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BLIMP BLAME FOR NOBILE COSTS ALL OFFICIAL LAURELS

LONDON, Eng., March 13.—(AP)—The Exchange Telegraph company this morning said it had been officially announced at Rome that General Umberto Nobile, commander of the ill-fated Italia ex-edition, had resigned his rank and office. The resignations were accepted.

The official board of inquiry into the Italia disaster last week placed direct blame upon General Nobile for the loss of the dirigible and censured him for allowing himself to be rescued from the ice first.

General Nobile had a long and distinguished military career with the Italian army. He was an ardent fascist and reached world-wide prominence when he flew with Roald Amundsen in the dirigible Norge across the North Pole from Spitzbergen to Alaska in 1926.

The flight ended in a quarrel between Amundsen and Nobile and the Italian was charged with mistakes in the handling of the dirigible. The flight of the Italia followed two years later. The ship reached the pole from Spitzbergen but crashed on the ice and was lost as it neared Kings Bay on its return.

KLAMATH PRISONER TO FACE MANN ACT TRIAL

PORTLAND, Ore., March 13.—(AP)—B. C. Thomas, United States commissioner at Klamath Falls, has been authorized by the United States district attorney here to charge Courtney Eaton, Woodland, Wash., farmer, with violation of the Mann act in the transportation of his 19-year-old daughter, Thelma, from Kelso, Wash., to Klamath Falls, where the couple was located Saturday.

Father and daughter are being held in Klamath Falls.

MARSHAL LISTS LOSS FROM FIRE IN STATE

SALEM, Ore., March 13.—(AP)—The total fire loss in Oregon outside of Portland for the month of February was $213,219, according to the report of Clare A. Lee, state fire marshal. Losses of $10,000 or more were: Ashland, hotel, $45,000; Athena, hardware store and contents, $35,000; Eugene, apartment house and contents, $12,000; Marion county, state training school, $51,000; Salem, apartments and theatre, $10,000.

POLICE CHIEF CHALKS UP RESCUE NUMBER 59

PITTSBURG, Cal., March 13.—(AP)—Rescue number 59 was chalked up by Chief of Police Charles Scudero today when he pulled Joe Meredith, 67, a sign painter from the San Joaquin river. Meredith fell into the river from a wharf. Scudero made his first rescue by saving a man from drowning in the San Joaquin river 20 years ago.

LOVELORN PANTRY MAN IS SUICIDE ON SHIP

SAN FRANCISCO, Mar. 13.—(AP) The steamer Admiral Schley, bound from San Francisco to Portland, returned to port last night with the body of Daniel Aguilar, pantry man, who committed suicide by shooting himself when the vessel was 3 miles out of San Francisco. Aguilar's messmates said he was despondent over a love afair.

Editorial Correspondence

SAN DIEGO, Cal., March 11.—A strong March wind has blown away the rain clouds, and the sun is shining today. There are whitecaps on the bay and seagulls are volplaning about in high glee. We started out for a golf game, but our prospective partner lost his hat as he turned the corner en route to the garage and got so much exercise before he finally retrieved it over in Balboa park, that he decided to call it a day. He said the wind would spoil his game anyway. That's one thing we can be thankful for. No wind can spoil our game!

Not to be cheated of our exercise, we took a stroll over to the zoo, and fed raisins to the monkeys. One old orang o' tang amused us by puffing on an unlighted cigaret butt. The way he picked off the strands of tobacco from his upper lip was highly entertaining. He wanted a light badly, but there was a "don't feed" sign on the cage, a park attendant was nearby, so we didn't take a chance. Much disgusted, he threw away the cigaret and picked up a piece of broken looking-glass. Turning over on his back he held the glass in his feet and examined his face with great care and interest, holding his funny mug this way and that. No doubt of it—he needed a shave. The though occurred to us that our early ancestors were better equipped for the shaving process than we are.

Uncle Sam has stopped airplane travel across the Mexican border. The big Maddox tri-motor planes no longer go to Agua Caliente. There are many Mexican rebel agents on this side of the border. They could charter a few of these planes for a day or two and get enough men and machine guns across to capture Tiajuana. Uncle Sam is doing everyting possible to help the Portes Gil government. From what we can learn, however, Editor Silver was a trifle too optimistic. No one seems to think the revolution is going to get very far, but it is not over by any means.

