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Every state, county and city official or board that handles public money should publish at regular intervals an accounting of it, showing where and how each dollar is spent. This is a fundamental principle of democratic government.

THE steps toward "federalization" of the United States (which term may come to be the term used to describe our brand of authoritarian government) come slowly but, under the present administration they are coming—surely.

For example the administration of relief was a state function at first. Doubtless it will not be remembered, but somehow the relief program became a work program and became a federal works program.

This week came another step. It is not so very important now for we have other and vastly more exciting news. But buried in the news report of the passage of the home guard bill by the United States senate was this paragraph:

"The chief senate change in the home guards measure previously passed by the house was a provision giving the secretary of war control over the proposed new military units. Senators said this would meet a complaint by organized labor that the home bill would have made possible formation of 'vigilante' groups to suppress unions."

This is a thin excuse, to be sure, for taking away from state governments the handling of protection units in the absence of the state national guard troops.

Are we supposed to understand from this that the several states are now no longer competent with their own state governments to deal with such a simple problem as home guard units? Has any state government with the possible exception of New Jersey, proven itself incompetent to such an extent that this drastic action by the senate is warranted?

We think not. But the drift has set in. We pass almost unnoticed this action which further reduces the value and authority of state government. There have been so many before us to make this insignificant. Already in eight years we have more federal bureaus, department and "administration" offices in our own state than we have departments and offices of our state government. This condition is NEW in eight years. What will we have now if the same administration is continued four years more? There is the "federal re-employment agency"—not a state employment office with federal cooperation. There is the Federal Housing Administration—not, again, a state housing program supported and aided by federal funds. This list could go on and on down through the new deal agencies.

How can this trend toward concentrating all power and authority at the top be called natural, accidental or for the reason that an emergency exists? This president has declared some 10 emergencies in the last seven years and the declaration of each one has seen some further power, large or small, vested in the federal government.

This is not the American way. This is not the sort of government that has been successful in this land of ours for 150 years. This is not the form of government that the framers of the constitution devised. The constitution expressly provides a system of ingenious checks and balances to prevent excess power ever being held by anyone, or any group. In fact the powers of the federal government are expressly set out and listed in the constitution. But the current administration has stretched the interpretation of these powers to a point where already the relationship between the state governments and the federal government is badly out of balance.

This trend is a trend toward dictatorship of some form or another. But whatever the form it will take the net result will be the curtailment of human freedom and the abridgement of human happiness.

There is only one way to stop the trend. Deny a third term to the administration in power. And in the future we should deny more than two terms as president to any and all who hold that office. The time to write this policy into the American system of government is right now. There is no other issue in this presidential campaign.

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her hand is necessarily weak? To answer that question with any assurance, one would have to know what commitments have been made by the UNITED STATES.

This writer doesn't know. Congress doesn't know. Only a small inner circle in our government knows.

JAPAN is believed to be weak—more or less exhausted by her war in China, which has proved much more serious than was expected when it began—as nearly all wars prove to be.

Faced by the certain prospect of war with the United States, it is believed in Washington that she will back off from a showdown.

There is also the prospect (not entertained in Washington, apparently) that Japan, cornered, seeing her whole far-flung Oriental empire in danger of crashing down, will fight—as a cornered coyote fights.

THERE is talk of Russia acting with Britain and the United States in the showdown. Don't take too much stock in that talk. Crafty Stalin would probably like nothing better than to see the United States and Japan at war. That would give him another chance to pick the bones of somebody else's kill.

The Oriental poker game is fully as exciting as the German game that preceded the German march into Poland—and involves as much directly.

Guard Welcomes Payday; New Type Of Gun Received

By MARSHALL HUNT CAMP MERRAY, Oct. 7.—Pay for time served in the regular army between September 8 and October 1 was received by enlistment of the Roseburg unit last Friday. Pay day occurs near the first of every month in the army and is as eagerly looked forward to as Christmas, with the greater advantage of occurring twelve times a year.

During the rest days of Saturday and Sunday many men of the company enjoyed the recreational facilities of American Lake, Olympia, Tacoma and Seattle. Miss Clara Mae Haller, of Lookingglass, Miss Betty Jean Lyon and Mrs. Bernard Saar, of Roseburg, visited the camp Saturday and accompanied by Corporal Frank Norton, Private Worth Davis and Corporal Bernard Saar, all of Company D, visited in Seattle Saturday and Sunday. Amateurs are situated about a mile and a half from camp, in the favorite pleasure spot for amusement on drill days after retreat and to spend the leisure hours Saturday and Sunday. The lake is an ideal recreation spot with facilities for rowing, fishing, bathing and various other entertainments.

