PLAYING FAVORITES

Editor Courier:-The great, overshadowing prob-lem of the human race, like all other species of animals, is to obtain a living. Getting a living to the human a word to the voters of Clackamas race, primarily means food, clothing, County, through the columns of the and shelter. To obtain these keeps old fair and square Courier, before us employed the greater part of our time. We have a more diversified the Primary election, and there are a live in the primary election, and there are a live in the primary election. mind in connection with a physical few points in regard to these hard body and are enabled to employ tools surfaced roads that I would like to in our efforts to satisfy our material call your attention to wants. In addition thereto we have in our efforts to satisfy our material wants. In addition thereto we have what are usually called artificial desires, which are regarded as promoting our wellfare or happiness. The procuring of all these affairs is accomplished by labor. Not an ounce of flour has been brought into the world without labor. Not a note of music on a simple Jew's harp is brot forth but by labor. I take it no one will even think, no matter how prone to argue, to dispute these state-

struction which have grown up in our highly centralized society, is the practice of interest on money, in fact interest, rent and dividends, or as

est on money. Money is in no sense valuable intrinsically. Money is merely a commonly accepted credit passed from hand to hand to facilitate exchange of value; a simple form of book-keeping.

Organized society, i. e., the government, has monopolized the making of money, which is to say the government regulates the amount of have helped to make out the esti-universally accepted credit. Money mates for the cost of this road per is, under our system of production, the most essential single factor toward production. It therefore folward production. It therefore hus to be a second of the cost of this following mates for the cost of lows that in order to promote hu-man happiness money should be obman happiness money should be vard, and if we could get it done tainable in such a manner as not to \$1.00 per yard it would cost us over interfere with full capacity production in order that human needs and the interest up to over \$400 per mile. pleasures may be fulfilled.

The most fundamental factors of

human needs are the products of the soil, the results obtained from farming. It would seem therefore that government having the welfare of people at heart would promote soil production above any other in-dustry. That is to say, seek to re-move every artificial handicap from full farm production; would either use the organized forces of government to carry on farming on a col-lective plan, or furnish such credit to the individual farmer at actual cost so no waste would be suffered by the drain upon the resources of the producer in order to obtain credit from other persons, od of expresent meth

spend annually not a few million dollars taken from the people in general for the announced purpose of promoting production. Most, if not all, as some even claim, is absolutely wasted, bringing no results. Now, if this paternalistic government would instead provide farm credits at actual cost of service all this tre-mendous waste would be eliminated. Numerous groups of parasitic persons and institutions could turn their time and energies to productive efforts. From Bathrich, M. C., from Ohio, we learn that farm indebtedness is on a rapid increase. It debtedness is on a rapid increase. It would seem to a person hearing the pretty maxims regarding industry and economy bringing riches that these riches were brought not to the persons practicing these homely virtues, but to persons who had erected tollgates on the read over them so desired. tollgates on the road over which these riches were wont to travel.

A government which permits, or still worse, encourages one group of citizens to prey upon another group forfeits the respect of fair-minded men, for it was written "that when-

John F. Stark.

F. G. Mighells Dead Just two months over 66 years of age, G. F. Mighells of Maple Lane died Monday morning, after a pro-longed illness from heart trouble. longed illness from heart trouble. The funeral was held from his late

residence Tuesday afternoon, Mr. Mighells was born in Ran-delph, N. Y., March 4, 1848. He lived near Oregon City since then. He is survived by two sons, Fletcher and Florentine, and two daughters, Mrs. S. W. Moody and Mrs. C. I. Stafford.

Child Cross? Feverish? Sick? A cross, peevish, listless child with coated tongue, pale, doesn't sleep; eats sometimes very little, then again ravenously; stomach sour; breath fetid; pains in stomach, with diarrhea; grinds teeth while asleep, and starts up with terror—all suggest a Worm Killer—something that expels worms, and almost every child has them. Kickapoo Worm Killer is needed. Get a box You won't poo Worm Start at once. to-day. Start at once. You have to coax, as Kickapoo Killer is a candy confection. Expels the worms, the cause of your child's trouble. 25c, at your drug-

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA GIVE IT THE BLACK EYE

How the Government Plugs Along George Hicinbotham's Last Word Against Bonding Proposition Oregon City, Rt. 2, May ,2, '14

Editor Courier:-This will be our last chance to say

to argue, to dispute these state- had anything to do in designating the ments.

