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YET PHYSICALLY FIT

A newspaper photographer with more ingenuity than good manners took advantage of the President the other day in the White House and snapped him while he removed his glasses, knitted his brow, rubbed his eyes and wrinkled his face.

When the photograph was published, the uninformed would react at once to the suspicion that Mr. Roosevelt had gone to pieces physically. Indeed, that was what the picture was taken for!

It is a coincidence that immediately prior to this unethical sort of business on the part of a hostile newspaper, Mr. Roosevelt's physician had remarked in a manner to reach the public that the health of the President is better than at any time since he became President.

And that lacks little of being a miracle. No President has ever labored under such a colossal strain. His have been the shoulders of an Atlas.

None has ever been more bitterly tortured by his enemies. He has suffered millions of verbal crucifixions.

There is but a single accounting for the phenomenon. Nature may not have dealt as liberally in some respects with Mr. Roosevelt as with other men who have sat upon this American throne.

But nature gave him over-abundance of that philosophy of life which makes one cheerful under adversity and happy amid misery. And nothing is surer to keep the arteries from hardening than just that.—Charlotte Observer.

GOVERNOR BLACKWOOD

North Carolina joins with its sister State in lamenting the death of its former Governor Blackwood.

On the occasions of his visits to this State during his tenure of office the Governor impressed for his courtesy and consideration and the practicality of his democracy.

The exactions of public service are seldom appreciated by those who have no avenue of approach to the worries, vicissitudes and harassments of those who hold high governmental places.

No doubt the pressure laid upon Governor Blackwood during his term of office had no insignificant part in undermining his stamina and hastening him along to what appears to mortal judgment to be a premature end.—Charlotte Observer.

ADOPTS ADVERTISING CAMPAIGN

An intensive newspaper advertising campaign designed to describe the far reaching and numerous advantages to its patrons of the new, free pick-up and delivery service for less than car-load freight shipments has been inaugurated throughout the southeastern states by the Seaboard Air Line Railway. The new service became effective February 9.

Previous to the adoption of this plan it was necessary for shippers and receivers of freight to take their shipments to the railroad freight station, and call there for incoming shipments. Now, the Seaboard organization assumes full charge of the complete job—having trucks collect the shipments at shippers' doors, take them to the freight station for transfer to Seaboard freight trains, and then deliver by truck to the specified door at destination.

An added feature of this new Seaboard plan is the allowance of five cents per hundred pounds to consignors or to consignees who prefer to do their own hauling to and from the Seaboard station.

C. O. D. shipments are also included in this new plan. This makes possible for shippers the carrying on of cash business transactions at practically every point in the country.

The Seaboard has long been noted for its progressiveness in providing its own people—the people of the South—with the finest in transportation. This new service follows that well established precedent, and places the Seaboard organization at a person's command by a mere phone call to the Seaboard agent or representative.

Credit Henry Ford with one of the best bits of repartee extant. Asked by an interviewer what he thought automobiles would look like ten years from now, he replied that if he knew that he'd be building them now.—Monroe Enquirer.

Sentenced For Old Crime

Waynesville, N. C., Feb. 12.—Ancie Phillips, 56-year old mountaineer, today faced eighteen months to three years imprisonment for killing Jim Sutton, a neighbor, 35 years ago. Phillips, arrested here recently when he returned to visit relatives, pleaded guilty to manslaughter in superior court last week, and the plea was accepted by the state.

After the killing here in 1900, Phillips fled and spent most of a half century wandering in the west.

SENATE TABLES RESOLUTION SEEKING INVESTIGATION

Columbia, Feb. 18.—While two moves for highway legislation were made in the house, the senate today tabled a resolution for an investigation of charges of a highway commissioner against Governor Johnston.

The investigation measure, by Rep. Saint-Amant of Cherokee, was tabled upon motion of Senator Braisington of Kershaw, one-time member of the road board, without a record vote. The governor was in the chamber at the time.

Braisington said, "don't believe this resolution will get us a thing." The resolution would have had a legislative committee investigate charges of George Bell Timmerman, of Lexington, one of the commission ousted by Johnston, that the governor overdraw his pay \$800. The house passed it with assent of Johnston adherents last week.

The senate passed to third reading with notice of amendments a bill by Senator Hughes of Oconee to provide for judicial determination of whether legal grounds exist for the use of militia. Hughes introduced it at the special session last December.

SOUTH CAROLINIANS IN NASSAU

Nassau, B. W. I., Feb. 14.—Mr. and Mrs. Gerard M. Smith, of Brooklyn, New York, and Camden, South Carolina, will entertain in the British Colonial Grill tomorrow evening. They are here with her mother, Mrs. William H. Good and Mrs. Good's sister, Miss Mary Campbell.

Harry Cram, of "Foot Light Plantation," Bluffton, S. C., is entertaining tomorrow evening at the "Yacht Night" party in honor of visiting celebrities who finished in the Miami-to-Nassau International Yacht Race.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Robertson, of Salisbury, N. C., entertained this evening at the annual Valentine Fete. In their party were: Mr. and Mrs. Peter Van Vlaanderen, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Van Vlaanderen, Miss Agnes Muriel McCurry and Harry C. Crosby.

