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THE CITY OF MEDFORD SHOULD TRADE AT HOME

Do the people of Medford believe in the slogan, "With Medford trade is Medford made?" If they do, then the City Council was perfectly justified in letting the contract for the City Hall to a Medford firm even though the bids of some outside firms were lower.

If "With Medford trade is Medford made" means anything it means the patronage of local industries, even though a lower price might be secured outside—at a catalogue house for example.

Unless prices submitted by local firms are extortionate—and local competition should prevent that—the city of Medford in our opinion should buy everything it can in Medford, certainly everything that is manufactured here.

Medford has a concrete plant. It has in its territory a cement plant. The local firms have constructed cement paving here which is highly acceptable.

We believe the City Council made a mistake to pay any attention to the criticisms advanced when they awarded the City Hall contract. For we don't believe those criticisms were either well founded or represented the sentiment of this community as a whole.

We also believe the City Council should have awarded the paving contract to local firms. For the 5 per cent saving in the contract price will, in our judgment, represent a decided loss, when the extra cost of maintaining the asphaltic type of pavement is considered, added to the greater loss sustained by sending thousands of dollars away from this city, which could have—and should have—been kept at home.

QUILL POINTS

"European travel makes one tolerant." Especially tolerant of smells.

Every town has a family that leads in everything, including the number of unpaid bills.

Men are created equal, but it takes an occasional bank failure to keep them that way.

The King of Italy has no softer job than the good party man who is supposed to do the pointing with pride.

If Al does nothing else in his campaign, he will make Hoover a confirmed dry.

A soft voice indicates two things: That you are well bred, and that the waiter will serve you last.

Almost everybody would favor birth control if it could be made selective.

Awful thought! Suppose the radio worked both ways and the political speaker could hear ten million people mutter "Bull!"

In the world of science, light means heat. In the world of romance, light lowers the temperature.

Americanism: Cheering the winner; scolding the sportsman who saw him cheat.

Trader Horn might sell another hook to Americans by confessing that he is also Santa Claus.

Too much of "education" is useful only to those who will get a living by teaching it to others to teach.

A few insects are equipped by Nature to make a noise, and others by the loudest horns they can get.

MUTT AND JEFF—Inez Should Brush Up On Her Geography

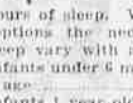


Personal Health Service

Signed letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to disease diagnosis or treatment, will be answered by Dr. Brady if a stamped, self-addressed envelope is enclosed.

HABITS, HOBBIES AND HEALTH

Early to bed and early to rise is swaddle to me hygienically wise. It may have been a good habit in the days of tallow candles.



Have you a pamphlet or other printed matter concerning acidosis and a diet to counteract it?—W. S. W. Answer: No, I have no information to give about any disease or disease condition, cure or treatment.

The Bromhidrosis

Please print the cure for sweating and odorous feet.—E. K. Answer: I know no cure, but I know what you mean. I advise pouring into each shoe an ounce or two of a solution of formaldehyde.

Abe Martin



Some of these times Mayor Jimmy Walker is going to take so much priming that even 'buddy' will be gone when he gets there.

Brisbane's Today

Iron mines in Minnesota's magnificent public schools. The open pit iron mines near Hibbing are marvellous proof of the Creator's generosity.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Be as kind as to advise what to do for a bad case of eczema.—N. J. S. Answer—Consult a physician. I do not give medical advice.

Rippling Rhymes

(By Walt Mason.) FOR PRESIDENT.

I vote for Blank for president, because he is a gifted poet with an unspotted fame. The policy for which he stands the highest eulogy commands, and I shall voice the same.

CAUSE CHINA IS NEVER PREPARED

This big, rich, peace-loving country could easily give a good imitation of China. Croesus showed his pile of gold to Solon, the wise man, and Solon said something that ought to be posted across the walls of the Senate and House, and in every room in the White House.

