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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.—John 3: 5.

For State Rights

Governor Pierce, in a telegram to an eastern newspaper, resents national interference in local affairs and declares in favor of state rights and home rule. He says:

"Sentiment is rapidly growing in Oregon against federal interference in local affairs. Over one-half of the area of our state is now under federal control through forest reserves. We feel the encroachment of the bureaucratic government at Washington, in almost every activity. We are perfectly competent to govern ourselves. We will earnestly resist all future attempts to increase federal authority, encroachment upon our powers of self-government. Agree with Senator Borah and fully endorse his patriotic utterances, feeling that state rights are being encroached upon to a dangerous degree. The attempt seems to be to change the whole form of our government. We believe in local government and not in centralized bureaucracy."

Too late, too late! Little use to lock the stable door after the horse is stolen and still less to demand state rights after they have been destroyed. In their destruction no one has been as active as our grand-lecturer of the uplift. There is not a federal measure robbing the state of its rights, from prohibition to child labor, that the governor has not actively advocated in his perpetual swing around the circle.

Whether it is surrendering state rights to highways or state control of our colleges or other activities, through which states barter birth-rights for potage in guise of federal aid, or enlarging federal forest reserves by grabbing land grants from railroads which pay state taxes on them, the governor has been steadily on the job championing federal encroachment, so we are glad that he tardily realizes where it is leading—"to centralized bureaucracy."

"We will earnestly resist all future attempts to increase federal authority encroachment upon our powers of self-government," promises the executive, so we expect that he will now denounce federal interference of all kinds with state affairs, such as provided by the following laws:

- The Volstead and Mann acts, interfering with state police power.
- The Smith-Lever act, interfering with state control of agriculture.
- The federal aid road act, interfering with state control of highways.
- The Chamberlain-Kahn venereal disease act, interfering with state control of public health.
- The Smith-Hughes vocational education act, interfering with state control of public schools.
- The industrial rehabilitation act, interfering with state control of injured persons.
- The Sheppard-Towner maternity and infancy welfare act, interfering with state control of the family.
- The Reeb-Commins and other acts interfering with state control of railroads.
- The Clayton and other acts, interfering with state control of industry.
- The proposed child labor amendment, interfering with state control of youth.

The organized welfare movements, in which federal aid or subsidy is fundamental, constitute the stealthiest and most insidious and most effective invasion of state rights, the money offered being the bait to tempt states to sell their sovereignty.

When we hear Governor Pierce denouncing these individual and several usurpations creating the centralized federalized state at the expense of state rights, we will believe in the sincerity of his conversion and welcome him as a convert to the simple democracy of Jefferson from the uplift populism of Bryan.

For the Shipping Board

Among available Democrats best qualified for appointment to the United States shipping board, in case reappointment is refused by Bert E. Hency, the incumbent, is R. W. Hagood, attorney and former newspaperman. Mr. Hagood has been a resident of Portland for the past 30 years, and for 20 years connected with the Portland Journal for the last 12 years as its attorney.

Mr. Hagood has always been a trench fighter for his party, prominent in its organization and work. He represented Multnomah county as representative in the 1913 session of the legislature and has been honored with party nominations ever since. In 1924 he was delegate to the national convention at New York.

If the appointment goes to an Oregon democrat, as it should, Mr. Hagood is by far the best qualified of any of the aspirants and would fill the office satisfactorily to the state and the northwest.

TURNER NEWS

Turner, Or., April 10.—Mrs. L. Rowley returned Wednesday from a few days' visit with relatives in Astoria.

Mrs. C. Bones was a Salem visitor Monday.

Gerald Gower has accepted a position as manager of one of the branch stores of the Hammond Lumber company recently established in their camps near Mill City and left this week to take charge.

Mrs. Stewart, Metropolitan Life Insurance company nurse, was a Sunday visitor at the R. C. Baker home.

C. W. Hewitt, of the local cream station, has taken the agency for the Reutrew cream separator and now has one set up on the station floor.

We are glad to note that the various citizens of Turner who have been down with the flu are all recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bond returned Monday from their vacation trip to New York. They report a fine trip but say that Oregon looks better than ever.

