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THE TWO GREAT COMMANDMENTS—Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy strength, and with all thy mind; and thy neighbor as thyself.—Luke 10:27.

Why expect harmony in our politics when there's so little in our music?

Summing up that Pan-American Conference—it doesn't seem to have done much except pan America.

Dresses are to be longer, according to style originators. Not surprising. There was only one direction they could possibly go.

Six fishermen in St. Catherine, Ont., have been sentenced to three hours in jail for unlawful fishing. They're getting almost as strict up there with their petty offenders as we are with our murderers.

It is no longer possible to accuse youth of rashness in driving. Researches in the United States and Canada have shown that the vast majority of accidents occur with drivers 25 to 50 years old. There are plenty of young fellows under 25 on the road, but somehow or other you don't hear of many of them getting smashed up. They may drive fast, but they seldom wreck their cars. It is possible to drive fast carefully, just as it is possible to drive slow carelessly. And perhaps the youngsters have an alertness lacking in the middle-aged which enables them occasionally to take a chance and get away with it better than their elders could. Anyway, the figures give them a good defense against charges of irresponsibility. And it may be the same in other spheres of activity.

A WOODEN PLUG

What sent to his death Harry Brooks, pilot of the experimental Ford glider plane, was a thing so trivial as to seem absurd. It was a little wooden stopper, no bigger than a match, in the air hole of a gasoline tank.

The pilot evidently had fitted in that sliver of wood to keep water or dirt from getting into the tank, while the plane was standing idle, and had forgotten to remove it when he took off again to complete his trip to Miami. Soon, with the air inlet blocked, the gas stopped running through the feed pipe, the engine quit, and the plane dropped into the sea before the pilot could guess what the trouble was and pull out the plug or switch to another tank.

This tragic incident will remind many readers of a humorous story which appeared in a magazine a year or so ago, in which the enamored and mechanical-minded young hero achieved a spectacular triumph. He did it by starting a huge tractor which was blocking traffic on Broadway. It was a new tractor, which had stopped on its way to the pier for shipment to Cuba, and the high-priced mechanic at the wheel couldn't start it again. The hero, who had learned a trick from sad experience, confidently clambered up into the juggernaut, waved the driver aside, helped the girl up to a place beside him, borrowed a hairpin from her and poked open the air hole of the cap of the gasoline tank, which had been covered with fresh paint. Then presto! The tractor roared off, with the crowd cheering, and the kid got the job and the girl. Today the difficulty would be finding a girl with a hairpin.

Little things are immensely important in handling the complicated machinery of modern vehicles. Aviators, yachtsmen, motorists must pay scrupulous attention to details, checking up without fail, forming habits of carefulness which will safeguard them automatically, leaving as little as possible to chance. Flying will progress. Fool-proof planes will be provided. There's no stopping the conquest of the air.

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Carryin' apples and flowers to your teacher won't get you nothin' in the school of experience. Haint it funny how quick we regain our senses after we get away from a salesman?

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 3 (AP)—Receipts—Hogs 1600; sheep 250. Totals for the week (approximate): Cattle 1655; calves 159; hogs 5445; sheep 1955.
Cattle compared with a week ago: She stock, calves and vealers 25 to 50c higher; steers around 25c higher; bulls steady; bulk desirable steers \$11.50 to \$12.50; top \$12.50 for one head; off quality down to \$10 and below; fairly good heifers sold readily at \$10.25 to \$10.50; good cows up to \$9.75; bulk stock \$8.50 up; low cutters down to \$4; bulls mostly \$6.50 to \$7; calves \$8 to \$12; best vealers up to \$14.
Hogs compared with a week ago: Mostly 25 to 35c lower; bulk light butchers \$9 to \$9.15; nothing over \$9 after Tuesday; heavy and index weights \$8.75 down; extreme heavy \$8 to \$8.50; packing hogs \$7.75 to \$8; feeder pigs \$8.75 to \$9; with considerable number without bids at week-end.

Sheep—Fat lambs quoted 25c higher and ewes 50c higher than a week ago; receipts mostly medium to near choice \$5 to \$6.40; shorn lambs at \$12.25 to \$12.50; a small package of choice woolled lambs \$13.75.

REMAINS OF NAVY AIRPLANE FOUND IN BAY WATERS

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The Shenandoah were expressed by members of the ground crew which had almost succeeded in walking her into the hangar when the storm swept down.

Forty-three men were aboard her, the largest crew she had carried since her flight in this country from Germany. Association prices: Extras 25c; firsts 25c; mediums 24c; undersized 20c.

