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ESPEE ACCEPTS DECISION

Thoughts We've Been Thinking

No Question About the World Moving Steadily Forward. Is a Locomotive a "He" or "She"?—Detroit Free Press Answers Question. One Executive's Suggestion for Methods of Advance — Not Content With Doing Daily Routine Duties Alone. New Service Invented Before Wants are Realized.

—By BRUCE DENNIS—

ANY hesitancy over a positive answer to the question as to whether the world is moving steadily forward now should be definitely put aside remarks an automobile enthusiast. A new process assuring longer life for rubber, especially in vehicle tires, has been announced. That follows quickly news of the perfection of an automatic device for the jacking up of cars which can be operated by the mere pressing of a button on the dashboard.

Is a locomotive a "he" or a "she"? The Detroit Free Press explains: A modernist writer of advertisements for the Northern Pacific railroad has stirred up something of a ruction by using the pronoun "he" in describing a new monster locomotive acquired by the company. Some of the old timers insist that an engine is feminine and ought to be called "she," and even the college professors have been drawn into the fray. Mark S. Gross of the University of Detroit asks how the feminine pronoun accords with "massive bulk towering above the rails." And President McCracken of Vassar, on the other hand, equality that "in the interest of equity, since frequently the term 'a man' is used to indicate a human being of either sex, it would seem only fair that the pronoun of affection should continue to be feminine." And so it goes.

Modestly we beg to interpose, not a suggestion, but merely a remark. Among hardened railroad men the pet name for a locomotive is "hog," or by way of variety, "pig," and any firm man will explain why, with or without expletives. Having said which, we step aside and allow the champions of "he" and "she" to continue their debate.

I ASKED one executive who is steadily coming to the front whether he could offer any suggestion to other ambitious to advance. He replied: "I can only tell you my own system—my own secret, if you want to call it that. As you know, I have a lot of what you might describe as regular or routine work to do every day—I haven't got to the point where I can delegate all my duties to others. But for years I have made it a fixed rule not to be content with doing merely the things that fall to my lot to be done day by day. I early made a vow that I would do my darndest to think up something extra to do each day, something not on the calendar, but something which would contribute in some measure to the progress of the business."

"By following this plan as vigilantly as I know how I have never fallen into a rut. While I don't know it, I rather imagine it was these extra things I kept on doing which first attracted the attention of my superiors. What may strike you as strange is the fact that, instead of it steadily becoming harder

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Aunt Het



"I ain't goin' back to them specialists. They passed me from one to another like I was a dish o' beans, but they don't get no second helpin'."

MAN HURLS FIVE OVER HIGH CLIFF

Ray Spang Then Jumps 70 Feet Down Rock to Own Death.

FAMILY ON W/ PICNIC ATOP

Man Mentally Police Believe; Veteran and Recently Arrived From Brooklyn Naval Hospital; Three Bodies Recovered From Base of Cliff This Afternoon.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 21. (AP)—Ray C. Spang, 35, of Ansonia, mentally unbalanced, today threw his wife and all four of their children to their deaths over the edge of West Rock, a high cliff in this city's park system, and later jumped to his own death.

The list of dead: Ray C. Spang, 35, father; his wife, 23, Helen; Lorraine, 7; Raymond, 5; Donald 1. Spang was a war veteran and recently returned home from the Brooklyn Naval Hospital. He had been employed by a manufacturing concern in Seymour, the adjoining town to Ansonia.

Three Bodies Recovered. Three bodies were recovered from the base on the cliff early this afternoon. Ansonia police reported Spang and his family left home this morning for a day's outing, and apparently came here and went to the rock for a picnic. It was the police theory that the family started to the picnic at the top of the cliff and that

Visitors Advised "Bad Man" Franks Part of Big Show

Klamath Falls visitors are advised not to be alarmed at the "Wild West" appearance of the community and its citizens—it's all fun, they say—among other things visitors are directed to take no heed to it. A heavily armed, bewhiskered individual runs smack and "shoots up the town," it's just fun; a desperate, armed, bewhiskered character, carelessly knocks you down, it's just fun; a bold, bad stickup man relieves you of your wallet—it's just in the spirit of fun. If you are made to dance the dance of "seven veils" you are simply being initiated to the frontier clan. Wild Indians swoop down upon your party and tomahawk you—it's only a revival of early day habits. If your stage is held up and your are relieved of all your worldly possessions some of the bandit gangs of old are merely getting playful. One or all of these things may happen to you when you invade

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Supervised Play Made Possible by New Plan

School children will be given all advantages of physical education training during the summer months with the completion and improvement of several of the city and school playgrounds. A definite schedule for the school children has been arranged and Joe W. Peak, city school physical education supervisor, assisted by Miss Parker, who came here from Central Point and will be the physical education teacher in the Fremont school next year, will be in

Mr. Dennis Wires Congratulations To Klamath Falls

"Without question the decision made today by the Interstate Commerce Commission granting extension of the Great Northern Railroad is the greatest thing that could have happened to Klamath Falls."

