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GOD GUIDES—"Behold, I send an Angel before thee, to keep thee in the way, and to bring thee into the place which I have prepared."—Ex. 23:20.

OUT OUR WAY

By WILLIAMS



WHEN SILENCE IS GOLDEN.



Tell a smutty story and it will travel fifty miles before night, but tell a nice decent parlor story and it never gets past the hearer.

The same fellows who sell those lead pencil sharpening machines, also sell lead pencils.

Theater Box Office Man: "Hey! Get in line. What d'ye think that brass rail is for?"

"Why, I thought it was for people to catch hold of when they hear the prices."

All the world loves a lover—if he'll just refrain from giving public exhibition of his loving.

It isn't probable that Irving Berlin's next song hit will be entitled: "Now Her Folks Are My Folks" or something like that.

"The time will come when my name will be in the mouth of every person in the country," exclaimed the aspiring politician.

"How many flavors of gum are you going to manufacture?"

"Exposure of the legs and knees lowers the temperature of the body," a writer tells us. But the average chorus girl is a pretty warm member.

"How can a good girl get a beau?" asks a sob sister. We know a harder one than that: "How can a girl get a good beau?"

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AMERICANS WILL BE DEPORTED BY CANADIAN OFFICE

SEATTLE, May 29. (AP)—The government announced today that scores of American citizens who fled to Canada in a group of federal liquor cases in which 200 were indicted here May 12 will be arrested there for local offenses and deported into the United States.

A series of raids on places in Victoria and Vancouver that bootleg liquor despite provincial control is planned.

Those who fled had learned of the accusations in advance through a leak in a federal grand jury. No extradition treaty covers conspiracy to violate the American prohibition law. Of the 200, one hundred and twenty are at liberty.

Art Griggs, of Seattle, Suspended Indefinitely

LOS ANGELES, May 29 (AP)—The indefinite suspension of Art Griggs, first baseman of the Seattle club of the Pacific coast league, was announced here today by Harry A. Williams, league president. The suspension reports to Williams of an altercation between Griggs and Empire Becker yesterday morning.

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Size 0 to 4.....50c

Regular Heavy Weight Play Togs.....95c
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Khaki Outing Togs, size 7 to 14.....\$1.50

Norton's Kiddy Shop

Infants' and Children's Wearables

A Regular Physical Examination--

Should be included in the annual health program of every man, woman and child. Health insurance is advisable. Health assurance is invaluable. A thorough audit of your health, with a couple of extra check-ups every year, will make you the benefactor of preventive medicine.

Your State Board of Health is urging the adoption and standardization of this movement throughout Oregon. The fine response of physicians proves that a large body of medical men are working, not for their own selfish interests, but in true service of humanity.

Hot Lake Sanatorium

DR. W. T. PHY, Owner and Director.

Poets' Corner

IT FRIZ
(By Flora L. Barrie)

"I'm mighty proud"—said Farmer John.
The way the wheat is coming on.
A bumper crop I'll have this year.
Of hard times never more I'll hear.
New barns I'll build, I'll show some men
That I can run a farm—but then
G. Wizz
It friz.

"Just see my cherries"—smiled Joe Brown.
The finest ones in all the town.
The market's good, I'll sell the lot.
Just right away and not get caught
When markets slump, my debts I'll pay.
And bank the money left—but
G. Wizz
It friz.

"This apple crop"—grinned Mr. Green.
Is better than I've ever seen.
I'll harvest early—then I'll speed to California, where you read
Of orange groves, a true soul mate
And many pleasures, fun—but
G. Wizz
It friz.

"This is the life"—quoth Sally Mead.
I planted but the best of seed.
My garden is in tip top shape.
I've weeded early, weeded late
Soon to the city I will go.
And every penny spend—but oh
G. Wizz
It friz.

Man and Woman Escape Plunge Over Niagara

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., May 29 (AP)—A man and woman narrowly escaped going over the falls

SWEDEN, U. S. FRIENDSHIP STRESSED

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country from Sweden and in the critical days of the Civil war built the iron-rod Monitor.

Speaking in Potomac park near the Lincoln Memorial and in the presence of a distinguished audience, which included Crown Prince Gustaf Adolph of Sweden, the president said the monument should stand as a reminder to "our citizens of various races" that although he whose memory it serves and they may have "differed in blood and race, they were yet bound together by the tie that surmounts race and blood in the communion of a common spirit."

"One Common Country."

"When once our feet have touched this soil," he added, "When once we have made this land our home, wherever our place of birth, whatever our race, we are all blended in one common country. We cannot put too much emphasis on the fact that in this country we are all bound together in a common destiny. We must all be united as one people."

