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Population Trends

THE trend toward the cities, not yet reversed by a trickle back to the country in recent years, is a notable phase of today's life.

In 1790, only 3% of the people lived in cities. In 1850, the figure was 7%. In 1880, it was 26%. In 1920, it was 56%.

In other words, by 1920 we had arrived at a point where more than half of all the people were living in cities.

It would follow, you might expect, that the majority of the members of the congress would be chosen by city electors.

But that is not the case. City predominance has not yet reflected itself in the national government.

To the republicans meeting at St. Louis to devise future plans for the party, comes the magazine Country Gentleman with figures tending to prove that 61.6 per cent of members of the House and 73 per cent of the members of the Senate come from rural districts.

How does this happen? Considering an "urban" state to be one in which more than half of the people live in places of less than 10,000 people, there are 25 such states.

Thus we have this situation: a majority of the people of the country are urban, but a majority of their representatives in congress are "rural."

HIGH RADIO SPOTS

AUNT EMMA WOTS:

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Such figures as the above indicate that the next reapportionment may further change the complexion of congress.

Editorials on News

(Continued from page 1.)

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, spurred on by his disturbing Panay incident, which is apparently something much more serious than a mere case of mistaken identity by two-ear Japanese aviators, is attempting to compel Japan to show some regard for American rights—which include the right to carry on trade with the rest of the world.

If he is to be successful in that attempt, he must convey to Japan the idea that if America is kicked around TOO MUCH there will be trouble for the Japanese respect nothing but FORCE. He can't do that if Japan is led to believe that because of the temper of the country President Roosevelt CAN'T use FORCE.

If Japan gets that idea, she will twiddle her fingers at us. Then there WOULD BE TROUBLE. Landon has the right idea. We should all join him in it.

A. JELLISON DIES AT MYRTLE CREEK

Andrew J. Jellison, 61, died Saturday at his home in Myrtle Creek. He was born May 29, 1876, in Hancock county, Maine.

WRITES HELD FOR MRS. LANE MORELY

Funeral services for Mrs. Lane Morely, who died Friday evening at her home in Salem, were held at 1:30 p. m. Sunday at the Roseburg Undertaking company chapel.

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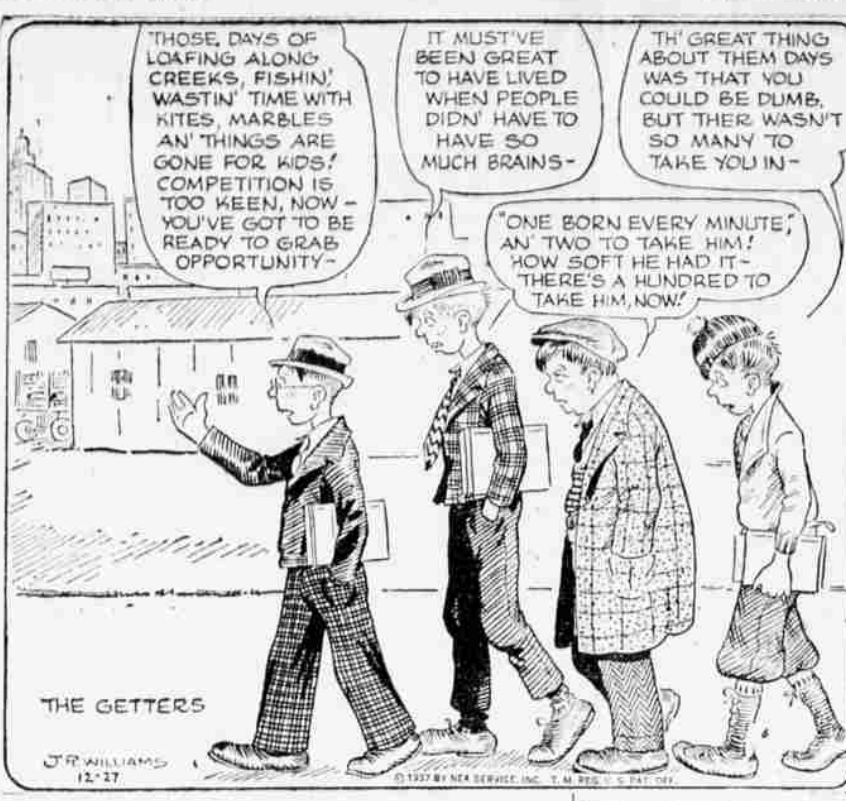
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OUT OUR WAY



OUT of the NIGHT

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CAST OF CHARACTERS: PRISCILLA PIERCE—heroine, young woman attorney. AMY KERR—Cilly's roommate and murderer's victim. JIM KERRIGAN—Cilly's fiancé. HARRY HUTCHINS—A my 'A' strange visitor. SERGEANT DOLAN—officer assigned to solve the murder of Amy Kerr.

Yesterday, Cilly heard the whole tragic story of Jim's disappearance from him. Then he leaves for Amy's office to examine her file of evidence against Worth.

Headless this time of any danger to herself, Cilly rushed into the bedroom and carefully investigated the open window. She knew beyond the shadow of a doubt that she had not opened it.

No one had entered the room. That was certain. No one could have entered while she and Jim sat in the living room beyond, in full view of this window. Then why had it been opened?

She closed the window, locked it this time. Perhaps the person intended to return by way of the open window. But that would be almost impossible.

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He might have recognized Jim, even Jim come to the house. He might see, a thousand might have seen. The thing was that he had heard the entire case against him; whatever suspicions had lurked in his mind were realizations now.

He had heard Jim's complete story. He had heard about the evidence against him in Amy's safety deposit box.

Strangely, Cilly did not realize at the moment that she was in the same danger, since Jim had told her everything. All she could think of was that Jim must be somewhere, and she must get to the Cannon building before this man who had listened at the window.

