PREMIER BALDWIN FINDS NOVELTY IN PUBLICITY

Wins Admiration of all Clases by Simple Manner

NO ALOOFNESS IS SHOWN

Sudden Rise to Fame Due in Large Part to Favor Shown by Newspapers

(By Correspondence of the Associated Press)

LONDON, July 16—Stanley Baldwin, Britain's new pilot of the Ship of State, has won the admiration and goodwill of all classes by his simple, unostentatious manner and outstanding human qualities. He is especially popular among the British and American newspaper men, who have found him approachable and unfailingly courteous. He has none of the aloofness, the superb manner of severe office or position which one is apt to associate with prime ministers. The journalists' fondness for the premier is reciprocated by Mr. Baldwin, for he realizes that his sudden rise to fame is due in no small measure to the sympathetic attitude adopted by them toward him.

At a recent banquet given by the British newspaper men in his honor Mr. Baldwin said: "I am conscious more than ever how the possession of a reputation really is a prerogative and your prerogative alone. Whatever reputation I may have today I beg to thank you for it from the bottom of my heart."

The prime minister referred to one of the remarkable qualities attributed to him by the British and American newspapers, which he said it was impossible to live up to.

Many Rush in Limelight

"I have noticed in my brief career in public life," said he, "that some men like the limelight and some do not. I have always found that wherever the limelight is brightest there is always a corresponding black shadow close to it, and I have hitherto been able to step into that shadow whenever the limelight was turned on. But I find now that I cannot escape it.

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This is what happened to train No. 41 of the Northern Pacific when it ran through a switch that had been tampered with, resulting in four deaths. Archie McArthur, an 11-year-old youth, of Whitehall, Mont., had picked up a stone and broken the lock on the switch on a lonely sidetrack near Whitehall.

I feel very much like a small insect under a microscope. Everything that I do or think or say is laid bare.

"I notice lately that certain persevering papers have succeeded in dragging from obscurity my father's coachman and my old nurse. I am thankful to say that the revelations they have succeeded in dragging from them are such as not to blast my career yet. I have read the most amazing things about myself, proficiency in arts to which I have never aspired, and ignorance of some things of which I thought I had some knowledge. The unkindest cut of all was in the Nation, where someone said my schoolmaster told me I had no brains."

UNDERWOOD MAY BE WET ON DEMOCRATIC TICKET

CHOICE AS NOMINEE DEPENDS ON PLATFORM, SAYS BRYAN

If Wall Street and Wets Control Convention Senator Sure of Chance, Is Opinion

MIAMI, Fla., Aug. 2.—Senator Oscar W. Underwood's availability as a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination will depend on the platform adopted by the Democrats, William J. Bryan is quoted as saying in an article published in the News-Metropolis here today. Mr. Bryan's signed statement says:

"As Senator Underwood has formally announced his candidacy, I answer your inquiry. His availability will depend entirely upon the platform adopted next year. If Wall street and the 'wets' control the convention and write the platform they will doubtless regard Senator Underwood as the logical candidate. He is wetter than Governor Smith and has for a longer time been the spokesman of that element. He also represents the Wall street point of view on public questions. But Wall street and the wets are not likely to control the next convention.

"There is no objection to a Southern candidate and their are many prominent southern Democrats who are in sympathy with the sentiment of the Democratic party. Why not select one of these—for instance, Daniels of North Carolina; Comer of Alabama, or Neff of Texas? Every state can furnish an available, progressive Democrat who can poll several million more votes than Underwood. He was not available in 1912 and is much less available now."

FARMERS' LOT GETTING BETTER, REPORT SHOWS

STATEMENTS OF LOAN AGENTS INDICATE IMPROVEMENTS

Debts Liquidated to Banks and They in Turn Pay Off War Finance Corporation

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Agriculture in the middle western section is in better condition financially than is indicated by a cursory observation of political campaign speeches, Director Eugene Meyer, of the war finance corporation, asserted today after a conference here with representatives of the corporation from 10 agricultural states.

Reports of the loan agents from all sections, Mr. Meyer said, indicate a "steady improvement in the agricultural and banking conditions all over the territory, with the exception of the areas devoted more or less exclusively to the production of wheat.

"Our reports," the director said, "do not indicate that all the farmers in the United States are as badly off as some of their friends would like to have us think.

"Farmers have been gradually liquidating their debts to the banks and the banks, large and small, in the agricultural sections, have been gradually improving their position.

"More than 2100 banks in the United States have completely liquidated their indebtedness to the corporation.

"Out of loans totalling approximately $24,000,000 in Iowa, more than $17,000,000 has been paid off. Out of total loans of approximately $12,300,000 in Nebraska, $11,000,000 has been liquidated."

VOTE IN SENATE LOST

SWING OF CONTROL FROM G. O. P. IS FORESEEN BY MANY

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—The Republican organization in the senate will lose a vote during the next congress through the death of President Harding—a vote which many of the party leaders thought might be necessary to save the control of that party over matters of legislation.

Now that the office of vice president is no longer filled, it will be necessary for the senate to select from its own membership a presiding officer who as senator would cast his vote on roll calls. While the vice president as presiding officer never participated in debate, he was required by the constitution to break any tie votes. With the Republican majority in the senate reduced almost to the vanishing point and with threatened new alignments of Republican senators, the importance of the vice president's vote took on new proportions.

Who will be chosen as presiding officer of the senate cannot be forecast.

KILLS FUGITIVE HUSBAND

GORDON BURGESS, ACCUSED OF SERIOUS CRIME, SLAIN

LEWISTON, Mont., Aug. 4.—Gordon O. Burgess was shot and killed shortly after one o'clock tonight by his wife, Anna Burgess, a wealthy woman, on her farm near this city. According to the story told by Mrs. Burgess to the authorities, in July, 1922, Burgess was arrested on a statutory charge, the crime he was charged with having been committed on a young daughter of Mrs. Burgess by a former marriage.

In October, 1922, he broke jail and nothing more was heard from him until about ten days ago when Mrs. Burgess received a letter from him in Canada threatening to come back and wipe out the entire family. He appeared at the ranch home last evening and tried to force his way into the house, stating that he had a long sentence in the penitentiary staring him in the face ad anything they could do would not make matters worse. Mrs. Burgess and others tried to persude him to leave the premises and give himself up but without any success. He had forced the key out of the door and was trying to push it open when Mrs. Burgess shot through the glass panel with a .41 calibre shotgun, the full charge striking him in the neck. After this she fired two more shots at him. He reeled off the porch onto a board walk and died in a few moments.

The coroner's inquest will be held Monday.

LUMBER BUSINESS GOOD

REPORT SHOWS PRODUCTION IS ABOVE NORMAL

West Coast Association Bulletin for Week Ending July 28 Indicates Increased Plant Output

One hundred and thirty mills reporting to West Coast Lumbermen's association for the week ending July 28, manufactured 103,264,839 feet of lumber; sold 95,063,633 feet, and shipped 97,842,724 feet.

Production for reporting mills was 17 per cent above normal. New business was 8 per cent below production. Shipments were 3 per cent above new business.

Thirty-nine per cent of all new business taken during the week was for future water delivery. This amounted to 36,669,991 feet, of which 26,530,805 feet was for domestic cargo delivery, and 10,139,186 feet export. New business by rail amounted to 1792 cars.

Thirty-nine per cent of the week's lumber shipments moved by water. This amounted to 38,609,082 feet, of which 27,928,205 feet moved coastwise and intercoastal, and 10,680,877 feet overseas. Rail shipments totaled 1849 cars.

Local auto and team deliveries totaled 4,633,642 feet.

Unfilled domestic cargo orders totaled 125,235,381 feet. Unfilled export orders, 65,409,499 feet. Unfilled rail trade orders 6216 cars.

In the first thirty weeks of the year, production reported to the West Coast Lumbermen's association has been 2,941,715,476 feet; new business 3,027,109,409 feet, and shipments 3,210,996,676 feet.

STAMPEDE ENDS TODAY

PROGRAM VARIED AT LONDON SPRINGS AFFAIR

The last day of Guy Ray's big cowboy show and stampede is today at London Springs, where the old-time days of the wild and woolly west are to be presented to spectators.

On the program are cowboy bucking races, ladies' bucking horse ridden by the world's champion cowgirl, trick riding, bucking bulls and steers, bareback riding, and a number of other exceptional cowboy stunts.

