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DOVES OF PEACE, OLIVE BRANCHES

OUR CITY IS SHY, LET'S GET THESE PEACE SYMBOLS

WE FIGHT, GLADSTONE SMILES

Time to Make Sacrifice Hits and Play Team Work for City

We have councilmen using the columns of the press to dispute and denounce each other over details of the city government... We have the physicians of our city fighting the county court appointment of health officer and long and expensive litigation is ahead...

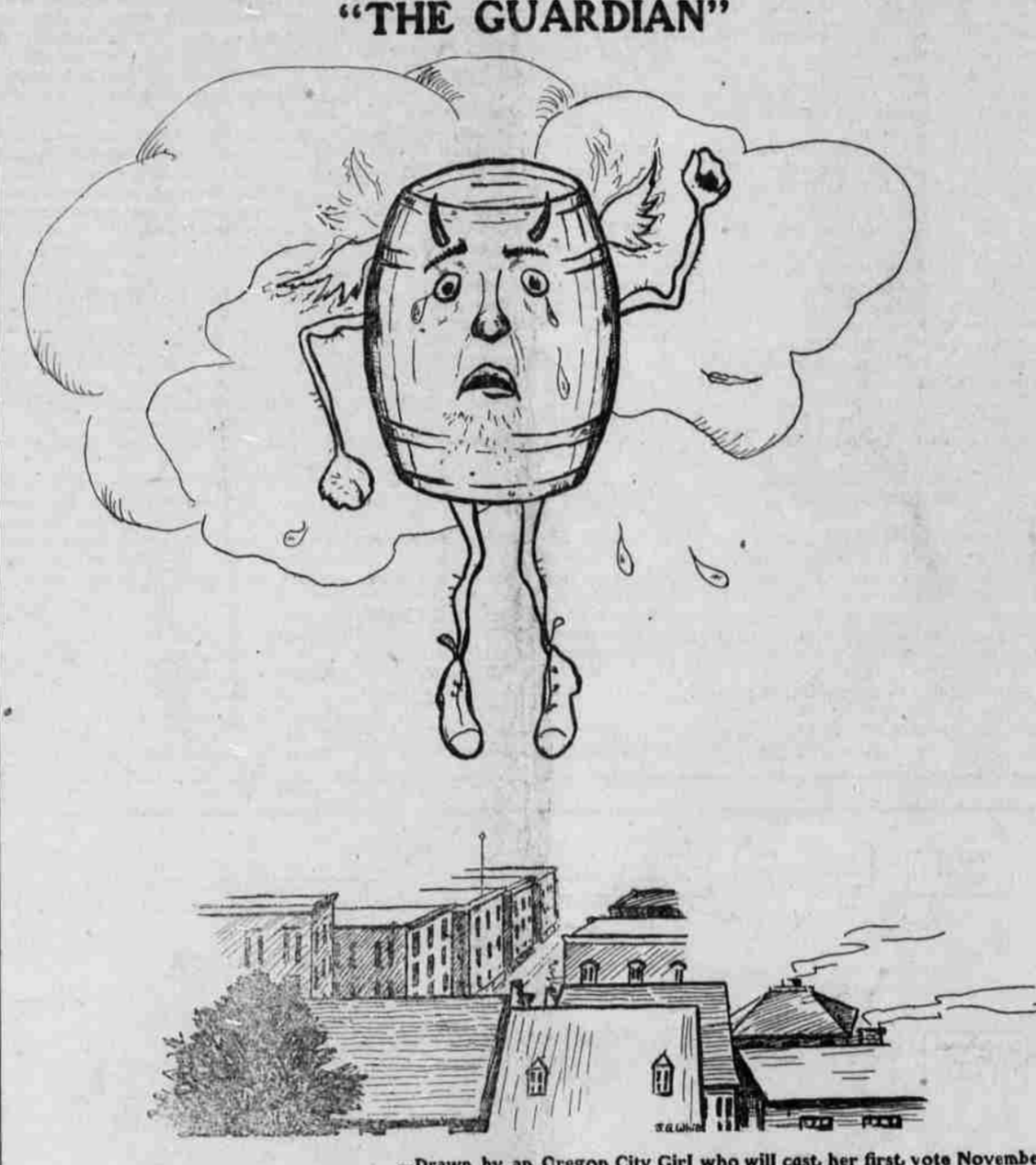
PRESENT METHOD IS WEAK SYSTEM

CITY IS TOO BIG FOR OLD STYLE FORM OF GOVERNMENT

LET'S TRY COMMISSION PLAN

City Could Save Thousands and Administration Would be Better

Editor Courier:— When a man embarks in business two things are bound to occur, either success or failure. His success may be due to luck, popularity or business acumen. In the vast majority of cases his business acumen decides the fate of his business...



—Drawn by an Oregon City Girl who will cast her first vote November 4

"IN THE NAME OF THE PEOPLE"

DOCTORS BRING FIGHT, LET TAXPAYER PAY THE BILLS

REAL RAW ONE SLIPPED OVER

Hiding Behind District Attorney Because it is Cheaper Saturday last SOME ONE started an action in the circuit court for the removal of Dr. J. A. Van Brakle as health officer of Clackamas county...

LOOKS LIKE DRY TIMES.

Public Sentiment Says Dry City After Next Week Tuesday Public sentiment sometimes goes wrong, but as a general proposition it renders the verdict...

OH, YOU EASTERNERS.

You Eight Snow, While We Pick Strawberries and Roses. This week Walter Hitchman of Clackamas has been delivering strawberries in the city...

HOW IT WORKED UP AT CANBY

TWENTY YEARS WET, 4 YEARS DRY, AND THE COMPARISON

LETTER FROM LEE TO ADAMS

City is Growing and Booming Since Saloons Went Out

(The following letter is in answer to one written by L. Adams of this city to M. J. Lee of Canby. Mr. Adams wrote to ascertain the condition of that city, both before and after saloons were voted out.)

Canby, Ore., Oct. 27.—Mr. L. Adams, Oregon City, Ore. Dear Sir:— Replying to yours of the 25th, will state that Canby was wet until January 4th, 1909. Since that time Canby has been continuously dry. But one blind pig has been found in the four dry years and that one was closed in 1912. John Sims pleaded guilty and paid his fine...

We Place on Sale SATURDAY 50 Women's Sample Suits

Secured from MARSHALL FIELD & CO. Chicago These Suits are identical with those now being shown by this firm's big State Street store at \$25 and \$27.50 We have an even fifty of them--No two alike. FOR SATURDAY Alterations FREE \$16.50 See Window Display Bannan & Co. SELLS FOR LESS MASONIC TEMPLE BLDG. OREGON CITY, ORE.

prices from failures in wet towns in Washington. I could name the towns as I have been there many times. But Canby farmers and citizens do not want anything but the best of goods and are prosperous enough to pay for the same. Consequently this stock was boxed up and shipped to some other place, while instead of the old wooden shacks we have seven new concrete store buildings.

Some figures got in wrong last week on the library article, making it read that the assessment would be 45 cents on \$500, when it should have read 45 cents on \$1500. But as nearly every voter in the county has received a circular letter explaining in detail the proposition, voters have readily seen the error. There is little to be said for the library project that has not been said. This paper believes it is a splendid proposition for the county and we cannot believe that voters will reject it. There is absolutely nothing in the way of education that can be had for anywhere near the money, and the fact that it is a tax, rather than a subscription, should not scare any man or woman who reads or thinks.