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The New Postage Stamps

A new eleven cent postage stamp, peacock blue, with a portrait of former president Rutherford B. Hayes has been placed on sale at Fremont, Ohio, in connection with the commemoration of the centenary of Hayes' birth. The first stamp from the press was presented to Mrs. Harding. This is the first of a complete new series to be placed on sale generally within the next thirty days.

Whenever this Hayes stamp is seen, it will raise the question, why Hayes? What did Hayes do to win a recognition denied to so many able presidents and so many more distinguished Americans? His chief claim lies in the fact that he was the beneficiary of fraud, and only received the presidency which he lost by a large popular majority as the result of political chicanery, never before or since practiced in a presidential election and which would not be tolerated today. As president he ranks as one of the most mediocre—but perhaps this is the reason he is singled out for honor, on the principle that the common-place are entitled to recognition as well as the distinguished.

The portrait or designs for the entire series are: 1-cent, Franklin; 2-cent, Washington; 3-cent, Lincoln; 4-cent, Martha Washington; 5-cent, Roosevelt; 6-cent, Garfield; 7-cent, McKinley; 8-cent, Grant; 9-cent, Jefferson; 10-cent, Monroe; 11-cent Hayes; 12-cent, Cleveland; 14-cent, Indian; 15-cent, Statue of Liberty; 20-cent, Yosemite; 25-cent Niagara; 30-cent, buffalo; 50-cent, Arlington Amphitheatre; \$1, Lincoln Memorial; \$2 Capitol; \$5, American.

The Roosevelt 5 cents stamps will be ready for distribution October 27, the anniversary of the birth of Roosevelt, and the new 50 cent Arlington Amphitheatre and the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, will be placed on sale Armistice Day, November 11. Concerning the selections the Postal Department announces:

"The portraits include Washington and Jefferson as fathers of our institutions; Franklin as the first postmaster general; Martha Washington, to commemorate the pioneer womanhood of America; Lincoln, Garfield and McKinley as 'the martyred Presidents'; Monroe to mark the foreign policy associated with his name, with Grant, Hayes, Cleveland and Roosevelt carrying on the historical line to a recent day."

The list includes three democratic presidents and six republican presidents and no whig presidents—but this is a republican administration. The surprise is in passing up the two Adams, Madison, Jackson, the two Harrisons, and a dozen others to honor a Hayes who did not have even a martyrdom to offset his mediocrity.

The Oregon delegation has again been asleep at the switch, for while California got the Yosemite on a stamp as an advertisement, no effort was made to put Crater Lake, an even greater natural wonder, on a stamp. If our postage stamps are to be used to commercialize our scenic assets as well as preserve the memory of political partisans, Crater Lake ought to be by all means be utilized, even though Portland may prefer the Columbia highway or the Mt. Hood loop.

Friend of the Salary Grab

Walter M. Pierce's promises of tax reduction and economy in administration are in glaring contrast to his record in the state senate, where he voted for practically every salary grab and for nearly every appropriation bill.

As a member of the legislature, Mr. Pierce voted for 61 measures raising the salaries of 185 county officers. He was absent or excused on a few of them although he now claims that county salaries, which he approved are too high and should be reduced.

As a member of the 1919 session of the legislature, Mr. Pierce voted for 29 measures raising the salaries of county officials and was excused or absent when four others came up for consideration. He made no effort to prevent any salary increases from being enacted. Twelve of these bills were flat salary increases for every official in the counties affected, the others increased the pay of only a few.

It was not only salary increases that Mr. Pierce voted for, but other bills that contributed materially to increasing taxation. He introduced more measures than any single legislator to increase taxation—though few of them passed. He opposed the plan of paying for highways out of auto license and gasoline taxes and tried to finance the state highway system by direct taxation, which would have delayed the good roads program many years and have bankrupted the property owner. Mr. Pierce did succeed in putting across one direct tax for roads—the millage tax for market roads, which imposes a compulsory state tax of one mill upon every county whether it desires to build market roads by direct taxation or not, and in effect forces each county to tax itself another mill, to share any part of the proceeds from the first mill levy. These roads could all have been financed as the state highways were, without mulcting the taxpayer.

Mr. Pierce introduced many measures along non-partisan league and socialistic lines, to create new jobs for tax-payers by establishing boards and commissions for regulating other peoples business. These would have still further increased taxation, while he voted against the only consolidation bills introduced to cut taxation by merging present commissions.

As a legislator, Mr. Pierce constantly sobbed for the overburdened tax-payer but omitted no chance to increase his burden. He did nothing constructive to reduce the cost of government or lessen taxation. If enacted into law, his many impractical measures would have muddled the situation much worse than it is.

As Patrick Henry said, we know of no way to judge the future except by the past, and judging by his legislative record, Mr. Pierce will make a most extravagant governor advocating those socialistic ideas that tend to complicate administration, confiscate property and increase taxation without bettering government.

