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The Grange and Roads

The Clackamas county grange opposes the proposed \$1,700,000 bond issue for that county on the grounds that roads built by bonds cost 50 to 100 per cent more than under a direct tax, that large sums expended in haste breed waste and extravagance; that labor and materials are now too high. The county grange favors the paving program but wants it done by a direct tax of five mills yearly for 10 years, and have taken steps to have such a proposal placed on the ballot at the special election, to give tax payers an opportunity to choose between the bonding system and the direct tax plan of financing the proposed road improvements.

This will doubtless result in the defeat of the bonds, as all who oppose the paving program (for any reason) will line up with the direct tax people, to defeat bonding, preferring direct tax as the lesser of two evils, without stopping to consider that bonds mean paved roads soon, while a direct tax will require years—much more than 10 years one may be sure.

Many people believe it best to accept present inflated prices and conditions, rather than to attempt a readjustment downward, on the ground that prices and wages are now both adjusted to a high level. They know labor will fight any effort to restore former conditions as to wages, and many people dread the bitter controversies that will ensue. But if the present inflated values are accepted as permanent, it will mean that all savings of the past in the form of savings bank deposits, life insurance policies, bonds, mortgages, stocks, and similar securities will all lose approximately one-half their value in purchasing power, for a dollar saved before the war and invested in any of the forms mentioned will now buy but half as much as then. Hence it is absolutely essential to social justice and progress that the present high level of values and prices be at least partially readjusted.

The Salem Post of the American Legion announces its chief aim as the weeding out of disloyal citizens and the advancement of Americanism. It proposes to investigate the record of every alien enemy slacker in Marion county and all reports of such will receive prompt attention of a special committee appointed by the Post to investigate such cases. The Post should have the aid of all good citizens in its efforts to make Marion county 100 per cent American.

Unless the movement for the creation of the Roosevelt Memorial kindles in the souls of his fellow Americans greater devotion, more loyalty and deeper faith, it will have accomplished only a small part of what it was intended to do. Not only among the native but also the foreign-born American citizens must this patriotic feeling be fostered. The greatest problem in America today is preserve and cherish the inspiration that flamed in the hearts as such men as Theodore Roosevelt.

Pat McArthur's insinuation that the attitude of the Oregonian upon the League of Nations is due to the influence of the English government with the managing editor of the Oregonian is just about what might be expected of a politician of McArthur's calibre. The editor of the Oregonian needs no defense from such attacks.

The final exit of the daylight saving plan occurs Sunday, October 26, when the clocks will be turned back an hour. As the law making the annual change of time has been repealed, it is safe to say that the "day light saving" plan will be in the discard permanently after October 25.

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DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

THE PIGS' MEETING.

"I think," said Brother Bacon, "that we should have a great mass meeting."
"What is that?" asked Pinky Pig.
"Yes, pray tell us what is that?" asked Master Pink Pig.
"Maybe it's a new kind of food they have at a meeting," said Mrs. Pink Pig. "In that case, Brother Bacon is a bright little piggie boy to have found out about it."
"Is it a food?" asked Grandfather Porky.
"Tell us at once, Brother Bacon, and do not keep us waiting."
"Our mouths are watering already," said Miss Ham.
"Mine is," said Mrs. Pink Pig.
"So is mine," said Sammy Sausage.
"Is it juicy?" asked Grandfather Porky.
"Is it tender or tough?" asked Miss Ham.
"What difference does it make if it is tender or tough?" asked Mrs. Pink Pig.
"None at all," answered Miss Ham.
"Is it a weed?" asked Sammy Sausage.
"Is it a vegetable?" asked Grandfather Porky.
"Do you mean when you say that we should have a great mass meeting that we should have a great vegetable meeting in which all of us should eat as many vegetables as can be eaten before the other gets hold of them?"



"He Must Have a Fever."

asked Master Pink Pig, without stopping for breath.
"Must be something like that," said Sammy Sausage.
"Oh, goodie," said Master Pink Pig, squealing with delight, and twisting his little tail.
"I'll say goodie when I see the food," said Master Pink Pig's mother.
"Hurry up and tell us all about it," said Sammy Sausage.
"Do not delay," said Grandfather Porky.

"Tell us at once," said Miss Ham.
"Why do you keep us waiting?" asked Master Pink Pig.
"Why do you, indeed?" asked Pinky Pig.
"Because none of you will give me a chance to speak," Brother Bacon said, shrieking and squealing above all the others. "You haven't given me a chance to say a word."
"Say a word then," Pinky Pig urged, "and tell us in one good round delicious word the name of the food you are thinking of."

"But I am not thinking of a food," said Brother Bacon.
"Not thinking of a food," said Pinky Pig.

"What in the world, or in the pig pen, are you thinking of?" asked Grandfather Porky Pig. "Has the child gone quite insane, quite foolish? Alas, that I should have a foolish grandchild."

"He must have something like a fever," said Mrs. Pink Pig, feeling Brother Bacon's head. "I'll have the pig doctor," she said, "and he'll tell you what to do, how to stay still in mud and rest and do nothing but eat."
"He doesn't deserve to eat when he made my mouth water for nothing," said Miss Ham.

"That's so; he doesn't deserve his next meal," said Pinky Pig. "I will eat it for him and thereby be good enough to teach him a lesson."

"No, I'll eat it," said Grandfather Porky. "Age, my dears, before pig beauty."

"Ladies before gentlemen," said Miss Ham.

"I was going to have a mass meeting," said Brother Bacon, "and that would be a meeting where quantities of creatures came. I was going to ask every pig in the barnyard to come, or rather in the pig pen. Then I was going to make a speech and ask others to make speeches to forbid creatures calling us selfish pigs any more. But I see my meeting would have been a failure."

"It just seemed for a moment a nice idea, but after all it wouldn't have been—that is if we had to live up to what we said."

"The heat," said his mother, "for a moment did something to his brain, but now he seems to be all right!"

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