Al Jolson is still going strong at the race track. Yesterday the Broadcaster put on a record of Al singing his "Sonny Boy" and then introduced him to the grandstand. Al arose with that inimitable smile of his and waved his hat. The crowd clapped loudly and cheered.

A little later, Gene Normille, track impresario, and Jack Dempsey's former manager, walked in front of Al's box and asked him if he was "doing anything today."

"Doing anything?" replied Al. "Well, Gene, I'm gettin' lots of fresh air and sunshine (it was cold and cloudy). Ah'm goin' to eat tonight and ah still got a Rolls Royce to go home in!"

This made a great hit with the surrounding crowd. There is nothing the race track crowd likes better than to learn somebody else is losing.

Al is pestered by race track tipsters and handout friends, particularly down and out actors. One of the latter, with a big cigar and a cane, limped up to his box yesterday and openly touched him. Said he was at the Grant hotel; had a doctor every morning; took electric treatments—cost a lot of money; he had a sure thing in the next race but no money.

Al demonstrated his good nature has limits, and anyone trying to impose upon him will find he is quite able to take care of himself.

"See that gate over there? Well, you beat it; and be quick about it, too-" The afflicted thespian didn't wait for further orders, scuttling off like a scared crab.

No doubt many people in Medford think $100,000 is a lot of money to put into the newairport. Well, it is. But new airports, built for the future—as all airports should be—require a lot of money. Literally millions of dollars are now invested in airports in this part of California. In a very short time there will be either large airports or emergency landing fields every 10 or 20 miles between here and San Francisco. Air travel is the transportation of the future. No municipal project, involving such a sum of money, should be taken on faith, or on ballyhoo. Every citizen and taxpayer is justified in scrutinizing every detail of the project carefully. But we believe, as a general proposition, those who know the most about the value of airports will be most enthusiastic over Medford having one—one that will not only answer immediate needs but future ones.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tomlin left today for Medford via Riverside and Los Angeles. They expect to be homes in a week. Mr. and Mrs. Wheldon Biddle also left in the same general direction. By the first of the month probably all the Medford colony in southern California will be back—and the winter vacation season will be over.

R. W. R.

TAXIING AROUND The AIRPORTS

Night fliers on the route to Brownsville, Tex., are now aided by a standard rotating beacon erected atop the water tower of San Benito, Tex. It is expected that an auxiliary searchlight will be placed in operation in conjunction with the main unit which will project a shaft of light toward the Brownsville municipal airport, 20 miles southeast.

Rich Field, Waco, Tex., municipal airport, has been equipped with complete night lighting equipment. The installation includes a standard 24-inch rotating electric beacon, boundary lights and flood lights for landing. A recent bond issue authorized by the city provides funds for further improvements.

The Pocahontas air transport company has been organized to maintain and operate the airport at Bluefield, W. Va. Extensive improvements have been completed and still others are projected for spring and summer.

The Royal Palms Airways, Inc., at present operating from the municipal airport at Orlando, Fla., plans the establishment of a large airport at Plattsburg, N. Y. Plans call for development of a 1000-acre tract which borders on Lake Champlain which will be available for use of seaplanes. A flying school is to be the major activity and sponsors have drawn up elaborate plans which call for a completely equipped airport.

The Brownsville, Tex., municipal airport has been temporarily designated as an airport of entry by the treasury department. It is possible that in the near future permanent classification will be accorded this airport, since the United States-Mexico air mail route will have its northern terminus here.

Felix du Pont has completed a landing field on his plantation near White Hall, S. C. Two runways, measuring 1500 feet long, are now available for operations. The approaches are exceptionally good. The airport is to be marked at once and a wind cone erected. Plans call for other facilities to be added later.

The airport at Las Vegas, Nev., is to be discontinued owing to the fact that the present lease has expired and officials have found it impossible to renew it favorably.

Owing to the strategic position of Las Vegas, midway between Los Angeles and Salt Lake City, it is considered essential that immediate steps be taken to acquire a suitable location for a new airport. The present field will be continued in use until a new one can be provided.

OAKLAND AVIATRIX TO TRY HIGH HOP

OAKLAND, Cal., Mar. 13.—(AP)—Louise McPhetridge, holder of the women's airplane altitude record, had her airplane tuned up today for an attempt to break the women's endurance flight record of 17 hours, 5 minutes, 37 seconds, set last February 11 by Miss Bobby Trout at Los Angeles.

