

### RIGHT TO PICK OWN DOCTOR IS DEFENDED

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 examine is the power to destroy." One school of medical practice cannot properly and justly examine, even in the basic sciences, members of another school of practice whose theories and philosophies are far different. Take for instance the subject of pathology. The pathology of the common cold is so far different in the different schools of practice that each would be able to "flunk" the others.

It is just as reasonable to assume that, as all ministers study the same Bible, they should all pass the same examination given by a certain religious belief, before securing their licenses to preach. You realize that neither method of examination would be right.

Furthermore, the basic science law provides for no appeal from its decision. Thus, the basic science board stands supreme as judge, jury and as court of first and last appeal. Its decision is final.

Now, Mr. Voter, if you believe in justice and wish to see the best in the healing arts prevail, you may be able to realize the necessity of your voting for the healing arts amendment.

Competition in all fields fosters development and produces better service. Under monopoly, medicine would rest upon its oars.

The science of drugless therapeutics would advance more rapidly were it not for the restraint of the medical doctors. Of course they do not desire their economic rivals to advance. If you Mr. Voter wish advancement in the healing arts, vote YES on this measure. Grant each school of the healing arts the right to develop to its fullness. If any one school cannot keep pace in the advancement of getting sick people well, then let it fall by the wayside—a natural death; do not strangle it.

The healing arts amendment, if passed, will guarantee you the right of choosing the physician you desire, "provided, the malady, infirmity, or ailment is such as the particular physician or physician and surgeon selected is licensed under the laws to treat." Furthermore, under its provisions, you can select the mode of treatment you desire. Many today absolutely do not have the right of choice.

Many people place confidence in the "Voters' Pamphlet," thinking that as it is sent out by the state, the statements therein are true and dependable. This is far from the truth. The secretary of state has said, above his own signature, that the state does not guarantee the truth and veracity of arguments contained therein.

The negative arguments on the healing arts amendment in the Voters' Pamphlet cannot be substantiated by the measure itself. The same is true of the articles printed in the Oregon Voter. Mr. C. C. Chapman, editor of the Oregon Voter, would not, because he certainly could not, name the sections of the measure which would

substantiate his very misleading statements. He did say, "Of course I may be prejudiced."

These statements being given out by the opposition of the healing arts amendment are bilge water, turned loose as a flood over our fair state, to frighten the voters. The opposition seeks to have you vote against your own interests.

Be not alarmed. This measure will not tear down our hospitals or wreck the workmen's compensation law.

Were the opposition's statements relative to the hospitals true—but they are not—the hospitals could not be injured as they would be protected by the United States Constitution.

Mr. Workman, it certainly will

not wreck the workmen's compensation law to grant the injured workman the right to secure, under compensation, real help, at the present unobtainable, from the doctor and hospital of your choice.

Some object to this measure being an amendment to our state constitution. It is needed there to round out that basic organic structure which serves as a protection and a perpetuation of those sacred and inherent rights of citizenship. This healing arts amendment is an addition to our bill of rights and as such belongs in the constitution. It places medical freedom there on a

standardized basis alongside of religious freedom.

Arise, Voters! Your ultimate liberties, your health, and your very lives are at stake in this issue of medical freedom. Vote 304X Yes for the healing arts amendment and thereby guarantee the security of YOUR rights, with injury to none and justice for all.

A. R. HEDGES, M. D., D. C.  
 Medford, October 30, 1934.

Proposed expenditures for the year include \$3470 for expense of municipal government and \$7307 for bond retirement and payment of interest. Of this total, \$7637 will be raised by general taxation.

If it's really pure fiction it may remain on the book-store shelves.—Weston Leader.

Whether or not you like higher prices for foodstuffs depends a good deal on whether you eat 'em or raise 'em.—Weston Leader.

### City Budget Meet to Be Held Wednesday

Meeting, called for the purpose of discussion and adoption of a budget for the city of Jacksonville, will be held next Wednesday evening in the city hall at 8 o'clock.

