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TEAMWORK

Teamwork is one of the greatest needs of the age. Teamwork speaks self-effacement for the sake of the advancement of the team or the cause. We need teamwork in athletic endeavor. We need teamwork in civic affairs. We need it in the business world, in the political world. In fact it is the great need of the day. Could the nation do away with the constant desire on the part of individuals to star themselves, even at the sacrifice of the national good, we would take one of the greatest steps forward in our history. Take the effort for world peace. When searched to the very bottom, the failure to agree upon a program and get results may be traced to the desire of persons and parties to claim the glory of the achievement. President Harding made one step in the right direction when he appointed Senator Underwood, a democrat, on the nation's delegation. It would perhaps have been better had he appointed two from the opposite party. The nation wants peace. They care not what political party gives it. Let's forget party lines and adopt the best peace program possible.

Teamwork is needed in the state of Oregon today. We find the state highway commission trying to justify their existence and using every means in their power to get results that will bring them into the limelight of public favor. We have bonded the state to get national road money. We have bonded the counties to get state road money. We have used road district funds to help get matched funds from the state and nation. What is the result? We have some good highways. We have some that are already going to pieces. We have side roads that are absolutely impassable in the winter. We have paid dearly for all that we have got. In many cases this money was literally wasted. Extravagant methods, heavy overhead, useless expenditure, engineering blunders, etc., have convinced the public that the money they got by matching state and national money was rather a loss than a gain. We have had a lack of teamwork. There has not been an honest desire on the part of the state highway commission to save the people's money. Nor have the people cooperated with the department to help them accomplish good roads at a low cost. The public service commission, the various state institutions, and state offices are all examples of a desire to advance individuals and parties rather than the state and its citizens.

We need teamwork in our community affairs. Newberg is the best little city in the state of Oregon. That is not bluff and hot air. It is a plain fact. We have a wonderful location; a splendid climate; a good people; an excellent surrounding country. What do we need? Simply better teamwork. Everyone boasting for Newberg. Petty personal and factional ambitions forgotten and teamwork accomplishing for the community what individual effort could never do. How did Newberg win the district championship in basketball? The citizens got behind the team and showed them that they were supporting and encouraging them. That was teamwork. That's what we need all the time. Teamwork will build the new community memorial building. Teamwork will win the first prize at the Rose festival this year. Teamwork will secure new industries for Newberg and maintain the ones we have.

When you hear a fellow say, "I don't believe that move or that proposition is going to succeed" just put it down in your mind that that fellow is not part of the team working to accomplish it. Such poison will never do anyone or any community good. Admit the weaknesses if there are any, but forge ahead in spite of them and if possible help correct them. No one can find fault with a constructive critic, but the man who is always knocking is in a different class. Let's have teamwork for Newberg; for Oregon; for the United States; everywhere; all the time.

WINNIE'S STILL AFTER IT

A very persistent organization, apparently composed chiefly of Miss Winnie Braden of Portland, entitled the Memorial Loop Highway association, is determined to foist upon the people of those highways which emanate in Portland and traverse the

Tualatin and west side Willamette valleys passing through Newberg and McMinnville and Hillsboro and Forest Grove and connecting by means of the highway through Yamhill and Carlton, the name of the association and at the same time burden the taxpayers of the state with the expense of beautification of these highways. Newberg and McMinnville have both voiced their opposition to this movement and have given excellent reasons for not wishing to have their highway so designated. Yet Miss Braden continues to issue statements in the Portland press in which she misrepresents the facts and gives the impression that all is harmoniously working toward the final consummation of her own private wishes. Recently she caused the publication of the statement that because of the opposition of McMinnville to the memorial loop idea that they were going to leave the Walnut City off the memorial highway and make the loop pass through Lafayette. Such a reason for changing the route would appear petty on the face of it and brands the whole movement as being too small for much consideration, and yet the persistence with which publicity is sought and given this sort of thing leads the Graphic to take up the opposition lest it might be put through simply for lack of opposition. Later it was announced that McMinnville had withdrawn her opposition to the memorial loop idea and inference was made that the highway would be permitted to be mapped through that city. The last issue of the McMinnville News-Reporter indicates that the mayor of McMinnville and others in that city are still opposed to Miss Braden's plans. We are led to ask, "Where are we, anyway?"

The planting of trees along such a highway presents a real menace, for the falling of the leaves on the wet pavement provides a slippery surface which would undoubtedly cause skidding and accidents. Furthermore the shade of the trees would cast shadows and flickering lights in the sun or moon shine which would be a menace to drivers, especially those unfamiliar with the highway. Can we not find some more suitable way of providing a memorial to the soldiers who gave their lives in the service? Newberg is working out a plan for a memorial in this city and if the state at large wants to have a memorial, doubtless a park or camp site could be thus designated, and money could be spent in beautification and comfort adding buildings and other features which would be really beneficial as well as memorial.

In an article published elsewhere in this paper, it is suggested that a referendum might be taken on this subject. We doubt if it is really worthy of going to such expense over, but certainly before any serious thought is given, a referendum should be taken.

SHALL THE CONSTITUTION BE JUNKED?