It appears to me, that being the case, that there should not be any hindrance for the human race or any individual member of the race to-individual member of the things that and ethors who were interesting and production of the things that and ethors who were fastbering that minimized for the human race or any individual member of the race to ward production of the things that promote human happiness. When such handicap is so placed by society in its organized capacity its because of an improper conception of the results attendant the acts. When such handicap is placed by any individual it is usually because such person seeks to benefit personally from the disadvantage placed upon the person engaged or seeking to engage in some form of industry. Not infrequently will the obstructor proclaim high moral impulses for the person or persons so obstructed. At other times they claim divineright as ruler or ownership of natural resources.

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Men such handicap is placed by an indication of the transportation companies and two horse corn planter with fertilizer attachemen which the name of George Bliss, who lives at Carus, has just purchased a two-horse corn planter with fertilizer attachemen which the name of George Bliss, who lives at Carus, has just purchased a two-horse corn planter with fertilizer attachemen which is great cost goes right into the possible part of this great cost goes right into the person engaged or seeking to engage in some form of industry. Not infrequently will the obstructor proclaim high moral impulses for the community or unselfish interest in the person or persons so obstructed. At other times they claim the remaindant of the person of persons so obstructed and the community of the person engage in some form of industry. Not infrequently will the obstructor proclaim high moral impulses for the person of persons so obstructed. At other times they claim the person of persons s fellows, in building and repairing these hard surfaced roads. Ther contract work, in the construction of interest, rent and dividends, or as some prefer the term, profit, constitute the three cardinal methods of kind of road construction, which can exploitation. The three not be detected until it is too late.

usual methods of obtaining unearned increment or to use a simpler phrase getting something for nothing.

Take the process of taking interest on money. Many is king interest on money. faced roads would settle and crack, and then crumble and expert writers on this subject claim that when the surface gets dirty, and you try to re-dress it and patch it up with con-crete, that the dressing will soon crack and scale off, and will not adhere to the old surface well.

Another thing is that the men who per mile. It cost them \$1.25 pe vard, and if we could get it done for This for each year. I hope every body will study this bill carefully and give it the black eye George Hicinbotham.

SNOW BONDS UNDER

Auto Factories, Road Machine Companies and their kind are Behind Hubbard, Ore. May 4, 1914. Editor Courier:-

Perhaps if the writer had neve had any experience with road bonds he might not be so bitter against the present proposition to bond the county to the tune of \$600,000. But I know what it is to have one's proposition. erty levied upon by the collector for ploiting the most useful and necessary group of workers, for the benefit of a group of shirkers.

At present the flower of the middle west that is bonded for road purposes where they have not fit of a group of shirkers.

At present the government will furnish the public credit money to a group of bankers who are in fact merely highwaymen upon industry. Heretofore even the national bankers were not permitted by law to make farm loans. This much of a handicap, so recent press reports inform us, been removed by an "order" from the secretary of treasury. The government, federal and state, spend annually not a few million dol-

make the levy.

Less than a month ago I saw in the news dispatches where a county in the same state had paid a road bond indebtedness that had been drawing interest for 44 years, the taxpayers didn't have a shovel-full of dirt to show for it. I know that the present bond boosters are shedding crocodile tears over the woes of the farmer, but be ye not deceived—it is not the farmers' bene-fits they are seeking, but to line their own pockets is what they are

after.

I have noticed Primary Election notices posted at different places as though someane was trying by fraud to do what they are afraid they may not accomplish in

citizens to prey upon another group forfeits the respect of fair-minded men, for it was written "that whenever any form of government becomes obtsructive to these ends it is the right of the people to alter or abolish it."

Finally, brethren, don't forget that bonds mean bondage and that the automobile manufacturers, their salesmen and the road machinery agent are not boosting these bonds for your benefit. They want the bonds and they don't give a whoop what becomes of the taynavar and the mer. Let us turn out and snow them under so deep that they may never be resurrected. J. S. Yoder

A Torpid Liver is a fine field for the Malarial Germ and it thrives wonderfully. The cer-tain result in such cases is a spell of Chills.

HERBINE

a Powerful Chill Tonic and Liver Regulator.

