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**A GLORIOUS EPISODE**

We know of no more effective antidote for the epidemic of robbery—a too frequent manifestation of the crime wave—than the sudden and violent demise of the robber.

When he happens to be a bank robber the results are even more gratifying, for the bank robber occupies a proud position in the social realm of the underworld. When he is summarily snatched therefrom while in the pursuit of what he is pleased to regard as a distinguished industry, he ceases to be a bright and illustrious example to his fellows. There is never any magnetism, inspiration, follow-me-and-you-will-wear-diamonds aspect about a corpse.

Down in Arkansas five desperadoes in two automobiles rolled grandly into a small town to loot a bank. Two of them are now dead, one is badly wounded and the two others are in jail. Not in years have we heard of a more gladsome and hopeful result of an attempted robbery. The bank cashier merely pressed his foot upon a button. Swarming into the street with loaded weapons, the business men of this efficient southern village did the rest. The modern Arkansaw travelers could travel no longer—in automobiles or otherwise.

Electrical connections which rang on alarm in all the stores, did the trick. Country banks throughout this district would do well to take a leaf out of the Arkansaw book. Because no bank robbery has been attempted in this region since the Milton exploit of years ago, it doesn't follow that none will ever be.

Ford is making so much money now that he entirely forgot a two million dollar bank deposit, and had to be reminded of this trifling asset by his secretary. His profit is said to have been seventy-six millions in 1921. This year he is making 5100 cars daily and is selling them all, the demand exceeding his output by 200 cars each day. Ford explains that he reduced the price of his cars to below the cost of production, which stimulated all hands in the big factory to make them cheaper. This was done with the advantage of an increased output. We admire Henry Ford—as a flivver maker. We blush for him, however, when he advocates the bolshevik brand of currency.

Democrats estimate that the new tariff will cost the people in indirect taxation more than five billion dollars annually, or \$45 per capita. It is the g. o. p.'s most stupendous achievement in the way of class legislation—which is by no means classy legislation from the common people's standpoint.

The scientists who have overcome fog at Pittsburgh will confer a favor by coming out here and dispelling the gloomy vapor that rolls up each winter from Hudson's Bay and constitutes the only depressing feature of an otherwise wonderful climate.

We do not often find ourselves in accord with the g. o. p., but we entirely sympathize with the refusal of its state convention to identify Almighty God with its declaration of principles.

According to the Boston Herald, "one reason why public opinion of the Volstead act is so hard to gauge is that a 'wet' wants liquor so much more vehemently than a 'dry' does not."

Economy is the slogan of the Oregon republicans. Likewise of the democrats and of every candidate on both tickets. Trouble is that it never emerges from the slogan class.

Chaplain Mercer invoked divine aid and blessing upon the republican state convention at Portland. What it mostly needed, however, was wisdom.

Rain has interfered with the state fair, which reminds us that Pendleton must be beloved of the weather gods when pulling off its big show.

"Is Harding Tiring of Big Job?" asks a Journal head line. Possibly. There are also indications that the big job is tiring of Harding.

Evidently the Turk must be taught his place—which is not in the neutral zone.

The Enterprise Record-Chieftein says that "Fessalism never turned a furrow, built a ship, erected a house or brought a smile to the face

of a child. Optimism lifted man from savagery, filled the bursting granaries, built millions of homes and filled the world with music."

Our poker editor takes occasion to remind Greece that she should have tossed her king into the discard before she lost the pot.

Little wonder "the Turk has never changed." His Christian neighbors have always bungled the job of working him over.

What the Greeks expected to get out of Asia Minor is not so clear to us as the fact that they got out of Asia Minor.

Izzet Pasha has resigned as Turkish minister of foreign affairs. (Beating you to it)—Izzet possible?

We despise the Turk—which feeling we are thankful we are able to indulge at a safe distance.

Uncle Sam's running expenses never wait for the starter's gun nor stop at the tape.

Mustapha Kemal will do well to heed strait talk from the British government.

To the most amended of all tariffs, you hear no "amen" from the people.

**Love of Praise.**

The love of praise is generally connected with all the finer sensibilities of human nature. To be entirely destitute of all this passion betokens an ignoble mind, on which no moral impression is easily made; for where there is no desire of praise, there will be no sense of reproach. But while it is admitted to be a natural and, in many respects, a useful principle of action, it is entitled to no more than our secondary regard. It has its boundary set, by transgressing which it is at once transformed from an innocent into a most dangerous passion. When passing its natural line, it becomes the ruling spirit of conduct; when the regard we pay to the opinions of men encroaches on that reverence which we owe to the voice of conscience and the sense of duty, the love of praise, leaving then gone out of its proper place, instead of elevating, debases.—Doctor Smith.

**Foiling the Check Forger.**

A branch of crime that causes great loss to business men is check forgery. By the use of bleaching acids, ink erasers and "penning," checks made out for, say, \$10, have been altered to \$1,000, and cashed for this amount. When such a swindle occurs, the bank concerned is not responsible for the loss unless the actual signature has been forged. The only method of preventing these crimes is the use of the patent check-writing, of which there are about fifty thousand in use. The machine "shreds" the words and figures into the check. Acid-proof ink in two colors is used and a check would have to be destroyed before any alteration could be made.

**WYOMING MAN ROUND-UP WINNER**

Howard Tegland, winner of the world's bucking champion at Pendleton's Round-Up, made his ride in the finals on U-Tell'em. The judges declare that his form was excellent and that he scratched at every jump.

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**NOTICE OF STREET ASSESSMENT**

Notice is hereby given, that the Common Council of the City of Athena has duly levied and assessed against the adjoining property, the cost of the improvement of Hunt Avenue in the City of Athena from the North line of Main street to the North City limits of the City of Athena and that said assessment is now due and payable at the office of the City Recorder of the City of Athena.

Notice is further given, that all persons desiring to pay said assessment in ten annual installments must file an application, with the City Recorder, to make such payments, within ten days from the date of the first publication of this notice.

This notice is published by order of the Common Council, the first publication thereof being made on Friday, September 22, 1922.

B. B. Richards, City Recorder.

**NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT**

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

In the Matter of the Guardianship of the person and estate of Mary R. Follon, a person incapable of conducting her own affairs.


Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that John W. Keen the guardian in the above entitled matter, has filed in the above entitled Court and cause, his final account and report as such guardian and that the said Court has fixed and appointed Monday the 23rd day of October, 1922 at the hour of Ten o'clock a. m. as the time and the Court room of this Court as the place for final hearing of said account.

Dated the 22nd day of September, 1922.

John W. Keen, Guardian of the person and estate of Mary R. Follon, an incompetent person, since deceased.

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**Roy Cup of Walla Walla, Wash. 135 lbs vs. Red Leonard of Walla Walla**

**Swede Noreen, of Pendleton, Oregon vs. Garth Stahl, of Adams, Oregon**

**Gale Anderson, of Athena vs. Tarwater, of Walla Walla**

Ladies are especially invited. Curtain-raiser 8:30. Ringside \$1.50; general \$1.00