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There came then His brethren and His mother, and standing without sent unto Him, calling Him. And he said unto them: Behold, thy mother and thy brethren without seek for thee. Mark 3:31-32.

ALBANY TO PAY FOR SLOGAN CAMPAIGN

"P. A. Young, banker of Albany, is registered at the Hotel Portland. A number of concerns and individuals have launched a program to 'sell' Albany to its own residents. This is to be carried out in a series of display advertisements, each one of which will deal with some resource of Linn county, and the whole series will be a comprehensive review of the reasons why Albany is a good place in which to live."

The above paragraph is from the hotel news column of the Oregonian of a couple of days ago.

This means that the people of Albany are to pay for a slogan campaign in the newspapers of that city.

For Salem and the Salem district, The Statesman has for a long time, as every reader knows, carried on such a campaign as a regular news feature of the paper.

Within a few weeks, the Slogan campaign of The Statesman will enter its tenth year.

As to the benefits of such a campaign, the writer will leave the decision to the people of this city and section.

Part of the answer is the fact that the Salem district is more highly developed in the industries on the land that make for a balanced prosperity than any other part of Oregon.

And Salem is having the fastest and solidest growth of any city on this coast of like size.

And there is a long way yet to go in this development and this growth.

Make this 100 per cent; "sell" Salem and the Salem district to all of our people, and this will be the most prosperous section and of the whole green earth, and Salem will be the solidest city of its size in the world. And its size will soon double, and keep on doubling indefinitely.

DEMOCRAT REPUDIATES SMITH

(Mrs. Alexander Thompson, now of Portland, former Democratic national committeewoman for Oregon and former member of the Oregon legislature, under date of July 3, writes the following communication to the Oregonian:)

Along with my good friend, James H. Hazlett, I wish to be recorded as another Democrat who will support Herbert Hoover for the Presidency.

I consider that the nomination of Al Smith is the gravest mistake the Democrats ever made, and that his election would be nothing short of a calamity.

He is a product of Tammany hall, nurtured from his youth in its doctrines, trained and shaped by its nefarious policies, and obeying its mandates. And Tammany is the oldest, most efficiently organized and most corrupt political group in America today. Graft and corruption have always flourished under its rule, "gin and gizzel" have been its watch words. It is a cancer on the body politic, a stench in the nostrils of the decent element in the Democratic party, a barnacle from which it has repeatedly tried to free itself, and a liability for which it has always had to apologize.

It is a significant fact that the only Democratic presidents we have had since the Civil War were both elected because they openly defied Tammany and all it stood for, and spurned its vote in the conventions.

Tammany has always been a stumbling block to the progress of the Democratic party, for by its alliance with the corrupt bosses in Indiana and Illinois it has engaged in underhand practices that have been a disgrace to the country. It has never had the interest of the party at heart, but has cared only for hoodlums and hoodlows. It is not Democratic. It is "neither fish nor fowl, nor good nor herring."

Oh! shades of Jackson, and Jefferson, and Wilson! That such a lawless, depraved, contaminated crew should ride into power in voting your names and your deeds in their behalf as they did last week at Houston!

It is fitting to the memory of party founders and party leaders who have stood for high ideals and high principles.

When a political party so far departs from its principles and ideals as to find no better material for a nominee than a man who is a symbol of its worst element, it is time for all good men and women to repudiate that party.

Fortunately this is easy to do this year, for the Republicans have offered us in their nominee, Herbert Hoover, the outstanding man in their party, a man of gentle breeding, pleasing personality, sterling character, brilliant attainments, broad vision and superb statesmanship.

Between the two candidates there is no comparison as to their fitness for the office.

I am proud to support Herbert Hoover because he has every requirement for the high position to be filled. He has the cultural background that is necessary at this time for the head of a great nation like ours. His ability as an organizer and business executive has been proved. His accomplishments stand in the written record of his splendid patriotism during the world war, and the warm place which he won in the hearts of the American people for his service.

