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Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven. — Matthew 7: 21.

INDIA'S PLIGHT

He came, he saw, but he failed to conquer. Nevertheless Gandhi is not downhearted nor discouraged as he returns from England to India. It is true that he accomplished little or nothing, but he is not disappointed because that is just about what he expected. He attended the London conference at the urgent request of the officials concerned, for it would have been almost useless to hold the conference without Gandhi.

Even the sphinx could not solve the riddle which Gandhi posed for the British government; he asked that Great Britain should reach a solution for India's problems, but a solution which would not be British in character. All British proposals were unacceptable, in his opinion, for the simple reason that they were British; which is only a polite way of saying that India chooses to do as she pleases without interference from London.

Prime Minister MacDonald's answer is that out of the conference shall come a constitution for India that is made in England and bears the British mark. In other words, if India cannot be satisfied with a constitution of British origin, she will have to struggle along with one that is unsatisfactory. Britain insists that India is not yet ready to be trusted in the making of her own constitution.

Evidently the whole problem is right back at its starting point. Gandhi goes back to India to resume his program of non-violent non-cooperation, which at almost any time may blaze into violence. As for England, she continues trying to govern a race of people who apparently do not care how or by whom they are governed as long as the British have nothing to do with it. There is an impasse which would try the best of tempers.

CANADA GROWS

The population of Canada has reached the total of 10,360,000 according to the latest census which shows an increase of 1,571,000 in the past ten years. Two-thirds of that growth was concentrated in the two provinces of Ontario and Quebec, which reveals a reversal of the formerly westward moving center of population.

An increase of eighteen per cent in ten years is something of which any country can be proud; but the Canadians are not satisfied with their showing, and seem even a little disappointed. They have hoped that the twentieth century would bring an increase in their population which would compare favorably with that of the United States during its first hundred years. Now they find that their country has advanced only as far as the United States had in 1820.

Perhaps the Canadians were a little too enthusiastic in their desire to become a great nation in a hurry. The population increase of the past decade is a worthy achievement, but they forget that the climate of the greater portion of their country is not exactly favorable, that world conditions have changed greatly since the early days of American colonization, and that their own immigration regulations are not conducive to rapid growth.

There is every reason to believe that Canada's population will continue to increase at a steady pace, for mining, lumbering and agriculture will open new districts and attract more people. But it seems probable that the greater part of the country will long remain a wilderness, and there are thousands of sportsmen who prefer it that way.

ANOTHER ISOLATIONIST

James W. Gerard, former ambassador to Germany, advocated in a recent speech that Uncle Sam maintain an army of 500,000 men, an adequate navy, and then resolve to "sit tight and mind his own business." The formula appears to be simple, but plenty of trouble might come from an attempt to define that little phrase, "his own business."

Theoretically, nothing that happens beyond our shores would be Uncle Sam's business. But recent events have made it more and more evident that we cannot isolate ourselves from the rest of the world. Our "business" is too closely tied up with the activities of other nations. It seems strange that this old gentleman—banker and exporter to half the world—should suggest ignoring foreign lands.

LOWER TAXES HELD LIKELY DURING 1932

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nomah county property owners will pay taxes at the rate of only 46.4 mills next year as compared to 49.8 mills this year, the tax budget committee reported today.

The 3.4 mill reduction is possible by elimination of the general state levy which this year was 4.4 mills.

Local levies in 1932 will total $15,406,995. In 1931 the tax amounted to $15,515,315.

The committee explained a loss in assessed valuation of approximately $9,000,000 resulted in the rate increase of one mill.

BLUFFING GAINS, LOSES IN BRIDGE

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a hand in which Lenz essayed a four heart contract, was doubled and Jacoby redoubled. The contract was set three, the Culbertsons gaining 800 points right there. It was the 76th hand of the series and the first hand of rubber 13. Temporarily they cut their deficit to the lowest since the first rubber ended, 415. Lenz rebid his hearts without an assist from his partner and then Jacoby raised the contract to four. He expressed his opinion quite sharply about the rebid and insisted his redouble was justified.

