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STATE ELECTION
MAY 21ST.

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TREATY THROWN INTO CAMPAIGN

Washington.—The treaty of Versailles as it came from Paris has been thrown squarely into the coming presidential campaign.

President Wilson formally has called upon the democratic party to "indorse and support" the treaty and "condemn the Lodge reservations."

Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, the republican leader in the fight to amend the document, has accepted the president's challenge, and political observers here regarded the issue as clearly drawn.

Mr. Wilson's views were stated in a telegram to G. E. Hamaker, of Portland, chairman of the Multnomah county democratic central committee.

With W. J. Bryan insisting that the democrats accept the reservations adopted by a majority of the senate, some observers here expect a sharp fight on the treaty issue at San Francisco, with Senator Hitchcock, of Nebraska, probably leading the administration forces.

AUTOMOBILE HINTS

The porcelain of a spark plug may be made almost as clean as new by soaking in carbon disulphide.

Short circuits may be found in countless places. Generally they are found in the battery itself.

When driving in the rain, snow or fog it is very essential that the windshield should be kept clean.

After it has stood for several days, even in a tight tank, gasoline will become dead and slow to ignite.

Stronger motor car bodies are being built, but so far the locomotives have won all the arguments.

In many makes of wire wheels the greatest care must be exercised in putting the locking devices in place.

Many motorists carry a flashlight in their cars, and this little piece of equipment is extremely valuable for emergency use.

The motortruck buyer must be careful in selecting a vehicle to see that the body is not too wide or too long to transgress some local ordinance.

REBELS CAPTURE MEXICAN TOWNS

American Destroyers Move to Southern Waters to Await Events.

Washington.—With Mexico City, Vera Cruz and Tampico in the hands of the revolutionists, American destroyers were sent to Mexican waters to await eventualities and to afford protection to the American lives in the Mexican gulf ports. This gives the revolutionists control of practically all of the important cities.

Official confirmation of the fall of the Mexican capital was received by the state department from the American embassy which reported there was no disorder in the capital.

The American embassy report made no mention of President Carranza, and reports from Vera Cruz said a search there had failed to find him. A report that he had been arrested in Esperanza, state of Vera Cruz, was without confirmation here.

Estimates of the state department place the number of Americans in Mexico at between 6000 and 7000, including radicals and draft evaders who crossed the border to escape the law.

CHINESE LOANS PLANNED

Consortium Arranged After Year's Negotiation By Powers.

Washington.—Japan has withdrawn all objections to Chinese consortium and has prepared a communication accepting the terms as agreed upon by the United States, Great Britain and France, the state department was informed by the American embassy at Tokio.

The consortium will become effective as soon as the signatures of officials have been affixed.

The acceptance of the consortium by Japan ends a two-years' effort by the state department to provide for the financing of China by representative groups of bankers in each of the four great countries. Japan has contended that Manchuria and Mongolia should be excluded from the operation of the consortium, claiming that it had predominant rights in that territory because of proximity. The United States, however, refused to agree to this exclusion.

ELECTION, MAY 21

STATE ROADS

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For 4% State Road Bond Limit

BALLOT TITLE IS AS FOLLOWS:

302 X Yes

303 No

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT—Referred to the people by the Legislative Assembly.
LIMITATION OF FOUR PER CENT STATE INDEBTEDNESS FOR PERMANENT ROADS.—Purpose: To amend Section 7 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Oregon so as to permit the creation of debts and liabilities including previous debts and liabilities for the purpose of building and maintaining permanent roads to the amount of four per cent of the assessed valuation of all the property in the State of Oregon, instead of two per cent as now provided by law.

**NO PROPERTY TAX—NO DIRECT TAX
NO INCREASE IN AUTO LICENSE FEES
NO INCREASE OF GASOLINE TAX**

Keep these three facts in mind. This present auto license fees and gasoline tax will pay both the principal and interest on all the bonds under this amendment, and will yield an annual surplus besides for other state highway work. No additional taxation of any kind.

FEDERAL FUNDS MUST BE MATCHED

Oregon must have sufficient Highway Funds to match Federal apportionments or Oregon cannot get the benefit of Federal money for Oregon Roads. Increasing this constitutional limit is a necessity. Unless limit is increased, either state roads cannot be completed for many, many years, or must be finished by direct property taxation. This measure averts direct property tax for state highways and makes early completion possible. Let's get the roads built now.

Income from Present Sources Sufficient to Pay Principal and Interest.

The fact that revenues from auto license fees and gasoline tax, without increase of present rates, will be ample to pay both principal and interest on these bonds, is clearly set forth by official figures in the State Pamphlet, mailed to every registered voter. Refer to State Pamphlet for verification. Examine the table carefully. It proves that no property tax is required and that present rates for auto license fees and gas tax will reduce principal and interest and yield surplus bonds.

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