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A GOOD SURETY—And Judah said unto Israel his father, Send the lad with me, for I will go surely together with thee, if I bring him not unto thee, and set him before thee, then let me bear the blame forever.—Gen. 44:20.

A British scientist offers the prophecy that in the next war terrifying noises will play a large part in offensives. Maybe so. But it should be remembered that the Chinese relied largely on terrifying noises in warfare until they encountered European fighting forces—and found that their gong divisions made little headway against the troops that fought with guns. However, making a noise like a crushing tax or like a fuel or food shortage might produce an effect worth striving for.

TWENTIETH CENTURY SUPERMEN

The charge has been made that this is a generation lacking in supermen. No Shakespeare, no Goethe, no Keats, no Michel Angelo has appeared to make the present age go down in history as golden. This is a sordid age of commercialism.

There is this to be said in view of such a criticism: no contemporary generation acceded the warm approval to these men that the following centuries have. Their fame has grown with the years as the appreciation of their art has grown. There is the possibility that another age will recognize genius in the 20th century which men today are too near to acknowledge.

Moreover, this criticism is purely a literary one. What may be said in future generations of such men as Thomas Edison, Charles Steinmetz, the Wright brothers, Marconi, and an increasing number of others? Though their gift has not been literary, they have opened the door to fine music, literature, and a knowledge of what the world is doing to countless thousands.

STATESMAN vs. VOTE-GETTER.

Professor Edgar Furniss, of the Yale political science department, is optimistic on the future of politics and government in the United States. He doesn't predict a revolution nor sudden revolutionary change for the better, but sees the nation, politically, in process of evolution. He is confident that "soon there will be a change in governmental activity in the United States, and public service will be raised to a higher plane." Perhaps this hope is based on his second prediction that "the time is not far off when a life of politics will meet more approval than it does at the present time."

Professor Furniss blames prevailing political conditions and the too common disrespect for and distrust of officeholders and politicians upon democracy's tendency to put a premium on mediocrity. His observations convince him that "men of ability are often looked upon as being removed from the true spirit of the nation. They are even thought undemocratic in that they are not sharing their honors and distinction with the common people."

Too often the men and women peculiarly qualified to solve the intricate problems of government are not shrewd enough politicians to have themselves elected to office, a condition that can not be abated until the majority of the voters is able to discern unerringly between the "vote-getter" and the statesman or political scientist. The government in a republic is what the people make it. Better governmental executives and wiser legislators mean better government. Before the political evolution is complete, however, we must have a system that permits more readily than at present the office seeking the man instead of the man seeking the office. Only in that way can the man who is really best qualified for efficient public service be persuaded to do his part.

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A La Grande man says that his wife used to be the head of the family, but that since his daughter has grown up the two women have agreed upon a commission form of government.

The latest radio hit is Red Unit. Stories for young people broadcasted at six o'clock—in the morning.

What has become of the old-fashioned bean who used to fan his girl with a palm leaf in prayer meeting.

GOOD NIGHT, ALL. Lives of broadcasters remind us. We can say good night and quit. And departing leave behind us. Listeners quite glad of it!

"Isn't that a cunning canoe out there on the lake?" "It's so far away I can't tell whether its cunning or going."

A doctor's little daughter, deeply interested in radio, glanced one morning into her father's office where the doctor was examining the heart and lungs of a patient, and inquired sweetly: "Getting any new stations, daddy?"

Heard in the Cafeteria
He—Say, you took my knife, now what will I butter my bread with?
She—Why, butter of course!

Visitor at church (to friend in collection plate nearby)—"Put that money back in your pocket, Bill. This is on me!"

Neighbor—Yes. Now they don't go out until the broadcaster says "Good night."

Blossom Day in Salem Will Be Next Sunday

SALEM, Ore., Mar. 25. (AP)—Salem's annual Blossom Day will be held for next Sunday, March 28, according to announcement made today by Charles O. White, king of the Salem Cherry Blossom festival.

Thousands are expected to participate from all parts of Western Oregon. Roads through the miles of prune orchards are being matted off to direct visiting auto drivers. The prune blossoms are just now forming, so prediction is made that by Sunday they will be in a more beautiful bloom stage than on any day in the history of the observance in this part. This also will be the earliest blossom day ever staged here.

She: Let's go to the movies.
The cross-country man: Now it's three blocks, and my car isn't here.—California, Pollican.

In one of these new straight eight machines one can get away much faster, and also with much more.—Cornell Widow.

Move To Impeach Judge Launched In The House

George W. English, of Eastern Illinois District, Is Accused of Fraud, Partiality

WASHINGTON, Mar. 25. (AP)—Formal articles of impeachment against Federal Judge George W. English, of the Eastern Illinois district, were presented to the House today by its judiciary committee.

The articles were five in number and were based on evidence presented at prolonged hearings. A minority of the committee held this evidence insufficient and recommended against impeachment.

Article 1 charged English with abuse of the powers of his office and with "tyranny and oppression."
Article 2 charged that he was guilty of a course "of improper and unlawful conduct," filled with "partiality and favoritism resulting in the creation of a combination to control and manage with Mr. Nussbaum, referee in bankruptcy, for their own interests and profits." (The bankruptcy affairs of the eastern district of Illinois.)

Article 3 charged that the judge was guilty of misbehavior in office in that he "corruptly extended partiality and favoritism" to Thomas.

