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Editorial Correspondence

PASADENA, Calif., May 8.—Over to the Los Angeles athletic club to attend a noon day luncheon, our first appearance at such a function. The name of the service club was new to us, but there was nothing new about the ritual. Good food, trout fresh from Wallace Beery's mountain ranch, cucumber salad, pureed spinach and apple pie. A great deal of banter, back slapping, repartee, snappy singing led by an ex-college cheer leader, and a table-thumping, banner-waving speech by the guest of honor, a large muscular man of the Alabama-Heflin type, formerly a high school teacher, recently elevated to the faculty of the University of Southern California.

This speech was interesting for two reasons. First it demonstrated the supreme importance of physical magnetism in putting over a thing of this kind. The speaker had nothing new or startling to say, but he said it with such vehemence, was so highly charged with vitality and self confidence, that his effort was a tremendous success. His closing words being almost drowned out in applause and cheers. The program chairman regretted the speaker could not have talked for an hour and a half instead of only thirty minutes, and the club president turned this rather neatly by remarking that 30 minutes, he thought, was sufficient; for the talk was so crammed with information and inspiration that it was all the members could properly assimilate. But he did hope that at some future time, the speaker could give the club his hour and one half oration and he believed such a meeting should be open not only to the club but to all the people of Los Angeles. The present writer was not exactly damaged by the fact he was unable to attend.

The subject of the talk was the history of California, the speaker waving the flags of the various nations, as they settled in California, Spain, Russia, and England. The second interesting feature was the light thrown upon the newness of Los Angeles, as shown by the membership of the organization. In answer to the speaker's query there was only one native son of California present, although one member claimed the light thrown upon the newness of Los Angeles, as shown by the membership of the organization. In answer to the speaker's query there was only one native son of California present, although one member claimed the light thrown upon the newness of Los Angeles, as shown by the membership of the organization.

This revelation inspired the speaker to launch into a peroration on the California spirit, and pounding the table, until the cutlery bounced about as if in an earthquake, he called upon the members to forget their old home towns, cancel their subscriptions to the old home newspapers (this brought a big cheer from the press gallery) and become 100 percent Californians—think California, act California, KNOW California! Tremendous cheers, the meeting adjourned with everyone ready to march down Broadway, for the glory of the great sun-kissed state.

Amusing to an outsider from Oregon, particularly, as since the first two days, there had been no sight of the sun, but heavy clouds and showers. Nevertheless, that sort of spirit does things, and has been largely responsible for turning Southern California from a desert into a rose. Outside it was sprinkling dimly, but the club members marched out stepping high, warmed by the effulgence of that flag waving speech.

dressed accordingly, presenting a sharp contrast to the famous Grauman-skaya. However that was not Joan's, but the costume director's fault. Finally we are quite aware of this—we might pan the Grand Hotel till the cows come home, so might movie critics elsewhere, but nothing can prevent this film from being one of the sensational successes of the season. Every movie fan is going to see it—and they all should see it. From a theatrical standpoint we the great American people can't resist the super-star appeal,—and here instead of a star or two we have an entire solar system! R. W. B.

Today

By Arthur Brisbane
Five Sons, Four Killed.
President's Firecrackers.
The Big Bonus If.
The Theatre Tax.

President Doumer, much honored, will lie in the Pantheon near Sadi Carnot, only other president of the French republic, murdered during his term of office. This republic, has, in its records, the murder of three presidents in office, but this is a much older republic, with many presidents in its history. Doumer has gone beyond the reach of bullets, worries and ingratitude. His unhappy wife is left to mourn the wreck of her family. Every mother in the world will sympathize with her. When the big war started, she had five sons and a good husband. The war killed four of her sons, and now her husband is gone.

This country, happily, has no idea of that war's realities. The president sent a message, "on the state of the nation" to congress saying plainly that conditions are alarming and that congressmen, playing politics are responsible. That was followed by another statement, more specific and highly annoying to the senators and representatives, that are busy sacrificing the public interest to their own re-election. If the president had thrown into the house and senate as many lighted packs of giant fire-crackers as there are senators and representatives, he would have created no greater sensation.

There are even signs of a desire to do something regardless of home politics and the precious \$10,000 a year salary. The house body will meet again to reconsider the soldier's bonus, and unload the blame for its defeat on the senate. High finance, "sound banking," conservative opinion are all against the bonus BUT are not these statements true? The government, rightly or wrongly has agreed to pay and must pay the money, sooner or later, with interest. If it paid now the government would save eighty million dollars a year with interest on two billions.

