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FOR GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.—John 3:16.

EXTRANEOUS MATTER

They have a curious custom in congress of attaching riders to measures. For instance, the senate has been laboring over a postal increase bill. So far so good. However, when the measure came up for final passage an amendment was tacked onto it which limited the campaign expenses of congressmen and senators. The two subject matters have nothing in common.

It is a parliamentary practice that is wrong and makes no end of trouble. Congress is always getting in trouble by riders tacked on to measures where the subject matter is entirely different. That may be a great parliamentary body but it has some childish ways of doing things.

"NOT 'POOR MEN'S TOYS'"

Thomas B. Donaldson, former Commissioner of Insurance of Pennsylvania, in a brief on the subject of compulsory insurance, says:

"So far as providing insurance is concerned, regulation (agreement) rather than legislation is, in my opinion, practicable.

"The instant 'insurance' is mentioned a 'state fund' is projected as a cure-all and at that same instant politics enters in.

"The state fund idea is to 'save the poor people' payment of insurance premiums. In the first place, the people do not want to be called 'poor.' In the second place, they are not 'poor.' If they are, they should not purchase automobiles which are not 'poor men's toys.'

"No state fund was ever a factor in progress or in advancing the science of insurance, and no state fund ever saved for the 'poor public.' A close analysis will prove that all of them were costly subterfuges."

MANUFACTURING INCREASING

Census returns for 1923 show tremendous gains in the output of factories made in our country in the past ten years.

Totals for 1923, aggregate \$60,000,000,000, or 2 1/2 times as much as in 1914, 5 times the output of 1900, and 10 times as much as in 1880.

The 1923 returns indicate an output 52 per cent greater in value than that of 1921 an increase in wage earners of 34 per cent.

In 109 industries listed, the census report shows 1,335,289 persons on the payrolls compared with 993,328 in 1921 in the same industries.

Total of manufactures reported in 1850 was \$23,224,000 and in 1923, exports totaled \$2,042,000,000.

Factory products formed only 17 per cent of the total domestic exports in 1850, rose to 49 per cent in 1923 and in nine months ended September, 1924, were 55 per cent of total exports. Thus does industry create employment and steady payrolls.

HANDS OFF RAILROADS

Without a general reduction in property taxes all along the line, there is no sound basis for agricultural prosperity.

All classes of people are paying what they call high taxes, too great in many cases for net earning capacity in business, factories, or on the farm.

Unless expenditures are changed materially, all the way from the smallest unit of government to the national capitol in Washington, great prosperity or enduring business stability is endangered.

In a way, the people are to blame for voting upon themselves uncounted billions of debt resting upon all, about half of it being untaxable securities.

Tax reduction must be made the slogan from the highest departments at Washington, D. C., to the smallest political subdivisions of state, county, city and school districts.

WAGE EARNERS COLLECTING DIVIDENDS

A marked difference is seen in the class of people now holding the securities of our great corporations and the holders of such securities a few years ago.

In 1917 dividends collected by wage earners amounted to but 9.5 per cent of the total. In 1918, this figure had risen to 14.1 per cent and by 1921, to 22.7 per cent of the whole.

The number of stockholders in the country increased from 4,400,000 in 1900 to 14,400,000 in 1923, while the average number of \$100 shares per stockholder decreased from 140 to 50.

The ownership of our industries is passing rapidly into the hands of the wage earners, not by a wave of the political wand, but by sound business methods.

REGULATE THE DRIVER

State legislators should go a little slow in voting bond issues for grade changes at railroad crossings.

The people are already distressed by tax burdens. What they demand is tax reduction, not tax increase.

Ninety per cent of all auto accidents occur on the streets and highways away from the railroad. Grade changes at railroad crossings will not prevent these.

Practically all automobile accidents, on the streets and highways and at railroad crossings, are caused by carelessness, recklessness or inexperience on the part of the driver.

It is evident, therefore, that the remedy lies, not in grade changes, which at best would only prevent 10 per cent of these accidents (and leave the other 90 per cent uncaused) while at the same time heaping additional burdens on taxpayers, but in legislation which will eliminate the careless or inexperienced driver, which will cost nothing while yet safeguarding against accidents at railroad crossings and on the streets and highways alike.