Article 4 charged that in conjunction with Thomas, he "did corruptly and improperly handle and control the deposit of bankruptcy and other funds under his control," and using the funds for the "pecuniary benefit of himself" and Thomas.

Article 5 charged that Judge English at divers times and places, repeatedly in his judicial capacity treated members of the bar in a "manner coarse, indecent, arbitrary and tyrannical."

"The conduct of Judge English has been of such character," the report said, "that one must regard it as reprehensible and tendentious in the administration of justice and destroy the confidence of the public in our courts if it be allowed to be unrebuked."

WASHINGTON, Mar. 25. (AP)—House leaders plan to call into the House next Tuesday the judiciary committee report submitted today recommending impeachment of Federal Judge English of Illinois.

Music Supervisor Is Employed Here

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No full-time supervisor of music in the high school and grade schools here has been employed for a number of years, the position having been abolished, according to board members, in an effort to decrease expenses. The board at that time authorized the superintendent to make arrangements with individual teachers in each building to devote some extra time to music in consideration of a small reimbursement. As a result, one teacher was employed at Central, another for the high school, and a third jointly for Alveria and Greenwood schools. For the last two years, no special supervision in music has been given in the new Willow school, the principal and individual teachers having each functioned in that capacity. The employment of Mr. Nussbaum will, of course, eliminate the expense of employing the extra time of three special music teachers, as well as affording a more direct and constant supervision in the teaching of music in the schools.

"The change was made because of no dissatisfaction with the work of those who have served us so faithfully during the past few years in the supervision of music, but rather because the system has not proved satisfactory," Colon R. Edwards, chairman of the board, said this morning. "While we really received more than we paid for, it has been felt for some time that music is of sufficient importance to warrant the employment of a competent full-time supervisor. To this end, a year ago the superintendent was instructed to prepare recommendations for a permanent musical supervisor to be submitted at the time of teacher elections. Mr. Longfellow's recommendation of Mr. Nussbaum met with a hearty response from the board. We feel certain that the patrons and students of La Grande schools will be as enthusiastic over the selection of the new music supervisor as we are."

MURDERER CAPTURED
MEXICO CITY. (AP)—Dispatches from Tepic confirm the capture of Remigio Rojas, said to be one of the men who killed Joe Hill, an American, Monday near Ixtap.

CHERRY MEETS GENERAL WOOD

Editor's Note—This is another of a series of articles describing A. B. Cherry's trip around the world on the S. S. Belgenland. More will follow at intervals.

(By A. B. Cherry)

On Wednesday morning, January 21, we steamed into Manila Bay. It is with feelings of pride that Americans visit the Philippines, for her American guns emancipated a people, and American school teachers, missionaries and engineers began to train them for self-government. They are not yet independent, but furnish an illustrious example in civic and industrial development, which is making a profound impression on the life of the Orient.

Landing at Manila is like getting home, for the American flag greets you here. An army band played for us at the pier, and Americans and natives lined the shore.

The morning and afternoon was spent in automobile trips, giving a comprehensive view of the city and surrounding country. We were officially received at the governor's palace by Major General Wood and his wife, who shook hands cordially with each one of us. Before leaving the palace we were served with punch and cake.

In the evening the Masonic lodge of Manila entertained 100 Marsons and their wives. The program consisted of native songs and dances and many selections by a bamboo band, followed by delicious refreshments. We had expected to find the Americans much in evidence in all walks of life but found nothing outside of the army to verify this. On the contrary, we found the Americans taking a back seat, pushing the natives onward and upward towards the goal—Independence—that they hope to soon prove they are worthy of.

From here we sail for Java in the Dutch East India. In the next day or so we shall cross the equator. On board mysterious preparations are being made for the reception of Neptune, the sovereign of the seas, and a feeling of apprehension is being felt by the uninitiated.

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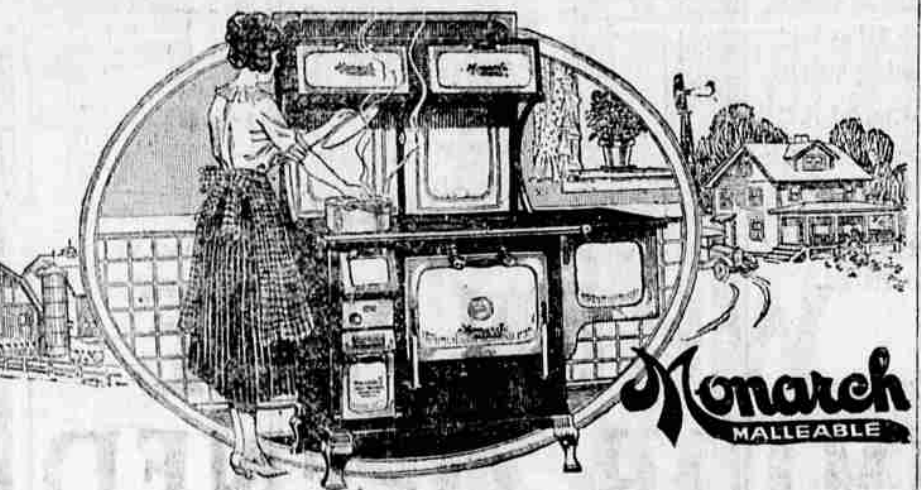


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