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Brings Section of The Holy Land to Salem



Dr. Allen Moore, who will direct Pageant at Ryan's Hall, March 20-25, inclusive.

Bringing with him a small section of the Holy Land which he proposes to set up in Salem for the exploration and instruction of local Bible students and travelers, Dr. Allen Moore, Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society, and for 17 years missionary among the Mohammedans and Oriental Jews, is in Salem and has already spoken in several of the largest churches in the city. He will be here for two weeks in connection with the religious and social service to be held at Ryan's hall starting March 20, which will last for six days.

The pageant which will be repeated here during this social service exposition requires about 100 persons in the cast and is arranged to be realistic and at the same time instructive and entertaining. The Jaffa gate, David's Tower and David's street in Jerusalem are faithfully reproduced with a Mohammedan mosque, the pool of Bethesda, the famous rock tomb, Bedouin tent, house of hair from the Land of Moab, representation of a peasant's home at Bethany and of the homes of the wealthy class.

Foreign and Domestic Politics Affect Market

New York, Mar. 11.—Recent inactivity on the stock exchange must be attributed almost entirely to the very disturbing mixture of foreign and domestic politics. It is a serious misfortune that the presidential campaign should be on during war, but the latest disturbance over our relations with Germany seems to have been safely passed, and it is to be hoped will not be repeated. What will happen as a result of events in Mexico cannot be estimated at this writing; but aside from that contingency the political atmosphere has been somewhat cleared; the lines of political cleavage are known, and it has been proven that neither the country nor the administration wants war. It is perhaps too much to expect entire freedom from such crises in view of the titanic struggle in Europe and a heated presidential contest at home.

The European conflict has revolutionized foreign trade, and its effect upon American commerce is becoming more and more pronounced. Whatever happens, the field for American enterprise abroad is bound to enlarge. Not only American products, but American capital is sure to find a larger foreign outlet. Neither England, France, nor Germany will be able to finance new ventures in other parts of the world with anything like former freedom. South America, China, Russia, Central Asia and other undeveloped countries will all require capital in large sums when peace returns, if not before. In some cases their needs are already urgent. This means a big demand for funds for years to come and the United States for obvious reasons will be the best able to respond. This also means employment for American industry, and will inevitably lead to a much greater development of New York as an international banking center.

New York is practically sure of retaining and holding second place in the world's financial center, and in some instances will push London hard for primacy. The great nations of Europe for many years to come must labor under huge debts and impaired resources; disasters which this country, thanks to its isolation and peace policy, has fortunately escaped. Domestic business conditions are satisfactory. Our railroads are still overtaxed with traffic, especially those centering at New York. Various studies for relief for congestion have been suggested, such as a diversion of traffic to other ports, a stronger embargo on certain articles of traffic, increased demurrage charges, higher lighterage rates, etc. But insufficient emphasis has been placed upon the fundamental fact that the country now showing the effects of over-regulation and the consequent discouragement to enterprise and capital out of which alone the necessary facilities for handling freight can be provided. Public opinion is more disposed to give the railroads a square deal than at any time in the past decade, and public officials should be held to a strict accountability for their share in bringing on present transportation difficulties. As a result of this mistaken zeal, capital often shuns this form of investment, and this fact has not a little to do with present inadequate facilities.

The labor situation is less threatening. Differences in the soft coal trade have been satisfactorily adjusted and there is reason to believe that trouble in the anthracite region will also be averted. Labor conditions in coal regions have greatly improved during the last few years, and there is little ground for serious complaints, such as would enliven public sentiment. As to the railroads the outlook is not so promising. The men appear insistent in their demands, which if conceded would increase railroad expenses to many millions; some estimates being as high as \$100,000,000. As the public will eventually have to pay these added charges, the demands of the men have not thus far received the support of public opinion. Here, too, with few exceptions, the conditions under which the employees labor have greatly improved; and a strike or tie-up of railroads, which are the arteries of the country, would probably arouse much public indignation. A movement is being started for arbitration, which if it succeeds, will probably settle the difference or postpone final adjustment until late in the spring or the summer months.

Exports at New York are running especially heavy, the total last week being \$77,500,000, against \$25,400,000 the same week last year. Since January 1st, the exports through this port aggregated \$415,000,000 compared with \$224,000,000 a year ago. This heavy outward freight movement at this port has doubtless much to do with freight congestion. The ocean freight market, as everyone knows, is in a strangely abnormal state, rates having advanced many times the normal figure. Vessels naturally come here with imports because higher rates and larger outward cargoes are to be obtained than at other ports. This may be hard upon the latter, but New York cannot help its natural advantages, and the rush of outward freight would not press upon this port were it not the best point of shipment for those chiefly concerned.

The March government crop report reflects the big crops of last year, in that much as stocks on hand at farms are generally large. This should be a safeguard against any shortage during the coming season. The stocks of wheat on farm are estimated at 99,000,000 bushels ahead of last year—the average price to the farmer, however, being 31 cents less. The amount of corn on farms is estimated at 23,000,000 more than last year, and the price about seven cents less, largely because the more choicest quality was below last year. The oats crop on hand is reported at 216,000,000 bushels more than a year ago, and the price about 10 cents per bushel less.

