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Religious Intolerance

During the war we had Protestant pastors, Catholic priests and Jewish rabbis appearing throughout the country on the same platform appealing for religious tolerance. It seemed we were well on the way to national unity. But recent developments indicate that the flames of fanaticism are flaring anew. The hooded Ku Klux Klan is again burning its fiery crosses and flogging victims in the sunny south, vandals are desecrating synagogues in California, a Catholic bishop warns members of his diocese against joining Rotary and similar luncheon clubs, leaders of the Protestant Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America call on President Truman demanding the recall of Myron H. Taylor as his representative at the Vatican, which naturally brings a justified and dignified rebuke from Cardinal Spellman as sowing "seeds of dissension."

The Protestant church leaders' argument was that Taylor's appointment was contrary to the historic American principle of separation of state and church, which is not true, for Taylor's designation by President Roosevelt was the eighth time an American has been named to the Vatican. Many countries which separate church and state maintain full diplomatic relations with the Vatican. Also countries which do not separate church and state, including Great Britain, also maintain such diplomatic relations. So do China and Japan and other non-Christian countries. And the Vatican has for many years been represented in Washington by an Apostolic delegate.

The United States maintained full diplomatic relations with the Vatican for 60 years, until the Pope lost his temporal domain in 1870. Congress accomplished the separation by refusing to appropriate funds for maintenance because the Pope had forbidden Protestant worship in Rome. Temporal power of the Papacy was restored in 1929, whereby agreement with the Italian government, the Vatican Free State, with an area of 109 acres was established in Rome.

Mr. Taylor was appointed after the outbreak of World War II as the personal representative of the president at the Vatican. He is an Episcopalian and has official recognition by congress. But it is admitted that his mission has been an important contribution to the peace, for the Pope is the spiritual leader of many millions of people in the devastated continent. The peace efforts have yet to attain fruition.

The whole affair seems silly and uncalled for, injudicious and unfortunate for national unity. Perhaps the Cardinal is not far off when he says that "only the absence of good will can misrepresent Taylor's presence at the Vatican, or charge our last two presidents with violating the letter and spirit of the American Constitution in keeping him there."

Wasting Their Energies

About as farcical a procedure as can be imagined is the prolonged effort being made by delegates to the World Maritime Conference to establish a world wage minimum of \$72 a month for seamen. Any such edict would be impractical because unenforceable but the proposal is typical of left wing ideology. Even if the "one world" vision materialized, economic and social conditions so differ in every country that a common wage wouldn't mean anything in Utopia.

A wage of \$72 a month would be a fortune for Chinese, Japanese, Malay and Indian sailors who can live on a handful of rice and work a 20-hour shift and wouldn't be enough for U. S. seamen. Of course the higher the wage, the higher the costs of operation and the fewer the ships to operate. American ships with their high wages and perpetual strikes cannot compete with foreign vessels and hence cannot operate except with government subsidies. Unions never consider the law of diminishing returns.

Worker delegates to the conference, in reference to the threatened United States maritime strike declared that if the strike materializes "seamen of other countries will not take the places of their fellow workers in case of an outbreak of an open conflict." The resolution was adopted by delegates from 10 countries.

However the French delegates say that the statement represents the individual views of workers' delegates and "must not be considered binding on the organizations they represent, but considered generally the viewpoint of seafarers." Perhaps such strike sympathetic action is the real business of Secretary of Labor Schwelienbach who is attending the Seattle conference instead of trying to prevent the shipping strike.

Salem Cafes Say Price Increase Step in Right Direction

Salem restaurant operators today called certain increases in menu prices allowed by OPA as "a step in the right direction." "It's right down our alley," said Robert Lehman, president of the Salem Restaurant association. OPA recently refused a request for higher prices asked by Salem cafe men.

Immediate change in menu prices will be few, Lehman believes, because most foods are still under price control.

Here are some dishes that may bring a higher price:

Clam chowder—It may cost you a nickel more a bowl. (Canned clams are off ceiling list.)

Crab cocktail—The 60c size may soon cost you 75c. (In 1943 a pound of crab cost 35c. Today it sells for \$1.35. No price ceiling, yet restaurant could not advance his charge.)

French fried potatoes—A 15c side order may go to 20c. Ceilings on spuds are off.

Grapefruit juice—A la carte it may go up a nickel. All canned citrus fruits and juices are uncontrolled.

Spinach—Price controls off.

Salmon, halibut steak—If it lists for \$1 where the menu reads "Price of entree determines cost of the dinner"—well, that may soon read \$1.20. No price controls on fish.

Although ceilings have not been removed from dairy products, there has been a recent increase in milk and cream costs. Whether that means that the cost of a dish of ice cream or a glass of milk can be raised must be determined when the offi-

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At the election, property owners will also vote either for or against the special tax levy to provide for an estimated \$83,876 budgeted over the 6 percent limitation for the coming school year. The amount estimated is necessary to cover higher teachers' salaries, general rise of operation costs and other factors.

