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A RESPONSIBLE EXPORTATION: Give thanks into the
Lark, for he is good, for his money endures forever. Psalm
137:2.

At last it seems to be generally agreed that Coolidge
meant what he said last August about "choosing."

The vacation season is officially opened. Yellowstone
Park is opened to tourists and yacht races have started on
the Great Lakes.

Here's one man flying over 300 miles an hour for a record,
and another going to the South Sea Islands to study the family
life of snails. And some people think life is becoming
too standardized!

"WHO BUT HOOVER?"

The nomination of Herbert Hoover for president on the
Republican ticket at Kansas City was practically certain this
morning when Mellon, Butler, and other eastern leaders threw
their support to the secretary of commerce. "Who but Hoover?"
has become a potent question and slogan. No other
Republican candidate was nearly popular enough to head
off the Hoover campaign.

Although not an ideal candidate from a vote-getting
standpoint, he is stronger than any other man consenting to
accept the nomination. He is extremely capable and will
make an efficient, business-like president if elected. It's
doubtful if the party ever had a candidate with more real
ability. The Republican party has been fortunate in that re-
spect during this campaign. Any of the real contenders for
the nomination—Hoover, Lewden, Duves—would have made
a candidate of which the party could be proud. All are cap-
able, exceptionally high-type American citizens. There is
no back-room politics in their make-up. They differ some-
what on minor details of how farm relief can best be pro-
vided, on other points of government frequently in con-
troversy. But the difference is not serious.

The danger in the pre-convention campaign has been in
failing to find a popular favorite, in dividing sentiment so
completely that a compromise would be necessary. That's
the thing that has been feared by Republican citizens even
though desired some by Republican politicians. Such a situa-
tion might have caused the nomination of another Harding
—of someone like Longworth or Watson—a party wheel-
horse for the sole and simple reason that he was a wheel-
horse. Nothing could have been more fatal to the party at
this time. Nothing could have been more successful in throw-
ing new votes into Al Smith's democratic camp.

Now that will not happen to any great extent. With
Hoover as the standard bearer only the doubtful states of the
east will likely go to Smith. And the New York-New Jersey
group is no longer indicative of a national election trend.
Contrary to the fear expressed in some quarters, the oppo-
sition to Hoover in the farming states is not as great as ad-
vertised by his enemies. The crusade to Kansas City isn't
materializing. Like all other occupations, farming will be
divided on the subject. The normal Republican states will re-
main normally Republican. If Hoover fails to win it will be
because he fails utterly in practically all of the doubtful
states. And Al Smith is the only Democrat strong enough to
make that possible.



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3-ACT PLAY IS FIRST FEATURE OF TENT SHOW

The Tent Walker tent show
opened in La Grande last night at
8:15 and 9:30. The show was
well attended, in fact, some
were turned away, and the audience
reported that it was a very
good performance.

COOLIDGE BANNER WAVED ALOFT IN KEYNOTE SPEECH

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cities, especially inland water-
ways, qualified this important
method of assistance to the
farmer.

BERRY PRICE IS SOMEWHAT LOWER

Lettuce Continues Scarce —Dairy Produce Quo- tations Unchanged

PORTLAND, Ore., June 12 (AP)—
Berries were cheaper in local
wholesale markets this morn-
ing, the best offerings bringing around
\$1.00 to \$1.20 per crate. Little fruit
was found in the market for several
days for the most part.

Good lettuce continued scarce
today and best local crop
was about 18 crates per crate last-
ing at \$1.50 to \$1.75.

Scarcity of dairy products was
reported, but quotations for
cream, butter and cheese were
unchanged. Some of the cream
was offered and brought 15c per pound.

PORTLAND WHEAT

PORTLAND, Ore., June 12 (AP)—
Wheat—BID, after steep fall,
\$1.83 1/2; soft white, \$1.83 1/2; west-
ern white, \$1.83 1/2. Local market
southern spring and western red,
\$1.83 1/2.

June 12, 1923. 10 1/2 white seed,
\$1.83 1/2.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 12 (AP)

Wheat—BID, after steep fall,
\$1.83 1/2; soft white, \$1.83 1/2; west-
ern white, \$1.83 1/2.

LA GRANDE GUARDSMEN TO LEAVE CITY TONIGHT

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The guardsmen will leave the
city tonight for their homes. They
will be accompanied by their
families. The guardsmen will
be on duty until June 15.

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

CHICAGO GRAIN			
Wheat	Open	High	Low
July	\$1.83 1/2 @ \$1.84	\$1.84	\$1.83 1/2 @ \$1.83 1/2
Sept.	\$1.83 1/2 @ \$1.84	\$1.84	\$1.83 1/2 @ \$1.83 1/2
Dec.	\$1.83 1/2 @ \$1.84	\$1.84	\$1.83 1/2 @ \$1.83 1/2

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

LIVERPOOL, June 12 (AP)—
Wheat—BID, after steep fall,
\$1.83 1/2; soft white, \$1.83 1/2; west-
ern white, \$1.83 1/2.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, June 12 (AP)—
Cattle—BID, after steep fall,
\$1.83 1/2; soft white, \$1.83 1/2; west-
ern white, \$1.83 1/2.

NEW YORK, June 12 (AP)

Total sales on the New York stock
exchange totaled the \$100,000,000
share mark for the first time at
lunch today with the ticker and
board still 14 minutes late in record-
ing the final quotation. Prices of
standard industrials and rails were
scarce down 1/2 to 3/4 a share,
while a number of high priced spe-
cialties broke 1/2 to 1/4 to 1/2 in the
same time because since the
dramatic collapse in prices in
March, 1922.

Wheat Unsettled And Lower Today

CHICAGO, June 12 (AP)—
Wheat—BID, after steep fall,
\$1.83 1/2; soft white, \$1.83 1/2; west-
ern white, \$1.83 1/2.

Acting Governor Carkin in Salem

SALER, Ore., June 12 (AP)—
John E. Carkin of Portland,
speaker of the Oregon house of
representatives and acting gov-
ernor during the absence of Gov-
ernor Patterson, will be here today
to visit the various branches of
state institutions and to take an
interest in the work of the
institutions of the state.

Marx Cabinet in Germany Resigns

BERLIN, June 12 (AP)—
President von Hindenburg today
accepted the resignation of the
cabinet headed by Dr. Wilhelm
Marx.

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ing tires with the new style tread.

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30x3 1/2	Sale Price \$ 8.88
32x4	14.72
34x4.40	9.76
31x5.25	16.68
33x6.00	20.16
Other sizes in proportion	

GOODYEAR PATHFINDERS	
30x3 1/2	Sale Price \$ 6.46
32x4	10.85
34x4.40	8.03
31x5.25	13.60
33x6.00	16.23
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