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WHO SAID "DEPRESSION?"

Depression has no rightful place with a hundred and twenty million people, exchanging goods and services—capable—accustomed and willing to work—more highly skilled than other peoples—leaders in efficiency and progressiveness—backed by the vast natural resources of the United States. When we make it possible for the man who works to have a job we make it possible for him to buy food for his family and so help all business, including that of the farmer. The rest of the world is of small importance compared with that free market of 120,000,000 people—like aspirations—living under the same laws—free of trade barriers. Foreign trade may be troubled by tariffs and revolutions, but at their peak our exports represented only five and a half billions of dollars of gross business in a year out of a total American income of ninety billions. Getting down to brass tacks, showing just what this country amounts to, the Harriman National Bank and Trust Company of New York City, says:

"With 7 per cent of the World's population the United States consumes 48 per cent of the world's coffee, 53 per cent of its rubber, 21 per cent of its sugar, 72 per cent of its silk, 36 per cent of its coal, 42 per cent of its pig-iron, 47 per cent of its copper, 69 per cent of its crude petroleum; and over 23 million of the 30 million running automobiles. It operates 60 per cent of the world's telephone and telegraph facilities, 33 per cent of the world's railroads and produces and consumes more than 35 per cent of the world's total electric power. This nation embraces 6 per cent of the world's area, but it produces 70 per cent of all the oil, 50 per cent of the wheat and cotton, 50 per cent of copper and pig-iron, and 40 per cent of the lead and coal output of the globe. It holds about one-half of the world's monetary gold and two-thirds of the total banking resources of the earth. While its population was increasing 60 per cent its industrial production increased 300 per cent. The purchasing power of the 120 million citizens is greater than that of the 500 million Europeans and is much greater than that of the more than a billion Asiatics. On the other hand we would seem, by pessimistic sentiment prevailing, to have about 1 per cent of the courage, 1/4 of 1 per cent of the nerve, 1/2 of 1 per cent of force and power, and 1/4 of 1 per cent of backbone of almost any other country—England for instance—struggling along, carrying gigantic debts and with millions of unemployed, without a murmur or complaint. Merely being burdened with an incompetent, incapable Senate gives us no reason for lamenting over our condition. Should we give as much care in attending the coming primaries and selecting proper, intelligent representatives for Congress as we do in selecting even our golfing and fishing outfits, that, too, may be remedied. Fundamental conditions in America are safe and sound."

Here's the way a reporter for the Morning Oregonian describes the opening of the International Stock Show: "Camouflaged behind a barrage of pink popcorn, fat steers, milk goats, wingless Leghorns, moving pictures, tireless radios, bulging Clydesdales, strutting turkeys, sleepy rabbits, red apples, hot dogs and blaring bands, the Pacific International Livestock exposition got down to the serious business of judging the thousands of livestock entries."

Be willing to pay a fair price. Don't take advantage of the other man's necessity. Recognize that he has as good claim to a fair profit as you. When a skinflint that fattens on the miseries of others shows up, help to make him unpopular.

Facing the present unemployment problem, the proposed constitutional amendment to close commercial fishing on the Rogue River, which would throw families out of work for the benefit of tourist sportsmen, does not look so good.

What with being pelted with rain at her wedding and tossed by a storm at sea while honeymooning with King Boris, Queen Giovanna seems to have made a gloomy matrimonial start.

Britain, America and Japan got their heads together over in London the other day and deposited ratifications of the naval treaty. Three wise heads, say we.

Brazil seems to be having a revolution within a revolution.

NOTICE OF ROAD DISTRICT MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a road district meeting of the legal voters of Special District No. 61, Umatilla County, State of Oregon is called for November 17th, 1930, commencing at the hour of 1 o'clock, p. m. of said day and continuing until 5 o'clock p. m. thereon, which meeting will be held at the School House in School District Number 30, of Umatilla County, in Umatilla County, State of Oregon, and within said Special Road District No. 61, for the purpose of voting a special tax of not to exceed ten mills on the dollar on all taxable property in the said Special Road District No. 61 as defined by the report of the County Road Master of Umatilla County, Oregon, filed on the 7th day of July, 1930; said tax to be expended under the supervision of the County Court for such purpose for making the proposed road improvements in said Special Road District No. 61.

This notice is published by order of the County Court of Umatilla County, State of Oregon, which said order was made and entered of record on the 6th day of August, 1930. COUNTY COURT OF UMATILLA COUNTY, STATE OF OREGON. By: I. M. SCHANNAP, County Judge of Umatilla County, Oregon.