IOWA DEMOCRACY ENDORSES SMITH

Gov. Alfred E. Smith's position on the prohibition question, including his views on "the chaotic conditions resulting from lax enforcement of the prohibition laws," has the endorsement of Iowa democracy.

CORRUPTION HELD MAIN CAUSE OF CRIME'S INCREASE

SEATTLE, Wash., July 28.—(AP) After hearing repeated attacks on the present prevalence of crime in the United States, and being exhorted to vote for obedience to all laws, 2,000 lawyers were today preparing to return home from the fifteenth convention of the American association here.

Alarm at the rapid growth of organized crime was expressed by Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, assistant attorney general in charge of prohibition, at the lawyers' annual banquet last night.

The upholding of all laws, particularly the Volstead act, is necessary to the preservation of constitutional government, Mrs. Willebrandt declared.

"The great center of lawlessness cannot continue lawless without graft and corruption by city, state and sometimes national law enforcement officers," she said.

STUNT FLYER DIES IN A NOSE DIVE

IMPERIAL, Cal., July 28.—(AP) While attempting to show a traffic policeman "how easy it is to nose dive under 500 feet," Carol R. Crossan, Los Angeles stunt aviator, was killed near here last night, when his plane crashed.

The traffic policeman, Sam Wise, was the only near witness to the crash. Shortly before, he and Crossan had had a discussion about stunt flying and the aviator had told him it was a "cinch." Crossan entered his plane and began to demonstrate.

Two years ago, while flying over the beach at Venice, California, Crossan, in making what was said to have been a forced landing, killed two children playing in the surf. He was tried twice on manslaughter charges, but the jury disagreed. The district attorney's office dropped the charges last month.

WIND AND FLOOD HIT ARIZONA TOWN

MIAMI, Ariz., July 28.—(AP) Nearly half a million dollars worth of damage was done here yesterday by a racing mountain cloud-burst that swept through the town from the hills and left its mark upon business buildings and residences alike.

Wind and wash made a shambles of the downtown streets. Rocks and brush were carried from the hills into the heart of the town. Streets were piled high with debris. Mud and sand swept into stores and business establishments.

Automobiles were washed into the flood canal running through the city. There were no known deaths, despite early rumors that three lives had been lost in the flood. The flood control walls did little or nothing toward checking the torrent which originated in the Pinal mountain watershed, passing through the Bloody Tanks wash and swept along the Miami-Superior highway.

SAN FRANCISCO—Patrick Henry's famous stamp tax speech in 1765, in which he is popularly believed to have said "if this be treason, make the most of it," was recorded differently in contemporary records, said Dr. David S. Muzzey, professor of history at Columbia university, in a speech here. Muzzey said the records

showed the address to have been loyal to George III of England. P. W. Parsons arrived here Thursday night from a few days' business trip in northern California.

STOP USING A TRUSS! Free Demonstration

Stuart's Planno-Bands are different from the truss, being mechanical devices designed to hold the distended muscles in place. No straps, buckles or springs attached—can be worn under shirt or trousers against the public eye.

FREE TO RETURN. Tuesday, July 31st, at Holland Hotel, Medford, from 10:30 a. m. to 7 p. m., by Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Elliott.

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BY HORTENSE DEBRIS

DEAR HORTENSE: CAN YOU GIVE ME AN EXAMPLE THAT WILL FULLY DESCRIBE WHAT IS MEANT BY THE SAYINGS: "THERE ARE TWO SIDES TO EVERY QUESTION." KATE O. S. DEAR KATE O. S.: SURE I CAN. SAY TWO GIRLS ARE DISCUSSING MATRIMONY. TWO SIDES OF THAT SUBJECT WOULD BE AS FOLLOWS: ONE GIRL COULD SAY "I DO NOT INTEND GETTING MARRIED UNTIL I AM THIRTY YEARS OLD." AND THE OTHER COULD SAY: "I DO NOT INTEND BEING THIRTY YEARS OLD TILL I GET MARRIED."

