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Ye Smudge Pot

By Arky Perry

The Democratic party has not better luck beating "Our George" than the Republican party. (See election returns).

There is something distinctly fishy about the escape of Grover Cleveland Berridell the wealthy shucker, and as usual when there is anything fishy about the escape of a draft evader, the tracks lead towards the delectable Nooty Baker.

By looking at the Lit. Dig's picture of the presidential candidates, one can see that the only one with a smile is Charles Evans Hughes, who has no excuse at all for grinning. All the rest look like they had been sent for and couldn't come.

The bolsheviks went to the Poles in Russia Friday. They also went in Oregon.

Hip raffles for the dresses of the women, is very stylish, and only two jumps away from the old-fashioned bustle.

The restoration of banking in Oregon will cause a decided decrease in the business of outsiders coming to this state to commit their murders. It is too bad that this commonwealth should thus revert to "barbarism," but ex-convicts will be more careful when they hit old women with gas-pipes in the future.

The cheerful news is forthcoming that gasoline will be scarcer than whiskey by August, which is not as scarce as it might be.

A number of young ladies, who visited Los Angeles during the winter have come back intimate, confidential, and bosom friends of all the leading movie queens.

Mr Carranza died with his boots on but some Mexican has stolen them by this time.

For Sale—1918 Ford. Price right. Phone 567-Y. Want Ad. Portland Oregonian. But is about all.

DRY REGIME BOOSTS THEATRICAL BUSINESS
CLEVELAND, O.—The theatrical business has increased 50 per cent since the country went "dry," according to John Cort of New York, one of the country's leading producers, on a recent visit to Cleveland. He declared the dry era stayed off a disastrous period for the theatrical world.

WHAT JOHNSON MEANS.

Whether Johnson wins or loses in Oregon, his vote is nothing short of sensational. In Multnomah, for example, he had the opposition of all the influential newspapers, throughout the state, there was no appreciable newspaper support and yet he carried Multnomah and is leading in a majority of the counties. The republican organization was opposed to him. There was no Johnson campaign until the last week and then it was a very feeble one, and yet he still leads and more than likely will maintain this lead when the final count is completed.

What does this mean? It is futile to dismiss the Johnson sentiment as a combination of the League of Nations haters, pro-Germans and Bolsheviks. Such a combination could never marshal the votes Johnson marshalled. The truth is Johnson has captured the independent and liberal support which Hoover should have captured.

We venture to say the League of Nations entered very little into the calculations of the average Johnson supporter. As a matter of fact, the old guard Republicans, who voted for Wood, are as bitterly opposed to the league as Johnson. The old guard oppose any league but they oppose the challenge to their authority which Johnson threatens, more.

In fact, the election returns demonstrate that the majority of the Republican party in Oregon favor the league, as far as their votes are concerned, for the combination of Hoover, Lowden and Wood votes total approximately 67,000 to the 40,000 for Johnson. Moreover, the contest between Stanfield and Abraham was clearly between the league with reservations and no league at all, and the pro-league candidate won.

No, the league issue can't be made a determining factor at this stage of the game, no matter how hard the campaigners try to make it so. The people, as a whole, are more concerned with domestic policies. They want a new political deal all around, and with Hoover throwing his support to Wood, they gave their votes to the candidate best calculated, in their opinion, to make mince meat of the status quo.

This Johnson vote in Oregon with his tremendous strength in other states, demonstrates conclusively that if the Republican nominee is not a man of progressive temper, who can be depended upon to end the strangle hold of the old machine, the independent and progressive vote will go to the Democratic party. Hoover remains the one Republican candidate, who can unite the Republican party gain this forward-looking vote, and yet retain those principles of international policy, and proper domestic adjustment, which the Johnson following oppobses.

Tourist Travel on Coast in 1920 Promises to Break All Records

Officials in charge of the national parks and persons who are in touch with long distance motor travel are anticipating this year as a wonderful season for motor travel, exceeding the astonishing record made in 1919. The foregoing statement is made by H. O. Frohbach, secretary of the Medford Commercial club, who is the local representative of the National Parks Highway association. This organization, according to Mr. Frohbach, is perfecting its preparations for better service to travelers and is planning its work on a scale much larger than in any preceding year. Mr. Frohbach says: "There are three primary causes for the unusual interest in long distance motoring this year. First, there is the general prosperity of the country. Thousands of persons have profited thru the unusual trade expansion of the past year besides those who made fortunes during the war time. Added to these are the thousands of salaried persons and wage earners who have been receiving more pay than at any time in their history. These facts have resulted in unusual large percentage of car buyers among people who formerly were not in this class and also has caused many other thousands to contemplate long journeys with their autos as the vehicle. The second big feature is the extensive advertising campaigns carried on by the National Parks Highway association as well as by other organizations which seek to promote auto travel. Our association has put many thousands of dollars into highway maps and service guides and road markers, besides the writing of thousands of personal letters to prospective travelers. The association has no slogan, but it might fittingly adopt a paraphrase of "See America first" and make it, "See America anyhow." There is such a wealth of scenic wonder to be reached by the highway that I really believe we are doing people a kindness when we induce them to take a little time from their ordinary vocations and spend it under pleasant conditions while becoming familiar with their native land. The third factor of importance in the increasing use of autos for lengthy journeys is the certainty that one may now travel along a well marked road with no fear of getting off the main line, with comfortable hotels at easy distance making night riding unnecessary, with excellent garages available at convenient points in each day's travel; with good, free camping grounds in many cities for those who prefer outdoor life in its entirety. Lastly there is the comforting knowledge that representatives of the highway will be waiting in each city or town to give free information and advice to the motorist and show him those little courtesies which help to make a journey enjoyable. LOUISVILLE, Ky.—Mammoth Cave, Kentucky's contribution to the wonders of the world, may soon be purchased and transformed into an extensive national park.

