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In 1930 there were about 350 persons in this county over 60 years of age. Passage of the Townsend plan would bring into this county \$70,000 per month or \$840,000 per year. This sum is equal to the income from wheat for the past five years except perhaps the 1934 crop. If the county pays an average per capita tax a like number of dollars would have to be raised on business done here in the form of taxes.

Total income of the United States is now estimated at 40 billions of dollars. Figuring 8,000,000 persons over 60 who would take the pension the cost would be about 20 billions per year or half of the national income. This would be given to one fifteenth of the people. The Townsend pamphlet states that wages would be raised to about ten or twelve dollars per day for common labor and that a national income of nearly 200 billions would be forthcoming. This would be an inflation of about five times the present price structure, with a decrease of the new goods that were produced. It is likely that the buying power of the pension would be reduced to about that of a \$50 pension under the present prices.

Main effect of the Townsend plan it now appears will be to hasten the enactment of a reasonable old pension plan by the federal government. It may also do something to bring about a sales tax as a means of paying for it instead of raising the money through a property tax as at present in Oregon.

UNION HIGH SCHOOL?

Every month there is more discussion of the proposal that there be one high school in Sherman county instead of five. People who have fought against consolidation of any kind before are now ready to try some plan that will bring larger groups of students together so that a more extensive course of study will be possible. A county high school could afford to teach manual subjects and hire a Smith-Hughes Instructor for agricultural teaching.

Such a school would undoubtedly be much cheaper from the point of view of instruction costs and contrariwise would occasion more transportation expense than the present system. Estimates on these items can be fairly accurately made by those interested. It seems that the time has arrived for some debate on the matter by civic groups and granges who would be affected by the change, which will, of course, be strongly opposed by those to whom town and community pride are paramount.

When Mohammedism was swinging around the southern Mediterranean its cohorts rallied to the cry, "There is no God but Allah, and Mohammed is his prophet." The same idea is being used in the political race in Oregon, but there is no unanimity as to the prophet; every one of the faithful claims that honor.

Sherman countians are planning to attend the big game of intercollegiate football in as great numbers as they did last year when the towns were deserted.

Americans have felt very sorry for some of the peoples of Europe because they are not permitted to vote, yet it is estimated that little over half of the registered vote will be out next Tuesday.

If the 20 mill tax limitation measure was passed the entire property tax income of the state would be taken by the elementary school fund leaving all other state activities without funds. While tax reduction is needed this bill is too drastic to accomplish its purpose for it would result in hastily improvised tax measures that would be worse than now in force.

The government is trying to make it possible for banks to loan money which is fine if they don't loan like they did in the roaring twenties. Folks won't borrow like they did either.

After reading the names of the Dionne babies it is easy to see why there was hesitation in formally giving the names. They should be fairly well developed for three word titles.

The candidates have put the prophesying Indian out of the limelight and we can't find out what the winter is going to be like at all.

Next week we can all get together for the development of Oregon and forget our political divisions which should be only temporary.

The opinion seems to be that Sinclair will be fortunate if he doesn't get to try out his ideas. Others are of the belief that we don't have a profit system anyway so we might as well quit trying.

HI-WAYS TO HEALTH

by ADA R. MAYNE

OREGON DAIRY COUNCIL

Jim's grandma has
A limousine
And the biggest house
I've ever seen.

But my grandma
Is best by far
For she has got
A Cookie Jar!

Cookies merit the title 'The Best of Sweets' because of their combination of ingredients and the extent of their usefulness as a food. Of course, cookies are what you make them - plain, wholesome ones for all the family; rich and satisfying ones for hearty appetites, or dainty and decorative ones for special occasions.

The ingredients used in making cookies are of prime importance in determining the flavor and food value of the finished product. For example, cookies made with butter have a distinctive taste as well as nutritive quality which cannot be obtained by the use of any other food fat. This is because butter fat is the most practical, palatable

and dependable food source of Vitamin A, necessary for growth and positive health. Butter also contains Vitamin D which aids in the development of bones and teeth. These facts alone with its unique flavor make it worthwhile to use butter in making cookies.

A few practical cookie recipes which can be adapted to even the simplest meal, the school lunch or the tea table are given this week.

Frozen Cookies
One and a half cups butter -
Two cups medium brown sugar -
Four eggs -

One teaspoon salt
One teaspoon cinnamon
Two teaspoons Baking Powder

Cream butter and sugar. Add well beaten eggs and beat well. Sift all dry ingredients together and add to first mixture. Pack dough into cookie molds and put into coldest part of refrigerator for several hours. Slice as thin as possible and bake on greased baking sheet 10 minutes at 375 deg. F. Bake as needed and have freshly baked cookies at any time.

Sour Cream Cookies

Two cups brown sugar
One cup butter
Two eggs

One half teaspoon nutmeg
One cup sour cream
One teaspoon soda

Four teaspoons baking powder
Four cups sifted flour

Cream together butter and sugar and add eggs one at a time, beating well after each addition. Add sour cream. Sift dry ingredients

Grass Valley

George Wilcox was in Gilliam and Wheeler counties this week looking for support for his candidacy as state senator. He visited all the important towns there.

Clifford Rowe spent the week end at Pacific University, the event being the homecoming day celebration of his school.

Around every stove in town where people gather political arguments have been carried on for a full twelve hour day this week resulting in some humor, perhaps some hurt feelings and lots of amusement.

Claire Balzer was put in another cast this week and expects to remain there for some time to come.

Rachel Poley and Isabel Fortner were both hostesses to different groups of high school students this week.

Mrs. Tom Alley entertained at bridge Monday afternoon for a group of women from Grass Valley and Moro.

Klaus Bardenhagen was taken to the hospital this week with an abscess which was very painful, being on his tongue.

Eben Kee and wife and Mrs. Kee's sister were in Portland this week for a few days.

Mrs. Mary Baker entertained the bridge club Wednesday afternoon at her home.

Norma Garrett accompanied by a friend from Monmouth spent the week end here with her parents.

J. W. Shepard and wife were in Portland Monday night to see and hear Fritz Kreisler in his recital at the municipal auditorium.

George Witter suffered a case of lumbago while here last week but he ran the concrete in the Simon basement and garage just the same.

The Eastern Star lodge is planning on a dance to be given Thanksgiving night at the Grass Valley Auditorium.

The school budget will be voted again as a longer period of posting is necessary.

Vote for George H. Wilcox

Democratic Candidate for State Senator.

He is qualified by Education and 15 years Business Experience. He has lived in Sherman county since 1903.

He is 39 years of age, is married and has three children. is a druggist and a wheat farmer.

is a Mason, Odd-Fellow and a member of the American Legion at present time is chairman of Sherman county relief committee.

Sherman county director of State Chamber of Commerce.

He stands for the New Deal and is 100 percent for Roosevelt. He favors modified Townsend Plan Old Age Pensions.

Unemployment Insurance.

Greater Development of Oregon's Natural Resources

He favors more equitable Distribution of wealth through Inheritance and Income Taxes.

Concerted Action in securing further development of the Columbia River.

Elect him is Sherman County's only chance for Representation.

Paid Advertisement by Sherman county Democratic Central Committee, Tom Garrett, chairman.



Paul Lynch
of Mitchell

for Representative

Twenty-Second Representative District Gilliam, Morrow, Sherman and Wheeler counties

Resident of Wheeler County for 27 years.

Mayor, Councilman and Treasurer of Mitchell, member of County Relief Committee, Elk and I.O.O.F.

General Merchandise Store Owner for over 20 years.

Paid Advertisement by Sherman County Democratic Central Committee, Tom Garrett, chairman, Grass Valley.



and add. Mix well and drop by spoonfuls onto cookie sheet. Bake 12 to 15 minutes at about 275 - 400 deg. F.

Sugar Cookies

One half cup butter
One cup sugar
Two teaspoons baking powder
Two eggs
Two and a half cups flour
One half tsp vanilla

Cream butter, add sugar and eggs, well beaten. Stir in dry ingredients which have been sifted together. Add vanilla. Shape into roll and place in refrigerator to chill. When ready to bake slice thinly and bake on cookie sheet in a moderately hot oven.

