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Sermonette

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Ye are my friends, if ye do what- ever I command you.—John 15:14.
There is a luminous and a moving thing to think of the Church of God as a river, and filling the offices of a river in the life of mankind—quick- ening, fertilizing, beautifying, enrich- ing. We are too apt to think of the Church of God as an institution, and an institution is literally something that stands, whereas the Church is a process, something that moves.
There is a river—the life of God in the soul of man canalized in a society of men—which has made glad the life of man, and you never can tell what strange treasures may not be borne on its waters.

Professor Royce has said that it is a part of the Christian experience that the believer has an ideal Church, a beloved community, in his heart, an ideal that is forever crying out to him, "Create."
Then, men and women, as the Lord liveth, let us bend ourselves to this business of creation.
And that applies, first of all, that we set a term to criticism, to complaint. I have done my share of it, and so have you. But, after all, it is a mean and low business, like a man criticizing his mother.

And the place for us to begin is in the Church. It was the spirit of a genius that led the early Quakers to call themselves a Society of Friends; that is what the Church should be, and, also, so little is, and its business is to make the whole round earth a society of friends.—Richard Roberts in The Federal Council Bulletin.

BABE DIDRIKSON AFTER THIRD WIN

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I design my own clothes. Then they're made the way I want 'em."

PLAN RECEPTION FOR TOLAN
DETROIT, Aug. 5 (AP)—There will be a reception committee to meet the reception committee, designated by when Eddie Tolan comes home from his triumph in the Olympic games in California.

The eyes of the welcoming crowd will be on Eddie, but Eddie's eyes will be on the typical southern mammy whose toll over the water has made possible his success—his mother.

Mrs. Thomas Tolan is proud of her son's athletic triumphs, but she is proud of his determination to be a physician. Recently she has been sole provider for the family. She has worked hard—and happily—and her hope now is to keep it up until Eddie can finish his scientific training in Germany.
"It's worth it," she said of her son. "My menfolk could only find jobs. I could ease up a bit and a mighty big worry would be off Eddie's mind."

FOUR NATIONS SHARE IN HONORS

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graph—one record after another. Thousands who have been watching the astounding Olympic spectacle from the outset now mingle laughter with their cheers to greet the announcer's old refrain: "Coming a new Olympic and world record." Anyone who had fortitude to keep track of it all can emerge with the statistical gem that 45 record performances have been announced in 17 track and field events for men and women.

The response yesterday could have been heard in four different languages as Luigi Beccali won the classic Olympic 1500 meters in the Olympic record time of 3:15.2, for Italy's first Olympic foot-racing victory of all time; as Matti Järvinen led his first successful Finland thrust with an Olympic record javelin throw of 238 feet, 7 inches; as Chuhel Nambu of Japan, the world record broad jump- per, added the hop, step and jump championship and world crown to his credit, with a mark of 51 feet, 7 inches; and, finally, as America's own Mildred Babe Didrikson scampered to her second world record victory, in the 80-meter hurdles, in 11.7 seconds.

Finland's first championship, however, in an event which was here simply for going through the motions of appearing, won't be enough to offset her cup of bitterness, if youthful Lauri Lehtinen fails today to take the 5000 meters, the last flat race title that the Finns have a chance to salvage.

This Olympiad so far has dealt a stunning series of blows to the foot- racing prestige that Finland developed so sensually after the war. First and bitterest blow of all was the ban-ishment of Paavo Nurmi, the king of her runners, on the very eve of the games, destroying Finland's best chances to win the 10,000 meters and marathon. Then came the youthful Luo-Hollo's defeat Sunday by the Polish star, Jan Kuczmarski, in the 1500-meter race, the 1926 record crown passed for the first time to an Italian while Finland's defending champion, Harry Larva, finished in the ruck along with his two compatriots, Purje and Luomanen.

With Nurmi and Willie Ritola no longer there to carry on, Finland's 5000-meter hopes rested squarely upon young Lehtinen, best of the country's newcomers and a world record-breaker at the distance. The man they feared most, for the first time, was an American, Ralph Hill, of Oregon, still holder of the national outdoor mile record. Hill has now developed seri-ously at the longer distance. He has a real "kick" and there is still the bright picture of how he ran away from Lehtinen in the 5000-meter trials Tuesday, even though nothing but qualifying places were at stake.

