

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

Daily, Sunday, Weekly
Published by the
MEDFORD PRINTING CO.
25-27-29 N. 7th St. Phone 75

MEMBERS OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Respecting Full Leased Wire Service
The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to the use for publication of all news dispatches credited to it or otherwise credited in this paper, and also to the local news published herein.

MEMBERS OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Respecting Full Leased Wire Service
The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to the use for publication of all news dispatches credited to it or otherwise credited in this paper, and also to the local news published herein.

Ye Smudge Pot
By Arthur Perry

The Eugene Register arises to inquire if "Oregon wants a lieutenant-governor?" The first impulse is to yell "No!", as he would probably be more lieutenant than governor.

An irate subscriber writes of "a panorama of Ford's upon our highways." Panorama is the word; pano describing the vehicle, and rama their chief trait, when in the vicinity of a higher-priced car.

The western horizon was all blotched up last eve with a pink background, that had too much red along the hem, to be pleasing to the artistic eye of Tomus Swem.

Prof. Reimer was seen going down the street the first of the week, with a headache under his left arm, the same looking like a volume explaining the childishly simple Einstein theory.

MEN WILL BE IDIOTS
(Saturday News)

In the meantime the brides were undergoing a pleasant ride in a blanket carried by a group of men. As this means of conveyance was violently jounced by the bearers, the victims had much to do to keep their balance.

Press reports of the mishap to the plane in which Col. Charles A. Lindbergh and his bride, Miss Anne Morrow were riding, allege that Miss Morrow said, "Augustus will speak for me." A wheel dropped off. "It is a wonder that both wheels did not drop off, along with the engine, in dromony at a world ideal being called Augustus. Of all persons to utter the untimely words—the charming bride-elect. We hope she never said it, as it means something like this some day:

Cornfield, Texas, March 26.—(AP)—Cue Lindbergh landed here today at 2:22 pm, and hopped off at 2:23 pm in a southeasterly direction.

The legislature has mused around and managed to sandwich an income tax measure in between a tangible tax and an excise tax. The income tax has only been defeated nine times in this state. In the light of this stroke of genius, this col. retracts all it has ever said about the worthlessness, cussedness, and imbecility of legislatures.

Mr. Hoover, who becomes the high ace of the nation next Monday, will be delayed in his campaign promise to abolish poverty, which is sadly needed. Instead, he "directs his energies" to Prohibition fact finding. It will not matter much how many facts are found, as long as the hypocrisy that now surrounds Prohibition is left unchanged.

The horse chestnut trees have started to sprout cells, and the Sparrow gang of feathered hoodlums have started a racket in the Virginia Creek area south on the Univ. clubski campus.

A deer was caught eating up Dock Salade's alfalfa, and forced to jump when he came to a barb-wire fence.

The lighted plowboys of the valley are returning to the golf pasture east of town, and hitting a white round object, straighter than they ever negotiated a furrow.

A story, with only one good blurb, is being told in our midst, with only fair approval.

Frontyards are full of women, busily engaged in breaking off the ends of geraniums.

CHICAGO POLICE EXPECTED TO MAKE ARREST.—(Hulline Portland Telegram.) Owing to lack of experience, they will do nothing of the kind.

We have been pilloried—what- ever that may be—for treason to the Republican party in general and specifically in mentioning the silence of Calvin Coolidge upon the odors arising from Teapot Dome. Our lambaster charges that the charges were "far-fetched," when as a matter of fact, they were not fetched far enough.

F. Bybee's spring crop of lambs are gamboling on his tea. They are principally legs and tails, and stick close to their Maws, and run with no more sense of direction than a 16-year-old girl driving a high-powered auto to school.

QUILL POINTS

Also, the two sides of a triangle are equally guilty.

It's a case of true love if he resents the fact that her knees show.

The Kellogg treaty isn't the only effort to establish peace. Wales is popularizing dove-colored shirts.

If the purpose of capital punishment is to frighten others, why isn't the hanging done at the ball park for all to see?

Still, when somebody appears with a perfect solution of the liquor question, everybody will listen and approve.

Every hick town contains a few fellows who look as though they might wear spats if they dared.

Ah, well now of the big jobs are held by men who don't know what Einstein is talking about.

Capital is a sensitive thing, and money gets tight when stocks take a drop too much.

Why should a state legislature try to think when it can get needed additional revenue just by raising the income tax?

Americanism: Spending million to save the unfit in other lands; spending money to suppress and jail the unfit here at home.

Then, again, scrapping the cruisers will afford work for a lot of idle men after the next armament conference.

An electric engineer has developed a device to match colors. He probably makes it work by saying: "And don't stick it in your vest pocket and forget it."

