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Embarrassment of Talent.

JOHN T. SCOPES, the young Dayton, Tenn., high school teacher, who is to undergo trial, charged with the high crime, misdemeanor and treason of having told his class that a man named Darwin once advanced the theory that man may have been evolved from lower forms of animal life, finds on his hands an embarrassment of talent for his defense.

A dispatch from New York carried by the always veracious Associated Press and published in The Guard yesterday gave a pitiful view of Mr. Scopes' dilemma. Mr. Scopes, it appears, is already irrevocably committed to John R. Neal, former dean of the University of Tennessee, as his chief counsel.

Friends of Dudley Field Malone urged that gentleman's fitness upon Mr. Scopes. There does not occur to memory at this moment any cause celebre which Mr. Malone has fought and won at bar—none at least that gives him outstanding prestige as an attorney.

Senator Pepper, of Pennsylvania, is being urged upon Mr. Scopes' consideration. It is altogether likely that there will be no lack of pepper in the case, once it gets under way, so that the senator would appear at this distance like a prospective superfluity.

Charles Evans Hughes is put forward by another group of Mr. Scopes' friends. This must be on the theory that Hughes would be a logical opponent for Bryan because both have run for the presidency and lost.

What to do? That is Mr. Scopes' grave problem. He can't accept all the attorneys of real or fancied note that all of the contributors to his defense fund admire. There wouldn't be room left in the courtroom for anybody to make gestures.

Two automobiles have battled their way through the snowdrifts of the Santiam pass, making a complete journey from Albany to Bend. It is a feat comparable with that of W. J. Neil, who fought his way through with a six-horse team some two weeks ago from Bend to Eugene by way of the McKenzie pass.

Some of his own partisans are criticizing the governor for making political trade and barter of his fish commission appointments. Why? Aside from the fact that nobody on the fish commission from now on will be able to tell a royal chinook salmon from a wide-mouthed pike, the governor's appointments are good.

Mayor Parks will essay the feat of riding a horse in the Fourth of July parade at Oakridge. It may be assumed that there is a convenient mantelpiece in the executive residence, from which hizzoner can take his meals during the week of July 5-12.

Daniel F. Benedict, of Creswell, is 93. His wife is 88. They have just celebrated their 66th wedding anniversary. Congratulations, Mr. and Mrs. Benedict. Yours is a notable record.

Optimistic thought for today: No deaths from heat are reported in Oregon.

COMMENT OF THE PRESS

Santiam Publicity. (Bend Bulletin) At a time when people all over western Oregon are thinking about the possibility of crossing into central Oregon by way of the McKenzie highway, two cars have actually made the trip over the Santiam route from Albany. A better publicity stunt on behalf of the Santiam could hardly be conceived.

Lil' Playmates



EXPERTS EYE ANTI-MONKEY LAW

Some Think Tennessee Statute Now Much in Public Eye May Stand Under Court Test

By CHARLES P. STEWART (NEA Service Writer) WASHINGTON, June 10.—Constitutional lawyers, one of them prominent enough to occupy a seat on the federal supreme bench, though he can't be quoted by name, aren't a bit certain Tennessee can't make her anti-evolution law stick.

The Tennesseeans foot the bill and if they choose to bar instruction even in reading, writing and arithmetic, there's a strong tendency on the constitutional experts' part to hold they can do it.

In case any teacher they hire disregards their wishes, the best guess seems to be that, while he can't be punished as a criminal, he can be fined for insubordination.

In New York

By JAMES W. DEAN NEW YORK, June 10.—The "but-ter and egg" man who comes out of the west to spend his money in night clubs and make New York sit up and take notice is generally a creature of fiction in books and films, but the other night in a cellar resort I saw one of the type in the flesh.

Rowell's Comment

By CHESTER H. ROWELL ADJUSTING ourselves to the psychology of a creditor nation comes hard to some of us. We had been too long trained to think as debtors.

