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## "Civil War" in Medford

The beautiful city of Medford is getting in the headlines oftener than is good for her. Once known as the metropolis of one of the finest valleys in the west, she is now becoming the political "bloody angle" of the state, outdistancing formidable competition to achieve this dubious distinction. The other day nearly 1000 irate citizens marched to the court house to demand resignations. Before that two former county officials had been arrested by order of their successors. Charges of collusion to save over a killing had been handed about. Every election was made the occasion for a nasty display of factional animosity. Men whose reputations had previously been recognized as good were mercilessly denounced as enemies of the people.

The "war" seems to have been started by one Llewellyn Banks, publisher of the Medford News. Banks has been stirring up the animals ever since he landed in Medford. No doubt there were abuses, as there are everywhere, but they could hardly have been as damaging to the community as the atmosphere of bitter strife which has been aroused throughout Jackson county, a feeling that will not cool for several years, which will keep people from wanting to settle there and which will keep people already there from getting together for mutual advancement.

The Medford situation offers a warning to every newspaper and to every citizen of every town in Oregon. This is no time to stir up feuds, but rather to effect reconciliations, to prevent such differences as are sure to arise from becoming "civil wars." We have troubles enough without creating new ones.—(Baker. Ore.) Herald-Democrat.

## 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.

### MIRACULOUS RESTORATION OF SIGHT TO THE BLIND

In his instructive little book "What Everyone Should Know About the Eyes" (Funk & Wagnalls Co.) Dr. A. Park Lewis tells of a little girl who went blind, totally blind.

She was the child of highly neurotic parents. Her parents, uncles, aunts and the neighbors had freely discussed the child's falling eyesight and the increasing difficulty of using her eyes.

Then one day they took her to an oculist in a nearby city, with the entire family accompanying her on the train. We may fairly surmise they whiled away the tedious ride talking about the sad condition of blindness and other things that neurotic people like to talk about.

The oculist found the child's eyes exceedingly far-sighted, one eye more so than the other (as is not unusual), but less than half the normal sight. Proper glasses to correct the far-sightedness enabled the child to see without discomfort.

During the examination, however, the fact of the poor sight in one eye was made evident to the child, and it weighed on her impressionable mind. On her return home she tried shutting the good eye, and, seeing imperfectly, she became alarmed and cried: "I can't see! I can't see!"

The parents, true to their type, became excited and exclaimed, "How dreadful! Nellie is growing blind!"

And promptly, Nellie, responding to the suggestion, did become blind.

There was nothing wrong with Nellie's eyes, but for the time being she could not see objects smaller than the fingers at a distance of three feet with the better eye, and with the poorer eye she could not see the light of a 40-watt lamp directly before the eye.

This is psychic blindness, a form of hysteria. Hysteria is a state in which the mind does not respond to the normal impulses.

A psychic condition requires psychic treatment. The better eye was bandaged and the child was assured that shortly the sight would return to the blind eye. Within half an hour she was avoiding chairs as she groped about the room, and gradually the mental veil was

lifted and Nellie was seeing again in a normal way.

It was one of the conditions in which suggestion is effective. Had the little blind girl come under the spell of some blatant charlatan or some freak mental healer or hypnotist or perhaps some religious healer, the restoration of her sight would have been a great miracle. But being under medical care it was of small significance.

Hysterical or psychic blindness is the kind of blindness that is often cured by some suggestion. I have seen the records of several such cases. I have never found a dependable record of cure of real blindness by miraculous means.

### QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Why Keep It Secret?

If you will be so kind as to give me the address of your correspondent W. J. S., who was suffering with gallstones, I will write her about a remedy I have that is a sure cure for gallstones; no operation. Thank you. I am—Mrs. M. M. E.

