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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1920.

The election is but six weeks away and the straw vote harvest is about due now.

How time glides by. In the next twelve days the sheriff must be reckoned with for the payment of the second tax installment.

The "open season" for registering will end October 2. Better get busy, if your name is not already on file, if you desire to vote at the coming election.

The price of gasoline having been boosted to a figure that is satisfactory to the producers for the present, the supply now seems to be ample to meet the demands.

The Retail Clothiers' association in session at Chicago says clothing is too high and must come down, and a long suffering public will agree with the edict.

Several farmers are reporting good yields of sorghum cane and very soon now the molasses making vats will be vying with the prune drying plants in sending off sweetness into the air.

Postmaster Yates, of Willamina, has been informed by the postal authorities that he may not hold the office of school director and still retain his position as postmaster. Looks like Uncle was straining a point a bit.

Henry Ford looms up as the one man in the country who is willing to take the lead in cutting the high cost of living. But why should he take the lead, since his fiver is now regarded as the principal household necessity.

Some people are awfully hard to please. For instance the democratic politicians have been raising an awful roar about republicans making substantial contributions to their campaign fund, and now they are turning their guns on Wilson, the

patron saint of all good democrats, because his contribution to the democratic campaign fund is only \$500 and Wilson's friends in turn point the finger of scorn at both Cox and Roosevelt, who the say, have given nothing but foam, so far in the campaign. As the campaign advances no doubt other interesting cross firing charges will be filed.

Mark Sullivan, newspaper correspondent, makes the pathetic statement that Cox is making his fight without support and that the leaders of his party are ready to quit the game, as the necessary money is not coming in to meet expenses. Apparently the boys are not willing to play a losing game.

The effort being made to organize the various counties in the state for Y. M. C. A. work is commendable and deserves the hearty support of all who are interested in the welfare of our boys and young men. This community is being canvassed for subscriptions for supporting the work in this county and a substantial fund will no doubt be raised.

While frisking aimlessly around in the vaults of the internal revenue department in Chicago this week, officials found \$2,200,000 in cash more than the books in the office could account for. Of course \$2,200,000 is but small change to the government nowadays, when Washington doesn't do things in figures below a billion, but this mere chicken feed may be of slight interest to a number of income taxpayers when they find out that the collectors, who took it away from them in baskets, considered the incident so lightly that they forgot to make a note of it in their reports.—Capper's Weekly

Have times and conditions changed very much, after all. Nearly ninety years ago in the course of a speech delivered in the United States Senate Daniel Webster said: There are persons who constantly clamor. They complain of oppression, speculation and pernicious influence of accumulated wealth. They cry out loudly against all banks and corporations and all means by which small capitalists become united in order to produce important and beneficial results. They carry on mad hostility against all established institutions. They would choke the fountain of industry and dry all streams. In a country of unbounded liberty, they

clamor against oppression. In a country of perfect equality, they would move heaven and earth against privilege and monopoly. In a country where property is more evenly divided than anywhere else, they rend the air shouting agrarian doctrines. In a country where wages of labor are high beyond parallel, they would teach the laborer that he is but an oppressed slave.

The state fair opens at Salem next Monday and the reports are that the outlook is good for a big exhibit in all lines. A day at this annual gathering may be made enjoyable, if for but little more than to see and mingle with the people from over the state. It pays to be neighborly at least once a year.

THE 1920 CENSUS OF THE PACIFIC STATES.

The drop during the last decade in this state's rate of growth in population bears on general conditions in California, Oregon and British Columbia as well as Washington, says the Spokesman Review. It is almost astounding to our people that after the population of this state grew 375.6 per cent in the decade that ended with 1900 and 120.4 per cent in that which ended with 1910 the increase of population in the decade that ended with 1920 should have been but 18.8 per cent.

Washington was later than Oregon and California in obtaining a good start in its growth. California had become a state in 1850, Oregon in 1859, but Washington was not admitted into the Union until 1889. The discovery of gold in California in 1848 caused it to become peopled with unexampled rapidity.

Oregon enjoyed the economic advantage of being a great source of supply for California and it had railway communication with the east quite a little while before Washington did. But this state had to wait for the coming of the Northern Pacific in 1884, the expansion of lumbering and the Klondike boom of the '90s in Alaska before it attained anything like economic equality of competition against California and Oregon.

Now Washington, Oregon and California, according to the census of 1920, seem to have reached the stage of slow growth.

The practical cessation of European immigration since 1914 indi-

rectly affects these three states, for the serious scarcity of labor on the other side of the Mississippi keeps those at home in the interior and the east, who would otherwise have migrated to the Pacific coast.

A disquieting feature in the situation this side of the Rockies is the difficulty of attracting a large population of white settlers. In proportion to size and resources the population of California, Oregon and Washington is much smaller than it should be at the end of the nearly 80 years since immigrants began to cross the Rockies and the Cascades in numbers of consequence. The prohibitive expense of travel on the transcontinental railroads may be expected to act henceforth as an additional handicap to increase of population. What can be done to bring immi-

grants and settlers here from the east and from Europe to the extent that the economic needs of the Pacific coast demand? It is a problem calling for earnest consideration and hard work on the part of chambers of commerce and similar organizations.

BOOSTERS DAY AT SALEM TUESDAY

Members of booster organizations and commercial clubs, several hundred strong, will invade the fairgrounds in Salem, Tuesday, September 28th, the day being officially set aside by the state fair board as Booster's Day. The Salem Cherrians will be hosts, and have already sent out formal invitations all over the

state. Acceptances have been received from the Royal Rosarians, Radiators, Prunarians, and many other civic clubs. It is not anticipated that any will decline.

For the pleasure of the visitors the Cherrians have planned an entertainment program that promises to leave no period of dullness during the entire day. A welcoming committee will meet the out-of-town arrivals in the morning, arranging them in formal parade. They will form a line of march through the court to the grandstand, where exhibition drills will be made by the leading bodies, prizes to be offered to the best appearing uniformed organization; largest community club; best booster yell; largest delegation from greatest distance, and best booster song.

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We were indeed fortunate to capture a complete line of Sample Coats and Suits for Women and Misses at price concession that enable us to sell them from \$10.00 to \$20.00 lower than their actual value. It's a startling opportunity at the beginning of the season, and you are urged to take advantage of it.

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