Signs Up — Gwendolyn Davis, 22-year-old English bride of an army air forces navigator, looks at a picture of herself in a Los Angeles newspaper which led to a movie contract with Paramount studio. A talent scout saw the picture, taken at a party for war brides in Los Angeles, located her and signed her when she made a successful screen test.

Moth Pests

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Sips for Supper

By Don Upjohn

Spring has now advanced far enough so that some men around town are shedding coats in their offices and some are bringing golf clubs. It still is not warm enough for the girls to get their fur coats out of the moth balls.

Saw my friend Fred Zimmerman standing on the sidewalk north of the courthouse this a.m., paring his nails. We print this as a warning to any barefoot boys who may have intentions of walking over the spot.

Heard quite a discussion at the coffee club today about the fact that inflation may be on its way. The thought had just occurred to this group as coffee is still at the 5-cent level and apparently one of the members had recently gone out and bought something else, making his interesting discovery.

Bread has taken on another cent under OPA auspices and we noticed our dog also took on another one this a.m., all of which adds to the inflation theory. However, no one can kick much about the price of bread which remained the same all during the war, but it is interesting to note that the OPA has now double shot the situation by upping the price on a smaller loaf, what with a 10 per cent boost on a 1 per cent smaller loaf sounds more like two cents to us than one. Regardless we notice there are folks who still eat the middle out of a slice of bread and leave the rest ringed around their plates.

It seems that King Umberto is doing his darndest to stay in Italy but none of the dispatches has as yet explained why. He has a chance to skip off to some summer resort where he can spend the rest of his life on half pay with no troubles to worry him and yet he wants to continue on where any minute somebody may take a pot shot at him and fix him as cold as the late king of Siam. It doesn't seem to make sense, even for a king.

Haven't as yet heard any early predictions as to whether firecrackers will come back this year, which still leaves the chance to hope they won't.

Down at Hollywood anybody who hasn't a swimming pool in his back yard is a nobody. Up at our own Detroit in the Cascades it's only a question of time before everybody's backyard will not only be a swimming pool but it is hoped a fish pond as well.

We heard a chap from Detroit remark once that his town was the best little dam town in the country and in a few years he can prove it.

Novelties In the News

(By the Associated Press)

Fan My Brow

Pittsburgh, June 13 (AP)—While the mercury soared toward 90 degrees in the city's first 1946 heat wave, a policeman in Central Station mopped his brow and gasped.

"Whew, it's like a furnace in here. I can't stand it."

He wasn't kidding. Someone had fired the furnace full blast.

Picks the Winner

Baltimore, June 13 (AP)—Police Lieut. Alexander Emerson and his vice squad made a raid and arrested two men on a charge of bookmaking.

While gathering evidence, Emerson stationed Patrolman Cornelius Trenkamp at the telephone. The "phone rang, and when Trenkamp said "hello," the party on the other end seemed to sense something was amiss.

"I'll take \$50 on Emerson to win," the caller said, and hung up.

Dropped Something

Indio, Calif., June 13 (AP)—F. H. Davidson of Houston, Tex., vacation-bound for Los Angeles, was flagged down by sheriff's deputies here.

"Haven't you forgotten something?" they asked.

"Why, no," Davidson replied: Then he looked around, found the back seat empty and headed the car back to pick up his wife and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Eunice Stevens, at Desert Center—50 miles down the road—where he had stopped for gasoline.

Yamhill Prisoners Still Have Freedom

McMinnville, June 13 (AP)—Two Yamhill county prisoners were still free today after sawing window bars in their cell block and escaping down a fire escape, Sheriff George W. Manning reported.

Three of the prisoners in the same block remained in the jail, the sheriff said. The escapees are Stanley L. Smith, 22, charged with forgery, Fred Gordley, 24, parolee from Illinois. They escaped Tuesday.

Many Never Suspect Cause of Backaches

This Old Treatment Often Brings Happy Relief

Many sufferers relieve nagging backache quickly, once they discover that the real cause of their trouble may be tired kidneys.

The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking the excess acids and waste out of the blood. They help most people pass about 2 pints a day. When disorder of kidney function permits poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it may cause nagging backache, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.

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MACKENZIE'S Column

England's outspoken Foreign Secretary Bevin, whose bluntness is one of his notable characteristics, came close to outblunting himself Wednesday during his extemporaneous speech on his conduct of Britain's foreign policy at the annual labor party conference in Bournemouth.

Mr. Bevin climbed two craggy peaks, from which there is no retreat. These were his declarations regarding the Palestine crisis and his two-fisted program for the forthcoming Paris conference of Big Four foreign ministers which failed in its last session.

