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DOES HISTORY REPEAT ?

In the June issue of Readers Digest, two very pertinent articles appear that are worth republishing. Read carefully the following:

It is a gloomy moment in history. In our own country there is universal commercial prostration and panic; thousands are without employment and without the prospect of it. In France the political caldron seethes with uncertainty; Russia hangs as usual like a dark cloud upon the horizon of Europe; while all the influence of the British Empire is sorely tried in coping with disturbed relations in China.

Of our own troubles no man can see the end. They are as yet mainly commercial and if we are only to lose money, and by poverty be taught wisdom—the wisdom of honor, of faith, of sympathy and charity—no man need despair. And yet the very haste to be rich, which is the occasion of this calamity, has also tended to destroy the moral forces with which we are to resist and subdue the calamity.

Does this smack of the present? Well, this article appeared in Harper's Weekly, October 10, 1857, "believe it or not."

The menace of the Roosevelt campaign does not lie in the third term, but in the state of mind that could desire four more years of Roosevelt in the White House, four more years of personal government, four more years of presidential lawlessness, four years more of executive contempt for Congress, courts and constitution, four years more of centralization, four years more of wanton extravagance, of denunciation and demagoguery—in the state of mind that wants the new national aims, that wants a federal interference with every form of human industry and activity, that wants the states stripped of their powers, that wants the minority deprived of all the safeguards against the tyranny of the majority, and bureaucracy substituted for the Bill of Rights.

You have heard this time and time again concerning President Roosevelt. But the above article appeared in the New York World, January 2, 1912 and alluded to Theodore Roosevelt.

This newspaper holds no brief for any political party. We are an independent newspaper. We do not believe in destruction. We do not believe in tearing down. We do believe in constructive criticism. The present administration must be given credit for having tried to help the masses: whether they succeeded or not is a matter for future ages to determine. But articles like the above will be printed all over the nation and in the future, they will be re-printed and they will exactly tabulate the times as of the present and future years to come. As the Digest says at the beginning of these articles, taken from Terence, Roman dramatist: "Nothing is said now that hath not been said before."

ARE WE CHRISTIANS?

There are wars and rumors of war. There are depressions, recessions and oppressions. The world is full of greed and lust. Aeroplanes drop bombs on unprotected people and literally thousands have been killed. This is our great civilized and Christian era.

Most countries are in the hands of dictators and they are helping to subdue others.

Here in America we are about to enter into another political campaign where mud and slime will be hurled against some of the candidates. It has already started right here in Oregon we regret to say, and no one knows where it will end.

Christians are supposed to be charitable and kind to one another and yet we hear or read most every day of some disparaging remarks made against a fellow human being and in politics it at times becomes nauseating.

Let us forget our hatreds of the other fellow's politics or religion and "Therefore all things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them; for this is the law and the prophets."

SELMA NOTES

The Girls 4-H Cooking club held a picnic at the Grayback camp last Wednesday. They were

taken out in a truck and spent a most enjoyable time.

A farewell party was given last Friday night at the home of Reu-

ben Tucker in honor of Wayne Walters. Wayne is leaving this week for lower California and the following attended the party to wish him bon voyage: Inez Ardith, Dick Tucker, Marguerite Prentice, Terry and Clara Miller, Mildred Norman, Thelma Morton, Martha May Gregg, and brother, Jr., Everett Longinecker, Earl Longinecker, Roy Longinecker and Rev. Laurie. At midnight cake and punch was served.

The Mary C. Ayres Chapter No. 15,092 of the Girl's World Wide Guild of Selma, will be held at the home of Miss Peggy Hogue next Saturday afternoon.

A group from the Selma church attended a sermon Sunday afternoon at Wonder. They picnicked before returning home with the following enjoying the trip: Mr. and Mrs. Radcliff, Mrs. Maude Hogue and daughter, Peggy, Mrs. Susan Breazeale, Mrs. Walton and Rev. Laurie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Norman have as guests for a short time Mrs. M. Morton and family and Mrs. Hara and three children of San Francisco. Mrs. Morton and Mrs. Hara is the mother and sister of Mrs. Norman.

Mrs. H. Warren was a guest at the home of Mrs. E. Barnes last Monday afternoon.

The annual school meeting of Selma District was held last Monday, July 11th, and Fritz Krauss was elected to fill Ed Norman's place on the board. Mrs. Ed Norman was re-elected as clerk.

Charlie Weston and family left the first of the week for San Francisco, where they will make their home.

Last Saturday night a few of the Selma residents had a scare when a grass fire got beyond control. It was soon put out by Lew Hammer, Cap Hinckle, fire warden, Mr. and Mrs. E. Barnes, Mr. Laurie and J. Pumpy.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Acken left for Rogue River on a fishing trip over the week end. They returned to their home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Pyle and children spent last Sunday afternoon visiting the Edgar Barnes' family.

The Children World Crusaders met with their leader, Mrs. V. Radcliff at the church last Saturday afternoon.

MRS. HATTIE HART PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Hattie Hart of Kerby, aged 72 years, passed away last Friday afternoon, at the Josephine General hospital in Grants Pass. Mrs. Hart was a member of one of the county's pioneer families. She was born at Kerby, December 2, 1865.

Surviving Mrs. Hart is a daughter, Mrs. H. J. Woodbury of O'Brien, and a brother, Frank Floyd of Kerby.