R. E. BEAN, County Commissioner of Umatilla County, Oregon.

J. O. HALES, County Commissioner of Umatilla County, Oregon.

R. T. BROWN, County Clerk of Umatilla County, Oregon.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. In the Matter of the Estate of Grace Nancy Tatom, deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern: That Dean S. Tatom, administrator of the estate of Grace Nancy Tatom, deceased, has filed his final account and report in the administration of the estate. That the County Judge by order duly made and entered has appointed Monday the 10th day of November, 1930, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon as the time and the County Court House at Pendleton as the place, where all objections and exceptions to said final account and report will be heard and a settlement of the estate made. Dated this 10th day of October, 1930. DEAN S. TATOM, Administrator. Peterson & Lewis, Attorneys for Administrator. O10N7

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Frick's Metal Weather Stripping is Best. For Sale—Three full-blooded Jersey bull calves. Floyd Pinkerton, Athena, phone 26F5. Eyes examined, glasses properly fitted at Schneller's, 39 East Main, Walla Walla. For Sale—Household furniture. Call at the Baptist parsonage, corner Third and Jefferson streets. Pedigreed Seifert Roller Canaries, eligible for registration. My breeders are from Zager strain. Banded with I. R. C. B. A. Bands. Call 1253, Milton, Oregon, or see Mrs. Maurice Frazier, one block south of Grove school.

23 Years Ago

December 20, 1907

The first passenger train to go over the Pilot Rock branch of the O. R. & N. pulled into that little city shortly before noon Monday. C. A. Barrett of this city was one of the passengers on the excursion and he estimates the number of people who made the trip from Pendleton and way stations, at 350. The excursionists were met at "The Rock" by a brass band and a committee comprising the entire population of the town. The visitors were royally entertained.

Mr. Hugh Taylor, son of Moses Taylor and Miss Janie Roche, were united in marriage Wednesday by Rev. Geo. T. Ellis, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Allen. The couple are well known in Athena and friends extend congratulations.

A young son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Koepke has been ill this week at their home south of town.

M. J. McDaniel of Portland, formerly a Weston resident, has purchased 1920 acres of wheat land in Gilliam county, for \$40,000. This is the largest land deal recorded in Gilliam county this year.

Mrs. D. H. Sanders and daughter Mrs. Starr Charlton, will leave next week for North Yakima, where they will attend a reunion of the Ashpaugh family, of which Mrs. Sanders is a member.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stone and David Taylor of this city attended the funeral of Nelson Swaggart in Pendleton, Tuesday.

RUPTURE EXPERT HERE

C. F. Redlich, Minneapolis, Minn., nationally famous Rupture Appliance Expert, will demonstrate without charge his unequalled method at PENDLETON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3rd. Hours—10-4 TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4th. Hours—9-3 at the Dorion Hotel First Evening by Telephone Appointment.

Mr. C. F. Redlich says: "The 'Perfect Retention Shields' hold the rupture perfectly, no matter what position the body assumes or how heavy a weight you lift. They give instant relief and contract the opening in a remarkably short time. The secret of their success is in their simplicity. An expertly adjusted device seals the opening without discomfort or detention from work. It is practically everlasting, sanitary, comfortable and actually holds ruptures which heretofore were considered uncontrollable. 'IF YOU WANT TO HAVE IT DONE RIGHT—SEE REDLICH.' Doctor J. W. Seaver, for many years in charge of the Physical Education of the students of Yale College, has recorded 75 per cent cures with this system. Mr. Redlich is internationally known and speaks English, German and Spanish. HOME OFFICE: 535 Boston Block, Minneapolis, Minn.

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Tum-A-Lum Tickler

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Editorial What we like about the modern apartment is that you can answer the door, kick the dog, open a window, look in the refrigerator, and turn on the radio without getting out of your chair.

Tum-A-Lum does not recommend a house built with these conveniences. We believe in utilizing all waste space yet giving plenty of room to turn around. See us now for plans and figures. NOW is the time to BUILD.

The farmer sat in His house and moaned At the so called Business depression. The reason it was Plain to see His hens were on Vacation.

If you like to raise flowers— This is the time to put in small cold frames and hot beds for keeping flowers thru the winter and for starting seeds. We have the materials.

Johnny was picking up apples under the trees when his mother called to him to look out for the worms in them. "When I eat apples," he called back, "the worms have to look out for themselves."

Which is tough, as Sam says when he bites into a tough steak, but you can't expect a hen to lay when she is kept busy trying to keep warm. A chicken house properly insulated will keep hens cackling all winter.

