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IMMIGRATION AND QUOTAS

AS REQUIRED by the immigration law of 1924 President Hoover has proclaimed the national origins clause to become effective July 1. He has done this reluctantly because he believes that the quota basis of the census of 1890, under which we are now operating, is a better basis from a United States standpoint and further because he believes that it will be a hopeless attempt to untangle the racial origins of our whole population and that results of such an attempt can only be arrived at by arbitrary decision anyway. In his campaign utterances Mr. Hoover declared himself in favor of repeal of the national origins clause. It is not unlikely therefore that he will recommend that action to the coming special session of congress. This may be done or congress may decline to do it or an entirely new plan of immigration restriction may be enacted.

The great majority of the people of the United States undoubtedly desire that there shall be continued heavy restriction of immigration. But the subject of quotas is highly involved and hard to understand. Few who have not made a special study of the subject do understand it. The powerful groups of lobbyists representing various foreign nationals know what they want and will do their best to get it, as they did when immigration was before congress at past sessions. Aligned with some of these groups are lobbyists for various industries which want cheap labor and will try to get the immigration bars thrown down as far as possible. So altogether a fight looms.

Prior to the World war we were taking in European immigrants at the rate of several millions a year. Strong colonies of various nationals had formed in many of our cities. Some of them did not learn our language. They knew nothing about our institutions and form of government and made no effort to find out about them. Their loyalty was maintained to the lands they had left. They were unassimilable here. With them the melting pot did not function. Their presence and their ever increasing numbers pointed clearly to the danger of a day when we should no longer be one people in this country but a hodge-podge of peoples. So immigration was restricted. We still receive European immigrants but at the rate of only 300,000 a year instead of several millions. We still have our colonies of ignorant permanent foreigners but they do not increase as fast as they had done.

No quota plan would be satisfactory to all foreigners and their advocates. Each group stresses in its arguments the plea that the United States has a duty to admit immigrants of all nations. They talk about the rights at the hands of the United States of would-be immigrants still in their own lands. This writer is one who recognizes no such duty on our part and no such rights in possession of Europeans. Duty to its own citizens requires first that the United States shall hold immigration at a point which will safeguard our own interests and second that it shall admit only those foreigners who are deemed qualified and desirable for residence in this country. We have no duty to admit any foreigner. We have the right to select those to whom we extend the privilege of residence and citizenship.

POEM FOR THE DAY

By LOUIS ALBERT BANKS

THE CHARM OF UNSELFISHNESS

Two ex-governors of Oregon, Ben W. Olcott and Oswald West, were among a group of distinguished citizens who gathered in the chapel of the Holman & Lutz undertaking parlors at noon yesterday to grieve for a time and say "Good-bye, my friend," over a bier of a pauper.

"Toy Que, Chinese, said to have been one hundred years old when his heart failed him at the Multnomah county hospital last Sunday, was the man.

"Que, as we called him, devoted his life to helping his fellows," said E. M. Croisan, United States collector of customs, chosen to speak a few words for the mourners. "He was industrious all his life, but he always gave away his earnings. That is why he died in poverty. And that is why we were all proud to call him friend."

Unselfishness has its own charm
That can all racial hate disarm;
There's in it something so divine
It makes an alien race benign;
It has a kinship up above
In all the sacredness of love.
When human love is boiling hot
All pride of race is soon forgot.

Chinese Toy Que had learned the art
That captures every human heart;
He always could himself forget,
And had no cause for vain regret;
He found his joy in being kind—
To that he gave his gentle mind.
And every year he gathered friends
Who breathed the fragrance heaven sends.

His soul grew rich with passing years—
'Tis thus unselfishness endears.
His daily life was like a kiss—
Destroyed the walls of prejudice,
For from those Oriental eyes
There shone the beauty of the skies;
And in the life of old Toy Que
The sweetest flowers of heaven grew.

So, like his Master, he was rich
And held himself to that high pitch.
He gave his life to others' good
And so, enriched the brotherhood.
How great the lessons here to learn
And make the hearts within us burn!
If we sow love we'll live again—
Like old Toy Que—in hearts of men.

OUT OUR WAY



THE PUMP AND THE WELL. J. R. WILLIAMS. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF. © 1929 BY NCA SERVICE, INC.

