

LABOR INVITED TO CHURCH SERVICES

Rev. Taylor Preparing Special Message for Labor Day Sermon Sept. 6

Rev. F. C. Taylor, pastor of the First Methodist church, has invited members of organized labor through the Salem Trades and Labor Council, to attend a special Labor Day service at the church September 6.

The letter is as follows: "Labor day on September 7, is America's formal recognition of the dignity of toil and the high honor of all who labor. The first observance of this day by holding a special Labor Day service on the Sunday preceding or September 6, for the purpose of inspiration and worship and the study of industrial questions we extend to the members of all labor unions represented in the United Labor Council a cordial invitation to attend the services on Sunday, September 6. A special sermon on 'The Question of Labor' will be delivered.

"Will you give this announcement your favorable attention and kindly forward this invitation to the secretaries of the several unions represented in your Council."

MY HUSBAND'S LOVE

which had held the beautiful supper she had brought over, while Katherine was trying to bring some semblance of order into the fumbled belongings of the family. The young trooper was standing dejectedly by the window, looking in the direction of our woodland.

"Go!" he exclaimed despondently, turning around to me. "This is what it means to be the new man. I've got to stay here until the Federal officers come and we can turn this stuff over to them. He indicated the still and the tub of mash—"while my buddy has the fun of going out and getting that man."

"Did your comrade come back here?" I asked, in surprise, for I had passed no one I did not know on the way to the village.

"When you were returning he must have been just ahead of you. I showed him where the man got out and the pillow you found, and he beat it over into the woodland. And I've got to stay here. What am I to do with this woman? She was like a wild cat before. Does she stay here?"

"Yes, but she'll give you no trouble," I asserted, confidently, and stepping close to the woman, I took her by the shoulder.

"If you are quiet and make no trouble, you can stay here," I said sternly. "If you do not mind this man I will take you back to jail."

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Japan May Build Baseball Park in Garden of Shrine

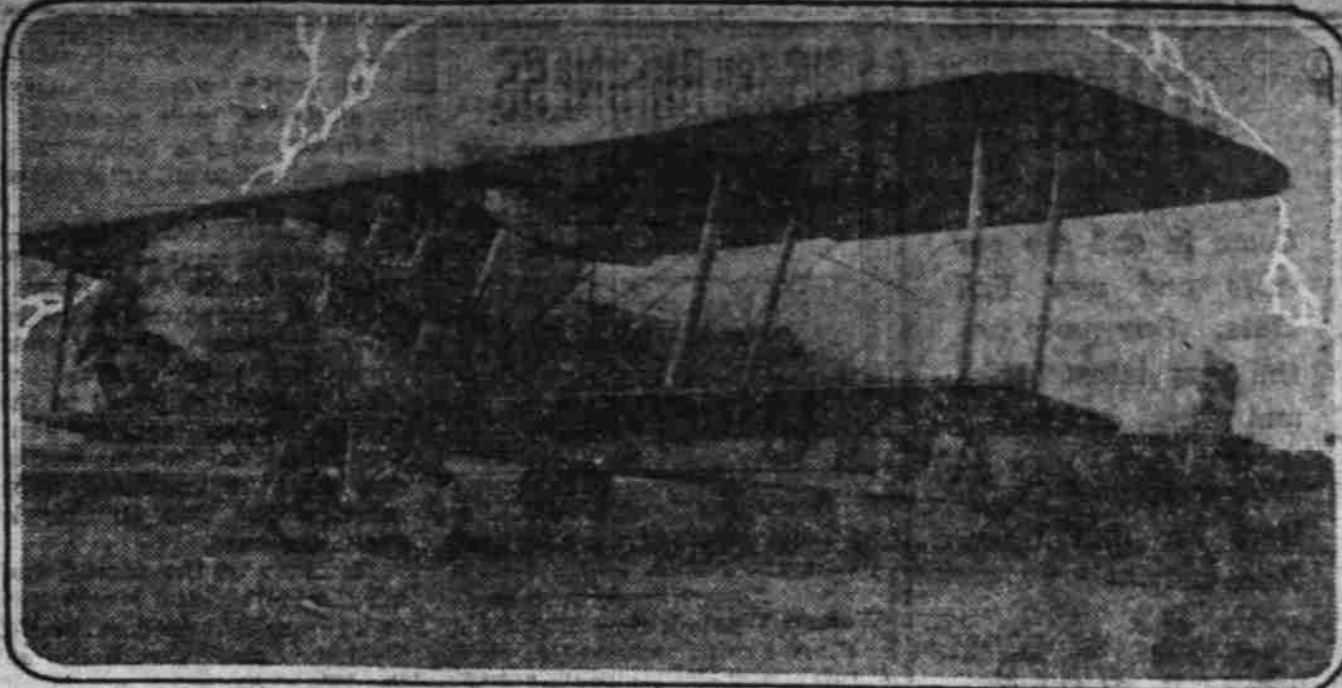
TOKYO.—The spirits of the ancient lords of Japan may be expected to hold an indignation meeting if plans promulgated by leading Japanese are carried out. The somewhat revolutionary proposal is to create, at the cost of 750,000 yen, the largest baseball park in Japan in the external garden of the famous Meiji Shrine. The promoters of the venture figure that the shrine gardens are ideal for a baseball park in that they are easily accessible to all of Tokyo.

