the point on account of interference by Hamilton. The third touchdown was made by Scales in the third quarter after a nice run. Thosath droppedkicked for the point. There was a record crowd out and the game was one of the kind that the fans enjoy. It was cleanly played there were few penalties and very few injuries. Valentine of Mount Vernon was the referee and seemed to be entirely satisfactory to both teams.

Yesterday afternoon Coach Wiseman took his boys to Mount Vernon and mixed it with the second team of that school. Concrete again carried off the honors, the score being Concrete, 13, Mount Vernon 0. The first touchdown was made early in the game on a series of line plays that the Mount Vernon boys seemed unable to solve. A pass was completed for the extra point. The second touchdown came in the second half and was made by Berry, when he picked up a fumbled punt and ran almost the length of the field. A dropkick for the point struck the crossbar on the posts.

On Friday afternoon of next week the Concrete boys have a game with the Sedro-Woolley reserves here. AS they won from them in Sedro-Woolley a few weeks ago, even though it was by the narrow margin of 7 to 5 they expect to repeat, and are hoping for a larger score.

The Concrete boys have been playing splendid football this season, and if they keep it up, they will make a record that will be a credit to them and to their coach.

parties. Our state must have tariff duties fixed on the Republican basis of full protection to all our producers. That is the kind of a tariff I stand for and the kind of a tariff I will work for. It is the kind of a tariff the Democratic party never did favor, says frankly it will not give now if it has the chance, and the kind no Democratic senator can or will help pass. Skagit county's safety lies only with the Republican party."

RECORD CROWD ATTENDS SUPPER AT LOCAL CHURCH

The family supper served in the basement of the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening by the Ladies' Auxiliary, set a new record for attendance for an affair of the kind in Concrete. There were about 250 people served and more than 30 turned away. The women ran out of "eats" before the evening was over, and their efforts to supplement their donations by purchases were only partially successful on account of the stores being closed. The women regret the food shortage and hope to recompense the disappointed ones in the near future. Purchased tickets that were not used can be redeemed by seeing the pastor of the church.

Following the dinner, Rev. L. H. Pedersen conducted a "sing" in the church, the first of the season. The participation was all that could be desired, and such was the musical momentum in the closing round that it looked for a time as if it might be necessary to cut off the lights to stop the song. Mr. Pedersen plans to put on about four such sings during the winter, the songs to be interspersed with local and regional colored pictures shown on the screen.

COMMITTEE HAS MEETING TO PLAN CHRISTMAS TREE

The committee which handled the community Christmas tree last year met yesterday evening to start plans for a tree this year. The tree and the usual Christmas entertainment will be held in the school gymnasium on Friday evening, December 21. It is planned to give a dance on November 16, if local arrangements permit, for the benefit of the tree. Further particulars and membership of committees will be published next week.

**COMES FROM MICHIGAN
TO VISIT BROTHER HERE**

John Kelly arrived in town Monday from Flint, Mich., for an extended visit with his brother, Martin Kelly, of this city, whom he had not seen for 38 years. At first Martin was unable to recognize his brother, and believed him to be an impostor. However, John was later able to convince Martin that they were brothers and they are now making up for lost time.

**VAUDEVILLE IS FEATURE
OF PROGRAM AT THEATER**

There are some fine attractions at the Concrete theater this week, but the program for Tuesday and Wednesday nights will likely be voted the best by the patrons. On these evenings there will be a fine picture and in addition there will be a good vaudeville program. The vaudeville will be almost entirely musical numbers, the performers being "Sailor" Hayes, splendid singer who has proved a hit everywhere he has appeared; "The Masked Singer", recently from Keith's circuit and who has proved a sensation; and Frankie Hopkins, who with his trumpet solos and his personality, has won the hearts of all. He also acts as director during the program. The picture for the two nights is "Ham and Eggs at the Front", a comedy telling of the adventures of two colored soldiers at the front during the war. The cast includes Tom Wilson, Heine Conlin and Myrna Loy.

On Saturday night Richard Dix is featured in "Easy Come Easy Go," a comedy that will provide plenty of laughs and which has a few thrills.

For Sunday and Monday nights the attraction will be "Beggars of Life" a late picture that is now having its first run in Seattle. It is a drama of life among the outcasts of society. It has many exciting situations and an unusual romance. The cast is headed by Wallace Beery and Louise Brooks.

On Thursday and Friday nights the feature will be "Les Miserables", adapted from the famous novel by Victor Hugo. The book is one of the classics of fiction and is too well known to require any description. The picture is said to be as entertaining as the novel, and it ranks as one of the really great photoplays of the past year. All should see it.

**VOTING MACHINE IS MADE
READY FOR THE ELECTION**

Fred E. Bertrand, county auditor and Fred Ellis, his chief deputy, were in the city this week, making the voting machine ready for use at the general election of November 6. The official ballot was put in place and the machine is now ready for voting.

Voters in East Concrete are asked to visit the city hall between now and the election to look over the machine and become familiar with the position of the various candidates. This will expedite the voting on election day. The machine is locked, so there is no chance for practice voting. The voters in West Concrete will vote at the I. O. O. F. hall and will use paper ballots.

**E CONCRETE GRADE BOYS
LOSE BURLINGTON GAME**

Last Thursday the soccer team of the Concrete grade school journeyed to Burlington and lost a hard-fought battle to the Burlington graders by the close score of 1 to 0. Although outweighed about 20 pounds to the man, the Concrete youngsters never gave up, and were fighting as hard at the last as at the start of the game. Even though they lost, the boys won a moral victory by holding the larger boys to one goal. Next Friday, November 2, Concrete meets the strong Utopia team on the local field, and this promises to be one of the best games of the season.

**SUCCESSFUL CARNIVAL
IS HELD BY HIGH SCHOOL**

The students of the Concrete high school held an indoor carnival in the gymnasium building last Friday evening, and the affair proved a success in every way. The crowd taxed the capacity of the big hall, and all who were there repert a fine time. There were booths of various kinds along both sides if the gym, offering various wares and attractions to separate the patrons frim their small change. All were given a liberal patronage and every booth was sold out before the evening was over. An enjoyable program of songs, drills and dances was given as an added attraction.

The proceeds of the entertainment were a little over \$130, of which about half was profit. The funds raised will be used to help defray the expenses of the next school annual.

CATHOLIC WOMEN TO HOLD MEETING NEXT THURSDAY

The women of the Catholic church will hold a business meeting at the home of Mrs. Roy Lipke next Thursday afternoon, November 1, starting at 2 o'clock. The sewing done by the Girls' Club will be on display. All interested are invited to attend.

HOME OF LESTER ELKINS IS DAMAGED BY FIRE

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Elkins in east Concrete was slightly damaged by fire on Wednesday evening of last week. The fire started in a closet under the stairway from an unknown cause, no one being at home at the time. The blaze was discovered by neighbors, and prompt action on the part of the fire department brought the fire under control before any great damage was done. The loss was confined to clothing, and water damage to the building and furniture, amounting to several hundred dollars, with no insurance.

**BEAUTY SHOP INSTALLS
PERMANENT WAVE MACHINE**

Miss Evelyn Cole, proprietor of Evelyn's Beauty Shoppe, has just installed a Bonat permanent waving machine, and the women of Concrete and vicinity can now get a "permanent" without going to the trouble and expense of making a trip to Bellingham or Seattle. The machine is one of the latest on the market and is almost automatic in its operation. Miss Cole is skilled in handling the machine and expects to do satisfactory work for her customers.

**LEGION AUXILIARY GIVES
CARD PARTY NEXT WEEK**

The Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion has arranged to give a card party and social dance in the Legion hall next Friday evening, November 2. There will be card playing from 8 to 10, then supper and dancing. The proceeds will go into a fund being raised for a Christmas donation for the benefit of disabled veterans in the government hospitals.

Diet Problem of Athletes

"I SOLVED the diet problem of athletes by changing the order of courses at meals," says Dr. Clarence Spears, professor of football and doctor of medicine at the University of Minnesota. "Instead of having the salad served late in the meal, I have it served first. When my players sit down at the table they find a salad of green stuffs awaiting them. There is also plenty of celery."



Coach Clarence Spears.

