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The Little of Marker Beiler, Builder





if low interest, savings bank and building and loan association investments. We are confident enough money is be- no sign shall be given." How dis- none of my business. ing saved right here in Salem to supply even now all the leg- | turbing this must have been to the itimate demand for loans for constructing new homes, but the savings are scattered all over the country. That of course is the individual's privilege; but we do not know where a person could go to find safer investment than in the homes of Salem and the farms of Marion county on the basis of current values.

endorse

We do not look for much general benefit from the home loan bill, but what there is ought to be of some benefit to the lumber industry which is flat on its back with its tongue hanging out. Our hope is that industry, which has within itself abundant resources for self-recovery, will hit its stride before many months, and make this new government machine unnecessary.

Board Continues to Crawl

CATURDAY'S paper has a dispatch from Portland quot-D ing members of the state board of higher education to the effect that it was "not certain" that a chancellor will be elected Sept. 12th.

That indeed is the most prominent characteristic of the state board. It is "not certain". It has never been certain. It has run now for over three years on a program of continuing uncertainty and vacillation until the people are thoroughly disgusted and higher education is in a state of flux.

This is illustrated again in the quotation from C. C. Colt:

"In fairness to Dr. W. J. Kerr, I wish to say that he has not been eliminated from the list of candidates because his name has never been presented to the board as a candidate."

So then the be it may change its mind again after definitely deciding to _ east for a chancellor? More uncertainty. Charting the course of the state board of higher education, either past or prospective is like making a graph of the must forge their own religious movements of a flea.

The naivete of Mr. Colt's interview is indeed engaging. From his remarks one would infer the board had never heard of Dr. Kerr,-that his name had not been considered, that if mentioned it was only a casual reference, that the board did not go into a huddle for hours over electing him, that it did not deadlock after days of conferences, and that the news faith. reports of the four-four split with Charlie Starr on the fence are vagaries of reporters.

How, may we inquire is a man's name presented to the board as a candidate? Is it necessary to initiate petitions and hire shovers at ten cents a name and store the petitions in bank vaults pending a board meeting? How was Doctor Zook's name presented as a candidate? And how about all the others whose names the board zealously safeguards lest they feel the snub of second-choice? The board seems quite sensitive of the feelings of other "candidates"; but seems to think after snooping around all over the country it can come back and hire Dr. Kerr if it wants to. The board would make a doormat of Dr. Kerr while it fumbles for the keyhole in the dark.

This back-crawl of the board comes too late. Even if it elects Dr. Kerr and he accepts, the board has sinned away its day of grace. The scandal it has made of higher education in Oregon cries for exposure and relief. Bruised and bleeding institutions, wrecked morale, a formidable threat to overturn institutions long established are monuments to the board's blunders and UNCERTAINTY. If the governor does not act, the next legislature should; and the growing tide of resentment indicates that it will. The people may not wait that long.

DeGrace Disgraced NOTHER victory in the war-against financial pirates A is gained in the conviction of C. A. DeGrace on a charge of unlawfully devising a scheme to defraud in the sale of securities. DeGrace was one of the group that rigged the Prudential set-up of bancorporation and savings and loan associations. The bancorporation is busted and some of the as-

And Jesus sense of curiosity which giv replied "Ye seek for a sign, and rise to the query, the matter is

wistful questioners; for them, no Prohibition in Iowa, back in sign, and so they went to their the eighties, resulted in the eleograves unbelieving or doubting. tion of a democratic governor. Men and women today seek for Will the nation react similarly in signs; they are clamorous for the present situation? Do your

some simple formula which may own guessing. introduce them to heaven. They

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want the confidence that makes Rule No. 13 from the traveling effort unnecessary; that they may man's handbook: do not attempt bask in calm contentment. Though to get orders or make collections may have the same textbook on a Monday morning. The preof religion sects read it differently ceding day having been the day and derive from it commands of of rest, the average business man almost infinite variety. Some say is very weary and in a low state the bible commands to wear no of spirits not conducive to the buttons, but to use hooks and eyes; others read the bible and giving out of orders or the paythink it a sin to use drugs for ing out of money.

healing; some read it and find in it proof that the day of worship To what extent is it possible is Saturday, while others convince for an individual to economize themselves that Sunday is the day | and still retain his identity and to be observed. This the bible, essential character? Perhaps we the very textbook of a great shall ere long find the answer to group, does not supply identical this by unavoidable experience .-certainties to those who esteem it Excerpt from a book entitled Libtle Rays of Sunshine. Lowell was quite correct when

he wrote: "Heaven is not gained I note a picture of Judge Peter in a single bound." Arriving at D'Arcy in recent Portland newsone's credo in this day of compapers. Judge D'Arcy's face is alplex interests and dislocated valmost as well known in the Pacific ues is not a simple task. Science northwest as is that of Mayor has brought disillusionment; phil-George Baker of Portland. osophy brings bafflement; the

outlook of life brings discourage--"Roosevelt" is the correct proment. Though many say "Lo, nunciation, according to an easthere" and "Lo, there," the cry of ern newspaper

discovery no longer rings with the

clear note of assurance as once it I hear of a man who bought a No, the mind and heart hundred dollar article in an Oregon store (O well, if you want to credo, must forge it out of the be fussy, the price of the article confusion which everywhere was only ninety-six fifty, reduced abounds; and having formulated from a hundred) and paid cash. this credo must still be aware of Later, owing to unavoidable circhanging thought in the age of cumstances, he returned the arcontinuing change. Not one ticle and requested that the monbound, but many bounds bring one ey be repaid to him. The dealer to the calm haven of a working repaid the money. He laughingly assured the man that it was per-The same rule applies in all fectly all right. Hysterics, probother fields of human interests.

