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## SELF-DETERMINATION

The right of a man or woman to vote for the candidates of his or her choice is a fundamental privilege which should always be zealously guarded. We have known cases of persuasion in favor of one candidate or one party which has amounted almost to intimidation. Had it not been for the secret ballot such apparent compulsion might have proven effective.

We have seen a giant corporation uninfluenced by politics, and this is as it should be. John J. Raskob and Mr. Dupont came out strongly for governor Smith. Another high official came out recently for Mr. Hoover. This should prove to all fair-minded people that the General Motors Corporation itself is not in politics. But it shows something greater and more significant than that. It proves that the right of self-determination in political thought and action is no respecter of persons, and now we see it is no respecter of corporations.

Perhaps the worst form of undue influence which always crops out in a campaign of national import is false propaganda. This kind of political persuasion is subtle and cunning. The voter finds himself separating the wheat from the chaff and it is no easy task. To read only reliable publications is necessary to guard against untruths.

When the right of the voter to use his ballot free from force either of personal influence or false statements shall be imperiled the foundations of free government are shaken. Let us have our issues, our radio talks, our press reports, our stump speeches and our button-hole arguments, but let us guard and protect our sacred right of self-determination at the ballot-box.

## "BIG JOBS"

It is a fine thing to see a captain of industry and to know that he reached his position thru meritorious work; and then to eulogize the man or woman who has achieved fame or fortune by the exercise of talent, skill or business judgement. Some may envy those whom we call successful. Others may take object lessons from such lives and strive to avoid mistakes and reach similar heights. They learn, or should learn, that success is due largely, if not wholly, to overcoming obstacles and denying claims of error and failure. In addition to the successful surmounting of barriers along the way, men and women grow into great careers by the emulation of the same simple virtues which are made common to all. They are each within our grasp, but we do not always accept and use them.

If we will but analyze a so-called "big" job or position of high trust and large capacity we will find that, after all, it is not so difficult to fill; for the person capable of performing its duties it becomes a comparatively easy task. Success is always cumulative. The higher the position the greater the conveniences and accommodations provided for accomplishing its purposes.

Human nature must be dealt with no matter how humble the capacity. The same problems affect the foreman of the section gang that come before the president of the road: the problems of doing the work correctly. The president may throw the road's financial scheme out of balance, but the foreman may throw a train from its track. The teacher of the primary grade has as important and fundamental a position to fill as does the professor in the great university. Unless the teacher has built a solid moral structure for the intellect there is little the professor can do with the same subject.

It is not how much money one makes in the world. It is how well the work is done and how much good it does for self, family, community, nation and civilization that determine its bigness. No position can truly be considered as great—no job can rightly be called big—unless it produces, or transports, or distributes or otherwise serves some useful purpose. Nor need the production be that of material commodities. Indeed, it may be the creation of a new design, a finer poem, a more inspiring sermon, a firmer hand-clasp, a broader smile or a kinder word of cheer. In any of these capacities, however humble in origin and however simple in demonstration, one has a big job, and performs it when he does his best.

Blow-outs, like other troubles, seldom come singly.

Politics makes strange bed-fellows but it doesn't let them get much sleep.

Attention bigamists! One wife in the home is worth two on the witness stand.

## INQUIRY LIST NO. 321

The following people have written to the Land Settlement Department asking for information on Oregon. We have answered these inquiries sending general literature and they have returned signed questionnaires giving the following information: These prospective settlers are all sufficiently financed for their needs.

21417—Mr. T. A. Breenden, box 806, Malta, Montana, is coming to Oregon in October and wants a small improved dairy farm in the Willamette Valley, close to some good college.  
 21418—Mr. L. C. White, Mogollo, New Mexico, is coming to Oregon within the next ninety days and wants unimproved land for stock raising and general farming, in Western Oregon. Is a disabled veteran with some income.

21419—Mrs. Anna Van Buskirk, R. R. No. 1, Fairmont, Minnesota, is interested in securing from 120 to 160 acres of unimproved land suitable for dairying, poultry raising, a few sheep fruit and general farming. Has not decided definitely to come but is looking for further information.

21420—Mr. Ben F. Cross, Riverside, California, is coming to Oregon in October or November and wants 125 acres or more of improved land suitable for dairying and stock raising, in Douglas, Marion or Coos counties. Also interested in irrigated land. Has property in Riverside that he would like to trade for Oregon property, with some cash.

21421—Mr. Bloom Rountree, Stamford, Nebraska, is coming to Oregon as soon as possible and is interested in Linn and Lane counties, wants improved land suitable for general farming.

21422—Mr. Richard Arnold, 1875 a South 11th Street, St. Louis, Mo., is coming to Oregon and wants from 40 to 80 acres of partly improved land suitable for poultry, fruit, and general farming, around Roseburg, on good road.

21423—Mr. C. W. Vander Velden, Route 2, Box 69, Chico, California, has a fruit farm in California that he would like to trade for a dairy ranch in Oregon, preferably western Oregon.

