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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

LET US GIVE THANKS:—Blessing, and glory, and wisdom, and thanksgiving, and honour, and power and might, be unto our God for ever and ever.—Revelation 7:12.

Brigham Young's Wisdom of Choice

Brigham Young claimed not be a visionary man for he was practical to the minutest detail in all affairs of life, remarks the Union Pacific Magazine, yet in his journey to the Salt Lake Valley in 1847 he followed the route of the transcontinental railroad that was built twenty years later, almost the entire distance and for the construction of which he and his people petitioned Congress many times and long before it was ever thought of outside of Utah. When Samuel Brannan met him and his pioneer band at Green River and pictured to them the beauties of California, with its broad, fertile plains bedecked with wild flowers and its balmy semi-tropical climate, and contrasted it with the desolate wilderness between the mountains just beyond and the Sierra Nevadas, and tried to induce him to make the Pacific Coast the home of his exiled people, he very emphatically declined to do so, but settled in a wilderness that has since become a wonderfully fertile state, possessed of a greater variety and quantity of primeval wealth than any state in the Union despite its limited area. When he first saw the great Salt Lake Valley in all the bleakness of a July day with the dead sea of America glittering in the shimmering rays of a hot July sun, he said after a moment's hesitation, as if comparing it with something he had previously seen, "This is the place, drive on." When in first walking over the present site of Salt Lake City, he came to a certain spot, he struck his cane to the ground and said, "Here we will build a Temple to the Lord," which temple his people completed at a cost of many millions of dollars, just forty years later, after plans had been minutely drawn under his direction. When he selected the sites of Salt Lake and the future cities of Utah, and laid them off with their broad streets pointing to the meridian and their blocks four-square, he manifested a wisdom of choice, plan and purpose that is so marvelous that one can scarcely think it all done by his unaided mind alone. So when he bought up a long tract of land west of Ogden and offered it free to the Union and Central Pacific Railroad companies for depot purposes and even broke ground and with appropriate ceremonies dedicated a site thereon for a union depot building which depot was built on the site selected twentwy-one years later, something more than the wisdom of man must have directed him, great though he was. He attributed it to the inspiration of the Lord and why should we not believe him?

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That Indirect Tax

While attention is centered on the tax notice do not overlook the fact that the direct tax for which the notice is issued from the court house is a child in size compared with the indirect tax everyone pays, and taking the two combined the burden of taxation becomes mighty oppressive and hard to bear in these times when prosperity is off on a vacation and the future holds little of cheer with its eight and ten per cent interest rates to pay, and the indebtedness mounting rather than diminishing.

By indirect tax we mean all the little frills and flounces which every citizen is touched for in daily life. There is scarcely a day but business houses are panhandled by some one promoting a scheme to grab money. Not the least of these is the long line of alleged advertising schemes, ninety-nine per cent of which have no merit and give the advertiser no circulation of his advertising.

But the advertising schemes are not all by any means. there are donation committees who seek by public subscription the support of various undertakings. Many of these are worthy if we can afford them, but there comes a time when a man has to smoke a pipe instead of cigars, to use the language of I. N. Day, a member of the tax commission.

Cut down the indirect tax as well as the direct tax. It is a part of what we call "overhead" and "overhead" is the thing that is figuring so high it is stagnating business.

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One Portland speaker says the compulsory school bill violates the golden rule. This may be true, but there will be many voters who will not analyze it that close before hear pertainging to this bill, which is in fact the issue of voting against it.

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We notice that President Harding praises the work of congress. It must be admitted that it takes a lot of diplomacy to handle the president's office.

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The final problem a woman will work out over a cigarette is a divorce problem.

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You can no longer ship your chicken by mail, for the mails are closed to live birds.

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Conan Doyle favors the lash for the lawless, and sometimes it does seem that is the best remedy.

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It is hard to believe that any man will tell with pride that [illegible] Michael Collins.

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[illegible] of burnt peacock because only a woman with money to [illegible] can have it on her hat?

THE OFFICE CAT

—BY JUNIUS—

HEAD ON

"Awful accident last night—car turned a corner."

"No reason for an accident, was it?"

"Yeh. There wasn't any corner."

AN INCIDENT

She was pretty—maybe no really pretty, but striking looking.

She was a rose colored homespun girl,

With a dainty little flapper hat,
Gray hose, black patents n'everything.

Black eyes—the kind that snap and twinkle.

And, oh, yes, a winsome star (nearly forgot that).

She walked past him—sort of strolled—you know.

He couldn't help but notice her, and she.

Yes, she had noticed him. He was sure of it.

Gee, she is turning back. What luck.

He always was a devil with the ladies.

Was she flirting? He half suspected it.

Yep, she was actually flirtatious. It wasn't his fault if she admired him.

Sh! She's going to stop. Here she is.

He lifted his hat in answer to her pretty smile.

Where would they go?—the restaurant, the movies?

She's speaking ever before he had a chance.

"Pardon me," in the sweetest of tones, "pardon me."

"Please, can you direct me to the Western Union?

I've been looking so long — I promised my husband I'd wire him."

It just takes a dressmaker to indulge in cutting sarcasm.

JUST AS DESIRED

"He says that his business is going to the dogs."

"What is his business?"

"He manufactures dog biscuits."

Any young woman of today who doesn't get what she wants will ask for it.

NO CONCENTRATION

"Would you call Mrs. Gadder an inquisitive woman?"

"Not unduly so, for a member of her sex."

"No?"

"After she has tried unsuccessfully for six months to find out the income of a neighbor something else is sure to attract her attention."

