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SEPTEMBER 18 THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, temperance: against such there is no law.—Gal. 5:22, 23.

PASSING JUDGMENT

The sentence given to the Chicago boy murderers has inspired an opinion from practically every possible source. With the exception of a few judges who have been appealed to for an opinion, who discretely remained silent, everybody has freely expressed his opinion of the decision which will permit the two Chicago boys to enjoy life, even if it must be spent in a penitentiary.

The only expression in any way favorable to the decision of the judge from a person of prominence comes from William Jennings Bryan, and is as follows: "I am glad that the judge gave Loeb and Leopold life sentences instead of capital punishment. I have had a feeling, growing for years, against capital punishment—against taking of human life under any circumstances.

"It is shocking to note the contempt in which human life is held. People kill each other upon the slightest provocation. If hanging a murderer could restore the life of the one killed, it might be justified, but it cannot and I think it contributes to the undervaluation of life for government to deliberately extinguish it by law or court decree."

Undervaluation for life should never be encouraged. That is the principle which has aroused a storm of protest against warfare and which has stirred up a horror at the increasing number of murders which occur each year in this country.

And the same principle should create disapproval of any judicial decision which fails to give capital punishment where the murder is so disgusting and inexcusable as the Franks murder was. Capital punishment is the surest and safest preventative of heinous murders. Murderers working for large stakes might be willing to play against the odds of life imprisonment—with always the chance that a pardon might be procured after a short period—but they would hesitate committing dastardly crimes if they knew that death awaited them upon conviction.

Pardons are too easily procured these days for any loophole to be left in cases as unprovoked and dastardly as the Franks murder.

PLANS EDUCATE CRIMINALS

To "hit the criminal in the bank book" by scientific opposition, and to convince him that his ingenuity would be better employed in honest trade, is the ambition of Colonel Walter Scott, Honorary Police Commissioner for New York City.

Scott is at present in London studying international police problems and the methods adopted by European police in combating the criminal fraternity.

"Organized cooperation between the police of all countries is bound in time to eliminate the master minds of the criminal world," Scott said in an interview.

"Criminals operate internationally, and it is only because the police do not imitate their methods that so many of them are at large.

"We are hoping, through the medium of the International Police Conferences, the first of which is to be held in New York in 1925, to evolve a preventative system which will put a stone wall in front of the criminal wherever he turns.

"Contrary to the popular imagination, the police are not a vindictive body of people and would rather get at the criminally inclined before he breaks the law than track him down afterward and send him to the penitentiary for a soul killing term of imprisonment. Money is, perhaps, the greatest incentive to crime. But once made it known that owing to the vigilance of the detective, there is going to be less money in crime than in honest toil, in nine cases out of ten the crook will become an honest citizen.

"Rapid strides in this direction are being made in the intercity police work at home. If a Pittsburgh crook sets out for New York the New York police are informed within two minutes of his departure by means of wireless, and he is promptly turned back on his arrival in New York. It is this constant 'hustling' from place to place that is going to convince the crook that the game is not worth the candle."

THE VANISHING DARROWS (The La Grande Observer)

With Clarence Darrow's wonderful appeal to sympathy for the Loeb and Leopold boys, which appeal brought the crowds to tears, we are reminded that the day of the old criminal lawyer is almost over. Darrow is one of the last of the big attorneys whose life work has been devoted to criminal practice and whose oratory has shaken many a court and turned audiences from bitter hatred to sympathy. It used to be that every county had a strong criminal lawyer—a man standing alone, as it were—and when court sat and a heavy criminal case was

being tried people left their work to hear the lawyer's plea to the jury. In fact, lawyers only a few years ago were regarded as to ability by their criminal work and by their speeches.

The legal profession has found that this class of business does not pay, except in rare instances such as Darrow. Attorneys now seek business of a steady nature, office practice and business practice. Largely the criminal work in smaller communities is unsought.

But, even so, we who are older still hark back to the days when the old oak trees around the courthouse in Eastern states were shaken with the beautiful oratory of the criminal attorney pleading for his client; we cannot completely erase the admiration that was felt for the big-ehiskered lawyer whose career as a criminal attorney had made for him a name among men. We heard him in the courtroom, we heard him on the political stump, we heard him at the Fourth of July celebration, and we never tired of his oratory.

They are gone, almost all gone, Darrow is one of the very few who still remain to remind the growing generation that once there were strong lunged, strong minded men who were criminal lawyers.