Personal Health Service

By William Brady, M. D.
Signed letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to disease diagnosis or treatment, are 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 The Mail Tribune.

SINUSITIS IS NOT ANOTHER NAME FOR CATARRH

New Jersey correspondent takes me severely to task for my effort to abolish the word "catarrh" and, as he avers, to substitute a high sounding name for the same thing, to-wit, sinusitis. I plead not guilty. It is true I believe we might well abolish "catarrh," for of course there is no such condition. To say one has "catarrh" is merely to try to avoid confessing you don't know what the trouble is. Or if you are a healer or a nostrum vendor your remedy or treatment is sure to suit the sucker if he has "catarrh."

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS
Iodin Ration.
Have been taking iodine drops in water for the last two months, two drops each day. lately have increased this to three drops a day. One result I have noticed, I seldom feel tired now. . . .

Leg Cramps.
Your correspondent is correct as to the relief of cramps in the calves by pressing the feet on the foot of the bed. I find that just turning the toes upward will relieve instantly. We are much interested in your column and never miss reading it. Mrs. A. A. R.
Answer—Thank you. These suggestions from readers are always helpful to others.
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Markets

Livestock.
PORTLAND, May 9.—(AP)—Cattle, 1000 calves 60; slow, lower for vealers and calves. Steers, 600-900 lbs., good, \$5.50-7.00; medium, \$5.50-6.50; common, \$4.25-5.50; 900-1100 lbs., good, \$6.25-7; medium, \$5.50-6.50; common, \$4.25-5.50; 1100-1300 lbs., good \$6.25-6.75; medium, \$5.00-6.25; Heifers, 500-850 lbs., good, \$6-6.50; medium, \$4.75-5; common, \$3.75-4.75; cows, good, \$4.75-5.25; common, medium, \$3-4.75; low cutters and cutter, \$1.50-3; bulls, yearlings excluded, good and choice, (beef) \$3.25-3.75; cutter, common and medium, \$2-3.25; veal, milk fed, good and choice, \$5.50-6; medium, \$4-5.50; cull and common, \$2.50-4; calves, 250-500 lbs., good and choice, \$4-5.50; common and medium, \$2-4.

Portland Wheat
PORTLAND, May 9.—(AP)—Wheat: Open High Low Close
May 50 51 50 51
July 56 57 56 57
Sept. 58 59 58 59
Dec. 59 59 59 59
Cash wheat.
Big Bend Bluestem 70
Soft white 61
Western white 61
Hard winter 59
Northern spring 59
Western red 59
Oats: No. 2 white, 25
Today's bar receipts: Wheat, 18; barley, 1 flour, 14; oats, 2; hay, 1.

Portland Produce
PORTLAND, May 9.—(AP)—Butter: Prints, 92 score or better, 20-22c; standards, 20-22c.
BUTTERFAT—Direct to shippers: Station, 17-18c; Portland delivery prices, 17-18c pound.
EGGS—Pacific poultry producers selling prices: Fresh, extra, 14c; standards, 13c; mediums, 13c.
COUNTRY MEATS—Selling price to retailers: Country killed hogs, best butchers, under 100 lbs., 5 1/2c; 6c; vealers, 80 to 100 lbs., 7 1/2c; spring lambs, 9 1/2c; 12c; lambs, yearling, 6-8c; heavy ewes, 3-4c; canner cows, 3-4c; bulls, 8 to 5 1/2c.
LIVE POULTRY—Net buying price:

Jenkins' Comment
(Continued from Page One)
making and mortar and pestle-making Indians, or that the spot was associated with religious ceremonies and so was looked upon with superstition and awe and therefore not to be used as a dwelling ground. This would check with the notion of ceremonial priestly writings.
These, of course, are merely surmises, and are not to be accepted as having any authority at all. This writer does not pose as having any special knowledge along these lines.
THESE ancient writings, whatever they may be their meaning, by whom ever they were made, add still further to the romantic charm of this Southern Oregon and Northern California country—this country that contains so many, many things of unusual interest.
Colonel Alfred E. Clark, who is seeking the Republican nomination for United States senator, is the man who at his own expense accompanied Governor Julius L. Meier to Washington, D. C., to plead before the Board of Army Engineers for a favorable report from that body to have the Columbia river hydro-electric power project developed.—(Pd. adv.—Clark for U. S. senator committee, 820 Yeon Bldg., Portland, Ore.)