That the motoring public may avail of the pleasures of comfortable automobiles and good roads, it is necessary that they be protected against hazard of accidents due to reckless driving. This is the phase of the problem which should concern our lawmakers rather than burdening the public with bonds for grade changes.

Our laws in this respect should scrupulously police the issuance of licenses and the practices of drivers. If this be done there will be no occasion for burdening the public with taxation for grade changes.

GOOD REVENUE PRODUCER

It is reported that hereafter Australian citizens will be fined \$10 for failure to vote. Such a law in the United States would produce a revenue of millions annually for the United States treasury.

The big task of friendly governments is to keep their people that way.

The horse sense that prevented wrecks in the old days probably belonged to the horse.

The test of any form of government is its ability to ring the dinner bell.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY BY GUARDIAN IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Guardianship of the person and Estate of VIRGINIA M. ROOT, also known as Jennie Root, Jennie M. Root, V. M. Root and Mrs. V. M. Root, an incompetent person.

G. A. Gardner, formerly the honorable Judge of the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, has made an Order authorizing and permitting me, as Guardian of the Estate of Virginia M. Root, to sell the real property belonging to the said Estate, which real property is described as follows, to-wit:

Tract No. 2.—All of Lot one in Block 24, of the City of Ashland, Jackson County, Oregon.

Tract No. 1.—An undivided one-half of the following:

A strip of land 16 feet in width off the south end of Lot Naught (0) in Block 14, and also Lots numbered One and Two in Block 14, of the City of Ashland, Oregon, according to the Official Plat and survey of said City, adopted December 17, 1883.

ALSO, Lot one in Block 33 of Coolidge Addition to the City of Ashland, Oregon, as the same is designated, numbered and described on the Official Plat of said addition on file in the office of the County Recorder of said Jackson County.

ALSO, Beginning at a point on the west boundary line of D. L. C. No. 40 in Township 39 South, Range 1 East of the W. M. in Oregon, from which the northeast corner of Lot 4, in Section 5 said Township and Range, bears South no degrees 3 minutes West 343 feet distant; thence north no degrees 3 minutes East 209 feet; thence west 209 feet; thence south 209 feet; thence east 209 feet, to place of beginning, containing one acre.

EXCEPTING from tract No. 1, a parcel of land 22 feet by 93 feet, described in Deed of record in Vol. 78 Page 205, Jackson County Deed Records, and also excepting a parcel of land 40 feet in width dedicated to the City of Ashland, for street purposes, see Vol. 77, Page 601, Jackson County, Oregon Deed Records.

NOW THEREFORE, I will, in pursuance of the said Order, on and after the 7th day of March, 1925, sell at private sale, the real property hereinbefore described, and any part thereof; at my office at the Post Office in Ashland, Oregon; such sale or sales, to be subject to confirmation by the County Court, of Jackson County, Oregon.

FRED DAY WAGNER, Guardian. 124-5 Tues.

At Hotel— Among those registered at the Hotel Ashland are Ernest Burvaer and family, Bellingham; V. R. Trine and wife, Long Beach, Calif.; Paul L. Stephenson, Sacramento; R. A. Bartholomew and wife, Ketchikan, Alaska; J. A. Crois, E. Brazelton, Roy Summers, Seattle; W. N. and D. H. Yost, Boise, Idaho; Irving A. Gauld, Boston, Mass.

NEWSPAPER MEN TO GATHER FOR MEET AT EUGENE SOON

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Feb. 3.—(Special)—The art and business of printing in its various phases, commercial and manufacturing, historical and qualitative, will be one of the leading subjects on the program for the seventh annual Oregon Newspaper Conference to be held at the School of Journalism on March 13 and 14. Other leading topics will be in the fields of advertising editorial problems, and circulation.

To lead off on the subject of quality printing and start the discussion of the market for the highest grade of work, a market in which the rewards to the printer are declared to be more adequate than in any other branch the program committee has obtained John Henry Nash of San Francisco, who is declared by Dean Eric W. Allen of the School of Journalism to be one of the three or four most successful quality printers in the United States. Mr. Nash's promise to the committee had virtually given up hope of obtaining him.

