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INCOME TAX MEASURE

Measures may come and measures may go, but the agitation for another income tax law in Oregon seems destined, like Tennyson's "Brook," to go on forever. That is, it may continue forever unless a law is re-enacted by popular vote.

The state of Michigan has removed all speed limits on rural highways. Hereafter state police will not make arrests for speeding; they will arrest, instead, for "reckless driving" and the like.

It begins to look as if the minister's son were a much maligned young man. The clergymen's committee of the American Eugenics Society has just completed a canvass of 100 leading ministers of America.

Yesterday we received a communication from an informant outfit calling itself "The Civic Forum," says the Corvallis Gazette-Times. They want to get a rigid Sunday closing law through Congress.

Congress soon will have before it for consideration a bill to establish a national hospital for the cure of drug addicts convicted in federal courts.

Ohio executed a mental defective of 17 and found the millionaire bootlegger George Remus was just a little crazy when he killed his wife, that's all.

Turks are allowed only three wives now. Following bobbed hair comes the bobbed harem.

PRUNE PICKIN'S

By BERT G. BATES

GOOD EVENING FOLKS

Now they're gonna have a nationwide "Narcotic Week" There's something to get hopped up about!

We see by the papers that the metrop had another blizzard over the week-end. We folks in the sunny south hardly know what the word blizzard means.

Dock Shoemaker has written a letter to the Oregonian informing the city fellers that the Umpqua Valley is the haven for the robin redbreast.

LAFE PERKINS SEZ— "The shorter this column is the more it's read—one case where ye ed's laziness pays dividends."

DELANEY ANXIOUS TO BATTLE TUNNEY

(Associated Press Local Wire) NEW LONDON, Conn., Jan. 23.—Jack Delaney, retired light heavyweight champion, will accept only a match with Gene Tunney if he defeats Tom Heeney, of Australia, on March 1, says Joe Jacobs, his manager.

Delaney will have nothing to gain by defeating either Sharkey or Risko, Jacobs said. Heeney fought a draw with Sharkey and holds a decision over Risko.

HARRY NABHOLTZ IS GOLF CHAMPION

(Associated Press Local Wire) EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 23.—Sinking a 15-foot putt on the eighteenth hole in the final round today to get a 293 score for 72 holes, Harry Nabholz, professional from Cleveland, Ohio, won the second annual El Paso golf tournament Sunday, coming from behind to nose out MacDonald Smith, of New York, by one stroke for the \$1,000 first prize.

Nabholz, on his second shot on the final hole, made from a bad lie from behind a tree, went into a trap at the right of the green. One could hear a pin drop, so quiet was the large gallery, as Nabholz squared away for his explosion shot. The shot was perfect, the ball hitting the cup, rimming it and rolling across the green 12 feet. Then when Nabholz crept up to the ball, slighted it and rolled it in, the gallery went wild.

MacDonald Smith hit his stride Sunday also coming up from behind to win second place and \$700. In the morning he turned the course in par 73 and in the afternoon he broke par, making a 72.

Start the new season with a tractor that has power to do your work the way you want it done. See the McCormick-Deering 10-20 at Wharton Bros.

BOYD GETS DECISION

(Associated Press Local Wire) LA GRANDE, Ore., Jan. 22.—Spark Plug Boyd, of Seattle, won a close decision from Joe Blackwell of Innahua and Ray Hoffman of Seattle, knocked out Johnny Hayden, of Peaslee, in the fifth round in a double main event boxing card here Saturday night.

NEEDLE FOR DRILL

(Associated Press Local Wire) PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 21.—De Witt Stewart, alias Fred Grant, an electrician, was brought to Parkland today from Grants Pass to face a federal auto theft charge. Officers said that while in jail at Grants Pass he constructed an electric drill from a large darning needle and a pencil, connecting it with a light socket, in his cell and sawed through several bars before he was discovered.

Spray hose for small outfits as well as for the heaviest pressure is sold at Wharton Bros.

OUR AMERICAN BIRDS

Popular Home Lessons in Natural History

THE BIRD OF THE WEEK (BY LOUIS ALBERT BANKS)

THE WHIP-POOR-WILL

The whip-poor-will is a bird of the goose-neck family. He is from nine to ten inches long. He is a long-winged bird, mottled all over with reddish brown, grayish black and dusky white; numerous bristles fringing his large mouth.