Yet to be run, of course, are the 3000-meter steeplechase and mara-thon, but in these events, too, the opposition for the Finns is stronger than ever, encouraged no doubt by the growing conviction that the cloak of Finnish invincibility has been re- moved.
Meanwhile the American had their own private war to settle, between Eastman and Carr, each with a weak- er eye out meanwhile for the all- round Englishman, Lieutenant Godfrey Rampling, built very much along the lines of the spindly-legged Scotch- man, Eric Liddell, who won the Olympic 400-meter championship in 1924 while the bag-pipes skirled.
Rampling didn't look so impressive in the trials yesterday, even under wraps, and there has been nothing yet to prove he can touch the re- cord-smashing performance of Carr and Eastman.
Despite Babe Didrikson's world re- cord victory over her American rival, Evelyn Hall, in the 80 meter hurdles, the fifth day of the Olympic track and field championships was a big let-down for the United States forces, which had completely dominated the previous day's program. In the men's team battle, America picked up only eight points and lost one, on the dis- cussion putting Finlay, of England, ahead of Keller, U. S. A., in the 110- meter high hurdles.

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

CHICAGO WHEAT				
Sept. (old)	Open	High	Low	Close
	51 1/2 @ 52	52 1/4	51 1/2	51 1/2 @ 52
Dec. (new)	52 1/2 @ 53	53 1/4	52 1/2	52 1/2 @ 53
May	59 1/2	60 1/4	59 1/2	59 1/2 @ 60

PORTLAND WHEAT				
Sept.	Open	High	Low	Close
	51 1/2	51 3/4	51 1/2	51 1/2
Dec.	54 1/2	54 3/4	54 1/2	54 1/2

CHICAGO CORN				
Sept.	Open	High	Low	Close
	32 1/2 @ 33	33 1/4	32 1/2	32 1/2 @ 33
Dec.	32 1/2 @ 33	33 1/4	32 1/2	32 1/2 @ 33
May	36 1/2 @ 37	37 1/4	36 1/2	36 1/2 @ 37

First heat— Won by William Carr, United States (3 yards); second, Wil- liam Walters, South Africa (1 foot); third, George Golding, Australia (10 yards); fourth, Alex Wilson, Canada (8 yards), Time, 48.4.
Second heat, 400 meters, quarter- finals— Won by James Gordon, United States (2 yards); second, God- frey Rampling, Great Britain (1 yard); third, Joachim Buechner, Ger- many (1 yard); fourth, James Ball, Canada (1 foot), Time, 48.6.
Third heat, 400 meters, quarter- finals— Won by Ben Eastman, United States of America (1 yard); second, Felix Rinner, Austria (1 foot); third, Borje Strandvall, Finland (2 yards); fourth, Crow Stoney, Great Britain (2 feet), Time, 48.5.
1500-Meter Run Final
1500-meter (1640.4 yards) run final— Won by Luigi Beccali, Italy (3 yards); second, Jerry Cornell, Great Britain (1 yard); third, Phil Edwards, Canada (2 yards); fourth, Glenn Can- ningham, United States (1 yard); fifth, Erik Ny Sweden (1 yard); sixth, Ben Hollowell, United States, Time, 3 minutes 51.2 seconds. (New Olympic record. Former record 3:52.2, by Harry Larva, Finland, 1928.)

Women's 80-meter hurdles final— Won by Mildred Didrikson, United States of America (6 inches); second Evelyn Hall, United States of America (1 yard); third, Marjorie Clark, South Africa (4 feet); fourth, Simone Schaller, United States of America (2 feet); fifth, Violet Webb, Great Brit- ain (1 yard); sixth, Aida Wilson, Canada, Time, 11.7 seconds. (New Olympic record and bettered listed world's record.) Former Olympic re- cord 11.8, set by Miss Didrikson in Wednesday's semi-finals. World re- cord is 12.2 held by Miss Clark of South Africa, 1930.
Hop, Step and Jump Finals
Hop, step and jump finals— Won by Chuhel Nambu, Japan, 51 feet 7 inches, new Olympic record and bet- ters world's record, former Olympic record 50 feet 10 1/2 inches set by A. W. Winter, Australia, 1924, world re- cord is 51 feet 1 1/2 inches set by Miko Oda, Japan, 1931; second, Erik Svens- son, Sweden 50 feet 3 1/2 inches; third Kenkichi Oshihima, Japan, 49 feet 4 1/2 inches; fourth, Eamon Fitzgerald, Ire- land, 49 feet 3 inches; fifth, Willem Peters, Holland, 49 feet; sixth, Sol Furth, U. S. A., 48 feet 10 inches.
Javelin Throw Finals
Javelin throw finals— Won by Matti Järvinen, Finland, 238 feet 7 inches, new Olympic record. (Old re- cord 218 feet 6 1/2 inches, set by E. H. Lundquist, Sweden, 1928.) Second, Matti Seppala, Finland, 229 feet 1/2 inch; third, Enno Penttila, Finland, 225 feet 4 1/2 inches; fourth, Gottfried Weimann, Germany, 223 ft. 3 1/2 inches; fifth, Les Bartlett, U. S. A., 211 feet 6 inches; sixth, Kenneth Churchill, U. S. A., 207 feet 5 1/2 inches.