21424—Mr. Jesse S. Smith, the Hotel Panoast, Miami Beach, Florida, is interested in poultry raising in Western Oregon.

21425—Mr. Chas. Duckworth, Star Route, Osceola, Missouri, is particularly interested in Enterprise and Joseph, Oregon.

21426—Mr. B. C. Cook, 1313 Linwood Blvd., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, is interested in stock raising and general farming in southern Oregon, particularly in Lake and Harney counties.

21427—Mr. C. W. Sare, Hollister, Missouri, is coming to Oregon this fall and is interested in cut over lands.

Oregon State Chamber of Commerce

## OREGON WEEKLY INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

Lebanon—\$104,873 contract awarded for rocking 17 miles of Santiam road.

Roseburg—Douglas county sheep yields growers over \$700,000.

Astoria—Cooperative feed plant established at Pier 1 by Lower Columbia Cooperative Dairy Association.

Silverton—Mile of asphalt paving being laid on Silver Creek Falls road out of here.

Shaw—Paving from here to Sublimity completed.

Klamath Falls—New 275,000 union high school here opened.

Corvallis—Plans for new street lighting system completed.

Aurora—New machinery installed in Ziegler vetch and clover-seed cleaning plant.

Springfield—State highway crews are keeping McKenzie Route in good condition.

Scio—Construction of new fire-resistant concrete store building for Associated Co. progressing rapidly.

Wallowa—W. A. George, gladiolus grower, will harvest 10,000 bulbs this fall.

Tillamook—\$12,000 paved road between here and Belvue completed.

Hillsboro—Ground breaking for new Canyon road to Beaverton started.

Labish Center—Mint distillery opened for fall run.

## HITEON

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hite and son were week end guests at the Wm. F. Campbell home at Husum, Wash.

Eight Hiteon young people entered Beaverton high school Monday and six registered at different Portland high schools a week ago.  
 Mrs. Ed L. Rucker and son Al-

fred of Gaston, visited Sunday afternoon at the C. W. Struthers home.

Mr. Sophia Olson and daughter Mable of Portland spent Sunday afternoon at the L. M. Davies home.

A number from Hiteon Sunday school enjoyed the picnic Saturday at Elsner's grove.

Miss Dorothea Struthers spent Monday at the home of her parents.

New "lids" seem to be the latest in Hiteon. Herman Metznetz home is wearing a new one.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Christensen left Friday for a vacation at the beaches.

## Natural Query

The stroller happened to be present one evening when a young hopeful of six years returned home after a hard day's play and received a quarter left by his grandmother, who had called to see him, but who, fearing the night air, as grandmothers do, had had to leave before his return.

The boy had heard grown persons talk about "when the old lady is gone Junior will get quite a sum," and always when she came to see him she had placed a dime in the chubby spendthrift hand.

He stood with the quarter almost covering his palm, then looking up with great mysterious eyes, asked in awed tones:

"Is she died?"—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

## Odd Forms of Prayer

### for Parching Fields

Many countries hold odd ceremonies to end drought. The Chinese take their dragon god around in a procession, and beat him soundly when he ignores their prayers for rain. The Bantus of Delagoa bay sing songs at their dried-up wells and make mothers who have twins carry the children around the parched fields. In Greece they send children marbling round all the wells and springs, under the leadership of a girl adorned with flowers who sings at each halting place. The same custom prevails in Yugo-Slavia, where a little girl called the Dodoeta is clothed from head to foot in grass and flowers, and leads her companions through their native village, stopping at each house, so that the housewife may pour a pail of water over her, and singing the good news that the rain has come, even though it is usually far away.

## Mazers and Measles

Old wooden drinking-bowls, known as mazers, appear to be becoming increasingly popular among wealthy collectors. One of these bowls fetched as much as \$50,000, and it is rare to find one in good condition, and with a pedigree at less than \$500.

The words "mazer" and "measles," by the way, are said to be derived from the same German word "maser," meaning spot, the spotted portion of maplewood being the favorite material employed in the making of these bowls.

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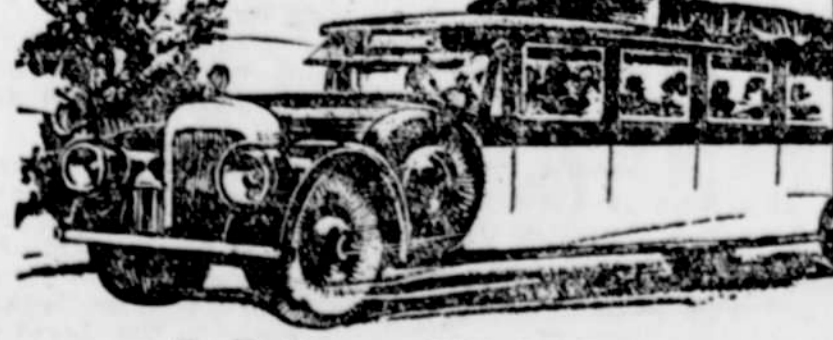


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