Kershaw Holds Cage Tournament

The Kershaw County Basketball Tournament will be held in the Armory Hall beginning Monday, February 24, at 2 p. m., with all high school teams—both boys and girls, participating. The Blaney-Baron DeKalb boys will start the fire works Monday at 2 p. m.

The schedule for the first day is as follows:

Monday, February 24—Blaney-Baron DeKalb boys at 2 p. m.; Blaney-Baron DeKalb girls at 3 p. m.; Charlotte Thompson-Antioch boys at 4 p. m.; Charlotte Thompson-Antioch girls at 5 p. m.; Bethune-Midway boys at 6 p. m.; Bethune-Midway girls at 7 p. m.; Camden-Mt. Pisgah boys at 8 p. m.; Camden-Mt. Pisgah girls at 9 p. m.

Semi-finals will be played off Wednesday afternoon, February 26, beginning at 3 o'clock. Finals will be played Friday night at 7:15. Come out and help your team win. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

Press Freedom Upheld By Court

Washington, Feb. 10.—Unanimously championing continued freedom of the press, the Supreme court today invalidated a Louisiana newspaper tax imposed during the late Huey P. Long's regime.

A strongly worded opinion read by Justice Sutherland held the levy imposed upon large publications was a "deliberate and calculated device" to restrict the "circulation of information."

Citing the nation's constitutional guarantee of a free press, the court added that the Louisiana tax was "suspicious" in form, and levied with the "plain purpose of penalizing publishers."

The tax law—passed in 1934 at Long's request—required publishers, both newspaper and magazine, with a circulation of 20,000 or more weekly to pay the state 2 per cent of gross receipts from their advertising.

12-Ounce Baby Expires

Philadelphia, Feb. 11.—A twelve-ounce girl baby kept alive for eight days despite lack of medical facilities died today.

The tiny girl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Martin was born on February 3. The case reached attention of specialists when Dr. H. Lenox Dick, summoned outside aid. Specialists said they were "amazed" that the infant had survived as long as it did. She had been wrapped in cotton and placed in an improvised incubator, made of a cardboard box, kept warm by hot water bottles piled around it.

EXCHANGE CLUB NOTES

The regular weekly meeting of the Exchange Club was held Tuesday at Hotel Camden with a good attendance. The speaker for the day was James A. Spruill, who talked on "World Peace."

Visitors were: Oliver Rice and Rochelle Sheorn.

Prominent Inman Citizen Passes

C. T. Price, 67, one of Inman's most prominent and highly esteemed citizens, died Monday morning at 7 o'clock at his home on Oakland avenue after a long illness.

Mr. Price was born near Bishopville, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Judson Price. When a young man he moved to Greenville where he resided for several years before going to Columbia.

He moved to Inman twenty-one years ago and engaged in the furniture business. Mr. Price was one of the leaders in the organization of the Inman Times in 1920 and held the position of manager for a number of years.

He was a member of the First Baptist church and served as church treasurer. He was one of the most active members of the Baraca class, having served as president for many years.

He is survived by his wife the former Miss Ida Barnes of Camden, one brother and several nieces and nephews.

Mr. and Mrs. Price celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary November 19.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist church Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. E. L. Spivey, the Rev. G. C. Leonard, the Rev. H. B. Hardy and the Rev. J. K. Aiken.

Members of the Baraca class served as honorary escorts. Interment followed in the new cemetery.

Among those from out-of-town attending the funeral were Eddie Price, of Bishopville; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Price, of Pickens; Mr. and Mrs. Cannon Price and children of Anderson; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fleming, of Laurens; Dr. and Mrs. Frank Lander, of Williamston; Mr. and Mrs. John C. Orr, of Asheville; Mrs. Arthur C. Goodwin, of Greensboro; Mrs. W. J. Rawlinson, of Rock Hill; Mrs. Lois Barnes, of Union, and W. H. Barnes of Atlanta, Ga.—Inman Times.

Back Door Men Hint Reprisals

Los Angeles, Feb. 11.—The organized "Hoboes of America" will fight in the courts if necessary to preserve their "constitutional rights" in this city's border patrol campaign against indigent transients, a letter to the Associated Press said.

The communication, on stationery of the international itinerant migratory workers' union, hoboes of America, was signed "Benjamin Benson, publicity director, Hoboes of America." "Joe Davis, president and 'king of the hoboes,' has instructed his lawyers to see that the constitutional rights of hoboes are not violated," the letter said.

"As publicity director of our organization, I have suggested that the hoboes start another Coxe's army march to California this summer after our convention in Louisville, Ky., in May 2 to 9.

"A hobo is a migratory worker. Not a tramp or bum."

The letter came in an envelope with the return address, "Volunteers of America," Los Angeles. At these headquarters it was said Benson is known.

The "Hoboes of America" stationery claims a membership for the organization of "over \$11,000," with international headquarters at Cincinnati. Jeff Davis is listed as "jungle judge, king of hoboes, elected for life."

