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Official Negligence

With rank growths of grass and weeds standing head-high on vacant lots in all parts of the city, officials charged with enforcement of the ordinance requiring that they be kept cut brazenly announce that the city proposes to take no action toward compelling property owners to eliminate this fire hazzard. Persons complaining about the menace are being advised to talk to the owners of the offending property.

Aside from the unsightliness of these tall and tangled growths sandwiched in between and around neatly kept lawns and gardens, their existance constitutes a real threat to the safety of life and property, and their compulsory elimination is a proper and desirable exercise of the city's police power. As they dry out with the advancing season they become tinder-like, easily ignited by carelessly tossed matches or cigarettes. Day after day during every summer season the fire department is kept busy answering calls to extinguish grass fires. Adjoining homes and other buildings are constantly menaced by these fires.

In past years the street commissioner, operating under an ordinance which permits the city to cut the weeds and grass where the owners fail to do so and impose a lien upon the property to pay the cost, has kept these vacant lots and parkings mowed.

This year the city engineer, who has assumed the duties of street commissioner, asserts that the plan followed in the past is not practicable—that only about a third of the liens charged against property for grass cutting are ever collected, and that the city is compelled to stand the expense in most cases. If the liens are not collected it is solely because the city fails to collect them; a further demonstration of official negligence which permits defiance of the grass-cutting ordinance to go unchallenged and fire-nests to flourish unrestrained.

Deserting the Ship

There is nothing surprising in the announcement that John D. Rockefeller, Jr., long leader in the dry cause has deserted prohibition as a failure and declared in favor of repeal and a return to the states of control. The only surprise is that it took Mr. Rockefeller so long to discover it.

Mr. Rockefeller and his father contributed $350,000 to the support of the Anti-Saloon League; both are teetotalers and believed that prohibition would accomplish the reform of human nature it was heralded to. But he finds:

Drinking has generally increased; the speakeasy has replaced the saloon, not only unit for unit, but probably two fold if not three fold; that a vast army of law breakers has been recruited and financed on a colossal scale; that many of our best citizens, piqued at what they regarded as an infringement of their private rights, have openly and unabashed disregarded the 18th amendment; that as an inevitable result respect for all law has been greatly lessened; that crime has increased to an unprecedented degree.

All this was brought out by the Wickersham report; by police statistics; by the crime records and the era of the racketeer. It was emphasized by Al Smith in his campaign four years ago. It was long ago apparent to everyone except dry fanatics and members of congress, who prefer to tax the people to death rather than divert the booze barons' billions into the national treasury.

The knell of prohibition has sounded, as every election, even those in dry states like North Carolina and Florida testify, but the funeral will be long delayed by technicalities. But one by one the erstwhile leaders are deserting the leaky foundering ship of prohibition.

A Pension for Everyone

Robert H. Merryman, a St. Louis attorney, is running as a candidate for the democratic nomination for United States senator in Missouri on a platform, which he says, will if enacted into law, will cause the depression to disappear "like dew before the morning sun."

The platform is simple and a step ahead of the other saviors of the nation who are flooding the land with their panaceas. It provides the guarantee to every voter of an annual income of $720 and for every child $240. To get the income, it would only be necessary to keep out of prison and to vote at every election.

This, the candidate estimates, would entail an expenditure of $6,235,818,192 a year and supply everyone with with necessities of life. He would raise the money by confiscating all the proceeds of great estates, except $50,000 for the widow, widower and each child. What would happen after the rich had been cleaned, is a matter for future consideration.

Here is a platform fully in keeping with the spirit of the times. To put it into effect, all that would be necessary would be to follow the tactics of the ex-service men. Let the voters from every section seize trains and commandeer trucks, and "march" on Washington being fed enroute by other voters, and remain in the capital until a pension is granted everyone. What more popular appeal could be put forth?

A Deserved Reward

Secretary Odgen Mills of the treasury department, has presented the name of Representative Hawley to President Hoover for appointment to the vacancy in the customs court of New York and the nomination has been heartily seconded by Senator McNary and Representative Butler of Oregon.

The vacancy is most opportunb, for that is what customs courts were created for, the rewarding of lame ducks. And certainly the appointment is fully earned, for during his upwards of quarter of a century in congress, no one has served the republican organization better or more faithfully than Mr. Hawley, and surely no one is better able to construe the intracacies of the tariff bill than its author.