Answer—But Mrs. W. J. S. is only one of many thousands who suffer from gallstones. Why elude her alone for cure? I can't divulge the identity of a correspondent, but if you wish to make the cure known I'll be happy to pass it on to the thousands of sufferers who would like to avoid an operation if that is possible. Being Irish I Deserve Consideration. Several references in your column to Irish moss. I am from Boston and have never been without a supply of Irish moss collected by our family on the beach. Many people do not know how delicious this moss blanc mange is and how economical. We have it for dessert often and we never tire of it. Here in New Jersey I have been unable to find the moss in the drug stores. In Massachusetts a quarter's worth of Irish moss will last months. I'd be glad to inform anyone interested how to make the blanc mange and where to get the moss.—Mrs. A. J. B.

Answer—Thank you. I am filling your letter, and I do hope I'll be able to get the recipe and instructions.

### It Is Not a Cure.

Please tell me your cure for constipation.—J. H.

Answer—Constipation is in the great majority of cases merely a bad habit. No cure is required. Send with your request a dime and a stamped envelope bearing your address and ask for the booklet "The Constipation Habit." (Copyright, John P. Dille Co.)

## ROYAL COUPLE AND THEIR SON



Archduke Anton of Hapsburg and the Archduchess Ileana, formerly Princess Ileana of Rumania, are shown with their son, Stefan, born last August. (Associated Press Photo)

## POET LAUREATE VISITS U. S.



John Masefield, England's poet laureate, is shown with Mrs. Masefield upon their arrival in Central Point for a visit of several weeks in America. (Associated Press Photo)

## Flight 'o Time

Medford and Jackson County history from the files of The Mail Tribune of 49 and 10 Year Ago.)

**TEN YEARS AGO TODAY**  
 January 19, 1923.  
 (It was Friday.)  
 Ex-nun delivering lectures in the rural areas of the county to large crowds.

Fern valley poultry raisers gather 700 eggs a day.

Dewey Jones, brother of Oregon Jones found guilty of highway robbery.

Cost of living increases, statistics shows. General shortage of labor in land.

Clock in the Espee depot is given first overhauling in 15 years.

Medford cannery prepares for big pack this year.

Medford banks run out of pennies.

Cows of valley to be tested next week.

**TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY**  
 January 19, 1913.  
 (It was Sunday.)  
 Court Hall leaves for Los Angeles to see Bud Anderson, "Pride of Medford," fight Sammy Trotter.

Mrs. L. A. Salade entertains the Royal Auction Club.

Local movie lovers thrilled by presentation of "Sins Penalty" at Star. The show lasts two hours.

Ed Root's dog Snider starts to shed his hair, which the editor says is an unfurling sign that spring is near.

Apples grown here find way to Denmark.

Herr Carl Grissen of Berlin and Mrs. Capicola, Evelyne, concertists, engaged to play for short time at Hotel Medford during supper hour.

## Officers Installed By Central Point Odd Fellow Lodge

CENTRAL POINT, Jan. 19.—(Sp.) Central Point I. O. O. F. lodge No. 193 and Mt. Pitt Rebekah lodge No. 167 installed officers in their respective chairs Monday night.

Central Point Lodge No. 193: Noble grand, Henry Head; vice-grand, E. W. Hedgerty; secretary, J. E. Vincent; treasurer, P. A. Southwell.

Mt. Pitt Lodge No. 167: Noble grand, Erma Hedgerty; vice-grand, Clara Vincent; secretary, Florence Eddy; treasurer, Minnie Buckles.

District deputy grand master, T. W. Miles, with his team from Ashland, installed the officers of I. O. O. F. and a team of Ashland Rebekah sisters Mrs. Florence Eddy in installing the Rebekah officers.

Refreshments were served by the host and hostess lodges, and many visitors were present to enjoy the evening.

Big dance, Rogie River, Sat., Jan. 21. Good music. Good time.

## Communications

**Farmer Bill Issues Defl.**  
 To the Editor:  
 As my challenge to a debate in the Sunday issue of the Mail Tribune was not answered, why I will make another challenge, and make it more direct to the ones that I want to answer it.

