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A Good Appointment

THE appointment of Walter Olmscheid as temporary sheriff, will undoubtedly meet with general approval.

Mr. Olmscheid is a popular young man and a capable one. The fact that he was not an active candidate for the position, that in a sense the appointment sought him instead of he the appointment—removes it from the realm of local politics which is all to the good.

The temporary sheriff, moreover, while an active Legionnaire, and always affiliated with the forces of good citizenship, has not been conspicuously involved with either faction, in the recent deplorable turmoil, and therefore assumes office with no factional prejudice to overcome, or resentments to live down.

The 90 days during which he will hold office, promise to be important ones in the history of Medford and Jackson county. At the end of that period, the local situation SHOULD be definitely cleared up, and the community prepared to go full steam ahead, on progressive and constructive lines.

The matter of filling the position permanently, can well be left until that time.

The Insanity Plea

LAST Thanksgiving Day one Marceleno Julian, Filipino, went on a rampage in Seattle, with a bolo knife, and when he got through, six persons were dead, and 13 wounded.

Now on trial for his life, Marceleno we learn, is crazy. It seems he was a victim of jungle fever, which put a wild glint in his eye, and he suffered several spinal punctures when he contracted meningitis.

His attorneys don't want him to hang. They want him sent to a nice quiet insane asylum.

Now that is OK with us—an insane asylum, provided his insanity can be established BEYOND A REASONABLE DOUBT. Right or wrong this paper has always opposed capital punishment. We lust for no man's blood.

But we want that sentence to the insane asylum FOR LIFE, NOT for a few years, until the horrible killings have been forgotten, and then a sudden return to sanity, as was the case with the notorious Harry Thaw.

IN FACT we believe this whole business of insanity as a murder defense should be revamped and revised.

Laws should be made for one fundamental purpose—the protection of society. A killer uncontrolled by reason,—is far more dangerous to society than a killer who is sane,—who slays either rationally or in the heat of passion.

There can be some protection against the latter, but none whatever against the former.

The murderer who is unbalanced mentally, should be placed where he can kill no more—in the asylum for the criminally insane for life.

With such a law there would be fewer insanity pleas for those who are perfectly sane, but have no other defense.

A Good Example

MRS. FRANKLIN ROOSEVELT sets a good example regarding the matter of legalized beer.

She happens to be a teetotaler herself. But she will sanction the serving of beer at the White House, and refuse to sanction the serving of anything stronger.

In her recent statement she urged the people of the country to uphold the 18th amendment as long as it is a part of the organic law, and to do everything in their power to prevent an abuse of the beer privilege recently granted.

THIS is good sense and sound statesmanship. The people of the country should adopt a similar attitude toward the liquor problem.

Public opinion should be particularly firm, against those who are seeking to take advantage of this beer privilege, to flood the country with strong drink, and cash in on an orgy of intemperance and licentiousness.

Unless the American people as a whole show that they can prevent abuse of legalized beer, there will be little disposition to grant them greater privileges in the matter of intoxicants, and the cause of true temperance as well as of genuine reform, will be swallowed up in a general and overwhelming reaction.

The Folly of Race Prejudice

DICTATOR HITLER tries to justify his persecution of the Jews, by pointing out that the United States first recognized the difference values of races, and for generations has excluded the yellow races from American citizenship.

To the present writer, however, there seems to be a great difference between excluding races from entering a country, and depriving the members of one race, of their property and civil rights, WITHIN a country.

There would be no quarrel with Hitler if he wished to exclude Jews from entering Germany. But he is persecuting and denying fundamental rights to German citizens, who happen to have Jewish blood in their veins.

This is morally wrong, and in our judgment can only lead to disaster for the German nation. The action has already cost Germany a large share of that international goodwill, which she had started to regain, following the world war.

ONE need hardly dilate upon the contributions to German greatness made by members of the Jewish race, in the past, particularly in the realm of statesmanship, the arts, and the sciences. Nor is there any evidence that the members of the Jewish race, refused to accept their share in the sacrifice of blood and treasure during the world war.

In our judgment you can't indict a race any more than a nation. Certain national and racial prejudices are unavoidable. That the super-nationalism which Hitler has aroused should be antagonized by Jewish insularity, could scarcely be avoided.

But to allow this antagonism to determine a national policy, to encourage it, to stimulate it, and seek to profit politically from it, appears to us, not only wrong, but inexcusably stupid.

If the policy is persisted in, we predict it will prove as disastrous for the German nation, in peace, as the submarine policy of Von Tirpitz was in the world war.

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 The Mail Tribune.

LESS BATHING AND MORE HAND WASHING

Somewhat it has become noised about that I am again bathing. That is a mistake. I believe moderate or temperate indulgence is quite harmless in most cases. It is only when bathing is carried to excess that it becomes harmful to health. Of course a great many persons who happen to have old skins are more comfortable and hence on the whole more healthy, if they eschew the wet wash, for no matter whether it be hot or cold water, they only bathe to itch. But I want you to understand precisely where I stand so that when the propaganda director of the Beautiful Bath Institute gets to work on you, the old "sanitary" bunk won't make any serious dent in your pocketbook.

