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BIBLE SELECTION AND PRAYER

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GOD'S DISCIPLINE DELIVERED—Thou hast chastised me, and I was chastised, as a bullock unaccustomed to the yoke; turn thou me, and I shall be turned; for thou art the Lord my God—Jeremiah 31:18.

PRAYER—O Lord, no chastening for the present is pleasant, but afterwards it produces the peaceable fruits of righteousness.

A PROHIBITION SUGGESTION

The thing which occurs to us in connection with the proposed presidential commission which will investigate the prohibition situation is that Mr. Hoover can not possibly overestimate the importance of selecting Americans of the very highest prestige to serve on the commission and that there is no American too big for the job.

One hopes that the recommendations will be of great value toward solving a tremendous national problem. And one can be quite certain that whatever the commission takes will be subject to a great deal of criticism. Obviously, then, it becomes of paramount importance to have on this commission only men of the highest reputation for integrity, of proved and unquestioned competence and of motives concerned only with the future welfare of their country. This commission will be no place for anyone actively engaged in politics, for any second-rater or for any man blinded by prejudice.

With these facts in mind, we suggest the following commission:

Chief Justice William Howard Taft, Justice Louis D. Brandeis, Justice Harlan Fiske Stone, Charles Evans Hughes, Elihu Root, John W. Davis and Owen D. Young.

AN AVERAGE ROBBERY NETS \$30.75

Despite the large-scale hold-ups and robberies that are reported daily, Warden Lewis E. Laves of Sing Sing prison doesn't believe that crime pays.

The warden studied some figures in his penitentiary the other day, and discovered that the average robbery, during the year 1927, netted precisely \$30.75. Sentences for these robberies, in turn, averaged better than 13 years apiece.

To be sure, these figures were taken from records of convicts—the men who got caught. If the figures of those who escaped were added in, the profits might average higher and the sentences lower. But it's a good indication, just the same. Crime isn't, after all, very profitable.

TODAY

By ARTHUR BRISBANE

*It's a Job
King Big Money
The Choppers at Work
Police and Drugs*

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PRESIDENT HOOVER, who worked fourteen hours yesterday, went to bed convinced that Henry Ford was right when he said, "the presidency is a job, as well as an office."

BITISH newspapers do not like the president's flat rejection of the League of Nations, but say pleasant things about the new president and his inaugural address.

Rothermere's Daily Mail says: "The tone of the speech is one of idealism without illusion."

That is a good combination.

BEAVERTBROOK'S Express says Hoover's "ringing pronouncement is a first-class campaign document for conservatism."

Beavertbrooke hopes it will discourage British talk of socialism.

IT all depends on how much money you have. Prudhomme's saying, "monarchies are destroyed by poverty, republics by wealth," is always timely.

However, this republic seems able to stand a good deal of wealth. Perhaps it's because we are not as much of a republic as some think, with our good old king, big money, in the background, keeping watch above his own.

CHICAGO'S state's attorney identifies members of "the chopper gang" that bumped off seven gangsters in a row with machine guns. "Chopper" is the gang word for a machine gun operator.

ONE chopper is said to be Joe Lolorio, whose brother, Pasquale, was murdered by the Moran gang. It was a pleasure for him to work a machine gun on the backs of seven Moran men, lined up in the bootleg garage.

"TIME at length makes all things even," says Byron. Lolorio knows, and Lenin knew, that it is true.

Lenin's brother was killed by the czar. Lenin got the revenge he swore to have when the whole Romanoff family was wiped out by his orders.

"IF we do but wait the hour, there never yet was human power that could evade, if unforgotten, the patient hate and vigil of him who treasures up a wrong."

Lolorio might like to paste that up in his room.

If the chopper gang is brought to trial a jury probably would hesitate to punish, as it would the others, a man that killed his brother's murderers.

A criminal, name unknown, murdered a policeman in cold blood, kidnaped a chauffeur with his car, as a means of escape. He said casually to the driver, hold a "gun" to his back.

"I hate all cops, and I'm going to kill as many as I can. I have killed two."

THE police say the criminal was "a drug-crazed dope fiend."

This makes it important for the police to interfere, as much as possible, with drug-peddling.

Many that sell drugs and buy "protection" for the "privilege" might be in jail if a real effort were made to put them there.

Policemen should know that cocaine and similar drugs do what nothing else will do. They give the criminal, usually a coward, the "nerve" to kill a bull—bull meaning a policeman in the criminal code.

MEXICAN revolutionists claim nine states, and have proclaimed "religious liberty," repealing Mexican laws interfering with religious control of schools, forbidding religious ceremonies in streets and other places, compelling priests to register, forbidding priests of foreign nationality to exercise priestly functions, etc.

THE leader of the revolt in Vera Cruz, Jesus M. Aguirre, says the Mexican fleet in the Gulf has joined the revolution, and all the people sympathize with it. A religious fight is a long, bitter fight.

ON April 5, the giant passenger steamship, Leviathan, built by Germany, taken by this government, will be turned over to Mr. Chapman to run as his private property. It is to be hoped that he will make a success of it and other boats bought from the United States shipping board.

THIS, formally and officially the United States' government recognizes that it isn't able enough to manage a line of steamships.

The government ought to know.

GIFFORD PINCHOT says that out of \$5,000,000,000 or more of public utilities stock, three billions represent only water.

The American people, he says, pay \$200,000,000 a year interest on pure water. That is said.

