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May 24, 1927 And he opened his mouth, and taught them saying, Blessed are the poor in spirit: for their's is the kingdom of heaven.—St. Matthew 5:2-3.

BUDDY POPPY DAYS

"He told me he liked poppies best, I did not understand, For roses then and violets Were blooming in the land. He told me he liked poppies best, Then one day while I stood Beside an old French roadway Near the trees of Belleau Wood, I saw a field of poppies stir, All radiant, wet with dew. I thought of him—who died for France— Oh, I like poppies, too!"

—Author Unknown.

Friday and Saturday are to be poppy days in Salem, when poppies will be sold to raise money for relief work, under the auspices of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

In government hospitals throughout the country, for months these "Buddy" poppies have been made by America's disabled ex-service men—

3,000,000 or more of the poppies.

Each flower used in the great sale throughout the country bears the "Buddy" poppy label which guarantees it as the actual handwork of disabled and needy ex-service men. The label is formally registered as the V. F. W. trademark. "Buddy" poppy is the name given to the flowers by the men themselves.

The entire proceeds of the sale are devoted to relief of the war-disabled, and to alleviate conditions of distress among ex-service men and their families occasioned by sickness or unemployment. This year's sale inaugurates a further extension in the relief program by the allotment of a portion of the proceeds of the V. F. W. national home for widows and orphans of ex-service men at Eaton Rapids, Mich.

President Coolidge annually endorses the "Buddy" poppy sale, as did the two preceding presidents. The president's endorsement for this year reads as follows:

The White House, Washington.

The annual sale of poppies under the auspices of the American Legion, the American Legion Auxiliary and the Veterans of Foreign Wars, for use on Memorial Day, has a double significance. It perpetuates and emphasizes a particularly fine symbolism, calling to mind the supreme sacrifice of those who died in the service of our country. Such symbolism cannot but have its effect in inspiring us to the sacrifices demanded of all good citizens in peace times. Furthermore, those who buy these poppies do something very real to help the disabled veterans who in making them are able to contribute to their own support.

I would commend this movement heartily, and my hope is for its continual success.

(Signed) CALVIN COOLIDGE.

A PATHFINDER OF THE AIR

Charles Lindbergh, American youth, Swedish descendant of the vikings of the deep, is the first to cross the Atlantic ocean in a non-stop flight as his own lone pilot and sole occupant of his flying machine—

A pathfinder of the air—

Uncanny in his ability to keep his course above the trackless seas and to conquer the difficulties that would have baffled a navigator of the perilous upper spaces with less unerring initiative and imagination.

America is thus given the lead in pioneering a field in which such undertakings will ere long be taken as a matter of course; a part of the every day work of the world.

Following the lead of this youthful adventurer of the upper spaces, the time will be hastened when quick dispatch between the continents will be considered as much a part of the regular things in the field of transportation as was the ox team of our pioneers, or the railroad or automobile of the present day.

All Salem knew and loved Miss Beatrice Shelton, for years one of the best known members of her musical circles. Though a constant sufferer from physical infirmities, "Bycie" Shelton became an organist and a teacher of pronounced ability. She was devoted to her calling and to her pupils, giving every ounce of her strength to the work she loved and for her faithfulness in which she was loved by a generation of pupils and music lovers, as well as for her fine qualities of head and heart. Another death has brought a feeling of deep sympathy to all the old residents of Salem, as well as to many new ones, that of Mrs. Cooke Patton. The writer feels that thousands of people in this city and section would be glad to be included in this expression of sympathy to the members of the bereaved families.

Bits For Breakfast

Congratulate Silverton— People of the Lindbergh strain are numerous out that way. And substantial people, too. Local news item of yesterday read: "A burglar who entered the home of D. A. Larner, 906 North Front street, Sunday night is going to have the time of his life, at least until the Elsinore theater revises its pass list. Among the articles taken from the Larner home was a pass to the Elsinore theater, also \$5 in money and a nurse." B. E. McIntyre, manager of the Elsinore, says the burglar

may not have difficulty in getting through on the pass; but he may run up against obstacles if he attempts to bring the nurse.

The Editor of an exchange says: "We respected our parents, and doubtless the younger generation would respect them if they were alive."

The worst kind of vandalism is the wanton destruction of fruit, nut, or ornamental trees set out in the parkings to beautify the residence districts of the city. Reports of such acts of rowdiness on the part of thoughtless young people are coming to this office. Parents should warn their children against the destruction or damage to any kind of property. There is a severe penalty for such wanton destruction of other people's property.

LIVING and LOVING BY FLORENCE SMITH VINCENT

STICK TO YOUR JOB By Virginia Lee There are so many marriage boats rocking—ready to capsize if the waves do not calm or the voyagers lose their heads and fail to guide their craft skillfully among the breakers. Obligations must be met in spite of storms. Isn't it cowardly to desert the ship when there is a chance to pull through and you have undertaken the voyage "for better or worse?"

