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VOTE 320 X—YES

Submitted by the Legislature—
"The Eastern Oregon Tuberculosis Hospital Act"—Purpose: To provide for the establishment, construction, equipment, maintenance and operation of a branch tuberculosis hospital at some point in the state of Oregon east of the Cascade mountains, to be selected by the governor, secretary of state and state treasurer, constituting the state board of control.

WHY?

Because there is not a single bed anywhere in Eastern Oregon for a tuberculosis patient who needs it.

Because there are at this moment about 500 people in Eastern Oregon who can have sanatorium care has a better chance of recovery than one who can't.

Because the only State Sanatorium we have in Oregon has room for only two-thirds of the patients who apply.

Because in six years the 418 who made up the other third of the applicants never got in at all.

Because these people would at all times have filled another hospital half the size of the present one.

Because there is always a long berculosis patient needs sanatorium—44 on September 14th. There will be more in the winter. Last winter the list went as high as 68.

Because it is tragical when a tuberculosis patients needs sanatorium care and can't have it, just as it would be if YOU needed it and couldn't have it.

Because if we had another sanatorium in Eastern Oregon we could take care of tuberculosis patients when they need it.

And because the State Board of Control is not permitted to locate any state institution outside of Marion County unless the voters authorize it.

That's Why!

ENCOURAGING BANKRUPTCY

The governor of Oregon comes out and flatfootedly denounces the Oregon Housewives' Power bill, which would load the state with a \$50,000,000 bonded debt for state development of hydroelectric power. He says the bill would be a business-killer in the state, a tax-raiser and would drive new capital away as it would discourage the development of private industry. The governor simply states facts which are self-evident to anybody who takes the time to investigate the situation.

The advice of the governor in Oregon would be good in California, where a proposal to issue \$500,000,000 in state bonds is to be voted on by the people, for building state-owned hydroelectric plants. This measure is worse than the Oregon proposal because it would load the state with a much greater per capita debt.

There is no more reason why a state should venture into the power business than into the automobile, grocery or newspaper business. No industry is so strictly regulated today by the state as are power companies. The state already has the advantage of complete control over these properties, without the disadvantages of business entanglements and expense.

The voters in Oregon and California, should rebuke by overwhelming the restless agitators who are constantly cluttering the ballot with measures which tend to disturb business conditions, drive capital away and create unemployment.—The Manufacturer.

The financial status of the Athena district remains undisturbed as a result of the closing of the Athena State Bank. Generally, financial circles and business interests are subjected to depression locally, in proportion to the amount of loss sustained through curtailment of banking facilities. In this instance no loss whatever results to the depositors. Arrangements were made by the stockholders of the Athena State Bank for the transfer of its business to an out-of-town bank—the Inland Empire Bank of Pendleton. It closed up for the very simple reason that there is not enough business in Athena for two banking institutions; there never has been, and in all probability there never will be. The fact that a Pendleton bank gets some business by the closing of the Athena bank, is secondary in comparison with the knowledge gained that Athena, based on present resources, is but a one bank town. The Athena State Bank was managed and conducted perhaps on as conservative banking principles as average country state banks go, but the business was not here to sustain it against as strong a banking institution as the First National Bank of Athena, which in its statement to the com-

troller of the currency on June 30, showed its deposits to be \$734,264.23; loans \$576,627.16; cash on hand \$227,304.97.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture estimates there will be an increase of 14 per cent in the acreage of winter wheat in the United States next year, while there will not be any material increase outside of this country. If the winter and spring wheat yields in the United States shall equal the ten year average, the Department estimates the exportable surplus will be considerably larger than that of this year.

The Churches

Church of Christ

"The Christ" will be the theme for the morning sermon. You will want to hear this important theme discussed. Come! There will be special music by the choir. We are going to try and have special singing at each service. This also should interest you. The Sunday school is working for a great Rally Day November 7th. Keep this date in mind. There will be a special program. The Junior Endeavor Society meets at the usual time Sunday evening. These sessions are all full of interest. Do not miss the evening sermon. We cordially invite you to attend all services.

Baptist Church

Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Prof. Hadley Superintendent. Classes for all. Help us in the Sunday school and thereby help the young. Morning worship at 11:00 A. M. Scripture text Lk. 1:32. Topic, The Name of Jesus. Junior and Senior Young People at 5:30 and 6:30 P. M. The Young People will have charge of the evening worship hour, give them a glad reception by your presence. The pastor goes to Adams for an evening service. Young Peoples Prayer service Tuesday evening at 7:30 P. M. Mid-week meeting and Bible study Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M. If you are not in service somewhere you ought to be. The world needs you in Christian work.

Hollywood, Cal.—Queen Marie or Rumania, who will visit the United States this month, was offered a contribution of \$25,000 for the relief of the needy children of her kingdom if she will appear one day in the role of a queen in the film now being made here by Edwin Carewe from Count Leo Tolstol's book "Resurrection."

Vote X 33

for

E. C. Prestbye

for

State Senator

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VOTE X 43

BETTYE F. DeHART

Deputy County Treasurer

Republican Nominee

For

TREASURER

of Umatilla County

Three years experience. One year full charge of office. General election, November 2, 1926. (Paid Adv.)

NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as administratrix of the estate of Levi M. Main, deceased, has filed her final account and report in said estate with the Clerk of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County; and that the Judge thereof has fixed Wednesday the 17th day of November, 1926, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. as the time and the County Court room in the courthouse at Pendleton, Umatilla County, Oregon, as the place for the hearing of objections to such final account and the settlement thereof.