Try Journal advertising, it pays.

Very small son-Daddy, give me a dime.
Papa-Not today, sonny, not today.

Small son-Daddy if you'll give me a dime I'll tell you what the ice man said to mama this morning.

Papa-Here, son, quick; what did he say?
Small son-He said, "Lady, how much ice do you want this morning."

He-Let's get married, or sumptin'.
She-We'll get married or nothin'!

Maybe Thirt

Teacher-James, have you whispered while I was out of the room?
James-Only wunst, ma'am.

Teacher-Helen, should James say 'wunst'?

Helen-No, ma'am, he should say twit.

Gone to Protest

Young Mrs. Jones-It's no use. I used to think you were always right, but you're not.

Mr. Jones-How was I wrong this time?

Young M. J.-About borrowing money on notes. I took the ones

VOTE NO

AGAINST the Grange Power Bill

Uncle Sam is doing the power job in Oregon. Why set up a new state commission to plunge us deeper into debt?

Vote 301 X No!

ASSOCIATION TO PRESERVE OREGON'S CREDIT
Harry Dorman, Secretary
Weatherly Building, Portland
(Paid adv.)

METSKER'S NEW

SHERMAN COUNTY ATLAS
Buy Metaker's new up-to-date atlas of SHERMAN COUNTY. It shows all properties and ownerships. Township maps and atlases of over 60 counties in Oregon and Washington and northern Idaho. The best maps made. For sale at the county assessor's office, Moro, Ore. and at "Metaker the Map Man" 514 S.W. Oak st. Portland Or.

Kent News

The annual birthday dinner for G. W. Barnett of The Dalles, was held at the grange hall Sunday, October 28th. Those from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barnett and son Earl Jr. of Parkdale; Mrs. E. J. Barnett and sons Leo and Leonie and daughter Emma Jean of Clemm; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Barnett and family; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Barnett and family; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith and Charlotte Ruggles of Grass Valley; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Barnett of The Dalles. Including children and grandchildren living here thirty six were present.

W. R. Adams and George Wilson were in The Dalles Thursday transacting business.

Russ Helyer who is attending the business college in Hood River spent the week end here with her parents W. G. and Mrs. Helyer.

The Misses Harriet Fredrickson,

Martha Fredrickson and Mrs. J. M. Wilson spent the week end in Portland.

Kent Grange entertained Saturday evening October 27th with a dance instead of the regular meeting. Refreshments were served at midnight cafeteria style. The next regular meeting will be November 10. During the lecture hour the Home Economics Club will present a play "Come into the Kitchen."

Jim Steen was a caller at the J. C. Wilson home Thursday morning on his way to Hood River from Antelope.

Alta Norton spent Saturday at Sunday at Kent with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Norton going back to Portland Sunday where she is a student at Northwestern Business college.

Mrs. L. W. Amick had the misfortune to turn her car off a twenty foot grade three and a half miles east of Kent Saturday morning near the R. P. Barnett place. The steering gear appeared to have locked. No serious damage resulted. Mrs. Amick's glasses were broken and she was bruised and suffering from shock.

Vote X Yes

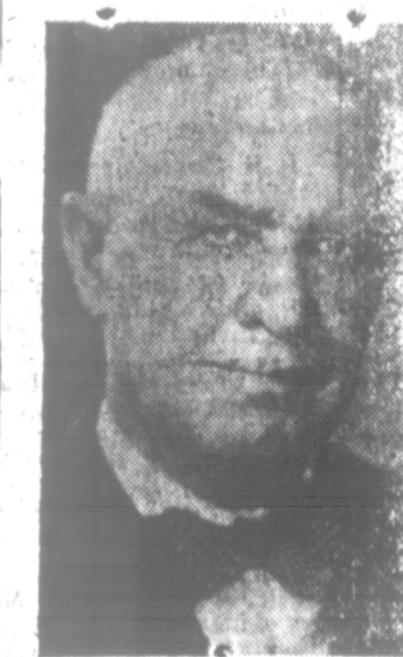
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Grass Valley, Oregon

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Always Vigilant



Congressman Pierce has been ever vigilant in the guarding of the interests of the people of the district.