The same mail brought two letters from separate households, one from a disillusioned wife and the other from a disheartened husband. Here they are. Have you any better solution for their problems than suggested here? "Dear Madam: I was so happy in the prospect of marrying and having a home of my own with a loving husband and dear children. I have the home and children, but my husband is such a disappointment and grows worse as the years go on. We are not companions at all. When he comes home from work he eats his supper, dozes over his paper, snaps at the children if they disturb him, and goes to bed. I had pictured myself the helpmate of a live wire, but my husband seems to have lost all ambition and is mentally dead. Shall I leave him and try to make a living for my children? Sometimes it seems as if I just hate that big hulk of a man and must get away from him, cost what it may. "MRS. H."

And here is the man's with practically the same plaint:

"Dear Madam: I am a married man with three children. I am successful in business and am intensely interested in my work. My wife is a good housekeeper as far as cooking and keeping things in order is concerned, but has let herself get mentally lazy. She does not seem to be interested in anything but gossip about the neighbors and cooking recipes. I try to talk and read to her, but she yawns and goes to sleep while I am reading or telling her about my work. In the office where I work is a woman about my wife's age. She is so alert and interesting that the contrast is painful. We could go so far together as husband and wife and be such good pals, but I don't dare see too much of her for both our sakes. What can I do? Should I tell my wife I don't love her any more and ask her to get a divorce? I would want to support her and the children, of course. I get desperate at times. "MR. B."

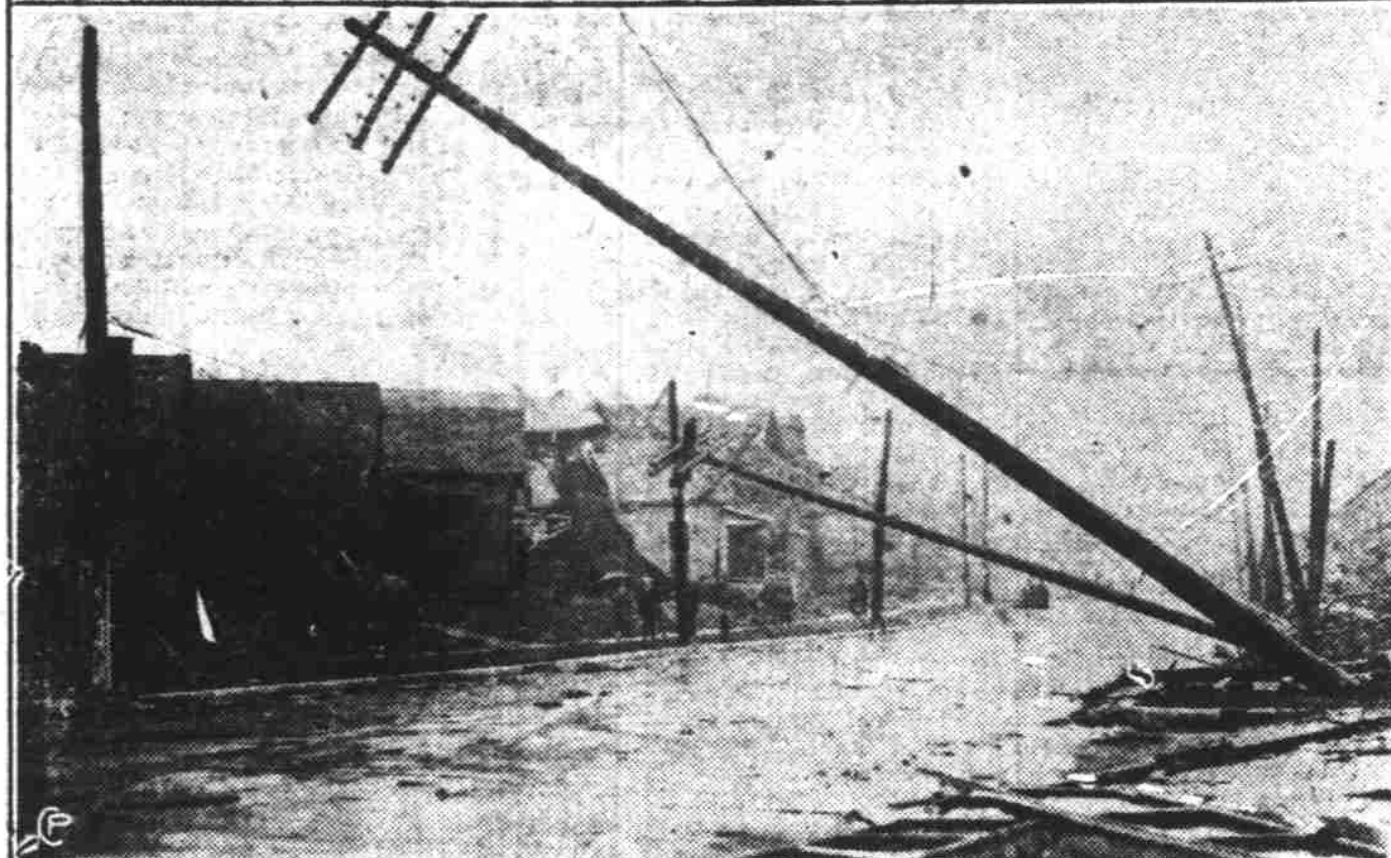
My answer to both must be: Keep your balance and stick to your jobs. If there were no children you might contemplate divorce or at least temporary separation, but the children come first. They are more important to the world than you and your happiness, and you owe it to them to maintain a home with both their mother and father, even if you are not the companions you hoped to be.