Today men go about as wildly in

the fields of business as chickens Conditions are getting back to with heads cut-off. Some rush toan old time normal basis. A 12ward socialism; others toward year-old boy tells me he had a communism; others toward dictaswell celebration July Fourth may be spared the making of extorship; others toward political and it cost him only 19 cents. changes. And everyone is asking, (He had only 19 cents, Had he why don't they do something possessed a greater amount, say Alas, there is no simple way of 27 cents, he would have spent 27 escape. Prosperity will not return by writing a new law, or cents.)

making a shift in a business sys-Sometimes the four faces of tem. Economics is not so simple he court house clock vary slightas that; but the product of a multitude of forces of constantly varyly one from another. Thus does a ing intensities. Good times will wise providence prevent quarrelnot come "by a single bound." ing between old gentlemen who have little to do but set their The challenge is a part of life. watches and who derive much revealed religion that requires no effort to accept or to follow pleasure from uncovering, by comparison, discrepancies in the would have only a lazy, flabby constituency. There is no such watches of other old gentlemen. thing as an endowment of money

which would relieve every one of One by one signs of trouble increase. Cigar dealers in Salem reeffort, or an endowment of religious truth which calls for no port an astonishing demand for mental or spiritual effort on the the species of cigars known as part of succeeding generations. "twofers."

The heritage of mankind is labor, -for a living, for a religion, for Announcement of the tempora social and political order. Labor ary closing of the Elsinore theof mind and body is man's herit- atre August 1 has resulted in a age,-and his blessing. somewhat dismal chorus of ohs

all were employed to deter Jim Mott and the department from putting him before the bar of justice. The attempts failed, and now DeGrace stands convicted, another object lesson that breach of trust in custodianship of money brings

patiently in the tip of the needle means as simple as he had believed; would have to be one hundred per of the Chrysler Building. There, in it was a grave and ghastly prob- cent correct. Then we shall have the rooms of the Cloud Club, we lem, that seemed every moment to to show that even though he had had made our luncheon rendezvous. become more perplexingly en- the bathrobe in his hands, he had To me, the Cloud Club quarters are | tangled. among the supreme disappoint-

Cyrus Shepard, called:

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"The case against Vincent Rowments of present New York life. Here is a retreat in the sky, a place at every turn," he commented, after where one may dine and loaf among Colt had told him of our recent visit the clouds. From the club windows to the apartment. "It seems to me one might glimpse the most romantic spectacles of the great American metropolis-if one were permitted. But no-there is a registration desk in front of the very murred.

best window, and other obstacles "I am not at all sure that is our apparently wherever it was possible wisest course," he objected. "I know

BITS for BREAKFAST

By R. J. HENDRICKS-

Dougherty was awaiting us im- erty knew that the case was by no most vital phases on which we also the opportunity to secrete the

scorpion there. To me that is one land seems to be more convincing Consider for yourself, Dougherty -Vincent Rowland had that bathrobe in his hands, before he and our next step is to face him with Mayfair. Right? Do you believe, then, that he put the scorpion in

But to this Thatcher Colt de the bathrobe at that early hour? If so, why did no one notice?

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the good news of salvation by Christ. How short-sighted w mortals are! We know not what may prosper, whether this or that. Why am I not more passive in God's hands, and willing to be

In a rare little book on the life ing, and the direction. Shepard accepted joyously the invitation of Cyrus Shepard, written by to go to the wilds of Oregon. Rev. Z. A. Mudge, published in ~ ~ ~ That was in November, '33.

April 30, 1884, the Lees and Shepard were on the way across the then all but trackless plains, starting from Independence, Mo., in which vicinity they had secured as lay members of their mission P. L. Edwards and C. M. Walker. Shepard felt the call in many ways on the long journey. The party was at Fort Vancougon, guided on his way, placed to ver Sept. 15, and the four other meet the persons and be in the members had commenced, Oct. 6, places where his work might be building the first log house at the old mission 10 miles below the site of Salem, leaving Shepard, The little book tells of his birth while recuperating his broken health, at the fort, engaged to teach the school there. Writing from Fort Vancouver, December 23, 1834, Cyrus Shepard said: **```**