Flight 'o Time

(Medford and Jackson County History from the Files of The Mail Tribune of 20 and 10 Years Ago.)
TEN YEARS AGO TODAY
May 9, 1922
(It Was Tuesday)
Heavy frost prediction worries orchardists.
Secretary of state sends Haiti a "firm and emphatic note on sugar tariff."
State supreme court approves bonus bill.
Mayor Gates still pondering whether or not he will attend a Klan meeting, as an honorary member to determine if organization is "an un-American outfit." The Imperial Wizard at Atlanta, Ga., and the Grand Dragon of Oregon approve plan.
Reserve bank head announces "Prosperity has returned," and urged merchants to "put on full steam ahead."
TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY
May 9, 1912
(It Was Thursday)
Ashland mobilizes to "root out the courthouse," and plans to demolish building.
City council decides to use phone poles to post city notices instead of Mail Tribune.
Espee official on visit says "business conditions improving rapidly."
Murderer of Stanley Ketchell, champion pugilist, given life term.
Mayor Canon threatened with pneumonia.
Don Colvig and Miss Star Marshall are wed at sunset wedding.
Survey shows most of eating places of city unwholesome. People warned not to eat fish caught in Bear creek, causing wrath of fishermen to that stream.
Finds 4-Legged Turkey
GATEWAY, Ore., May 9.—(AP)—A. O. Miller, rancher near Post, reported today he has discovered in his flock of turkeys a turkey with four legs. The bird seems as strong and hearty as any of the others.

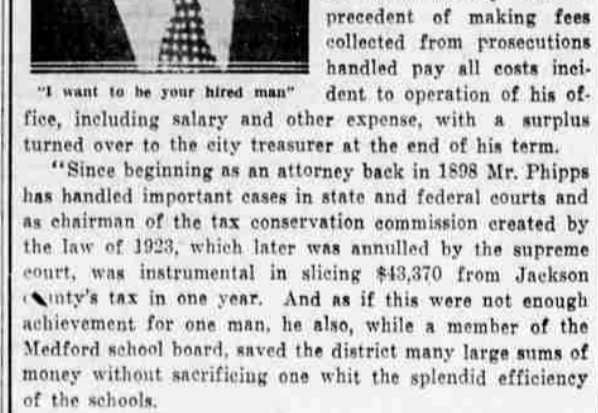
Wall St. Report

Stock Sale Standards (Copyright, 1932, Standard Statistics Co.)
May 9:
50 20 20 90
Ind's R's U's T's
Today 45.4 19.9 78.2 47.3
Prev. day 45.8 20.4 78.8 47.7
Week ago 43.4 20.7 78.2 45.6
Year ago 116.8 82.8 109.7 120.8
Bond Sale Standards (Copyright, 1932, Standard Statistics Co.)
May 9:
30 20 20 60
Ind's R's U's T's
Today 57.7 58.9 78.8 64.5
Prev. day 56.1 58.5 78.8 64.7
Week ago 56.9 60.2 78.5 65.2
Year ago 84.3 101.9 100.7 85.5
x—New 1932 low.

NEW YORK, May 9.—(AP)—The stock market was barely able to hold up its head in a listless session today. Closing prices were largely unchanged to a point lower, with a few wider losses. Transfers were only about 700,000 shares.
Wall Street's attention still converged upon Washington, and with important developments falling to materialize in that quarter markets were hesitant.
Today's closing prices for 15 selected stocks follow:
American Can 39 1/2
American T. & T. 90 1/2
Anaconda 5 1/2
Curtis Wright 1 1/2
General Motors 11 1/2
Int. T. & M. 5 1/2
Montgomery Ward 7
Paramount Pub. 2 1/2
Radio 4 1/2
Southern Pac. 12
S. O. of Cal. 18 1/2
S. O. of N. J. 25 1/2
Trans Am. 3 1/2
United Aircraft 10 1/2
U. S. Steel 29 1/2

Local Newspaper Endorses WILLIAM E. PHIPPS for Democratic Nomination for COUNTY JUDGE

