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POLITICAL PARTIES ARE DEAD

questioned and compelling above the of the pavement as possible so as not for the bounties and blessings beconfusion of results in the election to be crushed under the car. On acis that political parties, as hereto- count of the car throwing my rig to fore existing in this country have the right and almost turning it over practically disolved. With the ex- I was not able to fall clear of the ception of the south, where party wreck. I struck on my back on the means nothing but the persisting ne- brake bar and fortunately held on

of one state in the union, outside of giving me a chance to get on my feet party issues. If some communities who struck me spin up the street at voted for more tariff and some for lightning speed. I can not find people of Alaska, Hawaii and Porto winter's wood this week. less, it was not because these things words in the English language to ex- Rico cannot vote in a presidential were republican or democratic, but press my contempt for such coldbecause of personal interest as far blooded creatures, who are worse removed from parties as from indi- than murderers, who usually pay no vidual candidates. No item of the taxes and are absolutely of no bene- of the presidential vote with Colonel delivering a load of potatoes to Phoe- for Thanksgiving. Hughes campaign evoked such dis- fit to the public in any way. They gust and remonstrance as the insist- seem to have plenty of money to send ance of abstract merit in one party, out of the country for buying gas. as a party, over the other. The pub- but seemingly have no brains to tell He balks at every assertion of such them how to use the gas when they

sort of warfare?

The Roosevelt episode was even more instructive and effective. Here was a bolt that carried with it more than half the party men. He founded a new party on burial curses spoken above the body of the old. Then he came back and dug it out of the grave and covered it with passionate acresses and pledged to it new oaths of love. Among the millions who followed his example, what idea of

party fidelity could possibly survive? Only the form of parties is left. It survives without honor, or glory ages before her time. or power. Presently new associations will form real principles. That will be mighty interesting.



POLICE FORCE REDUCTION

be kept down to a reasonable amount world stands. the city council deemed it necessary to reduce the police force. Whether I tell you that if some men had been or not such a move is ordinarily a in my shoes when I succeeded in get-Bert R. Greer, Editor and Manager
Harvey R. Ling, Advertising Manager
Lynn Mowat, - City Editor

Good one is questioned but under the ting to my feet, they would have willercorder. A commercial graduate circumstances the demand for a relingly emptied the magazine of a from the Ashland Normal School and duction was quite general.

city council believe they have evolved pure and simple? One Year \$2.00 a scheme of unpaid volunteer police- This driver knew very well that I 1.00 men which will offer the same pro- could not get his number or get to a economical, impartial administration system. It is worth a trial at any gled in the wreck, and so he will No subscriptions for less than three rate, and should meet with the hearty glide up the street as swiftly as poscooperation of the people of the city, sible like a bloody cur, leaving me of Ashland that I am a candidate Ashland has a remarkable record as there all alone to be dragged to death for the office of City Recorder. In ordering changes of the paper a "safe" city, and the police records or get out of the awful mixup as best show fewer misdemeanors or crimes I can. But even a dog will somethan perhaps any city of the size on times stop and come to the rescue of to our office of recorder. the Coast. It is a record worth up- one of his own kind if he should hear News print has doubled in price holding, and since a reduced police the cry of distress, but this inhuman, the city's interest in every particular. the last four months. It necessitates force is demanded the people should cold-blooded specimen of humanity I solicit your support. willingly aid in the work of protec- would not.

People's Forum

Wrecked, But By Whom?

able paper I'd like to give a faint they come through like true, loyal 19. Have lived in Ashland over idea of some things we farmers and American citizens and make all twenty years, was City Treasurer All written contracts for space al- taxpayers are up against. For some wrongs right with me? ready in force will be rendered at time I have noticed the gross carelessness of auto drivers, especially Fraternal Orders and Societies.