The special meetings began at the Christian church Sunday night with Rev. Frank Farnell in charge. There was a good attendance at the meeting Sunday night and everything indicates a good meeting.

G. R. Stover of Salem was a business visitor in Turner, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barber were Portland visitors last week.

Ernest Moore and F. P. Rowley attended the regular meeting of the American Legion.

A. L. Bones was in Salem Tuesday, on business connected with the state convalescence of the Brotherhood of American Yeoman which met at the fraternal temple in Salem, Wednesday.

Leon Barber of Aumsville spent several days last week with his uncle, J. E. Barber, and family.

Mrs. Elizabeth Fuller Mitchell died at her home, on the east of Salem, Sunday, April 5. She leaves her husband, a son and daughter, two sisters and one brother. She was the mother of the late Florence Emily Sutton of Aumsville. Funeral was held from the Rigdon parlors in Salem at 10 o'clock Tuesday. Interment at Twin Oak cemetery, Turner.

Several residents of the Cloverdale district were in Turner, Tuesday.

A. F. Winkleblock, who admits to passing worthless checks, and who has been held in the city jail was transferred to the county jail today. As he came into the sheriff's office under guard of Deputy Sheriff Burkhardt, Winkleblock was served with a complaint in which V. C. Stasie, physician of Dallas, is endeavoring to collect \$70 said to be due for services performed, and the People's Cash store is trying to collect \$5.12 for merchandise said to be not paid for.

"There isn't much to say about those checks," stated Winkleblock. "I cashed them, and I guess that is about all there is to it. I shouldn't have done it, but they are cashed, and there you are."

WINKLEBLOCK IN COUNTY JAIL

JOURNAL WANT ADS PAY

TODAY'S CROSS WORD PUZZLE

HORIZONTAL

- Present tense to be
- Used in horse back riding.
- Tree
- River in Scotland
- Edge
- Upon
- To disclaim
- America (ab.)
- Thoroughly (L. prefix)
- Suffix
- Place where sand is kept
- Trademark (ab.)
- Get free of
- Verbs (ab.)
- Used in writing
- Lifted up
- Doubly (L. prefix)

VERTICAL

- Conjunction
- Term of respect to a man
- Amos Domini (ab.)
- Loss of hope
- Preposition (L.)
- Skilled
- To banish
- Interferes
- Make use of
- Lord
- Drink slowly
- Madness (contraction)
- Metabolic element
- Past tense "do"
- Philippine Islands (ab.)
- Royal Engineers (ab.)
- British India (ab.)

SOLUTION OF YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

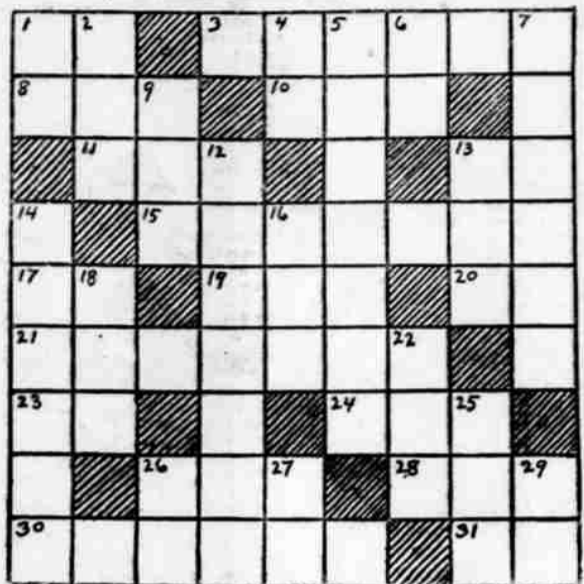
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HOW TO SOLVE THE CROSS WORD PUZZLE

The way to solve the Cross Word Puzzle is to fill in the white squares of the diagram with the words which agree with the accompanying definitions. The definitions are numbered to correspond with the numbers on the diagram.

Any word defined in the list under "HORIZONTAL" will begin at its number, shown on the diagram, and will extend all the way across to the first black space to the right of that number. That is, the word must begin in the square that contains its identifying number, and extend as far as the white squares continue uninterruptedly.

Any word defined under "VERTICAL" will also begin, in the white space that contains its number, but will extend downward as far as the white squares remain uninterrupted.