Battleships use a smoke screen when they wish to put over something in concealment. The Ship of State gets the same effect with an executive session.

How pleasant, in a foreign land, to see somebody take something for dyspepsia and know you've found a man from home.

The cynic who thinks Providence doesn't watch over this country never has studied state legislatures.

The two agencies that have done the most for the emancipation of women are Congress and the drug store sandwich.

The highway bus is now equipped for everything except argument with interurban cars at crossings.

Married sons and daughters no longer live with the old folks. There isn't room in the house for all the things that can be bought on the installment plan.

Correct this sentence: "We have money and friends," said Mrs. Newrich; "what do we care if the social elect ignore us?"

BOSPHORUS MOUTH DRY WORKERS TO ALMOST CLOGGED PLAN OBSERVANCE BY FLOES OF ICE 18TH AMENDMENT

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 28.—(AP)—For the first time in more than 100 years the mouth of the Bosphorus is almost impassable because of icebergs and ice floes which have floated down from the Black sea.

Turkish vessels arriving here from the Black sea after cutting a channel through the floating ice, report that many icebergs are floating southward. One floe was said to be seven miles long. The sudden springlike warmth which has come to Constantinople after the terrific cold of the past two weeks is expected to melt the obstructions shortly.

A great landslide has destroyed a mosque and many dwellings in the Anatolian village of Inegull. The entire population has left the village because of the recurrent danger from landslides.

Poland's army is composed of 250,000 men, including 20,000 officers.

Operated by compressed air, a powerful new hoisting apparatus can lift 10 tons to a height of 16 feet.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 28.—(AP)—The executive committee of the Presbyterian board of Christian education today announced that the board's department of moral welfare "would be authorized forthwith to join with more than 20 other temperance organizations of the United States for a unified plan for the observance of the eighteenth amendment in accordance with the wishes of the new administration of President Hoover."

"This action," the announcement said, "is a result of a visit made to Washington by Dr. J. W. Claudy of Philadelphia, general director of the Presbyterian department of moral welfare. The Presbyterian department will consolidate its prohibition forces with other denominational and national groups, including the Anti-Saloon league, for a more efficient campaign concerning the eighteenth amendment.

"It is planned to withdraw from certain types of political activity and to unite for increased emphasis on education and cultivation of public opinion for law observance."

BURNS.—Plans proposed for erection of new Baptist church.

MUTT AND JEFF—Time to Use a Little Elbow Grease

JEFF, YOU KNOW THAT BIG STIFF DOWN AT THE LION TAMERS' CLUB WHO'S ALWAYS CHIRPING ABOUT HOW HE CAN FIGHT?

Personal Health Service
By WILLIAM BRADY, M. D.

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. Letters are sent in the order received. Only a few can be answered here. No reply can be made to queries not conforming to instructions. Address Dr. William Brady, in care of this newspaper.

FURTHER CHAT ABOUT ANEMIA

There are times when limitations of space are extremely irksome. For instance, I just got warmed up on the subject of anemia the other day when time was called and we had to hurry to press.

There are times when limitations of space are extremely irksome. For instance, I just got warmed up on the subject of anemia the other day when time was called and we had to hurry to press. I so readily recall that I had just dropped iron overboard and were delivering one of those well known evasive answers to the query, "Well, then, what is to do for anemia if iron won't help?"

Of course I am aware that this is almost heresy, but I have no fear that any physician can successfully counter the belief I express. Formerly I myself earnestly believed that certain medicinal preparations of iron, properly made and administered, were almost a specific cure for a certain type of anemia, and I so practiced. But I am pretty sure I was wrong about that, and I am equally certain that the physicians who still harbor such a belief are wrong, too.

Not only is there a shortage or lack of iron, but a satisfactory explanation or cause for anemia, but likewise we cannot assume that a deficiency or lack of any other element or constituent of blood explains anemia or that the mere provision of an ample quantity of the element or constituent will remedy or cure anemia. In short, I venture to say that we know of no particular medicine that will strengthen or build up the blood or restore any blood deficiency to normal.

Well, then, you may now ask just to see whether I am ready to give any practical, constructive information or advice—it does seem as though I'm seldom ready to do that—what does make me anemic and what will give me rich red blood to surge through my veins and all that sort of thing one reads in the magazines? We'll see about that in an early issue.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS
Teaching Hygiene.
Our teacher of hygiene at high school advises the class to avoid eggs and food with eggs in them, as eggs have little food value. She advises us to abstain from eating fried foods, as they hinder proper digestion.—J. G.