New Type Gun Received Monday, Captain Robert L. Irving, assisted by 1st Lt. Wallace Robertson and 2nd Lt. Frank Eno and 2nd Lt. Carl Long, began instructing his men in the use of the new military tactics. Training in placing basic weapons in action was emphasized with intensive instruction also in the mechanics of the guns and close order drill. An 8 mm mortar, the newest weapon of this type in use in the U. S. army, was received Monday by Co. B. Previous training of the mortar platoon had been with the old World War I 4.2 inch trench mortar. Eventually this unit will have two of these new mortars. Interest in mortar training increased greatly as a result of this acquisition.

This unit drew the guard detail for October 7 and 8. This detail is rotated between units in the regiment so that all receive their detail in turn. The men are on duty for 21 hours and each hour is assigned a post to guard. Thirty-five privates were assigned to guard the camp's posts.

Colds of minor consequence are prevalent in the company but with no serious illness so far. The last inoculation against typhoid of a series of three was given yesterday with a similar vaccination being given also to men who were unable to take it before leaving Roseburg.

Leave for Portland—Mr and Mrs. Hugh Ritchie, Jr., of Garden Valley, left today for Portland to enter the stock show.

OUT OUR WAY



Merchant Marine Is Opened to CCC

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In order to qualify for such training, boys must be between the ages of 18 and 23 years, during the training period they are known as apprentice seamen and are paid \$21 a month, receiving in addition, clothing, subsistence and quarters. Upon completion of the training period, boys who are qualified are absorbed in the merchant marine. Their status both during the training period and employment in private employment, and they are not required out of their earnings to make any allotments of funds for the support of their families. However, in a great many instances boys voluntarily contribute to the support of their parents or other dependents. According to representatives of both the CCC and the maritime commission, such training will be afforded excellent opportunities for continuing employment.

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5:00—Palmer House Concert, MBS.
5:15—Matinee Dance.
5:30—Clay Lucas' Orch., MBS.
6:00—Speech by President Roosevelt, MBS.
6:30—John H. Hughes, MBS.
6:45—Melodius Modern.
6:55—News, Calif. Pacific Utilities Co.
7:00—Mutual Maestros.
7:30—Lou Loyal, Dramatic Show, MBS.
8:00—Calif. Melodius, MBS.
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8:05—5 Minute Men, MBS.
8:20—MBS News, MBS.
8:30—Voice of Prophecy Choir, MBS.
8:45—Chorus, MBS.
9:00—The YMCA in the Present, MBS.
9:15—The Chaplain Speaks, Rev. Perry Smith.
9:30—Sing a Song of Safety Club, MBS.
9:45—Alice Blue, Pianist, MBS.
10:00—Strings to Swinging, MBS.
10:15—Romance of the HLWays, Greyhound Lines, MBS.
10:30—Lutheran Nat'l Convention, MBS.
11:00—Baptist Church Services.
12:00—Nobody's Children, MBS.
12:30—Sunday Variety, MBS.
1:30—Hayden Rest, MBS.
2:00—Sunday Matinee.
2:30—The Shadow, MBS.
3:00—Dance Orch.
3:30—Show of the Week, MBS.
4:00—Recreation, MBS.
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J. P. Motschenbacher Loses Father by Death

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Motschenbacher and daughter, Susan, and son, Elliott, left Thursday for Klamath Falls where they were called by the death of Mr. Motschenbacher's father, Michael Motschenbacher, at the age of 79 years. The older Mr. Motschenbacher a native of Arcadia, Wis., had been a resident of Klamath Falls for the past 31 years. He recently suffered a paralytic stroke. The J. P. Motschenbacher family visited with him last week-end. He leaves a widow, seven sons, three brothers, four sisters and 11 grandchildren.

WEATHER STATISTICS

By the U. S. Weather Bureau. Humidity 1.39 p. m. yesterday 41%. Highest temperature yesterday 79. Lowest temperature last night 48. Precipitation for 24 hours .00. Precip. since first of month .22. Precip. from Sept. 1, 1940 .365. Excess since Sept. 1, 1940 .50.