It seems that there is a certain bunch of citizens that read nothing but the Daily News and are beginning to believe every word of it, and take it seriously, and that is this political bunk that is being peddled by its editor, Mr. L. A. Banks. Now to explain more fully what I want:

That if two farmers could debate this political question, and especially this political bunk question, that has begun to overcome some of the good citizens and voters that read nothing but the Medford Daily News, and have got just one side of this political bunk, which in reality rules our government.

Now in order to get these citizens and voters to see the funny side of this political question, and the folly of letting politics get the best of them and in politics it the majority votes that puts a man in office, be he crook, liar, grafter, ex-convict or a real honest lawyer.

Now I, W. N. Carl, known politically as Farmer Bill from Applegate, do hereby challenge any voter in Jackson county, especially the central part of the county of the Daily News, for a debate, the question to be, "Resolved, that some of the readers of the Daily News have an overdose of politics."

Now this challenge is too all takers, be he a lawyer, minister, doctor, banker or farmer, preferably a farmer or Mrs. Farmer, as all farmers are all common and this political disease seems to have hit us hillmen and mountaineer folks that are just reading the Daily News the hardest.

Now this challenge does not include editors or any one who was elected to office last fall.

Now if this debate can not be held in any stated place, why not use the columns of the Medford papers?

My argument will run something like this: "That the political part of the human race is likened to a drove of hogs, some big overgrown ones, some nice sleek ones, some boozes that lay by the trough and grunts with contentment and next comes the rooter bunch. They root big holes in our pocketbooks, and keep the trough full for the contented boozes. Now this section is likened unto the Jackson County Bar Association, and the contented gang that lays by the trough and grunts, and only gets the rooter section up to the trough to keep it clean, and is likened unto the big corporations, such as utilities, etc. on.

Then comes the hungry bunch which is the biggest number, and all they get to fill their stomachs is just the smell that happens to blow from the trough their way and this bunch is getting leaner and thinner each day by day and this section contains all sizes and ages and this bunch is known as the squealer section, and why this section squeals will let my worthy opponents see.

And now in this squealer section is only about one-third that are squealers. Now there are volunteer squealers and leaders, such as chief director general, first assistant and second assistant and so on.

And sometimes the chief squealer is squealing for one of the big fat ones laying at the trough, and not for the rest of the hungry ones. Now I contend that I am one of the squealer section from the Applegate and what position I hold I have not found out, as I have not consulted the chief director yet. I just wanted to start the rest, but once I squealed so loud that to help the Applegate school district to cut its taxes over 18 mills at one lick. So you see it pays to squeal at the right time, and if you don't think so ask L. M. Sweet of Sams Valley when he wants some road improvement in his district.

Now I will ask my worthy opponents not to quote scripture in backing a political argument. I think when one stoops so low to make it appear that we have an anti-Christ here in Jackson county, is using poor judgment. It is only casting pearls before swine. Now I have cast the first pearl. I do not claim to be sinless, as I know I have many sins. Now, let's go for a debate and let the readers be the judges.

W. N. CARL,  
 Provolt, Ore.  
 Jan. 18, 1933.

Leaves for Ashland—E. W. Northridge, who sustained minor injuries yesterday in an auto wreck near Ashland, in which his sister, Mrs. Maude Renton of the Idaho city, was more seriously hurt, left this morning on train for the neighboring city, where Mrs. Renton is receiving treatment in the hospital. "The whole thing was a mighty tough blow of fate," Mr. Northridge stated this morning, explaining that he had gone to Ashland to bring his sister to this city, where he was to undergo an operation.

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## CULINARY CRAFT

By Estelle Dorgan, Director of Home Service, California Oregon Power Co.