"They are hungry. The meal, in compliance with previous arrangements, is slow in starting. The players, waiting for the service to begin, get busy with the salad. By the time the soup is served, the salads and celery have been consumed. We see to it that the meal does not start before they have been eaten."

"After the salad, celery and soup are finished, the player has had much of his appetite satisfied. He will not overeat; and, due to the late start, which prompted him to devour his salad and celery, he will have partaken of the kind of food we want him to eat."

"I decided on this plan after watching athletes in training for a number of years. Many of them ignored their salads when served with meat orders, preferring two and three orders of meat to a dish of salad; but when the player is hungry, and there is nothing to eat but salad and celery, he will gladly consume what is before him and what we want him to eat."

Which may, or may not, be one reason for the power of Minnesota's football eleven, comments H. G. Salsinger in the Detroit News.

Captaincy at Wisconsin

Held by Rube E. Wagner

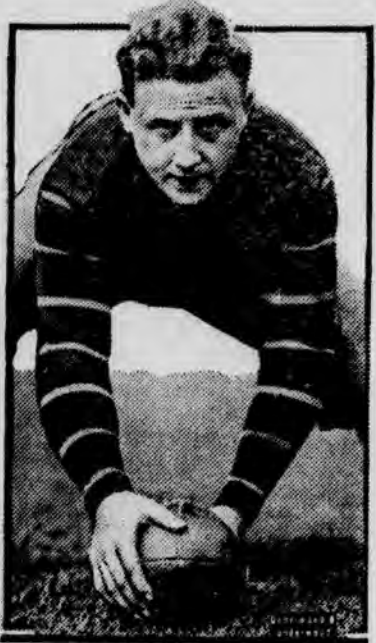
The football captaincy at Wisconsin this fall rests upon the shoulders of a young man who has overcome countless obstacles in an effort to acquire a college education. Success has rewarded him in all of his undertakings as a Badger student, until now, as a senior, Rube E. Wagner of St. Paul finds himself a leader in the student life of Wisconsin.

For two years Wagner has played in the line on Cardinal eleven. Last fall he was rated as one of the best tackles in the Middle West. Rube has confined his activities entirely to athletics. In the spring of the year he competes on the track team, specializing in the shotput and discus throw.

Wagner is preparing to become an athletic coach after graduation. Next year he will complete his work in the four-year course in physical education. He is an excellent student, too, his achievements at Wisconsin being particularly outstanding because he has been entirely self-supporting since his enrollment as a freshman.

He is employed at a Madison hotel as a waiter. This work, together with other miscellaneous jobs, provides for his living. Summer vacations are not for pleasure as far as Wagner is concerned, for he is busy then earning money to care for his school expenses.

Shift Captain Howe



Capt. Chuck Howe, a veteran of Princeton university's 1927 football team, who will probably be shifted from his usual position as center to guard.

No Change of Navy Grid Trip to Pacific Coast

Because of the stiff program already mapped out for Naval academy football team it would not be possible to stage a Christmas-day gridiron game with the University of Southern California at Los Angeles, says Commander Jonas H. Ingram, director of athletics at the Naval academy.

Representatives of the California Institution have conferred with navy authorities looking to a regular contract which would bring the two schools together annually for an inter-sectional clash, but Naval academy officials feel that such a contest would work a hardship on the Midshipmen, who already face several strong teams in the fall.

In addition, the trip West would take the sailors away from their work and cause an extended training period which naval authorities have said could not be warranted this year, at least.

Army Ignores Navy

Chances for a resumption of the Army-Navy football relations in 1928 were eliminated when the military academy announces its 1928 schedule without mention of the Navy.

The most important addition to the schedule is the University of Illinois. A two-year agreement has been entered whereby the Illinois go to West Point next year and the reds go to Illinois the year afterward.

ONLY ONE FROSH GAME AT PENNSY

New Policy in Freshman Athletics This Fall.

The University of Pennsylvania inaugurated a new policy in freshman athletics this fall when the gridiron schedule of the first-year men was limited to one contest, with the Cornell Frosh, on November 10.

In the past, first-year teams have played a complete schedule of from four to six games with other freshman college teams and with leading preparatory schools. One or more of the games were played away from home with the result that the yearlings were forced to be absent from classes.

Louis A. Young, head coach of the varsity team, has always been a strong advocate of freshmen devoting all their time to study. It has been his belief that the excitement of approaching games has cast a shadow over studies in the life of freshman football players, resulting in conditions and other scholastic worries that frequently caused the loss of star athletes.

This season the yearlings are working out with the varsity on Franklin field, imbibing the system they must play in their sophomore and subsequent years. The experience gained from contact with the varsity should prove invaluable to the first-year men.

Freshman teams have held several scrimmages a year with the regulars in the past, but this year they will have workouts against the upper classmen almost every day.

Captain Butler, who two years ago was placed on a second All-American team, is the head coach of the yearlings this season. He will coach the linemen and will be assisted by Alfred Langdon and Al Kreuz. Butler and Langdon were members of the coaching staff last season, while Kreuz, a star several seasons ago, will be making his debut as a tutor.

Barney Berlinger, member of the United States Olympic team, who played tackle for the yearlings last season, is among the end candidates. His speed and size should make him an ideal wing man. Last fall he displayed more than average ability on the gridiron.

Just Another Yarn on Rube Waddell

When Rube Waddell was pitching for Minneapolis, Joe Cantillon, his manager, let him off one day to go fishing in Minnetonka. Waddell came in with a fine string of bass and presented them to Cantillon. A month later Cantillon got a bill from a local fish dealer which read: "J. Cantillon, Dr. 'Eight bass . . . \$1.00.' 'Cheap enough,' the baseball man told the fish dealer, 'but I never bought any bass.' 'Oh,' explained the latter, 'that's a string Rube Waddell bought here and charged to you.'"

Boston One-Legged Golf "Bug" Often Breaks 100

Though he has but one leg, Eddie Gishburn, radio announcer at station WEEL, Boston, has learned to play golf well enough to break 100 regularly, a score not reached by many physically perfect duffers.

Gishburn lost his leg while serving with American forces at Vera Cruz in 1914.

In taking up golf he had to conquer the perplexing problem of acquiring a swing. He now hits a tee shot for 180 yards and can play iron and putt shots as well as the average two-legged golfer.

The curious part of Gishburn's game is that he can play a full wood shot and maintain his balance.

Best Forward Passer



Walter Holmer, one of the best forward passers in the Middle West and an excellent open field runner, who will captain Northwestern's football eleven this fall. The Purple leader is in his old position at fullback. He will also be used for running the end and in plays which call for dashes in side or outside the tackles.

PROSPERITY UNDER REPUBLICAN RULE

Figures Show Advancement in Eight Years.

Prosperity has been an extremely real matter to the American people during the last eight years, it was revealed with the publication of the textbook of the Republican national committee. The details are given in a special section of the book entitled, "Seven Years of Republican Rule."

Some of the more important accomplishments under Republican rule are: employment for an additional 10,000,000 workers, higher wages than ever before, 25 per cent increase in the price of agricultural products, and 73 per cent increase in savings deposits.

Fifty per cent more wage earners are taking out industrial insurance now than in 1921 and their policies are twice as large. American homes have doubled their purchases during the prosperity era, and the consumption of gasoline has increased more than 200 per cent during the administration.

New records for expenditures in recreation have been established under the principles of government which Herbert Hoover will continue if he is elected. The radio industry has jumped from nothing to the placing of 7,000,000 sets in American homes. Recreational visits to national parks have increased 120 per cent. Patronage of the motion picture industry has brought it to be the second industry in the United States.

Legislation sympathetic to business has brought benefits to it which rival the benefits the family has received. A gain of 270 per cent was recorded in monthly sales of motor trucks. There was a 31 per cent increase in the number of cars loaded every month and a gain of 129 per cent in the amount of building construction awarded.

The production of iron ore has doubled. Copper production is four times what it was under previous administrations. Food consumption has risen, as shown by the increasing demand for flour, pork and other staples. Home ownership has grown, and 9,000,000 homes have been equipped with electricity.

Six million telephones have swept away the barriers of time and distance. Fourteen million automobiles add to the enjoyment of life or speed industry and commerce. The purchasing power of wages has steadily increased and the use of electrical power in industry has doubled. The 12-hour day has been abolished and the job of every man is still secure.