It puts the liver in healthy, vigorous condition and cures the chills by destroying the disease germs which infest the system. Herbine is a fine anti-periodic medicine, more effective than the syrupy mixtures that sicken the stomach; because it not only kills the disease germs, but acts effectively in the liver, stomach and bowels, thus putting the system in els, thus putting the system in condition to successfully resist the usual third or seventh day return of the chill. Herbine is a cleansing and invigorating medicine for the whole body.

Price 50c per Bottle James F. Ballard, Prop. St. Louis, Mo. Stephens Eye Salve is a healing cintment for Sore Eyes.

AND RECOMMENDED BY

CHARLES F. TERRILL

Republican Candidate for Constable District No. 4



DANGER-LOOK OUT!

Hagemann Tells Farmers Road Bonds will Mean Bondage to Them

selves, our children and grand chil-dren to the tune of \$600,000 for road

Dec. 31, 1916—\$30,000 plus \$30,000, Dec. 31, 1916—\$30,000 plus \$1,500 plus \$30,000, equals \$61,500. Dec. 31, 1917, \$61,500 plus \$3,075

Pec. 31, 1919, \$129,303 plus \$6465 plus \$30,000 equals \$165,768. Dec. 31, 1920, \$165,768 plus \$8288 plus \$30,000 equals \$204,056. Dec. 31, 1921, \$204,056 plus \$10202 plus \$30,000 equals \$244,258. Dec. 31, 1922, \$244,258 plus \$12,312 plus \$30,000 equals \$286,570.

fit whatever. They have paid THE MAN WITH THE HOE \$600,000 for \$360,000 worth of road. I have used Columbia county because Clackamas Farmer Looks at Things plus \$30,000 equals \$94,575.

Dec. 31, 1918; \$945,75 plus \$4,728

plus \$30,000 equals \$94,575. Editor Courier:—
On Friday, the 15th of May, the legal voters of Clackamas county will decide whether we will bond our selves, our children and grand chil-

selves, our children and grand children to tune of \$800,000 for road bonds, to run for 30 years at 5 percent inverest. There are several reasons why this proposition should be defeated at the polls by such an over-whelming majority that the promoters would never attemp to foster such a plan for us again.

The parties behind the bonding scheme are not the little fellows, that do the howling. They are the foil companies and manufacturers, etc., especially the S80,000 equals \$392,455. Bus \$30,000 equals \$377,442. Bec. 31, 1924, \$244,528 plus \$30,000 equals \$377,442. Bec. 31, 1934, \$31,859,818 plus \$33,000 equals \$377,442. Bec. 31, 1934, \$31,859,818 plus \$30,000 equals \$392,050. Before the advent of the automobile and its companions, gasoline was at a disjount, there was very little demand for it, but now days it is at a premium—17 cents per gallon in bulk and 23 cents in cans. It is quite a price for a farmer's byproduct, consisting principally of water.

Then again, there are the gentlemen and ladies of leisure and their agents that two the bands that you tax payers will vote on next week. By looking at the special election

By lo that Clackamas county can tend to its own affairs without advice from a few bond speculators,
W. S. Daywalt.

WILLIAM GRISENTHWAITE Platform and Declarations of Candidate for Legislature

Rt. 3 Oregon City, Ore. To the Voters of Clackamas County

I have been a resident of Oregon for 27 years, 20 of which I have resided at Beaver Creek on my farm. I have always taken part in the politics of the county, but this is the first time that I have come before the scools for any office.

I shall It would make about the labor pays an end of those roads are not for hard surface, but common macadam roads.

endeavor to watch closely all legis-lation to the end that we shall have adam.



the next session can be profitably used to repeal a lot of useless laws, and amending others. I am not in favor of introducing a lot of new bills. Only such as there is an actual demand for from the people FOR GOVERNOR ON PLAT-

should be considered. I do, and always have, believed that there are far too many boards and commissions. I will, if elected, do all in my power to have some of them abolished and others combined, so as to reduce the cost to the lowest possible limit. Everyone agree that our state taxes are too high The abolishing of these useless commissions will help.

I am in favor of changing the present method of paying taxes. I will vote for semi-annual payments. One-half payable April 1st, and the other half October 1st without pendormer of all commissions, and to reduce the expenditures of all commissions not

Progressive laws, the Initiative and Referendum, Direct Primary law, etc, and I shall endeavor to see that the portland only two years, he is a pioneer peoples' rights along this line is not of Oregon. He was Mayor of Eaker for

only be repealed by the people.

