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For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ; that everyone may receive the things done in his body, according to that he hath done, whether it be good or bad.—2 Cor. 5:10.

GALESBURG REMEMBERS

There are plenty of towns in the United States which are ready to welcome home the conquering hero with rousing cheers, a grand parade and oratorical honors.

But Galesburg, Ill., is a different kind of a town. It has prepared an elaborate reception for the home-town boy who is no longer making good, who is a down-and-outer.

It is the old home-town of Grover Cleveland Alexander and has sent him word that it wants him back. This former hero of the diamond is invited home to capitalize on his old achievements, not to give the city an opportunity to capitalize on his fame.

An outstanding pitcher star in the big leagues for two decades, Grover has been given an unconditional release from the Dallas, Texas, ball club, which means the very last word in the last chapter of a baseball career.

This Illinois town deserves credit for a kindly impulse, and the spirit shown may have had something to do with the fact that a few years ago Galesburg was selected as an outstanding city in which to live.

PREDICTING EARTHQUAKES

The fact that America was alarmed for the safety of its citizens who were touring in Italy, did not make us, as a nation, forgetful of the suffering and tragedy which came to Southern Italy by reason of the recent earthquake.

Destruction wrought by this quake may not be as extensive as those of similar convulsions in that country in the past, but no disturbance that takes upwards of 3,000 lives, injures thousands more and destroys whole towns can be considered small.

While the Italian authorities have served notice that no outside aid will be needed, there will be no lack of appreciation of the fact that it would be promptly given if required. These catastrophes leave nothing for humanity to do but to comfort the bereaved and shelter and feed the homeless and destitute.

Science cannot hope to find a way to prevent earthquakes and volcanic eruptions, but it is progressing toward the time when it will be able to predict the hour and place when these upheavals may be expected, and this would have the effect of eliminating unexpectedness and would result in saving countless lives and greatly reduce the property damage.

FUTILE

"Ye sticks, ye stones, ye blocks, ye worse than senseless things," is the language of a writer of many years ago.

It should be evident to endurance fans that nothing without a purpose partakes at all of glory. The mere ability to stay put is a wholly negative attribute and peculiar to empty vessels in the cupboard and to useless oddities of furniture.

Endurance to stand stress and strain is a commendable quality in useful material and machinery. In the realm of sport, overtaxation of one's physical resources may be suicide. Too often it is. There is no more intelligence in that than there is in the practice of Oriental beggars who hold their limbs in unnatural positions until they atrophy.

Pole-sitting and tree-sitting are cheap subterfuges for stealing public attention. They are not to be compared with the pedestrian feats of Weston or the submarine endurance tricks of Houdini.

Let those who belong to this new crowd of endurance maniacs convince themselves of the uselessness of their pursuits by asking the opinion of the first ten business men they meet.

In Brooklyn recently a test was made in the public schools to ascertain what the six year old children desired most to know in the realms of truth or fancy. Naturally we would think the answer would be "fairies, pirates or hidden treasures." But, no, these children wanted to know about the lives of (1st) Lindbergh, (2nd) Lincoln, (3rd) Washington.

Mischief is what causes dimples, says one woman writer. And all the time we have been thinking that it's dimples that cause mischief.

119 Golfers Via LA GRANDE EVENING OBSERVER, LA GRANDE, ORE.



The News Used To Be:

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
From Observer, Sat., Aug. 5, 1905
Several threshers have completed their first settings and the wheat yields are quite satisfactory.

The Stoddard Planer at Union blew in this week and is now ready for business.
McKennon and Ledbetter sold 100 head of beef cattle to Block and Thomas.

TEN YEARS AGO
From Observer, Thurs., Aug. 5, 1920
Walltow county's sunflowers are said to cover a larger acreage than in any other county in the United States.

The census of the state of Oregon was announced this morning as having a population of 789,285, which is an increase of 110,529 or 16.4 per cent.
A baby daughter was born yesterday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mann.

ONE YEAR AGO
From Observer, Tues., Aug. 6, 1929
Enforcement of a parking limit on Adams avenue and parking on the side streets was urged by chamber of commerce and city officials.

William Byers, of Union, is the owner of "Hatsbow," the horse who came in a length ahead in the American Legion race held at Gresham.

The cherry growers of Union and vicinity closed a most successful season Saturday evening.
A son born to Mr. and Mrs. William Needham at Cove on August 2 weighed six and one-quarter pounds.

Chats With Parents

REAL PROGRESS
By Alice Hudson Peale
The other day I observed what seemed an instance of genuine progress in the development of a certain little girl. She was looking at a book, absorbed in its pictures and making up stories about them as she turned the leaves.

The type of progress she has made is the sort that has nothing to do with obedience or conformity with set standards. It does not add anything to the ease with which she may be managed at home. However she has learned something which to her at least, is much more important than these things. She has learned to accept a certain type of unpleasant fact and to adjust herself to it without undue emotional excitement.

Radio Programs

WEDNESDAY PROGRAMS
National Broadcasting Co.: 6:30, Grandland Rice and dance music; 7:30, Amos and Andy; 8, Jack and Elmy; 9:30, Pleasure hour; 10:30, Yip-Frien; Scotty; 10:45, violin; 11 to 12, dance music.

Columbia Broadcasting system: 8, Romantic Forty-Niners; 8:30, Revue; 9, Musical comedy album; 10, Northwest Broadcasting system: 8, orchestra and ukulele; 8:30, Harmony Aces; 9, Neapolitans; 10, sunshine program.