Famous riders participating are Everett Riggs, Lakeview, winner of first money at Albany roundup; Evie Riggs, Lakeview; Willie Ray, Klamath Falls; Guy Ray of Albany and Dallas roundups; Olie Osborn, who won world's championship for ladies' bucking contest in New York, and other equally famous riders. Some of the best bulldogging cattle and bucking horses used in the Albany and Dallas roundups will be on the grounds, according to the stampede managers.

BOYS TO HAVE SWIMMING

CLASSES ARE ARRANGED BY PLAYGROUND OFFICIALS

Use of the swimming pool at the women's building of the University of Oregon has been obtained for the swimming classes now being conducted under the direction of officials in charge of the playgrounds at the Lincoln and Patterson schools, and a schedule for boys has been arranged for the remaining three weeks of the playground work, according to Miss Maude Lombard, instructor in charge.

With the closing of the tank in the men's gymnasium of the U. of O., announcement was made that the boys' classes would be discontinued, but under the new arrangement the boys will have the use of the women's pool Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 10 a. m., is the report.

Frankie Bailey Hides 'Em Now in Los Angeles

This picture of Frankie Bailey was taken when the famous chorus girl, with "The Million Dollar Legs," was the highest-paid stage figure in the United States because of her wonderfully shapely figure. New York raved about her beauty when she was with Weber and Fields in "Ye Olden Days." Now, her health gone and her beauty marred by age, Frankie Bailey, known to every patron of the stage of two decades ago, is working as a clerk in a drug store in Los Angeles. For years she served as a clerk in a cigar store in the famous Flatiron building in Broadway, N. Y., near the scene of her stage triumphs.

LODGE AMBITION MISSED

DEATH PREVENTS CONFERRING OF 33RD DEGREE

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Death prevented realization of one of President Harding's ambitions—conferment of the thirty-third degree of Free Masonry.

He was elected to receive this honor prior to his inauguration as president, but the illness of Mrs. Harding prevented his attending the rendezvous of the supreme council of Scottish Rite Masons for the northern jurisdiction in Cleveland, Ohio, last year—and rules of the fraternity require that the degrees may only be conferred upon a candidate in person.

By unanimous vote of members of the supreme council, the time was extended one year and he was to have been "crowned" this fall at a meeting of the supreme council in New York City.

MORSE AND SONS FREED BY JURY IN FRAUD CASE

TRIAL FIRST IN CHARGE OF CONSPIRACY AGAINST U. S.

Thirty Overt Acts in Connection with Ship Building Set Forth in Indictment

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4. — The government lost today the first of the big war fraud criminal cases, a jury in the District of Columbia supreme court returning a verdict of acquittal in the case of Charles W. Morse, New York shipbuilder, his three sons, and four others, who were charged with conspiracy to defraud the United States on wartime shipbuilding and operating contracts.

The jurors, who had spent 15 weeks in hearing the evidence and argument deliberated approximately 14 hours. As the jury reported its findings on each of the four counts in the two indictments, tears coursed down the cheeks of Charles W. Morse. The other defendants showed few signs of emotion.

Besides the elder Morse, those acquitted were Edwin A. Morse, Benjamin W. Morse, Harry F. Morse, N. H. Campbell of New York, R. W. Much of Augusta, Maine, and R. O. White of New York, all officers of the several Morse companies, and Philip Reinhart, who was an auditor for the emergency fleet corporation at the Virginia shipbuilding plant at Alexandria, Virginia.

After the verdict had been returned, Charles W. Morse said he would leave soon for Europe for his health. His chief counsel, Nash Rockwood of New York, stated that upon the convening of congress Mr. Morse would seek an investigation by the house and senate judiciary committees of the prosecution brought against him by the government.

CHURCH RITES AT JUNEAU

ALL TO JOIN TODAY IN MEMORIAL TO HARDING

(By the Associated Press)

JUNEAU, Alaska, Aug. 4.—All the churches of this city, the capital of Alaska, will join tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock in memorial services for Warren G. Harding, late president of the United States, who won many new friends on the first tour of the northern territory ever made by the nation's chief executive, ending the visit ten days before his death. Protestants and Catholic clergy and parishoners will join in the rites, which are to be held in the meeting room of the lodge of Elks.

