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Ye Smudge Pot
 By Arthur Perry

For some time the popular outdoor sport of this neck of the woods has been agitating, chiefly the taxes, as they are something most people are peevish about all the time, and particularly so, when Depression rackets and frets one and all. It has almost become a custom to grow a fit, whenever it appears that a dollar will be spent, that everybody will get a crack at, and the initial fit is followed by a series of tantrums, to save the taxpayers, and, incidentally get his vote. The misconception and spite reveal movements against the circuit judge fixed of his own cunningness, and became too unpopular to howl about in public. For nearly a month nothing more fiendish than alleged mistreatment of a road steam roller was charged, and it seemed the county was on its way to a national appeal, when a sudden, it great nullaboo arose over the spending of \$455,000 of federal funds for unemployment-relief work on the highways, the benefits of which would flow to every corner of Jackson county. It would circulate much needed money, which, though it is not treason, the only cure for this form of idiotic monkey business is the heavy foot of Public Opinion, vigorously applied where it will do the most good. To the man who depends upon his money, when it comes down to a question of mild famine, or wild drive. It's a case of BEANS, or BULL—nothing else.

So far this season, no young Daniel Boone has tread his Grandma and shot the rake out of her hands, while gathering autumn leaves.

A young man in the county jail seems inclined to confess the blame for all the fires except the ones in Rome and Chicago, the former being started by Nero so he could fiddle, and the latter by Mrs. O'Leary's cow.

There is much hay to put up and many sheep loose, as a jury has been called.

The Socialist candidate for president is delightfully sensible, even if he don't seem to care much about the number of votes he gets. Said Mr. Norman Thomas in his Portland visit:

"We don't talk about beer and whiskey. It is more to the point that people get a sandwich than a drink."
 There's not a Democrat or Republican within seven miles of this typewriter who can duck the logic of that thought. Many who think all their woes would fix if they had a glass of beer, or a sandwich, endeavor to evade it. It is just as sensible as yelling for more caraway seeds in the sauerkraut as an economic cure-all.

Press dispatches from Des Moines, Iowa, describing the visit of the president to the hostile corn belt, read in part:

The farmers jeered as the parade passed under a huge picture of President Hoover flapping in the breeze at Locust and Sixth streets.

"Come down from up there and meet us face to face," they shouted at the canvas replica. This just proves that blind anger is always reasonable.

HECKLING
 Scene: Country school house. Characters: A candidate. Heckler, in back of room.
 Oh! My Fellow Countrymen: I did not come out here tonight (Yes, you have), to make a speech. (Don't worry, you won't). And, I am glad to see so many babies. (Bainey, they can't vote). Hoover is strangling me (Don't let go, Herb, till his tongue hangs out), and how long since any of you had a new Ford. (What did that new Packard cost you?) I have not been able to pay my taxes, because of the Hawley-Smoot tariff bill. A new set of sawblades is needed in the court-house. I feel like going out and milking a cow. (That's an idea!) I feel so sorry for the starving farmers (Where's your bay window?) I could cry. (Go ahead and make it unanimous). I want justice (Did anybody bring a rope?), and, coming out here I nearly lost my way. (Do farmers sure know a huge picture of President Hoover?) I could talk all night. (Please, PLEASE, have mercy on us!) And I will shut up after letting all be a good talk at an escaped angel running for office. (Prolonged silence). I will not take up a collection. (As you won't get your hat back).

The "Paramount Issue" in Jackson County?

THERE is something new under the sun after all. There has been a very general impression in Medford and Jackson county that a campaign of mudslinging, character assassination, and general trouble making has been going on.

This it seems is entirely untrue. There has been nothing of the sort. What has been called mud slinging, has been in fact merely the activities of the Old Dutch Cleanser twins,—the self anointed Daily News and Apostle Fehl.

They have not been making scurrilous charges, slinging dirt, and behind a smoke screen of strife and dissension trying to gain political control of Jackson county.

Perish the thought! They have merely been trying to remove slime from this sink of corruption and iniquity,—Jackson county.

WHAT is the main objective of this clean up? The "Medford gang and the gravy train!" But that has been going on all these years. It's old stuff. So old and so moth-eaten, that it fails to arouse any public interest whatever. The final blow was delivered when this "gang" bluff was called, a special grand jury summoned, the charges supposed to justify such charges, placed before that body and NOT ONE OF THEM SUSTAINED.

NO, that can hardly be the purpose of this new uplift movement. What is it then? Frankly we don't know. But a recent public announcement by the Old Dutch Cleanser twins, gives us an idea. Here it is published only a week ago:

"The News believes that the paramount issue in Jackson county involves the recall of Circuit Judge of this judicial district, Mr. Harry D. Norton."

Paramount means "superior to all others." Mr. Fehl in his two speeches in this city made this issue superior to all others.

So it is fair to assume, the corner stone of the Old Dutch Cleanser platform, is to clean up Jackson county, by securing the removal of Judge Norton.

SO THAT'S IT! No mud slinging. No character assassination. No circulation of falsehoods, no distortion of facts,—nothing but righteousness, purity and light,—and—the RECALL OF JUDGE NORTON.

That's the paramount issue. We have the word of the official organ for it. That is the spear head of the Old Dutch Cleanser twins and their attack.

So Judge Norton must go. Jackson county must be cleaned up. Just as Cleanser Fehl, declared the paving situation, Medford's financial problem, and the water system of Medford had to be cleaned up.

But Medford's paving assessments were paid, Medford's finances were successfully adjusted, and Medford secured the FINEST WATER SYSTEM ON THE PACIFIC COAST.

Why! Because the "clean up" efforts of the office seeking member of this Old Dutch Cleanser firm, FAILED!

We wonder if the people of Medford and Jackson county wish this "clean up" effort on Judge Norton,—this paramount issue in Jackson county at the present time—to SUCCEED!

Well, they will have a chance to answer that question by their votes on November 8th.

For a VOTE TO PUT FEHL IN, MEANS A VOTE TO KICK JUDGE NORTON OUT.

We have the formal and repeated pledge of the Old Dutch Cleanser twins, Mr. Earl Fehl and the Medford Daily News, for the truth of that statement.

Name Them!

IN spite of the fact that these Old Dutch Cleansers regard the recall of Judge Norton, as the paramount issue; they exhibit considerable interest in the candidacy of C. E. (Pop) Gates for county judge.

They appear to be worried about Pop, and his desire to stop this internal dissension and strife, and restore peace and harmony in Jackson county.

They wonder if Pop expects to promote harmony with the "gang" who for years have fattened at the public purse.

If he expects to promote harmony by continuing "the old graft measures of purchasing all COUNTY SUPPLIES on the secret plan from inside members of the gang."

THIS isn't throwing mud at Pop, of course, it is merely accusing present and former members of the county court, of having been affiliated with some mythical gang, that fattened for years on the public purse, and grafted by secret purchases of county supplies.

The present members of the county court are well known, they are Judge C. B. Lamkin, and Commissioners Victor Bursell, and John Barneburg. Do the Dutch Cleanser twins accuse these well known citizens of being gangsters and grafters!

The former county judges and commissioners were Judge Alex Sparrow, Judge W. J. Hartzell, Judge George A. Gardner, Commissioners George Alford of Talent, and James Owen of Wellen.

Unfortunately Judges Sparrow, Hartzell and Gardner, have gone, and can't be called back to answer their accusers (and HOW they would answer them!) But they and their records are all well known. Messrs. Alford and Owen, are here and very much alive.

Do the Dutch Cleanser twins accuse any of these gentlemen, of having connived with gangsters, in fattening on the public purse, and grafting on county supplies.

IF not, then whom do they accuse? LET'S HAVE THE NAMES, THE DATES AND THE PLACES! This isn't a mud slinging campaign to besmirch the reputations of the dead, and cast suspicion upon the honesty and integrity of the living. No, no! It is a clean-up campaign, a crusade of purity and light, to remove the filth and slime that drips from the eaves of our new court house.

ALL right, let's accept the word of the Cleanser twins. They charge there has been graft and corruption, either in the present county court or preceding ones, for certainly there could not have been a fattening on the public purse or secret graft in county supplies, without some members of the courts being parties to it.

Who were those members. Or will the News-Fehl duo, name

JUST ONE MEMBER. For obviously there can't be a clean-up, when there is nothing presented to clean.

The Mail Tribune—and we believe the people of Jackson county,—will await with interest, the "names, the dates and the places, and if this challenge is side-stepped,—as all others of a similar nature have been,—

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 should be brief and written in ink. Owing to the large number of letters 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 The Mail Tribune.

FORMALDEHYDE FOR OSMIDROSIS

Osmidrosis is not a new name, but an old name for bromidrosis. What you don't even know what bromidrosis means Tchki Tchki! Well, keep your eye on the cozy corner magazines—they'll get around to it some of these days. Of course, they won't call it osmidrosis nor even bromidrosis, they'll probably popularize some silly term such as F. P. for it—meaning fetid perspiration.

All sweat has an odor. The normal odor is imparted to the sweat mainly by the fatty acids in the sebum or skin oil which is mixed with the sweat in the common ducts of the sweat and sebaceous glands. This normal odor is sourish. When the sweat has a foul odor, that may be due to certain foods or medicines the individual has taken, but is usually due to decomposition of the mingled sweat and sebum retained in the clothing or upon poorly ventilated surfaces of the skin. The truth of this is shown by the prompt correction of the annoyance by exposure of the affected skin surface to air and sun or by local application of chemical disinfectants.

Going barefoot is by all odds the best preventive and corrective of foul sweating of the feet. Even if sunlight is not available, just going barefoot is always beneficial to the feet, provided, I suppose I must not forget to warn, you avoid places where ringworm or epidermophytosis is prevalent, such as public baths, gymnasiums and swimming pools, and provided you do not live in a community where the ground is polluted with hookworm.

Formaldehyde is powerful, not only as a germicide and disinfectant, but as an irritant and caustic. But if you are not a child it is the most excellent remedy for fetid sweating of feet or hands. For the correction of osmidrosis of other parts of the body it is not so good.

Formaldehyde comes in the standard solution of the gas in water called Liqueur Formaldehydi. This is official in both the United States and the British pharmacopoeias. It is a 37 per cent solution of the pungent gas in water. For immediate cases of fetid sweating of the feet it is sufficient to give the shoes and stockings a formaldehyde bath once a month. One ounce of the standard formaldehyde with enough water added to fill up a half pint bottle. Pour an ounce or two of this into each shoe and swish it about to wet the whole lining, then drain it out into the next shoe, and

Jenkins' Comment
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joys the bulk of Oregon's guest travel, grew twice as fast between 1920 and 1930 as the state of Oregon as a whole, has twice the average buying power of the state of Oregon as a whole, as shown by the census of distribution, and has come to dominate three of the state's most important crops—potatoes, prunes and pears.

Guest travel, you see, is doing a lot for Southern Oregon—that and the ambitious, hard-working, youthful-minded people who inhabit this part of the state.

INCIDENTALLY, the Southern Oregon people who drove to Portland noted that at last the Oregon highway commission is painting a white traffic strip down the center of the pavement ALL THE WAY, and not just at curves, as has been the practice in the past; beginning this task, apparently, in the north and moving southward with it.

It is a great convenience in night driving, and adds tremendously to safety. California started this practice years ago and proved its safety value.

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 LEONARD HICKS
 Managing Director

Flight 'o Time

(Medford and Jackson County History from the Files of The Mail Tribune of 24 and 10 Year Ago)

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY
 October 6, 1922.
 (It was Friday.)

The rain continues, and puts an end temporarily to Indian summer.

The Alumni team for the high school game tomorrow will comprise a number of old stars, including Dan and Dub Watson, Richard Payne, Russ and Stan Sherwood, Peter Cornum, Jess Gentry and others.

Central Point to get out a year book in 1923.

Brick payment of taxes reported by the sheriff.

Harvard professor predicts "with the ascendancy of the auto as a means of transportation, America will be a nation of gasoline tramps in 15 years."

Giants defeat Yankees in third game of world series, 4 to 3.

United States now as dry on sea as on land.

Quashing of indictments in Klan nightriding case denied by circuit court.

War breaks out again in China, and Turkey, Ireland and Egypt restles.

Twenty Years Ago Today
 October 6, 1912.
 (It was Saturday.)

Evangelist from Texas says Medford is "wickedest city of its size" on Pacific coast. Mayor Canon says: "This is just so much blather, and should be taken with a grain of salt."

Political speeches, barbecue and horse races to be held at fairgrounds. (Proof that the old days were tough days.)

Improved Presbyterian church is opened.

A blizzard wrecks all the tents at Crater lake.

Medford Bear Creek bonds sell at premium.

Trial of Charles M. Becker, New York police captain, for plotting murder of Herman Rosenthal, gambler, begins. This was the first known alliance between crime and politics.

Lovesick Portland youth tries to end it all with a glass of gasoline.

Editorial Comment

THE BIGGEST LITTLE CITIES
 Jackson county is usually heard of as dedicated almost wholly to fruit production. To think of that county is generally to think of a pear or a peach or a honeydew melon.

But the dairies of Jackson county have 8,400 cows. Dairying, in fact, is undergoing important growth and has now an annual milk production in excess of 4,250,000 gallons. A new cheese factory at Eagle Point and fine creameries at Ashland and Medford are among the manufacturing plants.

Always alive in applying new methods and discoveries, Laddie clover, introduced in Oregon at the Astoria experiment station, has been seized upon by Jackson county dairymen and, along with winter bluegrass and alfalfa, Jackson dairymen are utilizing the last word in feeding their herds.

If the soil were everywhere used in the diversified production in which it is utilized in Jackson county there would be no cry of "overproduction."

Keeping abreast of the general progress of the community, Medford last year erected two fine new school buildings, a senior high school and a new grammar school, with a combined capital outlay of \$350,000, and the school system of that city is now on a par with any in the state, from the standpoint of both physical equipment and educational facilities.

Mr. Farrell is attorney for the Talant Irrigation district and Mr. Neff for the Medford district. Olen Anspinger, manager of the two districts, will also attend the congress.

Be correctly corrected by ETHELWYN B. HOFFMANN'S Sixth & Holly streets

NEFF AND FARRELL AT IRRIGATION CONCLAVE

Attorneys Frank P. Farrell and Peter J. Neff left last night for Bend, where they will attend the annual irrigation congress.

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Pile Sufferers

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