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RASH-TRIGGERS IN ILLINOIS

AT AURORA, Ill., a county dry investigator made a perjured affidavit that he had purchased liquor at the home of the de King family. On the basis of that affidavit county prohibition agents raided the place. When they entered a deputy sheriff of the party struck de King from behind and felled him. He shot and killed Mrs. de King, who sat at a telephone trying to communicate with an attorney. A twelve-year-old boy of the de Kings then shot the deputy sheriff in the leg. The wounded deputy says that Mrs. de King was reaching for a gun when he shot her. The de Kings, father and son deny this. The agent on whose affidavit the raid was made has confessed his perjury, fled and been arrested. A coroner's jury has recommended prosecution of the deputy who did the killing on a charge of manslaughter.

Rash-trigger officers who arrogate to themselves the power to shoot on suspicion and to violate the constitutional bill of rights are doing no good to prohibition, even though the slayers themselves nearly always find immunity from punishment. In Coos county the other day a state prohibition agent was exonerated after he had shot a fleeing suspect in the back and killed him. His offense was scarcely less than that of the Illinois officer who has been recommended for prosecution. Official homicide is none the less homicide because it is hedged about with immunity from punishment due to the fact that officials stick together and defend each other. Sooner or later public sentiment will demand and enforce the same regard for law and decency by officers that is required of common citizens.

It has been the contention of the pilots of the large three-motored passenger planes plying between Portland and San Francisco, that they could not safely come down on the Hannan emergency landing field south of the city. Last evening a big tri-motor plane carrying six passengers came down safely and took off again this morning without difficulty. It is likely that the big ships will use our emergency field occasionally now. The construction of the new field, though, will remove all question marks entirely and that is progress.

Just about the biggest celebration ever held in this county will take place in Glendale May 1. Since practically every one who is able to leave the house will go from Roseburg to Glendale on that day, why not declare a local holiday?

President Hoover was quite right in declining to outline a detailed program of farm relief legislation. That is a matter for the congressional leaders who have made a long and specialized study of the subject. It is likely to be found, nevertheless, that the President will see to it that there is relief.

POEM FOR THE DAY

By LOUIS ALBERT BANKS

ICEBERGS TO ORDER!

"There are a lot of lazy icebergs hanging around the north and south poles. This is indicated by oceanographers who say that the climates of Europe, India, Australia, South Africa and Argentina would benefit if the icebergs would move out of the arctic and antarctic regions a little more regularly. It is apparent that the bergs are getting to be too independent. They need discipline. If they will not move voluntarily, they should be made to move.

"Meteorologists appear to be quite upset over the failure of the antarctic icebergs to develop wanderlust at a time when their help is needed in relieving the droughts in Argentina and Uruguay, and in South Africa and Australia. They all agree that there is no good reason for the bergs to stick around the poles as long as they do. And so it is proposed to bring modern engineering into play. It is held that the results to be obtained would be many times the cost involved in chopping off a dozen or so icebergs every now and then and shoving them into the ocean currents."—Christian Science Monitor.

When God made man He gave command
To take domain o'er sea and land;
He gave to him the brain to dream
And bring in force each noble scheme,
To so enhance the common good,
So bring the world in neighborhood,
That each should help the good of all
Who dwell upon this earthly ball.

