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With Medford Stop-Over

BARRETT OUTLINES HARMONY PLAN FOR AMERICAN STATES

PHILADELPHIA, April 2.—Urging expansion of the Monroe doctrine into a comprehensive pan-American policy, Director General John Barrett of the Pan-American Union, outlined today before the American Academy of Political and Social Science a scheme by which each country to which the doctrine applies would have under it the same rights of dignity and position as the United States.

This would eliminate, he said, the air of dictation and centralized power which Latin American countries have attributed to the United States in connection with the Monroe doctrine.

"It isn't the Monroe doctrine as a principle," explained Barrett, "but the interpretation put upon it which is so unacceptable to Latin Americans."

"If we called it a Pan-American policy they would adopt, absorb and enlarge upon it, as each nation would feel the same sense of independence as the United States. It would be plain to them that America was not trying to be papa and mama to the little countries of the south."

"It would be a long step toward a new era of Pan-American comity and confidence."

"The Present Status of the Monroe Doctrine," was the subject of a talk by Admiral Chester.

Admiral Chadwick gave it as his opinion that there never was and cannot be at present anything like a constitutional election in Mexico on account of the ignorance of a majority of the people. Central and South America will never be, he added, "white men's countries."

MONDAY LAST DAY OF GRACE FOR AUTOISTS

Monday is the last day of grace for autoists who have no state licenses. After that they will be haled before Prosecuting Attorney Kelly for violation of the state law. Those who can prove they have applied for license will be granted license, but a number have not turned a hair toward complying with the requirements, including some of the leading citizens. This is the second warning, the first being to procure licenses.

DON RADER GOES TO HELENA, MONT., TEAM

(From Oregonian) Jess Garrett's Helena club of the Union association has now been working a week and to say that Jess Garrett is pleased is putting it mild. The only unknown quantity at present is the quality of the pitchers. The announcement made yesterday, to the effect that Don Rader, the ex-White Sox recruit, had been sold by Lincoln of the Western league to Helena, is another substantial addition to infield strength of the Helena club. Rader has been teased about considerably in his short baseball career. He played with Pendleton in 1912 when Garrett was manager of that team. After the season he had a try-out with Nick Williams but he failed to please and started the season with Pendleton the next spring. He was later sold to the White Sox and after a short trial shipped to the Lincoln club for seasoning. He was called in and again turned back to Lincoln, but failed to report. The sale to Helena was the outcome.

ERASING OREGON FROM THE TOURIST MAP

COMMERCIAL bodies throughout the state ought to make a vigorous protest over the proposed rates for world fair tourists, whereby the Southern Pacific arbitrary charge of \$17.50 is added for making the trip either way through Oregon. This will keep tens of thousands from seeing Oregon and result in making the exposition of little real benefit to the state.

The Hill roads now propose to perfect traffic arrangements with the northern roads whereby the Southern Pacific charge of \$17.50 will be absorbed and exposition business handled by way of the magnificent Hill steamers now being built to ply between Astoria and San Francisco. This will send most of the tourists around Oregon instead of through the state, and no direct benefit will accrue to interior points from world's fair rates and traffic.

Portland, which has pretended to be greatly concerned lest the tourist will not stop at Oregon towns, now has a chance to show how much in earnest the metropolis is when the real interests of the interior are at stake, by leading the fight to eliminate or cut down the Southern Pacific \$17.50 arbitrary charge. However, it is more than probable that Portland's aid will be of the same sort it usually is, as exemplified by the financial assistance promised for Ashland's exhibit building—just hot air.

Instead of protesting the proposed elimination of Oregon, the Portland papers are actually jubilant over it, the Telegram remarking:

Wherein Portland would be the greatest beneficiary from such a traffic and routing arrangement on the part of the Hill forces lies in the fact that all eastern travel routed to the Panama-Pacific exposition by way of any and all of the northern group—including the Grand Trunk Pacific, the Canadian Pacific, the Great Northern, Northern Pacific and the Milwaukee—would enjoy stop-overs in Portland.

Of course, a stop-over in Portland is all that Portland is really interested in—for Portland is Oregon to the average Portlander.

The development of Oregon caused by the exposition travel will therefore become much like the development of Oregon occasioned by the building of Portland skyscrapers—of no real benefit—simply further over-development of its over-developed metropolis.