The only possible objection to the appointment of Mr. Hawley is the fact that Oregon already has a member of the New York customs court in the person of Walter Evans, who resigned from the circuit bench in Multnomah county to accept appointment. But Judge Evans' services to the party are trivial in comparison with those of Mr. Hawley and should not preclude the latter's consideration. If it does, there must be some other roost found on which an eminent lame duck can perch. Mr. Hawley is entitled to whatever reward the administration can bestow.

BRANCH BANKING QUESTIONNAIRE SENT BANKERS

Eugene, Ore., June 8 (U.P.) — A questionnaire will be sent to Oregon bankers to determine whether they approve of branch banking within the state by banks with $500,000 or more capital, it was decided at the closing session of the Oregon Bankers' association convention here yesterday.

The resolutions committee report, favoring branch banking with the $500,000 capital minimum, was read by Frederick Greenwood, assistant manager of the Bank of California at Portland.

An objection raised by Charles H. Stewart of the Portland Trust and Savings bank on the basis of the capital proposal was followed by suggestions to poll the state bankers for a vote. A questionnaire for an informal expression was later decided upon.

A legislative change in the 8 percent tax law was approved. An increase in the penalty and a reduction for prompt payment, or either, were favored.

Unanimous election of officers resulted in the seating of F. E. Callister as president; C. C. Colt, vice-president; O. A. Hougium, treasurer; Eugene Courtney, chairman executive committee; T. P. Cramer, Jr., secretray.

Salem, Tillamook and Gearhart bid for the 1933 convention. Choice was left with the executive committee.

At a meeting of the American Bankers' association after the Oregon Bankers' convention adjourned, the following officers were elected: John N. Edlefsen, member of the executive council for three years; Sam H. Baker, Grants Pass, executive council, short term; L. Barnum, The Dalles, state vice-president, one year term; H. L. Edmunds, Eugene, state vice-president for the national bank division; Chester M. Cox, Salem, state vice-president for the saving division; A. P. Altermatt, Shaniko state vice-president for the state bank division; C. P. Reilly, Portland, state vice-president for the trust division.

EGAN TO PLEAD IN COURT TODAY

San Francisco, June 8 (U.P.)—Frank J. Egan, for 11 years San Francisco public defender, will be arraigned in superior court here today on a charge of murder. With him will be arraigned Verne Doran, his former convict chauffeur, and Albert Tinnin, also an ex-convict. All three were indicted by the grand jury Saturday charged with responsibility for the death of Mrs. Jessie Scott Hughes, elderly benefactor of Egan.

Egan surrendered to police yesterday. He had been missing since Saturday and police throughout the state had been searching for him. Egan, Doran and Tinnin were indicted that day following Doran's purported statement to police that the murder of Mrs. Hughes was guided by Egan and carried out by the two former felons.

Doran said in his asserted confession that Egan was hard pressed for money and was the beneficiary of Mrs. Hughes' life insurance and a legatee in her will. The former chauffeur said he and Tinnin were coerced by Egan into killing Mrs. Hughes under a threat of being railroaded back to prison.

In his statement Doran told of running a heavy automobile over Mrs. Hughes' body and then hurling the body into a street to make it appear she was the victim of a hit-run automobile driver. He said he and Tinnin each received a new hat from Egan as the price of their services.

No hint was given yesterday by Egan concerning his movements while a fugitive. He appeared at a police station in Golden Gate park as suddenly as he disappeared Saturday shortly before the grand jury voted to indict him.

He slept last night in a cell at the county jail, the same cell that housed Doran last week. He would make no statement, acting on advice of his attorney, Vincent Hallinan.

The transcript of Doran's statement, which brought to a climax a month of speculation concerning Egan's possible connection with the death of Mrs. Hughes, will not be made public at this time, it was announced by Isadore M. Golden, chief deputy district attorney.

BOND ARE HOSTS

Turner—Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bond entertained at their Turner home for a group of recent guests including Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Serfling of Eugene, Mrs. Vera Howard and baby daughter, Shirley, and her mother, Mrs. Louie Bond, Mrs. Mary Castor and daughter, Carol Jean, all of Albany, Mrs. Edith Bond of Roseburg, Mrs. H. L. Wilson of Grants Pass, Mrs. Sarah Coffenberry, Mrs. Lillian Smith of Hubbard and Merle Bond of Sutherlin.

