

Charm in Plaited Skirt



There's a charm about the full plaited skirt on the slender figure. Willa Renard (right) of the Lady Billy company, shows that effect in her gown of crepe de chine, although a more practical frack of black serge is that worn by Martha Mansfield (left) of Selznick pictures.

LOCAL MINISTER USES 'THE GUIDING HAND OF GOD' AS HIS SUBJECT

Rev. Grossman of Christian Church Spoke to an Interested Congregation Sunday.

(Synopsis of sermon by W. A. Grossman, at First Christian church, Sunday evening, on the topic, "The Guiding Hand of God." The text concerned Joseph revealing himself to his brethren—"It was not you that sent me hither, but God.") (Gen. 45:7).

The message of the Bible is often put in drama form. That is, it visualizes and personifies its teaching by making its characters move before the eye. Wherese poetry describes and theology defines the fatherhood of God, Jesus dramatizes the idea in the parable of the prodigal son, which finds its climax in the wonderful father, who is a type of God. In similar way Jesus presents the brotherhood of man in the parable of the good Samaritan, which represents our neighbor as our brother whom we should help. While the philosophies theories on the problem of suffering, the book of Job presents the problem in a drama wherein the sufferer meets kindness and misfortune, and friends who darken counsel, but out of it all God speaks and Job's spirit is purified and enobled.

Joseph recognized the guiding hand of God, as he stated in the text, "It was not you that sent me hither, but God." Early circumstances pointed to failure and tragedy. Although sold as a slave and imprisoned on a false charge, yet like Paul and Milton and Lanyon and Fanny Croody, he used misfortune as a stepping stone where by he would bless the world. Ex-Governor Stubbs of Kansas, once said: "A good, hard-hitting enemy is worth more than a whole roomful of friends; for your friends never make you do anything, but a real enemy brings out what you really are." Likewise, Joseph, amid the perils of his birth,

and the treachery of Potiphar's wife revealed his upright faith and purity of heart as he responded to the guiding hand of God.

"God's hand is also shown in bettering things generally as a whole. For example, the slaughter of the Armenians is almost forgotten by way of such the soul of humanity is stirred to greater efforts to safeguard human life. Thus, out of a ruined nation the unseen hand of God is working out a better world. Better laws for individual and social welfare come largely as a result of injuries and deaths by dangerous experimentation.

The hand of God is also greater than that of man. The recently Chinese revolution that "war is hell" was treated much as a by-word and a joke. But today that idea represents every nation having Christian ideals. Even though it be another hundred years before great wars are eliminated, the idea of "peace on earth and good will toward men" is gaining supremacy. By way of international law, and even by war itself, the world is coming to see that lack of God through it all the guiding hand of God is lifting nations to nobler ideals and to a more brotherly fellowship.

PRESIDENT MILLERAND PRAISES RED CROSS OFFICIAL FOR EUROPE

King Albert of Belgium Attends an Exhibition of Social Welfare Work at Lille Today.

LILLE, France, May 13.—(A. P.)—With Germany still disclaiming responsibility for the war there is no other course than to deal with her as one who must be compelled to make good her misdeeds, declared President Millerand in an address delivered today to the presence of King Albert of Belgium.

"If the citizens of Lille and northern France and Belgium are to be allowed to attain revenge," he said, "they must be in accordance with the remainder of the people of France and the allies, demand justice against the government and the nation which throughout the hostilities, pursued a systematic course of ruin and devastation toward the mines and industries, employing pillage and arson as a means of insuring their own industrial and economic ascendancy upon the continent of Europe.

"As long as Germany continues to deny her responsibility which her philanthropic acknowledgment at Versailles, there can be no real peace.

"It is not to the democracies eager for work and peace, that one must look for imperfections. We cherish no ambition other than to assure to future generations liberty, fraternity and peace, in which individual happiness shall be the fruit of disinterested devotion to the right and the ideal."

Replying to President Millerand, King Albert said:

"Your words will find among my compatriots in Belgium a sympathetic echo."

M. Millerand today opened an exhibition of social welfare work. He inspected the American Red Cross and commended Lieutenant Colonel R. E. Ochs of St. Paul, Minn., Red Cross commissioner for Europe, and also the American Red Cross nurses.

PRINCE VISITS ESTATES. LONDON, May 13.—(A. P.)—The Prince of Wales left London last night on a seven days tour of the west of England, chiefly in his own duchy of Cornwall. The Prince is Duke of Cornwall, and there are large crown estates in the county which go with the title and from which draws his main revenues. His principal engagement today is the unveiling of the Devon County War Memorial at Exeter. Tomorrow the prince will motor over to his Cornish estate and have a chat with his tenants on farming and breeding, while on Wednesday he will make another visit to the Prince of Wales and Devonshire estates. Friday the Prince embarks on a government boat at Plymouth for a three days' stay in the Scilly Isles, which belong to his duchy.

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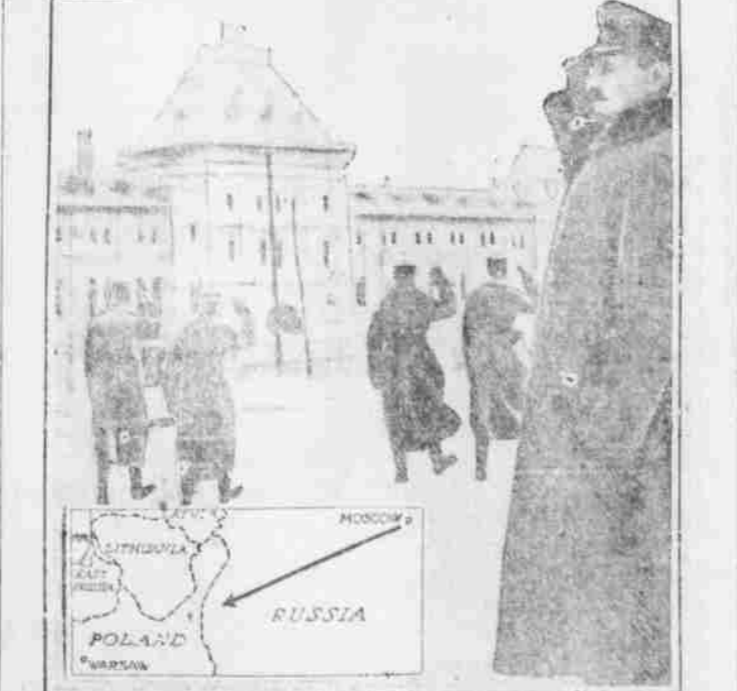
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SMYTHE BROTHERS SHIP SHEEP TO M'KAY RANGE

(East Oregonian Special) MENAHEAM, May 13.—Smythe Bros. shipped seven more cars of sheep here Monday. They were produced and taken to their M'Kay Creek range. John Dockweller and bride came up from Pendleton Monday evening. A real old fashioned charivari was given them. Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Deale drove to Milton Friday evening. Mrs. Deale will visit in Milton for a few weeks. Mr. Deale returning here. Mrs. Claude Estes has been on the sick list this week. Wm. Steiber came up from Nella with a load of sheep Saturday. They will be located on the M'Kay creek range. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dockweller re-

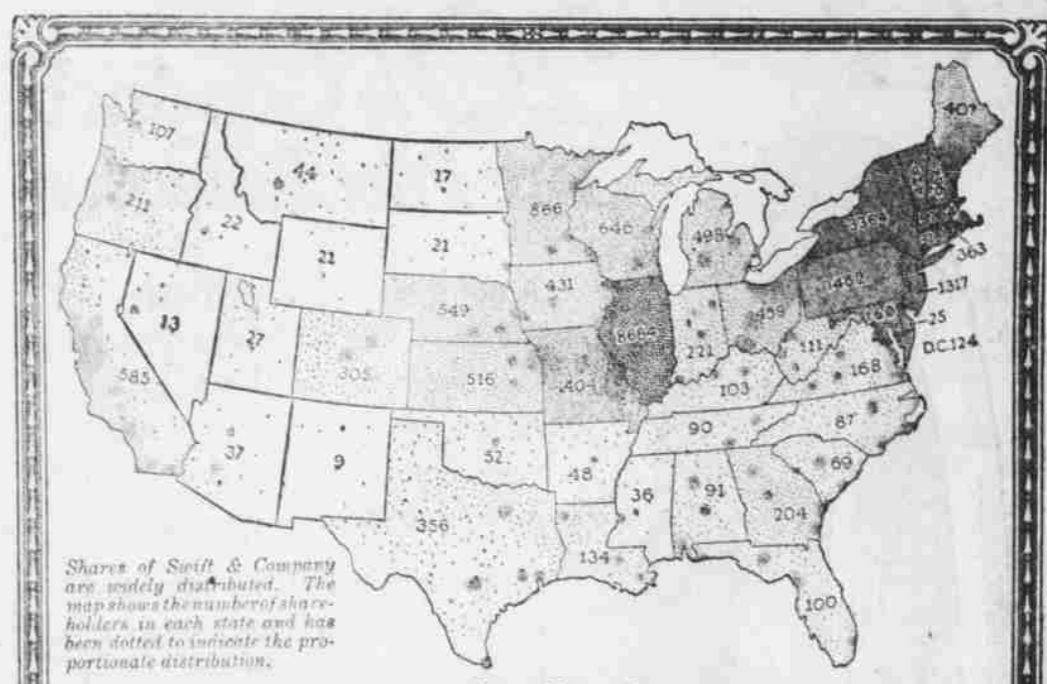
turned home after spending the week at Echo visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Deschamps went to Stanfield to visit their son Harry and family. Dick Hubbard went to La Grande Saturday on business. J. D. Casey was in Klamath this week on business. C. E. Rogers and family of Echo are here to spend the summer. Mrs. Geo. Naylor came down from Klamath Wednesday. Mrs. Frank Hansen spent Sunday with J. L. Baker and family. Ed Carney and Mr. Emberger were in from McKay Thursday looking over the range. They will bring their cattle up in a few days. Elmer Folk returned home after spending the past month on Westport Meadows. A naturalist pleads with women to cease wearing furs during the summer at least, because fur-bearing animals are being destroyed so rapidly that in thirty years there will be practically none left.

Trotzky Prepares for New Attack



This latest picture shows Leon Trotzky commander of the Russian Red Army reviewing new graduates of an officer's training school in Moscow in preparation for a new drive against Poland. Warsaw dispatches report Red troops are being concentrated on the border for this expected offensive.

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