Among others listed as members are George Arliss, London, England; William McNair, mayor of Pittsburgh, Pa., both "supreme knights of the road," Warden E. Lawes, Charles Chaplin and General Jacob Coxe, of Massillon, Ohio, "sir knight of the road."

REDFERN REPORTED FOUND

Georgetown, British Guiana, Feb. 20.—A new story that Paul Redfern, long-lost American flier, is alive among savage South American Indians who will not permit him to escape was brought to civilization today by Alfred Harred, reporter of the newspaper "Banier" of Paramaribo, Dutch Guiana.

Harred claimed that he and Art Williams, former United States army pilot, found Redfern and talked to him but were unable to remove him from the jungle.

There was no official confirmation of the story, although Harred claims to have been a member of the Dutch Section Boundary Commission, engaged in surveying the frontier where British Guiana, and Brazil meet and where Harred claims to have found Redfern.

The story is that Redfern is living in the Tumuc Humac mountains in Western Guiana.

Williams himself could not immediately be reached for comment on the story which is similar to that first told by Tom Roch, German-American explorer, two years ago.

Bellinger Rules in Favor of Sawyer

Columbia, Feb. 14.—Governor Olin Johnston suffered his third court defeat today in the state highway controversy with the reinstatement of Chief Commissioner Ben Sawyer and issuance of an injunction preventing him from pushing removal proceedings against Sawyer.

Circuit Judge G. Duncan Bellinger of Columbia, issued an order declaring the governor's suspension of Sawyer "null and void," dismissing removal proceedings Johnston had brought against him, and permanently enjoining the governor from seeking to remove him.

Johnston, at Washington, declined to comment but persons close to him here said there was a "distinct possibility" that the order might be appealed to the state supreme court, which overrode his military road regime last year and now has his pending appeal from the circuit court reinstatement of three highway commissioners.

Roy A. Powell, secretary to the governor, meanwhile made public two rulings by Attorney General John M. Daniel that bore on the highway situation.

One pointed out that there was no law under which the governor could "anticipate" vacancies, apparently dashing any hope he may have had of appointing a majority of the highway commission and having them confirmed to the state in time to take office April 15.

The other indicated that 22 state and approximately 60 county appointments he made at a special session last December were invalid for lack of confirmation.

They included five nominations to the highway commission.

Terms of a temporary road board created by the legislature to serve until February 20 meanwhile approached an expiration without immediate prospects of permanent legislation to reorganize the commission, and an extension of the temporary administration to April 15 was foreseen in some quarters.

Judge Bellinger in his decision today ruled in favor of Sawyer on all three major points in the case before him, but lawyers said it was dubious whether Sawyer could step back in to run the department February 20 under a statute vesting him with full authority when the commission was not "in session," in view of the status of the commission. Johnston has not decided 10 removal proceedings.

The circuit judge in effect ruled that the executive proceeding against Sawyer took the wrong form, that he misinterpreted the statute in adjudging the chief commissioner suspended and that he was not legally entitled to prosecute his removal case.

Judge Bellinger expressly provided in the order that his decision should not prevent "anyone" from bringing court action against Sawyer "if he has violated any laws of the State of South Carolina."

He declined to pass upon the constitutionality of the statute under which Johnston suspended the chief commissioner in a repetition of his administration-long effort to oust him, saying it was unnecessary to do so at present.

Citing the suspension statute, which authorizes removal for mishandling state appropriations, the judge said "the governor would not have the power to remove the officer unless and until the officer has been convicted under an indictment rendered against him."

He commented that "it is clear from the proceeding had in this matter that the governor does not deem the chief highway commissioner as coming within the purview of the provisions."

The order pointed out that Sawyer was suspended on two counts, accepting \$550 of his salary after the governor had vetoed the appropriation for it and approving county highway reimbursement bonds when the governor construed a statute as forbidding such action.

"I conclude and hold," the order set forth, "that the chief highway commissioner had ample authority to enter into reimbursement agreements on behalf of the state highway commission and various counties of the state."

Calling attention to a statute creating the office of chief commissioner and fixing his salary, the order continued, "the salary drawn by the chief highway commissioner... was fixed in accordance with law, an appropriation for the payment thereof was duly provided by the legislature and by virtue of his appointment Ben M. Sawyer was entitled to receive same."

Judge Bellinger held that "it is clear the authority to suspend the chief highway commissioner is, by law, placed in the state highway commission and not in the governor."

He said the commission, which rejected Sawyer in 1933 to serve to May 24, 1937, had sole authority over the chief commissioner with a statement:

"The statute makes it plain that

the right to 'hire and fire' the chief highway commissioner lies solely in the hands of the state highway commission."

On Monday congress began working on the biggest peace-time army supply bill in history, carrying a total of \$388,782,232, with \$168,359,935 additional for non-military purposes. The bill calls for an enlisted army strength of 150,000 with 565 additional airplanes and an extended national guard.

The probated will of Robert M. Welch, San Francisco banker, declares: "I hereby declare I have always been an unmarried man, and happily so."

More than 1,300 snow plows and 22,000 men were employed in New York city on Sunday freeing the streets of snow and ice.

Wants-For Sale

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