"Mr. Nash has more interesting things to say about printing than any other man I ever met," declares Dean Allen. "By his fellow printers of California he is regarded as absolutely in a class by himself. He is, so far as I know, the only printer who has ever been granted an honorary degree for the perfection and effectiveness of his work. Mr. Nash was recently honored in this way by Mills College.

"Mr. Nash's shop is a little one man affair. It is no bigger than the ordinary store room used by the smallest country weekly. Here he works with his own hands without any large supporting organization, yet he has made his name known throughout the world wherever experts discuss the work of great printers, Gutenberg, Jenson, Aldus, Elzevir, Caxton and John of Spires.

"This printer, who is bringing honor to the west by his workmanship, labors for the love of the work, but he is in no sense an impractical dreamer. Judged even by commercial standards, his little shop is a greater money maker than many a great plant with twenty times the equipment. Mr. Nash has a vault in his shop and in this he has collected a 'printer's working library' as he calls it, consisting of copies of famous books, examples of the finest printing the world contains, and books about the technique and history of printing. He often pays \$800 to \$1,500 for a single volume, for such books are rare and are eagerly competed for by collectors. He himself does not look at this as a museum or an exhibition collection; it is part of his working equipment, and upon his knowledge of the best work of the past he has built up his commercial success. He has up to this time paid out over \$40,000 for working specimens, every cent of which he declares was earned in his shop, and every book of which will prove in turn a profitable investment.

ARE YOU CLEANING HOUSE? Don't forget that New Paint and Wall Paper will brighten even the darkest of rooms. J. O. RIGG

PRIZES OFFERED OREGON FARMERS IN CORN CONTEST

Prizes totaling \$2,180 are offered to corn farmers in Oregon counties who make entries in the National Seed Corn Show to be held in Chicago March 2 to 7 under the auspices of the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation, an announcement received here states. The show, which is to be held during "Seed Corn Test Week," is intended to drive home the need of a high germination seed policy to insure the country a normal 1925 crop.

In addition to the five-dollar prize to be awarded to the farmer in the county showing the best ear of corn, a thousand dollars in gold is offered to the farmer in Oregon or the United States who exhibits the nation's champion ear. Another prize of a thousand dollars to the agricultural agent, farm bureau, agricultural or community organization of the county displaying the largest number of entries is also announced.

The show is open to the entire United States. Any person—boy or girl, man or woman—may enter an ear of corn. Parcel post entries will be received any time up to the night of March 7, and each ear must have the name, address, county and state of its owner on a paper which should be wrapped securely around the ear with the writing on the outside. No ear will be awarded a prize until tested for vitality and disease resistance, the judges to be selected by the American Society of Agronomy.

Entries should be addressed to the National Seed Corn Show, Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation, Chicago.

"Ghost" Tells Farmhand to Stay at Homestead

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Feb. 3.—Justice of the Peace Bull will oppose the spirit world with the majesty of the law in an effort to pry John Lyman off the Sims farm, in East Hampton. John worked on the farm for twenty years without pay. A few months ago Mrs. Phoebe Sims, last of the family on the farm.

A COUGH REMEDY WITHOUT OPIATES

Many cough preparations contain one or more harmful drugs which are added to take the place of opiates. None of these narcotic substitutes have ever been used in FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND. The name of every ingredient is plainly printed on every carton. You know what you are taking when you take Foley's. It clings to the throat. Good for old and young. You have a cough, why not try it. Refuse substitutes.

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Still have a swell assortment of Ferns, Cineraria and Cyclamen. When our establishment is inconvenient for your personal visit, a phone call will command the same attention. We deliver Phone 120

The Ashland Greenhouses

died. Harlan G. Hills, administrator of her estate, has sold the farm to William McCoy. McCoy wants to take possession but he does not care to take on John Lyman, who has continued to live in the farmhouse since the death of Mrs. Sims. John says he won't budge. Every night he has a long walk with the spirit of Mrs. Sims, he says, and she has advised him not to leave the farm.

Makeup Fails to Hide Actress' Blackened Eye

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—Stage makeup, which, like charity, "covers a multitude of things," failed to erase the marks around the eyes of pretty Mary Winfred Pock, actress.

"I had to give up my stage



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will attract more business, better credit and a more-business-like attitude in your own mind toward your business.

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