

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

Daily, Sunday, Weekly... MEDFORD PRINTING CO. 22-27-29 S. E. 2d Phone 74

ROBERT W. RUIH, Editor... H. SCHUMPER SMITH, Manager... An Independent Newspaper

MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS... Official paper of the City of Medford, Official paper of Jackson County.

Advertising Representatives... M. C. MCGINNIS & COMPANY

Smudge Smoke

A mild behaved summer is being enjoyed by all... Farmers have started sticking up 'No Hunting' signs...

Opening guns of the campaign were fired last week... Reports from Prospect state that Jim Grievie is fat and sassy...

Press Comment

Proposal For a Bentire... The newspapers of this country have a duty to perform in the next few months...

TRY TO KEEP COOL

PEOPLE without a sense of humor are going to have a hard time in this presidential election. Those who take their politics so seriously they have no capacity for smiling at the entire performance now and then, will be lucky if they escape a nervous breakdown.

For before very long, unless all political indications fail, political feeling is going to reach the boiling point. And soon after that the explosion point. Then Heaven help the poor man—or woman—who lacks the only reliable safety valve for excessive emotional pressure—a little laughter.

Presidential campaigns are sufficiently stirring, for most people, under normal conditions. But when liquor and religion are added to the political pot, the resulting compound makes T. N. T. look like a homeopathic dose of sleeping powder.

And while, to the political realist, liquor has little standing as a genuine issue, and religion has no standing at all there appears to be no way in which these highly inflammable elements are to be eliminated. If they do not boil on the surface, they will at least boil underground, which is even worse.

Therefore, on this bright Sunday morning, we are going to issue a very portentous warning. Don't take this election too "dog-gone-serious"—as Jim Kiley was wont to say. By that we don't mean a wishy-washy neutrality, or the fence-sitting or a vitriol of convictionist in a pose of frivolity. (Whatever that means).

But we do mean to keep cool. Let the other fellow do the ranting. Whatever the outcome, this country is not going to the denitition how-ways. We strongly oppose the election of Smith, and strongly favor the election of Hoover, but whoever wins we readily admit that the administration of national affairs will be in the hands of a man, far above the average in personal character and capabilities.

No party and no individual has a monopoly of all the virtues. To our mind the Republican party under the leadership of a man like Hoover is at least a million miles ahead of the Democratic party, under the leadership of a man like Smith, but we don't expect—or want—everyone to agree with us. And when we find a former Republican who envisions his foot on a brass rail, as he glorifies the rare statesmanship of the New York governor, we can easily restrain our homieidial instincts. He doesn't seem to us so much of a knave as an easy mark. He is dreaming a dream which will never come true. He is feeding on the Democratic molasses set to catch just such flies.

Do you remember the Virginian's advice to always accompany a certain expletive with a smile? That was good sense in Wgouing then, and it is good sense in Oregon now.

No, Horatio,—if your man doesn't win, this country will not be plunged in a horriferous civil war. Three weeks after the election, whatever the result, you will be forced to admit that business is going on about as usual.

So keep your shirt on and your head on an even keel. There is going to be enough noise and fury, without a sensible man like you contributing needlessly to the disturbance.

QUILL POINTS

An open mind is the kind that makes a farmer wait patiently for his champions to tell him what he is mad about.

The White House is rent free, but think what it costs to move in.

Another thing the consumer pays for without realizing it is the manufacturer's reputation as a philanthropist.

It's nice to have a resort cottage of your very own, if you don't mind running a free hotel for casual acquaintances.

You love your neighbor, eh? Let's see you sit up in bed at 6 a. m. and listen to his lawn mower and love him.

They say a monkey seizes a new toy eagerly, but tires of it quickly and loses interest. That fellow's name was Darwin, wasn't it?

It's just as cheap to smoke expensive cigarettes. Nobody has the nerve to ask for one.

Family pride is the quality that makes stealing a mere unfortunate error when one of your own clan does it.

He doesn't peer in the mirror to discover whether the barber did a good job, but to revel in his newly-revealed beauty.

The objection to open-air meetings is that the speaker can't distinguish between scattered applause and a general attack on insects.

Americanism: Thinking the New Jersey article superior to the one manufactured in Chicago because the advertisement used six words of French.

The country hasn't gone to the dogs. Children still think parents are enemies and drunks and spid-sports.

Platform plank, freely translated: "We didn't do it when we had a chance, but give us another chance and we will."

Progress of civilization: Building, tighter and tighter houses; sleeping outdoors in an effort to become as hardy as savages.