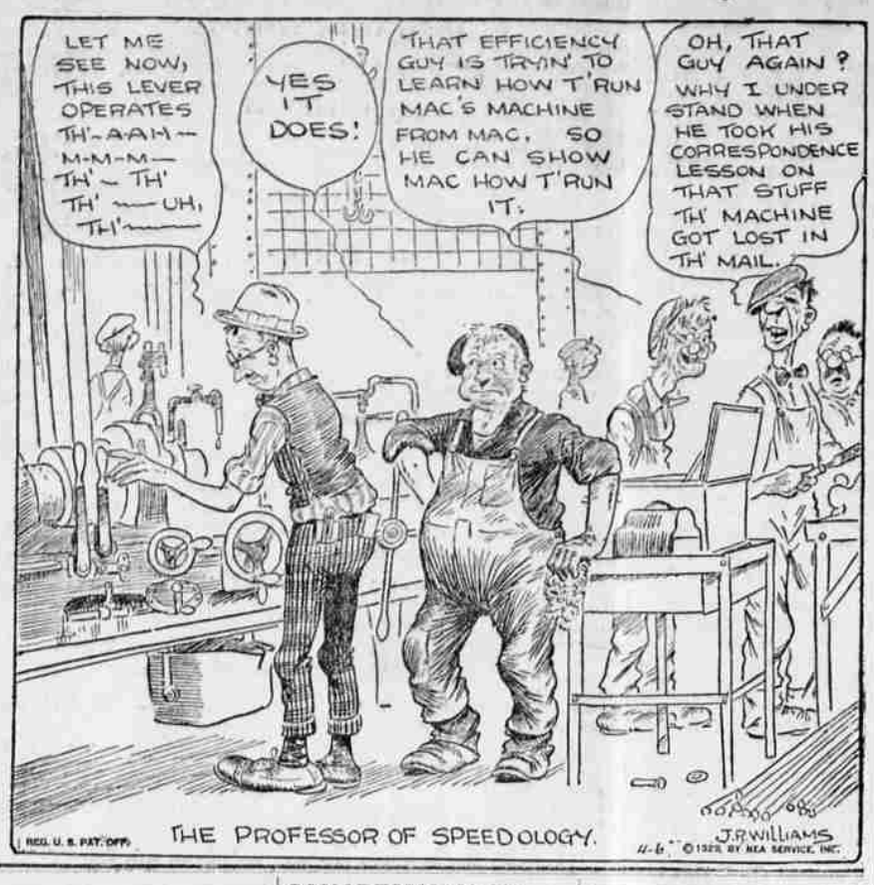
This iceberg scheme seems quite in line—
To have a purpose quite divine.
To help to make a fertile soil
And aid the poor man in his toil
is but to carry out God's plan
To make the world a home for man,
To so adjust His wondrous laws
That they shall serve our common cause.

To pluck the icebergs from the poles
And make them serve these climate roles.
Is less a thing of fairy dreams
Than Edison's electric schemes.
To make the icebergs come and go
Is not so strange as radio.
To follow currents cross the main
Is simpler than the aeroplane.

How great to live in such an age—
Romance agleam on every page;
With land and sea to do our will
Till every nerve's a tingling thrill!
God make us wise to use our power,
In this superb momentous hour,
With humble heart and tempered soul—
To play a man's triumphant role!

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



The Office Cat

We were much interested in the news that our president has perfect feet, but it must be very aggravating to have to keep them covered while other features, less perfect, brazenly call attention to themselves.

You've got to have a pull to get ahead and you've got to have a head to get a pull.

"Banan cloth" is a new clothing material on the market. It ought to be a fine thing to slip on when you're in a hurry.

Many a high hat hides a low brow.

The way the average father writes to his son in college—Dear Son.

After all, a stable government only requires horse sense.

It used to be that girls knew more than they pretended. Now they pretend to know more than they know. Another sign of advancing civilization.

The critics who say "America cannot enjoy leisure" should see us when the boss goes out.

Modern love seldom is so blind that it cannot see a bank account.

They had just met at the beach and were sitting on the bench:

She—What a wonderfully developed arm you have.

He—Yes, I got that playing baseball. By the way, were you ever on a track team?

The Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath: picture shows were made for man, not for the Sabbath.

A train in Iowa was brought to a standstill by striking a snowdrift. A farmer, carrying a long pole, showed up on the scene. He would walk a few steps and stick the pole down in the snow.

Finally he came close to the train and a passenger opened the window and asked the farmer, "How deep is the snow out there?" To which he replied, "I'll be gosh darned if I know, I'm hunting for my barn."

A writer in a magazine article advises the girls not to be "afraid to go after the boys." Afraid? Why they've got the boys on the run now.

Truant Officer—Why haven't you sent your son, Johnny, to school? Don't you want him to learn to read?

Proud Father—It hain't necessary now that we have the talking movies.

Just about the time when the news comes that there is no harm in kissing some of us are too old to care whether there is or not.

EDITORIALS ON THE DAY'S NEWS

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were hunted and trapped to the point of extinction—not because of any climatic or other change. They would repopulate the country if they were rigidly protected.

Oregon knows all about that. For years the beaver was protected here and its numbers grew quite surprisingly. Then the protection was withdrawn, and almost over night the new beaver colonies disappeared.

Pioneer alfalfa seed is mountain grown and hardy. This is what makes it long lived. It is sold at Wharton Bros.

CONGRESSMAN OF KENTUCKY DIES

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 5.—C. W. Roark, representative-elect from the third Kentucky congressional district, died at a hospital here today of a nervous disorder that followed his campaign last November. His condition had been made worse by an attack of influenza.

Mr. Roark, a republican, was elected last November over John W. Moore, democratic incumbent, in the republican wave that gave Hoover an overwhelming victory and resulted in nine out of eleven congressional districts, most of them normally democratic, elected republicans for congress.

Pioneer brand alfalfa seed has been planted in this vicinity for five years and has given good results. We buy the same seed cut from the same fields each year. Wharton Bros.

