

REDDY BILL IS LIKE HOME RULE

In his address last Friday night, Hon. A. S. Ruth said that the home rule bill was not like the "Reddy" bill. By this statement he condemns the Reddy bill. That is good. But in so doing he also condemns the home rule bill. The only real difference between the two bills lies in that the home rule bill confines itself to the liquor question and the Reddy bill took in gambling, theaters, horse racing, etc. On the liquor question they are alike in thought and effect. In order to mislead the people as to the real intent of the bill he tried to show that it did not do away with the jurisdiction of the state by quoting the phrase, "Subject to the constitution and criminal laws of the state of Oregon. But he failed to go farther, "and the exclusive"—note that word "exclusive"—"power to license, regulate, control or to suppress or prohibit, the sale of intoxicating liquors therein is vested in such municipality."

The home rule bill gives the state absolutely no power over the liquor traffic in the city and that means of the state. Vote down this bill. It is un-American. Vote 329 X NO.

Case Is Continued

The case of the state against Willard Ingermanson and Roy Smith was called in this city Wednesday morning before Judge Wilson. Sanford Snyder appeared for the defense. The game wardens asked for a continuance.

This is a case in which these boys are accused of killing a Bob White quail. According to the defense in the case there seems to be no evidence to convict the boys. The case has been continued indefinitely and there is every likelihood that it will never be called.

Surprise Tendered Mrs. Shafer

A number of the ladies of the Highland neighborhood surprised Mrs. Annie Shafer Wednesday morning at eleven o'clock by calling on her with well filled baskets. A bounteous dinner was served by the ladies and the day was much enjoyed by all present.

Those present were: Mrs. Gulle, Mrs. R. H. Campbell, Mrs. R. G. Simons, Mrs. Jennie Whiteaker, Mrs. Elizabeth Whiteaker, Mrs. Maggie Dixon, Mrs. Lillie Compton, Mrs. Ballard, Mrs. House, Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Buffum.

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Tag Day for Library

The ladies of the reading club will have a "Tag Day" on Saturday, Oct. 29, for the benefit of the public library. It is hoped that every one will give this benefit their heartiest support as it is well known that our library has been a source of great enjoyment and help to the town and surrounding country.

Tea will be served free in the library during the afternoon. All are cordially invited.

Want Sewer Extended

The people of North Independence are moving in the matter of a sewer for their part of the town. The proposition is that they will open the ditch to the river if the city will lay the pipe. The people of the north part of town think that this is a fair proposition, that they are entitled to some benefit of the bond issue as they pay their portion of the taxes.

As there is already a ditch that with but little work can be utilized it is likely that the council will grant the request of the citizens of that part of town.

COUNTY DIVISION.

Under the present laws in the opinion of eminent lawyers, counties can only be divided or boundaries changed by the vote of the people.

All laws should be obeyed. Some laws should be appealed or amended. The law creating new counties is unfair as voters are asked to create new counties where they cannot know the local conditions and might form a new county where four-fifths of the residents of the old county are opposed to it.

What do the voters of Clatsop know of the needs of Grant, Malheur, Crook, Umatilla, Douglas, Lane, Washington, Clackamas and Multnomah. They could vote just as intelligently for the county officers in these counties as for their division or the changing of the boundaries.

There is strong opposition to division in all the counties mentioned and it would seem to be but justice that these localities should settle their own local differences.

You will have the privilege of voting for a bill to leave the function of new counties and municipalities to the districts interested. As between man and man, would not this plan be the more equitable?

The average voter will certainly take this view of it. In all fairness now, will not your conscience and sense of right tell you to vote against all division and vote "Yes X 352," which will relieve you of the task of voting for measures with which you can not be familiar.

INDEPENDENCE NEWS

Dr. Allin, Dentist, Cooper Bldg. if Mrs. A. D. Davidson was a Salem visitor Wednesday.

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75c Shirts 56c

—Good assortment of dress or negligee shirts in all the wanted colors; for the week. 75c values56c

Great Sale of Ladies' Fleece-Lined Vests AND UNION SUITS

25c Vests19c
\$1 white Union Suits ..80c
Women's white fleece-lined Union Suits, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length, medium weight, \$1 vals ..80c

New Outing Flannels

15c values11c
12½c values9½c
10c values8c
8c values6c
Extra special4c

Remnants

—One-half of one-half, or one-fourth of the price on the bolt.

Dress Goods

—Anyone that has ever purchased our dress goods does not need an invitation to come again. The superiority of the goods themselves is sufficient inducement. We know that our dress goods will stand the test of wear, cleaning, etc., and we have all the latest fabrics and popular shades. We want you to come and see them.

Muffler Sale

INTRODUCTORY SALE OF MUFFLERS
—All colors, pretty make. Just what you need for the cool days that will soon be here.
50c Mufflers43c
35c Mufflers29c

Petticoat Sale

85c black and white stripe Petticoats69c
\$1.25 blk. sateen and Heatherbloom Petticoats ...89c
\$1.50 blk. sateen and Heatherbloom Petticoats ..\$1.12

Children's Dress Goods

16 2-3c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 45c, 50c and up.
—See the beautiful serges and chevots at 65c per yd.

Black Silk Sale

—These silks are all one yard wide, all new, and the quality is so good that it is a pleasure indeed either to see or handle these silks.

We ask you to inspect them

\$1.75 Peau de Sole and Taffeta
\$1.49
\$1.50 Duchesse, Messaline and Taffeta
\$1.24
\$1.25 Peau de Sole and Taffeta
99c
\$1.00 black Taffeta
87c
Ginghams, per yd5c
Calico, per yd5c
Challies, cotton, yd5c
\$1.50 Black Dress Goods, 29c
Values to \$1.50, in very fine quality, black.

Outing Flannel Nightgowns

FOR LESS
\$.60 values49c
\$1.00 values83c
\$1.50 values\$1.14
\$1.75 values\$1.39

New Ribbons

—Pure silk ribbon 3½ inches wide, plain, suitable for hair bows and hat trimmings; black, white and all colors; regular 20c values, special sale price12c

New Dresdens and Persians

—Silk ribbon, 3½ inches wide, very pretty; regular 30c values, special, yard19c

Wired Ribb'n

—Special offering on an to the new
We call special attention other line of assorted satin and taffeta ribbon, sale price, yard6c

GREAT SALE OF

Ladies' Purses and Handbags

\$12.00 values\$9.99	\$ 6.00 values\$4.85
\$10.00 values\$8.29	\$ 4.00 values\$2.99
\$ 8.00 values\$6.75	\$ 3.00 values\$2.25
\$ 7.00 values\$5.85	\$ 2.00 values\$1.50

GREAT SALE OF PILLOW TOPS, CENTER PIECES AND LIBRARY SCARFS

\$1.00 values69c
75c values59c
50c values36c
30c values21c
25c values17c

Great Sale of New Silks

\$1.25 Persians and fancy88c
Extra special on Persian, fancy and plain silks, yard49c
35c Seco Silk, yard29c

Crash Toweling Reduced

18c grade Toweling12c
15c grade Toweling10c
14c grade Toweling9c
12½c grade Toweling8c
10c grade Toweling7c

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