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CHRIST'S GLORY REVEALED

Beloved, think it not strange concerning the fiery trial which is to try you; but rejoice, inasmuch as ye are partakers of Christ's sufferings; that when His glory shall be revealed, ye may be glad also with exceeding joy.

Scopes says he will fight on for principle.

"Bryan Won Out"—headline. Won out before he went in.

Cool weather to stay awhile, according to weather prophets.

An efficiency expert is a fellow who still lives with his wife's folks.

Be careful about reducing or you are liable to reduce your chances of living.

One thing harder than living up to a good reputation is living down a bad one.

Scopes is guilty of course, under the Tennessee law. Then why all this fuss?

And here we pause to shoot a query to the world in general. Do dog fish bite?

Teachers who have had no luck at marrying are signing up for another year of teaching.

Our estimate is that all photos snapped on vacations will be shown to almost everybody.

It's hard to get fleas off of a dog but you can get the ticks out of a clock with a hammer.

Women may talk more than men, but they don't say as much. That shows women have the most sense.

What has become of the old-fashioned man who used to say that women never could learn to drive a car?

This is the time of the year when the June bride quits trying to make biscuits and begins to depend on the baker.

The greatest of gamblers, the farmer, now has his cards on the table and waits for the weather to show its hand.

Did you ever go to one of those picnics where they have fried chicken and you wonder how it is there are so many more wings and necks than there are chickens?

We bet the Chicago girl who is suing her fiancé for \$50,000, claiming that she cried so much over the affair that it injured her sight, could see her way for settlement, all right.

It's really harder work to stall around explaining why you don't do things, than it is to buckle down and do them or explain why they don't. Naturally, they must have it pretty easy.

"Home first—the world after" in state affairs. We want no centralized government. The people of Nebraska are plenty able to look out for their own affairs without any outside interference.

Clarence Darrow is a leader in a movement for a league to abolish capital punishment. Mr. Darrow seems to be a pretty effective little League to Abolish Capital Punishment all by himself.

A New York philanthropist has endowed a course of study in war profiteering. From the sutlers with Caesar's legions to the shoddy experts of the war between the states, it's a subject that embraces all history.

Jupiter, Saturn, Venus, Mercury and Mars are all visible early in the evening from this earth. It is like a reunion of the Planet family and a most notable occasion. Neptune and Uranus, however, are unable to attend.

Dayton, Tenn., which is not strong for Darwinian evolution, registers itself as strongly in favor of constitutional evolution by taking special precautions to suppress the indigenous bootleggers who by ignoring the eighteenth amendment had hoped to turn a penny or two during the Scopes trial.

The second crop of straw hats will be ripe in August.

Science this summer is getting all the publicity it needs.

Education in modern times consists of three R's: Rah, rah, rah.

Summer brings its troubles, among which is trying to keep the pick in the ice box.

Clothes are so foolish. Toes feel much better when you let them just roam at large.

Teach the children table manners. Then they won't get into the soup or spill the beans.

First thing after getting rich we are going to put a calendar where our clock is now.

America's gigantic corn crop is coming in at a rate that makes the pessimist turn pale.

Even if smoking is nice it keeps a lot of men from getting nervous enough to go to work.

Beef eaters will pay more for their meat this winter than they have for several years.

Don't think such heavy thoughts during the warm spell. Too much will make you bowlegged.

Stay at home. A Boston man made a fortune in Africa. The first day back thieves got his watch.

Another bargain day is past and our advertising merchants are very well satisfied with the sales made.

Farm crops are again going up, which must make Senator Norris glad he didn't consent to lead the third party.

Don't ever look for sportsmanship or open and above board dealings in the boxing game. You won't find them.

Once in a while a prediction comes true. For instance, the one last spring that skirts would be shorter this summer.

Dawes is still howling about the senate rules. He knows a heluva-sight about the rules in the senate. Only he don't, that's all.

What will it profit intolerance to win the Scopes case if ignorance is to be unsated by knowledge divulged in connection with the trial?