The crowd would feel at ease, also, if he knew all of his friends were envying him.

In some doubtful cities, the vote received by the party of protest will depend largely on whether the home team won the pennant.

A President is like an appendix. You know he's there, and the job of removing him seems urgent, but you don't miss anything when he's gone.

Just think. If we had a tariff twice as high, we could charge one another twice as much and be twice as prosperous.

Brisbane's Today

(Continued from Page One)

Clayton McQueen, solved, also made a scene in the death chair, and was much interested in the proceedings.

What is contempt? Is it some times absence of feeling that makes it possible to commit a murder and to sign the electric chair?

Young ladies that "don't seem to get any proposals" will marvel on hearing that one Deane Joyce is about to be married again.

This will be her fifth husband and her second husband. One Miss Joyce was the Countess Greta Moeber, but she says that Mr. The countess had "good money."

How come she did it? Young ladies ask. How did Helen of Troy do it, or Cleopatra?

Miss Joyce, it is said, has a certain dash and swing in a skirt which electrifies the atmosphere. There are always "live ones" in night clubs.

Federal reserve authorities with power unlimited, explaining that they wish to discourage speculation, put up the discount rate.

Little children are discouraged for a while, the wheels are shaken out, then the speculation goes on.

Meanwhile the rate is up, the price of "call money" reaches 8 per cent, and business men borrowing at the bank on good collateral, are told that the bank is very sorry, but it is necessary to charge 4 per cent instead of 3 1/2, or 2 per cent "because rates are higher."

Very nice for those that lend money not so nice for business men.

A man in Massachusetts put a Hoover plate on the front of his automobile and a Smith plate in the rear. He is for Hoover his wife is for Smith. The husband is happy because he has Hoover in front. The wife is satisfied because she says "Smith's name is the last thing they will see."

MALMÖREN DIES

(Continued from Page One)

as long as we remained there on the ice. So they determined to

YOUR PIANO IS HERE

NOW YOU MAY CHOOSE FROM 4 types... 25 models OF GULBRANSEN HAND PLAYED REGISTERING REPRODUCING

Displayed During Gulbransen's Nation-Wide Salon NOW AT OUR STORE

PERIOD MODELS... ART MODELS GRANDS AND UPRIGHTS in a wide variety of finishes, including the NEW LACQUERS

COME IN THIS WEEK! The Gulbransen Golden Jubilee Line includes every model—every type—every finish you could possibly desire.

Palmer Music House Main & Bartlett "We Sell Happiness" Phone 788 CLAYTON ISAAC W. H. FLUHRER

GULBRANSEN Pianos A TYPE AND STYLE for Every HOME

WHY THEY ACT THAT WAY? — by George



Medford Domestic Laundry Phone 166

Larry Schade Jeweler Since 1918 Ore and Bullion Purchased WILDBERG BROS. SMOELTIN & BERENSON CO. 1118 North Central

Plan for 1929 Vacation Meet me at the Manx Cool Ocean Breezes The HOTEL MANX POWELL ST. & OFARRELL - SAN FRANCISCO

YOUR PIANO IS HERE NOW YOU MAY CHOOSE FROM 4 types... 25 models OF GULBRANSEN HAND PLAYED REGISTERING REPRODUCING Displayed During Gulbransen's Nation-Wide Salon NOW AT OUR STORE PERIOD MODELS... ART MODELS GRANDS AND UPRIGHTS in a wide variety of finishes, including the NEW LACQUERS COME IN THIS WEEK! The Gulbransen Golden Jubilee Line includes every model—every type—every finish you could possibly desire. Let us show you how completely we can serve you. Palmer Music House Main & Bartlett "We Sell Happiness" Phone 788 CLAYTON ISAAC W. H. FLUHRER GULBRANSEN Pianos A TYPE AND STYLE for Every HOME

FOR YOUR WINTER FIRE Green Pine Slab Wood 12-inch or 16-inch \$2.75 Per Load 2 Loads \$5.00 MEDFORD FUEL CO. 1118 North Central Reichstein Tel. 631 Deuel

Meet me at the Manx Cool Ocean Breezes The HOTEL MANX POWELL ST. & OFARRELL - SAN FRANCISCO HAWKISON VULCANIZING SYSTEM All Work Guaranteed PHIPPS AUTO PARK HIGHWAY AT JACKSON

OSAMA, Neb., July 14.—(AP) Special Master in Chancery H. H. Dumbane today declared the partnership and checkbook of the congress of 1921 unconstitutional.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING GETS RESULTS Clean rags wanted at the Mail Tribune office.