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THE MORALS OF ONE VOTE
President Roosevelt is to be congratulated on his decision to have the United States enter the proposed world assembly with one vote and not to ask the three votes which had been agreed on at the Crimean conference.

Now, as the president has sensed and announced, this country is ready to take its place in the assembly with a rating equal to and no greater than those others. The world could ask no better evidence that the United States will not attempt to use its strength to dominate the world.

After all the success of the assembly of nations plan, if it is to succeed, will be based on mutual confidence. The issues before it will be moral issues. Their settlement must have its foundation on international morality.

On Saturday a small girl, walking through Drake park, was knocked down and badly bruised by a cyclist. We may take it for granted that the boy on the wheel did not intend to run into the child, but it may also be stated that the park walks and paths are intended for pedestrians.

Report of the finding of Germany's hidden treasure hoard is apparently well authenticated. In case the reader is inclined to be skeptical, however, it may be pointed out that the loot was taken in a salt mine and that he may season to taste.

Bend's Yesterdays

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO (April 9, 1930)
The McKenzie pass is opened, but is found to be too soft from melting snow and water to bear the weight of automobiles.

THIRTY FIVE YEARS AGO (April 9, 1910)
The Moose lodge in Bend installs officers as follows: A. E. Saye, sergeant at arms; Ora Allingham, inner guard; M. Ferguson, outer guard; and R. E. Soward, vice-dictator.

Richard Lyons Badge Winner

With the 32nd infantry division in the Philippines, April 9 - Private First Class Richard F. Lyons, whose wife Mrs. Delores Lyons and two children, Dicky Jr. and Patricia live at 1174 Columbia Ave., Bend, Oregon, has been awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge for exemplary conduct in action against the enemy.

MATERIALS AVAILABLE
Redmond, April 9 (Special) - Red Cross yarn for knitting sweaters and other necessary articles for servicemen, is available, and knitters are urged to call at the home of Mrs. C. H. Irvin, corner 10th and E streets, or at Inter-Mountain Motors garage, North Sixth street for yarn.

WHO'S FOLLOWING WHO?
Boston 49 - Cpl. Saul Wermick of Brookline, who saw a Bob Hope show in the south Pacific, arrived in Boston the same day the comedian appeared here in a benefit performance.



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THE WARNING XIX
When Mr. Hudson got out of the car and came towards the house, he looked very old and very tired. He had two more newspapers and a copy of the Atlantic Monthly under his arm.

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first from me. As a matter of fact, I know very little except what he told me. On the way back from Minot, he talked nostalgically of better days. Then he said: "Pat, I must tell you this for the small shred of honor I can preserve in confessing such a shabby thing. Your father is mixed up in a very dangerous and dirty game. But it won't be for long. I'm pulling out."

My pulse began to beat in my temples. "Pat, did he say what this game was?" "No," she shook her head. "He just said not to worry and he would take care of everything."

"What?" I said and I looked at her. She smiled wanly and touched my cheek gently with her hand. "The Hudsons are poor, Father told me this afternoon. Poor dear, he feels it dreadfully."

wormwood to him, stay all night at The Ledges? Why did father consent to coming down to The Ledges in the first place, when it has been impossible hitherto to budge him more than three feet off Beacon Hill from September till June?"

Pat had gone to her room for a nap, and I started for my own room. I was uneasy about Mr. Hudson. When a man of the fiber of Phineas Hudson faces dishonor, he becomes capable of desperate measures. But the moment I stepped into my room, all

"I've wondered about that myself," I said.
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thoughts of Phineas Hudson vanished.
If there had been another door in that room, I could have sworn that someone had stepped through it the moment I entered. It was as if the quiet air had stirred faintly. The constant presence of danger sharpens one's senses. I was certain that someone had been in the room.

GET OUT OR BE KILLED
The paper was a brand of cheap white sulphite such as can be bought at any stationer's. The letters were cut from The Times. I slipped the message into my pocket. I had only one imposingly clear thought: murderers do not warn their victims.

Redmond Plans Health Meetings
Redmond, April 9 (Special) - The monthly children's clinic will be on Wednesday, April 11, in the basement of the First Christian church. Immunizations will be given for diphtheria, smallpox and whooping cough.

New Honors Won By 41st Division

Hq., 41st Division, the Philippines, April 9 - General Douglas MacArthur has singularly saluted "Oregon's Own" famed 41st Infantry division for its sterling performances to date in the Philippines.

On February 28 elements of the 41st landed on Palawan, handily won the principal town of Puerto Princesa, crushed all organized opposition and drove scattered remnants of the Japanese forces into the mountain wildernesses.

Then I had what I thought was an inspiration. It is a practice in jujitsu to resist your opponent at first, then suddenly to add his force to your own by going the way he pushes.

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ity the strength of the 9,000 enemy investing Zamboanga was whittled down, sliced into isolated pockets and either annihilated or driven inland into traps set up by guerrillas under the direction of Doe.

DISTANCES TO BERLIN (By United Press)
The nearest distances to Berlin from advanced allied lines today: Eastern front—31 miles (from Zaecherick.)

TWO RUNS MADE
Backfire in a hog fuel hopper and an overheated stove caused city firemen Saturday to make two runs. The hopper trouble was at the Bend Furniture company, and the overheated stove was at 924 Harriman street. No damage resulted from either fire.



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OKAY, MA! DON'T WAIT UP FOR ME... I'M GOING OUT AND DIG UP A LITTLE LUSCIOUS MUSHIN!