Why now, should Will be so pursued? Why was him followed with a whip? O why not let your vengeance slip? You'd like it better after years, So spare poor Will those briny tears.

Suppose he turns from evil ways, And fills his years with righteous days. Till he is known as William Great? How sad will be your bitter fate!

Why still persist to whip poor Will? You still persist to whip poor Will!

MRS. RITZMAN, A RESIDENT OF CITY 33 YEARS, DEAD

Mrs. Caroline Ritzman, who for the past 33 years made her home in this city, passed away at her home in West Roseburg early Sunday morning. She had been in failing health for many months.

Mrs. Ritzman was a native of Germany, coming to the United States 48 years ago. She and her husband resided in Illinois for 15 years and then moved to Roseburg, taking up their home here 23 years ago and residing continuously in this city after that time.

According to information received here, Mildred L. Cole, of Boston, Mass., who is well known here, has been granted the custody of her son, Henry E. Cole. The award of the child was in accordance with the laws of Massachusetts, giving her the child from Cecil E. Cole, of Oakland, Ore.

The County division of the Oregon Teachers' Association will have a dinner at the Palace of Sweets on Saturday, January 28 at 6 p. m. Messages from the recent state meeting will be given.

FARMER IS ROBBED

(Associated Press Local Wire) PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 21.—K. C. Mazu, farmer, living at Lents Junction, was held up, robbed of \$60, and slugged last night by two thugs who stopped him at East 37th and Holgate streets and dragged him from his automobile.

Regaining consciousness half an hour later, Mazu appealed to police and a search for the two bandits, of whom the victim was able to furnish only meager descriptions, was begun.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Treasurer subject to the approval of the republican voters of Douglas county, at the nominating election, May 18. OLIVIA CARNES.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau Office, Roseburg, Oregon. Data reported by Arthur W. Pugh, Meteorologist in charge. Barometric pressure (reduced to sea level) 5 a. m. 30.64. Relative humidity 5 p. m. yesterday (per cent) 59. Precip. in inches and hundredths: Highest temperature yesterday 48. Lowest temperature last night 37. Average temperature for the day 42. Normal temperature for this date 42. Precipitation, last 24 hours .11. Total precip. since last month 1.81. Normal precip. for this month 5.31. Total precip. from Sept. 1, 1927, to date 11.19. Average precip. from Sept. 1, 1927, to date 18.29. Total deficiency since Sept. 1, 1927, 1.47. Average seasonal precip. Sept. 1 to May, inclusive 31.12. Forecast for southwest Oregon: Cloudy tonight and Tuesday, no change in temperature.

Today

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ed and rendered service to all the world's countries. President Roosevelt made it possible for him to do it. Honor to them both.

Hope deferred maketh the heart sick. Ask the Wall Street bear, he knows. He snuggled into bed last night, with that longed-for "market collapse" still in the distance, and prices going up. "What goes up, must come down," says the poor bear, but that doesn't always happen, notably in the case of Elijah and his chariot of fire.

TO DOUGLAS COUNTY ELECTORS

Standing for courtesy to our citizens, most careful, efficient of the practices possible to our taxpayers, and cherishing every educational advantage available for our Douglas county youth, I hereby ask the nomination by the Republican party for re-election to the office of County School Superintendent in the primaries, May 18, 1928. (Signed) Mrs. Edith S. Ackert.

THE TINYMITES

STORY BY MAE COCHRAN — PICTURES BY KNUCK

The cracker cop seemed very kind. Said he, "I'm sure that you will find that riding horses slower is as good as riding fast. You will admit there is no need for you to try and show much speed. 'Twill only tire the horses out, and then they will not last."



READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE

TURKEY GROWER SAYS GRADING PLANT NEEDED

"Down our way any farmer with a spark of life is getting a flock of turkeys," says the way Emil Ketcham, of Douglas county expressed himself today, while in the city on business.

Sealed bids will be received for a gymnasium by School District No. 12 (Glendale school) at two o'clock p. m. January 27, 1928, at the school house.

GLIDE SCHOOL BOARD

By H. D. Conine Clerk. DR. NERBAS DENTIST. Painless Extraction. Gas When Desired. Pyorrhea Treated. Phone 483. Masonic Bldg.

SIDE GLANCES—By George Clark



Thy tresses were twined around my neck. I had thy raven locks like a necklace of jet around my throat!

OUT OUR WAY—By Williams



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY.