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Those 'International Bankers'

MICHAEL EDELSTEIN is dead and buried. Does it seem late in the day to take note of that? The New York congressman died suddenly of a heart attack in the House cloakroom immediately after making his last impassioned speech. The customary tributes were made by his colleagues, and it was duly noted that his last words were concerned with the essential equality of men and the love they have for freedom.

It would be unwarranted, no doubt, to imply that Edelstein died from the emotional strain of that last speech. He "should have died hereafter," like Lady Macbeth, and when the heart stops suddenly, no one has a formula to say how much was contributed by this word, that emotion, the other physical failure. No one can know whether the sting of the words of the speaker preceding him contributed much, or any, to his dying.

Edelstein is gone and can no longer dispute those words. It is so much more the duty of others to discuss them candidly.

They were the old, familiar, moth-eaten charge, hurled forth in the usual general terms, that "a little group of our international Jewish bankers" has been trying to lead the United States toward war.

Such a group either exists, or it does not. Either it is acting thus, or it is not. No good purpose, and many an evil purpose, may be served by repeating this phrase, repeating it again and again in a sinister and mysterious tone, always without specific evidence. It should be demonstrated, or left unsaid.

To begin with, it's pretty clear that international bankers these days don't have the weight they used to have, and that they are far less free than they used to be in throwing about the weight they do have. Further, it remains to be shown that such international bankers as happen to be Jewish are any more united on any single point of view than those who happen to be Christian.

The best that can be said about those who propagate these sly innuendoes is that they are ill-informed. The worst is that they are deliberately trying to create the kind of schisms in the United States which so effectively cleft Germany asunder, and which helped Hitler to power in Germany.

Michael Edelstein is dead and buried, dead in the very act of fighting a scurrilous and thoughtless charge which has so often been advanced to create division and confusion.

SPEED OF WOODEN SHIP PLAN ASKED

WASHINGTON, June 16 (AP) — Rep. Smith (D-Wash.) told the house today that "every sound consideration impels our government to undertake and encourage at once an all-out wooden shipbuilding program in every section of the country" in which the facilities are available.

The representative, following up his demand that the government inaugurate a wooden shipbuilding program made in the house two weeks ago, said that in his own congressional district lumber and skilled labor were available for wooden shipbuilding at Shelton, Longview, Grays Harbor, Vancouver, Willapa harbor and Olympia and that the program should be carried on there "speedily and vigorously."

"To hesitate any longer is to betray the very cause to which we stand committed," Smith said. "To further delay the program is to place in jeopardy the very victory over the enemy which we are all anxious and eager to achieve in the briefest possible time."

Smith said there was a shortage of steel which also was needed for tooling, machinery, armor plate for battleships, heavy armament and munitions. This, he continued, was all the more reason wood should be utilized for merchant ships. He placed in the record a letter from G. F. Mathews of Seattle who formerly operated a shipyard in Smith's district in which the writer urged construction of wooden ships.

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'Sub-Human Garden Of Eden' Hit in Church Address

PORTLAND, Ore., June 16 (AP) — An accusation that the church is "boggling down into a sop for weaklings" was voiced as the Pacific northwest Unitarian conference closed here yesterday.

Dr. Rol W. Benner of the Unitarian school for the ministry, Berkeley, Calif., declared, "it is offering an escape for religionists back into a sub-human garden of Eden just when humanity most needs the clarion voice of idealism."

He advocated a "reaffirmation of our essential humanity in a gospel of human freedom, of human responsibility, of human progress, an avoidance of a 'glib reliance on divine interventions.'"

A five-day institute for adult leadership in religious education will be held by Pacific coast Unitarians at a resort near Portland this summer.

Dog Recovering From Snake Bite

THE DALLES, Oregon, June 16 (AP) — Duke, a valiant black Cocker Spaniel, lost an eye in protecting his master, but will recover from a rattlesnake bite. After treatment here the dog was taken home Saturday by his master, E. L. Binns, Roosevelt, Wash., in front of whom the dog leaped as a snake struck.

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Daughter Evades Valedictory Talk

MADISON, Wis., June 16 (AP) — Sixteen-year-old Phyllis Pinkerton went for an automobile ride instead of giving the Central high school valedictory address because her subject was too vague to suit her father.

"The Climb Ahead," was the topic Phyllis had chosen. Her father, Milo, insisted that she take some specific problem, discuss it and propose a solution. She refused, so instead of driving her to the commencement exercises he took her for a ride until the program had ended.