The Jacksonville Miner says: "The Miner would like to express an opinion. Investigation and inquiry have revealed to us that in the race for county judgeship, there is one outstanding candidate, William E. Phipps, who is chalked up on the democratic side of the contest. Besides knowing Mr. Phipps personally, we have learned that he enjoys an enviable reputation, has had more than 30 years active law experience in Jackson county and has been a substantial taxpayer during the entire period. "Mr. Phipps not only has been one of southern Oregon's foremost lawyers but also has served as city attorney for both Medford and Ashland, and while serving for the latter city set the precedent of making fees collected from prosecutions handled pay all costs incident to operation of his office, including salary and other expense, with a surplus turned over to the city treasurer at the end of his term. "Since beginning as an attorney back in 1898 Mr. Phipps has handled important cases in state and federal courts and as chairman of the tax conservation commission created by the law of 1923, which later was annulled by the supreme court, was instrumental in slicing \$43,370 from Jackson county's tax in one year. And as if this were not enough achievement for one man, he also, while a member of the Medford school board, saved the district many large sums of money without sacrificing one whit the splendid efficiency of the schools. "William E. Phipps has consistently opposed excessive bond issues and public assessments, has followed a line of wise retrenchment and has always fought extravagance and graft, which accounts for the alienation of the affections of the so-called political 'gang.' "There is no doubt but that this veteran of the bar has proven his ability in an administrative capacity and as one who has an ample knowledge of law so necessary to the proper administration of legal matters in probate court. "We would certainly not think of hiring a sinner of the soil as a printer on The Miner and we believe it would be as foolish and wasteful for the voters to elect a layman to handle the legal and probate business of Jackson county. We sincerely believe the residents of this section are fortunate in having such a man as William E. Phipps, member of the American Bar Association and the state and local bar groups, available for nomination and election to the position of county judge."



"I want to be your hired man"

Vote for J. O. BAILEY (State Senator) FOR Supreme Court Judge Position No. 3 Qualified—Vigorous—Progressive He is conscientious and has the confidence and respect of all the people. —Paid Adv.

Ye Smudge Pot

It is only ten (10) days until election, and poison peddlers will be as busy as magazine salesmen working their way through college, and just as much of a nuisance. The campaign has been modernized. Instead of throwing mud, venom is squirted. Demagogues will run wild, like a bunch of bad boys, and the Truth will crawl into its hole and pull the hole after it. Farmers are expected to swallow all the hokey hurled in their direction, and vote to be saved. All who have been the victims of bad luck and poor lawyers are overladen with injustice, and this includes the native Oregonians with a \$3 license who lost the argument with the traffic department. Frenzied fil-throver and oceans of semi-idiotic blather will descend, and it is hoped, in the excitement, nobody gets pierced thru the abdomen with a bayonet. The sun will shine, and the birds will sing the day after the votes are counted, and no office is worth committing suicide over.

The balmy weather with its green and beautiful flowers and nice warm showers sure arouses the scenery of nature.—(Bucklin Herald.) All in all, a neat job.
The fair sex is fond of corduroy skirts, but are unable to get them as dirty as the corduroy pants, with a high school boy inside.
Speaker Garner of the house, and Democratic candidate for President, while puffing a cigar Friday set his hair on fire. It don't look like a man who is his own firebug, would be a safe occupant of the White House.

A man was playing a cornet around the county jail Saturday, but justice failed to overtake him or his instrument.
C. Hoover, the Fox Bulbosa king, towns set, in his farming clothes. He recently declared in the press he would rather "make a mountain green than get a million dollars." He admitted that owing to the depression, he is not apt to attain either goal, before fall.
The weather is almost warm enough for J. Court Hall to go fishing, and catch the rheumatism.
Washington is all upset because some man recently wore a dinner jacket instead of a full dress coat to a dinner at which the President was present.—(SP. Examiner.) Look where the nation is drifting!

Marsh Dana of Portland was a recent visitor. He is running for the senate, on the Democratic ticket. As he is a good man the party of Jefferson, Jackson, Cleveland, Wilson, Moses Barkdull, and the Canon's, father and son, will no doubt reject him, in no uncertain manner, at the polls. It was the first time Mr. Dana came to town without addressing the senior class of the high school.
Gasoline has gone up, due to the same economic force, that causes fruit jars to soar about the time the Older Girls feel like canning something for next winter.
Several aspirants for office have betrayed signs that they will be "robbed," "cheated," "deceived," "deflated," and "defeated." There will be several causes for this condition, but the main one will be the lack of votes.

FOREIGN MISSION WORK (Yeakum Items)
The Tenth Division of the Methodist ladies' aid will hold an informal "get-acquainted" party for their husbands.
"I find money is funny," Schwab told the interview.—(Oakland Tribune.) It's not any funnier than those who have most of it.