Spokane
KIQ (590): 9:30, NBC; 7, musical program; 7:30, NBC; 9, Walt and Marion; 9:30, NBC; 11:30, dance music.

Los Angeles
KIJ (900): 8, CBS; 10, news; 10:05, dance music; 12, organ.
KFI (640): 8, NBC; 9:30, Tom Terris; 9, musical comedy album; 10, soprano and orchestra; 11, NBC.
KNX (1050): 8, features; 9, Rap and Sap; 9:30, feature; 10 to 1, dance music.

Seattle
KJR (970): 8, NBC; 10:30, musical program; 11, dance and popular music.

Portland
KGW (620): 8:30, NBC; 7, children's program; 7:30, NBC; 9, Cecil and Sally; 9:15, Melodians; 9:30, NBC; 10:30, popular music; 11, NBC.
KEX (1180): 8, dance music and features; 8:30, NBC; 10, Angels; 10:30, orchestra; 11:30, news, orchestra.

Oakland
KLX (880): 8, orchestra; 9, book-worm; 9:15, soloists; 10, feature; 10:15 to 11, dance program.
KGO (790): 7:30, NBC; 8, quintet; 8:30, Hill Billy Boys; 9, miniature biographies; 9:30 to 12, NBC.

KPO (680): 8, NBC; 8:30, features; 9:15, sports; 9:30, concert; 10 to 12, dance orchestra.
KFRG (810): 8, CBS; 10, news, dance music.

Salt Lake City
KSL (1130): 8, ensemble; 8:30, dance music; 9, musical; 9:30, NBC; 10:30, dance music; 11 to 12, Vagabond of Air.

Open Field Once
It is to be a three-story structure, with from 14 to 15 rooms on each floor. Offices and reception rooms will be on the ground floor, with

Clark Wood Says

Portland pastor says that golf is almost a spiritual necessity. There are occasions, however, when unspiritual language is almost a golf necessity.

When our food is concentrated into tablets, as predicted by a scientist, it will be high time to be planted under one.

The tree sitters will be sitting for a long time if they do not leave until the trees do.

If the Mindu gentleman with two mouths pictured by Ripley can talk with both of them, it is perhaps fortunate for his household that he wasn't born of the opposite sex.

White House social secretary who shocked sartorial arbiters by wearing the wrong kind of pants at an official function should be careful in future about his breaches.

It isn't surprising to be told that a man is taller when he first gets out of bed in the morning than he is later in the day. Many of us get short during the day.

North Carolina man has a three room house built entirely of stray bricks and the pickers up. No mention is made, either, that he ever ran for office.

Health Talks

THE TEMPORARY TEETH
One of the great physicians of modern times once said, "The care of the mouth, which means the care of the teeth, gums, tongue and the other soft tissues of the oral cavity, constitutes an outstanding health item."

Experience and many scientific studies have demonstrated the soundness of his judgment. A clean and healthy mouth is of value to all, but particularly so to the young.

The great difference between the adult and the child is that the adult, so to speak, merely lives, while the child lives and grows. Any serious illness affecting the child not only interferes with the living process, but also with the growing process.

It is well known that a debilitating illness can stunt growth, and even acute illnesses will leave their unmistakable stamp upon the child. It is for this reason that the care of the mouth in children is of paramount importance.

The care of the child's mouth begins before the time of its birth. The mother's diet, her living regimen, her freedom from illness all have their effects upon the development of the child. Good prenatal care makes for better development of the unborn child, including the formation of sound bones and good teeth.

Next to prenatal care comes the care of the teeth at the time of their first appearance. Humans have two natural sets of teeth during life—the first or so-called temporary set, and the second or permanent set.

The temporary teeth appear from about the fourth to the twenty-fourth month of life. These teeth should last until they are naturally shed between the ages of six and twelve years.

is rapid, and when good nutrition is most desirable.
If the temporary teeth are allowed to become decayed and are prematurely lost, the child is handicapped and the permanent teeth are liable to grow in irregularly.
Cleanliness is of importance in keeping the temporary teeth healthy, but even more important is the diet of the child. The diet rich in mineral salts and vitamins will help keep the teeth healthy. Coarse foods tend to naturally clean and exercise the teeth. The child should be taught to chew on both sides of its mouth.

Over Night News

(By The Associated Press)
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GOVERNMENT HOPES TO AID DRY SECTIONS

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farmers, to be ground into hog feed and taken back home.
"Nature seems to be settling the farm relief problem," said Bernard Snow, former assistant United States secretary of agriculture, now a member of the grain firm of Bartlett, Frazier and company here. "The tremendous loss of the corn crop during July," he said, "a loss which is still continuing, is likely to prove a blessing in disguise."

Pointing out the heat and drought were accomplishing "such a reduction of the crop surplus as was proposed by the federal farm board," Snow said that "it looks as though the losses in corn will accomplish the needed readjustment between supply and demand if all products, and incidentally emphasize the fact that acreage is not the only factor to be reckoned with in determining volume of crop production."

Reports from Ohio put the total anticipated loss to all farm crops in that state from the drought at around \$200,000,000, or half Ohio farmers' annual income from crops.

The upturn of the wheat market here yesterday was ascribed largely to the growing demand for wheat as a feeding substitute for corn.

RAIN BRINGS SOME RELIEF
CHICAGO, Aug. 5 (AP)—Rain had

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