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LINCOLN

AS TIME sends further in perspective the events of Lincoln's time, his greatness appears even greater. There could be no more important tribute to his memory than that statement. Time often, more often than not, deals harshly with the exalted reputations of public men. Heroes and idols of one generation dim and fade even tarnish with the coming of other generations. It can only be said of Lincoln that he must loom greater in our own eyes, the eyes of this generation, than he did to people of his own time.

Always fair, always ready to compromise, one of Lincoln's outstanding characteristics was his inability to hate. The "with malice toward none; with charity for all" of his second inaugural address were with him no idle words. He meant them and his whole conduct showed that he meant them. Seward, who had opposed him for the presidency, who had belittled and reviled him in public and in private, he made his secretary of state and kept him in that position to the hour of his own death, passing by at the outset of his administration Seward's cheeky and ridiculous proposal that he himself should carry the duties and the policies of the presidency while Lincoln should act as a mere figurehead. Stanton, who as secretary of war early allied himself with the northern radicals and opposed himself to Lincoln's reconstruction policies, he treated with similar tolerance. On his visit to Richmond after Lee's surrender Lincoln called at the home of Mrs. Thomas, wife of the gallant confederate general, recalled his own former associations with her husband and left a cheery message for him. His whole career is filled with incidents of similar trend demonstrating the greatness of his heart. He was incapable of rancor or spite.

It is the anniversary of the birth of one of the very greatest of all great Americans that we are honoring today with a national holiday. Let us pause a moment in the busy affairs of our active lives to learn more of him and to admire him.

POEM FOR THE DAY

By LOUIS ALBERT BANKS

EVEN HIS FOOTSTEPS ARE SACRED

This poem comes from the little town of Lincoln, Illinois. "Place by place, the old Postville courthouse here, the building in which Abraham Lincoln appeared as a lawyer in almost every important case for several years, in being torn down by employees of Henry Ford, who purchased it for \$25,000.

"Even to the point of demolishing the old main and making the plastering, every portion of the historic building is being saved and will be shipped to Lincoln, Illinois, where he plans to reconstruct it exactly as it appeared in the late twenties and thirties.

"In its new location, the building will be incorporated in the 'historical village' which Mr. Ford is building in connection with his Museum of American History, and which already includes other ancient edifices of historical significance.

How great to see so grand a life
That en amant earth's bitter strife,
It shines so pure and white and clean
That from our footsteps men will gleam
Rare Henry Ford's historic village,
In planning for high mental tangle,
Could glean no more appropriate hall
To Lincoln's ways and days recall.

This hall, which echoed his voice,
Will wake the millions to rejoice,
Will bring again the homely face
The world loves more than any grace;
And more and more, in all the lauds,
Men will revere his honest hands,
This hall where Lincoln used to plead
Inspires the race of men he freed.

Wise Henry Ford has chosen well—
A loud, loud tale this hall will tell,
Till tell of poverty so rich
Men tune the nation to its pitch,
Yes, more and more, Abe's honest heart
Becomes the standard of our art
Till all the men whom we would treasure
Must fit into the Lincoln measure.

Great Lincoln's name still grows in power—
In him our nation comes to flower;
He shows the genius of our land;
We feel his touch on every hand.
He stands a towering super man
Built on a vast heroic plan,
And every man who'd rule our States
Must stand or fall by Lincoln traits.

PACIFIC WOOL MEN BECOME PART OF NATIONAL ASSN.

(Associated Press Local Wire)