Stock exchange operations have been somewhat restricted. In spite of their better outlook, railroad shares have not had their accustomed favor for reasons well understood. It is the industrial stocks that attract chief attention, especially those benefiting directly or indirectly from the war. Munition stocks are somewhat less for the reason that occasionally profits have been below expectations owing to the enormous increase in cost of production, higher wages, denser materials, etc. Repetitive stocks have been limited because France and England are now well equipped to produce their own supplies and import less. Big unfilled orders are still on hand which will keep plants busy for many weeks to come. This country is exporting large quantities of other articles necessary for the war, and these are more than sufficient to sustain our heavy export trade, the bulk of the increase being largely due to shipments of all sorts to the United Kingdom. Some of the industrials have shown particular strength, especially those which are making abnormal profits. Of these there are a number that are becoming more and more prominent in the speculative field. Nearly all concerns which deal with natural resources and raw materials have shown remarkable strength, particularly steel, oil, copper, sugar, chemicals, etc. These materials have, of course, been chiefly influenced by demands arising from the war. The Mexican outbreak contains unpleasant possibilities, but at this writing had hardly become a stock market factor. The war in Europe remains the supreme influence, and never in our history were the business interests of the United States so completely dominated by foreign affairs.

HENRY CLAWS.

Kidney Trouble Leads To Terrible Tortures

Hundreds of sufferers from pains in the back and sides, bladder and urinary disorders, lumbago, rheumatism, dizziness, purty swellings under the eyes or in the feet and ankles, nervousness, tired or worn out or headachy feeling, don't seem to realize that the greater part of all sickness today can be avoided by keeping the kidneys working properly. If you suffer from any of the many agonies that accompany weak, clogged-up or diseased kidneys you should not neglect yourself another day and run the risk of serious complications. Secure a package of Solvax, the wonderful new kidney remedy which is very inexpensive yet acts quickly and surely on the seat of the trouble. You'll be surprised how entirely different you'll feel in a very short time.

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There is no time like the present to do a thing that ought to be done. If anyone has kidney trouble today is the best time to begin curing it.

Cummins Gets Minnesota and Johnson Gets Vice

St. Paul, Minn., Mar. 15.—Senator Albert B. Cummins received four times as many votes as Henry D. Estabrook in the primary election for the republican nomination for president here yesterday, according to the completed count today. Cummins was backed by the state branch of the German-American Alliance, and the "old guard," Hiram Johnson, of California was supported by the progressive vice-presidential nomination.

IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

You have swollen feet and hands? Stiff, aching joints? Sharp shooting, rheumatic pains? Torture you? You have aching back, pain in the lower abdomen, difficulty when urinating? Look out! These are danger signals. Trouble is with your kidneys. Uric acid poisoning, in one form or another, has set in. It may lead to dropsy or fatal Bright's disease if not checked.

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Arrested On Suspicion of Being One of Lynchers
Baker, Or., Mar. 15.—After months of quiet investigation, Deputy Sheriffs



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They had in jail William Whitaker, charged with participating in the lynching of an unknown man near Whittney in July 1914. Two other arrests are expected to follow.

The lynching followed an assault on a 12 year old girl, a relative of Whitaker.

MOUNT LASSEN QUIET
Redding, Cal., Mar. 15.—Contrary to reports, Mount Lassen today showed no further signs of eruption, though there have been evident for months. There is a spattering of steam from the northeastern crater practically all the time, and occasional faint rumblings are heard. The last big eruption was November 22. Many believe another one will occur when melting snow reaches the crater's interior.

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Six o'Clock Club Told How to Make Garden

Luther J. Chapin, former county agriculturist, told the members of the Six o'Clock club last evening several things about the city man and his garden.
Drawing a plan of a garden 30 by 60 feet, he explained that the right kind of a garden is not one that just happens in a haphazard way, but one that is planned before the garden fever strikes.
The following ideas were suggested:
Soils are often worked too wet and better results would follow if the city man would wait until the soil is dried out.
Gardens need drainage. Proper drainage will increase the growing season by fully one month. Drainage not only loosens the soil but allows the air to enter which is of great benefit to the growing vegetables.
Heavy soils may be improved by the spreading of sand about an inch deep.

The sand not only warms the soil but aids in holding the heat.
Fall plowing should be practiced. It makes the soil crumbly in the spring and allows earlier planting.
Instead of a pole for Kentucky Wonder beans, why not plant them with corn? The beans will climb a corn stalk as well as a pole.
Tomatoes will produce more if the side branches are cut off and the main stalk allowed to grow, tied to a strong stake.
Raise celery. Spade one foot deep, fertilize, plant the celery five inches apart. They will grow heavy, blanching themselves. Be sure and dig a trench around the celery plot.
Asparagus can be raised with but little trouble. Dig a trench 16 inches deep, fertilize, fill in with three inches of soil and then plant. Get two year old roots. After the second year, a 40 foot row will supply an ordinary family.
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May 6, 1914—"I have always been a nurse. Peruna has helped me in my work more than all other medicines."
Mar. 22, 1915—"I have divided my bottle of Peruna with people many times. It always helps."
The above quotations give a vague glimpse of the correspondence we have had with Mrs. Tanner since 1899. Our files, which cover twenty-five years, include many similar correspondents.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

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Boworth, R. L., Sec'y.
Brown, Mrs. Ella R.
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President Wilson's Control of Congress

By Bond P. Goddard.
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)
Washington, Mar. 14.—Twice within a fortnight President Wilson has proven his supremacy over congress in the conduct of foreign affairs.
Today he flattered the threatened senate revolt against the Carranza military reciprocity agreement with statements and dispatch.
President Wilson told Senator Stone he would not brook any interference with his border program. Stone passed the word around, and announced he was "prepared to handle any eruption."
Senator Fall said he was convinced the president had made a mistake in negotiating the agreement, but he admitted he would make no attempt to overthrow it. Senators Gallinger and Horn agreed.