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Harding and Coolidge AND Good Government

TO THE AMERICAN VOTER:

Are you satisfied, even content, with existing conditions of life?

Of course you are not.

You are burdened with taxation and the high cost of living.

For everything entering into your daily life you are paying an abnormal price—an unprecedented price.

Why?

Largely, if not altogether, because of the extravagance of government at Washington—because of padded payrolls—because of colossal waste following the war—because of looseness, laxity, inefficiency and incompetency in handling the country's affairs.

You are paying the bills for all this—you, Americans, men and women, who make up the good citizenship of this nation.

You are paying, and paying dearly, for all this.

Your Liberty Bonds—those I. O. U's of Uncle Sam—in which you invested so proudly, so generously, so patriotically, to help win the war, are today below par. You made sacrifices, some of you, most of you, to buy them, and now, with the war long over, but with peace not yet fully established, you must make further sacrifices, if compelled to sell those Liberty Bonds, in order to meet the abnormal conditions confronting you and entering into your daily life at every turn.

Think of the tragic climax thus put upon your patriotism!

WAR MEANS WASTE. WAR IS WASTE. BUT WAR WASTE SHOULD HAVE ENDED WITH THE ENDING OF WAR. It did not

end then—it has not ended. It has gone on prodigally—shamefully. And you, long-suffering American citizens, are paying the bill—paying in taxes and high cost of living the price of it all.

Is it not time to call a halt—high time?

A Republican Congress curtailed governmental extravagance to the extent of TWO BILLIONS or more—reduced the department estimates to that extent in spite of the resistance and obstruction of the Wilson Administration. Think of that! But that was just the beginning of retrenchment and reform which cannot be effected fully until the Executive and Legislative departments of the government are working together efficiently and in unison to bring about retrenchment and reform. And this means A COMPLETE CHANGE AT WASHINGTON—the substitution of efficiency for inefficiency, capacity for incapacity, all along the line.

Then, and then only, will you be relieved of the burdens you are carrying today.

You are hearing talk about America's duty to the world. Much of it is intended solely for campaign purposes and is as full of deception as the cry, "He kept us out of war," the Democratic slogan of 1916, when the Administration at Washington knew full well that no power under Heaven could keep us out of war, and that, in fact, at the very moment, when an election was being scantily won by false pretences, the Nation was even then virtually at war.

America do her duty to the world!

When, pray, did America ever fail to do her duty—her full duty—in any crisis or contingency affecting mankind? Never!

And America can be counted upon as confidently in the future as she has been counted upon in the past.

AMERICA IS A DUTY DOING NATION. Any suggestion to the contrary—whatever the individual view as to the adjustment of world affairs, whether through a League of Nations or not—is an affront to every true American and must be dealt with as such.

The Republican Party pledges you Good Government. It pledges to you efficiency, economy, courage and the square deal. It pledges you an American government—the sort of government that a long and illustrious line of Republican Presidents have given this Republic.

DO NOT ALLOW YOUR COMPLETE CONFIDENCE IN THE RESULT TO KEEP YOU FROM THE POLLS ON ELECTION DAY.

Do your duty as a citizen—an alert, wide-awake, American citizen—just as America has ever done and will continue to do her full duty as a nation, and thus will you help to put your Uncle Sam's house in order.

Vote for HARDING and COOLIDGE and a REPUBLICAN CONGRESS on November 2, and all will be made well.

HARDING and COOLIDGE MEAN GOOD GOVERNMENT.
And GOOD GOVERNMENT is what we all need and must have.

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE

(Paid Adv.)

PLEASANT HOME

Rev. F. S. Ford, former pastor of the Methodist church here, and Mrs. Ford were guests on Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. M. Lennartz. They have just returned from Nezperce, Idaho, where they have been visiting and will start in a few days for Pittsburg and other eastern cities for an extended visit. Other guests at the Lennartz home on Tuesday evening were Rev. Earl B. Cotton and his sister, Miss Irene Cotton of Salem.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will meet this week Wednesday with Mrs. M. Lennartz. Mrs. W. R. Crosier and Mrs. Alfred Sloop will serve refreshments.

Mrs. W. E. Markell was called to the home of her mother, Mrs. Jos. Manary, on account of the serious illness of the latter. She is reported to be improving now.