A THOUGHT

He that hasteth to be rich hath an evil eye and considereth not that poverty shall come upon him.—Proverbs 28:22

several years of experiment he has determined a way to register the heat of a blush, and after several more years he expects to find a subject on whom the device may be tested.

Between Jarymen. (Louisville Courier-Journal) "Think that lawyer's client is innocent?"

Not Nature's Gifts. (London Tit-Bits) "She has the fatal gift of beauty."

Perfect Repose of Manner (Eastern Morning News) Visitor—"Your housemaid seems very quiet."

No Need for More (Jack o'Lantern) Lady Jane—"Have you given the goldfish fresh water, Janet?"

Annanias, D.D.S. (Boston Transcript) Dentist—"Now open your mouth wide and I won't hurt you a bit."

25 Years Ago (From The Guard of June 10, 1900) W. G. ALLEN and wife arrived here from Newberg this afternoon.

The Native Sons excursion to Portland leaving here tomorrow at 1 o'clock is a sure go.

Rev. Edgar P. Hill, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Portland, is to give the baccalaureate sermon of the university tomorrow evening.

HATE to be a joy killer, but we doubt if a fly ever got out while the screen door was open.

You will find some easy going people are hard to stop.

We would belong to the upper class except we can't be upish.

A house will stay painted a few years, but a daughter won't.

The fellow with cold feet usually claims it is a cool head.

There's safety in numbers, but not in a number of enemies.

Never laugh at a man because he is broke and deeply in debt. He may be supporting an auto.

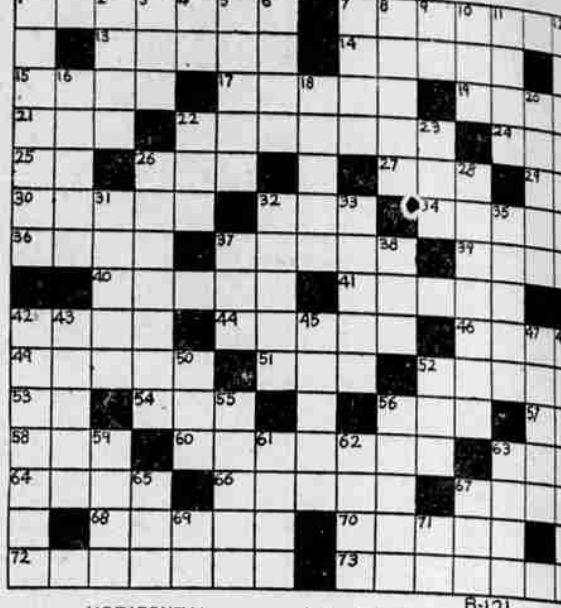
Our only regret is that we have but one vacation to spend in our country.

No news may be good news, but no luck is bad luck.

Annanias was the best liar of his day. But he lived before the men who named our movies.

Today's Cross-Word Puzzle

Only eight unkeyed letters in this puzzle makes it easier to solve than many others. But this is balanced by the rarity of some words in it.



- HORIZONTAL 1. Prominent; outstanding. 7. Fragrant. 13. Protection in battle. 14. Having vases. 15. Gentle. 17. Pattern. 19. Related. 21. Wrath. 22. Moistened. 24. Remove. 25. Exist. 26. Cushion. 27. Seated. 29. Objective of I. 30. Highest male voice. 32. Objective of she. 34. Seat of the mind. 38. To prepare for publication. 37. Goes forth. 39. Small insects. 40. Lukewarm. 41. Sojourn. 42. To mend. 44. Dogma. 46. Tidy. 49. Upright. 51. Drunkard. 52. To crowd; jam. 53. Negative adverb. 54. But; however. 56. Dejected. 57. Indefinite article. 58. Utility. 60. Restrains. 63. Past tense of do. 64. Extinct; lifeless. 66. One who oils. 67. A compartment of a window. 68. Spirits. 70. Portland. 72. Church tower. 73. They who pelt with stones.

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