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RETURN UNTO GOD—For thus saith the Lord God, the Holy One of Israel; In returning and rest shall ye be saved; in quietness and in confidence shall be your strength: and ye would not.—Isa. 30:15.

Among industries nearing the peak of employment is politics.

Give him authority and Charley Dawes will make Chicago as pure as an Easter lily.

Those steel-head trout that Mr. Hoover couldn't catch will prepare him for the bone-head voters he'll soon be up against.

Spectators who attribute recent outbreaks of political temper to the hot weather "ain't seen nothing yet," to what they'll see in the cool autumn days.

In recent state primaries, the wet candidates did not roll up the majorities they anticipated. Most of them were badly beaten in supposedly wet states. Which reminds us that a great unknown portion of the electorate continues to vote in favor of prohibition, regardless of how they may drink.

When a motorist from out of town appears in Racine, Wis., and is recognizable as a visitor, a policeman steps up and hands him a card. The visitor may shrink, suspecting a summons to the police court. He need not. It is merely a guest card extended to him by the city, nicely engraved and signed by the mayor, and reading thus: "This card entitles you to park your car on the streets of Racine where you wish and as long as you wish. There is no time limit for you." That is mighty nice of Racine. Such hospitality is rare. The first thing Racine knows, a nation looking vainly for a place to park may rush en masse to that city.

SUN BATHS

As the gospel of the sun bath spreads, people tend to go on sunlight sprees. A clerk in an office who has no part of his anatomy tanned but the end of his nose will go to the nearest beach or resort, put on an abbreviated bathing suit and bask in the hot sun for hours, until he is burnt almost to a crisp. If sunshine is good, he argues, the more the better. And the sun does feel good to him—for a while. Then he spends painful days and wakeful nights getting over it.

Sunburn is as bad as any other kind of burn. Severe sunburn may even endanger life. At the least, the powerful ultra-violet rays, piercing through a white skin for a longer period than that skin can comfortably endure, produce an annoying inflammation and fill the system full of poison which takes time to eliminate. The person with a sun-bath hangover is almost as bad as the person with an alcoholic hangover.

The U. S. Public Health Service has been giving warning against overdoing the sun bath, especially for helpless babies. It is a wonderful preventive or cure for tuberculosis and rickets, and a general tonic for people of any age; but it must be suited to the patient's endurance. First exposure, the Health Service explains, should be only for a few minutes, the period being lengthened gradually as the subject develops a protective coat of tan. Eventually little children can endure an hour of strong sunlight morning and afternoon, and older persons more.

The old Greeks, who worshipped Apollo, the Sun God, and sought sunshine more than any other civilized people, had the right idea about it. Apollo, they said, was the giver of life, and also the destroyer of life. The worshipper was supposed to know how far to go. Some present day doctors, treating patients for rickets, anemia and other ailments, frankly prefer artificial sunlight—produced by ultra-violet lamps—to natural sunlight. That is because they are able by such means to control the amount of light the patient receives.

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ABE MARTIN

How soon we git in th' George Harvey stakes after we're gone. Gen. Motors 'll replace Gen. Apathy in th' comin' campaign.

TORNADO FATAL TO 8 PERSONS IN IOWA, MINNESOTA

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way into Austin and then turned to enter Iowa.

As the tornado swept on toward Austin, farm buildings and crops were crushed. A heavy rain followed and roads were flooded and some pavement washed away. More than 50 automobiles were wrecked in Austin by the storm which seemed to pick out and follow Main street, the principal thoroughfare through the city. Starting at 4:55 p. m., the tornado in less than eight minutes had covered a path two miles wide and about two miles long in Austin, where the damage was estimated at $500,000.

All the buildings at the county fair grounds, where the fair was to have opened today, were wrecked.

Doctors worked over the injured under severe handicaps, because of lack of lights and electric power.

Mrs. R. P. Tyler, of La Grande, whose father is editor of the newspaper at Nora Springs, was shocked today at news of the tornado. She knew Stella Powell, who was killed at Austin, and also was acquainted with the Roberts family, of which one member—Laverne, was killed.