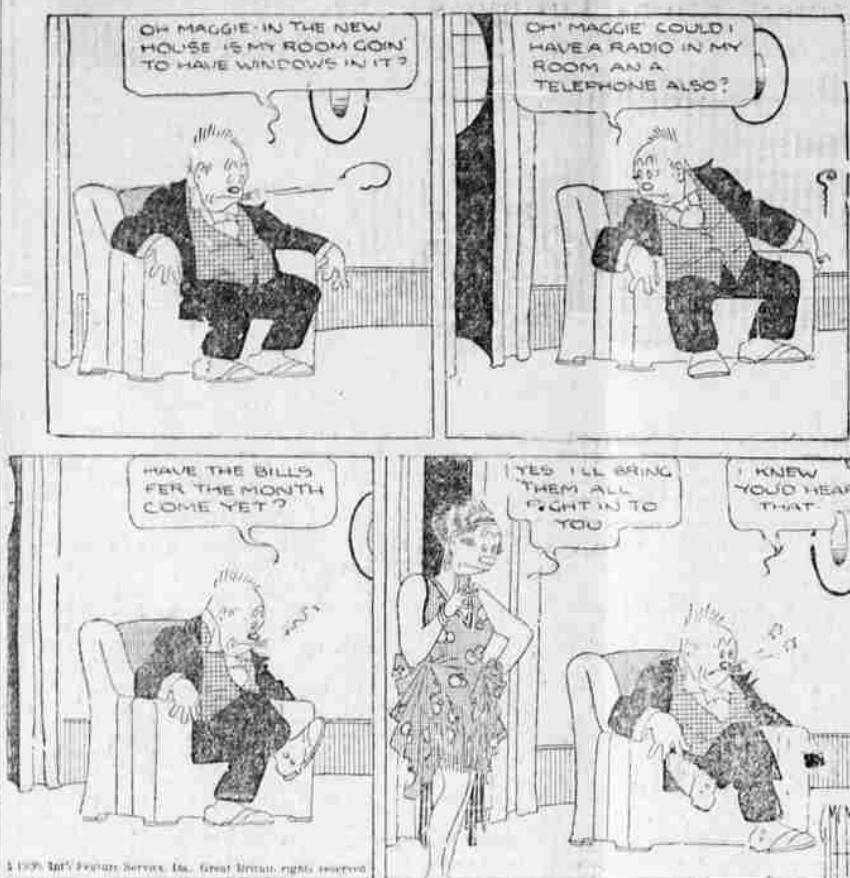
PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 12.—The A. W. Wool Growers of the Pacific Cooperative Wool Growers, an organized body, following a meeting of the board of directors Monday, that the Pacific organization is now definitely a part of the national wool marketing corporation. The directors voted to subscribe for stock with the firm found at the rate of one share at \$100 per share for each 100,000 pounds of wool to be marketed through the organization.

With this step taken the western organization expects to have a record year in 1929 to handling 5,000,000 to 6,000,000 pounds of wool against 3,000,000 pounds in the 1928.

Included in the survey which the association hopes to give is the ability to advance 15 per cent to 20 per cent of the value of wool.

BRINGING UP FATHER

By Geo. McManus



Winter "Shut-Ins"

Dr. Copeland's Health Topic Today

Too Many People Forego the Pleasures and Health Benefits of the Great Out-Doors in Cold Weather, Says Authority.

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D.
United States Senator from New York.
Former Commissioner of Health, New York City.

WINTER sports are becoming more and more popular each season. Fashions favor them, society favors them, and so do the doctors.

If you are tired out after the whirl of the city, of business and social cares, why not try a change of scene? And winter sports? Nothing is more health-giving than a change of scene and some form of recreation which combines with it pleasure and the benefits of health.

What is more wonderful than a Winter's day on the mountain sides, or in the woods? You may ski there, or snow-shoe, for miles at a time, through unbroken paths. With the snow, pure white and deeper, perhaps, than your head, you see Nature from a viewpoint that you cannot see in any other way.

Such exercise plays upon every nerve and muscle of the body. Your senses are keener, the blood is stimulated into new life and with it new vigor comes. I often wonder that so many of us neglect these rare sports of the Winter-time.

And after you return from the day's outing, it may be that kindred souls have gotten there before you. A blazing log or two, a good supper, some drowsy bantering, and you are to bed! Sleep is good. Maybe it never was so good?

Skating is a wonderful exercise. Everybody can have this sport without going far for it. In the cities, now are the out-of-doors skating rinks where, for a small sum, the populace goes, skates in hand, any day or evening. This has always been a fascinating sport, and in Grandmother's time it was considered as much of an accomplishment to skate well as to dance well.

Never before, perhaps, have the out-door sports been more in vogue than this season. At St. Moritz, Lake Placid, in Canada, or in some of the colleges and schools with their winter carnivals, people flock for healthful sports. All this gives an added impetus to sports everywhere. Don't spend all your recreation time in the close atmosphere of public places. Be out-of-doors for as much time as you possibly can. Muscular exercise is important because it stirs up the chemical and biological changes of the body. If you wish muscular strength, you must exercise the muscles. If you want to have an active, virile mind, you must exercise that.

Nobody can have good health without proper exercise, fresh air and sunlight. Nutrition is of importance, too, but real bodily vigor depends upon all these things, combined. Healthful recreation is of vital importance to this end.

Maybe I'm Wrong

By J. P. MEDBURY

IT'D be wonderful if there's real joy such a thing as reincarnation, so that egotists can come back and read the praises on their tombstones.

EXCUSE IT PLEASE

A husband is a bachelor whose luck gave out.

WONDERS OF NATURE

Smoking is supposed to cut down the wind, but it never seems to affect our radio announcers.

TAKE IT OR LEAVE IT

Casualties are particularly fond of comforters because there aren't many homes in them.

SOCIAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Having your monogram on a roller towel.

UNPOPULAR SONGS

She was only a gardener's daughter, but she didn't let any grass grow under her feet.