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Men, Mothers and Maids

A Romantic Serial of Modern Life

By IDAH McGLONE GIBSON

INTO THIS AIR

"Why do you tell this to me, Rob, now," said Lillie. "Do you not know that time is passing? I have wasted you so. Why make yourself unhappy now that we are together?"

"But you don't understand, you don't understand. I must tell you. I must tell you all that I have to my sorrow."

"Everything was ready for the marriage when that fatal ride occurred. Lillie, dear, first horse shied and fell, she under him. She was scarcely breathing when I picked her up. We thought she had ceased to breathe when I got her to the hospital but a few minutes afterward she opened her beautiful eyes and demanded that we be married immediately."

"In a very little while the final arrangements were made. I was as though in a dream."

"During it, it seemed so unreal. I did not really feel that I was myself. There was something weird about it all. Although Jerry spoke and smiled at me, although I knew she loved the kisses that I placed upon her cold brow, she seemed to be concerned only in keeping herself alive until she was my wife."

"As soon as the two ceremonies were over she asked to be left alone with me. Then she told me that she was already dead."

"At first I did not believe it, but at last she made me understand that she had made a bargain with death, that she had promised him if he would let her come back to marry me, she would return to him."

"Lillie, darling, I knew she was telling me the truth. I knew the thing which had happened that day was just as real as life or death."

I know it was one of the great unexplainable truths which we seldom believe when she said "Rob, dear, it is all right. It could not be otherwise. I knew as soon as I died, the dead know much of those they love which living they can never know, that you had never loved me."

"I knew you had loved that lovely girl with the tragic eyes and I also knew I must make up to you both for my mistake."

"Oh, Lillie, dear, you can never know how I felt when she said that to me."

"I never had the slightest idea that I had in any way made her feel I did not love her. As she spoke she looked up to me with the same tragic look in her eyes I had seen in your face in the restaurant."

"I tried to take her in my arms. I tried to lie to her. But the words died in my throat. I told her every thing about you and me. I told her I had not meant to love you; it was just the inevitable."

"Just as inevitable as that I should have to die," she answered softly.

"Then with a great effort the rat up in bed for the great human temptation had come to her to keep her own and she fought against fate."

"I am your wife, Rob, and I think I could make you happy if you will let me stay with you. I want to live. Keep me, keep me with you." Even as she cried, her eyes glazed and she fell back. This time death had irrevocably claimed her.

"Lillie, everyone thinks that my trouble has made me a little mad, but you believe that this is all true do you not?"

"Yes, Rob," answered the girl. "I believe it to be just as true as out love."

"Then I can go on, dear, and tell you the rest. Jerry has come back to me again. Night after night when I have closed my eyes she has appeared to me and told me that I must find you, that you were lonely and unhappy."

"Last night she said to me, 'Here where all must come I find that one comes at last to know the truth of life and love. It had to be, dearest. None of us could charge it.'"

"Find your sweetheart. Tell her I could not have kept you apart. You were her's and she was yours since time began. Tell her I say for you to marry her as soon as possible, for my greatest happiness will be to see you happy."

"Rob," Lillie said through her tears. "I am afraid I can never make you as happy as Jerry could have, but, oh, my darling, with all the great sacrifice she has made she could not have loved you more than I."

"Sweetheart," murmured Rob, his lips upon Lillie's hair.

Lillie felt her eyes smart. She opened them to find the sun stream in the car window and Marie coming in to her apartment with coffee.

She looked around in surprise. She was still in the room across from her bedroom. Physically she felt cramped and uncomfortable but her heart was beating with great joy.

"You look so strangely, Miss Lilliemay. Are you not feeling well?" asked the maid.

"I am well, Marie. I am just trying to decide what are dreams and what is reality."

Tomorrow—The Soul Kiss Lingers

Bank Call Issued.

Washington, April 10.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for the condition of all national banks at the close of business on Monday, April 6.

By George McManus

BRINGING UP FATHER



BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARKY PLUG

They Miscalculated Sparky's Speed

By Billy de Beck



KRAZY KAT

The Obedient Mouse

By Herriman



MUTT AND JEFF

Mutt Gets a Communication From the Black Hand.

By Bud Fisher