You married for better or for

Fielder's Choice

Miss Corinne Moore of Ada, Okla., will become Mrs. Paul Wanser, wife of the Pittsburgh Pirates' star rightfielder, in June. Wanser has been the sensation of the National League since he was purchased from San Francisco in the Coast League.

STORM HAVOC IN SECTION OF INDIANAPOLIS



Scenes of havoc wrought by windstorm in a residential part of Indianapolis, Ind.

worse, didn't you? Why be quitters because it happens to be worse? Things may change before long and you may yet find companionship with your lawful mates. Keep your mind alert Mrs. H., make companions of your children and when they are able to care for themselves you may be able to live your own life. Perhaps by that time you will have changed your mind.

And Mr. B., if the woman with whom you work is the kind of woman you think she is, won't she admire you more if you shoulder your burdens—no whining about being "misunderstood," but standing firmly by your first choice of a wife, at least until the little ones are grown.

I am sure you both will find more real happiness in following the course I have laid out than in giving way to your feelings and children who are in no way responsible for your unhappiness.

ENGLEWOOD WINS

The Englewood school baseball team defeated the Richmond school team Monday, 12 to 7 in a hard fought game.

STIMSON MAKES REPORT

WASHINGTON, May 23.—(AP)—A report on his mission to effect peace in war-torn Nicaragua was given to President Coolidge today by Henry L. Stimson, the executive's personal envoy. Orally he recounted to the pres-

FINAL NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given, that the final account of Clara M. Steusloff, John W. Luckner, Jr., and Elmer M. McKee, as executors of the estate of Frederick W. Steusloff, deceased, has been filed in the county court of Marion county, State of Oregon, and that the 25th day of May, 1927, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. has been duly appointed by such court for the hearing of objections to such final account and the settlement thereof, at which time any person interested in such estate may appear and file objections thereto in writing and contest the same.

Dated this 26th day of April, 1927.

CLARA M. STEUSLOFF, JOHN W. LUCKNER, JR., ELMER M. MCKEE, Executors of the Estate of Frederick W. Steusloff, Deceased.

Jas. G. McKittrick, Attorney for Estate, Salem, Oregon.

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PROPOSAL FOR SUPPLIES

Sealed bids will be received on June 10, 1927, at 2 p. m. for furnishing to the various state institutions, supplies consisting of drygoods, clothing, furnishings, groceries, shoes, hardware, brooms, drugs, stationery, crockery, plumbing, etc. for the semi-annual period ending December 31, 1927. Specifications and schedules will be furnished upon application to the secretary at Salem, Oregon, also from the trade and commercial bureau of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, or from the Oregon Manufacturers' Association; both located in the Oregon Building, Portland, Oregon.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check representing 10 per cent of the whole amount bid, payable to the Oregon State Board of Control, or where the 10 per cent amounts to \$500 or more, a surety bond from some company authorized to do business in Oregon will be accepted in place of the check. The same shall be held as a guaranty of the faithful performance of the contract. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

CARLE ABRAMS, Secretary, Oregon State Board of Control.

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DINNER STORIES

A Serious Drawback "Do you know that Clementine is two-thirds married?" "How's that?" "She is willing, the preacher is willing, but Geoffrey is not."

Only a Few Left "I have a rare old victrola. It was once in the possession of George Washington."

"But there were no such things as victrolas in Washington's time."

"I know. That's what makes it so rare."

A Good Veteran War Story

The old campaigner was relating his experiences during the late war. A fussy old lady was one of his listeners.

"One night just as we wuz pulling into Wipers—"

"Ypres," corrected the old lady. "We was about a mile from Wipers—"

"Ypres," said his listener patiently.

"When an awful blast shook the whole of Wipers."

"Ypres," put in the old lady. The soldier gazed at her for a minute and then remarked: "Listen here, lady, you ought to take something for them hiccups of your'n."

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