If the Southern Pacific has the real benefit of Oregon at heart, it will of its own volition cut down this differential or abolish it—but the Southern Pacific is primarily a California railroad, and unless public opinion is strong enough to compel action, there is little chance of interior cities of Oregon realizing any tangible results from world's fair traffic—for few will pay \$17.50 extra to see Oregon.

A LITTLE BRIEF AUTHORITY

THE action of the city officials and electrical inspector in prohibiting the exhibition of the Oregon State Game and Fish moving pictures at the Hotel Medford would have resulted in denying to the local public an opportunity to see these highly entertaining and instructive films had it not been for the public-spirited generosity of the management of the Page theater.

The ordinance under which the exhibition was prohibited was intended to cover fire-trap buildings where moving picture shows are conducted as a business. Exhibitions such as proposed by the Commercial club have been conducted all over the state in clubs, churches and halls not equipped for the moving picture business, and the brief exhibition proposed by the Commercial club in no wise endangered the building to a risk by fire. There is an automatic extinguisher upon the moving picture machines that effectually eliminates all danger of fire.

Because of an opportunity for a small and unnecessary official, whose office the people thought they voted to abolish, to strut and exhibit his brief authority, the Commercial club was compelled to postpone its booster banquet and abandon its plan of entertainment.

The mayor or the fire committee of the council could have granted the needed permit—but wouldn't.

THE PINHEAD IN POLITICS

THE ninepenny pinhead and hypocrite is now at the bat in Oregon politics. Like a mushroom growth, they are springing up all over the land with an unvaried monotony of mushy platform mouthings of economy, law enforcement and prohibition.

All this claptrap and modest self-appraisal is designed to catch the new and uninitiated suffrage just granted the tenderer sex. To read over the candidates' platforms one would think a reign of Boss Tweed, Murphy and Tammany was in full swing in Oregon.

The women of Oregon, like its male voters, will have many political mistakes to answer for, but let us pray that their enfranchisement does not mark the beginning of a reign of political hypocrites.

NO RECENT NEWS OF ROOSEVELT PARTY

NEW YORK, April 3.—Dispatches received here today say that Anthony Fiola, who headed a section of the exploring and hunting expedition of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, has arrived safely at Manaus, Brazil. No recent news, however, has been received from Colonel Roosevelt, who is exploring the Daviada river country. Roosevelt planned to reach Manaus early in April, Fiola said.

John A. Perl UNDERTAKER Lady Assistant 28 S. BARTLETT Phones M. 47 and 47-J Ambulance Service Deputy Coroner

TURKEY RAFFLING GAMBLING—CRAWFORD

SALEM, Or., April 3.—Holding turkey raffles, playing cards for drinks and betting on horse races are forms of gambling under the Oregon statute, according to an opinion of the attorney general given today to Joseph Putnam of Monument.

Look! Look! Smoke Governor Johnson cigars. They're made in Medford you'll like them.

MRS. H. L. LEACH Expert Corsetiere 326 North Bartlett. Phone 563 M.

"We Are Viewed With Alarm"

To the Editor:

I wish to congratulate the editor of the Medford Mail Tribune on his writing the best editorial in the issue of April 1 on the conditions of the Pacific coast states in reply to criticisms in "Life," a New York publication. This editorial of George Putnam's is the best production on the subject that I ever read; it ought to be published in every paper of the country. Such sentiments make the good, red blood tingle in every resident of the Pacific coast, both men and women; it expresses our sentiments in vigorous and concise language. "We are viewed with alarm," is an axiom which makes my blood tingle with pleasure. It is an acknowledgment that we are alive; no dead man is viewed with alarm. And as time goes on and we progress and we accumulate in numbers and influence, the effete east will have still greater cause for alarm.

The west is populated by the best blood from the east—men of enterprise and brain who wanted more elbow room; men that wanted to cut loose from the thread-worn and obsolete traditions of the east; men that make a new world with new and progressive ideas. The east was a good country to immigrate to two centuries ago. Those forefathers who came then were the worthy pioneers of liberty and progression and they developed the greatest country on the globe; but the descendants of those noble pioneers are living on the reputation of their forefathers. They have made no reputation of their own; they have settled down to a state of "innocuous desuetude" and have become a second-hand product, a degenerate race of worthy fathers. They want to impose upon the intelligent west; the second-hand thoughts of the effete east, not realizing that "the world do move," and that progress has entirely changed the conditions extant with their forefathers.