As for Palestine, he set news bulletins flashing around the world when he announced that he would reject immediate immigration of 100,000 Jews to the Holy Land. He was equally direct regarding the Paris meeting, vowing that if negotiations bogged down he would sign separate peace treaties with the defeated European nations. A week earlier he had characterized this parley as "one last attempt" to gain Russian cooperation for peace.

Tinge of Optimism

It is worthy of note that the labor party, which is the present ruler of England, tendered the foreign secretary an overwhelming vote endorsing his conduct of foreign affairs.

Bevin gave his Palestine statement a tinge of optimism by a qualification, and made some pointed remarks which gives one to wonder whether he was doing some maneuvering in hope of securing more assistance from the United States in settling the difficulties in the Holy Land. It's interesting that while he was talking in Bournemouth, a foreign office spokesman in London said an American technical advisory committee was expected there this week for discussion of housing, transport, feeding and similar problems which might be involved in any large-scale transfer of Jews to Palestine.

Problem Presented

Also in explaining his rejection of immediate immigration of 100,000 he had this to say: "If we put 100,000 Jews in Palestine tomorrow I would have to put another division of British troops there. I am not prepared to do it." Equally to the point was a later remark that the financial issue involved "are tremendous and the British chancellor of the exchequer cannot carry it. We cannot take on another 200,000,000 pounds (\$800,000,000) expenditure on Palestine and that is really what is involved."

And so we arrive at the conclusion, I should say, that John Bull expects Uncle Sam to step in and shoulder a big load of the military and financial commitments. In any event, Bevin thinks that "handled with determination and patience this (the Jewish-Arab problem) can be settled as part of the Middle Eastern problem."

Morse Labeled AFL Champion

Astoria, June 13 (AP)—Sen. Wayne Morse had the unqualified support of the Oregon Federation of Labor convention here today with the passage of a resolution hailing him as a "champion of labor." The state convention of the union group also was on record recommending major revisions in the Oregon tax structure.

Opposition to any form of sales tax, either by the state or municipalities was put forward in the Wednesday session, along with repeal of the constitutional six percent tax limit and a general slanting of state tax policy along "ability to pay" lines.

Refusing to pass a resolution condemning President Truman as a "strikebreaker," the convention cheered when Federation head J. D. McDonald announced the president's veto of the Case anti-strike bill.

Cautious approval of the Columbia Valley authority movement was given by delegates, but no specific part of the plan was endorsed. Spokesmen said they feared to give too much power to a centralizing agency.

Pullman Man Named Head of Kiwanis

Atlantic City, N.J., June 13 (AP)—The new president of Kiwanis International is Jay N. Emerson, Pullman, Wash., a 66-year-old retired merchant.

Delegates to the 31st annual convention chose him yesterday to succeed Hamilton Holt, Macon, Ga. Dr. Charles W. Armstrong, Salisbury, N.C., and John Mac D. Burden, Toronto, Ont., were elected international vice presidents and J. Belmont Mosser, Saint Marys, Pa., was named international treasurer.

Traps Yield 9 Foxes

Morristown, N. Y. (AP)—Lucky Mrs. Pearl Delair, trapping foxes for her first season, found nine red ones in her traps in one day. Her usual daily take is two or three.

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It's the Innocent Bystander Again (AP)—This locomotive (right) was standing on a siding near Hayward, Calif., when a car in the middle of a passing freight train suddenly derailed and smashed into it. Four other cars were also derailed scattering debris along the right-of-way. No one was injured.

Cherrians Sought For More Parades

Since their appearance in the Rose Festival parade in Portland, where the Salem float took third prize, the Salem Cherrians have received several other invitations for appearances in parades this summer, King Bing Bill Chadwick said.

Invitations include those from the Timber carnival to be held at Albany, and the Phil Sheridan days parade at Sheridan.

Starlings Fake Thrush

Jerseyville, Ill. (AP)—Hearing the call of a brown thrush in winter is unusual enough, but when the notes of a meadow lark and a bob white fell on the ears of a local bird-lover, he looked around.

All he could see, perched on the limbs of a nearby tree, were three common starlings.

Ornithologists, consulted on the phenomenon, theorized that the birds had started their "imitations" through associations at an early age, mocking more mature birds.

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Diplomatic War Already Waged

Portland, June 13 (AP)—America is already fighting a diplomatic war with Russia, Dr. H. R. Peters declared at the opening session of the northwest institute of international relations at Reed college last night.

"The people in Europe, millions of them, are waiting for the war to resume—between Russia and the United States," the former chief of morale operations branch of the office of strategic services asserted.

"I have talked to them. They expect a clash at any moment. War may come without any positive steps by America or Russia. If the present drift in international affairs is permitted to continue we may stumble into war—over affairs in Europe, in the Middle East, in China," the Reed college professor of German warned.

He said "our preparations for atomic warfare are viewed with great suspicion and misgiving in many parts of the world. No matter how strongly we protest our peaceful intentions, our protests invite misgivings," he added.

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