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ARE TAXES BURDENSOME?

The Portland Taxpayers' association is an organization in Portland, which is making an effort to reduce public expenditures and lower taxes. It is asking the co-operation of everyone and invites membership from the country.

A united effort will produce results which cannot be obtained by simply complaining or by working single handed. The taxpayers' strength, advantages and influence then lie in a united effort intelligently handled and directed.

By advocating and using moral suasion and influence against all expenditures of public funds which shall appear excessive and unnecessary; by refusing endorsement to any unnecessary public improvements, or measures requiring many unnecessary officials; by active efforts to eliminate most of the new-fangled ideas which are being continually presented and urged upon us under the guise of up-to-date ideas and progressive features of the age, all of which are costly, and principally useful in building up political machinery for the use of bureaucratic officialism, with the expense of maintenance falling heavily upon the taxpayers, the idea may be accomplished.

The association invites all taxpayers to join in this movement for tax reform and retrenchment, with the distinct understanding that the taxpayers paying less than \$50.00 yearly for city, county, school and state tax will not be expected to contribute to the expense of maintenance of this association. Those paying over that amount will be requested to assist in maintaining the association with a nominal contribution.

During the past week two decisions have been rendered affecting industries. A federal court at Portland upheld the Oregon Blue Sky law, and the Supreme Court upheld the second suit brought by a working girl against the minimum wage law. Both will now be taken to the Supreme Court of the United States.

A special vessel has been chartered to carry 48 great Oregon logs to the Panama exposition for columns for the Oregon building.

This week the manufacturers of Lane county will hold an exhibit of their products to encourage home industries.

It is proposed to utilize the wire grass that grows on Youngs Bay near Astoria for manufacture of paper.

The Dalles has bought 140 acres on the river front to give free sites for factories.

AN UNASSAILABLE RECORD.

A perusal of the financial reports of Multnomah county for the past year will show that the record of Rufus C. Holman cannot be successfully assailed either on the score of economy or results obtained. Appropriations are less this year for county expenses than they were the year previous, which is wholly due to the business methods adopted in conducting the county's affairs since he became commissioner. To reject him will be a vote of confidence in his ability and purpose to make further reductions in expenses when he shall have become more firmly entrenched in the office of county commissioner.

KREUDER AND THE "OTHER MAN."

There is just a week left for the intelligent voter to make up his mind, but there is no necessity for those who desire a faithful administration of public affairs to wait that long in order to make up their minds to vote for Tom Kreuder for county commissioner. His nomination is in the air and assured. From every direction the assurance comes that it is going to be Kreuder and the "other man" for the two vacancies that are to be filled. It really makes no difference who the "other man" is to most voters, but their first choice is Kreuder, who is assured of the nomination.

FOR A PUBLIC MORGUE.

Voters who are in favor of a public morgue and the dispensing of business from the coroner's office among all the undertakers, should remember that Dr. F. H. Dammasch is pledged to those things in his platform.

Heretofore all the coroner's business has gone entirely to one firm, frequently in opposition to the relatives and friends of deceased persons. This custom will not be tolerated by Dr. Dammasch, as he will consider the desires of those most nearly interested. A public morgue means just what the words imply—it will not be in connection with any undertaking establishment. Dr. Dammasch provides a place as his official headquarters.

Oregon Goods Roads Day a Great Success.

Practically all over the state April 25 was observed by business men and others and a vast amount of effective work was done on the roads. Portland sent out a train of 11 cars loaded with men from practically every business line in the city. They were taken to Oneonta, on the Columbia River Highway and turned loose with picks and shovels to assist the regular graders in cutting down the side of the mountains. Strung along the highway for a distance of nearly a mile, the various "gangs" made the soil and gravel fly for several hours until fatigue, jamine and blisters brought on a general strike.

Hood River did its road stunt on Friday and turned out with about 1,000 men. Redmond observed the same day with 75 workers. Klamath Falls had no roads of its own needing improvement, so the volunteers went to Fort Klamath and put in a lot of good work widening the road to Crater Lake. Farmers in the vicinity of McMinnville turned out with teams and hauled six carloads of gravel out to the Sheridan road where it was spread by toilers from the town. Eugene's good roads army was estimated at 2,500 strong and was employed in distributing crushed rock and gravel along the city and county roads. Roseburg turned out men, women and children and put in a good day's work on the Pacific Highway. Bend, in addition to turning out a numerous force of actual workers, contributed about \$1,000 in real money to pay for continuation of the work. Good Roads Day should be made an annual event.

