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BIBLE THOUGHT AND PRAYER

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SEEK ETERNAL THINGS:—We look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen: for the things which are seen are temporal, but the things which are not seen are eternal.

PRAYER:-Open thou our eyes, O Lord, that we may behold wondrous things out of thy law.

#### PRISONERS NEED WORK

The greatest need of the Washington state penitentiary at the present time is employment for the prisoners, stated Clarence E. Long, warden, in an address to local Rotarians. There are 275 men and 24 women who are without occupation except for a few housekeping duties, he declared.

"It is impossible to assist these men to go back into society unless something can be found for them to do," he said, "The prison has a small farm, 155 acres, but it is entirely inadequate. Tons of produce and hay are shipped in that should be raised on the prison farm. A small percentage of the prisoners are engaged in the auto license plate factory, 35 are employed in the shoe shop and 50 in the tailoring department, but still the facilities are far from adequate.

"I do not know anything as good for these men as employment," the warden said. "Those working-are never in the hospital, never surly, but always amenable to discipline. The idle men are ugly and are the ones who violate the rules.

The old offenders come to us prison-broke and eager to obey rules, knowing that their chances of retting out are better if they have no red marks. But the first offender comes in nervous. He asks for work and when he doesn't get it associates with other idle men. In a short time opportunity for doing that man good has passed."

The above words were contained in an Associated Press ch from Walla Walla, Wash., sent to the newspapers of country on Saturday last. secord with the progressive prison men

and penologists generally all over the world. ideal prison system contemplates employment for the the bosses had not yet agreed.

nen; and women. That is fundamental-But it contemplates more. The employment ought to be ticket in advance and there was tempherative. The system is ideal at the Stillwater, Minn., no contest worthwhile; however, prison, where the men make twine and rope and agricultural we do not have to hark back very nts; where the profits are sufficient to support the far to recall the old "favorite institution and provide for all betterments, without drawing son" plan of campaign when ev-

a cent from the purse of the taxpayers-And where, also, the returns are sufficient to give every rker in the prison a small wage; from 25 cents to as high as \$2.50 a day, depending in some cases upon the size and needs gates. Politics was expensive in of the family of the prisoner on the outside—the innocent victims; and even in some cases the man responsible for the death to the primaries. a bread winner through murder or manslaughter having his wages at the prison apply to the support of the dependents table citizen in Oregon has a right deprived through his act of their natural supporter.

The Missouri penitentiary is also self supporting, and the The people have the say, but if Louisiana prison is approaching self support, and so are those South Dakota, Indiana, Michigan, and a number of other their remedy at the general elec-

There are no idle men at the Oregon state penitentiary v, and with the development of the industries going on under the operations of the revolving fund law, there will never be any men there, in any season-

Moreover, with the main industry devoted to the treatment of flax and flax products, there will be possible the adoption eventually of the system prevailing at the Stillwater prisonand perhaps soon; and that is the model institution of the kind

The mere fact that all of the men in the Oregon penitentiary are employed puts our institution in a class ahead of the Walla Walla penitentiary, in general morale and in reformations; but the ultimate goal must be that which has been reached at Stillwater, where the management reports 85 per cent of reformations, the highest in the world.

The development of the flax industry at the Oregon prison, and of other industries using raw materials grown on our own soil, will put our prison in a still higher class than that occupied by the Stillwater prison, where the raw materials are mainly grown in other countries—the sisal for the binder twines in fucatan, Mexico, and the manila hemp (so-called) for the rope

Still further, our Oregon prison will at the same time be ping in the development of great industries here; aiding in ng up a solid and consistent prosperity, rooted in our soil, and reared on the enduring structure of our natural reources and possibilities.

### PT IS ENDED

The Demarest revival is over; or five weeks it was the center attraction in this city. For petus. five weeks city life centered around the revival. It was a spiritual gospet preached.