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NOURISHINE

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Des Moines, Ia., June 8 (U.P.)—A strange new character was etched in American politics today with establishment of Henry Field as the republican nominee for United States senator. When Field decided to compete with his old friend Senator Smith W. Brookhart, for the nomination he announced he thought it was time "we had more business men in our government instead of so many lawyers."

Field unquestionably is a business man. He enjoys a combination of qualities that enables him to find amusment and recreation in his chosen profession.

He has built a half million dollar seed house and radio station from the fruits of a 50 cent order for poppy seed when he was a boy, and no small measure of this achievement is due to his intense interest in flowers and plants and the people who work with them—the farmers.

"Henry", as he is familiarly known, understands the likes and dislikes of the people to whom he appeals in his frequent talks over radio station KFNF, the "friendly farmer's station".

Field was one of the pioneers of the radio, especially in utilizing it as a commercial medium for "keeping in touch with our people". "Henry's" people come by the hundreds of thousands annually to visit the auditorium in which is housed the radio station.

Field never before aspired to a political office. He naively termed himself an "amateur" and thereupon struck out at what appeared to be a weak spot in the Brookhart armor. He directed his fire, like a good business man, at what seemed the logical point and kept hammering away with charges of nepotism and neglect of duty.

FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS MEETS, SEATTLE

Seattle, June 8 (U.P.)—Smiles of eager, serious-minded women, wearing colorful roses, caught the eyes of Seattle residents today as hundreds of eastern and mid-western visitors arrived for the opening of the national convention of the general federation of women's clubs here tomorow.

The "Poole special," carrying Mrs. Grace Morrison Poole of Brockton, Mass., who will be elevated to the presidency, arrived with 150 New England and other eastern delegates.

"We are thrilled over the most cordial receptions tendered us during our long trip across the continent," said Mrs. Poole.

The visitors talked excitedly of the ceremony yesterday at Glacier Park, Mont., where Mrs. Poole was given the honorary title of Princess Indian Woman in being inducted into the Blackfoot Indian tribe.

The special was followed by specials bringing delegates from Iowa, Indiana, Illinois and Ohio.

The Ohio delegation termed its train the "Pierce special." It carried Dr. Josephine L. Pierce, candidate for the office of second vice president.

The national president, Mrs. John F. Sippell, of Baltimore, Md., was met last night by a reception committee headed by Mrs. Charles G. Miller, president of the Washington state federated clubs.

NORMAL STUDENTS RECEIVE DIPLOMAS

Eastern Oregon Normal School, La Grande, Ore., June 8 (U.P.)—With the grand stairway as the stage and a brilliant sunset-tinted sky as the setting, the Normal school graduates—73 in number—participated in the final student affair of commencement week last evening.

It was the Evensong, a pageant of song with the entire student body taking part before a crowd of 1500 townspeople. It opened with the crowning of Arlene Byrd of Pilot Rock as Queen of Knowledge and closed with the symbolic march of the graduates into the crowd below.

This afternoon two members of the state board of higher education were to participate in the commencement exercises, with B. F. Irvine of Portland to give the address and Herman Oliver of Canyon City to present the diplomas.

Visitors Are Feted

Mt. Angel—Joseph Stadler and John Montgomery of Chicago, Ill., are spending a three weeks' vacation at the home of Joseph Stadler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stadler, Sr. They are being entertained extensively. A dinner party was given in their honor at the O. J. Oswald home. Covers were placed for the honor guests, Joseph Stadler and John Montgomery, Mrs. Mary Oswald, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stadler, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Otto Oswald, Louise and Norma Ann Oswald, Sydney Jackson and Ralph Oswald.

DEMOCRATS TO MEET THURSDAY

Newly elected Marion county democratic precinct committeemen will meet at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the courthouse to organize the new county central committee, it is announced by John S. Marshall, chairman, today. The scheduled business will be the election of new county committee officers and the selection of state and congressional committeemen.

Fifty of the 79 precincts in the county are represented by regularly elected committeemen this year and party interest is running high in anticipation of sweeping democratic victories this fall, Chairman Marshall reports. An endeavor will be made at tomorrow's meeting to fill out the committee to its maximum strength by appointment of committeemen from the 29 percincts that did not elect representatives.