NEWSPAPERS ENDORSE CLIFTON N. McARTHUR

Clifton N. McArthur, who made such an excellent record as speaker of the House at the last legislative session, is a candidate for Congress in the Third District with a good chance of being the next Congressional representative from Portland. He is a staunch Republican, talented, and has full demonstration of being a man of his word and faithful to the letter to the people's interests. Added to his many enviable qualifications is his well-known common sense. His platform should appeal to every voter of Portland, and the large majority should unhesitatingly give him their support, for Oregon needs a man of his calibre and impressions in Congress.—Woodburn Independent.

Those who have been closely associated with Mr. McArthur know him to be a man absolutely fair and square in all his dealings, political or otherwise. The fact that he has filled the chair of Speaker of the Oregon Legislature for two terms and come out stronger and more highly respected each time, is proof that he is a man whom the people can trust in the conduct of their business. If more men of this class were elected to office there would be a higher respect for our public officials.—Klamath Falls Herald.

While McArthur is a young man, he is recognized as one of the ablest men of public affairs in the state. He has occupied positions of trust and responsibility with credit to the state and honor to himself. He is thoroughly familiar with the needs of the Third District and the entire state.—St. Helens Mist.

Mr. McArthur is a man with a record of capable accomplishment. By dint of hard work, backed by ability and political sense, he has won his way to a leading position in state legislative affairs. An able lawyer, his experience, political and professional, has brought him in close contact with general conditions throughout the state.—Bend Bulletin.

McArthur has a good idea of affairs in the state, is honest in his intention, capable of making a Congressman of worth to the district and to the nation.—LaGrande Observer.

Clifton N. McArthur, twice Speaker of the Oregon House of Representatives, and one of the cleanest and ablest young men in his native state, has announced himself a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congressman in the Portland district. In recognition of merit and for the honor of Portland and the state, he ought to have no trouble in winning. Mr. McArthur will make a valuable member in the national halls of legislation, where his grandfather, Colonel Nesmith, shone with such distinction 50 years ago.—Harney County News.

Polk county takes more than a casual interest in the announcement that C. N. McArthur is a candidate for Congress to succeed A. W. Laferty. While Polk will not get to cast a vote for the owner of the Nesmith farm at Rieckreall, yet Polk will aid by boosting a little now and then. "Pat", as the natives know him, wears a number eight hat, and it covers good Oregon brains that should be of service to the state back in the capitol. The Monitor hopes to see him win the race.—Independence Monitor.

Mr. McArthur has a good record in the Oregon Legislature. He comes from a fine line of people. He is a graduate of the University of Oregon and a bright progressive young man with a very wide circle of personal friends throughout the state.—Oregon City Enterprise.

C. N. McArthur, who recently announced himself as a candidate for Congress from the Third District, is a grandson of James W. Nesmith who was an early pioneer of Oregon and United States Senator from this state during the civil war period. McArthur is a young man of considerable ability and ought to be able to beat Laferty, the present incumbent, who will make the race again.—Newberg Graphic. (Paid Adv.)

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FOR SALE or TRADE—Young horses, call on C. M. Hall, Fourth and Roberts avenue, Gresham.

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BEEF CATTLE, Stock cattle and fresh cows wanted. Andrew Bros., Pleasant Home, Phone 279.

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GOOD HORSE for sale. Six years old; also the bed and top of an automobile. J. M. Davis, Fairview, Phone 228.

FOR SALE—Gentle 5-year-old driving horse. Phone 471. W. H. Cleveland. *21

PASTURE for rent at Gresham. A. B. Witter, South Roberts avenue, Phone 383. *27

POULTRY.

Notice.

I will have for sale at Tarr's auction sale May 21, 20 high-grade White Leghorn roosters and also some of my fine pullets. H. W. Cooley, Troutdale, R. 1, Phone 434.

THOROUGHbred ENGLISH Pencilled Indian Runner ducks. Barred Plymouth Rocks eggs for hatching, \$1.00 per setting, postpaid, \$7.00 per hundred. P. F. Uhlig, Gresham, Oregon, R. 3.

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Dr. F. H. Dammasch
FOR
CORONER

My only opponent in the nomination of Coroner at the coming primaries, has made the statement that "he is in favor of a public morgue by the people, which means, as he interprets it, an act of the legislature and an appropriation; this in turn means **ADDITIONAL TAX.**

My platform is simple and plain, I have not attempted to fog the vital points by claiming to indorse a public morgue, if the people will vote a **TAX** to maintain it.

I will establish and maintain a public morgue without **ADDITIONAL TAX.** Is this plain?

I will be Coroner of Multnomah county and not the representative of an undertaker. Is this plain?

I positively will not place the office at any undertaker's place of business, nor will they or any of their assistants be associated in any way with the office. Is this plain?

Vote for DR. F. H. DAMMASCH for Coroner
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