Poker bridge, or bluff bidding, is sometimes a boomerang. Such was the case with that hand if Lenz by his rebid was essaying to force the Culbertsons into a poor situation.

On the first hand of the session Jacoby got the Culbertsons into an impossible contract by a bluff third hand original bid. His hand was only about half as strong in honors as it should be. But the result was that Culbertson bid no trump over Jacoby's spade and eventually essayed game and went down two. Culbertson once made a bluff bid of two no trump which drove Lenz into an impossible three heart contract.

In the hole on the sixteenth rubber the Culbertsons successfully tried the tactics their opponents have hitherto used with skill, namely taking sets deliberately in order to win the rubber.

On the final hand Culbertson made game and two tricks over in Spades when holding only four spades headed by nine spot. The situation was such that he laughed, but he had bid in response to a sound signal double by Mrs. Culbertson. The hand, both sides vulnerable, follows:

Lenz (north) dealer.
S—8 7 6
H—10 9 5
D—10 2
C—A K Q 10 7
Culbertson (west).
S—9 5 3 2
H—A J 3
D—A Q 6
C—8 3 2
Jacoby (south).
S—J 10
H—6 2
D—K J 9 8 7 4
C—J 9 5
Mrs. Culbertson (east).
S—A K Q 4
H—K Q 8 7 4
D—5 3
C—6 4

Lenz bid a club. Culbertsonites probably would have passed such a hand. Mrs. Culbertson with three honor tricks and a two suiter doubled indicating a wish that partner bid his best suit. Jacoby redoubled. It was a bluff.

Such a bid usually indicates that the redoubler is prepared to set almost any bid. Culbertson had to bid his only four card suit, the spades. Lenz passed and Mrs. Culbertson gladly assisted the spades, bidding two.

Jacoby carried his bluffing no farther and Culbertson went to four spades. He knew from the double by Mrs. Culbertson that she had at least three honor tricks. He had "2½ plus" honor tricks. The total honor tricks count put him in the game zone so he felt no misgivings about the spade suit. The king of clubs was led by Lenz. He failed to lead them a second time in fear of a bluff and Culbertson made six easily.

On the 100th hand of the series, Mrs. Culbertson was set two doubled when vulnerable and lost 600 points. It was during the prolonged sixteenth rubber. The Culbertsons felt justified, for when all cards were known, they thought it would have been a lay-down at two no trump for the enemy. The officialites were quite content indeed.

PRISON WARDEN SERIOUSLY HURT IN BREAK TODAY

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to escape. When White was shot, the woman said, the convicts also fired on Elizabeth, but she escaped injury by falling into a ditch.

Mr. White was found by members of a posse.

Mrs. C. D. Campbell, a neighbor said the convicts visited her farm and stole two horses.

YOUTHS TELL STORY

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Dec. 11 (AP)—Three youth whose automobile was commandeered by three escaped convicts, related today how Warden T. B. White of the federal penitentiary was wounded as he attempted to overpower one of his armed captors.

The young men, Carl Laufer, 22, Lyle Hart, 19, and Jack Galvin, 17, said the convicts sprang at them from the roadside with leveled weapons as they approached the Bell schoolhouse eight miles west of Leavenworth.

"Don't cross them, they are desperate, boys," the warden shouted in warning.

The next moment, the witnesses said, the warden broke the grip of a convict who was holding him and grappled with another armed with a shotgun. In the struggle, Warden White was wounded.

He fell, bleeding profusely. The youths said the prisoners then told them to "get out of there," and entered the automobile.

Two automobile salesmen drove up, the three witnesses said, and were permitted to take the warden to Leavenworth. The prisoners then ordered the young men to leave.

As they fled across a corn field the prisoners fired upon them, kicking up the earth about their feet.

About this time Deputy Sheriff James Ervine approached in an automobile and opened fire on the convict trio with a sub-machine gun.

One of them who had seated himself in the car's rumble seat slumped down. The witnesses believed him wounded.

J. W. REEDER, 95, DIES

TIPTON, Ia., Dec. 11 (AP) — J. W. Reeder, 95, who held President Hoover's hat when he was inaugurated, died last night.