A FORMER KING

Horizontal and vertical crossword puzzle grid with clues. Horizontal clues include '1. Former European ruler', '7. He is the former king', '12. Measure of cloth', '13. Visionary', '15. Frozen moisture', '16. Authentic', '17. Polish', '18. Sand hill', '19. Sound of inquiry', '21. Fastidious', '23. Infant', '25. Lash mark', '27. Flat plate of metal', '29. Buddhist festival', '30. Male bee', '31. Indian', '34. Entangled', '35. Dressed smartly', '38. Measure of area', '39. Frozen rain', '40. Gown', '42. Ramifications slowly', '43. Pertaining to wings', '44. Sickness', '46. Beasts of burden', '47. Mosquito sting', '48. Otherwise', '49. Southeast (abbr.)', '52. Constellation'.

Large crossword puzzle grid with some numbers filled in.

Sunday at the Churches

DAILY DEVOTIONS

DR. CHAS. A. EDWARDS. Immortality is not an inherent right. Eternal life is a reward. "The gift of God." We reap what we sow. Practical physical rules and you reap a healthy body. Practice mental rules and you reap a prime mind. Practice spiritual rules, prayer, worship, meditation and you reap a personality fitted for eternal life. Therefore, to neglect caring for the soul is to dwarf our best selves here and enter the next world a pauper. Egocists boastfully announce, "I am not afraid to die. Jesus averted it until He could say, "It is finished." Then He and we graduate into life everlasting. In France, dear holy phoned rest securely and serenely in vast fields of lilies where the sweet scent deflates the trailing hounds. The shepherd pasture provide nourishment, but also offer succor for unrest and feverish fretting. A man who was healed without charge in a Christian hospital, found that one thousand dollars would not buy a bed. He determined to serve himself of minor pleasures and later raised that amount. Later seeing a boy in the bed, he said, that is better than pleasures. Amen.

FULL GOSPEL ASSEMBLY

Located at the end of West Commercial Ave. A Harold Persing, pastor. Service held with Evangelist Hubert G. Rannels speaking. Services for this coming Sunday. Our Sunday school convenes at 9:45 with John Elliot, our superintendent, in charge. Classes for all ages. A class for men only is taught by Rev. A. Harold Persing, the pastor. The class invites you, morning service at 11 a. m. with Rev. Rannels speaking. Children's church at 8:30. Young people's service at 6:30. Mrs. Dicks in charge. Evangelistic service at 7:30. Rev. Rannels speaking. This will be the final service of these special meetings which have been going for five weeks. Services for the week of Tuesday night at 7:30. devotional with a gospel message by the pastor. Friday night at 7:30, pastor will be assisted by the young people in this service.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Christian Science services in Myrtle Creek are held each Sunday in the granite hall, Third and Division streets, at 11 a. m. The subject of the lesson sermon for Sunday, October 13, is "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

(Missouri Synod). Corey and Military street, West Roseburg. The service of Sunday, October 13, begins at 8:30 p. m. The topic of the sermon is, "Why Does God Place Difficulties in the Pathway of the Christian's Life?" The Sunday school meets at 9:45 a. m. The New Testament study class meets Friday (tonight) at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Dr. G. McQueen, 415 South Pine street. The Mid-Week Bible class meets next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. Kaine on South Mill street. The quarterly report will be given Sunday evening after the service. We most cordially invited all those having no church home of their own to attend our services and Sunday school. W. A. Sylvester, 1170 Military street, pastor.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

312 East Douglas street. Regular services Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject of lesson: "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" Sunday school convenes at 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening meetings which include testimonies of healing and remarks on Christian Science are held at 8 o'clock. The reading room at 317 Perkins building is open daily except Sundays and holidays from 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. Here the Bible and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read, borrowed or subscribed for. The public is cordially invited to attend the church services and to visit the reading room.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH

The pastor, the Rev. Louis Skeritz, will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening on Sunday. "The Standard Equipment" is the Christian life in the present modern streamlined world, is the subject for the morning theme. "The Man Who Saw Seven Hundred Ahead" will be discussed in the evening, portraying the adventures of the man who counts God also the short sightedness of the man in the office. The church is looking forward to the fall revival meeting which will be held in the near future. Look for announcements through the press and hand bills which will be distributed. Sunday school 9:45 morning, worship 10:45. Evening, YPM 6:45, worship 7:30. Midweek prayer and praise services Wednesday 7:30.

DILLARD METHODIST CHURCH

G. A. Garboden, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Sermon topic, "Why Believe in the Church." Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

LOOKINGGLASS CHURCH

Sunday school 10 a. m. Epworth League 6:30 p. m. evening services 7:30 p. m.