The number of conversions were very satisfactory and every hurch in town will be strengthd. In addition to the incrassed membership, almost as valuable an asset has been the inreased enthusiasm of thousands church people. The pastors of he city are closer together and work more in harmony in

was ended in a blaze of glory. Salem will never go back to where it was. It will go forward spiritually because of this im-

The revival was reported by Charles J. Lisle, a trained report- show their spirit by cat calling great occasion, and day after day er, whose sympathy was entirely and jeering at the Americans. the people of Salem and sur-with the effort being made by the When the American flag is raised rounding country heard plain evangelist. The report from day instead of being respectful they to day was not only fair but it deride it. We never knew a nawas sympathetic. Mr. Lisle's tion to work so hard to forfeit work is so good that we are asking the public to realize his re- France has worked since the war

### GOING TOO FAR

A committee in the Methodist General Conference has offered a resolution for adoption which annot be sustained in the coun-It was a great series of meet- try. The resolution decaires grief of parents when the child s

in the event of war the Methodists will refuse to fight. The Methodist church hates war along with the rest of the country, but the Methodist church is patriotic; it realizes that Amer- to

ica is God's country, the hope of and will have lost everything. There is no occasion for anwhen his people became discon- sad largely in the story books.

tented. He lost his war; he lost his throne; and he finally lost his dynasty. It was a terrible penalty to pay, and yet, it was paid according to the rules of the kings. But the game will not be played

MUST HAVE HARBORS

too serious a metter.

The Corvallis Gazetie-Times s alarmed lest the Statesmen would oppose appropriation for the harbors; nothing of the kind likely. We appreciate the importance of ocean transportation. It is the hope of the northwest and we are glad to see the Portland port made one of the best in the country. That helps all of us, but the money spent east of Portland on the Columbia river was every peny of it wasted. We do not object to a fair amount of money at the ports; what we do object to is pouring money into rivers that never can be made navigable. The Mississippi river has had millions spent upon it and the only boats there are government boats. The same is true all over the country.

This thing is true; we cannot reduce taxes if we are going to continue to graft through the pork barrel. There was an object lesson in the primaries just closed. Mayor Baker promised to get bigger appropriations. The public took that to mean more graft, and in the senate we want statesmanship, not graft. There is too much pork barrel

### EVERY MAN'S RIGHT

The bosses tried to make up their ery county had its candidate and the winner had to pay the expenses of the other fellow's dele-

As a matter of fact, every reputhey are not satisfied they have tion. To say that a man cannot run for office if he wants to in Oregon is to insult the citizenship of the state.

# CATS AND BIRDS

The Albany Democrat has participated in a discussion about the object of their love, if it is cats. It is quite a prolific sub- real, receives everything that they ject, and the cats themselves are something quite prolific. The cat is a gentle, domestic animal during daylight hours, but it reverts to the wild and is a hunter at night. The slaughter of our birds, to which so much objection is made, is largely because we perists in keeping cats.

If we are to have birds, as they are useful, we must protect them. If we turn a lot of cats loose in a neighborhood there is no way to protect the birds. This is a matter of considerable importance because the birds are our foragers. Cats have their uses, of course, but we do not happen to know what they are at this moment. They kill mice but they also kill more birds.

### THE NARROW WAY

Some Olympic games are being played in France and the Americans are winning. The French the good opinion of the other as to alienate American sentiment. And they do not even pay the interest on the money we loaned them to save themselves.

# THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

logs and the one Sunday night against war, which is perfectly first starts to school. It is

proper, but it also declares that change, of course, but it is one SENATE PASSES that comes so gradually that the parents hardly realize it. The child does, however, and from the age of two or three years has increasing enthusiasm about going ments will have on future fiscal Copyright, 1923, Associated Editors. school. What a pride the mother has in the development of cost of the bonus has been varthe world, and if America fails, her child. How she rejoices in its jously estimated at from \$2,250,civilization fails; if civilization little happiness; how admiringly fails we will go back to barbarism she puts the finishing touches on ury officials making the higher its little sash and sees the fairy creature race out of the house toother war and only the blunder- ward school. It has it's sad side ing and selfish men in power can but the happiness of the child, bring another. King Constantine the completeness of its absorption endowment insurance policy. of Greece, playing the century old in its coming-out party, chases game, went to war with Turkey away the gloom and mother is

### ELECTION RETURNS

The Oregon Statesman feels justified in saying just a few words about its election returns. It is the only paper in Oregon that way any more. The war is that has ever given the compelte election returns in Marion county. On Wednesday morning the returns were so complete that it would be. The returns machinery was put to work and as soon as the count was over it was reported. Paul Burris, the Republican Committee secretary, was on hand to help the Statesman force get the returns and tabulate them. It was a source of great satisfaction to give the people such complete returns, and the Statesman expresses its apprectation of the many compliments it has received.