Here we are, greeting the opportunities of a new year. They certainly shall come to us, at least occasionally, and possibly we can find them ourselves in places which last year we overlooked. For instance, there are real opportunities open to the housewife always to make feeding her family more efficient, pleasurable and economical. Few actually accomplish all they might in this field—get "easy going" so to speak. So a good resolution for this new year is suggested in a plan to offer interesting meals 85 days in 1933. Not extravagant or fantastic meals, but foods planned, cooked and served more carefully, so as to get the most in food and flavor out of what is available and suitable in each case. The nice part of this plan is that it will give you more time, since you will plan at least a week in advance. Also, it will save money, since you will purchase in quantities on "special" days, as well as plan the use of all left-overs. Here's wishing you much success and pleasure in these "opportunities" of 1933 and, to be very practical, we are giving you some recipes suitable for such a plan.

**Vienna Steak.**  
 Cook four medium onions until yellowish-brown in beef fat, then add one-half teaspoon of paprika and stew the onions until red. Have steak cut in individual helpings from round cut one inch thick. Wipe with a damp cloth and season with salt. Put the steaks in with the onions and add one lump of sugar and three tablespoons of tomato sauce. Cover well and simmer gently for two hours. Thirty minutes before serving, add several small potatoes and a little water, cover again and cook together.

**Hamburger Steak Grill.**  
 Greens pan well and place 1/2-inch slices of apple to brown. Arrange cooked sweet potato in patties, or small rolls, in pan with apples and place rack over all. On this greased rack place the hamburger patties and set all close to the upper element, which is turned to high heat and preheated while the grill is being prepared. Leave the door partially open during the cooking process so that the steam may escape and the meat brown. Turn the meat once when the first side is seared well, then salt, if desired, and complete the cooking. Serve as a plate dinner and garnish with cranberry or chili sauce.

**Pork Chops En Casserole.**  
 6 chops, 1 inch thick  
 1 medium onion  
 1 small green pepper  
 1 can tomato hot sauce  
 1 cup water  
 1 bay leaf.

Brown the chops in a frying pan, then place in the casserole. Cut the pepper and onion into thin slices and brown in the pork fat. Put over the chops, together with the hot sauce and water. Cover all and bake in a slow oven (300 degrees) for 1 1/2 hours. At the same time bake potatoes to serve with this excellent casserole of pork chops.

**Ham Souffle.**  
 4 egg yolks  
 1 1/2 cup thick white sauce  
 2 cups cooked, ground ham  
 4 egg whites.

Add the beaten egg yolks to the hot white sauce and mix well. Add ham and cool. Fold in the stiffly beaten whites and put into a buttered casserole and bake in a moderate oven (325 degrees) for 30 minutes. Serve immediately.

## DISCUSS LEGISLATIVE PROBLEMS



President-elect Roosevelt conferred in New York with democratic congressional leaders on a long list of legislative problems, including that of balancing the budget and cutting government expenses. Speaker John N. Garner, the vice president-elect, headed the group which included Senator Joseph T. Robinson (lower left), senate floor leader and Rep. Henry T. Rainey (lower right), floor leader in the house (Associated Press Photos)

## QUIZZED IN SLAYING MYSTERY



In efforts to clear up mystery surrounding the slaying of Edwin Schildhauer, 28-year-old high school bandmaster, Chicago authorities quizzed his widow, Mrs. Frances Schildhauer (left), and Carl Bradberry (right), former deputy sheriff whose card was found in the slain man's pocket. (Associated Press Photos)

## Willow Springs Gospel Service

The men's gospel quartet of the Federated church will conduct a short service just after the Sunday school at the Willow Springs schoolhouse next Sunday afternoon. A program of male quartet music and some personal testimonies will be given, and all who like to take part in witnessing for Christ will be given a chance. All are welcome. No charge, and no offering.

## Jenkins' Comment

(Continued from Page One)

THE position of city commissioner in Spokane is so attractive as to bring out more than 100 candidates. It is a fair sign that the salary paid is fairly high for present conditions.

Fender and metal repairing. Prices right. Brill Sheet Metal Works.

Broken windows glazed by Trowbridge Cabinet Works.

## Ye Smudge Pot

By Arthur Perry

Snow, as white and pure, as some allege they are, adorned the floor of the valley yesterday, falling scantily before breakfast. It reminded many of the Older Boys, that when young they walked seven miles to school, through snow knee deep, first milking 17 cows by the light of a lantern, and breaking the ice on the wash pan ere they could wash their cheery and fustian faces. Uncle, 87, called. He testified that when it snowed he never went to school, and that his Uncle Ben did all the milking.

**SNAPPY CRACKS AT SALEM**  
 (Eugene News)  
 Advised Gov. Meier: "Miss Austin (Holman's secretary) could help you. You could go to lunch—"

Interrupted Holman: "Be careful what you say!"

Concluded Gov. Meier: "At the feeble-minded institute or some place."

The Dub, Watson kid, Chauncey Biewer, and Prof. Hedrick sport new haircuts.

It is frequently whined on the street corner, "Is this America?" Yes, this is America. And, what is more, it will continue to be America. There will be a lot of windmilling and blathering and loud jabbering of the personal pronoun "I," but when the lungs play out the nation will still be intact. The constitution will not be mud-splattered, nor the flag dyed a Russian red. There is a lot of wild, feverish, and idiotic talk about a revolution. Many of the potential revolutionists do not realize that a revolution means work, and it has been a long time since they did any of that.

## "RULE OF THE PEOPLE"

(Harrington, Vt. Times)  
 Mayor J. Holmes Jackson said yesterday that all offices in the city hall will be closed today, but that the ladies' rest room and the men's room would be open as usual.

The first gun of the 1934 campaign was fired Tuesday, when the governor and the state treasurer started acting like Jackson county, and indulged in some badinage. The secretary of state, at whom everybody is mad, because they have to buy an auto license, retained and maintained his aplomb. Every day in every way politics become more wonderful.

## TRUTH-TWISTING

The Facts  
 Three men stood on the street corner.

The Distortion  
 Three men stood on the street corner. Two of them were zeros, therefore, 100 men stood on the street corner.

Winter return to thwart a deal whereby a cow was to be swapped for a 4d.

## BUT I'M INDIGNANT

(Schmeddady, N.Y. Star)  
 Considered indignantly, the thing most lacking in the world today is confidence. Confidence is nothing more nor less than faith—faith that institutions and principles which have stood the test of time will survive, faith that the world will continue to revolve and the sun will rise and set, faith that there will be seed time and harvest, faith in God.

The present is no new experience for humanity. Whenever it has strayed from faith in divine power, it has run into trouble. When it has come back to faith and adjusted itself to the divine plan again, it has found relief from trouble.

There is going to be alogan contest. Herewith, "Keep Your Shirt On."

Among the crassest low plagiating the community, along with comic opera politics, are the jig-saw puzzles. A jig-saw puzzle consists of 300 or more pieces of paper or wood, no two alike, and each a different hue. The job is to make them fit, so they will resemble a painting when all are correctly placed. After trying to work one of the jig-saw puzzles, most anybody feels like showing the courthouse over on the main district attorney. They sledge the brain, and make black specks float before the eyes. The jig-saw puzzle is intended as an educator for the young, in "ascertaining proportions quickly." The young, however, are too smart. If they are going to "ascertain any proportions," it will be by a less befuddling method. Along toward the end of a day spent in conquering a jig-saw puzzle, it becomes a jag-saw puzzle.

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But be sure for your health's sake that you ask for and get Kruschen's Salts. Get them at Jarmin & Woods Drug Store, Brown's Pharmacy, West Side Pharmacy, or any drug store in the world.

**Mrs. Brown's Rites Scheduled Friday**

Funeral services for Mary Louise Brown, wife of Roy Brown of 310 N. Bartlett street, who passed away January 17, will be held at the Congregational chapel at 2:30 Friday, conducted by Rev. Burch. Interment in the Medford I. O. O. F. cemetery.

**Backache, Nervous**

ALL women at some period of their lives need a strengthening tonic like Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Read what Mrs. J. H. Sharp of 1497 Franklin St., Eugene, Oregon, says: "I had frequent backache, nervous headaches, hardly any appetite, lost all ambition but after taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription I felt well once more."

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