H. R. Hemmers is building a large addition to his house making a marked improvement in convenience and appearance.

D. T. Williams has been on the sick list for a few days.

The Sunshine class of the Methodist Sunday school has undertaken a project which will be very much appreciated. They have secured the use of the old Andrews market, the use of which has been donated by Mr. and Mrs. Stillman Andrews, in which they are fitting up room which will be known as the "Carrie Andrews Kindergarten and Rest Room". A girl will be in charge here each Sunday to care for babies and young children whose mothers wish to attend church.

The Girl Reserves, an organization of young girls under the Young Women's Christian association, has undertaken several different lines of work, among them that of civic improvement. They are attempting to have the sidewalks of the town repaired and promise to go the limit in bringing about the desired results. They have also become responsible for the branch library which has been established in the Methodist church and which will be open on Thursdays from 7 to 8 o'clock and on Saturdays from 2 to 5 o'clock. At a recent meeting officers were elected as follows: president, Ruth Ickler; secretary, Georgia Carpenter; treasurer, Ardis Rich. The girls are planning for a Halloween social.

An illustrated lecture will be given at the Methodist church next Friday evening at 8 o'clock on Canadian scenery along the Canadian Pacific railway from ocean to ocean. Sixty-three pictures will be shown and descriptions given. Pupils of the Sunday school who have tickets showing attendance for four consecutive Sundays will be entitled to free admission. Others will have to pay.

CORBETT

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Bell and two young sons expect to leave very soon for San Diego, California, to spend the winter. Mr. Bell has rented his farm land to Mr. Berney and his residence to Messrs. Reiley and Kelly of The Dalles.

Chamberlain & Bates have moved their stock of merchandise from Cascade Locks and have had a three days' reducing sale at their store here recently.

Our genial postmaster, W. E. Metzger, and his estimable wife have moved to Portland for the winter and Mrs. Etling has charge of the post-office during their absence.

Rev. Mr. Murphy and wife moved into the Leland house last week.

Mrs. Ethel Smith Stewart, of Portland, spent the week-end with her mother at Ferndale Place.

The Misses Madeline Pullman and Gladys Murphy came out from Portland Saturday evening to visit home folks until Sunday evening.

The heavy rains of the past two weeks have made farming, and especially potato digging, a rather discouraging business.

Ray Lasley and Albert Pounder are among the junior farmers who are making a fine showing in the culture of spuds.

POWELL VALLEY

A program by the members of the Sunday school will be given at the Lutheran church Friday evening, October 22d. Coffee, cake and sandwiches will be served. All are cordially invited.

Miss Lillie Nelson was honored last Friday evening when about 30 of her friends came to surprise her. The evening was spent in playing games, after which refreshments were served. The guests departed at a late hour having had a nice time.

The regular meeting of the Luther League will be held next Sunday, October 24. A good program is arranged for and all are invited to attend.

A large crowd was present at the Lutheran Ladies' Aid held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frans Mattson, last Thursday. Besides the usual meeting Mrs. Mattson was presented with a set of beautiful silver teaspoons as an expression of appreciation.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Johnson entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Lundbom and little son Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Olsen and the latter's mother, Mrs. Emma Johnson.

Bees Generate Heat.

Bees do not hibernate in winter, but maintain heat enough to hold the temperature of the colony at not less than 70 degrees by movement of wings, legs and abdomens. This work takes honey, says H. A. Scullen, bee specialist at O. A. C. and commercial beeman of Corvallis. When not properly protected in winter they consume unnecessary quantities of honey as well as use up their vitality and produce excess moisture. Packing cases are recommended to prevent these troubles.

The only persons who seem to take seriously the demand for increased production are those that don't produce anything.

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Just Folks.

These are troublous days. No one knows what the hours may breed. Everyone sees difficulties and dangers ahead.

Of some things, however, we may be assured. There will still be seed time and harvest. The rain and the sunshine alike come to the just and the unjust. Amid all the wreckage of civilization, amid all the devastation of plague and famine and war the race has survived because of this primal gift of seed time and harvest.

Of another thing we may be equally assured, that truth is destined to live in one form after another, and error is destined to die in one form after another.

In the shadows of argument you may pile up facts to dispute these fundamental truths, but in the depths of the ocean of life the currents run true.

In spite of all that is said and done, loyalty and neighborliness utterly refuse to be banished from the life and hearts of men. In all exceptions, apparent and real, the mother heart beats true to its child; in all exceptions, apparent and true, the family remains the sanctuary of the father, and no man's hand can stay the dawn of the morning after the night.—The Oregon Farmer.

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