Answer.—Well, physiology and hygiene in the high schools is just a joke anyway, isn't it? The stuff and nonsense usually taught under these headings in the schools should not be taken seriously by pupils, and in fact usually is not.

A Germ's Life.
How long do cri germs live when exposed to air? In a house? Out of doors? Does the amount of light make a difference? If a tube of influenza germs was broken in London how long would those germs live? How would they be transported into the mouths and nostrils of the public, thus causing an epidemic?—Mrs. H. G. M.

Answer.—As a rule, with certain important exceptions, the career of a disease germ is finished when the germ becomes separated from its animate host. If diphtheria or tubercle bacilli, for example, retain even a feeble power to produce disease in man, after exposure for an hour or more, at least we need not worry much about this remote danger. Direct sunlight destroys germs in a few minutes; of course, this natural germicide is most effective out of doors. Even a temperature several degrees below that of the human body is fatal to the disease producing capacity of the most deadly germs. The pneumonia germ (Pneumococcus), for example, must be most tenderly coddled in this respect, else it becomes powerless to harm man.

These facts—the tetanus bacillus (germ of lockjaw) is an important exception—serve to relieve my mind, at any rate, of any anxiety about street dust or filth or house dust or filth or public expectation or the blowing about of dried sputum, so far as sanitation or health care is concerned, though the mere esthetic idea of cleanliness is not entirely negligible in the cultivation of good health. If a tube of influenza germs, or any other cri germs, were scattered to the winds in London, that would be the grand finale for those particular germs, unless perchance a few of 'em just happened to alight on some luckless person's mouth in the first spatter from the broken tube.

(Copyright John F. Dille Co.)

Abe Malin

LEAVE HIM HERE FOR DEMOCRATIC CAMPAIGN DEFLECT
JEFFERSON WHITES QUARTERS
In the memory contest at Apple Grove school yesterday, it was almost dark before little Lizzie Lark, who won the prize, got through naming all of the tooth pastes. "My wife had just turned the radio on, an 'I vuz startin' down cellar to read when I heard what I took to be a tire bustin', testified Elmer Means, in the sharp-kate shootin' case today.

Your Income Tax
No. 22.

Depreciation may be claimed on all business property, which includes not only buildings and machinery of a permanent character, but automobiles, farm tractors, mining and mill equipment, office furniture, and books. A lawyer, doctor or other professional man may not charge off as a current expense the cost of a library used wholly in his profession, this being a capital expenditure and the library a capital asset. But he may deduct an allowance for depreciation, based upon the useful life of the library.

A new provision included in the revenue act of 1928 is that in the case of property held by one person for life with the remainder to another person, the deduction for depreciation shall be com-

puted as if the life tenant were the absolute owner of the property and shall be allowed to the life tenant. In the case of property held in trust, the allowable deduction shall be apportioned between the income beneficiaries and the trustee, in accordance with the pertinent provisions of the instrument creating the trust, or, in the absence of such provisions, on the basis of the trust income allocable to each.

First wealth, then, at your leisure, and no hurry about it, art. The Tampa Daily Times, cheerful about big Florida citrus, announces already 28,000 solid carloads of fruits and vegetables have been shipped north, and that is less than half the season's crop. The shipments include more than 31,000 carloads of citrus fruits.

Carl Fisher, who has done a great deal for Florida, writes from Miami that crowds there at hotels, in private houses and on houseboats, have never been so great in Florida's history. The stream of automobiles flowing south compares with the flocks of carrier pigeons that once darkened the sky.

Press Comment

EDITORIAL BY E. F. IRVINE IN OREGON JOURNAL
Watch Her Grow.
Four thousand five hundred cars of pears and apples were shipped out of the Rogue River valley the past fruit season. The pear shipments were 4,000 cars, valued at more than \$2,500,000.

Other shipments from the valley were 5,500 cars of lumber and box shooks. A thousand cars of other products, like small fruits, berries and alfalfa, raised the grand total to 11,000 cars, of which the total value was \$12,000,000. All signs now point to another record-breaking fruit crop the coming season.

A new fruit packing plant for the Kimball Fruit company, to cost \$50,000, is under construction at Medford. A new cold storage plant to cost \$100,000, is under construction for the Southern Oregon Sales company.

A bill recently passed by the legislature authorizes Jackson county to take \$249,000 out of the bond fund and apply it to the construction of a new courthouse at Medford, which is to cost a quarter of a million dollars. After the amount is taken out of the bond fund it will leave sufficient funds to pay all the outstanding bonded indebtedness of the county as the bonds fall due. The county government, removed last summer from Jacksonville, is carried on in the new Medford city hall, which goes out from the county for a period of four years.