#### A PEOPLE'S WEAPON

The recall is the people's weapon. It is a dangerous instrument in the hands of selfish men and can be used with terrific its good points. In two counties, Wolstead days. Multnomah and Lane, the people commissioners. In both instances trict. extravangance was charged, and the result will be that the commissioners in every county in Oregon will be more careful about the expenditure of money. The people hold the purse strings and the recall is their strength.

### JUST AN ASS

try to drag college presidents down to his level. The statement is a lie and a libel on some of the best men in America, men who are not hypocrites in this or anything else.

Thoughts for Every Day (By Editor J. B. Parker of the Conway, Arkansas, News.) "I love him so," or "I love her

That's a common expression of endearment, but oft it is the utterance merely of idle words. To love is a solemn and weighty

matter. It involves first of all sacrifice and the acid test of genuine giving up of selfish interests. One can't love and ever seek to encompass one's individual desires. That's supreme selfishness and such a person can love only when they have nothing to sacrifice that involves self-repression in the doing.

Unselfishness is the base of love that is enduring. The one who can bestow upon them, and avoiding the bestowal upon themselves of the things or pleasures that they want.

Voluntary sacrifice is the acid test of love, while first evidence wrongly called love, measured only by what one receives to satsfy selfishness.

If he is 20, they call it the spirit of adventure; if he is 40, they call it a quest for a profit.

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT Send your name and address plainly Moines, Iows, and receive in return a trial package containing CHAMBER-LAIN'S COUGH REMEDY for coughs colds, croup, bronchisl, "flu" and whoop-ing coughs, and tickling throat; CHAM-BERLAIN'S TABLETS for stomach oubles, indigestion, gassy pains that owd the heart, billiousness and consti-tion; CHAMBERLAIN'S SALVE, ded in average family in every family for burns, scalds, s, piles and skin affections; these family medicines for only 5 cents.

### **FUTURE DATES**

May 24, Saturday—Yeomen to meet Oregon realm of Rhadamanthus.

June 10, Tuesday—Republican nation al convention meets in Cleveland.

June 14, Saturday — Annual Mariof County Sunday School picnic.

June 16 and 17, Monday and Tuesday—State convention of Order of DeMolay.

## BONUS OVER VETO (Continued from page 1)

concerning the effect bonus payperations of the government. The 000,000 to \$4,000,000,000, trensestimate. The only cash provided for is \$50 to each service man not entitled to more than that in adjusted service credit. Others would receive a paid up 20 year

The cost for the next fiscal year when it is figured the cash payments will be made has been estimated at \$150,000,000 which proponents of the law say can be taken care of and taxes reduced at the same time. After the next decrease slightly and it is figured fiscal year the cost is expected to that an additional appropriation of \$100,000,000 will be necessary to meet the cost over the 20 years.

Machinery to put the law into operation will be set up as rapidly as is possible representatives was an casy guess what the ticket of the veterans bureau, the army, mayy and marine corps decided in conference today upon the procedure to be followed.

One form of application will be used for all services and these applications will be distributed throughout the country through the post ofices, the American Red Cross, the American Legion and other service societies.

The two things most commonly conducive to virtue are a pure heart bug and a bald head.

### BITS FOR BREAKFAST

Let's irrigate-

. . . And this has a different meanforce to pay a grudge, but it has ing from what it had in the pre-

Readers of the Slogan pages, however, on Thursday will be surprised at the amount of irrigation now being done, and to be done, know of plans, or can otherwise help the Slogan editor, please co so. Today or tomorrow. \* \* \*

a the years to come:

emporium says the more one istens the less one's astonishment that an ass spoke in Bible times. \* \* \*

Harry F. Sinclair having been cation exists with and in the indicted for contempt of the U. s. senate, some one asks, "Why pick on Harry?"