Don't forget the Roseburg Garden Club plant and shrub sale Saturday at Chamber of Commerce.

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: ELLENDALE

ELLENDALE, Polk County.—This pioneer community was about two miles west of Dallas, on Rickreall creek. In 1845 James A. O'Neil built the first grist mill in Polk county, a few hundred yards west of what was later Ellendale. About 1849 he sold the mill to James W. Nesmith and Henry Owen, who operated it until 1854 and then sold it to Hudson and company. Ralph P. Boise, who came to Oregon in 1850, named the place for his wife, Ellen Lyon, a native of Massachusetts, who sailed for New York to San Francisco in the record time of 89 days on the Flying Cloud. The original Nesmith house at Ellendale is still owned by the Boise family. The mill flume took water from the creek on the south side and crossed to the north side near the present county bridge.

News of Douglas County

BASKETBALL TEAMS OF YONCALLA HIGH BANQUET GUESTS

(News-Review Douglas County Special)

YONCALLA, April 6.—The high school student body entertained the members of both basketball teams at a banquet, held in the Epworth hall, Wednesday evening. The members of the Epworth league put on the banquet. The hall was beautifully decorated with the class colors, purple and gold. Large bouquets of daffodils and wild purple flowers graced the long tables. Streamers of gold and yellow were hung from the lights to the corners of the table. Prof. Rhinesmith, Dorothy Walker, Jim Churchill and Alice Hummel gave short talks. The Epworth League deserves credit for the way they put on the banquet, and handled everything in a very capable manner. Those present were the girls' team: Doris Mathis, Waneta Wahm, Betty Strong, Wilma Woolman, Alice Hummel, Bertha Sutherlin, subs. Marie Toner and Ray Daugherty; the boys' team: Jim and LeRoy Churchill, Perry Thiele, Donald Guard, subs. Clyde Kelse, Weth Woolman, John Toner. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Rhinesmith, Dorothy Walker, Katheryn Daugherty, Mildred Howard, Miss Christopherson, Miss Hunter, Delvin Simonds and Jim Collars.

NEEDLEWORK CLUB OAK GROVE MEET AT GORRELL HOME

(News-Review Douglas County Special)

OAKLAND, April 6.—A very enjoyable meeting of the Oak Grove Needlework club was held at the home of Mrs. Frank Gorrell on March 27, this being the third Wednesday of the month, the club's regular time of meeting.

The spacious rooms of the Gorrell home were attractive with spring bloom, and a delicious turkey dinner was served at noon to the following ladies.

Mrs. H. L. Kruse, Mrs. Helen Lawrence, Mrs. Dewey Moore, Mrs. Earl Johnson, Mrs. George Wilcox, Mrs. Claud Goff, Mrs. James Starr, Mrs. John Haakanson, Mrs. Carrie Marston, Mrs. Henry Sieverts, Mrs. Fay Leatherwood, Mrs. C. E. Miller and the hostess, Mrs. Gorrell.

The afternoon was spent, socially, and the club adjourned in the late afternoon to meet next time at the home of Mrs. H. L. Kruse.

SCHOOL GIRL AT TENMILE BURNED

(News-Review Douglas County Special)

TENMILE, April 6.—Virginia Schultz of Brockway was quite badly burned Wednesday when her clothing caught fire while leaves were being burned around the school house. The teacher burned her hand quite seriously in extinguishing the flames on the burning clothing.

TENMILE AND VICINITY NEWS

(News-Review Douglas County Special)

TENMILE, April 6.—Mrs. Gill Gorden, a former resident of Olalla was buried at Tenmile Sunday. The relatives have the sympathy of a host of friends.

Fred Byron of Olalla, who is a patient at the Veterans' hospital at Portland is reported much improved. He expectes to be home soon.

The many friends of Arthur Cloak of Edenbower are sorry to hear of his death. Mr. Cloak was a former resident of this locality and has many friends here.

The P. T. A. held a meeting and gave an entertainment Friday night. A good time is reported.

The Easter program at Tenmile Sunday was very highly spoken of.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Minnie Bushnell of Tenmile, who is on a visit at Coquille is in very poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Swift and Mr. Malone were Roseburg visitors Thursday.

YONCALLA NEWS

(News-Review Douglas County Special)

YONCALLA, April 6.—Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cooke left Thursday for their new home near Glendale. Mr. and Mrs. Cooke have lived in and near Yoncalla for a number of years, and have hosts of friends who regret their leaving this community.

Miss Bernice Allen of Eugene, spent a few days here this week visiting friends.