Miss McPhetridge said she would take off at 3 o'clock this afternoon. She set the women's altitude record of 20,270 feet last December 7.

Breezes Reigh Count.

NEWMARKET, Eng., Mar. 13, (AP)—Chick Lane, American jockey, rode Reigh Count, Kentucky derby winner, for a good gallop yesterday. He expressed his delight at renewing his acquaintance with the colt, which is looking and going well.

Personal Health Service

By WILLIAM BRADY, M. D.

Signed letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to disease diagnosis or treatment, will be answered by Dr. Brady if a stamped, self-addressed envelope is enclosed. Letters should be brief and written in ink. Owing to the large number of letters received, only a few can be answered here. No reply can be made to queries not conforming to instructions. Address Dr. William Brady, in care of this newspaper.

FOODS THAT MAKE THE NOSE WATER.

Another good reason why we should use the term CRI and never the term COLD is that there are so many other factors than the debatable one of cold and wet that may cause the symptoms of coryza, and if one is so dumb and unconcerned as to assume at the outset that the coryza is a "cold" there isn't much chance of a real diagnosis being made. Where the trouble happens to be from some particular item of food, for example, it may be a great relief to discover that it isn't from the weather or a draft, after all.

A German complained of symptoms of hay fever which had developed since he came to the United States five years ago. In Germany he had had similar symptoms, but of short duration, whenever he ate herring. On skin scratch test he proved sensitive to ragweed pollen and hickory pollen. Invariably when he ate herring he suffered from a severe spell of sneezing, stuffed nostrils and coryza.

A young woman complained of hay fever, which had recurred in May the last six years, and became worse each September. She proved sensitive to oak, ragweed and some of the grasses. But she also suffered from coryza in the winter time (when hay fever positively cannot happen), and this proved to be due to eating chocolate, peanuts or beans.

When one develops a rather sudden coryza, that is, a stuffing up of the nose, more or less irritation and sneezing, and a considerable watery discharge, all of which persists for a few hours, and clears up as suddenly as it began, one should begin to suspect that one has not taken "cold" at all, but rather that one is getting finical about some perfectly wholesome food or other.

A woman had suffered hay fever in August for the past 20 years; asthma now and then; hives whenever she had nothing else to occupy her time; queer sudden swellings of lip, ear, eye, a hand, a foot, from time to time; and migraine all her life. She had about everything in the way of anaphylaxis, had this lady. Finally she put on a beautiful coryza whenever she partook of pork, winter or summer.

A young girl who had been subject to hay fever from early childhood, began to have sudden coryza from time to time in the winter, and the coryza always cleared up as suddenly as it began. Anaphylaxis, no doubt. Yes, sure enough, she proved sensitive to potato. Avoiding potatoes she had no spells of coryza. She noticed that whenever she ate cantaloupe, there followed a sensation of thickened lips, blocking of the nose and sneezing. So they took canteloupe away from the poor child, too. In a whole year now, since this girl was weaned from potato and canteloupe, she had no coryza and no hay fever.

Turnip, tomato, corn, cabbage, olives, beets, radish, potato, sweet potato, in fact nearly all the more delectable vegetables and relishes have been found responsible for coryza in some instances. Some foods may make almost anybody's mouth water but so dumb and dogmatic are our old time doctors and health authorities that a lot of folk never learn a food may make one's nose water.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Books Thankfully Accepted.

A friend of mine has kindly offered me a fine set of books that belonged to a woman who had tuberculosis a year ago. It is safe for me to read these books?—Miss L. M.

Answer—There is no reason to fear the spread of disease in that way. If disease of any kind were so spread, every public library in the country should be closed at once, no matter about the fumigation rites some libraries still indulge in. If you hesitate to accept the books, send 'em to me—I'll be glad to have them.

Sneak Up on It and Gobble It Down.

Please give me directions for taking flaxseed for constipation.—Mrs. L. S.