Along State Street

Travel broadens some people, while others return as skinny as ever.

Some people usually pick out a nice soft spot when falling before temptation.

There is nothing so distressing as to find your home-made wine turned to vinegar.

It may be better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all, but it isn't so cheap.

No man was ever satisfied with the size of his bankroll—and no woman with the color of her hair.

The vocabulary of the average woman is said to consist of only 50 words, and she uses every one of them.

Well, the "kids" are all back at their studies again, but we will bet most of them hope there won't be enough coal to heat the school houses this winter.

PANTOMIME—By J. H. Striebel



WHAT HAPPENED When Sheila Elliston Refused Love

By IDA H. McGLONE GIBSON

News of Walter Jones

As I looked at Sheila, so pathetically sweet, my desire for revenge on Susanne Jones got the better of me and I again made one of the numerous mistakes that I had been making all through Sheila's troubles.

I put my hand in my pocket and drew out the handkerchief I had found on the pier and laid it in her lap.

Before she touched it, she wrinkled up her nose at the scent that assailed her nostrils.

"That is the perfume that Susanne Jones always uses," she said. "Where did you get this?"

"She picked up the bit of delicate linen, but I noticed she held it far away from her as she unfolded it.

As the letters "S. J." came within her sight she dropped the handkerchief as though it had stung her, and repeated, as she looked at it through narrowed lids, "Where did you find it, Kay?"

"Out on the pier."

"Then Susanne Jones is here. Is that the reason you think of going home?"

"Yes."

"Was she—was she alone?"

"No."

"Oh, Kay, surely you are not trying to tell me that Phil is with Susanne over here—he would not do that. He really could not humiliate me like that."

The eyes that Sheila raised to mine were full of pain as she hung upon my answer.

"They were some distance away, Sheila, but I am almost sure it was Phil. Indeed, I recognized him first."

"Let's go home, Kay, right away. I can't stand it to remain where I know they are."

Within the hour we were on our way home. I wired Tony Soper to meet us and take us home. I was sorry I had told Sheila. She took it so hard. She seemed to be in a daze all the time we traveled home. She sat bolt upright in the drawing room and I do not think she spoke three times. She just sat there twisting her rings about her fingers.

As she did this I noticed how thin she was growing. There were great bluish-black circles under her eyes, those eyes which were now so often dimmed by that peculiar gray of which I have spoken and which fascinates me whenever I see it.

"Phil, you have many sins for which to answer," I said under my breath as I closed my eyes and pretended that I was asleep. I do not think, however, that I fooled Sheila at all, or rather I do not think she was paying the slightest attention to me. She was too engrossed in her own painful thoughts.

Once or twice I begged her to lie down on the divan, but even then she hardly heard.

Thus we went back into town. Tony Soper met us at the station. I could see that he was shocked at Sheila's appearance.

"I have good news for you," was his first exclamation. "I think I can locate Walter Jones. I have found a man who knows another man who has been chumming with him. This man volunteered to find Walter for me."

Sheila hardly acted as though she had heard.

Tony looked at me and shook his head. He could not make out what had come over Sheila.

I tried to make him understand that I would tell him all about it soon.

Suddenly Sheila started forward eagerly and laid her hand impulsively on Tony's arm.

When we arrived home at the Shore she went directly to her room.

Cut this Out—It is Worth Money

Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c and mail it to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds and croup; Foley Kidney Pills for pains in sides and back; rheumatism, backache, kidney and bladder ailments; and Foley Cathartic Tablets, a wholesome and thoroughly cleansing cathartic for constipation, biliousness, headaches and sluggish bowels. (adv)

I saw no more of her that night. I tried to tell Tony what had happened.

"Susanne is making the mistake of her life," he commented. "She is playing a losing game any way you put it. If Spencer is in love with her, which I do not believe, he will hate the scandal that Susanne will have involved him in. The scandal will break before the matter reaches a point where Sheila will divorce Phil. Of course, Phil can't marry Susanne till Sheila frees him and the scandal will kill all desire he may ever have had to marry Susanne. Susanne didn't use her brain in thinking the situation through. She's doomed to fail," affirmed shrewd Tony. Then he added:

"If she falls she will have to return to Europe, for no decent people will have anything to do with her here."

"It will only be a matter of a few days anyway before the thing is cleared up," said Tony, encouragingly.

Alas, he did not know what was going to happen in these few days. The next morning I had my breakfast served in my room and when my tray was brought in Marie handed me a note from Sheila.

(Tomorrow—A Startling Note.)

Open Forum

Contributions to This Column must be plainly written on one side of paper only, limited to 200 words in length and signed with the name of the writer. Articles not meeting these specifications will be rejected.

To Voters.