Hoover's Interest in Workers of America

Herbert Hoover reaches the heart of labor's greatest problem when he goes after full-time employment for all workmen, John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America, said in commenting on the attitude of the Presidential nominee as reflected by his address on labor at Newark recently.

"Mr. Hoover penetrates the heart of America's industrial and economic problem when he declares for full and stable employment for the workers of America," Mr. Lewis said. "His Newark address reveals his intimate and comprehensive grasp of the economic factors which are the everyday concern of the average American."

"His specific declarations in favor of high wages, free collective bargaining, restrictions on the use of injunctions in labor disputes, and tariff schedules protective of American labor will appeal to every thoughtful citizen."

"No less farsighted are his views on the continuance of immigration restrictions, further expansion of our foreign export trade and government assistance to the depressed textile and bituminous coal industries. The entire program is well thought out and has a wide appeal to those who know labor conditions."

Tariff a Vital Issue

Tariff bills originate in the house ways and means committee. Ogden L. Mills, undersecretary of the treasury, recently examined the record of the ten present Democratic members of the committee and found them to be, with a single exception, "low-tariff men." Naturally, since they are Democrats.

Let no Republican voter be deceived by Democratic tactics into thinking that the tariff is not one of the most vital issues this year. None is more important, unless the continuance of the country's industrial and commercial prosperity and the maintenance for labor of the highest wages in the world can be shown to be of no account.

No excuse can be offered for the disguised scurrility with which Governor Smith is being assailed. It is no less dastardly, however, than efforts to blame Hoover for it.

Hoover Above Subterfuge

Every few days we notice where some one is apologizing for some statement of Governor Smith in his campaign. Recently his running mate in apologetic tone said that there was room enough in the Democratic party for men of different beliefs, and thus sought to bridge the wide gap between himself and Smith on the prohibition question. But no one has to apologize for Herbert Hoover's conduct or utterances. They are all above reproach.

HOOVER CONDEMNED BY HIS OWN PARTY

Was Bitterly Criticized as Food Administrator.

The big guns of the Republican party, now going into action in defense of the Republican candidate for President, were engaged not long ago in very different service. Their attack, before political expediency took command, was directed at the very man they now try to defend.

Senator William E. Borah is campaigning in behalf of Herbert Hoover. His sincerity must be doubted by all who remember how scathingly and how repeatedly Mr. Hoover was denounced after the war by the senator from Idaho.

In a series of speeches which have been called the most vitriolic ever delivered in the senate, Senator Borah challenged the food administrator's good faith, asserted that he was controlled by the meat packers and charged him with "violation of the most fundamental principles of the Constitution."

Fighting a measure which would give Hoover uncontrolled authority to expend \$100,000,000 to feed the starving people of central and eastern Europe, Senator Borah declared:

"I say here upon the floor, and I challenge successful contradiction, that three of the vast monopolies which control food in this country have, with relation to their commodities, directed and controlled the food administration since its organization."

He charged Hoover with permitting disgraceful profiteering in food supplies by the meat packers "when the people of this country are suffering, when our own people are suffering," and asserted that the food administration was guilty of gross extravagance. "Whatever may be the great ability of Mr. Hoover," he declared, "there is one individual whom he does not know exists in this country, and that is the taxpayer. He seems to think that money comes like manna to the children of Israel from heaven and not from the sweat and toil and sacrifice of the people. He has no conception of the existence of the taxpayers, and his distribution of funds is utterly regardless of their existence."

Asserting that Hoover had permitted agents of the meat packers within the food administration to "destroy competitors and build up private fortunes," Senator Borah exclaimed: "No man with such perverted views of decency ought to be entrusted with unlimited power to spend \$100,000,000."

The senator from Idaho was supported by a group of Republican senators including Johnson of California and Moses of New Hampshire.

Hughes' Great Tribute to Smith's Qualities

The following comment on Governor Smith was made by Charles Evans Hughes, former secretary of state, Republican candidate for President in 1916, and the most esteemed man in his party:

"One who represents to us the expert in government and, I might say, a master in the science of politics."

"If we had the customs of other lands we would long ago have elevated him to the peerage. But we have done better than that. He long since became a member of distinction of the fine aristocracy of public service—the American peerage. We have watched him, some of us carefully, all with fascination. The title that he holds is the proudest title any American can hold, because it is a title to the esteem and affection of his fellow citizens."

There Stands a Man

One may agree with Alfred E. Smith in whole, or in little, or in nothing. But there stands a man!

A man undiminishedly bold and candid. No pussy-footer he, no timid time-saver. He does not hesitate to say what he believes, or fear to fight for it. He is not out to win an election by offending none and currying favor with all. He is out to champion his convictions, and to stand or fall with them. It is this quality that makes him the Happy Warrior he is. He does not fear his fate too much. He "dares to put it to the touch, to gain or lose it all." And so he goes into battle rejoicing, self-reliant, banners flying, a song in his heart.—Omaha World.

Root's Praise of Smith

In significant contrast to the attacks on Governor Smith by certain Republican spellbinders are the opinions of him expressed at various times by one of the most eminent of all Republican leaders, Elihu Root, former senator and former secretary of state. As presiding officer of the New York constitutional convention of 1915, of which Smith was a member, Senator Root said:

"Of all the men in the convention, Alfred E. Smith is the best informed on the business of the state of New York."

Tariff and the Farmer

The American farmer has learned, through his post-war experience, that the tariff does not operate on his products, the price of which is fixed in the world market. Republican protectionists of the stand-pat school have been telling the farmer that fable for years, and the farmer has been believing it. Mr. Curtis, one of the staunchest of the Old Guard, continues to prattle that fiction. November will show whether the farmer is still swallowing it.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

On the Tree Top

Plants that perch on tree tops have been discovered in British Columbia. They are air plants of the plantain family, a flat-jointed cactus, and a yellow orchid, and they were found on the top of a fig tree growing in a mass that apparently existed as a parasite until its long roots were able to find the ground.

Unfortunate Fido

Strange duties fall to the lot of humane society agents, and about the strangest was the visit of a Pittsburgh agent to East Liberty, Pa., for the purpose of informing a housewife that the proper way to scrub Fido, the pug, was not to dump him into the electric washer and turn on the juice.

For Delicate Surgery

A "micromanipulator" has been invented in Germany for performing delicate operations and amputations on single cell animals, such as the amoeba. This extremely delicate instrument can operate upon infinitesimal objects.

Scales Count Contents

Scales have been perfected to count, not monetary value, but the number of small parts, such as screws or bolts, in a mass, the number of yards in a bolt of cloth, or the number of gallons of liquid in a container.

Idea From the Orient

The umbrella is a development of the movable canopy used in the Orient from ancient times in ceremonial processions for persons of rank. It was introduced into England from Italy early in the Eighteenth century.

Date to Be Remembered

On September 5, 1774, the first Continental congress and second Colonial congress met in Carpenter's hall, Philadelphia, Pa. All the colonies were represented with the exception of Georgia.

Empty of Purpose

"He who rises at morn with no work before him," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "passes the day only as one who walks in his sleep."—Washington Star.

Cause of Sea's Coloring

Near the land the Yellow sea is lemon yellow due to mud suspended in the water. This is caused by the flow of the Hoang-ho and Yangtsze rivers.

Light From the Moon

Light travels at the rate of about 186,000 miles a second, so it would take less than two seconds for the light from the moon to reach the earth.

Oldest Christian Church

The Church of the Nativity, built by Constantine at Bethlehem about 330 A. D., is probably the oldest Christian edifice still standing.

Complainers Punished

The Taoists of China believe that continually finding fault with the weather is a sin which will be punished in purgatory.

Munch's Fine Library

The library in Munich is one of the largest in Europe. It contains approximately 1,000,000 volumes and 50,000 manuscripts.

A Question

Be sure you are right then go ahead. But how does one know whether he is right until he has gone ahead?—Miami Herald.

Wealth's Proper Use

Wealth is to be used only as the instrument of action; not as the representative of civil honors and moral excellence.

Ancient Warehouse

At Nordlingen is a structure dating from the Thirteenth century which is designated "the oldest warehouse in Germany."

Land Surface of Earth

If the land surface of the earth were divided between the inhabitants, each person would receive about twenty acres.

