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Ye Smudge Pot By Arthur Perry

The passing of Carranza from the presidency in Mexico is a happy event and his hiding in the hills of his homeland, a fitting finish for a leader whose egotism was excelled by none and emulated only by two other world figures of his day

The republic of Armenia has named a provisional president, but Armenia has no provisions

In the list of notable achievements of the Demo. Ad. one fails to find any mention of 39-cent sugar

Now that the Los Angeles Bluebird is on his way to prison for life, the Kaiser will begin cutting wood again, in the newspapers

To hear Secretary Daniels tell it Admiral Sims was guilty of everything but senselessness

An unknown absent-minded citizen mistook Wir Ashpole's auto for his own Tues. p. m. and dumped \$18 worth of beef in the back seat. That's the way luck always runs

Miss Pearl Pigge is a schoolmarm at Tailholt, Cal. There is an adage covering the case

It is now a cinch that Hi Johnson will be robbed in this state a week from Friday

Two hundred Gee Oh Pees met and mingled in the small hall of the Nat. Monday night to witness the skinning of Democracy by a master Skinner, and gosh! How they hated it!

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WHAT THE COLLEGE TAX MEANS.

NO ONE will consciously vote against his self-interest. But the danger in the coming primary is that some people will do so without knowing it.

Take this college millage tax for example. Superficially a citizen might figure that by voting against the measure he would save the state \$800,000 in taxes and thereby decrease his own. But will he?

Obviously the 1.26 mill tax would be saved. This would save the average tax payer about enough to buy a few good cigars. But let us examine the loss that would be involved.

The critical financial situation of the three educational institutions in this state, is not bunk. It is as if a family of four in 1913, with an income of \$2000, had been increased to a family of ten in 1920, with an income of \$900. That is what the increased attendance and reduced value of the dollar has done. Figure it out to yourself what that means.

If the millage tax fails, the educational institutions will probably not close their doors, but it is an undeniable fact that a majority of the best professors and instructors will leave. It is also an undeniable fact, that at least one third of the students who now attend these institutions will have to go outside of the state for their education.

What would this mean? The Oregon Voter has given the answer:

At a minimum expense of \$800 per year per student, the state would lose \$1,620,000 per annum.

It is also certain that of those students sent outside the state to be educated, a proportion would locate elsewhere for life, and the state would lose that very intelligent part of its population and its creative and earning power for all time to come. There is no small item, especially in its effect on the development of the state and its property values.

There would be another 1000 potential students, it is reasonable to estimate, who would not go to college, at all if deprived of the opportunity for a first class collegiate education within the state. The earning and creative power of this number of students would be diminished for the state for their lifetime. Neither is this a small item.

For the remaining 2600 students who could be accommodated within the limited facilities of inferior institutions, there would be an inferior quality of instruction. Their creative and earning power would be correspondingly diminished, to the economic loss of the state.

All such losses as the foregoing inevitably would be reflected in property values, either by reducing values or retarding their acceleration, and in the long run would be paid for by the taxpayer. The question for the taxpayer is, whether it would be easier to pay the \$800,000 a year more taxes and get the benefits to his property of operating a first class state, educationally speaking, or save the \$800,000 a year and lose all of the economic and property benefits which otherwise would accrue.

It seems superfluous to comment upon what practical value in dollars and cents O. A. C. alone has been to Southern Oregon. The state university has in spite of tremendous obstacles, maintained a standard, excelled by few state universities in the country. The question is whether these institutions are to be maintained, and their usefulness sustained, or whether they are to be allowed to go to seed.

We believe no voter can investigate this situation thoroughly and impartially and not conclude that regarding the question merely in the light of dollars and cents, in the light both of public and self-interest, he can not afford to vote against this measure.



IN THE OLD TIME.