Advertising for fraternal orders or societies charging a regular initiation Main street. At one time a driver Gov. Withycombe's fee and dues, no discount. Religious tipped my buggy hub when I was far and benevolent orders will be over on my side of the highway. Satcharged for all advertising when an urday evening I put my lantern, with a bright light, on the near side of my mission is charged, space to the buggy and started to Ashland on busamount of fifty lines reading will be iness. Just before reaching the allowed without charge. All addi- highway at the Billings bridge I no-The Tidings has a greater circula- ticed an auto coming up the hill, tion in Ashland and its trade terri- seemingly at high speed. I crossed tory than all other local papers com- the bridge and was perhaps a few hundred yards up North Main street. Entered at the Ashland, Oregon, I heard no horn or blast of any kind Postoffice as second-class mail mat- and am sure there was none given. But I was very careful to keep on and for which to render thanksgivmy side of the street, knowing my ing upon Him who presides over the light could be plainly seen either destinies of individuals, state and nafrom the front or rear. This driver tions. struck my buggy with an awful crash, throwing me high in the air. The one fact which stands out un- I struggled to fall as far to the right their labors and render fitting thanks gro issue, national parties are gone. to my lines and spoke to the noble We do not believe that the vote animal and he stopped dead still. the south, was determined by the in time to see the inhuman wretch get it. They are a danger to the Not only is this passing of party public wherever you find them, and reasonable, but it is amazing how do not generally show as much real long the poor old thing lagged sup- intelligence as my noble horse did erfluous on the stage. It was dead when he so tenderly heeded my call some years ago, and ought to have and gave me a chance to get out from been buried decently. To its demise under the awful wreck, instead of both parties and several individuals being crushed or dragged to death. have contributed notably. The Bryan May God bless those noble animals business broke the solidarity of dem- who are seemingly man's best friends ocracy. Through four campaigns after all. If there is not a Heaven Bryanites and anti-Bryanites knifed somewhere prepared for them when each other vigorously. How keep they die, after serving man faithfully the party idea intact through that for a lifetime, I'm sure there ought to be, and I'm sure, too, that if the question of war a few years ago could have been left for the horse to decide, there would have been no war. And if the question of labor

Mother's Troubles

Mother's unending work and devotion drains and strains her physical strength and leaves its mark in dimmed eyes and careworn expressions-she

Any mother who is weary

and languid should start taking

as a strengthening food and bracing tonic to add richness to her blood and build up her nerves before it is too late. Start SCOTT'S today-its fame is world-wide.

No Alcohol.

strikes could be put to this God-given animal to settle, there would certain-In order that the city taxes could ly be no more strikes as long as the

But believe me. Mr. Editor, when Nine hundred dollars saved might Who can say that such an act would

It seems almost a miracle that I | 39-tf escaped with my life. But here I than a badly bruised back and shoul- cember. der, a soiled suit of clothes and a hadly damaged buggy and harness. But where are the parties who struck Editor Tidings: If you will kindly me down? Will they laugh and I am a candidate for City Recorder

C. P. GOOD.

"The year 1916 has brought to the people of the state of rOegon the multitudinous blessings of peace and prosperity, in which our good fortune is doubly notable because of its contrast with the unfortunate conditions prevailing in so many other portions of the war ravaged world. There is much in the lives of each and every one of us for which to be grateful.

"I call upon the people of the state of Oregon, on that day, to pause from stowed upon them and our common-

The map of the country shaded to show by states looks queer, with the Hughes vote, excepting that in Oregon and South Dakota, all in the a business trip to Medford Tuesday Northwest.

election.

Now you might compare the result Harvey's forecast.

Announcements

(Paid advertisements.)

John B. Wimer, candidate for city Winchester rifle or the chamber of a the Capital Business College at It is not good insurance to cut six-shooter into the rear end of that Salem, with fifteen years' practical down the force of patrolmen too low. auto as it went buzzing up the street. business experience, including the past twenty months in the Ashland mean a big loss. But the mayor and be anything else but self-defense police department, and being closely connected with the recorder's office. assures you, if elected, an efficient.

I wish to announce to the voters

At the time I came west I was serving a term in a capacity similar

If elected I expect to look after

Very truly yours, C. L. CUNNINGHAM.

am, alive and still able to move I hereby announce myself as a about, and am very thankful that I candidate for the office of City Rehave nothing more serious to report corder at the coming election in De-W. H. GOWDY.

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Candidate for Recorder.