Reeder was a friend of the Hoover family. Meeting the future president during the campaign he expressed a desire to hold Hoover's hat at the inauguration. Reeder got the job.

ATTITUDE OF AMERICA MADE CLEAR TODAY

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sor, was believed to have introduced a possibility that Japan might suspend the gold standard and place an embargo on gold.

Three possible developments were outlined following the resignation. They included the formation of a coalition cabinet with portfolios distributed among members of both the Minseito (government) party and the Seiyukai (opposition) party, a completely Seiyukai ministry or a new cabinet under Premier Wakasuki.

In Minseito party circles the opinion was expressed that Kenzo Adachi, home minister and leader of an influential Minseito faction, whose criticisms were said to have been instrumental in bringing about the resignation, has been eliminated as a possibility in any new cabinet. If Premier Wakatsuki is called upon again to form a cabinet, Foreign Minister Baron Shidehara and Finance Minister Junnosuke Inouye, who has been opposed to a gold embargo, would probably occupy their old places.

Seiyukai Faction Strong

Other political observers, however, pointed out that there is little chance of a reconstructed Minseito cabinet coming into power. A strong Seiyukai faction is opposed to the notion of a coalition government and is striving to bring about an entirely Seiyukai cabinet, possibly under the leadership of Kireikiyo Takahashi, financial expert and former premier.

Mr. Takatashi served as prime minister for six months in 1917, and in spite of his age is known as Japan's most able financier.

Seiyukai party leaders have been demanding for months that a gold embargo be reimposed and it was considered certain that if the party comes into power it would mean abandonment of the gold standard immediately. Junnosuke Inouye, finance minister in the Wakatsuki cabinet, has opposed a gold embargo strenuously.

Opponents of the cabinet also accused it of lacking a definite foreign policy and this was also an issue.

BOMBING REPORTED

PEIPING, Dec. 11 (AP)—Chinese reports said Japanese airplanes dropped five bombs in the Panshan area along the Yingkow-Kowpangtze railway today, killing a woman. Foreign observers are on the way to Yingkow.

SNOW BLOCKS RAILROAD

PEIPING, China, Dec. 11 (AP)—Railroad service to Tientsin was suspended today as a heavy snowfall buried the tracks for miles.

DEMONSTRATIONS SUBSIDE

SHANGHAI, Dec. 11 (AP) — Student demonstrations subsided today when the mayor acceded to a demand for dismissal of the Chinese chief of police.

Even so 6,000 students from Northern China continued to parade in the streets of Nanking, it was reported, demanding an interview with President Chiang Kai-Shek.

SMALL MONTANA COLLEGE WINS STATE'S GRID TITLE

HELENA, Mont. (AP) — Mount St. Charles college here is not awed by a large reputation when it comes from football.

The little school, with an enrollment of around 150 students, won the Montana intercollegiate championship despite the fact that rivals for the honor included representatives in both the Pacific Coast and Rocky Mountain conferences.

MORE SNOW IN HILLS

THE DALLES, Dec. 11 (AP)—Wayne Froebe, forestry service cruiser, reported that the snow blanket in the highland forests is from 3 to 4 feet deep, with snow packed into the ravines and canyons to a greater depth than found last spring. If normal snows prevail during the rest of the winter, he said, watershed conditions will be better than for many years. Froebe returned from the Wamic district Tuesday.

Fazel, one time Hindu mat performer, now is cook and trainer for his giant brother, Daula, who will eat no American dishes.

Kemper Military academy, Boonville, Mo., has withdrawn from the Missouri State conference.

HAIL SPEAKS AT EAGLES SESSION

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half unemployed continue to exist?" Mr. Hall asks. "The seven million unemployed are not a theory but a condition of hunger, privation and want, which citizens of this country who want and are willing to work are suffering because they cannot get work.

"Conditions are ripe for revolution, anarchy and other undesirable things brought about by revolution."

Legislation is the solution to the present economic problems, Mr. Hall believes. The Eagles lodge has presented a bill in congress in which it asks for the organization of a commission of economists and authorities on economic lines to study the present conditions and to work out legislation which, if passed, will solve the existing condition and avoid future depressions, he said.

