

# EDITORIAL . . . . .

## Republican "Boy" Grows Up

Tom Dewey may have been just a boy when the Republican party chose him as its standard bearer but he has developed into a man rapidly during the past two months. As a matter of fact he has become quite mature in the past two weeks of his tour of a goodly portion of the country and gives promise of attaining a ripe old age politically ere the campaign comes to a close on November 6. It is believable that the New Deal high command recognizes this fact and that they may be wondering just where the "boy" will gouge them next, for gouge he will. He assured the commander-in-chief and all his cohorts that very thing in his speech Monday evening from Oklahoma City.

Dewey has demonstrated that he is fearless. He first assures himself that he is right and then pulls no punches. It is a characteristic that was dominant throughout his career as a prosecutor, has helped make him one of New York state's greatest governors and is now pushing him to the front in the presidential race. He is too cagey to be caught in a tricky New Deal trap and makes no statements on hearsay. His supporters are strong in the belief that he gave the president one of the worst setbacks he has met with in his career as the New Deal chieftain, for he answered Mister Roosevelt's charges of falsifying, etc., with that gentleman's own words or with those of Senator Truman, Senator Barkley and Boss Kelly.

The Republican nominee has stated in his swing around the country that he is at this time submitting the program he expects to follow in the weeks to come, that he will discuss the issues one by one in succeeding speeches. If he touches the sore spots in his discussion of the real issues in proportion to his introductory talks, the president will have to get down to serious thinking and leave the entertainment field to those engaged in the show business.

## Strengthen Bank Capital

The voters will be called upon at the coming election to vote upon certain amendments to the state constitution. Now is the time to read over and digest the purposes of these amendments so that you may vote intelligently on election day. Too many voters fail to previously give attention and thought to these measures, and when election day comes, they are inclined either to ignore them or, if they vote at all, decide to let well enough alone and vote "No." This sort of "No" vote is not an intelligent expression of the people and has been responsible for the defeat of several worthy measures in former elections. We submit that, if one does not understand a proposition, it is wrong to vote upon it.

## Exhibit Day Draws Fine Display of 4-H Club Products

Morrow county's future leaders gave evidence to their claim to leadership in the display of their products at the annual exhibit day held at the I. O. O. F. hall in Heppner Saturday. Past seasons have

seen more exhibitors and more displays but rarely a showing of higher quality products.

Aside from the exhibition, the young people and visitors enjoyed a potluck luncheon at noon, followed by an extemporaneous program of songs and demonstrations and the showing of colored slides with explanations by County Agent Arnold Ebert. The pictures showed

work of 4-H clubs in other eastern Oregon counties.

Mrs. Louise Wood, home economics teacher at Lexington, judged the exhibits and made the following awards:

Class I, Clothing, Division 1A: First, Patty Majeske, Lexington.

Class I, Clothing, Division 1B: First, Nancy Ferguson, Heppner; second, Marilyn Bergstrom, Hepp-

There are several good reasons for supporting the amendment that would eliminate double liability on state bank stock. The principal one, to our mind, is that nine years ago Congress removed the double liability clause affecting stockholders in national banks. It is unfair to our state banks to have the double liability clause stand against them. Our state banks must be kept on the same footing with national banks.

The 1943 state legislature realized that such a situation was unfair and, by a large majority of members of all political faiths, proposed the above amendment.

Furthermore, with both state and national bank depositors now protected by the Federal Deposit Insurance law, the double liability feature is no longer necessary. Removal of this clause would tend to encourage investment in bank stock enabling increased capital and thereby add to the strength of our present financial institutions.

Every voter is safe in voting "For" this amendment.

## Give the Scouts a Lift

There will be an opportunity for citizens of the county to act the role of Boy Scouts Saturday by doing one big good turn. The Scouts will be out at 9 a. m. gathering up waste paper to help win the war. Older folks can help the Scouts help win the war by having their bundles and cartons of waste paper neatly bound and tied and placed in a convenient spot for the boys to pick up. Stack your contribution on the outer edge of the front walk. The boys will have many parcels to handle and not all of them are big husky football players.

It is hoped to get the job cleaned up in a few hours. It must be delivered at Stanfield by Sunday and any material missed at this time will have to be held over until the next drive.

Let it further be impressed upon the public stage, particularly the packaging variety. A vast amount of this type of paper and cartons is used in the armed services and none of it is redeemable. It is up to the home folks to save paper as it has never before been saved if supplies are to keep finding their way to the front, with the minimum usage, of paper products here at home.

Planting trees on burned-over land costs forest owners from \$6 to \$12 per acre. Planting the people who start forest fires might be cheaper in the long run.—Exchange.