The L. B. Hull Funeral Home conducted the services last Monday afternoon, at the Odd Fellows cemetery in Kerby and the Eastern Star chapter of Kerby, of which Mrs. Hart was a member took part in the services.

HOLLAND NEWS

Last week Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Johnson of Klamath Falls and Roy Hervey of Holland were visitors at the Baldwin home on Caves Highway.

A dinner was given last week at the Baldwin home, on Caves highway in honor of Mrs. G. W. Baldwin, celebrating her 79th birthday. Those enjoying the dinner were, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Chet Leonard and Mrs. Eva Roetie, all of Medford; Mr. and Mrs. W. Griffith and son, Bud of Dryden; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Baldwin and sons, George and James; C. A. Hervey, and the guest of honor, Mrs. W. G. Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Burch brought in some mighty fine looking corn yesterday. This is the first local corn of the season, and they will have a good supply. The Illinois Valley CAN raise fruit and vegetables, most of them superior in taste and flavor to other sections.

Illinois Valley Grange To Give Benefit Dance

Saturday, July 16, the Illinois Valley Grange is giving a benefit dance for Mrs. Laura Krause. One of the best things the folks in this great valley do is to help those in distress. All know what Mrs. Krause has gone through and that she is worthy of all the help that can be showered upon her so be out for this occasion. Remember the date and place, Saturday, a record crowd is expected to be night, July 16, at the Illinois Valley Grange hall at Bridgeview.

GRANGE PICNIC NEXT SUNDAY

Josephine County Grange picnic will be held along the bank of the Rogue river on Ed Hughes' farm near Shan Creek, next Sunday, July 17th. State Master Gill, Miss Bertha Beck and Peter Zimmerman will be present. Let all Grange members and their friends come and bring well filled baskets.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lynch, Dr. Wilford Young and sister, Miss Orrie E. Young and Rev. C. W. Ganthrop of San Francisco and Rev. Ganthrop's son Howard Young, attorney of Crescent City, were guests of Mrs. Florence Hallock Wednesday and Thursday. Mrs. Lynch who recently returned from Honolulu, is the wife of the vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce of San Francisco. Miss Orrie E. Young is director and noted organist of the Hamilton Square Baptist church of that city, having played there 26 years. Mrs. Hallock was at one time a member of her choir.

CHURCHES

BRIDGEVIEW COMMUNITY CHURCH

Sunday school 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m.
Preaching at 8 p. m.
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Church services at 11 a. m.
Everyone is cordially invited to attend our service.

Cave Junction Community Church
7:45 p. m. Preaching, "Christ and Him Crucified."
9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
11 a. m. Morning worship.

SPECIAL FRIED CHICKEN

Dinner 50c

HOLLAND HOTEL

12 to 1 and 6 to 7

Mrs. Ethel Coplay

Benefit Dance

SATURDAY, JULY 16

For Mrs. Gus Krouse

Illinois Valley Grange
Brideview

Grange Hall

CAVE CITY THEATRE

Entertainment De Luxe

Sat. and Sun., July 23-24

"Merrily We Live"
With Constance Bennett and Brian Aherne

Wednesday, July 27

"True Confession"
With Carole Lombard and Fred MacMurray

Illinois Valley Seventh Day Adventist church

Sabbath school 1:30 p. m.
Church service, 3:00 p. m.
Everyone welcome.

F. W. COOPER, Elder.

WEEK END RALLIES AT WONDER PARK

A grand Sunday meeting was held at the convention, in Wonder park on the last day. Rev. Lorce of Selma, was the first speaker and gave a fine address. Rev. H. D. Baugh spoke on every Sunday afternoon. A gathering of good folks at Wonder park for lunch and services of music.

Rev. Dr. Brougher was invited this Sunday and Rev. Shaw spoke and the harp played. Dr. Morris of Wilderville, prayed and Rev. Walter Duff spoke of their 1939 convention when 300 campers could stay on this pleasure grounds. Their aim was to help the people. They stood for the family, the American Sunday and for no crime in the county. Every true church they backed well.

Saturday afternoon the young folks swim and camp fire service, Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Good music.

GOOD EATS

Just Like Mother Made

WAFFLES

SERVED AT ALL HOURS

SPANISH CASTLE LUNCH

Mrs. A. J. Jackson, Prop.

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Eat at the

CLUB CAFE

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LOG CABIN HOTEL

Now Serving

Chicken and Steak Dinners

Mrs. McCarthy

Selma, Oregon

We get part of our milk from thin cows for those who want to stay thin; and part from fat cows for folks who want to get fat.

Horning's Shack

cal messages in song by the waters. "Shall We Gather at the River" is the theme hymn.

SPECIAL CLEARANCE Sale

10 per cent

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on Everything
For balance of July
Ask for queen votes

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Wittrock's Store, Kerby
Lew Hammer, Selma

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Supplies of All Kinds

Lew Hammer's

Selma, Oregon

July Clearance

On Annual Store-wide July Clearance Sale Begins, FRIDAY, JULY 15.

Drastic Reductions in All Departments to Make Room for Our Fall Merchandise.

Take Advantage of This Golden Opportunity to SAVE in All Departments. Remember—Everything to Wear for Every Member of the Family.

Sale Starts, Friday, July 15

Golden Rule Store

Grants Pass, Oregon

For Sale

One of the best cattle ranches in Southern Oregon, 280 acres, 60 cleared ready for crop, 81 shares in Kerby ditch with perpetual water right. This property formerly sold for \$14,000, can now be had for \$1,000 down.

Total Price **\$3.750**

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