It is reported that the association of the Meiji Shrine is interested in the plans and might be expected to contribute 400,000 yen to the work. If the baseball park idea should prove successful, it is hoped that wrestling halls, tennis courts, swimming pools and other athletic courts can be added so as to make the external grounds of the shrine one complete national playground.

Increased Sales Show Popularity of Tractors

CHICAGO.—Tractors lead farm equipment sales throughout the first half of 1925, as shown by the Research department of the national association of farm equipment manufacturers, which surveyed its officials who are heads of most of the 200-odd firms making up its membership and selling through some 21,000 dealers to the farmers.

All Metal "Foolproof" Plane Found for Air Lines



Army and navy aero experts are praising the "Yurktown," all-metal airplane of a new type developed by Count Igor Sikorsky, Russian exile. It is believed "foolproof," because it is constructed so that the pilot cannot do "stunts," and if it gets out of order, can only glide. The type has been adopted for use on the proposed Boston-Havana, Boston-St. Paul air lines. The plane is shown at Boston.

Plow and tillage tool makers

report the first half of the year ahead of 1924, and the tendency towards bigger equipment to eliminate man and horse labor is more marked than at any time in the history of the tractor's development. Oliver Chilled Plow Works reports 20 per cent. increase. One great company estimates its two-row cultivator business 50 per cent. ahead of last year.

The American Seeding Machine

company reports 33 1-3 per cent. increase over 1924 in grain drill business. The first half of 1925 has seen a 24 per cent. increase over the same period last year with Fairbanks, Morse & company on farm scales, gas engines, windmills, water supply systems and feed grinders, the reports shows.

HEAT MADE BRITONS DRY

LONDON.—The recent prolonged spell of hot weather, most unusual for England, has been responsible for an unusual consumption of lemons. In four weeks 52,500,000 of the fruit have been consumed in Great Britain. That quantity represents the imports for June and is 16,000,000 more than the usual monthly consignments from Italy.

DINNER STORIES

A private, anxious to secure leave of absence, sought his captain with a most convincing tale about a sick wife breaking her heart for his absence. The officer, familiar with the soldier's ways, replied:

"I am afraid you are not telling the truth. I have just received a letter from your wife urging me not to let you come home because you get drunk, break the furniture, and mistreat her shamefully."

The private saluted and started to leave the room. He paused at the door, asking: "Sir, may I speak to you, not as an officer, but as man to man?"

"Yes, what is it?" "Well, sir, what I'm after saying is this, approaching the captain and lowering his voice: "You and I are two of the most illustrious the Lord ever made. I'm not married at all."

The late Ollie James, Kentucky congressman and raconteur, hailed from a little town in the western part of the state, but his patriotism was state-wide, and when Louisville made a bid for a Democratic national convention she had no more enthusiastic supporter than James. A Denver supporter was protesting.

"Why, you know, Colonel," said he, "Louisville couldn't take care of the crowd. Even by putting cots in the halls, parlors, and the

dining-rooms of the hotels there wouldn't be beds enough."

"Beds!" echoed the genial congressman. "Why, sir, Louisville would make her visitors have such a thundering good time that no gentleman would think of going to bed!"

State Operations Are Profitable For Sweden

STOCKHOLM.—The Swedish treasury was enriched \$26,424,300 during the last fiscal year by the net profits of the various departments engaged in public business. This represents a net return of nearly five per cent on the capital of \$545,749,743 involved.

The net profits of the various departments follow: Postoffice, \$3,727,600, or 3.6%; telegraph and telephone, \$5,528,388, or 8.05%; state railways, \$9,754,290, or 3.6%; hydraulic power plants, \$2,880,343, or 3.53 per cent; public lands, \$1,532,681, or 1.35 per cent.

THE LAST STRAW

"Why did you break off your engagement?"

"Oh, my dear, Jack became simply impossible. He criticized the way I dressed and objected to my friends, and always wanted me at his beck and call. Then on top of all that he suddenly went off and married another girl, so I made up my mind to have nothing more to do with him."

Another Month End Three Day HALF PRICE SALE Friday, Saturday and Monday

This is our fifth Month End Half Price Sale. The other four have possibly caused more comment than any other dozen sales conducted in Salem. This is a monthly affair with us. Each one is a greater success and reaches more volume than the one just previous. We have quoted prices in our other sales, but in this one we think everyone has become accustomed to the wonderful values, so that it will not be necessary.

We are going to say that all \$10.00 shoes selected for this sale will be sold at \$5.00, all \$9.00 go at \$4.50, all \$8.00 shoes go at \$4.00, all \$7.00 shoes go at \$3.50

We will offer men's, women's, boys' and Children's shoes in all sizes and kinds; hundreds of pairs all selected from our high grade stock. It is a well known fact that we carry no cheap shoes.

Hundreds of boys' school shoes, regular \$5.00 grades go at \$2.50. You must be here one of these three days to participate in these prices, as we positively will not make these prices only on the three end days of the month.

Our Fall Opening Will Be Immediately After This Sale

25c RUBBER HEEL DAY EVERY WEDNESDAY. ALL HEELS PUT ON HALF PRICE WEDNESDAY ONLY 25c

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