In the disappointed commencement audience was Mrs. Pinkerton.

Hits the spot, makes you hawl
 Good old Wieland's Extra Pale.

Socce Enrollment In Summer Course Over 150 Students

SOUTHERN OREGON COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, Ashland—Registration for the first summer session at the Southern Oregon College of Education now totals over 150. Students will be able to register for the next ten days and additional registrants are coming in daily.

It is interesting to note that there is enrolled a total of 69 advanced students, most of whom are interested in or are actually candidates for the bachelor of science degree in elementary education which the college was authorized to grant recently by the Oregon State board of higher education.

Christian Science

"God the Preserver of Man" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, June 15.

The Golden Text was, "The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms" (Deut. 33:27).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Blessed is he that considereth the poor: the Lord will deliver him in time of trouble. The Lord will preserve him, and keep him alive. The Lord will strengthen him upon the bed of languishing: thou wilt make all his bed in his sickness" (Ps. 41:1-3).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following correlative passages from the Christian Science textbooks, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Having faith in the divine Principle of health and spiritually understanding God, sustains man under all circumstances; whereas the lower appeal to the general faith in material means (commonly called nature) must yield to the all-might of infinite Spirit" (p. 319).

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NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

WASHINGTON, June 16—The stories sifting through Nazi and Russian censorship about a Hitler drive into the Ukraine drew a serious second thought from officials here. These sounded offhand like the same old game with which Hitler fooled Chamberlain. Every rumor of Moscow-Berlin dissension since this war began has been discredited by subsequent events. It could have been just some more good propaganda to embarrass Mr. Roosevelt's co-operative campaign with labor leaders to purge their communist ranks, or otherwise soothe the ire of anti-communist elements.

But the plain military fact is Hitler's best possible next military move would be just exactly this one.

SUEZ DANGEROUS

To strike down through Syria directly at the Suez would bring the Nazi line of supplies directly across the path of British battleships. A Syrian campaign would be extremely difficult for the Nazis to sustain.

The other prong of the Nazi pincers clasp at the Suez from Libya is melting in heat over 100 degrees. Hitler always likes to do the improbable, but a tank drive in heat up to 120 degrees or over is a little too improbable to warrant his interest. Furthermore the British general Wavell has Ethiopia cleaned up, and is well-fixed.

This leaves the only inviting road for Nazi action directly down into the rich wheat fields of the Ukraine directly toward the equally rich oilfields of Bakou—a goal worth accomplishing, by peaceful agreement or otherwise.

TROOPS MOVE

Note—This much has been certain for several days: Large German troop concentrations have been evident in both Finland and Norway and the Nazi forces in Rumania have been greatly strengthened.

LITTLE WAR

Wait until you see the casualty lists from Syria before deciding how great is the battle there. The British schedule of attack called for occupation of Damascus and Lebanon as far back as last Wednesday, but the delay may have been caused by peace negotiations rather than resistance.

It would surprise few authorities here if the French were just putting up enough of a struggle to prevent reprisals from Berlin. The opportunity has been allowed defending generals in wars before to know what spots were to be hit, so they could get their men out of the way. Useless killing would be caused otherwise.

If the German plan of attack is looking toward the Ukraine, they don't care anyway.

NOT WILLKIE

Wendell Willkie will not be head of the school which is to be a West Point of government service. Negotiations were conducted with him by those who have the idea of turning the Tome school of Maryland into such an institution next fall, as

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reported in this column June 6, the negotiations have fallen through. Mr. Willkie was not interested.

SURPRISE

The OPM is tackling things now so fast and furiously that occasionally it even surprises itself. Shortly after an official announcement was made that magnesium production would be expanded from around 40,000,000 pounds a year to the unbelievable total of 400,000,000 pounds, inquirers approached raw materials experts of OPM to ask how it was going to be done.

"Why that's silly," they were informed. "No such expansion is contemplated and could not be accomplished."

The inquirers had to produce the official announcement from headquarters to prove it was going to be.

Irene Franklin, Former Film Star, Dies of Illness

ENGLEWOOD, N. J., June 16 (AP) — Irene Franklin, former stage and screen actress who won worldwide fame and fortune only to spend the last days of her life in a theatrical home, died today in Englewood hospital.

Stricken Thursday with a stroke, Miss Franklin, who ad-

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