"There was never advancement in legislation without some standpat person calling it socialism and anarchy," Mr. Hall stated, as he recalled a period in 1909 when he was threatened with violence in a Central Oregon town because he was speaking there in the interests of good roads. "Workmen's compensation was considered a radical doctrine and the Eagles were sneered at because they were accused of trying to turn the government into an insurance company and called radicals and socialists,"

The lodge advocates legislation which will be enacted for the stabilization of all industry.

The condition could and would be met if the government considered the Eagle bill, Mr. Hall asserted. He also pointed out other instances which would serve as a means of remedying the situation, such as strict child labor laws which would prohibit children under the age of 14 from being employed in the textile and coal mines, doing a man's work for a mere pittance, and also prohibit the 1,600,000 in the United States who are doing man's work from that field so the man could demand a wage on which he could rear and educate a family of children.

A commission to ascertain how much money a family needs to raise a family, working conditions, safety, sanitation and other conditions would be formed under the Eagle bill, and working days and production would be regulated accordingly.

The Eagles are conducting a membership drive to increase the membership from 700,000 to one million members by 1932, when they think they will be able to force congress to give consideration to the Eagles bills, in which they are endeavoring to help not only their members, but society.

Music by the Blue Mountain Wranglers preceded the address. C. L. Happersett introduced Mr. Hall.

A district convention was held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, but because of the stormy condition none of the Pendleton Eagles was here, and only three representatives were present from Baker. They reviewed the work of the order and planned to hold a convention every three months, the next to be held in Pendleton in March.

The auxiliary served a chicken dinner in the hall before the address by Mr. Hall.

BASKETBALL GAME TIME IS CHANGED

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plete basketball squad at present.

The game will begin at 8:30 o'clock as a class contest will be played as a preliminary at 7:30 o'clock. On week nights this season games will begin at 8 unless a preliminary contest is scheduled, when the latter will start at 7 o'clock. On Saturday nights, however, games will begin at 8:30, with preliminaries at 7:30.

The Tigers scrimmaged with the Normal school last night and although unable to stop the collegians, learned a number of pointers of value.

This morning the High school student body held its first basketball pep assembly of the year, featuring yells and songs.

UNEARTHS PERSIAN CITY

MARSEILLES, France (AP) — M. Georges Contenau of the Louvre museum in Paris returned here with word that a party headed by him had unearthed an unnamed city in central Persia dating from about 2500 B. C.

CONGRESSIONAL DEMOCRATS WILL SUBMIT TAX PLAN

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carefully — we have six months in which to do it." He opposed a general sales tax.

Majority Leader Rainey, in the Democratic house, said he favors higher taxes on big incomes, and as far as possible "the men of smaller incomes should be protected because they need every cent they earn."

Chairman Collier, of the house ways and means committee, said the tax program would be taken up early in January. He favors raising funds to meet the deficit through bond issues and increasing certain taxes.

Senator Harrison, Mississippi, ranking Democrat on the senate finance committee, is strongly opposed to a retroactive application of the new income rates on the 1931 incomes.

Meanwhile, assurance of Democratic aid in guarding the treasury and "co-operation in every way possible to reduce federal expenditures" was given President Hoover today by Chairman Byrns, of the house appropriations committee.

The Tennesseean said that as chairman of the committee first responsible he would make every effort to aid the administration's plan to diminish government spending.

Byrns plans to have his committee first tackle the $200,000,000 appropriation the veterans bureau needs to carry out last winter's law for lending on service certificates.

COMMITTS SUICIDE

CHICAGO, Dec. 11 (AP) — Mrs. Matilda Crocombe, 48, wife of William E. Crocombe, president of the American Forge company, plunged to death from their ninth floor apartment today. Crocombe said his wife had been ill.

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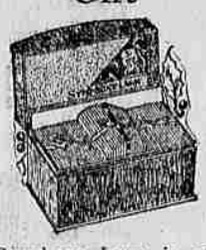

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