Answer—First, gather your flaxseeds. Choose a bright sunny day for this, when there is little wind to disturb the flax bushes. Put on a pair of heavy woolen mittens with thumbs in them to permit a secure grasp on the seed. It is easier to pluck the seed from the lower branches first, and to ascend the tree by easy stages, using a double extension ladder with a cord attached to pull yourself up as you pluck the underbrush bare. Having filled your basket, seat yourself securely on the top section of the ladder, in the manner of a tobogganer, release the catch, and slide gracefully down into the garden. Now search the house for a teaspoon that is not in use. Fill it just comfortably with the seeds. Hold a beaker of water or something in one hand, the spoonful of flaxseeds in the other, and your nose, if necessary with the other. Take a good breath, close your eyes, deposit the teaspoonful of seeds on your tongue and invert the beaker in such manner as to chase the seeds down the esophagus. As soon as you realize that it is all over, you may come up for air and go about your ordinary affairs just as tho nothing had happened. Probably nothing will. But you see the idea is to take your mind off from that for the moment. If this ceremony is repeated regularly every day, it may help some.

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I guess ther's ten times as much love at first sight since knees come into th' open, but it don't seem t' last as long as it did when we used t' judge a girl by her face. Th' carpenters engaged t' remodel Ike Lark's home walked out t' day after removin' th' roof.

Your Income Tax

No. 33.

Under the "information at source" provision of the revenue act of 1928, all persons, "in whatever capacity acting," are required to report to the commissioner of internal revenue payments of fixed or determinable income to others during the taxable year of $1,500 if the recipient of such payments is single. If the recipient is married, report need not be made if the payments aggregate less than $3,500. If the married status of the payee is unknown to the payor, or if the marital status of the payee changed during the year, the payee is considered a single person for the purpose of filing an information return. A separate return of information for each employe is required of employers. The requirement is not limited to periodical payments, but a single payment must be reported.

Information returns are carefully checked with the individual return of the taxpayer to whom such payments are made. During the year 1928 many delinquent returns were secured as a result of the examination of information returns.

Oregon Weather.

Fair in east, unsettled west tonight and Thursday; probably rain on north coast. Heavy frosts in east tonight. Gentle, variable winds becoming southerly on the coast.

The Embryo Pot

By Hi Students.

Proof that there are not only some budding humor-columnists in the classes of Miss Mary Gilbert, head of the Journalism department at the local high school, but that they have been careful students of the well known Smudge Pot style, is furnished by the following clever contributions, submitted by the local students.

In spite of his title, "Southern Oregon's cynic," Art has been considered "one of the boys" and a real pal to high school students, and it is with genuine relish that the young humorists have "ganged up" on the Smudge Pot editor and decided to edit his column during his sojourn at the state capital.

"Lost—Black lady's handbag" (Medford Mail Tribune.) How can the finder tell a black lady's bag from a white lady's?

Freddie McKean appeared befor the high school assembly in a pair of conspicuous black and white suspenders.

DORIS BUNDY.

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At last there has been conclusive evidence presented which proves that a woman driver managed to get from home to her destination without getting in somebody's way.

California will soon be flooded with disillusioned Americans who have just sunk $100,000 in Mexico, only to lose it by the revolution.

The august school authorities have decreed that no rough-neck boys or girls shall hitch-hike to Salem, but there is no rule against their walking all the way.

The sparrows on the University Clubski lawn crawled into a woodpecker's nest and pulled the nest and a week's rations in after them yesterday morning.

ALLEN SMITH.

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A well-known pedagogue of tersichorean art thought he would scare the Medford high school kiddies by turning his elbows backwards and by gyrating his toes where his heels should be.

BERTHA SAYLOR.

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Many people from the country may be seen aimlessly wandering about the city thoroughfares for a few weeks to come for a certain reason. If questioned they will answer because the trees are shooting and the bullrushes are out.

People are always grumbling about their houses leaking and the water tax. If they only knew it, the best way to keep water out of the house is to definitely delay paying the water tax.

RUTH CLEMENT.

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It has been reported that Stanley Wilcox, high school yell leader, has been offered a contract by the House of David.

FRED COLVIG.

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HOWL AND GROWL
Or the Mystery of the Broad Back

With customary audacity F. Arthur Perry has left for the capital city, giving one of his fervent admirers a chance to expose his true nature.

Art Perry, or Perry of the Mail Tribune, as he is known to his many intimates, early in life showed an interest in orchard heating. Yet do not think that he started at the top of the Pot, nay, he has often been used as a filler. He has very cleverly concealed his love for birds and lorgnettes with nasal tones, but during the present spring he was detected fondling a little chick which had hurt its beak at the Monarch feed store.

