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LET'S PREVENT MINORITY RULE

Another revolutionary measure is to be presented to the people of Oregon at the election this fall, which if passed will more than do its part in disrupting financial conditions in our state.

The measure is to reduce the interest rate to a maximum of five per cent as the legal limit in this state.

The mere fact that this bill is on the ballot will be sufficient to discourage considerable investment in Oregon. If it passes, it will, of course, have to be repealed, but in the meantime damage will have been done that will take many years to overcome.

Time and again there has been attempted measures which would legislate the rate of interest to a point lower than what the use of money is worth. Legislation of this effect is always found to be an extra burden to the borrower whom it is aimed to benefit. If the legal rate of interest is reduced to five per cent the borrower will be obliged to pay usurious rates to get money in violation of the law.

Money that is worth seven per cent and eight per cent will not be loaned at five per cent regardless of what the law may say is the legal limit, and if the borrower wants to borrow money on the character of loans that demand seven per cent and eight per cent, he will either have to violate the law or go without the required capital.

Let it be remembered that 18 per cent of the registered voters of the state have actually voted measures in to our constitution and you will see how necessary it is for you to bestir yourself and point out the evils of such a law as this five per cent measure to all voters with whom you have any influence.

The very fact that everyone is desirous of borrowing money as cheaply as possible when the occasion arises for borrowing, makes this bill seem very attractive on its face, but when it is understood that Oregon will pay a very high price in the loss of investment capital of almost every kind should this measure become a law, one can easily appreciate that time taken to aid in its defeat will be well invested.

We have laws on our statute books now that are inimical to the welfare of the state, inasmuch as they discourage the investment of capital herein and it would be a fatal day for Oregon from an investment standpoint when she enacted such a measure as this causing the withdrawal of millions of dollars that otherwise annually come into the state for investment in practically every kind of securities offered here.

And not only would we lose the benefit of procuring outside capital, but in addition we would find that local capital that is being used here now would be sent elsewhere for investment in order that its owners might receive a reasonable return for a loan of their money.

It would be a sorry day for Oregon when none of its home owners could borrow money to help them build or buy homes or when its business men and manufacturers are unable to procure capital to assist them in carrying on their respective lines of endeavor because of the fact that the money would not be available at the interest rate fixed by law in the state.

THE NEW SOCIETY

The new society, organized last week to commemorate past incidents of incongruous veracity and to perpetuate the science and practice of this attribute of humankind, has already been of benefit. Laughter, the uncontrollable kind that bubbles up from the stomach and shakes you all over, the kind that causes men to make noises queerer than any freak of the animal kingdom ever emitted, is a fine thing. It aids digestion. It takes out the squeaks and creaks from that intangible spiritual embodiment that is somewhere surrounding or encompassed by what is mortal of us. Like oils and fats good laughs are needed to lubricate our stomachs and other physical parts of us, laughter smooths our thinking apparatus and makes us voice less grating words.

Those who attended the session of the new society Friday night laughed real laughs. They yelled up and bubbled over. It was good for everybody. S. Benson, who is getting to be a kind of a Hood River citizen, was with us. He was celebrating his 68th birthday. We didn't know it at the time, or we might have given him some kind of a belt. He reared just like all the others present. He's a young old man all the time, but we wager that the good laughs he had Friday night made him feel all the younger.

A MISNOMER

The anti-vaccination bill, so called, as it will appear on the ballot at the November election, is a misnomer, according to authorities and health officials who have studied it. The bill, while apparently directed against vaccination, will repeal practically all of Oregon's health laws. A man suffering with the most virulent contagious disease, if the bill becomes a law, will be able to move without legal restraint among his fellow men and scatter disease broadcast. The bill should be defeated if Oregon is expected to continue her lead as a state standing for better health conditions.

Already the surrounding hilltops are taking on their tints of autumn glory. The Underwood Heights ought to make Hood River folk glad of their choice of a home.

Get in the garden stuff before a freeze.

REAL SPORTSMEN

Hood River should be as proud of the high school football team for their real sportsmanship in last Friday's game as though the boys had won. Vancouver won the game, but Hood River won something, too. The team and the student body won the respect and admiration of every one who saw the game, and others who read about how the boys fought against odds in clean-cut sport made a resolution that they would see that fighting team in its next encounter. Those boys have the kind of fighting spirit that makes character.

Just before a former election canards were put forth against J. K. Nickelsen. It was the purpose of the stories to injure Mr. Nickelsen's candidacy for joint state senatorship for Hood River and Wasco counties. But the canards were so preposterous that they became a boomerang and injured the candidacy of Mr. Nickelsen's opponent.