A basket picnic was held at the Huntington ranch Wednesday for all the turkey growers of Douglas county for the purpose of organizing a Turkey Breeders association. McKinley Huntington gave a demonstration of points for selecting stock for exhibition purposes. Plans are underway for a turkey fair to be held some time next fall.

From Melrose—

V. Preschern of Melrose spent Friday afternoon visiting with friends and transacting business here.

MYRTLE CREEK HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS EARN BOOK MONEY

(News-Review Douglas County Special)

MYRTLE CREEK, April 6.—Prof. and Mrs. English have returned from a business trip to Portland, where they were making arrangements to try to replace some of the equipment for the school which was lost in the disastrous fire last Sunday morning.

The school boys have been given a share in the work of clearing away the debris, thus having a chance to earn money to replace their books which were destroyed. The work on the gym is being rushed as much as possible and the grades will be taught there the remainder of the year, while the high school will be housed in the I. O. O. F. hall.

ATHLETIC FIELD BE READY SOON

(News-Review Douglas County Special)

WILBUR, April 6.—The pupils of Wilbur school are looking forward with eagerness to the completion of the tennis court, ball ground and track which will be ready very soon.

MYRTLE CREEK NEWS

(News-Review Douglas County Special)

MYRTLE CREEK, April 6.—The H. O. A. Club of Nugget held a pleasant meeting at the home of Mrs. R. R. Ady on Wednesday afternoon. About fifteen ladies were in attendance and the time was spent in making garments which were sent to the Children's Farm Home in Corvallis.

Quite a large delegation of members of Valentine Chapter, O. E. S. motored to Roseburg Thursday evening to attend the joint meeting of several chapters honoring the worthy grand matron who visited the Roseburg chapter at this date.

R. G. Dieckman has returned from a business trip to Portland.

Harris Ellsworth, editor of the News-Review, accompanied by Charles Stanton, city editor, made a short visit to Myrtle Creek Wednesday afternoon.

The revival meeting being held in the Christian church by Evangelist Teddy Leavitt is increasing in interest and it is to be hoped that great good will be accomplished.

George Lyons of Portland and John Lyons of Cottage Grove were Myrtle Creek visitors Tuesday.

Our valley was visited by quite a little snow storm Friday morning, which made the almond, apricot and peach trees look rather shivery.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cornell returned to their home in Portland Friday after a short visit with Mr. Cornell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Cornell.

Dell Wood spent Sunday in Eugene with friends.

The new cottage recently built by T. N. Cornutt is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. MacDougall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mulkey and Mrs. C. C. March attended the funeral of Mrs. Mulkey's sister, Mrs. J. W. Cox, in Roseburg Tuesday.

CHURCH NEWS

International Bible Student Association meet at East Commercial Ave., at 11 a. m. All are cordially invited to attend these studies.

The subject for study this week is Psalms 147:12. "Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem; praise thy God, O Zion." To whom were the Psalms addressed? And for whom were they written? Who were Jerusalem and Zion? These and many more questions will be answered scripturally. Have you tuned in your radio lately on KTBK at Portland, Sunday eve between 9 and 10 p. m.?

DAILY WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau Office, Roseburg, Oregon. Data reported by E. H. Fletcher, Meteorologist in charge.

Barometric pressure reduced to sea level) 5 a. m.	30.09
Relative humidity 5 p. m. yesterday (per cent)	64
Highest temperature yesterday	45
Lowest temperature last night	31
Average temperature for the day	43
Normal temperature for this date	50
Precip. in Inches and Hundredths:	
Precipitation for 24 hours, ending 5 a. m.	.04
Total precip. since 1st month	.22
Normal precip. for this month	2.27
Total precip. from Sept. 1, 1928, to date	16.64
Normal precip. from Sept. 1, to date	27.52
Total deficiency since Sept. 1, 1928	10.88
Normal seasonal precip. Sept. to May, inclusive	31.19

Forecast for interior southwest Oregon: Mostly cloudy tonight and Sunday; freezing temperature tonight.

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WEEKLY SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Obedient to the Heavenly Vision

Text: Isaiah 6:1-8; 20:1, 2; 38:1-5.

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw also the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up and his train filled the temple.

Above it stood the seraphims: each one had six wings; with twain he covered his face, and with twain he covered his feet, and with twain he did fly.

And one cried unto another, and said, Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory.

And the posts of the door moved at the voice of him that cried, and the house was filled with smoke.

Then said I, Woe is me; for I am undone; because I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips: for mine eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts.

Then flew one of the seraphims unto me, having a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with the tongs from off the altar;

And he laid it upon my mouth, and said, Lo, this hath touched thy lips, and thine iniquity is taken away, and thy sin purged.

Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, Whom shall I send, and who will go for us? Then said I, Here am I; send me.

In the year that Tartan came unto Ashdod (when Sargon the king of Assyria sent him), and fought against Ashdod and took it;

At the same time spake the Lord by Isaiah the son of Amoz, saying, Go and loose the sackcloth from off thy loins, and put off thy shoe from thy foot. And he did so, walking naked and barefoot.

In those days was Hezekiah sick unto death. And Isaiah the prophet the son of Amoz came unto him, and said unto him, Thus saith the Lord, Set thine house in order: for thou shalt die, and not live.

Then Hezekiah turned his face toward the wall, and prayed unto the Lord.

And said, Remember now, O Lord, I beseech thee, how I have walked before thee in truth and with a perfect heart, and have done that which is good in thy sight. And Hezekiah wept sore.

Then came the word of the Lord to Isaiah, saying,

Go, and say to Hezekiah, Thus saith the Lord, the God of David, thy father, I have heard thy prayer, I have seen thy tears; behold, I will add unto thy days fifteen years.

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for April 7. Obedient to the Heavenly Vision. Isaiah 6:1-8; 20:1, 2; 38:1-5.

By WM. E. GILROY, D. D.
Editor of The Congregationalist

From the study of great Christian teachings during the last quarter we turn now to six months' study of the sources of these great teachings and their anticipations in the prophetic life of Israel.

Nothing seems clearer in the New Testament record of the life of Jesus than the fact that his divine teaching and ministry developed out of his human environment and experience. His life was a life of normal development from babyhood to manhood; and, though his conquest of temptation and the completeness of his devotion to the Father's will gave him rare spiritual insight in the perception of that will and created in him the consciousness of his supreme mission, it seems very clear that his knowledge and this remarkable spiritual insight were related to the religion in which he grew up.

In his teachings Jesus reflects his intimate knowledge of the prophets of Israel and the way in which the deepest truth that they expressed had laid hold of his earthly mind and consciousness. He found in these prophetic teachings of Israel the elements of his own message, and he represented all that he himself was saying and doing as the fulfilment of what the prophets had said and done.

Men of Pure Motives

The prophets were not primarily magicians foretelling events and doing strange and remarkable things. They were great moral and spiritual leaders whose prophecy consisted in the depth and vision with which they penetrated into the facts of life and into the soul of religious truth.

They spoke as those who had discerned the divine will, and such discernment was possible for them because of the sincerity and purity of their own characters and motives. They spoke as the pure in heart who had seen God. The inspiration that they exercised was the inspiration of men devoted to truth and righteousness.

Of these prophets of Israel among the first and the greatest was Isaiah. It is the belief of many scholars that in the book which bears his name we have recorded the work of two prophets who lived at different periods, and such scholars refer to the latter part of this book, from the fortieth chapter on, as "the second Isaiah."

Without discussing the ground of this theory, we may concentrate our attention here upon the prophet known as the first Isaiah, whose prophetic work we may date about the year 740 B. C. He was not the first of the prophets. Amos, the herdsman, the country man of clear vision denouncing the corruption of the city and wickedness in high places, had heard the prophetic call some years before Isaiah, and even before Amos there had been such prophets as Elijah and Elisha and Samuel.

But from this time on prophecy is rather closely related to the political and national life of Israel. The nature of the prophetic work and its foundation are well brought out in this lesson. Isaiah's call comes through an unusual experience, emphasizing for him a deep sense of the holiness and the the glory of Jehovah. This holiness and glory create in him the consciousness of a call as the meeting with God creates the consciousness of a call in the heart of every man.

Upholding Goodness

One cannot understand the meaning and reality of goodness in a world like this without feeling the sense of a mission to proclaim goodness and to uphold it against evil. So Isaiah in contrast with the glory of God feels the need of the world and God's purpose to make the world better. He leaves in his experience the divine voice saying, "Whom shall I send," and his response is immediate, "Here am I, send me."

The latter part of the lesson is associated with the aspects of this inner mission of Isaiah in relation to the events and experiences of the time. Isaiah disapproved of Israel's foreign policy, and his opportunity comes as he sees that policy bringing disaster to Israel. Naked and barefoot like a prisoner of war, he makes his protest, and Hezekiah, the king, is turned from his folly to righteousness with the prophetic assurance that fifteen years have been added to his days.

We are apt, for some reason or other, to think of the prophets as old men. Nothing, perhaps, is more necessary than to correct that idea and to realize that the prophets in the beginning of their mission at least probably were representatives of that flaming and enthusiastic youth which ever has had the vision of the better world and the passion for reform.