If only Sergeant Dolan were here to go with her! But she couldn't wait for him. Every minute was important.

She thought of the officer upstairs in the vacant apartment. He had had orders to remain there.

In the end, she left a message with him for Dolan. Would the sergeant follow her to the Cannon building, just as quickly as he could? It was important, tremendously important.

FRESHMEN WIN IN PLAY CONTEST

OAKLAND, Dec. 27.—The one-act play contest recently given by the classes of the Oakland High school was won by the freshmen class which produced "Who Says Can't?" a comedy by Katherine McClure.

The sophomore class, runners-up, produced "Father's Day on Mother's Day Off." Those who had a part were Kenneth Thornton, Elaine Worthen, Dorothy English, Byron Goff, Bob Minter, Joyce Cooper and Patty Short.

The junior class gave "His First Glimpse" by Thomas D. Howe. The players were Harlan Henry, Opal Cole, Lucetta Goff, Lilamae Wegner and Jimmie Stearns.

The winning play will be produced at the student assembly in Roseburg, Friday, January 7.

KRNR PROGRAM

(1500 Kilocycles) REMAINING HOURS TODAY: 4:00—The Editor Views the News. 4:15—Backyard Astronomer, MBS.

7:00—Early Birds. 7:15—Waltz, Hatchery, Sarff's Auto Wrecking Co. Programs. 7:30—News-Review Newscast. 7:45—Alarm Clock Club. 8:00—Merry-makers, MBS.

11:00—That Was the Year, Copco. 11:15—Variety Show of the Air. 11:45—Beatrice Fairfax, MBS. 12:00—Harkness Concert Trio, MBS.

12:15—Jean King, Vocalist, MBS. 12:30—Good Health and Training, MBS. 12:45—News-Review of the Air. 1:00—Henninger's Man on the Street.

1:15—Dance Melodies. 1:30—The Third Alarm, MBS. 1:45—Symphony Orchestra, MBS. 2:00—The Johnson Family, MBS.

2:30—Katz on the Keys, MBS. 2:45—Interlude. 2:50—News Flashes. 3:00—Feminine Fancies, MBS. 3:30—Salvation Army Program, MBS.

4:00—The Editor Views the News. 4:15—Harkness Concert Orchestra, MBS. 4:30—The Children's Hour. 4:45—Radio Campus, MBS. 5:00—Bonny Kay's Orchestra, MBS.

5:30—Symphony in Rhythm, MBS.

News of Douglas County

DAYS CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Willard, Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rhoads, Mrs. T. L. Weaver, Mrs. R. A. Moore, Mrs. Frank Alvord and Betty Rhoads attended the joint installation of Myrtle Creek Middle-Azalea and Days Creek granges held at Myrtle Creek Saturday.

Susie Hutchinson, of Southern Oregon Normal school and Merle Hutchinson of Oregon State college, are spending the holiday vacation at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hutchinson.

GLENDALE

GLENDALE, Ore., Dec. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Ben C. Huntington and daughter, Dentee, and Mrs. Huntington's father, John Lundquist, left Friday for Newberg where they will spend the holidays with Mrs. Huntington's mother, Mrs. Frank Snow and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Rodeau left Friday morning for Eugene to be gone over the holidays.

Joe Heizer is spending a few days with his sister in Roseburg. Mrs. Mattie V. Hollar has as her guest her daughter, Mrs. Muriel Devine of Portland and H. L. Lerner of Killekitat, Wash., who arrived Saturday. They were accompanied by Miss Elma Ausplund of Colton, who returned to her home Tuesday.

Walter Sether is home from Southern Oregon Normal school at Ashland. He expects to leave Dec. 26 to join the school's basketball team which will tour southern California for contest games, returning to Ashland early in January.

Miss Eileen Pell, also of Southern Oregon Normal, is home for the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hunsched and small son are spending the holidays with their parents in Roseburg.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Aiken left Saturday for Portland, where they will spend the holidays with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Smith and daughter Geraldine.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jantzer and sons, Billie and Jackie, Jimmy Johns and Mrs. Jantzer's aunt, Mrs. Cora Chadwick, left Thursday for Orlando, California, where they will spend the holidays.

Mrs. Lew Damewood of Drain visited several days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pickett before going to Los Angeles, where she and her husband will spend the winter.

MYRTLE CREEK

MYRTLE CREEK, Dec. 25.—Mrs. Anna Potter, of Myrtle Creek, is receiving one of her Christmas presents a week in advance. Her sons, Fred and Clifford, and son-in-law, Finzer Hall, are building a new back porch for her, and in addition she has the pleasure of having her daughter, Mrs. Hall and baby as guests as the work goes on.

J. J. Anlauf is having his prune orchard pulled up to make room for a planting of alfalfa. Mr. Anlauf's sons, Roy and Norman are doing the work in their spare time. Roy works in Roseburg in a Standard Oil station, and Norman goes to high school, but with their tractor they still have time to uproot a few trees every once in a while.

Most of the young people who are attending the state institutions of learning are home for the holidays. Those who are teaching, are, in most instances not expected until after the middle of the week. Miss Grace Adams is an exception as she came home from Eugene last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman A. Daly, 6:00—Monitor News. 6:15—The Phantom Pilot, MBS. 6:30—Frank Bull, MBS. 6:45—Interlude. 6:50—News Flashes. 7:00—Elizabeth Arden, MBS. 7:30—Symphonic Strings, MBS. 8:00—Carlton Kellogg Conducting, MBS. 8:30—Lopez Orchestra, MBS. 8:45—Musical Moments, Chevrolet, MBS. 9:00—Alka Seltzer News, MBS. 9:15—Lombardi Orchestra, MBS. 9:30—Sign Off.

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By Bob Pilgrim