The people of the Pacific coast have an individuality all their own. Inherited individuality "don't cut no ice" here. Every tub stands on its own bottom and each person's character and individuality is of his own

making, regardless of the reputation of his ancestors. I came west because I wanted an individuality all my own.

My father was a most worthy man and a leading man in our community, and I was very proud to be a son of such worthy ancestors, and as I grew to manhood I was always introduced as Mr. James Howard, son of Captain Howard. Well, I never liked a second-hand individuality, however worthy its origin, so when father offered me flattering inducements to settle down at home I told him I wanted to go west and establish an individuality all my own. I did so, traveling the thousands of miles with my family and ox team, ever on, to the golden west, that I might be one of the pioneer citizens, and after I had been here in Jackson county for twelve years I went back with my wife and two children, which my parents had never seen. I felt proud to tell my father that I was firmly established as a respectable citizen of the great and progressive state of Oregon and that I had established an individuality of my own, and that I had been honest, was considered respectable, had never stolen a hog nor ever been a member of the Oregon legislature, all of which my father appreciated.

A large portion of the men of the east have traveled the old and ancient trails till they have been worn into ruts so deep that it seems impossible to climb out. In the west we are constantly blazing new trails and developing new counties. Blazing new trails has ever been an idiosyncrasy of mine. When a schoolboy of 10 years the wagon road to the schoolhouse went by a roundabout way, so I concluded to make a new trail and so tied bits of white cloth to the tall resin weeds to mark out the way across the unbroken prairie, and we traveled the new trail daily and soon had a well-defined trail by a shorter route.

I have been continually marking out new trails ever since. The people of the Pacific coast were characteristic for breaking new trails, and they are marking them so plain that the people of the effete east will be obliged to follow. J. S. HOWARD.

"Go to Church" Next Sunday

The "go to church" movement has swept all over the country, and with results that are most gratifying and full of encouragement. Thousands have attended church who had not done so for many years, and many of them have continued doing so since the movement was started. It is time for Medford to awaken to its responsibilities and to realize the wisdom, goodness and love of God by recognizing, in her, she has never done, the value of Christian churches in her midst.

People should attend church at least once a day as a duty they owe both to themselves and their Creator. It is a recognition of the many mercies He has bestowed upon them. It means a little sacrifice, and because it does is why it should be made, as that which costs something is what He requires of us. They should attend church because of what it has added to the material wealth and safety and prosperity and happiness of every community wherever it has been planted. A churchless city or community is lawless and everyone seeking a home for his family will pass it by. We can never fully realize what the church has done for us individually and as a city. It sweetens life, keeps up the standard of morals, strengthens character, gives inspiration and direction to our noblest impulses and aspirations, and is ever a bulwark against evil in its many hideous and subtle forms.

They should attend church because the human heart needs the comfort and help it brings. The church meets, as no other institution does, the needs and moods of every life. It helps every man in the battle of life. It sustains him when he most needs comfort, strength and guidance.

They should attend church because of the memories and associations which cluster about it. The lives of those whose names we hear were made richer and stronger and cleaner because they sustained it, and did so when it meant much to attend its services. All we have of peace, joy and prosperity we owe to them, and can do them no greater

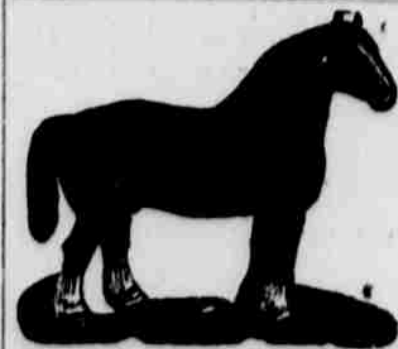
honor than, dead or living, to make a special effort, not only to attend church next Sunday, but every Sunday, until the habit becomes a pleasure and a privilege. In doing this we shall make the struggles of life easier and safer for our children.