By Williams

SENIOR CLASS AT RIDDLE HIGH PLANS THREE-ACT COMEDY

(News-Review Douglas County Special)

RIDDLE, April 5.—The senior class play, "It Happened in June," will be presented soon at Alhambra theatre. Rehearsals are in full swing. An able cast of four girls and four boys are enthusiastic in their work. The cast includes: Mabel Branham, Willametta Logsdon, Ruth Moshart, Myrtle Adah Pratt, Gale Blundell, Marie Marcum, Carlisle Burgoyne, Dean Marcum. This three-act comedy-drama is one of the new royalty plays written by Eugene Kafer. Fine orchestra music will be given between acts.

Another coming event in the school is the May Day festival. The grade children are preparing a program and the blue ribbon children will take part in it. There are seven blue ribbon children in the fifth and sixth grades, seven in the third and fourth grades, and five in the seventh and eighth grades.

The pupils in the seventh and eighth grades having 100 in spelling for the last two weeks are Manuel Cripps, Marie Ball and Marguerite Ball.

Those having perfect attendance in the seventh and eighth grades for the last month are Betty Howard, Horace Houser, Mabel Walker, Marguerite Ball, Edith Marcum, Marie Willis, June Yukum, Delbert Ball, Eugene Thomas, son, Kelsar Burgoyne, Owen Willis and Robert Lawrence.

That may be paid by the federal government for grade and purebred cattle condemned because of tuberculosis have been announced, the maximum federal share in indemnity payments for purebred cattle raised from \$50 to \$70. The new scale became effective in February.

The number of bankruptcies among farmers for the year ending on June 30, 1928, was 5,679 out of a total of 53,444, compared with 6,294 farm bankruptcies out of a total of 45,066 the preceding year.

SHOULD CHURCHES MAKE LAWS?
Read article in Liberty magazine of April 6th and then come to Baptist church Sunday night to hear it discussed by the pastor.

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pay the damage, the period of imprisonment shall be in proportion to the amount of damage ascertained, up to 100 thaler (\$75), one-fourth year; from 100 to 200 thaler (\$75 to \$150), one-half year; and 200 thaler and over, 1 year imprisonment.

Back in those days, at least so far as Germany is concerned, they were really hard-boiled on the subject of forest fires. Perhaps we are not so badly off, after all.

DETROIT'S EAST SIDE UNDER WATER FIVE FEET DEEP

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
DETROIT, April 5.—Hundreds of families early today were marooned in their homes by flood waters from Coney creek on Detroit's east side, caused by heavy rain. Water to a depth of five feet swept over streets and many families were forced to the second floor of their homes. Police received reports that members of one family had been overcome by gas, but were unable to reach the home to attempt a rescue.

An area about a mile square was flooded. Automobiles parked on streets were swept away, some of them several blocks. Basements of stores in the district were filled with water. Shop keepers opened up to sell hip boots and waders to roasters.

In addition to the work of removing those most seriously in danger, police and other workers were confronted with the problem of clearing clogged sewers. One fire company was called out and aided with ladders in removing marooned persons from their homes.

SOUTHERN CROSS SEARCH NOW BASED ON DEFINITE CLUE

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
SYDNEY, Australia, April 5.—Captain Charles Kingsford-Smith and his three companions, forced down somewhere in the wilderness of western Australia last Sunday on the first lap of a flight to England, probably landed within fifty miles of the Drysdale mission station.

This is now the belief of the committee in charge of the search which has instructed Captain Clouston, an almanac at the nearby town of Wyndham, to renew his search in the Drysdale river area in cooperation with a plane chartered by the Sydney "Sun."

The Drysdale mission today definitely timed the passage of an airplane which was almost certainly the Southern Cross at 11 a. m. Sunday morning. The plane chartered by the "Sun" received this confirmation.

The plane then proceeded to the Mitchell river area and zigzagged back and forth along the season to a distance of thirty miles inland without sighting the lost fliers.

TO GIVE PIE SOCIAL
(News-Review Douglas County Special)
OAKLAND, April 5.—The Oakland Church of Christ is to hold a pie social on Tuesday evening. The program will consist of songs, readings, orchestra selections, quartette and other interesting musical and literary numbers.