The Car Is First

Many an old shoe now is half-soled because the car needs new ones.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Correct

Use wise crackers, not nut crackers. If you wish to crack a smile.

RECTAL COLON

SUFFERING ELIMINATED

15-years success in treating Rectal and Colon troubles by the Dr. C. J. Dean. NON-SURGICAL method enables us to give WRITTEN ASSURANCE of PILES ELIMINATED or FEE REFUNDED. Send today for FREE 100-page book describing causes and proper treatment of such ailments.

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Hard and Gnarled

Bishop Bristol said at a dinner in Washington:

"Old age mellow some of us, while others it makes hard and gnarled."

"Jethro, an aged woman lived to her aged husband, 'we've lived together nearly fifty years now. Helgho, it can't last forever. It won't be long before one of us will have to go."

"Don't worry, Hannah," the old man soothed her. "Don't worry, my dear."

"No," she said, "but I was just thinkin', Jethro, that when it does happen I'd kinder like to live in Miami."

This Little Girl Got Well Quick



"Just after her third birthday, my little daughter, Connie, had a serious attack of intestinal flu," says Mrs. H. W. Turnage, 217 Cadwalder St., San Antonio, Texas. "It left her very weak and pale. Her bowels wouldn't act right, she had no appetite and nothing agreed with her."

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A huge automobile designed by a German engineer for desert travel would be a veritable four-storied desert ship, carrying 150 passengers and having two Diesel engines, a wireless room, de luxe cabins, baggage room and a promenade deck.

Merely Investigating

"I say, did you have an accident?"

"Not at all. Didn't you notice? I turned the car upside down to see what made the wheels go round."—Melbourne Times.

Thinking is but discovering the relations between things.



WHAT DR. CALDWELL LEARNED IN 47 YEARS PRACTICE

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JUST HUMANS

By Gene Carr



"I DIDN'T KNOW HE CARED FOR SPORTS."
"OH, YES; HE PLAYS BILLIARDS ALL THE TIME!"

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

By F. A. WALKER

THE COST OF VANITY

WHEN at last the scales fall from the eyes of thoughtful, earnest aspirants to the high places, they see that vanity is not only a jester but one of the most troublesome and tricky imps with which they have continually to contend.

The pages of history replete with failures of brilliant world-leaders who have stubbed their toes against egotism and fallen so desperately hurt and humiliated that their usefulness ended in dismal mishap.

The want of substance to satisfy his inflated mind brought Napoleon to ignominious defeat and banishment.

And what was true in the Nineteenth century is true today, and will always be true.

The same elements of peril crouch ready to spring upon and overwhelm individuals who have an empty pride inspired by an overwhelming conceit of personal attainments.

The young men who prate over dinner tables, boast without blush of their wonderful abilities and ostentatiously tell one another what the "old man" at the head of the house should do to whip his competitors, are as palpably vain and absurd as their empty vapors.

They are piling up debts which vanity sooner or later will proceed to collect with compound interest.

And so it is with puffed-up young women who volunteer pretentious advice to their tired-out mothers, without lifting a jeweled hand to lighten household burdens, or cheer hearts craving sympathy and love.

The world is overcrowded with these priggish people, who through some caprice of fortune have risen a step or two and foolishly imagine that they are in a position to instruct their elders and pull them about by the nose.

In their conceit they know more about the intricate arts and sciences than do the tutors in universities, more about finance than do the bankers who have spent a lifetime in the harness, pulling and tugging to overcome difficulties.

Instead of being courted and followed by over-fond parents, they should be pitied, for they are bound straight to failure.

Each knows more than can be uttered; each lives not by faith, but by pomp, builded on a crumbling foundation.

They can speak no language under heaven save that of the boastful; give no encouragement to others, nor do any work of value.

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GIRLIGAGS



"All men are born free and equal," says Meditative Meg, "but sooner or later some of them assume mortgages." (Copyright.)

Mother's Cook Book

Whatever you did in years that are gone,
In the year that is yours today,
Lift up your brow in the light of the sun,
Be loyal and brave, and pray.

FOOD FOR THE FAMILY

A MOST appetizing salad when one has no idea what to make for the family, is

Peanut and Lettuce Salad.
Crush with a rolling pin one-half cupful of fresh peanuts. Arrange tender lettuce on salad plates, sprinkle the nuts over it with a bit of minced onion and serve with a French dressing.

To keep in touch with new ways of serving foods, one needs to take occasional outings into various restaurants. One may usually come home with enough new ideas to last for some time. Common foods served in an uncommon way, make much difference in the appetite of the family.

Before the frost takes all the good mushrooms, serve a few meals of the delectable vegetable.

Creamed Mushrooms.

Clean, peel and slice a pound or two of fresh field mushrooms, add two to three tablespoonfuls of butter and place over the heat, cook five minutes, stirring frequently. Add thin cream, thickened very lightly with a bit of flour and butter cooked together and pour over well-buttered rounds of toast and serve.

Combine sweetbreads with mushrooms and serve cooked as above, in patty shells.

Hollandaise sauce is delicious served with young tender turnips, cut into cubes or latticed.

Cauliflower With Mushrooms.
Break into flowerettes one head of cauliflower and cook in boiling salted water until tender. Prepare rounds of toast, butter and heap with the cauliflower. Pour over them the following sauce: Chop one cupful of fresh mushrooms, add two tablespoonfuls of butter and some of the cauliflower liquor. Simmer until the mushrooms are tender then add one cupful of cream; boil, add one tablespoonful each of flour and butter cooked together, season with salt and pepper and serve poured over the toast and cauliflower.

Celery With Pigs in Blanket.
Cook the coarser stalks of celery until tender, adding a rich white sauce. Around the celery arrange oysters cooked in bacon and serve very hot. Veal birds are also good served this way instead of oysters.

Nellie Maxwell

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How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

THE "CRUCIBLE" OF LIFE

CONSTANTLY in speech today, as well as in literature, we meet with the expression the "crucible" of experience or the "crucible" of affliction, or of life.

The term is used in the figurative sense, a crucible being a vessel in which metals and ores are melted or pulverized. In other words, it is a melting pot where a metal is tested and tried, where gold is separated from dross.

So a severe trial which tests human mettle and from which one emerges chastened and wiser, is spoken of as "going through the crucible" of the experience.

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A CRAZY QUILT

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

THEY do not make them any more. For quilts are cheaper at the store than woman's labor, though a wife men think the cheapest thing in life. But now and then a quilt is spread upon a quaint, old, walnut bed. A crazy quilt of those old days that I am old enough to praise.

Some woman sewed these points and squares into a pattern like life's cares. Here is a flannel that was strong. The poplin that she wore so long. A fragment from a daughter's dress. Like her, a vanished loveliness. Odd patches of such things as these. Old garments and old memories.

And what is life? A crazy quilt; Sorrow and joy, and grace and guilt. With here and there a square of blue For some old happiness we knew. For so the hand of time will take The fragments of our lives and make, Out of life's remnants as they fall, A thing of beauty, after all.

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Uncommon Sense

By John Blake

FRONT RUNNERS

THERE is a type of race horse that is known as a front runner. While he is out in front he is unbeatable. But let another horse pass him and he immediately becomes discouraged.

He lacks the pluck and persistence to pull victory out of apparent defeat. When conditions are not favorable to himself he just gives up and quits.

Race horses are not the only front runners. Men may be front runners, too.

We see the occasional exhibitions of front running in athletic contests. A prize fighter, for instance, who is outpointing his opponent by a wide margin, may suddenly receive a heavy punch in the body. From then on he becomes discouraged and remains on the defensive, intent only on staying the limit.

A tennis player who is winning his match is the victim of a poor decision by the referee. He immediately abandons all interest in the match and eventually loses it.

Such an athlete is often called a quitter. Those who know him say he is yellow, because he is skillful and capable only when things are going his way.

But all front runners are not athletes, either. We can see any number of them in everyday life.

A man may be an excellent salesman, for instance, as long as his product sells itself. But let him come up against a tough, skeptical customer and all his sales ability disappears.

A lawyer may be a whirlwind when the case is favorable to his client. Then the other side introduces an unexpectedly damaging witness and he gives up all hope of winning.

A public official supports a good piece of legislation until some powerful opponent appears. Then he pockets his self-respect and turns his attention to something else.