The Graphic is in receipt of the first copy of "The Entertainer," a publication issued by the Shaw-Juhasz Amusement company of Portland. We were inclined to throw the folder in the waste basket but our eye was caught by an editorial entitled "Prohibition." We don't suppose that there is anyone who reads the Graphic who does not know what stand we take on this question and it is not our purpose here to uphold the 18th amendment simply to let the public know our position. However, so flagrant an article as that published in the Entertainer should not go unanswered by a red-blooded American citizen.

The eighteenth amendment was adopted by the people of the United States by the greatest majority ever given any amendment. It was adopted only after years of study of the subject on the part of the citizens of the country and after it had been tried out in many states. In fact the majority of the United States was under prohibition rule by state enactment before the national amendment went into effect. The eighteenth amendment is an integral part of our constitution and we predict will never be taken out. If we are good American citizens we must uphold this eighteenth amendment as we do the rest of the constitution. It is the will of the majority of the people and should be respected as such. The whole foundation of our country is based upon this rule. To endeavor to thwart it is absolutely un-American.

We are not surprised to find back of this paper a man named Stephen Juhasz, for just about 99 per cent of the violations of the 18th amendment are by foreigners with unpronounceable names. How does this sound to an American citizen who believes in the uprightness of the constitution and the honesty of the American people; we quote from the Entertainer:

"A law that spells such injustice can never be enforced—or forced on red-blooded Americans! Champions of the arid condition of the country admit that self-respecting and other-

wise law-abiding citizens break the prohibition laws with impunity. If that is so, the law itself is bad and good men know it, and consequently defy it, because they are powerless to change it."

The people of the United States are not powerless to change this amendment. The constitution provides that any amendment may be stricken out on the same basis as it was put in. But the fly in the ointment to the boozier is that he knows he is in the minority and can't have his booze simply because the great majority have taken it away from him.

The Entertainer goes on to say that "Whisky drinkers helped put the saloons out of business in Oregon" with the implication that they and others do not want to lose beer and light wines. There is a great deal of noise being made on the part of these who want to drink, to get beer and light wines back into legal use, but they fail to give any publicity to the fact that 92 per cent of the liquor business of the country before the saloons were voted out was in the sale of beer. If beer and light wines should ever come back into legal use, we would have the old conditions again for that would restore 92 per cent of the old business and it would be practically impossible to deal with whiskey and heavier liquors under that condition. But there is little danger that it will come back for the American people don't want it. Forty-five of the forty-eight states in the union, have ratified the 18th amendment and New Jersey will probably make it forty-six in the near future.

There is no real tide in favor of booze, but there is a lot of noise on the part of a certain rough neck element to make the people believe that there is such a movement. The Entertainer is espousing a dead cause and they should wake up to the fact that under prohibition there are more dollars for their business than there were in the days of the old saloons.

HAVE YOU REGISTERED?

One of the big duties of American citizens is the duty to make use of the privilege of voting at the various elections. A warning may be seen in the statement that 1000 names are to be stricken from the registration lists at this time because the registrants have failed to vote at the last three elections. The primaries will be here before we know it and every citizen who can should see that the right kind of men are nominated. There is a great apathy on the part of capable men to run for office. This is also deplorable and we should have good, keen honest business men in our various offices to insure proper handling of the public monies and public affairs. If for any reason your registration has become invalid or if you have not been registered, be sure and do so before April 15. You can register with F. A. Morris at the Newberg Land company office. Also, if you know of any capable man who would make a good official, urge him to run for office.

Unless congress quits quibbling over who is going to get the credit for disarmament and gets busy and accomplishes those things which the American people were given to believe they intended to do, we'll all turn Bolsheviks. There are a lot of people who are seeing red already. Let's have more action and less argument.

There are lots of proposals for tax reduction, but so far the average office holder hasn't suggested real economy. The public are demanding that, and until someone arises with a real plan to give us economy in government affairs, we're going to reserve our support in the coming election.

There is no doubt that there are a lot of things which we need in the way of public improvements, etc., but until some way can be evolved to do away with drawing on a depleted treasury and increasing taxation to get these things, we're going to say "No!"

There is only one fair and honest way to do business. That is to have a price on anything and make the same price to everyone. We do business on that basis. You know that when the Graphic serves you in any way, that the service is backed up by character and a desire to please. We are here to stay and want your business through all the years to come as well as that little job of printing which you may have right now. We will always treat you right for that reason, too.

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vs.
Fifty Cases of Adulterated Food labeled in part "Cape Spiney Lobster."

Public notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of February, 1922, at Newberg, Oregon, 50 cases of Adulterated Food labeled in part "Cape Spiney Lobster" were arrested and taken into the possession of and are now in the possession of the United States Marshal for the District of Oregon, pursuant to a warrant and process duly issued by the Clerk of the United States District Court for the District of Oregon, in a suit for condemnation and forfeiture entitled "United States of America, Libelant, vs. Fifty Cases of Adulterated Food labeled in part 'Cape Spiney Lobster,' brought under the provisions of Section Ten of the Food and Drugs Act approved June 30, 1906; that all persons claiming any right, title and interest in and to the said cases of adulterated food, are hereby notified to appear on or before April 10, 1922, at Portland, Oregon, to show cause why the same should not be decreed against and forfeited to the United States as adulterated and misbranded food.

CLARENCE R. HOTCHKISS, United States Marshal for the District of Oregon.

THOS. H. MAGUIRE, Assistant United States Attorney for the District of Oregon, Attorney for Libelant.
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