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EM-TEES

A Call for a New Political Party

Whence—The cross currents of national politics have reached a condition which is about as easy to understand as futurist music, we the undersigned, hereby issue a call for the formation of a new political party that will act as a haven of refuge for the largest class of voters in our body politic.

Resolved—That the socialists are no longer socialistic enough to suit the majority of those who have followed their footsteps; that the anarchists are no longer anarchistic enough, that the standpatters are no longer stand pat enough, that the radicals no longer radical enough.

Therefore—We move for the establishment of a party to be that shall be act'n the socialists, act'n the anarchists, act'n the standpatters, act'n the radicals and act'n the government.

It shall be known as THE AGENTS AND PRISONERS SHALL BE ANY OLD THING VIOLENTLY BUSTED UP INTO SMALL PIECES.

Young Lady Singing "At the End of a Perfect Day."

- Grand piano With a cut glass vase containing white carnations On top of it. Sheet of music Which falls Onto the accompanist's hands. Clearing of the throat. White kid shoes. Odor of gasoline From Long white gloves Recently returned From the cleaner. First verse. Second verse. Third verse. Thank heaven She's through! Let's Go Home!

Tragic Examples of Unpreparedness The taxi driver who can't change a five dollar bill. The man who forgets to put the rat out until his wife wakes him to do it at 1 a. m. The musician of the links who carries only one golf ball.

Mrs. Edwin Jenner entertained the girls Thursday club at her home on West Main street, Thursday afternoon.

Women Sufferers Need Swamp-Root

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney and bladder troubles and never suspect it. Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney troubles or the result of urinary or bladder diseases. If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased. You may notice a great deal of pain in the back, headache, loss of appetite, nervousness and may be despondent and irritable. Don't delay starting treatment. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a medicinal preparation, obtained at any drug store, restores health to the kidneys and is just the remedy needed to be given such conditions. Get a fifty cent or one dollar bottle immediately from any drug store. However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Blauvelt, N. Y., for a sample and to receive writing be sure to mention the Medford (Ore.) Mail Tribune.

STATE TEXT BOOKS

A MOVEMENT that has gained considerable headway in Oregon is the proposal for the state to print the text books used in the public schools instead of sending the money out of the state and paying excessive profits to the school book trust. The movement has been endorsed by commercial organizations, parent-teachers associations, the grangers and labor unions.

Despite costly blunders and political strife, the printing of text books by the state has proven a success in California—the saving to the people over the retail prices charged by publishers exceeded \$250,000 in 1915. On the same ratio, the saving to the people of Oregon would be \$70,000 annually. Kansas is also printing a portion of the text books used in that state with a similar proportionate saving.

But the actual saving in cost of books to the public is not all the benefit to be derived from state printing. The money paid out for materials and labor will be kept at home.

As the prevailing contracts on adopted text books expire in 1919-20, it will be up to the coming legislature to act upon the matter. Failure to act will postpone the matter for six years.

A NEEDED AMENDMENT

AN initiative petition is in circulation proposed by the "Equal Rights for Home Industry" committee, C. E. S. Wood chairman, to amend the prohibition amendment by abolishing discrimination against home manufacture of light beer. The bill, if carried, will permit the manufacture of beer, containing less than four per cent of alcohol, in Oregon, but restricts its sale, as under the present law, to original packages as prescribed therein.