"It is not, then, for the purpose of setting one people above another that we assemble here today to do reverence to the memory of a great son of Sweden, but rather to glorify in the name of John Ericsson and his race as a prominent example of the superb contribution which has been made by many different nationalities to the cause of our country."

early today when their motorboat ran on a submerged ice flow and was being carried down stream. The ice flow and boat finally caught on a sandbar at the head of Parsons Island, a mile above the falls and was held fast until rivermen could reach it.

The pair rescued were J. Gunzelman and his mother-in-law, who reside on Navy Island.

Library Chats

New books to be added to the public library this evening:

- Adams—"Democracy."
- Adams—"Rude Rural Rhymes."
- Atkins—"Standing up to Life."
- Botsford—"Russon Folk Songs."
- Brown—"The Cheerful Fraud."
- Clare—"Musical Appreciation and the Studio Club."
- De la Mare—"The Connoisseur."
- Eritz—"After Noon."
- Goold—"Heather Heretics."
- Guest—"The Light of Faith."
- Hendry—"Downey of the Mountain."
- Hirst—"Life and Letters of Thomas Jefferson."
- Humphrey—"The Best Love Stories of 1924."
- Jess—"With or Without."
- Matthews—"The Chief British Dramatists, Excluding Shakespeare."
- Mills—"The Holiday Round."
- Mills—"Once a Week."
- Moore—"The Three Oaks."
- Morse—"Furniture of the Olden Times."
- Oemler—"Shepherds."
- Ostrander—"The Sleeping Cat."
- Penderster—"Harry Idaho."
- Pitt—"The Law of the Lean Land."
- Raine—"Bonanza."
- Riesner—"Social Plans for the Young People."
- Sage—"Salmon and Trout."
- Sanderson—"The Farmer and His Community."
- Scarborough—"On the Trail of the Negro Folk Songs."
- Steele—"Turkey Island."
- Stidger—"Finding God in Books."
- Taft—"Handbook of Window Display."
- Terhune—"Treasure."
- Tupper—"Jorgensen."
- Waite—"A Little Book of Modern Dakota Culture."
- Wilkinson—"Yule Fire."
- Young—"The Dark Tower."
- Young—"Days of '49."
- Hirst—"Life of Thomas Jefferson"—a worthwhile biography of

JOINT WORK HELD NEED OVER WORLD

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men's organizations. In part it reads:

"As I gaze into your intelligent and radiant faces I cannot forget that I had a father. If it had not been for my father I would not be here today."

"It is like painting the lily to eulogize man,—that bronco of social convention that women have attempted to corral since the Garden of Eden.

"Gentlemen, I speak of another of the masculine species—I have a husband, I could not be married without acquiring a husband—and a father-in-law.

"Gentle man, womanhood is thrilled with the way you face the cruel world taking liberties and chances that only a man can appreciate."

this interesting statement.
Sage—"Salmon and Trout"—a useful book for fishermen.

PIANO MUST BE SOLD

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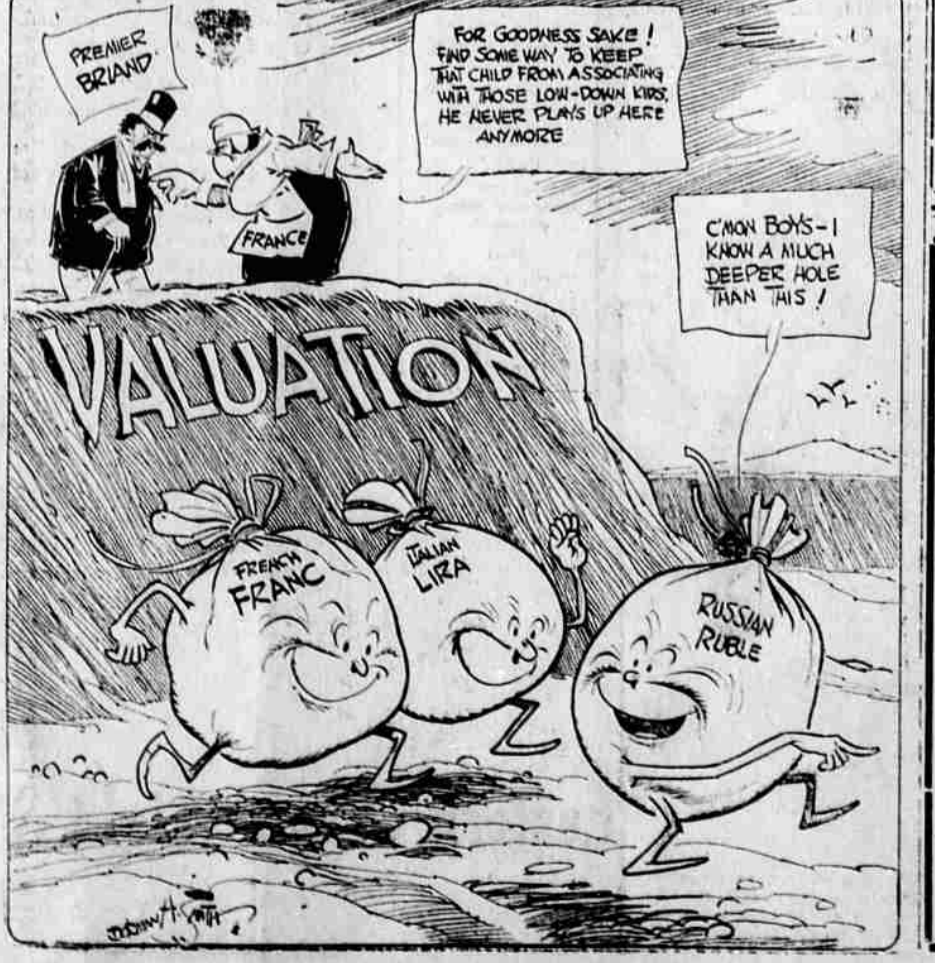
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—yours?