EFFICIENCY EXPERTS

The farmer who let his hens set on a nest of glass eyes so that they could see what they were doing.

PITIFUL CASES

A sheep herder with insomnia.

OUR OWN VAUDEVILLE

Let Patient: The doctor is treating my lambs with nitrate of silver.

And Patient: That's nothing. He's treating mine with gin.

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EDITORIALS ON THE DAY'S NEWS

(Continued from page 1)

QUADRUPLE our general prosperity. No one will undertake to deny these statements.

It is EQUALLY TRUE that better is better food than butter substitutes. Those who buy it get more for their money. There isn't any sentiment about that. It is just a HARD FACT.

THE daily outlook, right now, isn't rosy. If you have a herd of your cows, you would better send them to the butcher. Poor cows CAN'T show a profit under existing conditions.

But if you have GOOD cows, keep them. The better market isn't always going to be depressed.

GAME FRIDAY TO DECIDE CELLAR PLACE IN LEAGUE

A contest to decide the cellar position in the central division of the county league is to be played at Lookingsburg Friday night between the Wilbur and Lookingsburg high school teams. Neither team has won a game this year, and so one or the other will take its first victory for the season Friday night, leaving the loser to occupy the bottom position on the list. The game is attracting much attention and a very hard-fought battle is expected.

Good Manners

By MRS. CORNELIUS DEECKMAN

Those That Do Not Dance

DEAR MRS. DEECKMAN:

When a girl invites a boy to a party and the girl does not dance much, and neither does the boy, how should he entertain her during the party?

E. M.

THEY would shut with each other and with other friends present. And in the meantime they would resolve to take lessons in dancing and become adept in that glorious art before they attend another dance. At a dance one is supposed to dance! And one of the dullest things to do in the social world is not to dance when you go to a dance. Dance rhythm is such a magnificent part of life that we should enjoy it as long as we can, and as often as we can.

Vehicles for Wedding Guests

DEAR MRS. DEECKMAN:

Will you kindly tell me if it is proper for a bride's mother to furnish limousines for the invited guests from the bride's home to the church, and from the church to the place where the reception is to be held?

A. W.

THIS is proper. If the bride's mother wishes to do it, but it is not customary or by any means necessary for her to assume this responsibility.

Remembering Anniversaries

DEAR MRS. DEECKMAN:

My girl friends and I have had a little disagreement. She says it is not correct to give your

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GLIDE P. T. A. HOLDS MEETING

(News-Review Douglas County Special)

GLIDE, Feb. 12.—The Glide P. T. A. held its regular meeting Friday, February 7, in the high school auditorium. After a short business session, a musical recital was presented by the pupils of Mrs. Beard and Mrs. F. Watson, local music teachers. These pupils showed marked musical ability. A violin solo was given by Mr. Anderson, accompanied by Mrs. Anderson. A vocal duet by Myron Vleck and his little sister, with accompaniment by Mr. Kimball, was another enjoyable number. A number of good readings were offered by some of the grade children, making a most enjoyable program. A picture pianola was put on by some high school students, under the direction of Mrs. Forcier. It was very beautifully portrayed, the setting was a colonial scene, although the pianola itself failed to work successfully. Lunch was served in the basement dining room.

GLIDE LEADING CENTRAL LEAGUE

(News-Review Douglas County Special)

GLIDE, Feb. 12.—Glide high school defeated Sutherlin in a fast game of basketball Saturday night by score of 25 to 15. Glide has one more official game to play at Wilbur, and if successful will close the season without a defeat and will be undisputed champion in the central section of the league for Douglas county. The Glide team will represent the section in the tournament in Roseburg in March.

SUTHERLIN

(News-Review Douglas County Special)

SUTHERLIN, Feb. 12.—Bishop Walter Taylor, summer, of the Episcopal diocese of Oregon, held services at the Church of the Holy Spirit in Sutherlin, Sunday evening. He admitted to the church by confirmation, a class of three. Those confirmed were Mr. and Mrs. John Macgrove and Leonard Cooper. Leonard is the eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cooper.

A. A. Young attended the basketball game in Eugene Saturday night between Oregon State College and the University of Oregon. His brother returned with him from Eugene and spent Sunday visiting in Roseburg with friends and relatives.

Miss Earle Lee Gilbert of Cottage Grove spent Sunday at the home of Nellie Carroll at Hotel Sutherlin. Miss Gilbert is head of the English department in the Cottage Grove high school.

Otto Nelson spent the week-end in Eugene visiting with friends and relatives. He attended the basketball game Saturday night. Cliff Horner, who is a nephew of Mr. Nelson, is one of the regular players on the university team. The senior class has chosen "The Path Across the Hill" by Lilian Mortimer as its play. The play will be given some time in March.