WHEN I was young a shilling was pretty hard to get; for hours a man went drilling, in pools of honest sweat, before he'd fairly earned it, and when he drew his tin, 'twas seldom that he burned it, or idly blew it in. At Christmas time he'd holler and make some kopecks fly; and he would spend a dollar the Fourth day of July. And when the three-ring circus came lumbering to town, with grafts and fakes to work us, he'd haply blow a crown. Then, having had his riot, he to his work returned, and, strictly on the quiet, he pickled all he earned. And when life's winter found him, it didn't find him broke; he'd comforts all around him, and greenbacks in his poke. But now such sane endeavor such sense we vainly seek; the Fourth is with us ever, and Christmas once a week. The money's coming easy, with equal ease it goes; the toiler, flip and breezy, just blows, and blows, and blows. With all wise rules disgusted, he blows his wad today; cheer up! we'll soon be brsted! a panics on the way!

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WHEN the children romp in hungry as young bears, here are some wholesome, economical delights that will not only be received with glee, but will satisfy the most ravenous appetite in a most wholesome manner.

Cookies: 1/2 cup shortening, 2 cups sugar, 1 cup milk, 2 eggs, 1/2 teaspoon grated nutmeg, 1 teaspoon vanilla extract or grated rind of 1 lemon, 4 cups flour, 3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder

Cream shortening and sugar together; add milk to beaten eggs and beat again; add slowly to creamed shortening and sugar; add nutmeg and flavoring; add 3 cups flour sifted with baking powder; add enough more flour to make stiff dough. Roll out very thin on floured board; cut with cookie cutter, sprinkle with sugar, or put a raisin or a piece of English walnut in the center of each. Bake about 12 minutes in hot oven.

Cocoa Drop Cakes: 4 tablespoons shortening, 1 cup sugar, 1 egg, 1/2 cup milk, 1/2 cup flour, 3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder, 1/2 cup cocoa, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon vanilla extract

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure

Cream shortening; add sugar and well-beaten egg; beat well and add milk slowly; sift flour, baking powder, salt and cocoa into mixture; stir until smooth, add vanilla. Put one tablespoon of batter into each greased muffin tin and bake in moderate oven about 20 minutes. Cover with boiled icing.

Orange Cakes: 4 tablespoons shortening, 1 cup sugar, 1/2 cup milk, 2 eggs, 2 cups flour, 3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon orange extract or grated rind of 1 orange

Cream shortening; add sugar slowly, beating well; add milk a little at a time; then add well-beaten egg; sift flour, baking powder and salt together and add to mixture; add flavoring and grated orange rind; mix well. Bake in greased shallow tin, or individual cake tins, in hot oven 15 to 20 minutes. When cool cover with orange icing.

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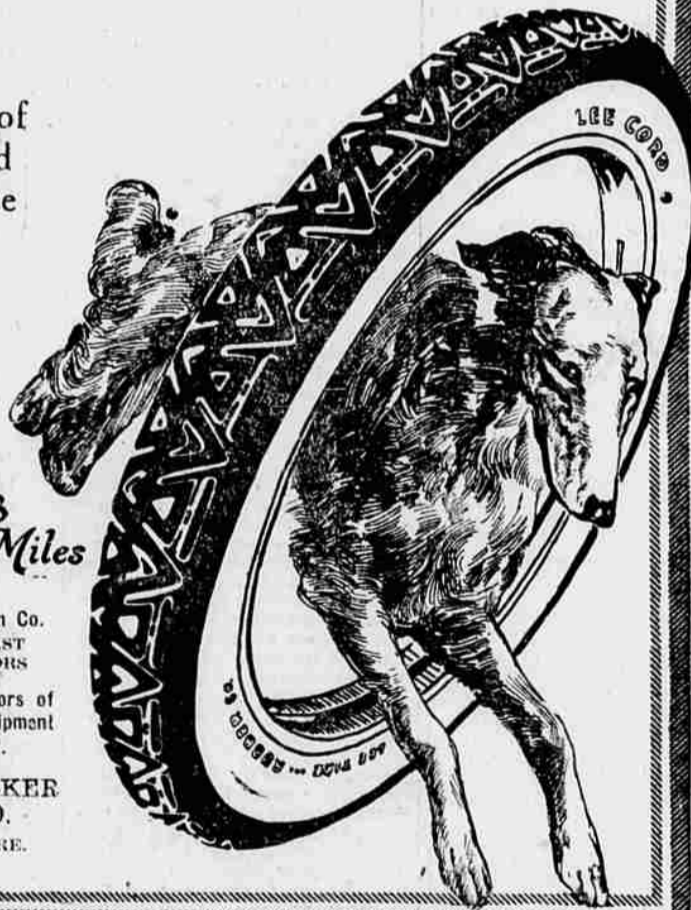
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POLITICAL CARDS.