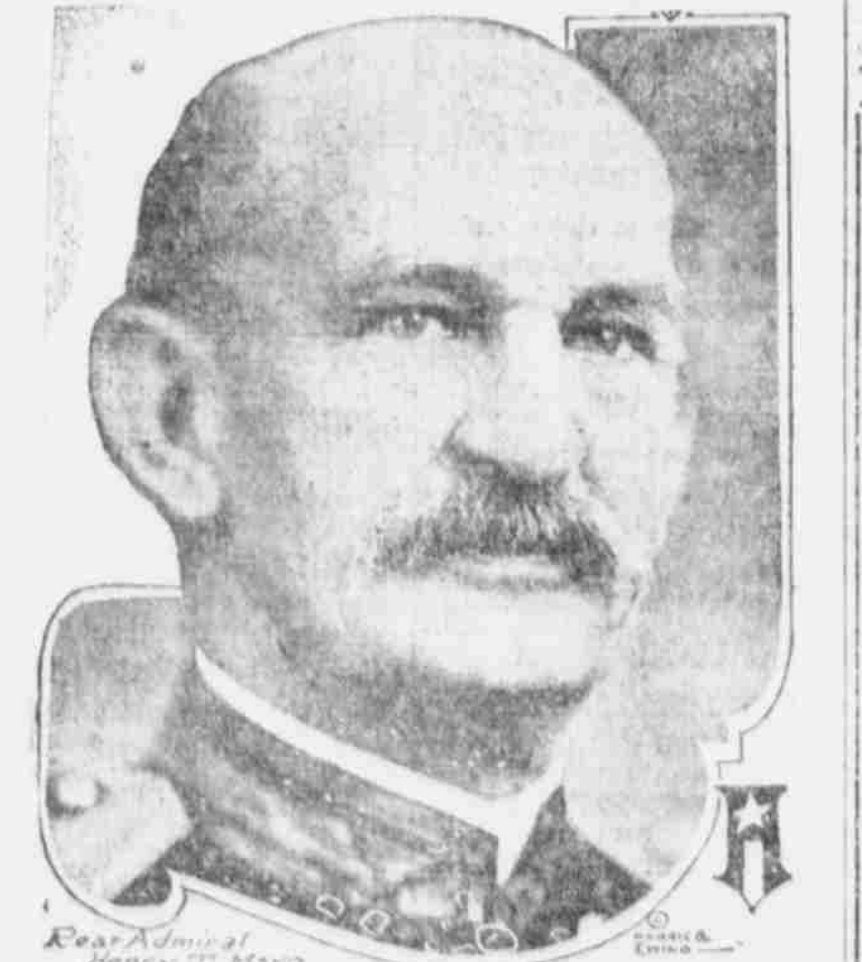
Under the present prohibition law, any person is allowed to import twenty-four quarts of beer from points outside the state in any one month. This closes the local breweries and sends the money outside the state to build up foreign industries and support distant payrolls. It destroys the local market for Oregon hops and deprives the state of the payrolls. It smashes home industry and fosters the mail-order booze house.

The present prohibition law is illogical and absurd. If people are permitted to purchase beer made outside the state, there is no moral reason why they should not be able to keep the money at home by purchasing, under similar restrictions, beer made at home. The law is really an anti-saloon measure, instead of a prohibition measure, and the same purpose of eliminating the saloon can be realized by purchasing from a home brewery as well as from a California or eastern brewery.

It is not beer or malted drinks that cause the human flotsam and jetsam, but distilled liquors—and our prohibition law stimulates the use of strong liquor and discourages the use of light beverages like beer. The wave of prohibition that has swept over the nation has decreased the brewery output and increased the distillery output.

The prohibition law has accomplished its purpose of destroying the saloon. The saloon has been eliminated—probably for good—at least in its old form. But as long as we sanction the purchase of a limited amount of liquor there is no reason why we should not make it ourselves instead of having to send out of the state for it.

NEW HEAD OF ATLANTIC FLEET STUDENT WARFARE 43 YEARS!



Rear Admiral Henry H. Mayo, first division commander of the Atlantic Fleet, is the youngest man in the navy to be promoted to the rank of admiral. He is 43 years old. He was born in New York and served in the Spanish-American war. He is a graduate of the Naval Academy and the Naval War College.

BELLANS JOHN A. PERL UNDERTAKER. Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package gives it Great Relief.

WHERE ARE HIS FEET?



The athlete picture is W. Creighton, long-bound jumper and contestant in the pentathlon recently held at Philadelphia in conjunction with the annual relay games of the University of Pennsylvania.

