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Recorder Philosophy

There is enough kill in every boy to love a gun.

Have you done anything yet for the port?—August 27.

Actions speak louder than words at a moving picture show.

Patriotism is overworked by some who are receiving favors.

The Huerta government in Mexico is apparently about all in.

The man who gets drunk and wants to fight ought to be accommodated.

If some one in your home is mad most of the time your home is a mad house.

Whats the use in crossing bridges before you get to them in two worlds at once.

The things the lobbyists are telling on each other were never learned in Sunday school.

Every boy wants to go out and sleep on the ground by a camp fire—and catch cold.

There is a great deal of political thunder but not enough lightning to give much light.

The best dressed pupil in school is not the most sensible or the most popular, as a rule.

Our notion of imbecility is shown in the gent who will not pay his debts but will die for love.

Regardless of surroundings it is hard for some small souls to ever get in a peaceful state of mind.

Judging from Wilson's lobby probe the Wall Street wolves are not fairies; they actually exist and live on flesh and blood.

We often feel that we are imbued with the poetical temperament; but thus far it has not broke out on us to any great extent.

The jury often finds the prisoner not guilty after he has made a signed confession and thereby proves him to be a blamed liar.

If all the heroes of the past were resurrected today there would be one hundred revolutions started in every country inside of one year.

The man who has reached fifty without discovering that there are other smart men in the world besides himself is holding out fairly well.

To harmonize what you expect to get with what you do get cut your expectations in two, subtract another half and then be prepared to lose what is left.

There is one organ of the body which seems often to increase in activity in proportion to the decrease of the power of body and mind; we refer to the tongue.

Speaking of the doctrine of total depravity, we contend that any human being who naturally likes the taste of limburger cheese and beer without having to cultivate the taste, is totally depraved.

There are red-eyed newspaper writers who are still pounding the populists notwithstanding the populists principles are now popular and are being practised in every state in the union.

We believe in a reasonable amount of dignity and would prefer, on certain occasions, to treat the flea with the silent contempt it deserves; but our experience is that it is usually necessary to scratch where the blamed thing bites.

Bourne's Solution of the Road Problem.

Ex-Senator Jonathan Bourne would appear to have satisfactorily solved the problem of providing

adequate funds for the construction of better highways. As chairman of the joint committee on federal aid in the construction of post roads, Mr. Bourne proposes:

That, inasmuch as ordinary road revenues fall far below the amount required to build and maintain good roads, and that additional funds may only be secured by liens upon the property benefitted or by the sale of bonds, the latter suggests itself as the most equitable and satisfactory, providing the rate of interest be placed at the minimum.

That, for this purpose, federal bonds bearing three per cent be sold to create the fund necessary. That the proceeds of such sales be loaned to the states upon application, guaranteed by the security of state bonds bearing four per cent.

The small but vital difference of one per cent in the interest rates of federal and state bonds would automatically create a sinking fund that, with compound interest thereon at three per cent, would effectually cancel the face of the bonds in less than fifty years.

This is the Bourne plan. From any angle of view it appears to merit adoption. It would relieve the constant stress of striving toward proper highways without proper means, it would obviate the constant turmoil of agitation that accomplishes little while aspiring greatly. But best of all, it would place the responsibility of highway maintenance primarily with the state where it properly belongs—that each community might receive its proportion of needed improvement without miring in the swamp of local boarded indebtedness. And the burden would be equally borne, as it should be.

Mr. Bourne points out the fact that he is in nowise the originator of the method; that it has been successfully employed in Great Britain for the financing of Irish tenantry desiring to purchase land under the Irish land purchase act of 1903, at an extremely low rate of interest. "In effect," adds Mr. Bourne, "the difference between the two rates of interest pays the principal."—Benjamin H. Lampinun.

BANDON CHURCHES.

St. John's Episcopal Church—Services on 2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School on all Sundays at 10 a. m. Wm. Horsfall, Archdeacon.

M. E. Church—Sabbath School, 10 a. m.; Sunday preaching, 11 a. m.; evening sermon, 8 p. m.; prayer meeting, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.; Junior League, 3 p. m.; Epworth League, 7 p. m. Services next Sunday as usual. Welcome to all. John J. Mickey, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church—Quiet Hour, 9:45 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.; Sunday School, 10 a. m.; Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.; preaching, 7:30 p. m. H. C. Hartranft, Pastor.

M. E. Church South, Corner 4th and Spruce Sts.—Preaching every second and fourth Sundays; Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a. m. S. R. Steele, Pastor.