I favor a permanent legislation law, so that the unnecessary trouble and expense or registering every 2

debility, and who know the desired an adulterated nourishment in Scott's annadulterated nourishment in Scott's Emulsion is eminently better, but refrain A Stubborn Cough is Wearing and Risky from taking it because they fear it may lead to excessive fat or obesity.

This is a mistaken idea, because Sout's

As I was hoeing corn and pota-toes today I was thinking, yes, the man with the hoe actually thinking, but do not be alarmed for it is not Now I understand that bonding the county to the limit prohibits any fects a person's back and muscles,

more they simply charge more for their product, or if it is public ser-vice corporations they raise their rates to meet the extra expense which would be nearer right than allowing them to make dividends on stocks that are two-thirds water.

If we farmers had one of those handy commissions that would guarantee us such a price for our produce so as to pay wages, taxes and interest on fictitious valuation and profits beside, we too would boost for bonds just as loudly as anybody, or if we had money to buy bonds Having declared myself a candidate for the nomination for representative for the 16th district (Clackamas County) I wish to make the following statement:

I have been a resident of Oregon for 27 years, 20 of which I have resided at Beaver Creek on my farm. I bills finally

people for any office.

If nominated and elected I shall
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hard surface and forty miles of maclation to the end that we shall have adam. What with salaries, surless freak laws. In fact, I believe ing and profits, we should hardly find a mark only in increased taxation. We can haul far more to mar-

ket than we can sell at a profitable price. And in speaking of road betterment I will say that it used to take four horses to haul fourteen sacks of potatoes but now the same team could haul sixty.

If we elect Judge Anderson again If we elect Judge Anderson again we will have a good, clean administration and progress in road building methods along sane and safe lines that will benefit the whole county and not just some favored section, and he will attend strictly to busi-

ness and not study law or practice it for his own personal profit, but will only read law for the needs of

T. E. Brown.

## TAXES MUST BE CU --CHARLES A. JOHNS

PORTLAND ATTORNEY SEEKS FORM PROMISE TO RE-DUCE EXPENSES.

'Unnecessary Boards and Commissions Should Be Abolished," Says Former

abolished, Charles A. Johns, attorney of I have always supported Oregon Portland, is making a clean-cut race for rogressive laws, the Initiative and Republican nomination for Governor

Mayor of Baker.

Although Mr. Johns has resided in Portland only two years, he is a pioneer peoples' rights along this line is not interfered with by any act of the Legislature. Laws passed by the people under the initiative should people under the initiative should unqualified indorsement of all bankers of Baker of his candidacy.

Regarding his platform, Mr. Johns

Letting a stubborn cought "hang This is a cristale in dea, because Sout's Enumerical engineers the body before making for a blood forming properties aid that throw off sickness by building health from its very source, and flesh is formed only by its continued use. Avoid alcoholic substitutes for SCOTT'S.



near Oregon City and he will

FOR COUNTY TREASURER



I am a Grand Army man, a member of Meade Post, Oregon City. During the Civil War I gave the best 3½ years of my life to save what is now this great and glorious nation, having been a member of Co. G. 19th Ohio Infantry for 3 months and of Co. A, 2nd Ohio Cavalry for 37 months. 37 months.

I am now a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Clacka-mas County at the hands of the Republican party and if nominated and elected I promise to give to the people a polite, prompt, efficient nd economical administration of the

Reference-I have been Treasurer of Gladstone City for two years.

Jams K. Pardee.
This will be my own solicitor.

(Paid Adv.)

Jones Drug Co., Oregon City and receive the Courier for \$1.00.

are to run to \$300,000, so at maturity you have paid in interest one and one-half times as much as you borrowed, and still have the principal to pay in addition; or, in other words we pay \$1,500,000 for the 30 year use of \$600,000 principle included, and will have to repeat this deal every 10 years, because the roads won't last longer.

100-\$3000,000 at 5 percent interest \$75,000 total, \$175,000. \$300,000 at 5 percent interest, at end of third five years, principle, \$100,000; interest \$50,000; total \$150,000. \$100,000 at end of fourth five years at 5 per cent, interest \$25,000; principle \$100,000; total \$125,000. Total, principle, \$36,000: interest \$240,000. Grand to Now let us look at this bonding scheme from the bond buyers or holder's side and see what returns he gets at compound interest on his in-