There are front runners in every business. But they never get very far.

Every truly successful person has had to fight discouragement and despondence. Nobody wins his way to any heights that are worth winning without a battle.

That is what the front runners do not realize.

They think they have a monopoly on bad luck and disappointment. And so they excuse themselves for what amounts to quitting under fire.

Few things in this world are handed to you on a silver platter. You have to fight for the things that are worth having.

That is why they are worth having.

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What Does Your Child Want to Know?

Answered by BARBARA BOURJAILY



WHY DO SPRING FLOWERS HIDE UNDER TREES?

They need the trees and bushes: To keep them snug and warm And safe from frosty breezes That try to do them harm.

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Sunday School Lesson

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Lesson for October 28

PAUL'S LAST JOURNEY TO JERUSALEM

LESSON TEXT—Acts 20:1-17.
GOLDEN TEXT—Remember the words of the Lord Jesus how he said, it is more blessed to give than to receive.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Paul Tells His Friends Good-bye.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Paul Tells His Friends Good-bye.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—What Our Pastor Does for Us.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Paul, Shepherd of the Churches.

I.—Paul's Visit to Greece and Miletus (20:1-16).

Two incidents marked this trip:

1. The Jews laid wait for him (vv. 1-5). This plot obliged him to retrace his steps through Macedonia instead of choosing a more rapid sea voyage.

2. Fellowship with the disciples at Troas (vv. 6-16). He met with them around the table of the Lord and spoke words of encouragement. While preaching here, Eutychus in a deep sleep, fell from a window and was killed. Paul restored his life, thus giving to the disciples a sign of divine power which was greatly needed at that time.

II. Paul's Farewell to the Ephesian Elders (20:17-38).

1. Review of his three years' ministry (vv. 18-21). (1) The spirit of his ministry (v. 18). He was humble, tender and faithful in spite of the many trials which befell him. (2) The faithfulness of his ministry (vv. 20-21). He made known unto them everything which was of profit, taught them both in public and in private. He neglected no class, Jews or Greeks. He was impartial in all his ministry. (3) The theme of his ministry (v. 21). Repentance and faith. Men and women need to repent of their sins and believe on the Lord Jesus Christ.

2. The present state of things (vv. 22-27). Having reviewed his ministry, he now points out clearly, (1) His immediate purpose was to go to Jerusalem (v. 22). (2) Bonds and afflictions were lying across his path (v. 23). Despite these he went forward with undaunted courage, knowing that God was leading him. (3) His fixed purpose (v. 24). He was determined to complete his ministry at whatever cost—even giving up his life. (4) His consciousness of obligation discharged (vv. 25-27). Knowing that they should see his face no more, he called them to record that he had not shunned to declare the whole counsel of God, therefore was free from the blood of all men.

3. His charge to the elders (vv. 28-35). (1) The ground of (v. 28). The flock for which they must care was purchased by the precious blood of Jesus and they had received their commission from the Lord. (2) The impending evils (vv. 29, 30). False teachers would arise from their own number. Grievous wolves would devour the flock. The most deadly foes of the church are those ministers and Sunday-school teachers who are unfaithful to their trust. (3) Incentives to faithfulness (vv. 31-35). His own example of watching night and day for three years is held up before them.

III. Paul Tarrying Seven Days at Tyre (21:1-6).

His destination was Jerusalem. He was pressing thitherward with all speed, but on account of the unloading of the ship he was obliged to wait at Tyre for seven days. During this delay he searched out the disciples who lived in that city. While he certain disciples said Paul should not go to Jerusalem. The information which these disciples received by the Spirit was doubtless the same as that given to Agabus (vv. 10, 11). Agabus told exactly what the Spirit said, which sets right what the Tyrian disciples seemed to say. We should give heed to prophesying, but should prove their utterances. Let all who claim to speak with the Holy Spirit give the exact words so that they can be subjected to legitimate tests. The same Spirit which showed to these disciples that suffering awaited Paul, revealed unto him the same suffering and sent him forward into it.

IV. Paul Tarrying in Philip's House (vv. 7-14).

Resuming their journey they paused briefly at Ptolemais to greet the brethren there, after which they went to Caesarea. Here they took up their abode with Philip who had so successfully wrought in the early days of the church. His four daughters doubtless are mentioned to show that the Spirit's gifts are not confined to one sex.

V. Paul at Jerusalem (vv. 15-17).

The brethren at Jerusalem gladly received him and his companions. Paul's lodging place was with an old disciple.

Little Things

Little foxes that spoil the vineyards: Little compromises with the world; disobedience to the still small voice in little things; little indulgences of the flesh to the neglect of duty; little strokes of policy; doing evil in little things that good may come; and the beauty, and the fruitfulness of the vine are sacrificed.—J. Hudson Taylor.

A Divine Pull

All who stand "with God" have a divine pull.—Lee

Clean Kidneys By Drinking Lots of Water

Take Salts to Flush Kidneys If Bladder Bothers or Back Hurts

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GRASMERE

Mrs. Josephine Weaver, who is attending the Mt. Vernon Junior college, spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben N. Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Fred Carlson and daughter Lillian spent Sunday in Sedro-Woolley as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wahlgren.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rowland were visiting relatives and friends in Sedro-Woolley over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson were visiting with Mr. Thompson's mother, Mrs. Margaret Thompson in Lyman over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard R. Everett entertained a number of their neighbors and friends at an informal party at their home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Edwin Carlson was in from her home on Burpee Hill Tuesday for a visit with relatives and friends in Grasmere.

Mrs. John R. Smith, who has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Evans, has returned to her home in Bellingham.

L. R. Everett was looking after business interests in Seattle the first of the week.

Elwin Arnold, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, is reported to be improving and hopes to be able to return home soon.

SAUK

Garnet Thompson was in Mount Vernon the first of the week, looking after business affairs and greeting friends.

Charles Coone was transacting business and greeting friends in Concrete Saturday evening.

Miss Elsie Chandler and Miss Myra Huestis of Concrete were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garnet A. Thompson over the week end.

Harry Wainwright of Rockport was transacting business and greeting old friends in Sauk Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Larsen were shopping and visiting with relatives and friends in Concrete Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Thompson were visiting relatives and friends in Concrete last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilkins were calling on old friends in Concrete on Saturday evening.

Miss Ada Kimborough of Mount Vernon visited with home folks here over the week end.

Alex Ellison of Sedro-Woolley was transacting business and calling on old friends here for a few days the first of the week.

Silas B. Ellison was looking after business interests in Concrete Saturday afternoon.

Alex Park was transacting business and greeting old friends in Concrete Tuesday.

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These sincere men and women, many of whom have been actively identified for many years with the prohibition cause, are convinced that the Governor's election is the only hope of ending the carnival of crime, corruption and debauchery which has characterized the Republican mal-enforcement of the Volstead law.

Most impressive of the declarations of loyalty to Governor Smith, so far as prohibition is concerned, is that of Senator Morris Sheppard of Texas, one of the authors of the Eighteenth Amendment. An able, honest and life-long Dry, he is regarded as one of the foremost advocates of prohibition in America.

As a campaign speaker in behalf of Governor Smith's candidacy, Senator Sheppard is expressing in no half-hearted manner his belief that a vote against Hoover is a vote against lawlessness and intemperance.

The other co-author of the Eighteenth Amendment, Senator Alben W. Barkley of Kentucky, has also volunteered to assist actively in the Smith campaign. He is chairman of the Governor's campaign committee in Kentucky, and a member of the National Advisory Committee. Senator Barkley has long been engaged as a prohibition speaker.

Another noted Dry who has taken the stump for Smith is Senator Carter Glass of Virginia, who has described himself as being "for prohibition before some of these preachers knew the meaning of the word."

Pointing out Governor Smith's record of achievement, his reputation for flawless honesty and courage, these leaders remind their followers that he has promised to "execute to the very limit the pledge of our platform 'to make an honest endeavor to enforce the Eighteenth Amendment.'"

They recall that he also said: "The corruption of enforcement activities which caused a former Republican Prohibition Administrator to state that three-fourths of the dry agents were political ward heelers named by politicians without regard to Civil Service laws, and that Prohibition is the 'new political pork barrel,' I will ruthlessly stamp out. Such conditions will not and cannot exist under any Administration presided over by me."

They are confident that the promise will be kept if Smith is elected. And modification, should Congress decide upon such a course is certainly preferable, they say, to a continuance of Republican nullification.

Among other prominent figures noted for their prohibition activities, who have declared for Gov. Smith, are Josephus Daniels, former Secretary of the Navy; Gov. Dan Moody of Texas; Magnus Johnson, former Progressive Senator from Minnesota; Senator Walter F. George of Georgia; Henry C. Stuart, former Governor of Virginia; Judge W. B. Swaney of Tennessee, and Senator Cole Blease of South Carolina.

Well known women prominently identified with the Dry cause, who are now supporting Governor Smith, include Mrs. Nellie Taylor Ross, former Governor of Wyoming; Emily Newell Blair, former Vice Chairman of the Democratic National Committee; Mrs. John Harlan Amen, daughter of President Cleveland; Mrs. Harry Harvey Thomas, president of the New York City Federation of Women's Clubs, and Mrs. B. S. Saunders, former president of the League of Women Voters in Mississippi.



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MRS. HOOVER'S quick wit and tact will stand her in good stead if she succeeds Mrs. Coolidge as first lady of the land. This incident proves the point:

Well known as the Hoovers in Palo Alto and friendly though they have always been with the faculty and students at Stanford University, when Mr. Hoover returned to his old home in July, candidate for the highest office at the command of the American people, a natural chasm seemed to open up between him and his neighbors. In spite of hands, and college songs and university yells, at sight of him there swept over the crowd a sudden realization that before them stood the man chosen by the Republican party to lead it to victory. The thought of his new responsibilities and his

great opportunities gripped the welcoming crowd and it turned quiet.

In simple, direct language some one congratulated Mr. Hoover and told him how glad his old friends were to see him. With equal simplicity Mr. Hoover replied that he was glad to be back.

Then ensued silence until Mrs. Hoover stepped forward. She recalled that in their student days, just one phrase had been generally used at Stanford to express indecision as to the next move. She seized upon the old slogan:

"Well, do we ride or strangle?" Shouts of laughter greeted the familiar question. The ice was broken. The awkward moment passed. The Hoover neighbors pressed forward to offer their congratulations.

Responds to Cheers



Herbert Hoover responds to the cheers of the vast throngs that greeted him on his tour through New Jersey. He was greeted with enthusiasm everywhere, especially in the so-called Democratic strongholds of Mayor Hague in Hudson County.

Tariff Came First

The first of our policies which have given security and expansion of employment has been the enactment of the protective tariff. —HERBERT HOOVER in his Newark speech.

Tiger Grows Fat

Tammany, when in control of New York, takes out of the city unbelievable millions of dollars a year. —Lincoln Steffens.

Borah Pays Tribute



Describing Herbert Hoover as "one of the great administrators of all times," Senator William E. Borah of Idaho declared that "the issues of this campaign are every day problems, such as farm relief, cheaper transportation, development of waterways, a public utilities policy, conservation of electric power, and the maintenance of our Constitution as the people had written it."

Discontent Ereeds Content

We try to make every boy discontented with his lot, and we achieve the most contented and unified and stable country in the world. —Herbert Hoover.

Tammany Costs Respect

Resigning from leadership of Tammany Hall, Lewis Nixon asserted that he could no longer remain as leader and retain his self respect.

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ROCKPORT

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clark motored up from Seattle Saturday and spent the week end in town as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Morehouse.

Arthur Morehouse and Roy Clark motored to Bellingham Sunday afternoon for a short visit with friends.

Dale E. Tresner, the auto magnate of Sedro-Woolley, was attending to business matters here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alias Reece and children were visiting friends in Concrete Sunday evening.

Bernard Pressentin of Bellingham was calling on relatives and friends in Rockport over Sunday.

Mrs. William Newby was shopping and calling on friends in Sedro-Woolley on Saturday.

Mrs. Abb Clark and Mrs. Jack Snyder were attending to business matters and visiting with old friends in Bellingham last Thursday.

Harlan Clark of Bellingham was a business visitor in town Saturday.

Edward Clark of Marblemount was visiting relatives and friends in town over the week end.

Mrs. Charles Prater of Concrete spent several days in Rockport last week, visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Epp Shular.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Belfrey were calling on old friends in Concrete Sunday evening.

Olin Stafford was looking after some business affairs in Sedro-Woolley on last Friday.

Edgar Stafford motored to Marblemount Sunday for a short visit with friends.

Miss Bessie Stafford motored to Sedro-Woolley Thursday and spent the day with her sister, Mrs. Charles Kinlead.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Olson of Avon spent the week end in Rockport, visiting with relatives and friends.

A. J. Terrill returned home on last Sunday evening, after spending the past month with relatives and friends in Seattle and Wenatchee.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crichton were visiting relatives and friends in Seattle over Sunday.

Wm. H. Morehouse was looking after business interests in Sedro-Woolley Saturday evening.

Thomas Terrill of Port Angeles is spending a few days in Rockport, as a guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Terrill.

George Grimm was visiting with relatives and friends in Everett last Saturday.

Hugo Bauman, county commissioner for this district, was a business visitor in Concrete Saturday.

Came Out of War Clean

"Herbert Hoover came out of the war clean," declared Senator Hiram Cock, Democrat, of Nebraska, in the Senate in 1919. "He came out having rendered a great service to the American people. He came out at the head of a great army of volunteers—men, women and children—who had, at his request, saved and shipped, and had thus helped him to serve the food that was necessary to win the war."

LOCAL ITEMS

Miss Josephine Weaver, who is attending school in Mount Vernon, was visiting with home folks over the week end.

Mrs. Wm. J. Baker returned Sunday from a week's visit with relatives and friends in Bellingham and Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hutchison left Friday for Vancouver, B. C., to spend the week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Prater, Jr. have rented the cottage recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. John Kneifel on Mill street, and moved into their new home the latter part of last week.

K. R. Fyles of Bellingham, an inspector for the Puget Sound Power & Light company, has been spending the week in town, making the annual inspection for the company.

Deputy-Sheriffs Jess Willard and Tom Vercoe were up from Mount Vernon Tuesday to look after some official business and to visit with old friends in town.

Mrs. J. E. St. John motored to Vancouver, B. C. Sunday for a visit with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hutchison rode home with her.

Mrs. Frank Cinq-Mars was in from the Bear Creek power station Monday to do some shopping and to visit with friends in town.

Old papers for sale, five cents a bundle, at the Herald office.

Miss Audrey Stoneman of Seattle was in town Tuesday and Wednesday visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Holyfield were in from the Bear Creek power station the first of the week for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. H. A. Bronson and son Warren left yesterday for Seattle to spend the week end with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. William Doyle were transacting business and calling on friends in Burlington Friday.

Alex Patterson and Jake Lorentzen motored to Bellingham Friday to take in the show and to visit friends.

Miss Belle Payne and Miss Madalynne Lorentzen took a trip to New-halem last Friday to enjoy the scenery and to call on friends. They returned Sunday morning and report a wonderful trip.

Hoover in Hearts of People

"In my opinion, Mr. Hoover stands in the hearts of the American people equal to any man in the United States. I am sure that there is no member of the Senate who, if he ran for President against Hoover, would be able to poll as many votes as he would poll." —Senator Hiram Cock, Democrat, of Nebraska, in 1919.

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SYNOPSIS

That her grandfather left her the architectural monstrosity known as "Dinsmore's Folly" is, for esthetic reasons, by no means pleasing to Ethel Dinsmore, modern "flapper." She would refuse the bequest, but her father will not allow it. Edith visits the place, Perkins, the caretaker, is the victim of a matrimonial mishap, his wife having left him. Fred James, newspaper reporter, comes. Mr. Paul, Dinsmore's right-handed man, proposes to Edith and is rejected. He takes the rejection in a melodramatic manner. Edith sees a connection between Perkins' runaway wife and Mr. Paul. Riding with Fred James, Edith's horse bolts. The runaway is stopped by a stranger who does not give his name. Edith hereafter calls him M. P. (My Preserver). With her sister, Josephine, and Fred James, Edith attends a prize fight. Police raid the place. The girl is saved from the indignity of arrest by the same man who had stopped her runaway horse. She learns his name is Braxton, and allows him to think she is a poor relation of the Dinsmores. Telling her father she is in love with Fred James, the old gentleman arranges for Josephine and Edith to take a trip to Japan, with their Aunt Candice.

CHAPTER IV

Three days later, Aunt Candice and Josephine and I found ourselves on the ship Something-or-other, ready to start on our long voyage.

We had been on board quite a while and had seen our staterooms and put our things carefully away where we wouldn't be able to find them, and had sniffed at the flowers and sampled the candy that our beaux had sent us, and had put Aunt Candice to bed—

Oh, yes. Of course we had put Aunt Candice to bed. Aunt Candice always went to bed as soon as she got on board a ship.

Aunt Candice never got seasick, but she was affected with bilious spells that came on her abruptly, without the least apparent cause, and that bound her to her bed for days at a time. One of these had overcome her just after she had caught her first whiff of the bilge-water, and she had thought it best to lie down. I had voyaged with Aunt Candice before, and I was perfectly sure that this "spell" would last about three days unless the weather should get suddenly bad. Aunt Candice does not cut much figure in this story; she couldn't, for reasons that will very shortly appear. I mention her, merely to show that Josephine and I did not always run about unchaperoned.

When we had put her to bed we went on deck to wait for Father.

He had not been able to come down with us, but he had promised to turn up before the steamer left; and of course we had to be on deck to watch for him.

We watched and watched and the minutes flew, but Dad did not appear. It was getting perilously near sailing time, too. Still, I was not worried—much. Dad always kept his engagements and he had sworn (across his heart and hope to die) to keep this one. So I waited and trusted.

By and by a messenger boy, conveyed by a steward, came pushing through the crowd to our side and handed me a note. It was from Father.

"Don't be worried if I'm late," he wrote. "Paul and I have been detained here at the office, but I'm just about to start. I'll see you off if I have to hire a tug to do it."

This was consoling, and it pacified me for a time. But after a while I began to get irritated. Even if Father should come now he wouldn't have time to do more than say "howdy do; good-by" before the steamer started.

Then, all of a sudden, I saw Fred. He was on the lower deck and he was carrying a bouquet as big as a house. He was rampaging through the crowd exactly as if he were a football player chasing a touch-me-down—or whatever it is they chase. (I never could understand football.) A humane desire to save the lives of the people who stood in his path moved me to lean over the rail and bawl to him. He heard me, looked up, waved that propitious bouquet, and charged for the companionway.

A moment later he was beside us. Josephine was nearest to him and he thrust his roses into her hands. "I'm absent without leave," he panted, "and I've got to rush back right away. There's trouble around the city hall. A batch of indictments have come from the grand jury room, and it's rumored that some big sensations are going to be sprung. I've got no business to be off my beat. But I had to see you before you left. If you see your father tell him to read the papers before he goes back to his office. . . . Good-by." He grabbed Josephine's hand.

He didn't grab mine. I jerked it away. "Good gracious, Fred James," I exclaimed. "Don't be in such an awful rush. What's in the papers? And why should I tell Father?"

I stopped. There was no one left to talk to. Fred was halfway to the companionway, plunging over perfectly inoffensive people. I determined to punish Mr. Fred for that—when I got back from Japan.

Meanwhile I turned to the rail and looked for Father; it wasn't like him to be late. But he did not appear. I watched the crowd for a little while; and then, tiring of this, I turned and contemplated the ship.

It was about a block long (cross-

town measure, of course), as broad as a church, and about four stories high, including the basement. I knew it had elevators and a swimming pool, and a dining saloon (it occurred to me right there that Aunt Candice probably never would see that dining saloon, but it didn't occur to me that I never would, either), and retail stores, and—and—lots of things. No doubt a good many of the people who had come on board to see other people off were below somewhere gawking at these things; but the people on deck were not concerned with them. They were talking, all of them—not listening. Nobody was listening, except two or three forlorn females like Josephine and myself.

"Good-by! Shoot us a wireless once in a while. . . . Wish I was going. . . . For the love of Mike, Bill, where



"Where—Where—What?" She gasped. "We can't go ashore now! We'll be left!"

did you put that snake-bite medicine? . . . Take good care of her, George; she's never been away from me before. . . . That's a good girl. Kiss Uncle Bill for me. . . . Wuxtry! Wuxtry! All about the Dinsmore indictment. Wuxtry! Wuxtry!"

The Dinsmore indictment! Slowly the words penetrated my consciousness, and made me wrinkle my brows irritably. Why, I wondered, couldn't people who bore our name behave themselves and not do things that would bring the law down upon them? Dinsmore was a rather distinguished name; surely the few who had it might remember to keep it out of the mud. I didn't know just what an indictment was, but I had a vague idea that it was something disagreeable.

"Wuxtry! Wuxtry! All about Curtis Dinsmore indicted." "Curtis Dinsmore!" This passed a joke. Curtis was my father's name and—I spun around. "Here, boy!" I called. "Give me a paper."

He gave it, and I read it. It was about Father, all right. A warrant for his arrest had been issued but had not been served, "because Mr. Dinsmore cannot be reached. He was seen to enter his offices this morning, and is known not to have left them. Mr. McCutcheon, his head clerk, denies that he is there but refuses to permit the premises to be examined. A search warrant will be obtained immediately." And so forth.

Father! Indicted! Warrant for his arrest! Good heaven! I couldn't believe it. Father! Why, he didn't say a word to me about it. And surely they wouldn't have dared to indict Father without telling him about it. And sure he would have said something about it when he phoned that he was starting for the ship! And he had started, of course. But why hadn't he arrived? I was sure that he hadn't. I had been watching for him too closely. I was sure I couldn't have missed seeing him. He hadn't gotten to the ship. Good gracious! Of course he hadn't. He had been ar-

rested on the way! He was in jail—in jail!

The whistle blew, once, twice, three times. We were about to start. In another moment we would be gone and Father would be left in jail. What was I to do? What was I to do?

"All ashore that's going ashore! All ashore!" A megaphone trumpeted the words over the decks, and a catfooted steward echoed them in my ear.

Of course Josephine says I ought to have asked her. But that's a joke! Nobody ever asks Josephine anything. She would probably have given the right answer—in time, in the full of time. But time, full or not full, was what I didn't have.

"All ashore!" Of course! That was the answer. I turned and grabbed Josephine and rushed her along the deck, down the stairs, to the gangplank. Here, for the first time, she hung back—hung back effectively, I mean.

"Where—Where—What?" she gasped. "We—can't go ashore now! We'll be left!"

"Of course we will. We've got to be left. We wouldn't be right if we weren't left. Father has been indicted and arrested. He's in jail!" I whispered, shrilly. "We've got to stand by him. Come along!"

"Good heavens!" Josephine sagged. Then she braced up again. "But—" she began, "but—"

"Come along. You can have all the time you want to think about it when we're ashore. Come!" I put my hand and my whole one hundred and five pounds against Josephine's shoulders and ran her through the midst of the last squad of departing visitors onto the head of the gang plank. I could tell by the feel of her shoulders that she was not convinced; but then I didn't expect her to be. She went ahead, and under the circumstances that was enough to satisfy any reasonable person.

It was only when we got on the wharf and found our progress checked by the crowd that she objected again. "Who brought you the message from Father?" she asked.

"Message? Oh, good gracious, Josephine! I didn't get any message. Father had no way to send us a message. I read it in this paper." I thrust the miserable sheet before her eyes. "Oh! How lucky it was I heard the boy and bought a copy. Five minutes more and we'd have been carried off, and poor Father would have been left all alone!"

I had been steadily propelling Josephine while I spoke, and had gotten her outside of the crowd and well down the pier before I finished. When I did finish, she stopped dead.

"How do you know that Father didn't plan to get us away because he knew that this—this dreadful thing was going to happen?" she demanded. I caught my breath. Sure enough! How did I know? My lower jaw sagged. Then I braced up. "Very likely he did!" I declared. "But what difference does that make? We're not going to desert him, even if he wants us to."

"I am!" Josephine's voice was decided. "If Father had wanted us to stay he'd have said so. He didn't say so; therefore he wants us to go. And I'm going." Josephine caught my arm and began to drag me back. "I didn't insist. It wasn't necessary. 'All right,' I said. 'If you want to desert the father who bo—if you want to desert Father, I'm sorry I brought you ashore. But it's too late to get on board now. The steamer is off.'"

It was, too. Josephine looked at it for a moment. Then she surrendered. "I'll say this for Josephine; she has a most unfeminine habit of surrendering without any back talk, when she can't help herself. She doesn't fuss and she doesn't sulk. Really, she misses half the fun of being a woman."

Silently we walked along the pier. I called a taxi and we got in and gave the man the address, and we started.

We were half way home before either of us remembered poor Aunt Candice, prepared for the worst (which was sure to happen). Only she didn't dream how very worse it was to be. I was about to speak of it to Josephine, but, on consideration—I can consider when there is no particular need to act without consideration—I decided that I had better not worry her any more.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Odd Power Credited to Precious Stones

Superstitions still persist about the magical properties of many stones. On account of that associated with the opal, the proposal is frequently made by jewelers' associations to remove it from the list of "birth stones."

Strange places have been looked in for stones possessing unusual requirements. The gizzard of a rooster is said to have revealed a stone which rendered wives more agreeable to their husbands; the shell of a crab yielded a stone for sore eyes. Beads of paste or glass were in common use in ancient Gaul under the name of serpents' eggs. They were thought to be generated from the breath of the serpents, being shot into the air from their hissing jaws. Soldiers wore serpents' eggs to make them invincible.

It was long believed that a sap phire would heal diseases of the eye; and such a stone was once given to the treasury of St. Paul's by a well-meaning London grocer, to be used

for that purpose. There were stones to heal wounds, to aid the complexion and to prevent drunkenness.

St. Isidore, bishop of Seville, is said to have known of a stone which, when powdered and drunk with vinegar, made men insensible to torture. There is no record, however, that he ever tried it.

Selfish Goodness

Doing good out of a feeling of complacency is likely to result in self shame. The Good Samaritan went across the road to the wounded man just because he wanted to.—American Magazine.

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In and Around Town

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Nutley, who have been making their home near Bellingham, are spending the week with relatives and friends in town. Mr. Nutley recently had his collar bone broken in a logging camp accident and is taking a vacation until the injury is all healed up.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Larsen of Van Horn were visiting relatives and doing some shopping with local merchants Saturday.

—Start the day right. Drink Shaw's coffee. Only 50 cents a pound, at Carl Monrad's, Concrete.

Alex Park of Sauk was looking after business matters and greeting old time friends in town Monday.

Lloyd Seabury left Saturday for a week's visit with relatives and friends in Sedro-Woolley.

Mrs. Geo. B. Stuart of Spokane is making an extended visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Johnston.

I. J. Hummons returned Wednesday from a hunting trip to Sunnyside.

Mrs. O. Karlsson of Van Horn was shopping and visiting friends in the city yesterday.

Gene Crane of Marblemount was looking after business matters and visiting friends in town today.

—October Specials—Five Manicures for \$2.00; five Facials for \$3.00; Hot Oil Shampoo, \$1.00. Marcelling, Finger Waving and Shampooing at Evelyn's Beauty Shoppe, Phone Main 175.

Miss Marguerite Brown came up from Burlington yesterday for a few days' visit with her former schoolmate in Concrete.

Mrs. Floyd H. Roller returned on Saturday from a week's visit with her mother in Burlington.

—For rent, five-room modern house; complete plumbing; up-to-date furnace. For particulars see Frank W. Wetzel or phone Pine 52.

—For rent, two furnished houses. Inquire of Mrs. L. E. Wolfe, Concrete.

Mrs. R. C. Norman and children of Seattle were visiting with old friends in town over the week end.

Ross Zongrone and John Whitehair were shooting ducks near Conway on Monday afternoon. We did not see any ducks, so suppose they did not find any.

CHURCH NOTES

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Second Sunday, Mass at 8:30 a. m.

Third Sunday, Mass at 11:00 a. m.

BAPTIST CHURCH

WILLIS E. PETTIBONE, Pastor

Preaching service every Sunday evening.

Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Evening service starts at 8 p. m.

Sermon by the pastor

Sermon Theme: "The Grip of a Great Faith"

Bible study class, Monday, 8 p. m.

On Monday evening the pastor will give the fourth lesson on his special course. His subject will be "The Place of Prayer in the Perennial Revival".

"I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the House of the Lord."

The public is cordially invited to all these services.

MOUNT BAKER PRESBYTERIAN

L. H. PEDERSEN, Pastor

Services held every Sunday.

Sunday school at 10 o'clock.

Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.

Leader, Rev. L. H. Pedersen

Evening service, 7:30 p. m.

Vocal solo, Mrs. I. B. Evensen

Sermon by the Pastor

Sermon Topic: "The Man Who Said He Would, and Couldn't"

A special service Monday night at the church at 7:30. Rev. George H. Trull, a secretary of the board of national missions of the church will address the people of the town. All are invited to attend.

All are cordially invited to these services every Sunday.

Ladies' Auxiliary meets on first and third Thursdays of each month.

All are cordially invited to attend these services. Strangers in town always welcome.

Mrs. Cecil S. Phillips, who has been spending the summer with relatives at her former home in Alabama, returned to Concrete Monday. Mr. Phillips drove to Seattle to meet her. She says she had an enjoyable vacation but is glad to get back home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley I. Green were visiting with their daughter Helen in Seattle over the week end.

Mrs. A. E. Dunn and children left this morning for Seattle to visit over the week end with friends.

Rev. L. H. Pedersen will leave tomorrow for Burlington, where he is to give his illustrated lecture on "Alaska" in the evening.

—Farmers, ship us your butter fat. Highest market price. Our butter truck calls at Concrete every Thursday. Leave your cream at Monrad's or the Superior Mercantile Co. and we will pick it up and save you express charges. Honest weight and honest test guaranteed. West Coast Dairy, Anacortes.

Miss Marie Craig, who is employed in Bellingham, was visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. R. Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hawkings, who have been spending some weeks with relatives and old friends in the Middle West, returned to their home in town about a week ago.

—Nail Bleach is still on sale, also the "Golden System" Hair Brushes. Oil Shampoo for 75 cents that will positively remove dandruff. Marcelling, Water Waving, and Mirror Method Hair Cuts at the La Belle Beauty Shoppe, Telephone Black 15.

Jos. J. Baxter will visit over the week end with relatives in Bellingham.

Mrs. A. P. Newberry and daughters left yesterday for Seattle to spend the week end with relatives.

—Horace Condy, optometrist, of Sedro-Woolley will be at the Concrete drug store on the third Thursday of each month. Eyes examined and glasses fitted. Next visit on Nov. 15. Remember the date.

Dr. and Mrs. A. C. McPhaden were visiting with friends in Mount Vernon over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hetherington and son left yesterday for a four-day visit with relatives and friends in Seattle.

Miss Dorothy Brooks came home from Mount Vernon yesterday to spend her school vacation with her parents.

—For sale, four-room cottage in Crofoot's addition; well improved lot and good location; priced to make it a good buy. For particulars apply to Richard Thompson or telephone K51.

Mrs. Bess M. Brown and son Leroy spent Sunday in Mount Vernon, visiting at the C. L. Woodard home.

Adelle Roller left yesterday for Burlington to spend the week end at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. J. A. Childs.

Mrs. George Cornutt and Mrs. Chas. Brown of Newhalem were shopping and calling on friends in town yesterday.

Freda Good and Helen Bailey are spending their school vacation with relatives in Burlington.

Mrs. Edgar Gates and Miss Bessie Gates were visiting relatives in Mount Vernon yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Crooks moved Tuesday from the McDougall house on Division avenue to the Greiner cottage across the street.

Elwin Arnold, who underwent an operation for appendicitis in the Everett hospital about a week ago, is reported to be recovering rapidly and hopes to be able to return home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar V. Gates drove to Bellingham Friday evening to take in a show.

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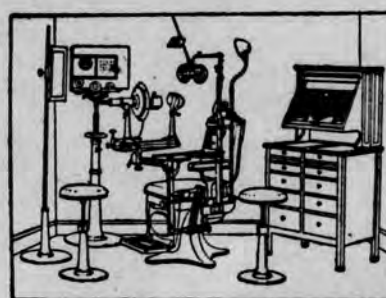
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