This was the message of Lee Dennis, chairman of the Board of Railroad Commissioners of Montana for the past 15 years, when he called long distance from Helena, Montana, last evening. Mr. Dennis is the father of Mrs. Willie Wilson Peate formerly of the Evening Herald, and one of the most ardent workers for the extension of the Great Northern Railroad. With other prominent officials in the west Mr. Dennis appeared before the 10 day hearing of the Interstate Commerce Commission last November in San Francisco. Mr. Dennis represented the people of the state of Montana. Recently he appeared before the L. C. C. in Washington, D. C.

"Let me say in behalf of the people of Montana that we heartily congratulate Klamath Falls. We know what the Great Northern has done for this section and Klamath Falls without a doubt is destined to become one of the largest cities of the west," Mr. Dennis concluded. For many years Mr. Dennis has been a personal friend of Thomas Dixon, Superintendent of this division as well as Ralph Budd, president and W. P. Kenney, vice president.

GUN BECOMES GLUE OBJECT

Chicago Police Trace Ownership to Frank Foster, Gangster.

CHICAGO, June 21. (AP)—The gun used to slay Jake Lingie, Tribune reporter, had become today a vital clue in the hunt for his assassin.

Frank Foster, a dapper gangster of vacillating allegiance, was the original owner of the pistol, police revealed today, and Foster has disappeared. Pains-taking efforts had been made with a file to destroy the serial number stamped upon the weapon and thus prevent police from tracing its ownership. But the file failed. Acid, microscopes and infinite police patience finally revealed what the number was.

The weapon, police have established, was originally in the sporting goods store of Pete Von Frantzius, who has been involved in the investigation of other gang killings, particularly the St. Valentine's Day massacre of last year. Foster, the police believe, disposed of the gun prior to the Lingie murder June 9. They want to know to whom; and they have started a countrywide hunt for Foster to that end.

Smith Brothers Arrested on Sale, Possession Count

Mark and Bob Smith were arrested near Bonanza about 9 o'clock this morning and charged with the sale and possession of moonshine whiskey. The brothers were taken before Justice of the Peace Hamaker and pleaded not guilty. Their bonds were set at \$1,500 each, and they will appear on June 20 for hearing in Justice Hamaker's court. Mark Smith was convicted on a liquor charge about one year ago. Officers Mueller, Ackerman, Colby, Liville, Oakes, and Bohrer made the arrests this morning.

NOTES GROWTH HERE

Mrs. W. J. Roberts of Los Angeles is here on an extended visit with her brothers, Mr. J. A. and J. V. Houston. Mrs. Roberts is a former resident of Klamath Falls and notes with astonishment the vast improvements in this city since her last visit here. She will visit friends in Medford and a son and daughter in Portland, before returning to her home.

CANNON AND TINKHAM IN NEW FEUD

Bishop Dares Opponent to Repeat Remarks off House Floor.

SAYS CONGRESSMAN BLUSTERING COWARD

Tinkham Replies With Signed Statement, Charging Bishop Failed to Account for Money Received and Expended in 1928 Election Until February 15, 1929.

WASHINGTON, June 21. (AP)—Differences between Bishop James Cannon, Jr., and Representative Tinkham continued today to command interest in Washington. A move by the churchman in response to a public statement issued by the legislator attacking him was being awaited.

Tinkham, a Republican opponent to prohibition from Massachusetts, recently made charges against the Southern Methodist dry leader in the House. Cannon called him a "blustering cowardly Congressman" for doing so under the cloak of Congressional immunity and dared him to repeat the assertions off the floor. Statements in the Senate and House are immune from prosecution for libel.

The text of Tinkham's answer issued for publication today was: Issues Written Statement. "Least Bishop Cannon shall delude any one into thinking the charges which I made against him in the House of Representatives were unfounded and meeting his challenge that I divest myself of my Congressional immunity, I desire to restate over my signature the charges I made in the House of Representatives that he is a shameless violator of the federal corrupt practices act, a criminal statutor; that he received \$53,300.

Rowell Released Under \$7500 Bond

At a hearing before Justice of the Peace William B. Barnes this morning, Eugene Rowell, charged with involuntary manslaughter in the death of Mrs. Harry Weller as a result of an automobile accident near Sunset Lodge on the Dalles-California highway, on June 16, was bound over to the grand jury which meets Monday. His bond is set at \$7,500.

Dr. O. E. Patterson, of the Klamath Agency, who performed the autopsy on Mrs. Weller to determine the cause of death, testified for the state, as did Harry Weller, husband of the deceased, and Donald Simpson, eye witness to the accident, and Walter Foster, state traffic officer.

PLAY BALL!

The Cyclo-Stormograph at Underwood's Pharmacy registered but little variation in pressure during the last 24 hours and indications are that tomorrow will be another fine day. The Tycoos recording thermometer registered maximum and minimum temperatures today as follows: High—74. Low—44. Forecast for next 24 hours: Fair; probably warmer; with moderate winds.