"Ma" Ferguson of Texas may be contested for the gubernatorial nomination in Texas, but she is displaying rare political acumen in selecting her planks and in making statements. She is making the little red school house—which has an universal appeal—as the paramount problem of her administration.

Some are content to "believe" that Ashland is on the upgrade, while others are foresighted enough to have already purchased property in the city.

It would have been just as well if the authorities had listened to those who wanted to stop the Wills-Firpo bout—which developed to be merely a fizzle.

Some autoists in parking on our streets act as if they felt they were in the Sahara desert and that nobody else intended to park along side them.

SEND GUARD COMPANY TO SCENE OF STRIKE

HONOLULU, Sept. 12.—Governor Farrington today ordered a national guard infantry company and two squads of the strike riot on Kaula Island.

Latest advices today showed that four policemen and 14 striking Filipinos were killed in Tuesday's battle on Makaweli plantation.

Two other strikers were reported fatally wounded and others seriously wounded. Deputy Sheriff William Crowell was also wounded.

According to reports received here the authorities were informed the strikers had kidnapped two Filipinos, beaten them, threatened their lives and were holding them prisoners in the strikers' camp.

The sheriff obtained a warrant and sent police to the camp to secure the two men. They were placed under arrest and were being led away from the camp when a Filipino mob formed, demanding their release. The mob followed the officers, the report said, and 300 yards from the camp its members opened fire on the police who returned the fire.

The American visitor is ubiquitous. At the Cenotaph one frequently sees long lines of Americans placing wreaths upon the memorial to England's dead, but it was surprising to find a bunch of white roses on the statue of Charles I., bearing a card inscribed "Alice Mary Tregaskis, Phoenix, Arizona."

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION 018951

Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, August 25, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that Jacob P. Timmerman, of Ashland, Oregon, who, on June 14, 1921, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 013951 for the NW 1/4 of Section 3, Township 40 S, Range 3 E, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Chauncey Florey, Clerk of County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, at Jacksonville, Oregon, on the 30th day of September, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Moore, of Ashland, Oregon; Walter Banta, of Ashland, Oregon; Ernest Inman, of Ashland, Oregon; George Crapsey, of Ashland, Oregon. HAMILL A. CANADY, Register. 308-5 Sat.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Jackson County.

In the Matter of the Estate of D. F. Jackson, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the above estate, has filed his Final Account in said county court, and that Monday the 20th day of October 1924, at ten o'clock a. m., and the court room of said Court, at Jacksonville, Oregon, has been appointed, by the Court, as the time and place for hearing objections to said Final Account, and the settlement thereof. Date of first publication, September 13, 1924. B. E. Smith, Administrator. 11-5 Sat.

Sally Ann a name to remember when you are wanting bread. Lithia Bakery DR. OESER & SON

FIRE BURNS FENCE

BROWNSVILLE, Ore., Sept. 13.—A running fire in the stubble fields at the W. H. Lassley farm, southwest of Brownsville, gained such headway Tuesday-afternoon that help was called from the city and it required the strenuous fire-fighting efforts of nearly 50 men to corral and quench the fire. About 300 acres of ground was burned over and numerous fences laid in ashes.

Estacada — Cornerstone laid September 4th for new Masonic Temple, to cost \$25,000, financed locally.

OUR SERVICE IS Independent Operated and Owned by Ashland Citizens W. & N. Service Station BOULEVARD and SHERMAN

THOR Electric WASHING MACHINE First Class Condition Special Price \$60 Murphy Elec. Co. Our Phone 82 Main - Plaza Ashland

Fairbanks-Morse Automatic-Electric Pressure Home Water System All Sizes Offer the cheapest and most satisfactory solution of the home water system need. We will be glad to Demonstrate THE Ashland Electric Supply 240 East Main St.

A SERMON ON DIVINE HEALING God's Word or Man's Word Shall we follow the traditions of Man or believe in the Word of God? This is a vital issue. YOU ought to KNOW. The pastor will also pay his respects to BOB SHULERISM Bring Your Bible Come prepared to ask questions This will be a Bible-searching, heart-stirring, eye-opening Service Baptist Church 7:30 P. M. Sunday

A Car Needing New Parts Is only part of a Car and you cannot expect to get efficient service until you get the proper replacements. Leedom's Sudden Service and hundreds of parts For Every Car NEED A TIRE? CTC KELLY CORDS For Every Car Just name the part you need for your car WE HAVE IT Leedom's Tire House Across from the new 9-story Tourist Hotel

PROFESSIONAL Classified Column

Physicians DR. HAWLEY—2 boys Tidings office. Phone 91. DR. C. W. HANSON Dentist Special attention given to pyorrhea. Office upstairs in Beaver Block. Phone 178-J. 233-1f. DR. ERNEST A. WOODS—Practice limited to eye, ear, nose and throat—X-ray including teeth. Office hours, 10 to 12 and 2 to 5, Swedenburg Bldg., Ashland, Ore.