To the Editor:—It looks as if the battle for religious liberty will have to be fought over again if the compulsory education bill passes, but such a proceeding is unconstitutional and only the supreme court could alter the constitution to pass such a bill. To think that our forefathers emigrated to this country to enjoy religious liberty, and now there are those who are trying to carry on the same persecution which prevailed across the sea years ago. Is history repeating itself. We trust not, in this respect. People who endorse and uphold bigotry and persecution seem to forget that our constitution and our nation was founded to protect our rights and liberty. Certainly no one wants to retrograde but march on upward and onward, in the battle of life! If the compulsory education bill passes it will be the greatest stain on our proud, unassailed banner. We cannot think God will permit. This bill, should it pass, will affect, not only the Roman Catholic schools, but those of every other denomination. Of course the K. K. K. are at the bottom of this project, or movement, and it appears as if they were antagonizing all religions, and no doubt, if that is accomplished, soon the Bible will be forbidden use. Do voters realize the menace? MRS. HENRY L. EARL, Turner, Oregon.

Geo. C. Will closing out piano and phonograph stock. Phonographs half price, pianos \$89 up, \$5 down \$5 month. See ad page 3

It has been figured that 20 car-loads of copper are used to carry a telephone message from New York city to Chicago.

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RED CROSS TO ASSUME CHARGE IN NEAR EAST

Washington, Oct. 10.—With the entire power of the American Red Cross placed behind relief efforts in the Near East, today's meeting of the annual convention of the organization was devoted to a plenary session. A reception to delegates was scheduled in the afternoon, while the program for the night session included an address by Dr. Livingston Ferrand, president of Cornell University.

Dr. A. Ross Hill, vice-chairman and director of foreign operations of the organization, will leave Friday to take charge of the relief efforts in the Near East accompanied by other workers. Chairman John Barton Payne announced in connection with the dispatch of orders to posts at Athens and Paris to make immediate use of funds for the purchase of needed supplies. Dr. Hill will be joined by others already in western Europe.

Welfare and care of disabled former service men also was discussed. Opinion appeared to be divided among the delegates between dissatisfaction with the work of the veterans bureau and approval of its efforts.

UNIVERSITY COEDS PLAN FOR DEBATE

Organization of the women of Willamette University who expect to try for places on the women's debating teams is now being accomplished, according to Professor Robert M. Gatke, who is to coach the teams. As the subject for the debates has not been decided as yet only the general reading on the possible subjects can now be done.

Letters have been directed by Francis Kinch, foreman manager, to the women of O. A. C., University of Oregon, College of Puget Sound, Tacoma, Wash. and the College of British Columbia. It is expected that answers will be received in the course of the next few days. Should a debate be secured with the British Columbia women it is likely that the question will be of some international interest. Should the offer be rejected the question for debate will in all probability be upon some problem of the Federal and State governments or the doing away with the present jury system. Should the latter question be debated it will likely be the plan of the affirmative to have three judges render the decisions. Such a system, it is said, would do away with a great deal of the prejudice that is said to exist in many of the juries in the balloting.

Among those who have signified their intentions of turning out for the team are three who were out last year. They are Miss Louise Joughlin, and Miss Violet Coe, both letter women in debate, and Miss Elaine Oberg, who made strong showings in the class debates and in the try outs for the team to represent the school.

"HIS WIFE'S HUSBAND" AT LIBERTY TODAY

Betty Blythe has a wonderful vehicle in "His Wife's Husband," which is taken from Anna Katherine Green's famous story "The Mayor's Wife." It is a clean wholesome film, the cast is absolutely perfect, a fine child actor plays quite a prominent little part. Miss Blythe does some fine emotional acting and she is certainly a very clever actress. Her leading man is Huntley Gordon, who has supported some of the best feminine stars on the screen.

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Arthur McPhillips, plaintiff, vs. Paul W. Campbell, et ux., defendant. Action for money.
State of Oregon, plaintiff, vs. John Turpin, defendant. Transcript on appeal.
State of Oregon, plaintiff, vs. W. H. Richard, defendant. Action for indictment.
A. W. Fisher, plaintiff, vs. C. G. Burton, defendant. Action for money.
State of Oregon, plaintiff, vs. Phillip Warren, defendant. Action for indictment.
Margaret Fitchard, plaintiff, vs. J. N. Jones, defendant. Action for money.
Merchants Credit Bureau, plaintiff, vs. J. P. Shively, defendant. Action for money.
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CHAUNCEY OLCOTT BETTER

New York, Oct. 10.—Chauncey Olcott, singing comedian, who returned from Europe yesterday suffering from ptomaine poisoning, soon will be entirely well, John A. Stillwell, his physician, said today. He said Olcott's indisposition resulted from eating shell fish in Paris recently.

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8:05 3:35 10:05 Mt. Angel
8:10 4:00 10:10 Silverton
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Dly. Dly. Dly.
No. 2 No. 4 No. 5
AM PM PM
10:30 4:00 8:30 Portland
8:25 1:55 6:25 Mt. Angel
8:30 1:30 6:00 Silverton
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Rheumatism at 60

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