Scott C. Bone, governor of Alaska, the Rev. Dr. S. Hall Young, superintendent of Presbyterian missions in Alaska, who is rated the dean of all the clergymen in the territory, and the Rev. A. B. Keeler of New York city, chairman of the Presbyterian board of home missions, are to be among the pseakers.

All public offices closed here all of yesterday out of respect to the late President. Funeral services are to be held in Juneau Friday, the day that Mr. Harding is to be buried at Marion, Ohio.

KATO PRAISES HARDING

JAPANESE PREMIER SAYS HE WAS GREAT PEACE WORKER

(By The Associated Press)

TOKIO, Aug. 4.—Premier Kato, who has been ill for several days, today issued a statement to the Japanese press in which he said that the late President Harding was "the greatest worker in the peace movement."

The premier added:

"His immense contribution is known throughout the world, to which his death is an immeasurable loss."

Telegrams and letters of condolence continue to pour into the American embassy. The many who called there this morning to express personally their regret to Ambassador Woods, who had returned from Niko, include representatives of the imperial household, foreign diplomats, members of the cabinet and other officials.

IOWA TO PAY TRIBUTE

CHURCHES TO DEVOTE SERVICES TO HARDING'S MEMORY

DES MOINES, Iowa, Aug. 4.—While residents of all Iowa towns through which the President Harding funeral train will pass Monday morning are planning to pay silent tribute to the late chief executive, plans for the sending of an official escort committee to Omaha to accompany the train through the state have been abandoned.

Governor Kendall was notified this afternoon by railroad officials that the famous transcontinental train had no accommodations for such an escort committee.

Churches in all parts of the state will devote all or a part of their services tomorrow to the memory of President Harding.

At City Auto Camp

Alabama Is Praised.
Young Traveler Is Smart.
Milling Industry Booming.
Indiana People Again Here.

Alabama has become famous because it sounds so nice in songs, but J. D. Beavons, who comes from Winder, in that state, says it is a great country for other things as well. Its cotton is known to be of a superior quality, he states, and a host of other products are also garnered in and around his section. "But it sure gets powerful hot down there," he says, "and I don't aim to get back until September. The Beavons family has been north as far as Vancouver and intend to stay in the Middle West or on the coast for the rest of this month before starting back.

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Fayetteville, New York, is quite a ways from the auto camp here, but to Walter Dewitt Smith and family it seems but a few yesterdays away. "It is hard to believe that we've come six thousand miles in the last two months," they say, "but we'll realize it when We try to think of all the wonderful times we've had on this trip." Mr. and Mrs. Smith are both graduates of New York university and are teachers in the high school at Fayetteville. Their daughter, Betty, though only 12 years old, is a sophomore in the high school there and her mother proudly says, "She gets blue cards every month, too!" Betty is turning into quite a tomboy on this trip, her father says and he's just a bit afraid that she won't take to her books quite so willingly when they return. "But the trip has been a wonderful education to all of us," he says, "and we intend to go to just such a 'summer school' every year.

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The milling industry at Minneapolis and St. Paul is booming this year, reports J. C. Bliss, who has driven out from there with his family. Mr. Bliss, who is a miller by profession, expects to return for work in a couple of weeks, and he says, "We're sure going to have to work, too, to take care of this great crop of wheat." Considerable export business is expected, he states, which will add materially to the welfare of the country.

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P. C. McMillan, of Lafayette, Indiana, has been twice to the West and each time has followed the Pacific highway down the coast. Last year he stopped at the camp here, and so this season, though he arrived here before noon, he couldn't resist the temptation to stop over again. "It's one of the prettiest sights along the whole road from home to the coast," says Mrs. McMillan, "and I enjoy every minute we're on the grounds." The McMillans are leaving in the morning, their next long stop is scheduled for Crater lake, which they say is becoming famous all over the United States.

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Among others at the camp last night were H. Pugh, who has come out from Syracuse, New York, with but one puncture the entire distance; L. W. Earles of Sacramento, who is accompanied by his wife, two children and two good-looking bull terries, and Robert N. Naismith, of Chicago, who is bound for Los Angeles to live.

Card of Thanks

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