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There are those who express the belief that the Repubhican party is dead. Usually their wish is the fauber on party should go radical to come back. The left wing demo
threaten to out-radical any new or reorganized party. To our mind the Republican party's future should be
liberal but not radical, should possess sane human underliberal but not radical, should possess sane human under-
standing and should stress a fair deal rather than plunge standing and should stress a fair deal
into some so-called unknown new one.
The Republican party is not dead even if its leadership is somewhat demoraiized. It has an organization in every
county of the United States. The Republican party cast county of the United States. The Repubican party cast
$13,500,000$ votes this year without strong leadership. What can it do with proper leadership?
In the off-year election in November the party lost but
$2,500,000$ fiom the 1932 presidential vote and polled 40 percent of the total vote cast. In the November election the
Democrat party east $7,000,000$ less votes than it did for Roosevelt. A
out of power.
Under the banner of a "fair deal" the Republican party
should be first of all American. It should not be afraid to should be first of all American. It should not be afraid to
cast overboard old guards and radicals alike along with heir reactionary and communistic principals-the obsolete
and the un-American. Its leadership should be young. practical and progressive men who are straight shooters.
Leaders are wanted who will not be led astray by blind theories or wild panaceas but who believe that there is still opportunity in America and that achievement and social
progress lies along the path of hard work, intelligent planaing and honest reward for honest effort. The Repubiican party need not turn either right or left but follow a straight
course down through the center and real Americans will be proud to belong to it.

| THE VALLEY'S FUTURE <br> Irrigation, flood control and power development in the Willamette Valley were placed ahead of more power development on the upper Columbia river regions by tre board of army engineers in a report just completed. Recognition of the more thickly settled parts of the Willamette valley over projects labeled "no market at present." <br> Four possible irrigation projects listed as economically feasible for this area include: Coast Fork, 16,500 acres to cost $\$ 715,900$; Pleasant Hill, 5000 acres, $\$ 208,400$; Springfield, 12,000 acres, $\$ 500,000$; and Coburg 12,000 acres, $\$ 5$,363,600. <br> These estimates point the way for development that will some day mean much to the upper Willamette Valley. <br> Price fixing has been removed from the lumber code and it will no doubt allow mills in this section to sell more lumber at lower prices. Chairman Williams of the National Recovery board says he does not expect that there will be vigorous provision for price fixing in any codes when the recovery act is reenacted by congress. <br> It seems that some of the cotton farmers spent their federal production control checks for fertilizer. They also amazed the government with what intensive cultivation will do.-Result the same crop on 25 per cent less land. <br> American bank savings are increasing say headlines. What we would like to find is somebody who will admit his savings are increasing. <br> Christmas is over and many a man is now relieved of the responsibility of providing himself with shirts, neckties and sox for the coming year. |
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| spirit to health. The preacher studies the Sermon on the Mount and marvels that truths so profound should be expressed in words so clear and simple. The agitator remembers only that he denounced the rich; and the communist that his disciples carried a common purse. Lawyers have written in praise of his pleading at his trial; and the literary critics of every age have cheerfully acknowledged his mastery. <br> I am not a doctor, or lawyer or critic but an advertising man. As a profession advertising is young; as a force it is as old as the world. The first four words ever uttered, "Let there be light," constitute its charter. All Nature is is color with its impulse. The brite plations of its bird Plants deck themselves with blooms, not for beauty only, but to attract the patronage of the bee and so by spreading pollen on its wings, to insure the perpetuation of their kind. <br> The spacious firmament on high, <br> And all the blue etereal sky, <br> Their great Original proclaim. <br> It has been remarked that "no astronomer can be an athiest," which is only another way of saying that no man can look up at the first and greatest electric sign-the can look up at the first and greatest electric sign-the evening stars-and refuse to believe its message: "There is a Cause: A God." I propose in the next few articles to speak of the advertisements of Jesus which have survived for twenty centuries and are still the most potent influence in the world. <br> Let us begin by asking why he was so successful in mastering public attention and why, in contrast, his churches are less so? The answer is twofold. In the first place he recognized the basic principles that all good advertising is news. He was never trite or commonplace; he had no routine. If there had been newspapers in those days, no city editor could have said, "No need to visit him to-day; he will be doing just what he did last Sunday." Reporters would have followed him every single hour, for it was impossible to predict what he would say or do; every action and word were news. I repeat. Jesus had no routine. He |
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## Our Thanks...

The beginning of another year is upon us and
we express our appreciation for the liberal patronage given Maid O'Creaem dairy products this last year. We hope to give you even better service the com-
ing year and that our relationship will continue to be friendly. Our plant is for your convenience in supplying some of the
milk and cream.

Springfield Creamery Co:

## Our New Year Greeting

Among our assets we count first something money
cannot buy-your good will. We are grateful for your any expressions of this good will the past season. We extend to your-not as customers alone, bu
triends, - the best wishes for the coming year.

EGGIMANN'S


FOOTBALL GAMES with a new 1935 PHILCO




Wright \& Sons