TACOMA WOMAN NOW DOING HER OWN HOUSEWORK

"For the first time in a whole year I am able to do all my housework," said Mrs. C. Libke, R. F. D. 4, Box 66, Tacoma, Wash., when a special Tanlac representative, who had heard of her remarkable recovery, called to ascertain the facts, recently. "Tanlac is certainly the grandest medicine in the world," she continued, "and I just wish I could tell everybody personally what it has done for me. Why, my troubles have been completely overcome, and I feel better than I have in years and have actually gained over twenty pounds in weight, besides. I don't believe anyone ever had a much worse case of stomach trouble and indigestion than I did. My food would invariably sour and I would just suffer agony after meals from gas on my stomach. I had no appetite and really dreaded to eat on account of the misery it caused me. Then I had an attack of neuritis in my right hand and knee and I simply cannot describe the awful pain I went through. I could not use my right hand at all and for six months I could not even raise it to comb my hair. I was badly constipated and would get so weak and dizzy I could hardly walk across the room. My nerves were all shattered and I would often lie awake all night suffering so I could not sleep. Then the rheumatism got in my feet and ankles and I could hardly get around. No kind of treatment or medicine helped me and I got so discouraged and down-hearted I almost gave up hope. "At last I got Tanlac and I will never get thru praising it for what it has done for me. My stomach never bothers me at all now and I am eating just anything I want, and I think it the most wonderful thing I ever heard of how Tanlac has built me up. The neuritis and rheumatism have left me entirely and, as I said, for the first time in a whole year I am able to get around and do my housework. I have also been relieved of nervousness and dizziness and can sleep every night just like a child. Before I got Tanlac I was in such a bad fix that I really thought I couldn't get well, but here I am feeling just fine, so I have the best of reasons for praising Tanlac." Tanlac is sold in Medford at West Side Pharmacy and by leading drug stores in every town. Adv

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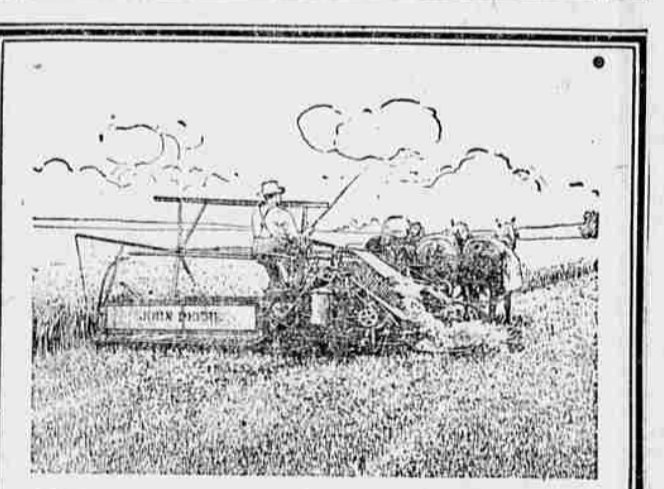
We wish to call you attention to the fact that the present time is most opportune for investing in country property. The remarkable buying in the Middle West of last year has started again this season and this means a large influx of buyers all over the coast district. With present crop outlook, locally we can reasonably expect a big buying movement. Why not take advantage of this. Look these over, every one will pay well, either as an investment or speculation.

- 1. 20 acres on Pacific Highway. Not in crop. Non resident owner offers this for \$150 per acre. Adjoining land held at \$300. It's a snap. 240 acres, 70 acres alfalfa, 80 acres in corn and grain. Water right paid. This will produce over 300 tons alfalfa this season. Buy now and get this crop. The price is only \$24,000.
3. 16 acres near Central Point, all in cultivation; 15 acres in alfalfa. All under water. Nice five-room bungalow. This is a fine close in property. The price \$6000.
4. 40 acres of the best and in this valley. All under water and in cultivation. Water right fully paid. We consider this an exceptionally good buy. Price \$7500.
5. 200 acres on Pacific Highway, 100 acres in cultivation and under water. This located at Talent and is offered for a time for \$25,000. Fifteen thousand cash. Balance terms.
6. 40 acres producing orchard; 80 acres in all. Has water right. Crop this season will be over \$5000. Non-resident owner offers it \$20,000.00
7. 22 acres 1 mile south of Medford, fronting on Pacific Highway. Eighteen acres of this Bear Creek bottom land. Six acres bearing pears. Eight acres apples. Nice five-room bungalow. Good barn. A nice home. Close in. Price \$10,000.
8. 40 acres bearing orchard, best of soil. Can be irrigated. Fair improvements. Present crop shows value \$6000 to \$7000. We can sell this property for \$12,000.
9. 22 acres diversified ranch property. Nice home, every comfort. The alfalfa and fruit have given a profit the past four seasons. This year's crop will pay big. It's a safe investment. Price \$18,000.
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City Treasurer's Notice of Semi-Annual Interest Due NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the semi-annual interest on paving, sewer and watermain assessments upon all properties for which application was made to extend time of payment, will be due and payable at the office of the city treasurer June 1, 1920, and will be delinquent after thirty (30) days from said date and shall bear a penalty of five per cent (5%) upon the amount of such delinquency. Thirty days after any such delinquency the property will be sold for the amount of such delinquency together with penalty and costs of such sale, in accordance with the provisions of Section 148 of the city charter. Dated at Medford, Oregon, this 24th day of May, 1920. MARY A. HASWELL, Treasurer of the City of Medford, Oregon.

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