An unusual number of service men are home on leave and furlough this week. If the boys were wearing "civvies" we could sing "Happy Days Are Here Again."

ner. Class I, Clothing, Division 11: First, Lorene Mitchell, Heppner; second, Patricia Healy, Heppner.

Class I, Clothing, Division III: First, Ramona McDaniel, Heppner; second, Ida Mae Deulen, Heppner.

Class I, Clothing, Division IV: First, Mildred Carlson, Ione; second, Carolyn Bergstrom, Heppner.

Class III, Canning, Division II: First, Carolyn Bergstrom, Heppner.

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Class V, Health: First Marjorie Bauman, Heppner; second Eunice Keithley, Heppner; third, Robert Bergstrom, Heppner; fourth, Gerald Bergstrom, Heppner; fifth Carol Miller, Heppner; sixth, Jimmy Orwick, Heppner.

Class VII, Room Improvement: First, Audrey Majeske, Lexington; second, Jean Rauch, Lexington; third, Lorine Van Winkle, Lexington.

Class VIII, Special, Division I: First, Ross Pickering, Heppner.

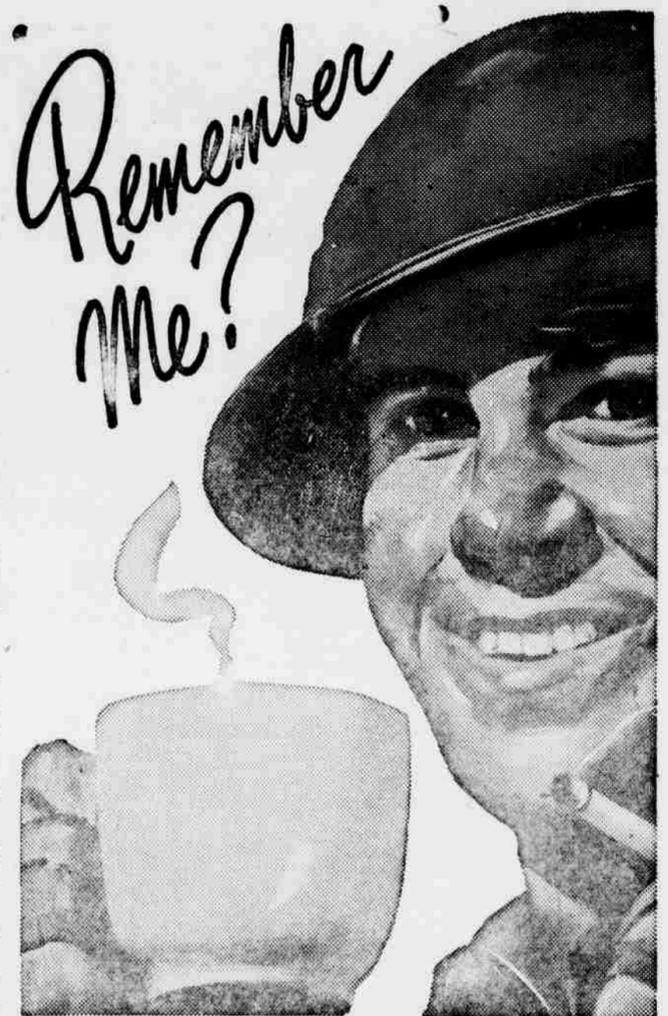
Style Dress Revue, Division I: First, Division V, Mildred Carlson, Ione; second, Division V, Carolyn Bergstrom, Heppner; third, Division III, Ramona McDaniel, Heppner; fourth, Division II, Patricia Healy, Heppner; second, Division II, Lorene Mitchell, Heppner.

Demonstrations—Room Improvement: First, Audrey Majeske, Lorine Van Winkle.

At least two exhibits will be taken to Portland and entered at the Meier & Frank 4-H club exhibit in conjunction with the Pacific International exposition.

## MOVING TO THE DALLES

H. O. Robinson, who succeeded "Bud" Hanlon as lineman here with the Pacific Power & Light company, has been transferred to The Dalles where he will be in charge of a sub-station. Robinson left the past week for Hood River to take a course of instruction in operating a station. For the present Mrs. Robinson is remaining in Heppner but expects to go to The Dalles as soon as housing facilities are available.



I'm the guy who looked at you from a U.S.O. poster some time ago. I'm the guy for whom you and millions of others gave and gave so generously. I'd like to tell you what was done with your money.

The money you gave last year helped give the boys the tonic of entertainment . . . a personal appearance by Jack Benny in Africa . . . by Gary Cooper in the South Seas . . . and by lovely women stars in remote places where just the sight of a feminine face is enough to make up for weeks and months of loneliness and isolation.

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