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HEART AND MOUTH IN ACCORD—For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.—Romans 10:10.

Now perhaps the weather man will settle down to the job of giving us a little summer weather.

"Juck" MacNider, of Iowa, former assistant secretary of war under Coolidge and past national commander of the Legion, has been named minister to Canada by President Hoover. An extremely difficult and important post, the choice seems very happy. Mr. MacNider is experienced in business, tactful, likeable. He will, we are confident, serve his country with distinction.

No one is particularly to blame for the confusion resulting from La Grande's trial of daylight saving time. A week ago sentiment throughout the business district seemed very much in favor of the experiment. The petition that was circulated met with practically no opposition. The city authorities simply acted on that basis and recommended the time as requested by a long list of petitioners. It was the general impression that everyone would set their clocks ahead and go by the new time. Trouble appeared when it was found that this was not the case. No one anticipated the confusion or objections that have resulted. At least their present extent could not be anticipated. Otherwise the plan would probably never have been inaugurated. Now it is simply a matter of determining what the majority sentiment is and acting accordingly. No great damage has been done by making the trial.

The defeat of Mr. Grundy at the hands of Pennsylvania republicans indicates that politics in that state are not as rotten as we have been led to believe. Mr. Grundy was very successful as a lobbyist. He was quite prominent as senatorial appointee. But as a candidate he is a flop. He made the mistake of beginning his political career in office. Appointed to the senate without a campaign, the people got acquainted with him while he was denied the opportunity of getting acquainted with the people. As is often the case, voters didn't like the sample. And Mr. Grundy is out. Which proves there is nothing like tenure of office to cool early enthusiasms. Campaigns, promises and pre-election reputations are bright colors that often fade terribly under the strong light of office occupancy.

Oregon people who were interested in the recent primary election are awaiting the supreme court decision on Joseph's disbarment proceedings with keen interest. Many observers contend that the court will not dare disbar the republican nominee for governor, that it will dismiss the case. On the other hand, The Observer is of the opinion that the court cannot fail to follow the recommendation of its referees for disbarment without losing caste throughout the state and showing its willingness to be intimidated by political influences. If the court does not disbar Joseph, the great majority of Oregon citizens will feel that its members were afraid to. Many laymen will come to the conclusion that supreme court justices temper their decisions to conform with politics, that fear of failure to win re-election changes their minds, that they do not constitute a court of law and

of conscience, but a court of expediency. And if Joseph is disbarred, there are many others who will contend it was a vindictive decision influenced by his attacks on the court. In either event, the decision will be misinterpreted and unfortunate in its effect on the public attitude toward courts and politics.

UNSELFISH USES OF MONEY

America needs a past and America needs a tradition. Very well, it will construct one—take a town and make it Colonial. And do a good job, too. It is rather staggering to hear that in the twentieth century a Colonial town will be built. But that is to happen, for Williamsburg, Va., will move back through time and become very much as it was in the war of American independence.

Here is another example of the strange interests and remarkable generosity of the American type of Maecenas. There is, it appears, no rich American today who does not have his dreams. And there are many rich Americans. One may collect folios and manuscripts; another may buy Titians and Rembrandts; another may start operas and symphonies; another may build a great library or establish a foundation for health or aviation; another may revive old dances and restore old inns, and now John D. Rockefeller Jr., will rebuild a Colonial town. But none of them is niggardly in his dreams.

In the past nabobs have collected treasures and founded houses, all to their own glory and for their own pleasures. But in America the urge takes an unselfish expression. Somehow they seem to feel intensely that money is for another purpose than their own. The world has benefited by this hunger of rich Americans. It has at its disposal humanitarian services that leap over frontiers and objects of beauty which might never have been known had not the money been easy to give.

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

CHICAGO WHEAT				
	Open	High	Low	Close
May	1.03 1/4	1.06 1/2	1.02 1/2	1.06 1/2
July	1.01 3/4 @ 1/2	1.07 1/2	1.01 1/2	1.07 1/2 @ 1/2
Sept.	1.07 1/4 @ 1/2	1.10 1/2	1.00 1/2	1.09 3/4 @ 1/2
Dec.	1.11 1/4 @ 1/2	1.14 1/2	1.11 1/2	1.14 1/2

PORTLAND WHEAT				
	Open	High	Low	Close
May	1.01	1.02 1/2	1.01	1.02 1/2
July	1.02 1/4	1.04 1/2	1.02 1/2	1.03 1/2
Sept.	1.02 1/2	1.04 1/2	1.02 1/2	1.04 1/2

time. Mr. Hill replied that they had an authority over the action of the schools in observing either daylight or standard time, and suggested they take the matter to the school board.

Police Clock Mentioned
Commissioner Melville wanted to know why the police station clock hadn't adopted daylight saving time, since it had been proclaimed by the city. "How do you expect others to recognize it unless the city does?" he said. "Not saying whether it is right or wrong, but it is up to the city to set the example."

Commissioner Hill then took the stand that each person had a right to his or her own time, since the city had no authority to enforce any particular time—daylight or standard.

When the skirmish first appeared in a letter from C. H. Johnson, of Portland, was read, congratulating the city of La Grande on the daylight plan, particularly for the city's progressiveness in adopting it. This was followed by a communication from the Central Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners favoring and requesting a return to standard time. This was signed by C. H. Spiker, secretary.

Third Battle Scheduled
Anyhow, the third battle is scheduled for tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock daylight saving time, which is 6:30 standard time, and observers confidently expect to find both proponents and opponents present with their sticks and ammunition and in line for a deciding clash. There are rumors that those in favor of it will do some more petitioning themselves, but these rumors had not been verified early this morning.