ON the other hand, the same American people buy the watered stock, some times at low prices, as they once bought United States steel for eight or ten dollars a share. Later, by a miracle that the ancient Alchemists never dreamed of, the water turns into pure gold, and they get more than \$10 every year from the stock that they once bought for \$10.

Rebels Open Fire On Federal City

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EL PASO, Tex., March 7, (UP)—Mexican rebel forces, numbering more than 2,000 men, advanced at 7 p. m. tonight to within six miles of Ciudad Juarez, across the Rio Grande from El Paso, for an attack on the city.

The rebels, with three locomotives and more than 50 flat cars loaded with supplies and munitions, moved two miles closer to the city, after bridges destroyed by federal forces had been replaced.

The rebel advance caused new war-like preparations on the American side of the river. Authorities at Fort Bliss rushed two truck loads of U. S. soldiers, completely armed and outfitted, to the international bridgeheads at 8 p. m. for guard duty.

Previously, U. S. artillery pieces mounted on railroad cars were trained on Juarez, and armored cars had been placed at the American end of the international bridge. A regiment of U. S. cavalry, equipped for the field, was held ready for action at Fort Bliss.

Two U. S. army observation planes, which arrived at Fort Bliss this morning from Kelly field, San Antonio, soared over the rebel encampment. Also in the air at the time was a Mexican government observation plane from Valbuena flying field, outside Mexico City, on a reconnaissance flight.

NEW YORK, March 7, (UP)—The Mexican consulate tonight issued a bulletin describing the report of the capture of General Almazan, federal commander, as without foundation.

General Almazan, consulate officials contended, is pursuing Commander Gonzalo Escobar, rebel commander-in-chief, who is said to have evacuated Saltillo, state of Coahuila.

NOGALES, Ariz., March 7, (UP)—The combined rebel forces of General Fausto Topete and General Francisco Borquez will begin an offensive Friday against Lower California, the only state in northwestern Mexico remaining loyal to the federal government, it was announced late today.

In announcing the proposed campaign against the western state, General Borquez said that it was necessary to drive the federalists from Sonora to give the rebels a complete hold on all border points of entry.

NOGALES, Ariz., March 7, (UP)

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TODAY IN KLAMATH'S THEATRES

At the Liberty

A whirling, whizzing, looping drama of love above the clouds came to the Liberty theatre last night in the form of "The Sky Skidder," and it is undoubtedly the greatest air film Al Wilson has ever produced.

It portrays in a logical and vivid manner what may some time in the near future become an actuality in the advancement of aviation. In it, too, one may grasp the possibilities of perfecting a fast like that which the star Al Wilson, so readily associated for his screen story.

The action centers on the trial of a new airplane fuel which the inventor claims will fly a plane 1,000 miles to a pin. It was during the trial flight of this great fuel that the hero sees his sweetheart endangered in a runaway automobile and he swoops to earth, rescuing her with a rope ladder just as the car plunges over a cliff.

"The Sky Skidder" also furnishes the first glimpse of a monoplane doing stunt work for motion pictures. In a sister ship of Lindbergh's, Al Wilson does the difficult feat of dropping to a plane in mid-air from a rope ladder suspended from the ship's landing gear.

At the Pine Tree

This afternoon and tonight will mark the last performances of "Sinners in Love," at the Pine Tree theatre.

Adapted from the True Story Magazine story of the same name, this unusual presentation offers a most realistic picture of a girl's struggle against unusual odds. It embodies every conceivable situation necessary to be a good picture. There's heart-rending drama, romance and sparkling comedy. There are thrilling and tense moments, brilliant costumes and colorful settings.

Heading the cast is pretty Olive Borden. Huntly Gordon is seen in the male lead, with Seena Owen in the feminine "menace" role. Daphne Pollard, famous English comedienne, furnishes the comedy relief, and the cast also includes Ernest Hilliard and Phillips Smalley.

"Sinners in Love" was directed by George Melford, one of the industry's foremost megaphone wielders, who attained fame with the direction of Rudolph Valentino's huge success, "The Sheik."

At the Pelican

Gone forever from the film is the old time pure-than-thou, driven-snow hero. Equally gone is the deep-dyed villain. So declares Red La Roche, star of "Captain Swagger," showing at the Pelican theatre today. Sue Carol is featured as leading woman.

"Some years ago a popular song declared 'There's a little bit of bad in every good little girl, and a little bit of good in every bad little girl.' Reversing the order, that is the spirit which motivates writers, directors and players in presenting their up-to-date heroes and villains to the public, asserts La Roche.

"My latest picture vehicle, 'Captain Swagger,' is an example of this interesting development. The hero is by no means a perfect specimen of manhood. He is a braggart, given to exaggerated gestures, yet humble, loyal and courageous. On the other hand, there is a heavy that people will find it hard to hate. The code of right and wrong may seem deplorable, but he proves himself generous and gallant."

Both men are warily human and flesh-and-blood creatures who might be picked from the streets of your town or mine. Because of this I think audiences will like them better than heroes who stand remote on the heights, or heroes just as far removed in the "depths."

As his leading lady in "Captain Swagger," La Roche has charming Sue Carol, Wampus Baby star of 1925.

Legion Auxiliary Will Give Dance

A benefit dancing party, sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary will be given at the Wampus Garden, Wednesday evening, March 13, according to announcement made yesterday by Mrs. E. K. Purvis, general chairman of arrangements.

Tickets have been placed on sale by the auxiliary and already ready indications promise a large crowd. The Jack Bearing orchestra will furnish the dance music.

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