FOR RENT — 3 or 4 room apartments, private baths. Adults preferred. Phone 263-R or call at Shook Bldg. 10-2

FOR RENT—Furnished modern four-room bungalow overlooking Lithia Park. Apply 108 Granite St. 10-2*

FOR RENT—Furnished room, with bath, 886 A St. 9-3*

FOR RENT: — Modern well located furnace, heated apartments and sleeping rooms, furnished and unfurnished, 316 Hargadine. 1-1f

FOR SALE — Gasoline pump, Lithia Garage. 9-4*

FOR SALE at a bargain—30 Rhode Island Red pullets, Phone 17F11. 10-3

FOR SALE 6 room modern house on North Main St. Large lot, all kinds of fruit. A Real Bargain. Price \$3500 on good terms at 6 per cent.

6 room modern house close in. Price \$2100, on easy terms. Red Crown Service Station on Main Highway to trade for house in Ashland

Good 18 acre ranch on highway, 6 room house, good new barn, garage, nice lawn, 6 cows, good team, sow and 12 pigs, 2 dozen chickens and all farm machinery, 12 ton hay, Price \$6500 on good terms. See W. W. ROBISON, 63 North Main St. 8tf

FOR SALE: — Fresh prunes for canning, delivered any place in Ashland, Phone 297-Y. 6-6*

FOR SALE CHEAP — Bosc pears, culls, fine for canning. Newbery & Sons, Talent. Phone 373J2. 1-1f

FOR SALE or TRADE—160 acre ranch, Missouri River bottom land, within 8 miles Minot, North Dakota. If interested call or write G. S. Butler. 300-1mo

FOR SALE—R. I. Red fryers milk fed, crate fattened, Maxedors, 977 B St. 271-2mo*

SALES AND TRADES AUTO agency and Garage doing a growing business, Chevrolet Agency, on Main Street, in splendid fast growing city, low surrounding country trade, big rental. Will sell at invoice and accept good clean property as all or part pay.

A SPLENDID 10 acre tract, first class land, scenic location, in edge of city, paying orchard with variety of fruits and nuts, comfortable building. Will trade for good farm land down the valley. Want about 30 or 40 acres with small house.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN 10 ACRES, 7 miles out, free water right, comfortable house, good barn, family fruit, and a little to sell, fine shade trees, and really a lovely home, half mile from school. Owner needs cash and will take \$2500.

A VERY pretty, well built, and modern home on Fairview St., good lot, some fruit and garage, \$3,000 easy terms.

A MODERN bungalow, 6 rooms, splendid foundation, large basement, modern plumbing fixtures, freshly calcosmided and painted, scenic location, fronting the Park, very easy terms at price of \$2050.

STAPLES' AGENCY Office, Hotel Ashland Bldg. Phone 26

MISCELLANEOUS GET YOU STOVE repaired at Eagle Foundry. Boch Magno Radiator and Stoves for sale. 140 Oberlin St. 306-1 mo.*

WANTED: — Used flat top office desk and swivel chair. See Greer at the Tidings office. 1-4

PIANO instruction; by experienced teacher. Beginners preferred. Mrs. H. S. Aikins. Phone 441J. 3-1mo

TRADE—Will trade 50x145 foot lot on Main artery (226 Chester Ave.) Bakersfield, California, for equal value or small house. R. Spehr, Rt. 2, Bakersfield, California. 8-S

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS G. W. Milan Independent Candidate for County School Superintendent of Jackson County, Oregon.

Classified ads bring results. There is wisdom in reading ads.

EUGENE, Sept. 13.—Two large barns on Morris Koons' farm, 12 miles north of Eugene on the Pacific highway, together with a large quantity of hay and grain and some machinery, were destroyed by fire this afternoon. The loss is estimated at \$6000 with \$3000 insurance.

The blaze was caused by a spark from the engine of a threshing machine that had been operating near the barns all day. Mrs. E. Chambers, wife of one of Mr. Koon's employees, was severely burned in an endeavor to save some of her possessions.