District Attorney. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Prosecuting Attorney for Jackson County, Oregon on the republican ticket, subject to the wish of the voters at the coming primary election. If nominated and elected I will see that the laws are justly and honestly enforced. Respectfully yours, H. A. CANADAY.

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination on the republican ticket for the office of Prosecuting Attorney. If elected I pledge myself to an impartial enforcement of the law. F. P. FARRELL.

Rawles Moore is a candidate for the democratic nomination for Dis-

trict Attorney. Believing that my successful management of the office of District Attorney has shown me thoroughly qualified, and that I can serve the people of Jackson County, in that capacity best, I announce my candidacy for re-election on the republican ticket at the May primaries. Adv. G. M. ROBERTS.

Sheriff. I hereby announce my candidacy for re-nomination for the office of sheriff on the republican ticket, subject to the May primaries. I feel that my record as a public official during the first term entitles me to re-nomination and re-election. Adv. C. E. TERRILL.

I hereby announce myself a republican candidate for sheriff of Jackson

County, at the May primaries. Several years experience in this line of work, including last six months of 1919 in the tax collection department, thoroughly qualifies me to administer the duties of the office in an efficient manner. Adv. JOHN B. WIMER.

I have decided to make the race for the democratic nomination for sheriff at the May primaries. I will stand on my record of a little over a year in the sheriff's office, prior to my entering the service. Adv. RALPH JENNINGS.

County Clerk. I announce my candidacy for re-nomination for County Clerk on the republican ticket subject to the decision of the people at the coming primaries, and hope my record in this office the first term is such that I

am entitled to your support this year. Adv. CHAUNCEY FLOREY.

County Assessor. I hereby announce my candidacy for the re-nomination to the office of County Assessor for Jackson County, by the Republican party at the primary election May 21st, 1920. Adv. J. B. COLEMAN.

School Superintendent. I hereby announce myself a candidate for nomination for County School Superintendent on the republican ticket. Adv. G. W. GODWARD.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for County School Superintendent, on the republican ticket, at the primary election, May 21st. I am for progressive education, the education that prepares for life, and for giving the rural schools the very best advantages possible. I favor more normal schools for Oregon. Adv. A. J. HANBY.

I herewith announce myself as candidate for nomination, on the republican ticket, for County School Superintendent. SUSANNE W. HOMES.

County Coroner. I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination on the republican ticket for the office of County Coroner. If elected I promise economical management of the Coroner's office. Adv. JOHN A. PERL.

County Treasurer. I hereby announce myself as a candidate on the republican ticket for the nomination for the office of County Treasurer, promising to administer the duties of the office on an efficient business basis. Adv. A. C. WALKER.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for nomination for County Treasurer on the republican ticket. I am an experienced business man. Adv. W. D. WELCH.

I hereby announce my candidacy on the republican ticket for County Treasurer, subject to the primary, May 21. Adv. E. P. CHANDLER, Rogue River.

County Commissioner. I am a candidate for the nomination for county commissioner on the republican ticket, subject to the primary of May 21. I have lived in Jackson county a number of years, understand the needs of the county and if chosen will promise an economical, efficient business administration. I have always been a good roads booster. Adv. A. E. KINNEY.

Upon the solicitation of friends I have consented to become a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to May primaries. I am a good roads enthusiast and think business methods can prevail in county affairs. Adv. VICTOR BURSELL.

I announce my candidacy for the office of County Commissioner on the republican ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the primaries, May 21, 1920. If elected I promise an economical, fair and impartial administration of the duties of the office. I have always been for good roads. Adv. COURT HALL.

Representative. I am a candidate for re-nomination for joint representative of Douglas and Jackson counties, on the republican ticket, at the primary, May 21. I am for good roads and have helped frame the present good roads legislation. If nominated and elected I promise to devote my energies to the prosecution of those interests of the district I represent and the state of Oregon. Adv. W. H. GORE.

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