Mr. Perry has a remarkable standing among humorists, having got a laugh from his famous wheeze, Lady Ford-Coupe 1234875 times. Thousands have wondered when "Pear," as he is often called, writes his basketball stories. He is in the local hash-house until it closes on Saturday nights, yet the story is in print in the morning. Mr. Perry once said that were it not for his art and the ties of his futuristic studio he "would have went" into opera. However, he is not built right for an usher. He has probably the widest back in Oreg. (This is known from personal experience at football games.) He has never been the same since the new stands were built, often being caught in front of more juveniles.

F. Arthur says that if he were asked to tell the secret of his great success it would be, "Just persevere until you find a job nobody else wants."

WILLIAM CONROY.

Mail Tribune ads are read by 20,000 people every day. tf

Quill Points

"I Faw Down and Go Boom" evidently has reached the other side. Wales has sold his horses.

If a few Englishmen can rule India because they are superior, why does a city submit to gang rule?

If he delights in using the word "conference," his bank balance is $83.60.

Some girls get husbands, and some never learn the art of telling men how wonderful they are.

You can tell a good hotel at a winter resort. The insects in the bedroom are native wild ones.

Virtue is that glow you feel when you walk past a steam-shovel or sign painter without stopping.

About all you can say for wedding presents is that they solve Christmas shopping problems for a few years.

It's queer. Texas and Oklahoma have a boundary dispute, and yet the people unwilling to kill one another about it aren't called darned pacificists.

Another thing a mere man never will understand is why another foot of exposed backbone isn't immodest after nightfall.

Americanism: Building machines to lessen physical effort and make more money to afford more leisure to take more exercise.

The ancients knew nothing of life in apartments, but Jonah got the same general effect.

"There's no pleasure for a woman in discussing a movie with a man. He never remembers what the star wore.

Another thing that made Col. Stewart wicked was the effort by Standard Oil of Indiana to encroach on the territory of Standard of New Jersey.

As a last desperate effort to make people stop at crossings, railroads might set up antique shops.

As a rule, the critic is a cloistered highbrow who scolds birds for their timidity because he never has seen an eagle.

Girls are warned that smoking makes the complexion yellow. Those who sneak their smokes, however, probably won't notice the difference.

The police situation in Chicago won't be hopeless until citizens who refuse to buy hooch are arrested for resisting an officer.

Correct this sentence: "Fighting is low and common," said the mother, "and if you refuse to do it, the other boys will admire you."

Communications

To the Editor:

The Grange is getting a lot of publicity and unjust criticism over the injunction recently obtained to prevent the state treasurer paying out the $25,000, expense money voted to themselves by our legislators.

The legislators were duly warned beforehand that they would be enjoined from receiving this money. As the warning was not heeded the step was taken. This was not done through spite or revenge. It was the desire of the Grange to know if it is legal.

We Grangers know the members of the legislature are entitled to more pay. In fact, we worked and voted for the bill increasing their pay when it appeared on the ballot in 1926. But we feel that it should be done in a lawful way.

The question must be settled. Nothing breeds lawlessness, especially among our boys and girls, faster than the belief prevalent that our law makers and those in power in the enforcement of laws are themselves lawbreakers.

R. E. NEALON,
Deputy Master, Jackson Co.

Brisbane's Today

(Continued from Page One.)

boy 12 years old. The boy is dead.

Doctors usually write their prescriptions so illegibly that the average citizen has no idea what is in them. That needs changing, if necessary, by law.

Misguided human beings, including British tories, have said that universal suffrage is bad. "Why," they ask, "should the ignorant, debased masses be allowed to vote when they cannot possibly understand government?"

In London, at present, the tories are being answered their own question, with a frantic effort to clean up the slums and thus get votes for the conservative party at the coming election.

The masses may be too ignorant to understand government, but they are not too ignorant to understand misery.

When you let everybody vote, the man in power must worry about EVERYBODY, instead of worrying only about his own class. For that reason it was very important to give women the vote.

Politicians might ask "What do the women want?" and try to give it to them.

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MUTT AND JEFF—Isn't Jeff a Great Help to His Pal Mutt? By BUD FISHER