From humble beginnings, by his own efforts he came to a position of world-wide prominence in his chosen profession before this; and following it, his membership in the president's cabinet and the discharge of the responsible duties of this office, but added to his already world-wide fame and experience.

When the votes are counted in November there will be added to the normal Republican majority the votes of thousands of clean-minded Democrats all over this country who place honor and integrity and patriotism and principle above mere party loyalty.

The National Industrial conference board has just announced that in 1925 Oregon stood fifth among the states of the Union in per capita wealth. The total estimated wealth of Oregon was \$3,775,000,000, giving an average of \$4374 per person. The state of Nevada, with less than 80,000 inhabitants, had proportionately more wealth per person than any other state, the aggregate being \$565,000,000, and the per capita figure \$7299. Wyoming, another sparsely settled state like Nevada, was placed in second rank, with \$1,136,000,000 of wealth and a per capita average of \$4961. South Dakota, with a per capita of \$4900, and Iowa, with one of \$4646, were the states which the industrial conference board rated ahead of Oregon in amount of wealth per inhabitant. Nebraska, with an average of \$4185, and California, with \$4000, were the only other states in or above the \$4000 class.

DELEGATES TO TAX CONVENTION NAMED

quest of Governor Hartley of Washington, Friday announced the personnel of Oregon's delegation to the convention. Discussion of tax legislation will feature the program. Persons who will represent the state of Oregon at the convention follow: Walter A. Baird, Baker; C. L. Taljman, Corvallis; W. B. Cook, Oregon City; Charles Henry, Astoria; W. S. Roberts, St. Helens.

SOVIET SPY TAKEN BY RUMANIAN COPS

Deep Laid Plot Unearthed to Return Province to Russian Rule

KISHINEV, Rumania, July 6.—(AP)—How a woman, posing as a Russian monarchist, betrayed to the Soviet her friends and acquaintances, was revealed in what police tonight said was a confession from Madame Kollantay. She was the landlady of Wacstren, the Soviet agent who was sought after the murder July 2 of Ivan Jacobovitch, editor of a monarchist newspaper, and himself a "double dealer."

Bits For Breakfast

Salem is a real city—For proof of which note that thousands attended the band concert last night the chautauqua tent was full, and all the theaters had crowded houses. And many hundreds of Salem people are at the coast and mountain resorts and on trips over the Fourth of July period.

One of the most worthy manufacturing plants in the Salem section is the Aurora pickle factory. It is getting into full swing, and the output is going over big, as it should, being first class.

That factory is working 25 people now, and will increase the force with the harvest season.

Every doctor in town is the best doctor for somebody. The deepest faith is invariably put into things that nobody fully understands.

To get the most out of life, set a limit to your desires and then keep them there.

It is just as religious to take care of your health as to take care of your morals.

Silliness in a pretty girl is allowable, but it always makes a homely girl homelier.

There are plenty of people who seem to do their greatest pleasure in doing things they know are wrong.

AL SMITH ATTENDS FRIEND'S FUNERAL

Bourbon Goes to Maryland, Honoring Prominent GMC Official

ALBANY, July 6.—(AP)—Governor Alfred E. Smith, Democratic presidential nominee, left today for Centerville, Md., to attend the funeral tomorrow of the son of John J. Raabok, the governor's friend and an official of the General Motors corporation, who was killed in an automobile accident.

The governor traveled in the private car of William F. Kenny. With him was Mrs. Smith and it was expected they would be met at a point near New York by Mr. Kenny and James F. Rordan, who also planned to attend the funeral services.

The governor expected to be back at the mansion tomorrow night to remain until Tuesday when he goes to Bear Mountain park to address the Boy Scout encampment. From Bear Mountain he plans to go to New York for the meeting of the national committee. Preparations for the formal notification ceremonies assumed form when it was announced that Senator Key Pittman, chairman of the committee, notification committee named at Houston would arrive here tomorrow night to remain over the week end.

Governor Smith also made it plain that the ceremony is to be held in Albany, by saying: "I live in Albany and where else could it be held?"