DEMOCRATIC CROWD POURS INTO ALBANY

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and which Governor Smith said was given to the newspapers by the committee as an "official release," it went on:

"What a cowardly course the republican national committee pursued! It issued a slanderous statement through its official publicity bureau and then after its general publication in the press, attempted to evade responsibility by the childish claim that it had been given out by accident. That is not fair play."

Charges Exaggeration

Tackling first White's charges dealing with [illegible] measures, Governor Smith said there had been "a deliberate attempt" to show that "my votes dealt with a far greater number of so-called liquor bills than in fact they did," that the intent of many had been misrepresented, and that almost [illegible] republican leaders had voted as he did on them.

Referring to the claim that he had voted to allow saloons within 200 feet of a church or state school [illegible] on Manhattan Island south of 59th street, he asserted this was unfair as the bill in question applied only to the Hotel Gotham which, while within 200 feet of a church, was permitted under court order to serve liquor to its guests by the device of renting a house outside the 200 foot limit, having a hotel employe purchase the liquor in this house and then carry it to the guests in the hotel itself.

"Our [illegible] [illegible]," he said, "was confronted with the decision as between a license for the sale within the premises of the hotel and the spectacle of bellboys walking through the street with cocktail shakers and wine baskets in their hands.

"I chose to end the hypocrisy of such a procedure and in view of the high character of the hotel, I was entirely satisfied that if liquor was to be consumed within the hotel it might just as well be sold in it."

Answers Vice Charge

[illegible] the governor took up his vote against a bill introduced [illegible] in 1915 and which proposed to regulate the [illegible] of rooms in hotels. This measure, he contended, was "[illegible], unconstitutional and [illegible]."

"As [illegible] bill and this single bill [illegible]," he said, "William Allen White would have my wife, my children and my friends believe that in my long public career I was a friend of public prostitution."

All of the gambling measures referred to by White had to do with race track betting, the governor said, explaining that he had voted with Governor Hughes against them [illegible], at a special session voted "the other way" as a protest against the "unjustified action of the governor in calling the legislature back into extraordinary session after the matter had been fully threshed out and disposed of at the regular session."

The governor referred to another bill in the charges to prevent oral betting at race tracks, and said:

"How impossible such a statute was of administration I need not say."

A Parting Shot

Declaring he would define in no "uncertain language" his attitude toward the saloon in his acceptance speech tomorrow night, the governor fired this parting shot:

"I have been called by my party to the leadership in a great campaign. I am hoping to be put in a position to do for the people of this country what I have accomplished for the betterment of the government of my own state, and from now on I shall refuse to be drawn into any further discussion of these matters."

Motoring this afternoon to the home in Stockbridge, Mass., of Norman H. Davis, assistant secretary of the treasury and under secretary of state in the Wilson cabinet, the governor figures on at least nine holes of golf before returning to the executive mansion in the evening.

City officials are looking for at least 100,000 visitors here for the notification.

SECURE POWER FOR MINES IN BAKER COUNTY

BAKER, Ore., Aug. 21—Contract for the purchase and delivery of electric power to the Mother Lode mine was executed yesterday between the Oregon Copper company and the Eastern Oregon Light & Power company in Portland. Final agreement was reached at a meeting of copper company directors with J. P. Leturidge, vice president and general manager of the power company. At the meeting of the directors held in Baker 10 days ago following the annual stockholders meeting it was voted to install electric power at the properties of Oregon Copper company.

The contract involves the construction of 25 miles of high voltage line from Baker via Keating to the copper belt with necessary transformation equipment at the Oregon Copper company properties. Work will start immediately and power is to be ready for use in 80 days. The line will be constructed to care for the increased needs of the company as development progresses at the properties. No estimate was made as to cost of line construction.

14 Lives Lost In Battle With Wind

PANAMA, Aug. 21 (AP)—The story of a fierce battle with sea and wind, in which 14 lives were lost, is recounted in the log of the mystic line steamship W. S. McKenney which docked here last night long overdue from Seattle.