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For the eyes of the Lord run to and fro throughout the whole earth, to show himself strong in behalf of those whose heart is perfect toward him.—2 Chron. 16:9.

CHARITY AND ROBBERY

In a recent issue of the Oregon Voter is a report of the speech of Fred I. Kent at a meeting of the Portland City Club. He made the startling statement that there are now in the United States 1,500,000 parasitic idlers who are enjoying unprecedented prosperity.

He was referring not to the idle rich but to hoboos who float around from place to place, enjoying the freedom of an irresponsible life at the expense of tender-hearted citizens who freely contribute their dimes and quarters and compliment themselves upon their generosity.

The Voter goes on to say: "An experienced investigator, who has spent months on the road and in the jungles, advises us that Kent is right. He reports that the hobo population is living on the fat of the land and is recruiting heavily from the ranks of the unemployed. The hobo lives without work. The towns feed him and move him onwards. In the cities he panhandles on the streets and makes from \$3 to \$10 per hour."

Right here in La Grande we can confirm these facts with- out the service of an experienced investigator. Everyone admits that there are several hundred men in the county who would like to find jobs, men who would be glad to work hard for a living if they only had the chance. But we also must admit that there are many who never did a day's work in their lives, and never intend to; they are taking advantage of the present unemployment situation and are greedily seek- ing charity which should go to those who really deserve it.

The Medford Mail Tribune believes there are more of these parasites than most people suppose, and says: "The situation is clearly illustrated by the story of the hard-working wife who said she welcomed the depression, for before the depres- sion her husband was only a bum. But now, said she proud- ly, he is a worthy member of the deserving unemployed!"
In La Grande hardly a day passes without similar illus- trations of this unhealthy condition. Strong, healthy men fre- quently come to the office of the county nurse with pleas for groceries and clothing for their families; but when told they may earn the needed supplies by splitting wood, they find all kinds of silly excuses, or brazenly refuse to work for what they want.

Just the other day a local housewife took pity on a fairly well dressed young man who knocked at the back door and, in a voice which indicated that he had a bad cold, explained that he had slept on the ground for several nights and wanted money to buy food and lodging. The woman gave him a quarter. A short time later she went down town and happened to see the same young man buy a ticket and go into the theatre.

The moral is evident. Charity should be placed entirely in the hands of organized relief agencies which have means of distinguishing the worthy unemployed from the parasites. When you feel a spell of generosity coming over you, contribute to county relief work, but close your purse to pan- handlers.

"HOAX" HEARING IS NEARING END

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valls from the Eugene campus.
Getz related that he met Brownell in Portland several days later and confirmed the telephone conver- sation.

Sen. Stoen, in charge of the Port- land office of the organization pro- moting the consolidation, and from those who safe the petitions were taken, testified at great length at Thursday's hearing. He and Brownell shared the one office, although Brownell had no connection with the Zorn-MacPherson organization.
Stoen, under cross-examination by Brownell's attorneys, testified that a man he knew as O. B. Robertson, of Eugene, had offered him "a substan- tial sum of money" if he would dis- tinguish his efforts to obtain enough signatures to place the measure on the ballot.

"But" of \$100,000 Mentioned
Stoen testified that Robertson told him the bill had no chance to pass and that a "pot" of \$100,000 had been raised to fight it. The witness added that he believed Robertson had not meant to offer a bribe "and meant nothing crooked." "He only thought I was working for a lost cause," Stoen said, "and wanted me to quit."
Attorneys for Brownell attempted to learn from Henry Zorn, president of the organization sponsoring the in- itiative measure, how the league was financed, but the attempt was futile. Zorn testified that no records were necessarily kept by persons making cash donations; that such contribu- tions had, however, been made but that he was unable to recall the names of the donors; that the orga- nization had no bank account; that the membership reached 2,000, and that no initiation fees, dues or assess- ments were levied against the mem- bers.
He declared Brownell had no con- nection whatever with the league.

NEW BOOKLET ISSUED

SALEM, Aug. 5 (AP)—The first descriptive booklet containing the outline and essential details of the new Oregon state system of higher education was distributed today by the state board of higher education. It is an illustrated publication de- scribing the courses of study offered at the six units within the state.
C. L. Starr, chairman of the board, said the booklet was prepared primar- ily for information of high school graduates seeking further education.

SOAP TO AID DEMOCRATS

RALEIGH, N. C., Aug. 5 (AP)—A plan to "clean up America with Democratic soap" was announced today by Tyre C. Taylor, president of the young Democratic clubs of America.
Soap wrapped in red, white and blue wrappers will be sold through- out the country, Taylor said, and four of the ten cents charged for each bar will be turned into the Democratic treasury.

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