LINN TO GET NEW ROAD

Bid Let for Three Mile Stretch of Santiam Highway

PORTLAND, July 6.—(AP)—Bid of R. M. Shafer was the lowest of seven submitted today to the United States bureau of public roads for grading the Cascadian Ranger Station section of the Santiam highway in Linn county. For the three mile stretch Shafer's proposal was \$26,947. This grading job will complete the highway from Albany to Ranger Station.

ON RETURN TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. T. Tutthill, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Park, leave this morning at 10 o'clock for their home in San Jose, Cal. The Tutthills were former Salinas and are interested in the religious, social and business activities of the city. There is always waiting them a cordial welcome by a large group of friends.

NEA CLOSING CONVENTION

Atlanta, Georgia, Picked For Meeting Place In 1929

MINNEAPOLIS, July 6.—(AP)—The national education association will hold its 1929 convention in Atlanta, Ga., it was decided at the closing session of the annual meeting today in St. Louis, Columbia, Mo. The association was re-elected to the executive committee and Joseph Saunders, Newport News, Va., was made a member of the board of trustees. The association voted to continue efforts in behalf of a federal department of education, with a secretary in the president's cabinet, and called upon its members to continue their campaign against illiteracy.

The association in its platform endorsed sound retirement and tense systems and took a firm stand for academic freedom. It urged "more genuine freedom for the teacher, freedom in mind and spirit to achieve and create and to take pride in the art of teaching."

Everybody makes mistakes. But the newspaper man is about the only one who makes them where everybody can see them.—Scappoose Register.

Fast Time Made in Dashes Eastern Olympic Tryouts

HARVARD STADIUM, Cambridge, Mass., July 6.—(AP)—Claude Bracey, crack sprinter from Rice Institute, Texas, and Frank Wykoff, sensational youngster from Glendale, Cal., furnished the sensations of the 100 meter Olympic trials today when each equalled the Olympic record of 10 3-5 seconds for the second straight time.

HARVARD STADIUM, Cambridge, Mass., July 6.—(AP)—George Simpson, flashy Ohio State sprinter, signaled the start of the final American Olympic track and field tryouts today by equaling the Olympic record of 10 3-5 seconds for the 100 meters dash, on a soggy track.

Simpson was off like a scared jack rabbit in the first heat of the 100, but he had to withstand a fine closing challenge by the Toledo high school boy, Don Bennett, to win by a yard. Bennett beat out Frank Hussey, of New York, former national champion, for second place. Hussey was being pressed to gain the qualifying place in a tussle with Wolfgang.

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COOLIDGE APPOINTS BOULDER DAM BODY

Two Geologists and Three Engineers Named to Study Problem

WASHINGTON, July 6.—(AP)—Three engineers and two geologists were named today by Secretary Work, with the approval of President Coolidge, as members of a commission authorized by the present congress to study the feasibility of construction of a dam by the government on the Colorado canyon. They are:

Major General William L. Sibert, of Bowling Green, Ky. Daniel Webster Mead, of Madison, Wis. Robert Ridgeway, of New York. Charles P. Berkey, of New York. Warren J. Mead, of Madison, Wis.

The commission is to examine the proposed sites of the dam, review the plans and estimates and advise the secretary of the interior by Dec. 1, 1928, as to matters affecting the safety, the economic and engineering feasibility and the adequacy of the proposed structure and incidental works.

The five commissioners were selected from several score engineers and geologists during a conference held at the White House and Secretary Work early this week at Brule, Wis.

General Sibert retired from the army in 1920 after a long and distinguished service. He constructed the Gatun lock and dam at the Panama canal and the breakwater at Colon harbor. He commanded a division in France during the world war and returned to America to organize the chemical warfare service.

Daniel Webster Mead is a veteran engineer and an authority on hydraulic engineering and water power, being a professor of those subjects at the University of Wisconsin.

