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THE WORLD IS ONE

As the disaster in Japan draws from the world sympathy for the distressed, it also serves as another reminder of the interdependence of peoples in a business way.

A disaster that would effect the rubber shipping countries also would be a blow to a great American industry. We have so many resources and so many specialties in manufacturing that every civilized people on the globe buys something from us.

This is to be kept in mind when tinkering with the tariff. We must remember that we cannot forever sell and never buy. If we go too far toward shutting out the goods of other peoples they will have no means of buying what we have to sell.

Of course we cannot prevent convulsions of nature, but losses by them are comparatively small to those mankind brings upon itself by stupidity or selfishness, as in war, or in "unscientific tariffs" that hamper trade.

WHICH KIND OF A PRESIDENT?

The appointment of C. Bascom Slemm as secretary to the president was such a startling one that the tendency to withhold comment was natural.

Mr. Slemm's appointment calls attention to the fact of American political history that presidents have divided sharply into two classes. One type has seemed to subordinate the presidency to the exigencies of party politics; the other type has subordinated politics and professional politicians to the presidency.

A president wields a tremendous power through his appointments and influence. Since the days of Andrew Jackson the spoils have furnished the chief executive with ready tools to establish a political organization.

But there is a greater type of political power than that which patronage and machine politics permits. It is the power derived from overwhelming support of the people.

Mr. Roosevelt played the finest politics. He administered the presidency in a most efficient fashion. In the last analysis, the greatest politics is service.

A president who administers his great office for the public interest can go down to defeat with a knowledge that his record is written indelibly on the records of time.

Of 61,837 federal income tax returns filed in Oregon, 37,612 came from Multnomah county. That shows how much bigger and richer than all the rest of the state Portland is, and it also explains why Oregon grows so slowly in wealth and population.

After having lost some four years in futile resistance, Germany is about to accept the decision of arms, acknowledge defeat and begin actual payment of the reparations bill.

That "collaborating epidemiologist" has a busy press agent, judged by the amount of stuff he sends to the newspaper. That doesn't bother us very much, however, since we have a large waste basket, but we would like to know how much salary he gets, and whether it is paid out of the state or national treasury.

Why rebuild the penitentiary? If we had no institution of that kind we could dispense with the parole board, and the social uplifters wouldn't have to work overtime keeping people out of prison.

New designs of paper money will soon be issued. It may be prettier but probably no easier to get.

Henry Ford's profit is \$1000 a minute. We'll bet he never allows his watch to run down.

HIS WIFE'S MISTAKE!

By KATHARINE MOORE

Author of "Love," "Forbidden," "Heart Battles," Etc.

FEARFUL SILENCE

Lois gave a little gasp of relief, Paul was not at home. She hurried to her room to remove her hat and coat before he should arrive. And then she went directly to Angela.

in the studio and heard Angela speaking to him. She turned immediately and went back. She was afraid to trust Angela alone with Paul for fear of what she might say.

Tomorrow—Paul's Grief.

Editorial Opinion

IRRIGATION AND RECALL

Nine hundred and thirty thousand dollars of bonds certified by the state of Oregon on the Teal irrigation project, work on the project abandoned in 1920, and the project lying there without water and without settlers!

from Umatilla county stating that recall petitions were being "eagerly" signed. Here is a sample that came to The Journal.

Pendleton, Sept. 15.—Recall petitions circulated today in Milton, Athena, Freewater and Pendleton. Petitions signed eagerly by voters of all parties.

Why this effort at hubbub? Why the bogus telegrams? With the \$930,000 bonds certified by the state on the abandoned Teal irrigation project, why tell the people that Pierce, "throttled" irrigation and "depreciated" irrigation bonds?

STATE MARKET AGENT C. E. Spence, Market Agent, 723 Court House, Portland. Farmers are slowly awakening to the necessity of getting hold of production and controlling it, if agriculture is to hold its place in industry.

CHIROPRACTIC IS THE ROAD TO GOOD HEALTH—Thousands of sufferers who have failed to get relief any other way are invited to investigate Chiropractic. It is permanently curing hundreds every day.

Get That Top Repaired Before It Rains Auto Tops, Curtains and Upholstering. We have an expert California auto top man in charge of our auto top department. Satisfaction guaranteed.

IN YE OLDE TIMES (From the Eugene Daily Guard, September 22, 1903.) William Van Buren arrived in Eugene from Corvallis last evening with a string of hawks and buggies from the Corvallis factory.

Can You Beat It! By Maurice Ketten. Copr. 1931, (N. Y. Eve. World) by Press Pub. Co. WOULD YOU AND MRS. JOHN ENJOY A WEEK OF MOTORING WITH US IN MY CAR?

Suit or O'Coat \$23.50 Phone or see me and will make appointment to show samples. GUARANTEED SATISFACTION. Lon Chamlee 1049 Mill. Phone 73

Inky Thinks

The trouble seems to be that we have too much talk about evolution and not enough of it. The roads traveled by blocs may seem divergent, but all lead at last to the feed trough.

About all a Progressive leader needs is a popular grievance and a great shock of bushy hair.

Scrapping America's ships is a sad business. Other nations have found that true in the past.

Religious freedom is a fine thing, but it may yet be necessary to impose restrictions to get people interested again.

Eventually the world's oil supply will be exhausted, but not in time to benefit the present generation of pedestrians.

Something must be done about the naughty Cuban. He uses lottery agencies as political plums instead of orthodox postoffices.

Correct this sentence: "Yes, it's easier oil," confessed the mother; "but I have lemon juice in it and you won't taste the oil."

Examining immigrants on the other side is all right; but there seems to be an eagerness to make our immigration laws on the other side.

RIPPLING RHYMES

AFTER MEALS When I have eaten sundry geese and juicy rounds of beef, with all the world I feel at peace, I'm far removed from grief.

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WHY not motor to Boswell Mineral Springs for your Sunday dinner? 1 per plate.