Hay steady; buying prices: Eastern Oregon timothy \$20.50 to \$21; do valley \$18 to \$18.50; alfalfa \$18 to \$18.50; oat hay \$14.50 to \$15; straw \$9 per ton. Selling prices \$2 a ton more.

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Onions steady, local \$1.30 to \$2.25 per cwt.

Potatoes steady, 75c to \$1.25 sack.

FRISCO FRUIT

SAN FRANCISCO, Mar. 3 (AP)—Federal State Market News Service—Apples: California boxes, Newtown Pippins, 3 1/2 tier, poorer low as \$1.60.

Pears: Oregon d'Anjou, \$2.50 to \$3.50 box.

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BUTTER PRICES ARE SOME LOWER

Quotations Also Easier in Egg Division in the Portland Mart

PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 3 (AP)—Reflecting considerable dropping off in demand from Seattle, butter prices were lower here today, although eastern markets continue strong. At the dairy exchange session extras and prime firsts dropped 1/2c each, while standards received a full cent. Butterfat prices delivered at Portland remain steady and strong, but buyers at shipping points are offering a cent less today. It is reported.

In the egg division prices were also easier with standard and medium extras and medium firsts quoted a cent lower and standard firsts a half-cent down. Trading in both butter and eggs was rather dull.

Country dressed meats and poultry were steady, with no appreciable change in quotations.

More or less excitement prevails in the onion market, due to inquiry from outside buyers coupled with rather heavy movement during the past few days.

Potato markets were quiet today with buyers paying from 80c to \$1 and sacks at shipping point.

Broccoli continues to bring firm prices along the wholesale way, with most offerings of California stock. Shipments from the Empqua valley are heavier, but most of the receipts are being reshipped east.

Best offerings of both California and Oregon cauliflower were bringing from \$1.50 to \$1.75 today, although some extra fancy large stuff moved as high as \$2 and off-grade down as low as \$1. The outlook in the broccoli market is unusually good.

Wheat Strong And Higher At Close

CHICAGO, Mar. 3 (AP)—Opening unchanged to 1/2c higher, wheat later showed an all-around advance. Corn and oats were relatively steady; corn starting unchanged to 1/2c up and then underlining a slight dip. Provisions inclined downward.

Wheat closed strong, 1/2 to 1 1/4c net higher; corn 1/4 to 3/4c off, oats varying from 1/2 to 3/4c decline to 1/2c gain, and provisions at 2c decline to a rise of 5c.

PORTLAND PRODUCE

PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 3 (AP)—Wholesale prices: Butter: Extras and prime firsts 1/2c lower, standards 1/2c lower. Portland dairy exchange net wholesale prices: Cakes, extras 45 1/2c; standards 45c; prime firsts 45c; firsts 44c. Creamery prices: Prints 3c over cube standard.

Eggs—Standard and medium extras and medium firsts 1c lower; standard firsts 1/2c down. Fresh standard extras 24c; fresh standard firsts 23c; fresh medium extras 22c; fresh medium firsts 21c. Prices to retailers 3c over exchange prices.

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MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
March	134 1/2	134 1/2	134 1/2	135 1/2
May	133 1/2 @ 135 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2	136 1/2 @ 136 1/2
July	133 1/2 @ 134 1/2	134 1/2	134 1/2	135 1/2 @ 135 1/2
Sept.	133 1/2	134 1/2	134 1/2	134 1/2 @ 134 1/2

PORTLAND WHEAT

PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 3 (AP)—Wheat—BBB hard white, \$1.42; hard white bluestem, hard \$1.31 1/2; federation, soft white and western white, \$1.31; hard winter, \$1.25; northern spring, \$1.25; western red \$1.24.

Oats—No. 2 white feed and No. 2 gray, \$45.
Today's car receipts—Wheat, 125; flour, 22; corn, 3; oats, 4; hay, 11.

CHICAGO CASH

CHICAGO, Mar. 3 (AP)—Wheat—No. 2 hard, \$1.40; No. 1 northern spring, \$1.37 1/2.
Corn—No. 3 mixed, 93 1/2 @ 94; No. 3 yellow, 94 1/2 @ 95.
Oats—No. 2 white, 60 1/2 @ 61 1/2; No. 3 white, 57 1/2 @ 58 1/2.
Rye not quoted.
Barley—92c @ \$1.05.
Timothy seed—\$2.75 @ \$2.85.
Clover seed—\$19.25 @ \$20.75.
Lard—\$11.27.
Hides—\$11.
Bellies—\$12.75.

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