ROSE ETNA MAIN
Administratrix of the estate of Levi M. Main, deceased.
Raley, Raley & Steiwer and H. J. Warner, Attorneys for Administratrix, Pendleton, Oregon. O15N12.

Corn Under Water in Illinois Flood

Chicago, Ill.—Approximately 100,000 acres of corn are under water in six counties flooded by recent levee breaks and rivers and creeks out of their banks, the Illinois Agricultural association was advised.

In Pound

Notice is hereby given that the following described animals were taken up and placed in the Athena city pound, and unless redeemed by owner, will be sold to the highest bidder for cash in hand at 2 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, November 2, 1926:

One black mare, 12 years old, weight about 900, star in forehead, two white hind feet, brand TC on right stifle.

One black mare mule, 12 years old, weight about 1000, brand 2 over bar on left stifle.

Dated at Athena, Oregon, October 25, 1926.

B. D. TAYLOR, Marshal.

PUBLISHER'S STATEMENT

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Publisher, editor, managing editor and owner, F. B. Boyd of Athena, Oregon.

Known bondholders or mortgagees, none.

F. B. BOYD.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of October, 1926.

B. B. RICHARDS

Notary public for Oregon. My commission expires Mar. 11, 1929.

Vote For Henry J. Taylor

Henry J. Taylor, candidate for Senator, 19th Senatorial District comprising Umatilla, Union and Morrow Counties.

He was elected to this office four years ago and has served his district faithfully. He resides at Pendleton, was born in Missouri, moved with his parents to California in 1864, educated in public schools, came to Umatilla County 47 years ago and has been a farmer ever since. Owns large wheat farm, was school director or thirty years, city councilman of Pendleton five years, has been a director in Inland Empire Bank ever since its organization, is a member of Elks, W. O. W. and I. O. O. F.; was Grand Master I. O. O. F., 1913 and 1914; Grand Representative, 1914 and 1915. Is now serving his ninth year as Trustee of I. O. O. F. Home at Portland.

His Platform: If elected, he will during his term of office, faithfully and honestly fulfill his official duties with the least possible expense to tax payer. He favors a reasonable and just income tax, a Normal School located in Eastern Oregon, the completion of all state highways and retirement of bonds as they mature; the perpetuity of Pendleton Round-Up, proper legislation for protection of labor, reduced license for used automobiles, abolishment of useless commissions. He has no pet bills, no private or secret interests to serve, and stands on his record as Senator for 1923 and 1925 sessions of the Legislative Assembly. He believes in a square deal for all persons. (Paid Adv.)

Enough of this...

Experimental and Burdensome Automobile Legislation!



LATEST MODELS SHOULD HAVE A FILING CABINET!
—Reproduced from Morning Oregonian, Feb. 18, 1926.

VOTE

325 X NO!

ON "BUS AND TRUCK BILL"

Condemned by Oregon Automotive Conference, consisting of the following organizations:
Oregon State Motor Association, A. A. A.
Automobile Dealers Association
Portland Automotive Trades Association
Oregon Automotive Trades Association
Portland Industrial Traffic Club
Draymen's and Warehousemen's Association
Auto Freight Terminal Association
Oregon Motor Stage Association
Independent Service Stations of Oregon

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(Paid Adv. by OREGON MOTOR STAGE ASSOCIATION, Portland, Oregon)

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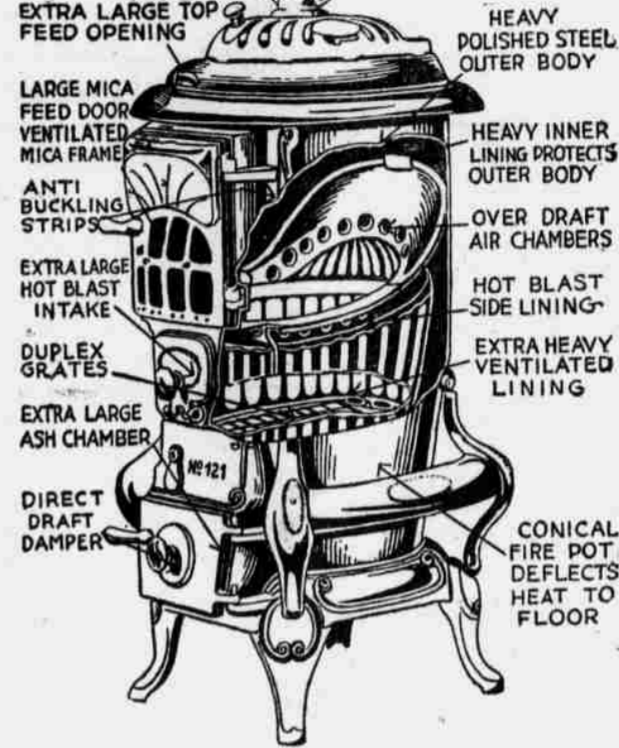
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I. L. Patterson
Vote for 3

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George M. Brown
Thomas A. McBride
Charles A. Howard
C. H. Gram
Thomas N. Campbell

For Supt. Public Instruction
For Commissioner of Labor
For Commissioner of Public Service
For Senator 19th Senatorial District (Morrow, Umatilla and Union Co.)
For Senator 20th Senatorial District
For Representative 22 Rep. District
For Representative 23 Rep. District (Umatilla and Morrow County)
For County Judge
For County Commissioner
For County Treasurer
For County Coroner

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