During the meeting it was stated that a large number of business men are operating on daylight time and others on standard time. In fact, Mr. Hill expressed the belief at one time during the pleasant evening that if the thing were let alone for a few days it would die a natural death. His idea of such a demise didn't win many votes, as most of the opponents wanted to shove the daylight time

plan's foot into the grave, with as much force as possible.

Oh, yes, when Secretary A. H. Hunter arrived at the meeting at 8:45 o'clock daylight time, he was accused of observing standard time, so that would have made him only 15 minutes late had the commission opened its session on the old system.

Proceeding this the commission attended to routine business, including the filing of a report on the raising of local salaries and economies and the granting an application for a routine home license to Ross H. Verdino of 209 1/2 Elm street.

PINCHOT HAS LEAD TODAY OVER BROWN
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for governor, polled more than a quarter of a million votes. Cassett announced the wet candidate would not be Thomas W. Phillips Jr., of Butler, who sought the republican nomination on an anti-prohibition platform at the Tuesday primary.

Recalls Phillips' Promise
"When Phillips consented to make the fight for nomination," Cassett said, "he stipulated that, if defeated in the primaries, he would not be asked nor expected to be a candidate in the fall."

The statement said that union of wet strength in the state in support of a liberal candidate for governor in the fall "will attract the support of liberty-loving citizens of all parties and all elements and will assure the defeat of Mr. Pinchot, whose dry stand is contrary to the convictions of the overwhelming majority of the voters of this state."

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK
PORTLAND, Ore., May 22 (AP)—Cattle 120, including 90 on contract, calves 15, about steady. Hogs good \$10.50 to \$11.00, common to medium \$8.50 to \$10.50, cows good \$9.50 to \$10.00, common to medium \$7.50 to \$9.50, low cutters, as most of the opponents wanted to shove the daylight time

FALKS FOUNDERS WEEK

ENDS SATURDAY MAY 24TH

This great get "acquainted week" has brought hundreds of new and old customers alike into our store! They have been convinced that Falk's offer true values for every dollar — every day in the year. Now as our Founders week is at a close we offer the four items mentioned below on sale between nine and ten o'clock Saturday morning only. Each one an unusual value.

THESE FOUR ITEMS ON SALE BETWEEN 9 AND 10 O'CLOCK SATURDAY MORNING (STANDARD TIME)

25 DOZEN TIES
New Patterns — New Colors
Hand Made of Imported Silks
50c each

68 PC. NECKWEAR
Values to \$2. in Collar and Cuff Sets — Fronts and Collars.
75c each

75 Pair Woven Sandals
Regular \$4.95 Values in Four Color Combinations.
\$2.95 pair

Ladies' Chiffon Hose
Slightly Irregular \$1.95 All Silk Hose in New Spring Colors
75c pair

- MEN'S \$35 and \$40 SUITS NOW PRICED \$23.62**
- LADIES' \$29.50 to \$39.50 SPRING COATS FOR \$25.**
- MUNSING \$1.95 RAYON BLOOMERS, ALL COLORS \$1.75**
- REGULAR \$1.95 ALL SILK SEMI-CHIFFON HOSE \$1.39**
- \$18. SILK PRINTED LADIES' DRESSES \$13.95**
- \$3.50 to \$5.00 MANHATTAN COLLAR ATTACHED SHIRTS \$2.62**
- BOY'S 2 PANTS \$17.50 SUITS, AGES 6 TO 12 YRS. \$9.61**
- \$2.50 to \$4. MANHATTAN and GLOVER PAJAMAS \$1.95**
- \$3.95 and \$4.95 LADIES' LEATHER AND FABRIC BAGS \$2.62**
- \$10. and \$12.50 SELBY ARCH PRESERVER SHOES \$7.85**
- VALUES TO \$7.95 IN LADIES' MILLINERY PRICED \$4.65**
- VALUES TO \$5.95 DISCONTINUED CORSET STYLES \$2.95**

Cake Bakers! ATTENTION!

ENTRIES IN BAKE-A-CAKE CONTEST MUST BE SUBMITTED AT OUR OFFICE 105 ELM STREET LA GRANDE BETWEEN 9:00 A. M. AND 12 NOON, FRIDAY MAY 23.

Cakes will be judged and prizes for best cake awarded at 4:00 p. m. At this time, also, the White Enameled Hotpoint Range will be awarded. The public is cordially invited to come in during the day and see for themselves these cakes made by the best cooks of Union County.

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TIME SAVING STILL HERE; FIGHT RAGES

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time. Some simply didn't like it and others who worked for the utilities or others on standard time, also didn't like it and gave many reasons why they didn't.

Proclamation Read
At another interval the city recorder was requested to read the city proclamation so that all present could learn exactly what it said. That didn't seem to settle the matter, and most of the crowd still thought it would be a nice thing for the commission to rescind that proclamation.

Whereupon the city commission decided that these 66 men who signed the petition should be reconvened and explain their sentiments as of this week, and at the same time the commission sought to point out just why said commission was in no way responsible for the proclamation as they only "recommended" that daylight time be adopted. In reply the chamber of commerce representative said that the passing of the proclamation automatically took the whole matter out of the chamber of commerce's hands.

The schools were brought into the fracas and the city was asked to make 'em return to standard

Auction Sale of Prize Cakes

BENEFIT OF THE NEW CITY PARK
Over 100 cakes entered in the Bake - a - Cake Contest will be sold at the office of this company Friday afternoon, May 23.

SALE BEGINS AT 4:00 P. M.
TOM JOHNSON, Auctioneer.
MRS. EMMA FOWLER, Clerk.

The funds will be turned over to the New City Park Committee.

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