NOTICE
The annual meeting of the South Douglas Cooperative Fruit Growers Pool will be held at the Grange hall, Myrtle Creek, on Monday, April 8th, at 2:30 p. m. All interested are invited to attend.
C. G. FULTON, Sec.

BAPTISTS
The month of April is important with us. Lots of things ahead. Will you be with us Sunday?

The Office Cat

"Lend me a dollar, Si!"
"How's that?"
"I say, lend me a dollar."
"Somehow can't hear a word you say."
"Wait a minute an' I'll write it down for you."
"I ain't no use. Can't see with-out my glasses."

"Now, Jimmy," said the Sunday school teacher, "which would you rather be, the wheat or the tares?"
"The tares," answered Jimmy promptly.

"Why," asked the teacher in surprise, "How can you say that, when you know wheat represents good and the tares the bad?"
"Oh, that's all right," replied the precocious youngster, "the wheat gets threshed and the tares don't."

From the Smoking Car.
Salesman: "Does your eye open your letters?"
Radio Salesman: "Only those marked 'private'."

Notice.
If the best jokes submitted to this column of piffle would get in, the editor would get out.

Do You Know Your Own State?

Excerpts from "Oregon Geographic Names" by McArthur, which explain the origin of names of geographic landmarks throughout the state.

TODAY: ELMIRA

ELMIRA, Lane County.—Amos F. Elmira, in 1925, informed Mr. McArthur that Elmira was named by his brother, Byron Elmira, for Elmira, California, a place which he greatly admired. About 1884 Byron Elmira bought a location for a wood and iron smithy near the present site of Elmira, which was then called Duckworth. Elmira did not like this name, and persuaded the postal authorities to change it to Elmira.

ELLOWAH FALLS, Multnomah County.—These falls on McCord creek were named by a committee representing the Mazamas and other organizations in 1915. The name is obviously Indian, but the meaning has not been determined by the committee.

OREGON NEWS

SALEM, Ore., April 4.—Mrs. Sarah Reeves, 3, the oldest resident of Jefferson, died Thursday. She was born in Missouri January 8, 1826 and came to Oregon with her husband, Bartley Reeves, in 1870, locating near Jefferson. Six of their 11 children survive.

PORTLAND, Ore., April 4.—Held under hall of \$2,500 each, two stock promoters, B. C. McIntyre, 53, and George E. Adams, 25, today awaited action by the district attorney on charge of selling stock without a state permit. They were arrested on complaint of J. M. Hodges, who said he had purchased stock in the Northwest Chair company of Vancouver on promise of a job with that firm. The district attorney said the two men had worked out a scheme designed to evade the blue sky law.

PORTLAND, April 4.—His right arm shattered and his eyesight destroyed, Oscar Lihna, 28, of Portland, was received at a hospital here today to be treated for injuries resulting from accidental explosion of a dynamite cap while he was working at Greenboro, Ore.

No one under 25 should be under weight

Everyone should eat enough



A food scientist, known throughout the length and breadth of the country for his sane and progressive views on health, emphasizes the danger of being under weight, especially for young people. "No one," he says, "under 25 years of age should be under weight. Weigh your children," he says, "and feed them enough. They must not lose weight. A loss of weight may indicate the beginning of disease."

Feeding children is sometimes a problem. How many mothers find it difficult to get children to eat healthful cereals and cooked fruits? The answer is that these beneficial foods should be sweetened to taste so that the children will eat them delicious.

Growing children, especially young girls of high-school and college age, often take up the fad of dieting for slimness. This may be extremely dangerous and may make the girls susceptible to tuberculosis and numerous other diseases. Medical authorities warn us that many women injure their health permanently by extreme dieting.

The important question of food must be approached sensibly. See that no growing person in your family is permitted to be under weight. Make a variety of healthful foods tasty and appetizing with sugar. Active children use energy so rapidly that they need a ready reserve of energy to draw upon. A bit of sweet makes the meal complete. The Sugar Institute.

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Roast, lb.	20-25c
Neck Bones, lb.	15c
Sausage, Pork, lb.	20c
Pork Steaks, lb.	25c
VEAL & BABY BEEF	
Breasts for Boiling, lb.	18c
Roasts, lb.	25c
Shanks, lb.	08c
Steaks, lb.	25c
MUTTON	
Breasts, lb.	18c
Chops, lb.	25c
Roasts, lb.	25-28c

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