Medford families now have a mountain spring in every home. The city recently spent a million dollars in bringing spring water from the heart of the mountains. The city has two reservoirs, with a capacity of 8,000,000 gallons, and plans, another 10,000,000 gallons for city purposes. A new fire hall, to cost \$20,000, is under construction. A \$300,000 hotel, to be built on the site of the present Nash hotel, one of the landmarks of Medford, is planned, and construction is expected to begin in the spring.

With 12 miles of pavement already and more being laid, Medford has many highway features, is modern and aggressive, and is looking forward to one of the biggest building years in its history.

High blood pressure reduced—better than in 20 years. A husband writes about his wife who could get no relief from high blood pressure of long standing. He was worried. Finally he decided to give Agmel a trial. In his letter he says "Since taking Agmel she has gained eight pounds. Her blood pressure is much lower. She sleeps well. In fact, she is feeling better than she has in the past twenty years." Every day such letters are received, testifying to the benefits derived from Agmel.

Low Winter Rates. 4\* departures daily, at big savings. World's greatest motor coach system assures safety, comfort, lowest fares. All cars pleasantly heated.

SOME LOW RATES
San Francisco \$12.15
Oakland \$12.15
Sacramento \$10.80
Yreka \$ 2.25
Redding \$ 5.75
Los Angeles \$19.00
San Diego \$22.30
Kansas City \$19.15
Chicago \$58.15

Depot, Hotel Jackson
102 South Central
Phone 309

Pickwick Stages
By BUD FISHER

JEFF, YOU KNOW THAT BIG STIFF DOWN AT THE LION TAMERS' CLUB WHO'S ALWAYS CHIRPING ABOUT HOW HE CAN FIGHT?

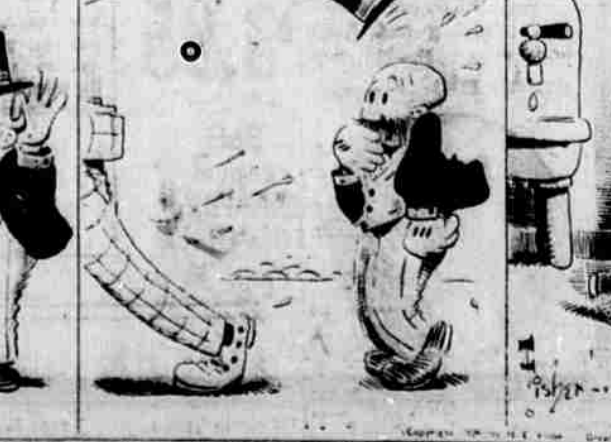
YEAH, WHAT ABOUT HIM?

WELL, I JUST SAW A LITTLE WATER GO UP TO HIM AND THREATEN TO KICK HIM IN THE FACE AND THE BIG BUM TURNED AS WHITE AS HIS SHIRT.

HE DID?

YEP.

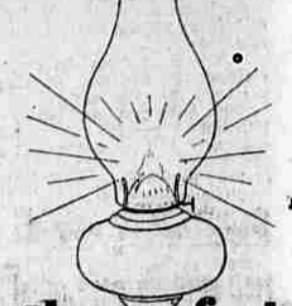
IN FACT WHITER, MUCH WHITER!



NEW TAX MEASURES TO REQUIRE \$75,000 FOR ADMINISTRATION

SALEM, Ore., Feb. 28.—(AP)—The ways and means committee will introduce a bill appropriating \$75,000 to put into effect new revenue measures to be enacted at this session. It was estimated by Earl Fisher, state tax commissioner and John H. Carlin, chairman of the property tax relief commission, that this amount would be required to administer the excise, the intangibles and the income tax acts if they all pass.

BURNBRITE KEROSENE



the perfect kerosene for light or heat

No soot. No charring. A score and more of household uses. It burns with a clear, white flame. A sweet, clean odor.

Burnbrite Kerosene costs no more. Ask your dealer or grocer for the interesting Burnbrite booklet.

ASSOCIATED OIL COMPANY

Refiners & distributors of Associated Gasoline • Associated Ethyl Gasoline • Cylol Motor Oils and Greases

California and East

LOW WINTER RATES
4\* departures daily, at big savings. World's greatest motor coach system assures safety, comfort, lowest fares. All cars pleasantly heated.

SOME LOW RATES
San Francisco \$12.15
Oakland \$12.15
Sacramento \$10.80
Yreka \$ 2.25
Redding \$ 5.75
Los Angeles \$19.00
San Diego \$22.30
Kansas City \$19.15
Chicago \$58.15

Depot, Hotel Jackson
102 South Central
Phone 309

Pickwick Stages

By BUD FISHER