The present officers of the committee are Mr. Marshall, chairman; B. S. Martin, temporary secretary; August Huckstein, state committeeman; and John Bayne, congressional committeeman.

Little Girl Hurt By Small Brother

Albany—Juanita, 17 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stubblefield of route six, may suffer the loss of the first joint of her finger because she got in the way of a small hatchet in the hand of her five year old brother, Russell.

Russell and his small sister were at play when the accident occurred. Attending physicians hope to save the finger from dinafigurement.

DIEHLS ARE HOSTS

Mt. Angel—Mr. and Mrs. John Diehl entertained at dinner at their home. Covers were placed for Joseph J. Keber, Helen Keber, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Murphy of Portland, Dorothy Keber, Elizabeth Keber, Mr. and Mrs. Harvard McIntyre, Bobby Diehl and Lorraine Diehl.

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CURTIS GIVEN SECOND PLACE NOMINATION

Charles Curtis received Oregon's support for the running mate of the republican presidential candidate, the official canvass of the votes made by the secretary of state here revealed. No names for vice-president were printed on the ballot, but voters wrote in Curtis' name 9182 times. Others who received support for vice-president were Robert A. Booth, Eugene, 1630 votes, and Seneca Pouts, Portland,303.

Certificates of election for the 13 republican delegates to the national convention in Chicago beginning June 14 were mailed out last night by the secretary of state office. The complete state vote had been filed with the department for republican delegates and presidential candidates, but several counties have not completed their reports on other condidates.

In the presidential campaign the official canvass showed 72,681 votes for Joseph Irwin France, who filed in Oregon, while 32,599 voters wrote in the name of Herbert Hoover for president. The democratic canvass has not yet been completed.

The seven delegates electd from the state-at-large to the republican convention are Russell Hawkins, of Portland; Stanley Myers, Portland; W. L. Thompson, Portland; William A. arter, Portland; Peter W. Welch, Klamath Falls; Wilber Henderson, Portland, and Floyd J. Cook.

Delegates from the first district are E. L. Meyers, Clackamas county, and Frank N. Derby, Marion county. From the second congressional district, delegates elected are S. D. Peterson, Umatilla county and H. H. Dearmond, Deschutes county. From the third district L. B. Sandblast and Milton R. Klepper were elected.

DWELLING IS THREATEND

Lafayette, Ore.—Serious damage was prevented when fire was discovered Monday noon on the roof of A. P. Fletcher's residence. An alarm was given and the blaze soon extinguished.

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Doris Blake Says:-

Girl Complains That Her Mother Is Much Too Stern

By DORIS BLAKE

How about it, mothers? Do you permit your 13 year olds to attend shows with boys in groups? What do you think of mothers who refuse to let their girls go? Are you for holding out until the girls are older? Or does your experience with your own daughters justify your opinion that girls should be encouraged to have boy companions at an early age?

"Violet" cannot understand why she, one of a group of twenty-five, has the only mother who stamps her foot and says: "No, you can't go."

"Twenty-five mothers of nice girls can't all be wrong and mine be right," the girl argues.

"I have talked with my mother," "Violet" adds. "I have pleaded with her, argued with her. But she gets excited, shouts and says the other mothers don't care about their children and that's why they let them do anything."

It's not true, "Violet" responds. The girls are all good girls, demand and receive the respect of boys. They never do anything that they could not go home and tell their mothers about.

"I try to bring this point out to my mother," "Violet" tells. "But she just loses her temper and won't see how unhappy I am, being the only one left out of the fun. Naturally, the boys do not act so friendly toward me. I was asked along with the other girls to go on a party Saturday afternoon. All of the rest could accept but I.

"My aunt tells my mother she is wrong, but no one can convince her. She believes she is the only one who knows how to rear a girl."

The fault with the mother, we judge, is that she has let tales of young girls' doings overcolor a normal point of view. Her eagerness to protect her girl makes her a little fanatical on the subject. Personally, we think she is wrong where the boy feature is part of group entertainment. Girls of 13 are better for knowing boys, mixing with them on amusement occasions.

Instead of fighting the youngster's normal urge for mixed companionship, mother would be wiser to associate, herself, with the other mothers and with their cooperation see that the young girls are permitted their fun under wholesome conditions. It can't be forgotten, either, that the movies today are substitutes, through parents' fault more than the youngsters', for the home party or the picnic party of other days.

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