"You look like a Democrat to street in the city of Salem. ne," said a would-be wit to a Satonsorial come-back.

street yesterday that no girl is we see him tacked upon the front, ever insulted by being told that of some store doing a job for a she looks awfully kissable.

5 5 5 The Christian Scientists of Salem, not wishing to be out of style in the perennial building boom, Editor, permit me to ask, "Does are this morning starting the con- the merchant spend his money struction of a new church building. It will Greek architecture, but no "Greek of your ad we ask you to be gift" as a worthy contribution to square with yourself and your the fame of the City Beautiful,

5 5 5 There are many theories as to how it happened that some caudi- own people. They live amon; you, dates were trimmed at the Fri lay they do their utmost to satisfy primaries; but the felow who lig- your needs. They buy your goods. ures that they did not get enough votes is on safe grounds.

# **EDITORIALS** OF THE **PEOPLE**

About Trading at Home ditor Statesman: Now that election is over and

the people have expressed their individual opinions concerning the kept beautiful in cultivation and Kluxers and Anti Kluxers and fine irrigation. Walnuts are someother things of minor importance, what late in leaving out. The and we have the opportunity to again breathe a deep and full fruit on the trees but look very breath, I wish to express to you my approval of an ad, you ran in other places absolutely no grass. the Sunday Statesman of April 13, And this is where they have the entitled, "Why Throw Away Your foot and mouth disease. Where Money," and ending with "Keep your dollars at home." I wish to fine, comment on each and every line of The old GAR reunion here was that ad. It is not only full of called off on account of mouth disgolden truth in its most concrete ease, will be held in July some form, but contains a text, upon time. San Diego is booming, but which a glorious sermon could be Los Angeles is spending milions preached; they are facts each and in all the new add. Grading streets very one of them, beyond the putting in sewers, water mains, power to be refuted; they contain paving streets. I am spending 3 all the elements that go to make days here wil return to Sawtell up a greater and better commun- and stay there till about June 10th ity for all of us and a sure- har- spend a few days at Long Beach, bor of perpetual prosperity for all. some Los Angeles. Venis Ocean Abe Lincoln, in a great speech of beach, Santmonica. Go to Llano his expounded this same doctrine Coloney that was started some 10 when he said, "If we buy goods years ago by Jobe Hariman and n foreign countries, we have the the socialist colony, where Bro. E.

Send The Guesser To The Gallows EVERY LETTER GUESSED WRONG IS PUT ON THE TOP ROW OF

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bear, elk or monkey cap when an adult will try to LINES its way to freedom. It FOR EVERY knows when it is beaten and LETTER ON tinues to attempt to break THE TOP ROW A PART OF THE MANS BODY MUST BE DRAWN ON THE SCAFFOLD

The idea of this game is to see if you can hang your fellow player before he guesses the word you have in mind: . First draw a gallows such as you see in the picture, then think up a word to be guessed and put as many lines below the gallows as there are letters in your word. as "fall in," "roll call" and

The word "picture" has been taken in the diagram above. Your opponent begins to guess letters in the alphabet which he thinks might sible for Indian elephants be in the word. If he guesses a letter that is in the word, you must lo- through as many as 33 acts cate it on its proper line. If he guesses a wrong letter, you may put it in a sow above and draw a head on the gallows. Every time a wrong letter is guessed, another part of the body is added to those already to the available contract of the

If the opponent can guess all the letters in the word before he has felt that they were aggrieved and It means that we should irri- guessed enough wrong ones to allow you to draw a complete man with were justified in recalling the gate more land in the Salem dis- eyes, nose and mouth, he wins, but if you get your man completed before he guesses the word, he is hung and must be the guesser again. intelligence than human be

> goods and they have the money C. Minton set out and cultivated but If we buy our own goods, we a large pear orchard for them, not only have the goods but the some 6 or 7 years ago. My old

They have invested their all in

their homes in your city. They

are entitled to a square deal. They

deserve your partonage and sup-

port. Are you with me, Mr. Edi-

Secretary Painters Local, No.