Latter Day Saints—Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints—Meeting every Sunday; Sunday School, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.; Religion, 7 p. m.; Preaching, 8 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend. F. J. Chaburn, President.

Baptist Church, corner Sixth St. and Coquille Ave.—Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m.; Young People's meeting, 6:30 p. m. A general invitation extended to all. T. J. Owen, Pastor.

Brethren Church—Preaching, 11 a. m.; Sunday School, 10 a. m.; Evening service, 7:45. All are cordially invited to attend each service. C. A. Barklow, Elder and Pastor in charge.

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Allow 20-pound Packages

Washington, July, 27.—Plans for the extension, improvement, and reduction in rates of the parcel post are announced by Postmaster General Burleson. The changes which are to become effective August 1, include an increase from 11 to 20 pounds in the maximum weight of parcels; a material reduction in the postage in the first and second zones; and the abandonment of the parcel post man as a means of computing rates and the substitution for it of a rate chart individualized to every postoffice in the United States. The plans contemplate the purchase of a large number of automobiles to be used exclusively for the delivery of parcel post matter.

While for the present the maximum weight limit of 20 pounds and the reduction in rates will apply only to the first and second zones, from any given postoffice—a distance of about 150 miles—the changes directed to day constitute the first long step toward a universal extension of the system and a general reduction in the rates of postage on parcel matter.

"It is my expectation and belief," said Postmaster General Burleson, "that eventually—and it may be 15 or 20 years—the postal service will handle practically all of the small package transportation business in the United States. The maximum weight limit, extended now from 11 to 20 pounds, I expect to see increased to 100 pounds, and experience may demonstrate the practicability of handling the parcel business at even lower rates than we now propose. I appreciate fully the sentiment for an increase in the weight limit and a reduction in rates to all zones, but it is necessary for us, in a sense, to feel our way. For that reason we have made changes proposed apply only to the first and second zones."

Mr. Burleson announced the changes as follows:

"The first zone shall include the territory within the local delivery of any office and the first zone rate of postage will apply to all parcel post mail deposited at any office for local delivery or for delivery by city carrier or on rural routes emanating from that post office.

"The second zone shall include the remainder of what is now the first zone together with the present second zone and shall include the units of area located in whole or in part within a radius of approximately 150 miles from any given postoffice. The rate of postage on parcels weighing in excess of four ounces in the proposed first zone will be reduced from five cents for the first pound and one cent for each additional pound or fraction thereof to five cents for the first pound and one cent for each additional two pounds or fraction thereof, and the rate for the second zone will be reduced from five cents for the first pound and three cents for each additional pound or six cents for the first pound and four cents for each additional pound or fraction thereof to five cents for the first pound and one cent for each additional pound or fraction thereof.

Autoists Were Lost

Two automobilists, N. T. Wallock and William Dalby, of Seattle, arrived here from Myrtle Point about 9 o'clock this morning, after nearly an all night drive. Yesterday morning at 8 o'clock they left here on the western road, but owing to the lack of sign boards they took a different road than they intended, which led to Myrtle Point and about 50 miles out of their way. They wished to make time back to Roseburg and on account of the roughness of the roads, which they pronounced the worst they ever saw, arrived here with a broken rear spring and much other small damage. —Roseburg Review.

Mexico

The situation in Mexico is doubtless calling for the most serious consideration on the part of the Administration. That the Washington authorities should be indisposed to recognize the Huerta regime in Mexico is simply to assert that it is decently American in sentiment. The people of the United States do not want any government recognized that got into power through the hands of assassination. Huerta is simply a coldblooded murderer. It was through the medium of treachery and assassination that he himself rose to power and for a civilized Government to condone that patent fact, no matter what expediency may suggest is asking entirely too much.

One can believe only a modicum of what comes out of Mexico as news. There is very little of it that is not colored either through self-interest or through misguidance. The dominating influence is the financial interest. That is little concerned about anything but the security of its own investment. For awhile it looked as though the line of least resistance for it was the Huerta regime. It is believed that Ambassador Wilson is in sympathy with the legion of heavy investment and he undoubtedly is favorable to Huerta. It is only natural that President Wilson and Secretary Bryan should have an invincible repugnance to following that suggestion. This being made apparent the financial interests themselves are likely to figure out a way that will bring about the desired result of peace in Mexico with out American intervention while at the same time eliminating the redhanded assassin Huerta. There are increasing indications that this may be the fortunate outcome in which event there will be cause for general congratulation. —Portland Telegram.

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