Methodist church and a teacher * * *

Exceptionally devout, he felt a all to do larger work for humanity; hoped to be sent to Africa as a missionary teacher. Telling a friend of a dream he have two young men and eight dreamed of being actually on the way in a ship to the African field,

boys in the evening. "Besides these, I have been his name was proposed by the teaching three Japanese, named friend for that service. But he E-wa-ketch, Ke-o-chi-cha, and was denied that opportunity. He O-too, who were wrecked on the had been fand of fine clothes, coast, some time last sesson, and personal display. He felt called to taken by the Indians, and held suppress this pride, and dressed in slavery until released by the shabbily, in a sort of penace, so humanity of Governor McLoughmuch so that many who noticed lin, and brought to this place. this remarked upon it, even when They have new sailed for Enghe was at the old Oregon mission. land, from which they are to re-5 5 5

direction, after feeling the call to studious and docile, and learned to repeat the Lord's Prayer and

some other portions of the Scriptures. God, who delights to work by small instrumentalities, to attain the most astonishing ends for the good of the world, thereby shaming the unbelief of his people, may, by these poor chil-dren, carry the gospel to their neglected countrymen. I think J

"Life would be a perpetual fles meeting on a crowded

"I have heard that name before: I must see him." Thus the meetled by him?" ~ ~ ~

Lieutenant Wilkes, in his "Ezploring Expedition," thus speaks of this incident: "It was near this point (Point Grenville) that the very remarkable occurrence of the wreck of a Japanese junk happened, in the year 1833. The officers of the Hudson's Bay company became acquainted with this disaster in a singular manner. They received a drawing, on a piece of China paper, of three shipwrecked persons, with a junk on the rocks, and the Indians engaged in plundering. This was sufficient to induce them to make inquiries; and Captain McNell was dispatched to Cape Flattery, to make further inquiry, and to afford relief, if it should be neoessary. He had the satisfaction to find the three Japanese, whom he rescued from slavery; and the Hudson's Bay company, with characteristic liberality, sent them to England. Thence they "My daily employment, at prestook passage to China, where, I ent, is with about 30 half-breed understand, they still remain, in youth, instructing them in the consequence of their not being sciences, and giving them such able to obtain a passage to Japreligious instruction as I hope an. As a memorial of this extramay be, by the blessing of God. ordinary incident, porcelain, ef a lasting benefit to their souls In addition to the day school, I Japanese manufacture, which

was purchased of the Indians who plundered the funk, was seen in possession of Mr. Burnie, the (Continued on page 10)

New Views

The question asked yesterday by Statesman reporters was: Should the auto license moratorlum be continued after August 1; why or why not?"

M. J. Kantock, 366 Chemeketa street: "I would like to see it go through the way they started, putting it on a quarterly basis."

Grover C. Birtchet, Presbyteran minister: "I can't see where it s going to help very many people to extend it longer. What might be of more help just at this time would be the partial payment plan, but that is not feasible."

I heard a man address another 1851, only a few copies of which are in existence, one of them in as Adam one day this week, and the collection of A. N. Bush of for a moment I was guite startled, because I had somehow got Salem, several incidents are related that led Shepard and his the impression that Adam was friends to believe that he was dead. But the man turned out to called of the God of Christian be only a distant relative of the

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and ahs, and I don't know why.

It is in no way unusual for s

theatre to go dark for a time in

the summer. It is, in fact, an old

Broadway custom. And the res-

son is ever the same-lack of pat-

night, a reason has been discov-

ronage.

Adam I had in mind. peoples-Suddenly, like the bursting of Called to be a Christian, a missionary, directed to come to Orerocket in the darkness of the

ered by a Salem man for cuffs on trousers. He uses them as a receptacle for cigar ashes, and truitful. when he is again in the safety zone he dumps the ashes out.

an, is found in the mental erercise incidental to the solution of world problems. After one has solved a world problem satisfac-

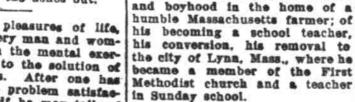
But if he does not talk of it he planations later.

banks is extraordinarily happy in the characterization of the harrassed national here whose heart yearns only for oblivion. His exploitation for commercial purposes-keen satire-makes an in-

laugh and find it more enjoyable if Lindy could be forgotten, and if the empty cradle in a certain

heck of a good job."

Daily Ihought



One of the pleasures of life. valiable to every man and wom-

terily to himself he may talk of it or not as he may be minded.

and Mary Brian in the "It's Tough to be Famous" picture, its second showing in Salem. It seems to me that young Mr. Fair-

During the week just past I have seen young Doug Fairbanks

teresting story, but one might

New Jersey home did not continually recur to mind. Gid Rimp says, "Sure, I'm hopin' for the best, all the time,

days and nights and Sundays, but I can't say I think it such a

no doubt familiar with the circumstances. Shepard's name had been mentioned to Jason Lee by a member of the Methodist missionary board at New York. But

it was only a faint memory. He see a train of providences in their James Nutter, news writer: visited Boston, had a chance history. They were cast on a for- "No. I don't think it should be er-

turn to their native land. While He waited and longed for the at school, they made rapid improvement, and were remarkably

be a missionary. Jason Lee and his nephew, Daniel, had, in 1833, been commissioned to open a mission west of the Rockies-responding to the Macedonian call of the western Indians; the sup-

posed Flatheads. The reader is