Creighton's feet and legs are injured in the soft dirt, where he landed after completing a tremendous leap. It is considered one of the greatest "bread" pictures ever taken at a track and field meet.

BRITISH COLUMBIA FORESTS BLAZING. PRINCE GEORGE, B. C., May 24.—Damage is being sustained in this part of British Columbia through forest fires. Many have started in the hot, dry weather of the past few days and the smoke from them can be seen for miles around.

HALF MILLION HOTEL DESTROYED BY FIRE. PORT ANGELES, Wash., May 24.—The main structure of the Saldur Hot Springs hotel and sanatorium, built by Michael Earles, a wealthy lumberman in 1912 at a cost of \$500,000, was totally destroyed by fire this afternoon.

Medford Creamery. Always First on the Grocery List. The reason Medford Creamery Butter is first on the grocery lists of hundreds of housewives is because there is no question to be discussed with the grocer. She doesn't have to ask if it is fresh, whether it is pure, full weight, wholesome and of highest quality—she knows that it is all this—and more.

"TIZ" EASES TIRED, SORE, SWOLLEN FEET. Instant relief for aching, puffed-up, calloused feet and corns.

Medford Creamery. 115 No. Central.

A Record-Breaking Fruit Crop Is Practically Assured for This Year. Now is the time to begin preparing for the packing and shipping season. Among other supplies needed will be Fruit Box Labels. We can supply you in any size, style, color and quantity. We have the facilities especially for this kind of work. Ask us for samples and prices. Keep money at home by patronizing home institutions. Medford Printing Company.

PEACE MAY FORCE ABANDONMENT OF MONROE DOCTRINE

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Under the plan for world peace as outlined in the program of the league to enforce peace, the United States might have to relinquish some of its older interpretations of the Monroe doctrine in the event of a dispute with a European power. George Gratton Wilson, professor of international law at Harvard, declared in an address here today before the first national assemblage of the league, under peace treaties signed in recent years, Professor Wilson said, such concessions will have to be made.

"The United States has within recent years," he said, "become a party to a large number of treaties in which the high contracting parties agree that all disputes between them of every nature whatsoever the settlement of which do not apply in their treaty terms or are not applied in fact, shall, when diplomatic methods of adjustment have failed, be referred for investigation and report to an international commission and they agree not to despoise or to begin hostilities during such investigation and before the report is submitted."

"A dispute in regard to the Monroe doctrine or involving its principles whatever they may be would surely be included in the agreement made by the United States to refer disputes of every nature whatsoever to an international commission for a report."

J. A. Welch, of the Meadows, is transacting business in Medford today. H. C. Wells will join him in the development of a mining claim in the Meadows district.

With Medford trade in Medford made. Always First on the Grocery List.

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DRINK HOT WATER IF YOU DESIRE A ROSY COMPLEXION

Says we can't help but look better and feel better after an inside bath.

To look one's best and feel one's best is to enjoy an inside bath each morning. To flush from the system the previous day's waste, sour fermentations and poisonous toxins before it is absorbed into the blood. Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of inconceivable material in the form of ash, so the food and drink taken each day leave in the alimentary organs a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not eliminated, form toxins and poisons which are then sucked into the blood through the very ducts which are intended to suck in only nourishment to sustain the body.

Men and women with sallow skins, liver spots, pimples or pallid complexion, also those who wake up with a coated tongue, bad taste, rusty breath, others who are bothered with headaches, bilious spells, acid stomach or constipation should begin this phosphate hot water drinking and are assured of very pronounced results in one or two weeks.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate costs very little at the drug store but is sufficient to demonstrate that just as soap and hot water cleanse, purify and refresh the skin on the outside, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the inside organs. We must always consider that internal sanitation is vastly more important than outside cleanliness, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the liver pores do.

DINNER DANCE

at Hotel Barnum FRIDAY EVE MAY 26

Hours 6 to 9 p. m. TABLE D'HOTE 75 cents A. A. CHRISTENSEN, Prop.

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