THE INCORRIGIBLES



VALUATION

MEMORIAL DAY

"These automobiles certainly are rasing Cain with the people, nowadays," someone exclaims after a bad accident. Not that. We people certainly raise Cain with our automobiles.

It sounds like sarcasm, but one of our Texas contemporaries says that congress, after hearing all available testimony, has learned that some of the people want liquor and some of them don't. And we might add that, in other words, it's the same old apartment-house quarrel: Some would sit far into the night singing "How Dry I am," and the rest of us object to being kept awake.

Abd-el-Krim as an adventurer showed the world he was a good sport, anyway. He fought the Spanish five years and the French two years, with only such equipment as he could capture from his moderny-equipped foes. Now that the novelty of his "war" is wearing off he springs a big surprise by dumping a few thousand prisoners back into the French line and tells them it's their war from now on—he's through.

OREGON YOUNGSTERS IMPROVE.

So much has been said about the "younger generation" going to the dogs that The Observer hastens to quote from the Blue Mountain Eagle, which in turn has referred to its files of 30 or 40 years back, when Oregon youngsters really got "in bad."

"They tell us that these are degenerate days," says The Eagle, "and that the young folks are not what they used to be. According to the files of this paper dating back some 30 or 40 years, it is probably a good thing the young folks now are not like they were in Grant county 30 years ago. The news items of those days show many of the young men before the court. The justice of the peace was a busy gentleman in those days. Every week he had some young men up before him. There was drinking and there was fighting, and there was larceny, 10 times, according to the old files of this paper, to one case now. It is a good thing that young folks are not what they used to be. They are smarter, wiser and better and certainly do not get into the trouble that is reported in the old files of this paper 30 or 40 years ago."

MEMORIAL DAY.

Memorial Day more than any other is consecrated to the ideals of peace. Peace between brother and brother, peace among warring factions, peace among nations.

Permanent peace is a glorious vision. How to attain it? Disarmament? Yes, disarmament helps a little, because it sets that much of the human mind free from concentrating on engines of war. Treaties? Yes, they help a little, too. They give a feeling of security and allow the nations involved to put their minds on other things. All the mechanical methods help a little, each in its way. But none of them is the great means, the infallible maker of peace.

"He who would have friends must show himself friendly."

That's all. But it is a great deal. It means that we must know our brothers and the members of our other factions and the nations of the earth. We must learn to respect other people's opinions, other people's points of view. We need not abandon our own ways, if they seem to us better. But neither need we enforce them on others. And a friendly, tolerant attitude is the thing most calculated to keep the other fellow from enforcing his opinions on us. Peace in the human mind means peace in the individual mind. The idea of cooperation must take the place of the idea of necessary contest. These are the means that count.

Therefore, when we decorate the graves of those who gave their lives to war in order that their fellows might have peace, it is worth while to consider these things—to make a start in the direction of holding peace and good will to men in the individual heart. And remember on this peace-time occasion, when peace-time organizations parade in war-time, in La Grande and elsewhere, it should be a reminder of the horrors of war. Respect shown for the lag and the paraders at this time is due respect for the military dead.