We were in favor of awarding the world's Hard Luck Championship to the man who contracted sleeping sickness but was so troubled with insomnia that he couldn't sleep a wink. Then he heard of the fellow who had sea sickness and lock-jaw at the same time.

Luck like that will be good compared with the citizen who forgets to fill his coal bin with Tum-A-Lum before Ole Man Winter gets here.

NOTICE OF CITY BUDGET FOR 1931 AND HEARING THEREON

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following is a true and correct copy of the budget for the fiscal year beginning January 1st, 1931, and ending December 31st, 1931, as prepared and adopted for the City of Athena, Umatilla County, Oregon, by the Budget Committee of said City at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 16th day of October, 1930, and that the original estimate sheets are on file at the office of the City Recorder of said City, where the same may be inspected:—

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES FOR 1931: WATER DEPARTMENT: Water Bond Sinking Fund None Interest on Water Bonds 720.00 Salary of Water Superintendent 900.00 Materials, Supplies, Maintenance & Repair 3,500.00 Power for Pumping 400.00 Miscellaneous 200.00 Total 5,720.00 STREET DEPARTMENT: Installments on Improvement Bonds 6,500.00 Interest on Improvement Bonds 557.11 Maintenance and Repairs 500.00 Materials and Supplies 200.00 Street Lighting 888.00 Miscellaneous 100.00 Total 8,745.11 GENERAL: Police Department, Salary & Supplies 600.00 City Treasurer, Salary and Supplies 370.00 City Recorder, Salary and Supplies 500.00 Library, Salary and Maintenance 500.00 Interest on General Obligation Bonds 1,200.00 City Elections 20.00 Emergency Fund 500.00 Total 3,815.00 Total Estimated Expenditures for 1931 \$18,280.11

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS FOR 1931: Water Rents 3,850.76 Miscellaneous, Fines, Licenses, etc. 100.00 Street Improvement Installments 3,219.53 Interest on Street Improvement Installments 153.44 General Taxes 10,956.38 Total \$18,280.11

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES FOR FIRST SIX MONTHS OF CURRENT FISCAL YEAR TOGETHER WITH THE ESTIMATES THEREFOR:

WATER DEPARTMENT: Water Bond Sinking Fund None Paid 500.00 Interest on Water Bonds 360.00 360.00 Water Superintendent's Salary 450.00 450.00 Maintenance and Repairs 500.00 14.45 Materials and Supplies 750.00 1,488.07 Power for Pumping 200.00 201.90 Miscellaneous 125.00 14.55 Totals 2,385.00 3,028.97 STREET DEPARTMENT: Installments on Bonds 3,750.00 852.79 Interest on Bonds 750.00 494.80 Maintenance and Repairs 250.00 7.73 Materials and Supplies 125.00 114.39 Street Lighting 450.00 444.00 Miscellaneous 125.00 None Totals 5,450.00 1,913.71 GENERAL: City Marshall's Salary 300.00 300.00 City Treasurer's Salary 180.00 180.00 City Recorder's Salary 300.00 300.00 Athena Library, Salary and Maintenance 250.00 250.00 Interest on General Obligation Bonds 600.00 600.00 City Attorney, Retainer Fee 210.00 None City Elections 15.00 None Emergency Fund 500.00 None Miscellaneous, Printing, Office Supplies, etc. 125.00 694.00 Totals 2,480.00 2,324.00 STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES FOR FISCAL YEAR OF 1929: WATER DEPARTMENT: Water Bond Sinking Fund 1,000.00 Interest on Water Bonds 720.00 Salary of Water Superintendent 900.00 Maintenance and Repairs None Materials and Supplies 54.57 Power for Pumping 383.75 Miscellaneous 45.55 Total 3,103.87 STREET DEPARTMENT: Installments on Bonds 3,643.97 Interest on Bonds 700.49 Maintenance and Repairs 3.00 Materials and Supplies 681.29 Street Lighting 888.00 Miscellaneous 75.65 Total 5,992.40 GENERAL: Interest on General Obligation Bonds 1,200.00 City Marshall's Salary 600.00 City Treasurer's Salary 350.00 City Recorder's Salary 600.00 Library, Salary and Maintenance 450.00 City Elections 15.00 Miscellaneous 697.52 Total 3,882.52 Total Expenditures for 1929 \$12,978.79

TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR SECOND AND THIRD PRECEDING YEARS:

Total Expenditures for year of 1928 \$24,084.68 Total Expenditures for year of 1927 \$25,387.75 STATEMENT OF OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS OF THE CITY OF ATHENA, OREGON, ON THE 30th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1930. OUTSTANDING BONDS: (All at 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually) General Obligation Funding Bonds, (Due 1946, payable \$2,000.00 per annum after Oct. 1937.) 320,000.00 Water Bonds, (Due January 1, 1935) 12,000.00 Street Improvement Bonds: Main, 3rd, Jefferson and Adams (Due Dec. 15, 1930) 6,500.00 Fifth Street (Due Oct. 1st, 1931) 5,500.00 Current Street (Due Oct. 1st, 1931) 1,000.00 Fourth Street (Due Mar. 1st, 1932) 848.26 Hunt Avenue (Due Jan. 1st, 1933) 1,000.00 Total \$46,848.26 OUTSTANDING WARRANTS: Warrants outstanding Sept. 30th, 1930 54.80 Total Outstanding Bonds and Warrants \$46,903.06 SINKING FUNDS AND CASH ON HAND SEPT. 30th, 1930: General Fund 4,818.60 Water Bond Sinking Fund 7,338.73 Street Bond Fund 853.29 Street Bond Interest Fund 46.88 Total \$13,057.50 Net Outstanding Indebtedness Sept. 30th, 1930: \$33,845.56

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Common Council of the City of Athena, Oregon, meeting as the levying board for said City, will meet on the 17th day of November, 1930, at the hour of 8:00 o'clock p. m. at the office of the City Recorder of said City, at which time and place any person who shall be subject to such tax levy will be heard in favor of, or against, any such tax levy or any part thereof, and that after such hearing the Common Council of said City of Athena, Oregon, will proceed to make, determine and declare the amount to be levied on the current assessment and tax roll to meet the fiscal needs of the said City of Athena, Oregon, for the fiscal year beginning January 1st, 1931, and ending on December 31st, 1931.

This notice and budget is published pursuant to the provisions of Chapters 118 and 208 of the General Laws of Oregon for 1921, as amended by Chapter 142 of the Laws of Oregon for 1923, and Chapter 28 of the Laws of Oregon for 1925, and Chapter 409 of the General Laws of Oregon for 1927, and laws amendatory thereof, and under the direction of the Budget Committee of the City of Athena, Umatilla County, Oregon. Dated this 17th day of October, 1930. O. C. 24 & 31 B. B. RICHARDS, City Recorder.

PLAY SAFE-- Vote the Straight Republican Ticket

"Now is no time to make a change" says Calvin Coolidge

Here are the Republican candidates for National and State offices. Take this list with you when you go to the polls.

- Charles L. McNary . . . . . For United States Senator One of the State's most valuable assets. Phil Metschan . . . . . For Governor of Oregon A splendid administrator—patient, tolerant, just W. C. Hawley . . . . . For First Congressional District Invaluable to Oregon because of his seniority in Congress R. R. Butler . . . . . For Second Congressional District Untiring in his efforts for the advancement of Oregon Franklin F. Korell For Third Congressional District Quick to win recognition in the National Capitol Harry Belt . . . . . For Justice of the Supreme Court An able jurist Percy R. Kelly . . . . . For Justice of the Supreme Court Deserving of his promotion J. U. Campbell . . . . . For Justice of the Supreme Court A keen, analytical mind C. A. Howard . . . . . For Superintendent of Public Instruction A capable educator Charles H. Gram . . . . . For Commissioner of Bureau of Labor He has the welfare of labor at heart

The above candidates, with the other regular Republican nominees, command your respect and deserve your vote.

VOTE THE STRAIGHT REPUBLICAN TICKET

(Paid adv., Republican State Central Committee, Elisha A. Baker, Secretary, Morgan Bldg., Portland.)

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Announcement THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ATHENA, OREGON, Announces that it has completed the organization of a Trust Department and is qualified to act as Executor, Administrator, guardian, or in any other fiduciary capacity. Just think what 37 years of successful banking experience would mean to the executor or administrator of your estate. Ask us for Information

Reduction In Electric Light Rates The following reduction in Electric light rates will be in effect on and after March 15, 1929: Residential Rates First 30 KWH hours used, per month...10c per KWH Excess over 30 KWH used, per month...3c per KWH Commercial Rates First 100 KWH used per month...10c per KWH Next 200...7c per KWH Next 300...6c per KWH Next 400...5c per KWH Next 1000...4c per KWH Excess over 2000...3c per KWH Preston-Shaffer Milling Company