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Ye Smudge Pot By Arthur Perry

The President announces there will be no "Saw-tooth" legislation Perpetrated by the next session of congress.

A number of Jackson county horses, displaced by the auto in 1924, are now dragging low, rakish wagons.

The news that a railroad would be constructed from the coast was received joyously, as upon many occasions when railroads to the coast were removed to make plug-hat of promoters.

Clara Bow, the little girl of the films, is the mother of a bouncing boy. The general public ought to hope that when he grows up he won't act like Mama's pre-agent claimed she did.

PIONEER VICIITUDES. (Pendleton, Pa. Oregonian) Wilcox Springs—the cloudburst last Saturday did a good deal of damage to gardens and grain sown in the low bottoms.

To do this, we regard the first necessity to be, to give the Governor the power, give him the responsibility, and then hold him STRICTLY ACCOUNTABLE for both!

THAT as we understand it is what General Martin wants. By all means give it to him. It would assist him to be the sort of Governor he wishes to be,—the sort of Governor we are confident with a free hand he will be,—it will help him and be of lasting benefit to the people of this state.

NEW YORK DAY BY DAY By O. O. McIntyre

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Harry Richman bounded into town again the hit of a musical show. In reality Richman is no longer the juvenile singer of romantic songs.

Take Bernard M. Baruch, chairman of the national committee for the taking of profits out of war. It develops he was so adept at the removal of profits from the last war, so much so, his income tax reports for the years 1918-19 are missing.

Shopping days to Christmas

Governor-Elect Martin

TO date Governor-elect Martin is certainly justifying the expectations of his supporters and friends. General Martin frequently stated during the campaign that if elected Governor he intended to be his own boss.

It is refreshing to have as Governor a man who instead of shirking direct and personal responsibility, welcomes it. Who instead of trying to compromise or sidestep, important state issues, meets them firmly, clearly, and unequivocally, as they arise.

IN this determination to be his own boss as Governor, to keep free from the petty considerations of partisanship, not to be diverted from his purpose by the demands of the self-seeking politicians, we feel, General Martin deserves—and should have,—the hearty support of the people of this state, regardless of party.

IN the matter of assisting the governor-elect in this direction—securing direct executive responsibility, and giving the state a clear cut, business-like and non-political administration—the Mail Tribune strongly favors the establishment of the state board of control.

Theoretically a state board of control, may have its good features. But practically it simply hasn't worked out. One of the chief disappointments of the present administration, has been the constant friction between Governor Meier and one other member of the board of control, State Treasurer Holman.

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THE soap box orators unusual latitude of expression. Lambasting the government and working into a lather over the omissions of capitalism provide a safety valve. The steam let off is harmless enough and if checked only might cause more serious explosions.

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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.

OLD TIMERS SHOULD REVISE THEIR FUNNY NOTIONS ABOUT DIET When I was an interne we had a good deal of typhoid fever, and the conventional diet in such cases was milk or at least only 1 quart a day.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS Bones Crack. My bones crack in the joints, sometimes so loudly that it is embarrassing. There is no soreness or pain. I am 17 years old.—Miss L. B.

NEEDLING BETTER THAN PARBOILING. See the milkman adjust the bit in his horse's mouth and then pick up a bottle of milk and place it on customer's porch, where perhaps stray cats will lick the frozen milk tray.

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Comment on the Day's News By FRANK JENKINS

A TERSE dispatch from Tokyo says: "The Japanese government acted today to scrap the Washington naval treaty, and expressed confidence in its readiness to meet any situation which might arise as a result."

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Christmas Greetings A Choice Selection of POTTED PLANTS and CUT FLOWERS AT JUDGE'S MEDFORD GREENHOUSE

Flight 'o Time (Medford and Jackson County History from the files of the Mail Tribune of 20 and 10 Years Ago).

SEVENTEEN YEARS AGO TODAY December 20, 1917. (It was Saturday.) Valley continues to shiver in cold weather since 1917, with the mercury hovering around 20 degrees above zero.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY December 20, 1914. (It was Sunday.) Heaviest and fiercest fighting of the war, raging on the western front: fate of Warsaw, Poland, rests on outcome of big battle between German and Russian armies.

PETROLEUM CODE GIVEN CIRCUIT COURT BACKING

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 20.—(AP)—Proponents of the petroleum code today had the backing of a circuit court decision to support them in their fight on price cutting.

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up with the housing administration, but only 3867 have actually made loans. The supreme court discovered only one error in the oil code, but there were two. The word "organize" was left out of the labor section, which took the heart out of it.



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