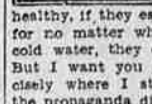
The frequency with which a person bathes has nothing whatever to do with his susceptibility to or his immunity against any known disease. If any alleged health authority seems to hold a different opinion about this, just ask him to name the maldy which bathing prevents. Then we'll have some fun with him.

I am unalterably opposed to all bathtubs except the minute fraction of one per cent of them owned and controlled by individuals as non-transferable equipment. No getting around a bathtub . . . it is not a clean thing to use if somebody else has used it before you, nor even if the last user has taken pains to leave no high tide mark or other data for you to ponder as you soak.

A shower bath is unobjectionable. I doubt if anybody ever catches even athlete's foot in a shower bath, though there is a fair chance to pick up the trichophyton fungus going and coming from the shower, if you don't wear your own individual slippers.

In my judgment entirely too much emphasis has been placed on the rite of bathing and too little on the duty of washing the hands. Bathing has practically nothing to do with health. Washing the hands has a great deal to do with health.

No license or permit to sell food or drink to be consumed by the premises should be granted by the city unless the place is equipped with adequate facilities for the patrons to wash their hands before taking the food or drink. Too many such establishments are tolerated in towns



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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS
 Hydrophobia-Phobia.
 Yesterday my nine-year-old son was bitten by dog. The skin was broken and I applied merurochrome. Should I have taken him to a doctor? In the event that the dog should ever go mad would my son be affected? Would it be too late to have the bite burned out now?—Mrs. L. H. M.

Answer—You did all I'd do if it were my son. Unless the animal has rabies at the time of the attack, the person bitten has nothing to worry about. I think an immediate application of iodine (or even merurochrome) to a dog bite is sufficient protection against any contingency in any case. The cauterizing of such an injury is in my opinion, barbarism and nothing more.

Beware the Spray.
 Last spring my seven-year-old son came home from school one day and said, "Mother, a boy coughed in my face, and he is home now with whooping cough." The inevitable happened—Robert came down with the disease and so did his younger brother. So please do what you can to make people understand the importance of covering sneezes and coughs with handkerchief or hand . . . —Mrs. M. A.

Answer—If I could conscientiously hand out the conventional advice about sneeze and cough spray it might be done, but I have to warn against polite conventional spray at the same time, for I believe that is the chief mode of infection, and people generally resent being told that any such hazard exists. The only difference between an uncovered cough and polite conversation spray is that the spray of the latter does not carry so far.

Communications

Quits G. G. C.
 To the Editor:
 I wish to publicly announce my withdrawal from the Good Government Congress here. C. M. POLLEFFE, Trail, Ore., April 6, 1933.

Jenkins' Comment

(Continued from Page One)
 method whereby the man who bor-

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

April 7, 1923.
 (It was Friday)
 Louis Ulrich is installed as exalted ruler of the Elks.
 Seven banquets scheduled for next week.
 Hallstrom misses Talent and Phoenix districts.
 New York girl dances 86 hours without stopping.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

April 7, 1913.
 (It was Monday)
 Rush of taxpayers to the courthouse to avoid delinquency penalties.
 City serves notice that owners of chickens running at large will be arrested under city ordinance.
 A Thannouser picture, "The Pretty Girl in Lower Five" at the Star; "Elsie Escapes Paying the Fiddler" at the It; "Hate in the Rockies" at the Isk.
 Governor West declares war on "red light evil" in Oregon.
 C. E. Gates, "the man who made automobile a pleasure" has just unloaded another carload of Overland cars. The cars are of the latest make

and are fully equipped with electric self-starters and electric lights. In the shipment was a Kissel car which was at once disposed to Dr. E. H. French. It is a beauty. Mr. Gates is doing a rushing business this season.

Communications

Open to Religious Bodies.
 To the Editor:
 In the Mail Tribune of March 31, 1933, in the Derby news, there is an item as follows:
 "Sunday afternoon meeting of singing and study hour will be held regularly with Mrs. Frank Hill. The closing of the schoolhouse against the community makes it impossible to conduct them in a more public place."
 Please publish the following statement from the school board of district No. 31, Derby:
 There is no truth in the above statement, as school board of district No. 31 of Derby has never refused the schoolhouse for any religious meeting.
 Signed by the school board:
 CLYDE DRISKELL, Chairman.
 H. E. WEBB.
 FRED DUNLOP.
 MRS. H. E. WEBB, Clerk.
 Eagle Point, Ore., April 5, 1933.

The Educational Crisis.
 To the Editor:
 America believes in progress and yet, according to the report of Prof. Paul R. Mort, an associate director of a commission appointed by President Hoover to investigate conditions of school finance, 9,000,000 American children are being deprived of elementary schooling.
 This country can not produce high-minded future citizens unless something drastic is done about this crisis in education.
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