Let every state look after its own affairs by home people. Sending in a lot of administration pets from the east is not going to help matters in the least—in Nebraska.

The new community building sponsored by the Legion boys to be erected soon will be an ornament to the city. You, who are able to help them in their noble efforts, do it now.

The government of Latvia has informed the United States it will make arrangements to pay its debt to this country. Now all that will be necessary is to read about the debt funding commission and one can become proficient in geography.

There is no more attention paid to the speed limit in Plattsmouth than if there was no such law. And it is not always visitors that break the speed limit rights. Why people persist in racing up and down Main street, we cannot understand.

Both the coal mine operators and workers say they are opposed to a strike this year. That ought to make it unanimous. The consumers will scarcely insist, accustomed as they are, to these recurring fall festivals for which they invariably pay.

"So far as President Coolidge knows," says the Associated Press, "neither Secretary Mellon nor Ambassador Herrick are contemplating submitting their resignations." The responsibility for that grammar is the A. P.'s, not the president's.

There is so much talk nowadays about the payment to the United States of the European war debts that there is ground for hope that really some payment will be made, for usually where there is a great deal of smoke there is at least a modicum of fire.

THE MOTOR BUS

The railroads of the country have been made to realize and feel the competition of the motor buses. Just as the trolley hurt the steam railroad, the motor bus has hurt both the trolley and the railroads.

This newest device for mass transportation was ridiculed and belittled when it made its first appearance several years ago.

At that time neither the officials of steam railroads, nor the trolley magnates foresaw the effect on their business of the comfortable and commodious motor bus of today, as the legitimate successor of the reviled jitney bus. But if the old established companies failed to foresee the effects of the improved motor buses, it cannot be said of them that they have failed to recognize the competition of the motor bus. All over the country the steam and electric companies have begun to utilize the gasoline motor for both freight and passenger traffic.

The New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad company whose lines traverse one of the most densely populated sections of the United States, has purchased thirty-seven large buses for operation in Massachusetts and in Rhode Island for its subsidiary company, the New England Transportation company. Other buses will be purchased for use in Connecticut. In this way, the railroad companies propose to meet the competition of the trolley line several years ago, when it engaged extensively in the trolley operation business in an effort to recoup from service offered by the electric lines.

Practically all railroads have unprofitable branches. They are maintained as a rule because the parent company prefers to stand a loss rather than jeopardize their franchise rights. The roads operating in New England have many such branches on which, because of the loss, the service is indifferent. These particular branches have suffered severely from the bus competition. The New England railroad company hopes to recoup such losses and so it has gone into the business of operating motor buses.

THE HOMELESS OIL KING

John D. Rockefeller is homeless. That is, he is homeless in that he has disposed of all his residences including the famous Pocantico Hills estate, the home at Daytona, Florida, one at Lakewood, N. J., and his West Fifty-fourth street, New York, mansion. He will not be permitted to be without a roof to shelter his head, however, as the purchaser of his various properties is his son, who has generously consented that his aged father shall have continued use of any or all of his former places of abode.

Mr. Rockefeller, Jr., explains that the sale of the elder Rockefeller's properties at a price exceeding \$3,000,000 was not consummated with any intention of evading the inheritance tax which would have been collected in event of the father's death. Oh, no! Of course not. It is strange that anyone should have suspected such an intent, and stranger still that anyone should have given voice to the suspicion as quite a number of thoughtless people are said to have done. At the same time, persons with a penchant for figures will not fail to note that a 40 per cent federal tax plus a New York tax of 4 per cent, had the transfer not been made prior to the death of Mr. Rockefeller, Sr., would have netted the government a rather pretty penny. And it will be remembered, too, that both of the Rockefellers are by nature thrifty, the elder especially never having been averse to saving the shining nickels and dimes. Their word as to the reason for the transfer must be accepted, but nevertheless, in real Rockefeller fashion they have turned a neat and profitable business deal.