They should attend church because today it is broader, wiser, saner, humaner, more of Christ than of creed and theological hair-splitting. It stands for righteousness, for justice to all, for an equality, for love, mercy and truth such as she has never experienced nor set forth. Today she deals with present-day questions more than with the hereafter. It deals with facts more than with theories, emphasizes the right things and leads all into the realm of the practical, to believe and do the essential things.

They should attend church because of the great fight it is making against the forces of evil, and the fearless way in which it is grappling with the problems of capital and labor, and every question which affects the destiny and well-being of humanity. While no one claims for her infallibility, she is, nevertheless, the best human institution with which we are acquainted, and which bears more than any other the impress of the Divine approval.

They should attend church because she ministers to us in baptism, in marriage, in sickness, sorrow and death, and helps to assuage all the ills of life. Let us make good our vows next Sunday and show by our presence that we have not wholly forgotten God and the temples in which He delights to meet with us. J. LAURENCE HILL, Medford, Ore.

Smoke Mr. Pitt. Cigars and help build up a pay roll for your own town.



DEAD HORSES Cattle and Hogs We Want Them We will remove them from your premises on short notice, free of charge, anywhere within a radius of 10 miles from Medford. Notify MEDFORD REDUCTION CO. Phone 237

QUIT MEAT IF YOUR KIDNEYS ACT BADLY

Take tablespoonful of Salts if Back Hurts or Bladder bothers—Drink lots of water.

We are a nation of meat eaters and our blood is filled with uric acid, says a well-known authority, who warns us to be constantly on guard against kidney trouble.

The kidneys do their utmost to free the blood of this irritating acid, but become weak from the overwork; they get sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and thus the waste is retained in the blood to poison the entire system.

When your kidneys ache and feel like lumps of lead, and you have stinging pains in the back or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or the bladder is irritable, obliging you to seek relief during the night; when you have severe headaches, nervous and dizzy spells, sleeplessness, acid stomach or rheumatism in bad weather, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralize the acids in uric acid so it is no longer a source of irritation, thus ending urinary and bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, and nobody can make a mistake by taking a little occasionally to keep the kidneys clean and active.

KLEIN FOR KLOTHES

Is still at the old stand next door to the First National Bank, upstairs. MEDFORD TAILORS

120 Acres for Sale

Orange, Lemon and Olive Land On railroad and river, one mile from Red Bluff, Cal. Price \$75 per acre. Address A. H. McINNIS Red Bluff, Cal.

DRINK HOT TEA FOR A BAD COLD

Get a small package of Hamburg Bread Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Tee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time during the day or before retiring. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores of the skin, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus driving a cold from the system.

Try it the next time you suffer from a cold or the grip. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore safe and harmless.

RUB BACKACHE AND LUMBAGO RIGHT OUT

Rub Pain and Stiffness away with a small bottle of old honest St. Jacobs Oil

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a 25 cent bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right into the pain or ache, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone.

Don't stay crippled! This soothing, penetrating oil needs to be used only once. It takes the ache and pain right out of your back and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica and lame back misery so promptly!

Theatre

Daily Change "Mutual Movies" Matinee 2:15 P. M. and 7 P. M.—5c

"The Love of Conchita"

"Spanish" (Majestic) BEAUTY IN THE SEA SHELL Tanhouser A CLOTHES LINE QUARREL Tanhouser Comedy Tomorrow THE STEP BROTHERS Thrilling American Western MAY AND DEU Broncho Comedy Drama MABEL'S NEW HERO Keystone Comedy

ISIS THEATER

Photoplays Friday-Saturday THE ROYAL SLAVE NO. 4 OF THE ADVENTURES OF KATHLYN Selig's Celebrated Serial Story SONNY JIM IN SEARCH OF A MOTHER Comedy MISS MILLY'S VALENTINE Comedy ADMISSION 5-10 CENTS

STAR THEATER

TODAY Daniel Frohman Presents The Daughter of the Hills In Three Parts A pastoral drama produced by the "Famous Player" Company of Stars.

The Doom of the Ocean

Three Parts A stupendous story of the sea, beautifully hand-colored

RAYMOND & TEMPLE

Presenting their clever vaudeville act, entitled "AN ARTISTIC ODDITY" Admission 10 Cents