A crank's theory often needs only a rivet or two more to become a valuable discovery.

Today's Events.

Anniversary of the battle of Trafalgar.

Ohio State University will dedicate its magnificent new athletic stadium today.

The Tri-State Tobacco Fair and Fall Festival will be opened today at Covington, Ky.

Marian Edwards Park will be inaugurated president of Bryn Mawr college today, in succession to M. Carey Thomas.

With Gov. Neff and other prominent guests in attendance, the annual Texas Cotton Palace at Waco will be formally opened today.

Exercises will be held at the University of Illinois today to mark the beginning of construction on the new $2,000,000 athletic stadium.

Jules J. Jusserand, French ambassador to the United States and dean of the diplomatic corps at Washington, who has been home on leave since early summer, will return to America on board the liner Paris sailing today.

Application of Christian principles to daily business life is to be discussed at a two-day conference to be opened in Kansas City today under the auspices of the Business Men's Christian Unity of that city. Representatives from all sections of the United States are expected to attend.

First Baptist Church — Sunday school 10 a. m.; G. B. Hogan supt. The big Sunday School Rally will take place a week from Sunday. Let every member be present to organize for the big day. Sermon at 11 a. m., subject, "The Whole Church at Work." Good choir congregational singing. Meeting at 6:30 to plan for young people. Sermon in evening, "The Amusement of Our Young."—A. R. Sitton, pastor.

Today's Anniversaries.

1805—British under Lord Nelson defeated the combined fleets of France and Spain in great battle off Cape Trafalgar.

1822—Russians were warned to abandon California within six months.

1841 — John Forsyth, who was secretary of state under President Jackson and Van Buren, died in Washington, D. C. Born in Virginia, Oct. 22, 1780.

1875—The Michigan Conference of Unitarian and other Christian churches was organized at Jackson.

1880—Contract signed for the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

1897—Centennial of the launching of the frigate Constitution celebrated at Boston.

1898 — Five thousand persons witnessed the inauguration of the peace jubilee in the Auditorium in Chicago.

1909—Martin N. Johnson, United States senator from North Dakota, died in Fargo. Born in Wisconsin in 1850.

In the Day's News.

Dr. Marian Edwards Park, who is to be inaugurated today as president of Bryn Mawr college, has had a wide and varied experience in the training of women. She graduated from Bryn Mawr in 1898. She held the Bryn Mawr European scholarship in 1898-99, and in 1919 received her Ph. D. in Latin and Greek. In 1901 she went abroad to work at the American School of Classical Studies in Athens, and on her return, the following year, she became instructor in classics at Colorado college. In 1911 Dr. Park was called to Bryn Mawr as acting dean, and in 1914 she returned to Colorado college as assistant professor of classics. After a year of graduate study at Johns Hopkins University she was made acting dean of Simmons college, and early in 1920 was elected dean of that college. More recently she has served as dean of Radcliffe college.

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THE QUALITY STORE

WHAT'S NEW

AND REALLY SMART
In the Fashion World Is Interestingly Portrayed in Our French Costume Room

The very essence of the spirit of Autumn seems to be reflected in these youthful models assembled here for your interview. [illegible] French costume room.

The Newest
PARIS VERSION
In Autumn Modes

[illegible]

Priced $65.

Beautiful New
PARTY FROCKS

Of crepe, satin, taffeta and velvet are shown here [illegible]

Sales of
Silk and Wool
HOSE
Are Attracting
Most Attention Now

[illegible]

$1.25

SEE THEM ON SALE IN CENTRAL AISLE

A New
Electrically Lighted
B-A-G

These Vanity Bags are of black patent leather, are fitted with lock and key, and the inside has two compartments —one fitted with plate glass mirror, powder box, rouge and lip stick. The other compartment is roomy enough for all necessities. The light shines in both compartments and turns on with a switch.

In all the most complete vanity bags we've seen — in two sizes —

$11.00 and $13.00

SATIN
For Her Fashionable
New Footwear

Fashion has favored the black satin pump this season and from all appearances her followers have been quick to respond to the favor.

Dainty strap pumps of black satin—plain, beaded and brocaded are found at this store in the high, Baby Louis and Junior Louis heels. And there's a very beautiful selection to choose from. Priced at

$6.50, $8.00 and $9.00

THE NEW THINGS FOR BABY

[illegible] the many beautiful new things [illegible] showing so prominently this week [illegible] that everyone is interested in.

[illegible] There are new little carriage robes [illegible] crepe de chine, new white serge coats [illegible] sweaters, sacques, etc. [illegible] things to amuse the baby.

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY TONIGHT.

Phone [illegible] for drugs and sundries. Nowlin Drug Company. 10-19-21

READ THE WANT ADS!

SPEEDEX
ANSCO
FILM
makes expert results easy for the amateur photographer.
Why? Its wider range of exposure.

Use This Film for Baby Pictures for the Contest.

Masons' Backing Denied

GRAND LODGE SUPPORT OF SCHOOL BILL DISCLAIMED

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 16.—(Special.)—The so-called compulsory school bill, which is to appear on the ballot at the general election November 7, is not and never has been indorsed by the Oregon grand lodge of Masons, according to George G. Brown, Masonic grand master of Oregon.

Two resolutions dealing with education have in the past been presented to and approved by the grand lodge, one in 1920 and one in 1921, but neither dealt with compulsory attendance in the public schools. Both had to do with the courses of study prescribed.—Portland Oregonian.

(Paid Adv.)

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