The log shows that on August 8, when the men perished, the ship near midnight, while fighting a strong gale, lost its steering control. The engines were cut down to half speed and an unsuccessful attempt was made to bring the steamer's prow to windward.

Troeh Is Leading U. S. Trapshooters

VANDALIA, O., Aug. 21 (AP)—Frank Troeh, Portland, Ore., generally recognized as the outstanding trap shooter of the country, was leading the 583 shooters in the race for the amateur clay target championship of North America here today with 180 breaks in the first half of the 200 target event.

OREGON CITY, Ore., Aug. 21 (AP)—Lloyd Owen, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Owen, of Beaver Creek, died late yesterday on the way to a hospital as the result of a gunshot wound.

Lloyd and Robert Esples, 18, were hunting squirrels when the latter sat down to load the rifle, and it was accidentally discharged.

Cal And His Stuffed Owl

Add to the list of presents given President Coolidge on his summer vacation one large, mounted white owl, donated by Fred R. Mott, a mine superintendent at Virginia, Minn., where the executive visited recently. Here is the president with his present—and a lot of people probably will say that Cal and an owl have a lot in common.

Contractor Devotes Spare Time To Raising Flowers And To Hunting

Flowers and hunting are the hobbies of Bird Bennett, La Grande contractor, and he gives expression to them both in his own yard at 2218 Island avenue.

With a flower garden that is a riot of blazing color and beauty he shows the one hobby. And with a rustic cabin perched out on the lawn much as if it had picked up out of a mountain wilderness and sat down there, he expresses the other.

Oddly assorted hobbies, one of a tender vein and the other ruggedly masculine, yet Mr. Bennett loves them both and he is equally proud of the garden his careful nurturing has wrought and of the little cabin, typically a hunter's abode with its stuffed birds and deer heads, trophies of many a thrilling hunt.

Rock Fireplace

It is a charming, cozy and very western little "den" as he calls it, that Mr. Bennett has built at odd moments. A deer head is mounted over the door. Inside one feels that he must surely be able to peer out the window and see tall pines and foaming mountain streams. There is a rock fireplace and on its mantel is a beautiful pheasant. Then there are guns in racks trimmed with deer feet, two more beautiful deerheads, hunting coats, and a pine table with a lamp. "I enjoy it out here, spend lots of time here, and in the wintertime we often pop corn around the fireplace," Mr. Bennett explains. He is the designer and builder of the little cabin home and he takes pride in it and finds it a haven in which he may lose himself in hunting tales and memories.

When back in his garden again Mr. Bennett is genuinely enthusiastic just now, because it is in its prime. None of your carefully balanced gardens for the hunter-gardener. He scorns the dainty prim beds of delicate flowers and chooses instead masses of hardy brilliant colored flowers in luxurious quantity. His zenia bed, some 59 feet long and half as wide is really an unique sight. Red, yellow, orange, deep pink—colors of vivid canyon rocks—the zenia bed fills the whole expanse of his lawn in unbroken bloom. They are huge handsome blossoms—these stalwart zenias that Mr. Bennett has grown.

Small wonder that folk passing often stop to look through the fence at the gorgeous blur of color that is the expression of Bird Bennett's love of flowers—and then peer on back to the little cabin that is an eloquent reminder of his love of the outofdoors and the sport of the hunt.

COMMITS SUICIDE

REDWOOD CITY (AP)—Excusing himself from his family just before dinner, Eric Thompson, former head of the American Legion here, went to the garage in his home last night and committed suicide by hanging himself.

TRIPLE KILLING

GRANITE CITY, Ill., Aug. 21 (AP)—John King, 28, shot and killed his estranged wife, Alice, 18, and his brother-in-law, James Sownsonie, 32, and then took his own life at his wife's home here today.

A Smith Ally

Here is Pierre S. DuPont, one of the large stockholders on the board of the General Motors Corporation, who resigned from the board for political reasons. DuPont will support Al Smith.

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30x3½	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	14.00
31x4	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	15.65
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31x4	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	16.85
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33x4	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Truck Tire	
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