Ridgeway has been chief engineer for the New York subway and engineer for the transit commission and the board of transportation for New York, in addition to being the engineer for the Catskill aqueduct.

Berkey has been professor of geology at Columbia university since 1902, in addition to being geologist for the New York state board of water supply on the Catskill aqueduct. He was geologist on the third Asiatic expedition of the American Museum of Natural History.

Warren J. Mead is a geologist at the University of Wisconsin.

ITALIA'S MAROONED MEN BEING TAKEN TO SAFETY

ROME, July 6.—(AP)—The regular night report from the Citta di Milano at Spitzbergen confirms the rescue of Lieut. Lundborg by a fellow Swedish aviator today.

The message adds that the position of the five survivors of General Umberto Nobile's polar expedition has not changed in the past 24 hours. The Russian ice breaker Krassin is making slow progress towards the castaways and today was 17 miles north of Cape Platen and approximately 50 miles from the camp on the ice floe.

Captain Ravazzoni continued his search of the waters and islands off the Norway coast for traces of Ronald Amundsen. He landed and questioned fishermen concerning the report that a fishing vessel had discovered Amundsen's body. He found no one, however, who knew anything about the reputed discovery.

Some boys boys have letters and pipes and pins, and some didn't get a thing out of college except in education.—Klamath News.

PRESIDENT TO TALK AT UNVEILING FETE

Coolidge Indicates He Will Accept Invitation for July 29

SUPERIOR, Wis., July 6.—(AP)—President Coolidge looks with favor upon an invitation extended to him today here to speak at the unveiling of a monument on July 29 in Cannon Falls, Minn., commemorating the part played in the battle of Gettysburg by Colonel William Colville, at the head of the first Minnesota volunteer infantry.

Governor Christianson of Minnesota headed the inviting delegation, which included Representatives Andresen, Knutson, Goodwin, Newton and Maas, all of Minnesota. The invitation was taken under advisement pending definite acceptance.

Mr. Coolidge, however, will not make an extended address at Cannon Falls, planning at most 10 minute speech. He feels that on his vacation he cannot be expected to engage in lengthy addresses.

Representative Walter H. Newton, after the delegation of which he was a member, called on Mr. Coolidge and he had agreed to become head of the republican speakers' bureau in the forthcoming campaign. He said he did not expect Mr. Coolidge to take any aggressive part in the campaign, but he was a member of the party last to Chairman Work of the national republican committee, would probably be exerted in an unobtrusive manner.

Representative Newton said that he expected, as head of the republican speakers' bureau, to take the stump for the Hoover cause. He also contemplated inducing all cabinet officers to deliver numerous speeches in the course of the campaign. Newton said that his offices would be located in Chicago and added that he thought that city would have been ideally suited for national republican headquarters. The Minnesota representative held that Chicago was closer to the heart of the country than Washington and was in easier contact with national sentiment. Easy telephonic communication could have been established with the capital, he said.

Governor Christianson, after his call on Mr. Coolidge, predicted that Secretary Hoover would carry Minnesota in the November elections and that Senator Henrik Shipstead, seeking re-election on a farmer-labor platform, would be defeated by A. E. Nelson, of St. Paul, regular republican candidate.

Home building activities touch at the very foundations of civic responsibility. The family that owns its own home is a better group of citizens, because it takes pride in the development and in the appearance of its community.—Albany Democrat-Herald.

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don Draper of Southern California and others. The Texas ace, Claude Bracey from Rice Institute, pounded down the straightaway to win the second Olympic record of 10 3-5 seconds. Bracey was not extended and won in fine style three yards in the front of the erstwhile "Flying Cop," Bob McAllister of New York with Aubrey Cockrell, another Texas product, a yard and a half behind McAllister.

An upset marked the shot put trials when Herman Brit, University of Washington star, heaved the 16 pound ball a distance of 59 feet, three and one quarter inches to beat the famous trio from the Pacific coast, Krenz, Kuck and Rothert, as well as Herb Schwars, the Wisconsin giant and fifth qualifier for the finals tomorrow.

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