LaMonte Stone, of Eugene, nephew of F. N. Stone, is helping his uncle in the repairing of the lines of the Calapalapa telephone exchange.

SCOTTSBURG

(News-Review Douglas County Special)

SCOTTSBURG, Feb. 12.—Fred and Dick Weatherly of Long Prairie were visitors in Scottsburg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Riley of Long Lake were visitors in Scottsburg Sunday, being accompanied by their sons, Lloyd, Ronald, Riley and Benson.

Those motoring to Reedsport Sunday were Mrs. Paul Wessela and son, Stillman, Mrs. W. D. Riley and son, Ronald, and Mrs. Wessela and Mrs. Wiley's mother, Mrs. Wiley's mother, Mrs. Stillman Notgate of Reedsport.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Wakefield and son, Junior, and daughter, Betty, and Eugene Wessela motored to Marshfield Sunday.

Al and Bill Esselstrom, both of Reedsport, passed through Scottsburg Sunday, stopping for a short visit with friends.

Theodore Andrews and sister, Miss Sadie Andrews, were business visitors in Scottsburg Saturday.

J. P. Wessela and son, Arnold, and Warren Waggoner visited friends on Otter Island Sunday.

A. L. Butler of Long Prairie spent Saturday in Scottsburg attending to business matters.

Miss Mildred Waggoner of Smith River visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Waggoner, in Scottsburg Sunday.

Clifford Amama of Dean's creek was a visitor at the Roy Waggoner home Sunday.

N. A. Ellsworth of Reedsport visited in Scottsburg Sunday. Mrs. Lillian Travis and sister, Mildred Bowman and Mrs. March were visitors at the home of Mrs. Mary Ellsworth Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hedden and son, McKinley of Long Prairie were in Scottsburg Sunday visiting friends.

GIRLS ENJOY PARTY

(News-Review Douglas County Special)

SUTHERLIN, Feb. 12.—The Girls' club of the local high school met at the home of Mildred Slater Monday night. Maxine Payne, Lily Haviland and Mildred Slater

husband an anniversary present. I think it's correct. So to settle our dispute we turn to you.

R. L.

CORRECT? It's charming and beautiful "remembering" and thoughtful to give your husband an anniversary present. What the world needs is more remembering of anniversaries!

Letters From the People

Communications to the News-Review for publication in this department should be written on only one side of the paper, should not exceed 200 words in length, and must be signed by the writer, whose name and address must accompany the contribution.

LINCOLN GODLY MAN, EXPRESSIONS INDICATE

Editor of The News-Review:

Many persons have contended that Mr. Lincoln was not a Christian, only a great man.

Innocent church practices turned him from being a churchman. But our great Lincoln was nursed by a Godly mother, and nourished on the truths of God's Word, hence was a firm believer in the Creator of the universe and the source of all righteousness.

This we perceive to be true, from some of his heart expressions:

"The purposes of the Almighty are perfect, and must prevail, though we erring mortals may fail to accurately perceive them in advance."

"I know that the Lord is always on the side of the right. But it is my constant anxiety and prayer that I and this nation should be on the Lord's side."

"I have been driven many times to my knees by the overwhelming conviction that I had nowhere else to go. My own wisdom, and that of all about me, seemed insufficient for that day."

"Unless the great God... shall be with and aid me, I must fail. But if the same Omnipotent Mind and Almighty Arm... shall guide and support me, I shall not fail; I shall succeed."

S. H. CARNAHAN, Sutherlin, Ore.

YOUR INCOME TAX

NO. 8

With a certain proviso, compensation paid by a state or "political subdivision thereof," such as a county or city, to its officers and employees is not taxable income. The proviso is that the wages of such officers and employees must be rendered in connection with the "essential governmental functions" of the state or political subdivision, as distinguished from its proprietary functions. The salaries of the governor of a state, mayor of a city, councilman, board of aldermen, public-school teachers, and policemen and firemen are not taxable. But the compensation received by employees of waterworks owned and operated by a municipality, or of a municipally owned and operated street railway, is taxable for the reason that they are engaged in activities which are not governmental.

Fees for special services to a state are taxable, as, for example, compensation paid architects and builders for planning and erecting a state capitol or other state or municipal building. An officer or employee of a state, for the purpose of the income-tax law, is one whose services are continuous and not occasional or temporary.

Dice Long Known

Dice were known in ancient Greece and their invention is attributed by some to Pythagoras in the Thirteenth century B. C. The dice exhumed from Thebes differ in no way from the ivory or bone cubes of today. They had spots ranging from one to six on them and the sum of the spots on the two opposite sides always seven.

NOTICE

There will be a Valentine Bimbo party at St. Joseph parish hall Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Refreshments and prizes. Admission 25 cents.—Adv.

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