He stopped the attempt to decrease the smut tolerance in wheat which would have cost farmers of Eastern Oregon many thousands per year.

Helped to save Predatory animal work in district.

Helped remove processing tax from Jute bags.

Fought for lower Interest Rates.

Made it possible for Oregon Packers to sell meat to CCC camps.

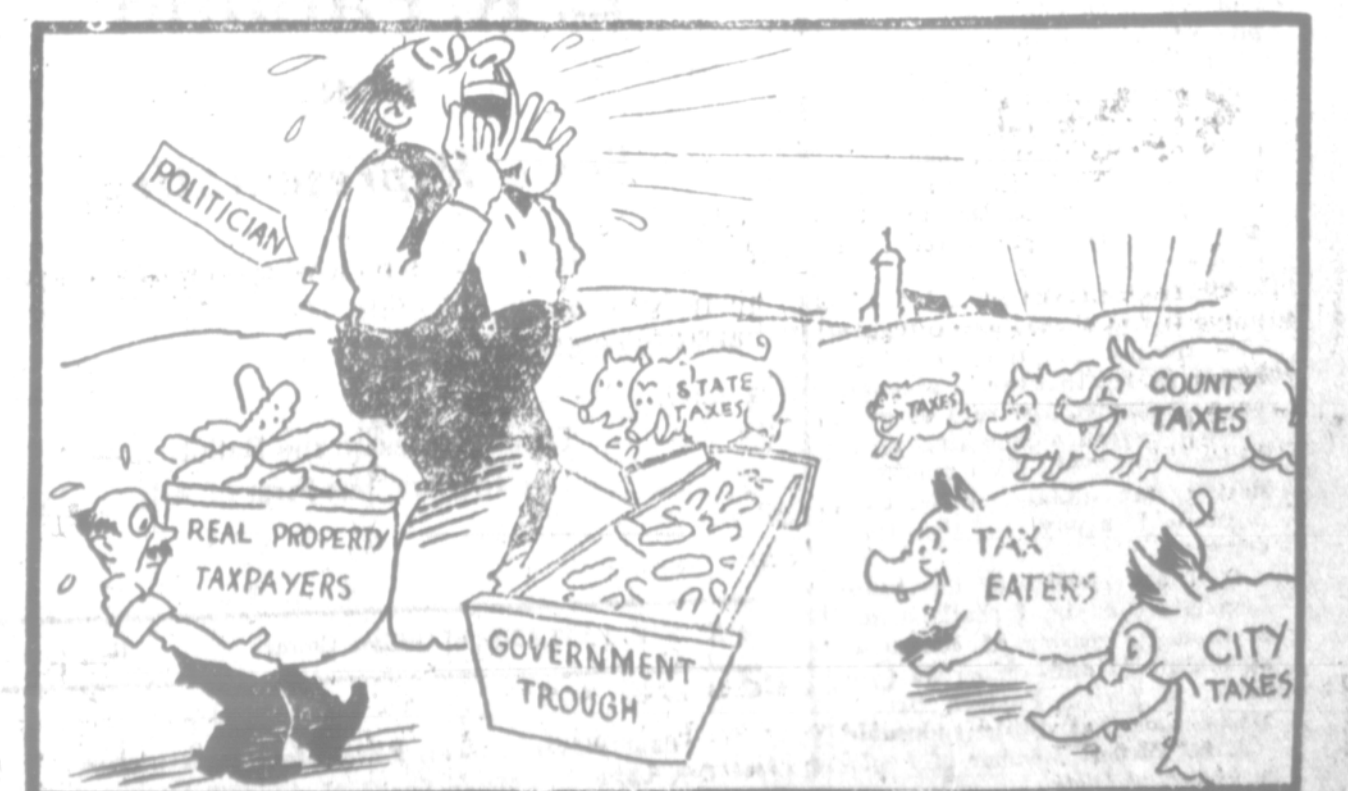
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WALTER M. PIERCE
Congressman

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