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Finger Wave	25c
Comb Wave	25c
Shampoo	25c
Haircut	25c
Marcel	25c
Manicure	25c
Eyebrow Arch	25c
Scalp Treatment	50c
Hot Oil	50c
Facials	50c

## DANCE

Saturday till

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## Jacksonville

### ROXY 20c Any Time Children 10c

Saturday Only

KEN MAYNARD in  
**The Lone Avenger**  
Also Serial,  
"The VANISHING SHADOWS"

Sunday and Monday

**Melody in Spring**  
with LANNY ROSS  
CHARLIE RUGGLES  
MARY BOLAND

Tuesday and Wednesday

KARLOFF and  
BELA LUGOSI in  
**"BLACK CAT"**

Thursday and Friday

ELISSA LANDI in  
**"Sisters Under the Skin"**

### RIALTO

Adults 25c - Kiddies 10c

Fri-Sat



**NAME THE WOMAN**  
with RICHARD CROMWELL  
ARLINE JUDGE  
PREVUE SAT. NIGHT

Sun-Mon



**big hearted herbert**  
A Warner Bros. Comedy Hit with  
GUY KIBBEE  
ALINE  
MACMAHON

Tue-Wed-Thur



**MARIE GALANTE**  
SPENCER TRACY - KETTI GALLIAN  
NED SPARKS - HELEN MORGAN  
LESLIE FENTON - STEPIN FETCHIT

### CRATERIAN

Mats 25c • Evs 35c • Kiddies 10c

Ends Saturday



**Montgomery WIDE OUT**  
PREVUE SAT. NIGHT

Sun-Mon-Tue



**Happiness Ahead**  
DICK POWELL  
JOSEPHINE HUTCHINSON  
IN 7-STAR CAST  
HEAR  
5 New Song Hits

Starts WED.



**Cabbage Patch**  
PAULINE LORD  
W.C. FIELDS  
YASU PITTS  
Evelyn VENABLE  
NENT TAYLOR

## DEFEAT THE HEALING ARTS CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT!

# VOTE 305 X NO

Every person in Oregon is vitally concerned in the proposed "Healing Arts Constitutional Amendment" which will be on the ballot at the general election November 6.

Under the fictitious claim of preventing "MEDICAL MONOPOLY," this vicious Healing Arts Constitutional Amendment is proposed by healing "cultists" and others having selfish interests, in order to destroy the effects of the Basic Science Law passed by the last Oregon legislature. It also is designed to destroy the high standards maintained by our Oregon hospitals, and to rob the State Industrial Accident Commission of its power to properly administer the ever efficient Workmen's Compensation Act.

This Amendment is a direct attack against Oregon's enviable health standards and low rate of mortality. It challenges the self respect and common sense of every person who has the welfare of this state at heart.

Every voter in Oregon should make it his or her business to appear at the polls on election day and vote "NO" against the Healing Arts Constitutional Amendment.

## Vote 305 X No!

Against the Vicious Healing Arts Constitutional Amendment

Paid adv. by Joint Committee for the Preservation of Oregon's Hospital Standards and Workmen's Compensation Law  
Rev. Axel M. Green, Secy., 512 North Graham St., Portland, Ore.

# FOR A SQUARE DEAL on the NEW DEAL

## The Democratic Party Recommends

The Following Outstanding Candidates--VOTE FOR THEM

15	REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS FIRST DISTRICT	<b>R. R. Turner</b>		<b>JACKSON COUNTY:</b>
18	GOVERNOR	<b>Gen. Chas. H. Martin</b>	33	STATE SENATOR <b>E. E. Kelly</b>
25	SECRETARY OF STATE	<b>Horace E. Walter</b>	39	COUNTY JUDGE <b>H. D. Reed</b>
27	SUPERINTENDENT PUBLIC INSTRUCTION	<b>J. W. Leonhardt</b>	36	STATE REPRESENTATIVE NINETEENTH DISTRICT <b>Wm. Grenbemer</b>
30	COMMISSIONER OF BUREAU OF LABOR	<b>Walfred Shuholm</b>	37	STATE REPRESENTATIVE NINETEENTH DISTRICT <b>Moore Hamilton</b>
<b>GENERAL ELECTION</b>				
<b>Tuesday, November 6, 1934</b>				
			40	COUNTY COMMISSIONER <b>L. O. "Otto" Caster</b>
			42	SHERIFF <b>Syd I. Brown</b>