Flowers Lined Grave

Many flowers lined the graveside which showed the high esteem in which Mr. Hannon was held by his many friends. Interment was made in the family plot in Mt. Calvary cemetery under the direction of the Klamath Funeral Home. Pallbearers were M. Moteschenbacher, Frank Howard, William Green, J. F. Maguire, James Ryan and Martin McAndrews.

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Last Minute News

BOAT VICTIM FOUND TOLEDO, O., June 21. (AP)—The body of Charles H. Nauta, collector of internal revenue here, missing since last Saturday when he and seven men in a speed boat disappeared, was found floating in Lake Erie five miles south of West Sister Island today. The body of Henry Hainbuch also was recovered today.

KILLS DEFECTIVE SON JACKSONVILLE, Fla., June 21. (AP)—Louis Weiss, a retired merchant, drowned his 14-year-old defective son, Francis, in a bath tub today and then committed suicide by shooting himself. Weiss had suffered financial reverses lately.

EUGENE EDITOR PASSES EUGENE, Ore., June 21. (AP)—The body of Lyle T. Kelling, 31, for six years news editor for the Eugene Guard and one of the outstanding younger newspapermen in the state, who died at the Milwaukee open air sanitarium Friday, was en route to Centralia, Wash., today for burial.

OIL MAGNATE PASSES LOS ANGELES, June 21. (AP)—W. L. Stewart, 62, president of the Union oil company, died at his suburban home today. Officials of the company announced that the veteran oil leader had succumbed to a heart illness from which he had suffered nearly a year.

When Adm. Byrd Reached Homeland



"Glad to be back," said Rear Adm. Richard Evelyn Byrd, who, with his small company of Antarctic explorers arrived in New York Thursday morning. NEA and The Herald telephoto shows Adm. Byrd being greeted by his mother and his brother, Harry Flood Byrd. In the foreground is Thomas Byrd, another brother. Gov. Pollard of Virginia stands at upper right.

PELICANS FACE CRUCIAL TEST

Sanders' Crew Must Play Ball to Get Past Peck Pickers.

All set and ready for the "Crossin'" ball game which will be fought out tomorrow afternoon at the fair grounds park. This is the information put forth by Red Sanders who pilots the destinies of the Pelican Baseball club which locally is being sponsored and ably backed by the Elks. If the boys in the hometown uniforms do not fetch home the bacon then it will not be because Red and his cohorts have not been out there battling. Three pitchers are in the proverbial pink. Hilton, Mosier and Beck. The afore two who throw in the orthodox manner and the latter who deals up his slants from the foolsh region and commonly known as southpaw. Hilton, because of his all round

Decorating City To Start Monday

Decorations for the Days of '49 have arrived in Klamath Falls and will be put up by the Interstate Decorating company. Several tons of decorations will be used, including flags, banners, etc. Workers will begin Monday placing flags and all kinds of decorations on buildings, along the streets and every available place where they can be put up. More decorations than ever used before in Klamath Falls will be seen during this mammoth celebration. Thousands of flags will be fluttering in the breeze and everything will be colorful and reminiscent of the pioneer days.

Many Friends Pay Tribute to Late Patrick Hannon

Many friends gathered at the Sacred Heart church at 10:30 this morning to pay their final tributes of respect to Patrick E. Hannon, pioneer resident of Klamath county who died at his home at the Enterprise ranch Thursday morning. The funeral was the largest ever held in the history of the Sacred Heart parish in this city, and the first solemn requiem high mass was offered at the church and also chanted at the graveside. Father Geis officiated. He was assisted by Father Anglin as deacon and John Curran as sub-deacon. Flowers Lined Grave. Many flowers lined the graveside which showed the high esteem in which Mr. Hannon was held by his many friends. Interment was made in the family plot in Mt. Calvary cemetery under the direction of the Klamath Funeral Home. Pallbearers were M. Moteschenbacher, Frank Howard, William Green, J. F. Maguire, James Ryan and Martin McAndrews.

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TODAY'S MAJOR LEAGUE SCORES

Table with columns for NATIONAL and AMERICAN leagues, listing teams and scores.

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COMMITTEE TO FILL VACANCY

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SALEM, Ore., June 21. (AP)—A republican candidate for governor to fill the vacancy on the ticket caused by the death of George W. Joseph, must be selected by the newly elected or re-elected members of the republican state central committee, Attorney General Van Winkle has advised Phil Matschman, chairman of the committee. "I learn from the newspapers that the county central committees have been reorganized (Continued on Page Five)

Klamath Citizens Optimistic Over Future of Basin

Klamath Falls business men and officials are optimistic over the results which the extension of the Great Northern lines into California to meet the Western Pacific extension, will bring this city. This will result in another through line for Klamath Falls which means many great things for the residents and business houses. Many who have followed and worked for the growth of the city predicted even greater development, further increased population, more jobs, other capital expenditures, and all agreed that it is a fine thing for Klamath and for Oregon and the northwest.

JOHNSON BILL PASSES

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