TENNILLE CHURCH

G. A. Garboden, pastor. Sunday school 10:45 a. m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Confessions will be heard on Saturday from 4 to 6 and after the evening services. Masses on Sunday will be celebrated at 8 and 10 o'clock. Benediction of the most blessed sacrament will be given at 7:30 Sunday evening. Masses during the week will be celebrated at 8:30. The October devotions will be held each evening at 7:30 with benediction on Tuesday and Friday. There will be a Holy Name society meeting on Sunday, Fr. William Caughlan, pastor.

CAMAS VALLEY CHURCH

G. A. Garboden, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m.

CLEVELAND CHURCH OF GOD

Cleveland school district, church school 10 a. m. We have graded lessons and classes for all ages. The school welcomes you and your neighbors. They have friendly teachers who will help you enjoy the lesson. Mrs. John Parry is superintendent. Morning church at 11 a. m. A sermon you will enjoy. Evening service at 7:45 p. m. Sermon topic, "Does Baptism Save You?" A hearty welcome to all. Come and bring your Bible. Mrs. John Parry, assistant pastor, John Edgar Evans, pastor.

THE METHODIST CHURCH

Church school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Organ prelude "Pleasant Hymn." Anthem, "The Lord of Every Human Soul." Offertory, "Song to the Evening Star." Prayer, Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Communion address by the pastor, "Eden and Gehenna." Organ postlude, Chorale, Livingston. Intermediate and senior Epworth Leagues at 6:15 p. m. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Special music. Sermon topic, "Sanctification with God."

BAPTIST CHURCH

A "harvest home" service is the order Sunday night at the Baptist church. The building will be decorated with displays depicting the fall season. Alvin Heard of Lookingglass, outstanding 4H club member, will display some of his corn and other crops. Other club members will be present. "My Father Worketh Himself and I Work" is the scripture for Sunday night. "The Ideal Giver" is the sermon topic Sunday morning. The Sunday school convenes at 9:45 a. m. Four young people's groups meet at 6:30 p. m. The annual union supper will be held at 6:30 Tuesday evening. By special request a series of prayer meeting studies on "What Baptists Believe," will be started Wednesday evening at 7:29.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Jackson and Lane streets. The Business and Professional club of Roseburg will be guests of the church of the Sunday morning service. The sermon title will be "A Seller of Purple." The Sunday school will hold its Fall day program at 9:45 Sunday morning. The Ladies' Aid will hold a tea in the church on October 15th at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Marie Flint McCall will talk on her trip through Nova Scotia and the United States. On Friday, Oct. 18th, the church will hold its annual harvest home potluck dinner at 6:15. Bring your dishes and a covered dish and plan to enjoy the evening. The sermon Sunday evening will be on "The Man Born Blind." The calendar for the week: Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship,

11:20 a. m.; C. E. society, 6:30 p. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m. Tuesday: Choir practice, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday: Prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m. Thursday: Ladies Aid, 2:30 p. m. Friday: Potluck dinner, 6:45 p. m.

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THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

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Returns From Portland—Carl Richmond, of the Sans Souci turkey ranch at Melrose, returned here last night from Portland.

Advertisement for Century Bonded Straight Bourbon Whiskey, featuring a bottle image and text: "AMERICA'S Finest", "BOTTLED IN BOND", "CENTURY BONDED Straight Bourbon Whiskey", "CENTURY DISTILLING CO. PEORIA, ILL."

Small portrait of a man with text: "OLD FASHIONED REVIVAL", "Charles E. Fuller, Director", "Evangelist Joseph Douglas of the Church of Christ, Scientist, 1904-1910", "A notable Gospel Program."

Advertisement for Douglas County Farm Bureau Co-op. Exch. with text: "SPECIAL! Model D Tractor \$500, T-20 International \$975, New Model G \$150 off, 2-Plow Crawler, new \$1250. Buy Where You Own the Profits. DOUGLAS COUNTY Farm Bureau Co-op. Exch. ROSEBURG, OREGON"

Advertisement for Little Stories of Great Hymns with text: "Hold the fort—'Tis our bliss", "He, 'me comrades' see the signal", "Waiting in the sky!", "Reinforcements now appearing", "Victory is nigh.", "Chorus: 'Hold the fort, for I am coming', Jesus signals still, 'Wait the answer back to heaven', 'B'. 'The grace we will'." "A story told by Major D. W. Whittle in May, 1876, to a Sunday School in Rockford, Ill., of General Sherman's signal, 'Hold the Fort For I Am Coming', to General Grant who was gallantly defending a fort at General Lee, inspired P. P. Bliss to write this hymn." "LITTLE STORIES OF GREAT HYMNS", "Courtesy of DOUGLAS FUNERAL HOME", "226 PINE AND LANE", "PHONE 112."