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The Talkies Clean Up

THE plight legitimate drama finds itself in may in a large measure be due to inroads of the motion picture industry, but in the opinion of the Duluth Herald the stage is just reaping the benefit of a misguided policy. The stage has gone the limit of indecency, says the Herald, and its degeneracy now is bringing a reaction of poor business. On the other hand, the Herald says of the motion picture industry that it has seen the error of questionable pictures and henceforth decency will be its guide.

To quote the Herald:

"The motion picture industry, through Will H. Hays, president of its organization, recently announced a new code of ethics which, by agreement of all the producers, will govern the production of motion pictures hereafter. It is greatly to the credit of this industry.

"In a word, 'decency' describes the code which the motion picture industry, of its own motion and without any compulsion from censors, has imposed upon its own productions.

"It means that the modern talkie is not going out of its way to court the patronage of those whose tastes are depraved, or to offend the decent instincts of decent people.

"There is a wide field for drama of every kind without offending any reasonable scruple, and the movies will not be worse but better for this discrimination.

"The stage has gone the limit of indecency, and its degeneracy now is bringing a reaction of poor business. The motion picture is wise in avoiding these excesses and the inevitable reaction."

It would be more to the point to poll 20 million citizens to find out how many are obeying the law.

Mecken's latest book ridicules Christianity. You will remember that he also ridiculed the South and West without having seen them.

Money will buy just so much leisure and if you don't take your share of it your children will take too much.

EDITORIALS FROM OVER THE NATION

A UNIQUE BROADCAST

R. C. O'Brien in Judge:
Ladies and gentlemen: This is the third round of the championship fight between Kid Wotols and Battling Axel, brought to you through the courtesy of—never mind, we're not advertising anything. When the bell rings for the fourth round, it will be exactly ten-fifteen. Well, not exactly, but that's close enough, and by whose watch or what make of watch it is, none of your business. Now that the round is over, will turn the microphone over to a fellow who doesn't care to have his name mentioned. And, who do you suppose is sitting behind me here at the ringside? And, who do you suppose cares?

There is some commotion over on the other side of the house because a distinguished person has just come in. Anyway, he looks distinguished, and somebody is yelling for him to sit down, as everybody has seen him by this time. Important people take the longest time to get seated.

For the benefit of those who are just tuning in we are at a prize-fight, and the only reason that I am not describing it blow by blow is that every one of these things sounds the same over the radio. It's enough for me to say that the two boys are dancing around and punching each other. There they are in the center of the ring, punching each other. Now they're at the side of the ring, punching each other. Now they're running around the ring, punching each other. That's all for fifteen rounds.

Wait a minute. Here's a friend of mine. I'll have him say a few words to you. Come on over, Anonymous, and say hello to the folks, but don't tell them who you are, because we're not advertising today. (Other voice): Hello, folks, this is me. I just wanted to say I'm here. (Anonymous): Well, you heard him and what he had to say, and that's about a consensus of what you'd get if I put a dozen on, one right after the other.

Well, folks, the fight's over and the decision was a draw. That probably means that both boys will dance around and punch each other again in a few weeks. It's a great racket if the customers don't weaken. And so we are

now signing off and returning to the studio. And you can have all the guesses you want as to what station this was broadcast over and who I am.

THE CHILD'S MIND

Milwaukee Sentinel Dr. John Guy Fowles of the University of Wisconsin raises a point. He said: "If an adult can guess what a child will do in certain situations, he will avoid being stamped by the youngster. Sharp reprimands, displays of anger, rebukes, punishments, are all defensive mechanisms employed by the adult because the child 'beats them to it.'"

Few parents are aware of the permanent effects of their thoughtless words upon a child. They do not know that chance remarks, forgotten by them, impinge on the child's mind, sometimes forever, twisting his personality, impairing his adaptability. Many cases of "isolated personalities" are traceable to injudicious reproaches by parents to small, impressionable children.

The isolated personality, which shuns the society of others and is in turn shunned by them, with a lifetime of yearning and unhappiness resulting, is caused too often by careless parental criticism. Consider that the young child looks to his parents as to gods and accepts their most casual opinions as final, and you may perceive how the seeds of inferiority complexes are sown. The child may not retain what was said to him in his conscious memory, but it remains with him nevertheless. Even if he does consciously remember the damaging pronouncements and in his maturer judgment discounts them his habits of mind may be hard to change.

Parents should be careful. Dr. Menninger, in his new book, "The Human Mind," has much to tell them.

FLOODS DELAY TRAINS

SPENCER, Idaho, April 8. (AP)—Two train loads of passengers bound for Butte, Mont., were stranded here today by a washout of Union Pacific tracks in Beaver Canyon. One train load has been here since Sunday evening. The other since yesterday. Prospects were that trains would resume service today.

DAILY LETTER ON AFFAIRS AT U. S. CAPITAL

The Crumbling South Keeps Up Its Interest in National and Moral "Purity" by Bringing Pressure to Bear On Indecent Literature and Illegally Admitted Aliens.

BY RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Many Southerners will take this as a compliment and others may get sore about it, but the fact is that the south has done and is doing far more than any other section to keep the country "pure."

Racial purity, national purity, moral purity and the prohibition kind of purity—all these are the especial concerns of senators and representatives from below the Mason-Dixie line. These men know well the hearts of their constituents, so whatever credit goes to them must be passed on to the folks back in the states.

Church Influence
This Southern influence has been visible for a long time; lately it has become more apparent than ever before. Southern Methodists and Southern Baptists, their wishes law to their elected servants in Congress, have always been the backbone of the prohibition forces here. Now these same elected servants either acting under pressure from home or voluntarily in the hope of continued reward, have led the assault on indecent and radical literature and upon the aliens within our gates.

The partial defeat of the attempt by Senator Bronson Cutting's attempt to end federal censorship of foreign literature was a southern victory. There was no record vote, but the southern Democrats piled in with Republicans to support Senator Smoot's compromise amendment providing that customs officials should seize books they considered obscene and take them to the federal court.

But no compromise figured when Senator Broussard of Louisiana, moved to restore the tariff bill the House provision to bar all foreign books "advocating or urging treason, insurrection or forcible resistance to any law of the United States." Hundreds of educators and other public men had protested that it would be used to proscribe much radical literature of distinct educational and scientific value. But the south stood firm. Only George of Georgia was found voting with Republican progressives and northern Democrats as the Ramsdell motion was passed by more than 2 to 1.

The Alien Bills

Consider now the several bills which have been introduced to deal with aliens and which have received more than ordinary attention since American Communists began to capitalize unemployment with public demonstrations.

The House bill for compulsory registration of aliens has been introduced by Congressman Aswell of Louisiana. There is a Senate bill with the same purpose, sponsored by Bleasde of South Carolina. And Senator Tom Heflin of Alabama, fighting with his back to the wall to retain his seat, and grasping at every chance to attract support at home, has a resolution for a census of all for all of them who came in illegally. The only milder bill dealing with aliens, proposing voluntary registration, was introduced by Congressman Cable of Ohio.

These alien bills will find support elsewhere than in the south, but elsewhere they will also encounter heavy opposition. The point is that members from southern states can afford to introduce them; they have no foreign born constituents who might take revenge.

Revival Continues At Baptist Church

The revival at the First Baptist church at the corner of 5th and Washington, is still in progress under the direction of the pastor, Leonard Sigle. Bob Milan, revivalist who has been here for the past two weeks, has returned to Texas, but the services are continuing.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and listen to these services.

THEATRE OWNER ROBBED

SEATTLE, April 8. (AP)—David Himelbock, manager of the Coliseum, was kidnapped and robbed of \$1700 today by two robbers, who appeared at his home before he was out of bed.

Himelbock was forced to dress and accompany one of the men to the theatre in his own car, where the robber took the cash, after firing once into the ceiling to force Nick Schmitt, assistant manager, to open the safe. The holdup man then disappeared in the manager's car.

Timely Quotations From People in the Public Eye

"Something is wrong with everything."—Professor William Lyon Phelps.

"The sheer pleasure of living has decreased appallingly."—Joseph Hergesheimer.

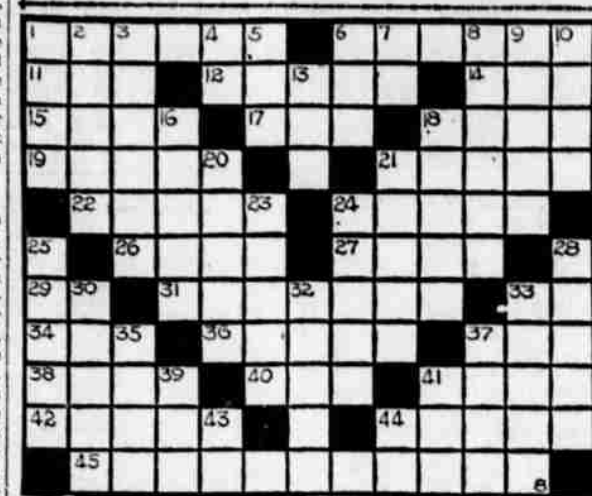
"It seems to me that the great ideal of America is still to vindicate democratic government in a doubting, if not a disbelieving, world."—Newton D. Baker.

"An asylum for the sane would be empty in America."—George Bernard Shaw.

"Laws should be like clothes. They should be made to fit the people they are meant to serve."—Clarence Darrow.

"Character is before money or property or anything else. Money cannot buy it."—J. Pierpont Morgan.

A Famous Poet



HORIZONTAL
1. Oliver Wendell—? 6. Capital of Austria. 11. Wing. 12. Egg. 14. To help. 15. To split. 17. To drag. 18. To obey. 19. Pertaining to ebb of the sea. 21. 5280 feet (pl.). 22. At no time. 24. Reckless. 26. Ten cents. 27. Tart. 29. You and me. 31. Corporal. 33. Dad. 34. Simpleton. 36. Titled.
37. Tablet. 38. Grandparental. 40. To bow. 41. To carry. 42. To divide. 44. Auctions. 45. Separation from others.
VERTICAL
1. Stag. 2. What is the liquid part of fat? 3. Disembarked. 4. Exclamation. 5. To harden. 6. Promise. 7. Within. 8. Spiked. 9. Baseball teams. 10. Totals. 11. Wand. 12. Richard Harding—? 13. To ape. 14. Citric fruit. 21. Moldy. 23. To furnish anew with men. 24. Destined. 25. Disciple who betrayed Christ. 26. Abode of the dead. 30. Rescues. 32. Amidst. 33. Thin plate. 35. To futter. 37. Sport. 39. Limb. 41. Fish. 43. Railroad. 44. Street.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER
SLATED PARADE
HAREM WATER
AVENUE BECOME
MEAT ROE EPIC
W TAPES T
FAGER A TRADE
DRAKE L RAVED
TRESS RIMES
PEA TULIP RID
ERG LEASE TRY
RYE EDGED SEE

Thoughts We've Been Thinking

(Continued From Page One)

Some job they have given to Fred.

It has now been settled that any person becoming of age before May 16th can vote in the primary elections. Who thought differently?

"LET butter be the only spread for your hard-earned daily bread," says a Portland high school girl and immediately the butter-makers of the state adopt the slogan. It is a good one, and it is evident this girl has not been fed any of the many butter substitutes or she could not think so clearly.

THE usual story came out of Salem. A few days ago news told of the state's strained financial condition, and now comes a story telling the good condition of the state treasury. The book-keeping end evidently casts up a bunch of figures ever so often and immediately the story goes out.

If Oregon is not in good shape financially after all of these "fancy" taxes are collected there will be something wrong. Added to the tax on real estate and in-

dustrial which has always been levied, comes the "excise" tax, the "intangibles" tax, and we are about to vote on a personal "income" tax.

The man in business today is paying taxes each time he turns around and all to what purpose?

Merely so the legislature will have more money to spend. If reality were relieved from its burden by the new taxes it would be some excuse, but look at your assessment and see whether or not you have been relieved.

It is the same old story—more money in the treasury, more places to spend it. The "excise" tax is one that every institution will feel.

Advertising Main Topic at Luncheon

The regular weekly meeting of the Klamath Realty Board was held Monday in the Pelican Grille, presided over by C. S. Montelius, president. A lengthy discussion of advertising for the board was held.

Perry O. De Lap spoke briefly to the members on the matter of taxation and how the realtors could be relieved from such heavy taxation. He also spoke on the extension of the soldier's loan matter.

ERRORGRAMS



THEY'S Scrambled Snortcat
Makes a difference.

There are at least four mistakes in the above picture. They may pertain to grammar, history, etiquette, drawing or whatnot. See if you can find them. Then look at the scrambled word below—and unscramble it, by switching the letters around. Grade yourself 20 for each of the mistakes you find, and 20 for the word if you unscramble it. Turn to the back page and we'll explain the mistakes and tell you the word. Then you can see how near a hundred you bat.

SUISUN BRIDGE LIGHTS BEACON FOR AIRSHIPS

SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—Completion this fall of Southern Pacific company's new \$12,000,000 railroad bridge across Suisun bay, north of here, will not only mark an outstanding development in transportation facilities for that company, but will provide the foundation for one more giant beacon to guide travelers of the air.

This was revealed here today with the announcement that Southern Pacific has applied to the aviation section of the United States department of commerce for approval of a lighting system to be installed on the bridge.

High Above Water
The bridge, which is expected to be completed about Thanksgiving day, will have a maximum elevation of 156 feet above mean low water, and the railroad seeks approval of a complete lighting system which will warn and guide aviators flying at night or during heavy fog.

The central feature of this lighting system will be a 24-inch, 2,000,000 candle power, red light, which will flash every thirty seconds.

Airway code lanterns will also be installed. The airway code lighting system, in turn, will be supplemented by a marine lighting system for ships plying the upper reaches of San Francisco bay.

Strike Water at 1104 Foot Depth In Henley Area

Another evidence of good water obtainable in Klamath county is the well which C. V. Enloe has just completed drilling at the Jory ranch, located 8 miles south and 1 mile east of Klamath Falls, in the Henley district. Drilling ceased at 1104 feet and an abundance of good soft water found.

Fine Quality Water
Several similar attempts have been made in this district and five trial wells drilled near the Henley school house with no success. Mr. Enloe stated that a belt of bad water runs south-east of Klamath Falls from Henley south to the marsh, and this was the first attempt made to get good water in that belt which proved successful.

Struck Gas Pocket
A peculiar experience was noticed when, after drilling 1070 feet, a gas pocket was hit and the water in the well flowed at 100 gallons a minute for several days until the supply exhausted itself and the water settled. It was then necessary to drill another 34 feet before a permanent supply of water was found.

Southern California has more acres under cultivation than any other state in the Union, and the United States has more than any other country except India.

EIGHTEEN YEARS AGO IN KLAMATH

Maybe Klamath Falls will be on another line of railroad this year, despite the fact that there seems to be no possibility of completing the Espe's Klamath Falls-Natron cut-off during 1912. Such rapid progress is being made on the easterly part of the Modoc Northern from Fernley, Nevada, on the Central Pacific to a point fifteen miles north of Susanville, that it looks as though the nearer portion, connecting the latter point with this city, could be completed before New Year's Day.

When, if ever, is a salmon trout a salmon trout? Also, whose word is best on the subject, that of David Starr Jordan, of Leland Stanford University at Palo Alto, Cal., who says there are salmon trout, or that of W. H. Shelby, superintendent of hatcheries for the state of California, who says that there is no such fish as a salmon trout?

At a recent meeting of the Klamath Falls Commercial Club the alleged importance of alien laborers was discussed, and the club adopted resolutions in substance as follows:

"We believe employment of such men unjust to American citizens of our county and state, detrimental to proper and rightful interests of the citizens, particularly to the laboring classes, and the business men of the county, and to the interests of the county as a body politic. We are surprised and disappointed if the reports be true."

To the manager of one corporation alleged to have employed a number of Greeks which it imported expressly for the purpose, the club sent a copy of the resolution, but the manager failed to respond. In its letter to the manager the club requested that he furnish the facts about the matter.

According to the summer itinerary of the American Geographical Society of New York, a number of its members may visit Crater Lake Park. The visitors are expected to come to look at the park about August, going

through Oregon on the Southern Pacific. Included in the party are fifty or sixty scientific men representing societies of Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Germany, Great Britain and other countries of Europe.

MINER ENDS LIFE
ROSEBURG, Ore., April 8. (AP)—John Gibson, 40, a trapper and miner in the Coffee creek district, a remote section of the south Umpqua territory above Tiller, yesterday committed suicide and attempted to cremate his body in an abandoned cabin. He had been suffering from a leg infection. Notes he left said he had decided to end his life rather than to remain a cripple and a burden on friends.

BANDITS HAIRY ANTE
MEXICO CITY, April 8. (AP)—Dispatches from Tepic today said that the bandits holding J. E. Bristow, American oil operator, had raised their demands of ransom to 40,000 pesos (\$20,000).

A quality you
would want if
you knew all
of the facts

fact
no. 15

Coffee flavor is the most sensitive thing that enters your kitchen—easy to go wrong. Try to make cheap coffee and good coffee on successive mornings—week after week. How good will your good coffee be? And it is far more difficult in blending and roasting coffee. There is only one place where only good coffee is made—the Schilling roasting rooms. No cheap blends—no 2nd or 3rd grades are ever found there. The finest things usually come from those who make fine things only.

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The Wonder of Wonders.

Mystery.

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Look Out For April 11th

Powerful—Yes!
because it has
the biggest engine
in any six of its price

The New Series Pontiac Big Six engine is the biggest in any six of Pontiac's price. That is why Pontiac can develop 60 horsepower and turn it into such high speed, fast acceleration and exceptional hill-climbing ability.

LARGE CARBURETOR. The power developed by Pontiac's large engine is due in part to a large 1 1/4-inch carburetor, equipped with an accelerating pump and an internal economizer.

OTHER FEATURES. In addition, the power plant has a positive gasoline pump, a large three-port intake mani-

fold of improved design and a positive full pressure oiling system which assures ample lubrication at all engine speeds and results in long life.

Come in and arrange to take a New Series Pontiac Big Six for a trial ride. At the same time you can learn how much Pontiac has to offer in comfort, style and durability.

Prices are f. o. b. Pontiac, Mich., plus delivery charges. Shock absorbers standard equipment. Bumpers and spring covers at slight extra cost. General Motors Time Payment Plan available at minimum rate.

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