JUVENILE CRIME

Statistics of juvenile crime are frightening critics of the "degeneracy of the age." But it may not be so bad as the figures indicate. There has always been juvenile "crime." The difference is that now it gets into the record. When you stole watermelons, in your youth, the only risk was being caught by the farmer, with a pitchfork. Now the city gangster who steals junk gets into the juvenile court. When life was simple and there was plenty of room, all sorts of things could happen. Now, life is too crowded and complicated for unruly youth. Every time youth jumps over the line, it bumps something. There are more bumps; but it by no means follows that there are more jumps.

WORTH \$2,500

In Indiana they use Lewisite, most deadly of gases, to kill or discourage bank bandits. Chicago, where life is the cheapest of commodities they pay rewards for dead bandits. At least such is the offer of the Chicago and Cook County Bankers' association. The only condition is that the bandit must be dead. Bankers have no use for live ones in the profession of outlaws. Whoever kills a bank robber gets \$2,500.

READ AND REFLECT

Postmaster General New "guesses" the department deficit for the fiscal year now beginning will be something like \$40,000,000. Last year it was \$24,500,000. For the year ending with June, 1924, it was about \$12,000,000.

WHAT WILL BRYAN SAY?

Bobbed hair scores again. Nebraska rural school boards, which had declined to employ young women with short tresses, found they had either to revoke the edict or go without teachers. The girls won, of course, and Nebraska was again made safe for the three R's.

All this happened in the heart of the original Bryan belt. What will the Sage of the Coral Gables say to this dangerous dalliance of his former neighbors with a practice unheard of in biblical times? Somehow, we can't conceive of a bobbed-haired young lady—she school teacher or bandit—as being, in her heart, anything but a modernist. We can't believe that any generation of pupils taught by bobbed-haired teachers will ever follow the example of the Tennessee legislature.

As we used to say with appropriate libation, in the days before Volsteadism, out of Bryanism, begat the eighteenth amendment, "The ladies—God bless 'em!" In the bobbed-haired ladies on the rostrums of our schoolrooms lies the chief hope of a future without a monkey law. Bob on, girls, bob on!—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

HEADLIGHTS

You may think yourself a very careful, considerate auto driver, but before you plume yourself too highly, ask yourself one more question: How do you handle your headlights? Do you always dim them on approaching another car? Do you always keep them dim except when there are no other cars coming and you can't see to drive without having them on full tilt?

THE SOCIAL YEARNING

A young American woman who went to Paris to "get into society," and failed, committed suicide. Most aspirants do not go so far. But a million minor tragedies of life are incident to that same struggle, to "get into society."

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Nebraska, County of Cass, ss. By virtue of an Order of Sale issued by Clarence L. Beal, Clerk of the District Court, within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 1st day of August, A. D. 1925, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day at the south front door of the courthouse, in Plattsmouth, Nebraska, in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, to-wit:

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THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK AT PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1925.

RESOURCES

Table with columns for Resource Name and Amount. Includes: Loans and discounts, U.S. Government Securities Owned, Deposited to secure circulation, Real estate owned, Furniture and fixtures, Cash in vault and amount due from National banks, etc.

LIABILITIES

Table with columns for Liability Name and Amount. Includes: Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Dividend payable, Deposits subject to check, etc.

TOTAL LIABILITIES

\$495,442.99

Charter No. 1914 Reserve Dist. No. 10-J

At Plattsmouth, in the State of Nebraska, at the Close of business on June 30, 1925.

RESOURCES and LIABILITIES tables as described above.

State of Nebraska } ss. County of Cass } ss. I, Geo. O. Dovey, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ORDER OF HEARING

On Petition For Appointment of Administrator. The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss. In the County Court. In the matter of the estate of Alice Cory, deceased.

LEGAL NOTICE

In the County Court, Cass county, Nebraska. In the matter of the guardianship of Kenny Goodman, incompetent.

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Moye Produce Co. PAYS CASH FOR Poultry, Eggs, Cream and Hides! Sells Chic Feeds and Oyster Shell. "Prompt and Courteous Service Our Motto!" Opposite Tidball Lumber Co PHONE 391 Plattsmouth, Neb.