I left Los Angeles yesterday at

3 p. m., for San Diego. At Wor-

than, Fulleston, Anahum and

chards all look fine. They are

oranges seem to have plenty of

small. Some places grass is good.

there is good feed stock looks

-J. N. GAINARD.

tor for reciprocity?

724, Salem, Oregon.

Editor Statesman:-

Yours very truly,

money." A more truthful utter- neighbors C. E. Caniff of North here. It is a good sign. If you ance could not possibly be made. Front street, Salem, are now liv-But my dear Mr. Editor, could ing it is very dry nearly everythis doctrine not be extended? where and crops are generally cut Particularly that section which short. But California is spending says, "It is a wise person who more money for improvements in spends his money where he has one month than Oregon puts out There is complaint against the primaries because there were so self all over by denouncing pro- and sell the seed and burn the seed and burn the chaff at the state flax plant, a chance to get it back." I have in one year. Sunday was Mothers the honor in a small way, to repmany candidates. We admit this hibition. He declares that col- chaff, making money both ways; resent a body of men, 95 per cent ple 1500 old comrades presented complaint would not have been lege presidents, in private, talk saving \$15 a day by burning the of whom are home owners, tax a white carnation only one with a made against the delegate sys- just as he does. What a terrible chaff in the boilers. That counts payers, interested in the growth red one. A beautiful service and vidually and collectively and all for memorial and Decoration serthings that would make for us a vices. Lodges and other civic or-The sage of a Salem tonsorial larger and better city. We wel- ders will take part. Mother's sercome all the prosperity possible vice was by the chaplain and nice for the Salem merchants, but we talk by Mrs. R. E. Wands, which are just a little doubtful, whether was fine at night a fine song seror not the same spirit of recipro- vice was rendered and next Sunday evening song service and a fine concert by the minister and aforesaid merchants. We are choirs from the city will have brought to this conclusion, charge of the meeting and expect Editor, by plain cold facts, which are in evidence upon nearly every a fine program there is from 3 to 6 funerals a day. Sometimes not mail order mechanic breezes into so many but many of the old boys lem barber. "Well, I have just town in his 1912 Henry Packard, are passing away rapidly. Weather been having a sick spell," was the deposits his 50c with the gait is fine but need fain bad for crops. keeper of the municipal camp -R. R. RYAN. ground at six thirty p. m. and San Diego, Calif. Bill Brown remarked on State at eight a. m. the next morning. May 13, 1924. Salem merchant, and when he can lingle the merchant's money in his lighting place. And now, Mr. \$45,000 where he has a chance to get it of back." And now in the language

bonds until usually it dies The Indian elephant is not one of the best original thin but has also the best memor particularly clever chime can remember as many diff things as an elephant, but out the whole number of captive el panzees, there may be only on this sort, while every Indian phant captured is capable of le Is Easily Trained The mentality of elephant best shown in the circus rine.

Edited by John M.

THE MIND OF AN INDIAN

Of all the dangerous an

ver captured when fully g

wisest. It is the only one

promptly learns that man's

is superior to brute force and

it pays to be good. A lion,

the Indian elephant is one of

ELEPHANT

whole performance of these animals depends upon the eye, and memory. It is only exceptional lion, horse or dor reaches the exhibition of but every elephant has the ma go through a military drill perform the series of antice eral kinds of marching with an error in the bunch. It is circus ring, each of which he remember and do perfectly.

In the timber camps of ern India every elephant is ed to do at least 16 things routine of work which he perform by command. In work they sometimes show

# BRUSH COLLEGE

Mrs. Page gave a party

Annie Singer gave and school party Saturday a during the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wolver Spring Valley visited Joe

speck Sunday. Prayer meeting will be Ewing, Mr. Buell will lead. Mr. and Mrs. P. Krall and

and Mrs. Ferdinand Singer Mrs. Bayer spend Sunday at Frank Shampier home in Turn Miss Hendrickson's Sun school class had a party Saturd The men of the neighborh

are working on the school grou today, May 20. The women w serve lunch at noon. All the he they can get will be appreciated.



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