Classified Column-1 cent the word give me a little space in your valu- chuckle when they read this, or will at the election to be held December four years, and have had an active business experience of twenty-two years, including banking and many methods of bookkeeping. I believe I am qualified to serve the city faithfully and well, and I will appreciate Proclamation the votes and influence of all the people of Ashland.

HENRY C. GALEY.

For City Recorder.

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of City Recorder at the coming city election. I have had sufficient clerical and educational training to prepare me for the work. If elected I shall serve the people to the best of my ability R. P. CAMPBELL.

For Councilman.

I hereby announce myself as canand respectfully solicit your support. ers. A. L. LAMB.

NORTH TALENT-PHOENIX ITEMS

Wm. Bruin of North Talent made morning.

B. N. French of North Talent has Its lucky for our nerves that the had a crew of men sawing up his

waiting for a car to ship a load Medford Saturday evening. of bailed oat hay to Grants Pass.

S. S. Stephens of North Talent was chased a nice turkey of the Careys nix merchants Tuesday morning.

Most men would rather work with good tools, than eat. Give Keen Kutter Tools and your gift will be doubly appreciated. Every man and boy knows

"Keen Kutter" means highest quality and thorough reliability in tools.

For your husband

or son

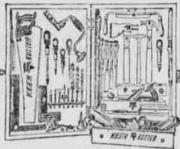
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The gift of a Keen Kutter Tool Set does not end with a gives pleasure for months and years.

You pay little more for famous Keen Kutter Toolsevery one bearing the mark of the master maker and guaranteed perfect—than you pay for tools of unknown reputation.

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No. E-7-Complete with 42 Highest Grade Tools, \$35

Booklet No. 597 of Tool Cabinets gladly mailed on request. "The Recollection of QUALITY Remains Long After the PRICE

iz Porgetten."-F. C. SIMMONS (Trade-Mark Registered) SimmonsHardware

Company Manufacturers and Distributers

New York Philadelphia mneopolis Sioux City Wichita



WARNER MERCANTILE COMPANY

Phoenix school meeting Saturday nix spent Sunday in Medford visitresulted in a levy of 61/2 mills tax ing C. Cate and family. for maintenance. Many of the pupils Mrs. C. Carey received a letter of the high school go elsewhere, thus from Mrs. C. P. Good of Baker in leaving a deficiency of \$13 per which Mrs. Good states that they are didate for councilman from the third scholar that must be met by taxa- having zero weather there, but says ward at the coming election. I tion. This should be regulated in they are having the very best of times stand for a progressive yet conservar some manner, since there is not need up there. tive administration of city affairs, for the extra burden on the taxpey-

ness visitors Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. C. Carey of oNrth Talent has been disposing of several of her fat veal which she has for sale. Her

turkeys also found a ready market. Miss Mary Stancliffe of Phoenix was a Medford business visitor Fri-

day of last week Mr. and Mrs. Noah Chandler of James Allen of North Talent is North Talent atentded the teatre at

Wm. Bruin of North Talent pur-

A. S. Furry and family of Phoe-

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Rease of Ashland visited with Mrs. Rease's par-

Mrs. J. M. Rader and her sister, ents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Carey, last week Mrs. Effic Taylor, were Ashland busi- afterward returning to California.

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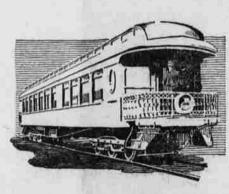
Golden West Coffee is "Just Right"



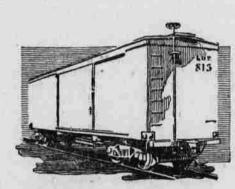
AT ALL DRUG STORES TUBES 250 JARS 500

Dennis Eucalyptus Cintment





Which Do You Prefer?



Pullman or Freight?

No one would think of riding in a freight car if he could enjoy the comfort of a big, comfortable easy riding Pullman parlor car.

So with automobiles. Most of the popular priced cars ride like freight cars. This is due to the old fashioned type of spring.

Many manufacturers still continue to use them.

The Overland does not. The 75 B Overland has the latest type of cantilever shock absorbing springs. As a result it is one of the easiest riding cars in the world. One demonstration will prove this. \$635 f. o. b. Toledo.

G. E. MILLNER, Dealer, 374 E. Main, Phone 116

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