Similar tactics are again being pursued against Mr. Nickelsen. But the ordinary elector likes to play fair. Some of the stories that have gone forth are so patently absurd that they are resulting in a psychological blunder for those who would injure Mr. Nickelsen. John E. Nickelsen may not be as suave as many of his fellow men. He is a man whose greatest pleasure is derived from the quiet of his own fire-side. His honesty and integrity are not questioned by those who know him, and he is known well both in Hood River and Wasco counties, having lived in both.

The dwindling of tonnage on the river lines can be traced to the inconvenience of getting to and from the present boat landings. If Hood River had proper wharfage facilities the business would be much greater. We wonder how many folk have ever ridden up and down the Columbia on a steamboat. It is a journey that should some time be taken. If the landing place were of easy access everybody would probably take the trip.

The case of the young man fined for street swearing last week should be a lesson. Youths and adults, too, for that matter, often grow into a habit that calls for conversation punctuated with numerous oaths. It is indecent, unmanly and irreverent.

If you wish to get an interesting slant on the Japanese in America, read Wallace Irwin's "Seed of the Sun," now appearing in the Saturday Evening Post. He is portraying a graphic picture of things in California.

The Mosier twin tunnels have been made safe. The view from the ramparts of the bore is one of the most appealing of the Highway.

It pays to have comfortable quarters for apple pickers. The growers so equipped have had small trouble in getting a crew.

Let's not forget about our need of road signs. Get them established before next season's tourist travel.

If this rain keeps up a few orchardists are going to be madder than March hares.

Republicans Getting Active

At a meeting of the Hood River County Republican Central Committee Saturday it was announced that Walter L. Toose will be here the evening of October 27 to deliver an address in behalf of Robert N. Stanfield, candidate for United States senator. W. A. Isenberg and R. C. Glanville were appointed publicity committee to arrange for the meeting.

Columbus Day Tuesday

Columbus Day slipped up on many orchardists, who met with disappointment on calling at banks to withdraw funds for harvest help Tuesday. Several county officers, too, forgot that the day was a legal holiday until they discovered the banks closed. Taking advantage of the first full day without showers since harvest was begun, apple growers celebrated Columbus Day by picking a record quantity of apples.

Man Jumps Into Willamette

Passenger aboard the O.-W. R. & N. local, due here at 9:50 a. m., were delayed about an hour Tuesday morning when the engineer, seeing a man jump from the wagon floor of the bridge above the floor used by rail lines, halted the train. Passengers and members of the crew tried to effect a rescue. Water craft hastened to the scene, but the victim sank and the body had not been recovered when the train pulled out for the east.

Scott is Division Engineer

J. H. Scott, formerly located here in charge of the Hood River-Mosier stretch of the Highway, has been appointed division engineer of seven counties of the north central part of the state. Mr. Scott, who made the survey for the Mount Hood Loop highway through the valley, is making his headquarters at The Dalles.

Cameron Operates Service Station

Sumner D. Cameron, formerly with the Hood River Garage and known as one of the community's best electrical service men for automobiles, has begun operation of the Bennett service station at the corner of Fourth street and Cascade avenue. He will equip the place with machinery for electrical repair of cars. Columbia batteries will be stocked.

Soldier's Funeral Sunday

Funeral services for Earl M. Robertson, who died overseas while serving with the 65th Regiment, will be held at Riverside church Sunday. Interment will follow at Idlewild cemetery. The American Legion will have charge of the funeral and formal military rites will be observed. The body will arrive here from New York city Friday evening.

Highest cash price paid for your used furniture, stoves and rugs. Call McClain at E. A. Franz Co.

FINS, FURS AND FEATHERS

Cecil Holman last week caught two large sturgeons at one time in a trap near Sonny. The fish, the combined weight of which was slightly less than 100 pounds, were sold to local dealers.

Saturday Angus McDonald acquired his 25th set of rattles from rattlesnakes. He killed about half of the reptiles himself. The others met death under wheels of automobiles. The last, with eight rattles, one of the largest he has killed, was fleeing from a bull snake when Mr. McDonald observed him.

Mr. McDonald says that all manner of animals have met death under wheels of automobiles on the new road. Some motor tourist had the misfortune to run down a skunk recently.

ANNOUNCEMENT FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

To the People of Hood River County: I take this means of announcing to the people of this County that I am a candidate to succeed myself as District Attorney at the general election, November 2nd, having administered the office during the past term by favor of the voters of this county at the general election of 1916.

If you feel that the office has been acceptably administered by me in the past, I will very much appreciate your support, with the assurance that the business of the county and state, both criminal and civil, will be attended to with the least possible expense to the taxpayers consistent with a proper enforcement of the law.

Sincerely,
A. J. Derby.

Paid adv.

Attention Voters!

The Republican party presents for your consideration an exceptionally strong, clean ticket from our candidate for president down to the last man on the county ticket. These candidates are the regular nominees of the party and their qualifications for the office to which they aspire are unquestioned. We earnestly request that you give them your support on election day, November 2nd.

For President
WARREN G. HARDING

For Vice-President
CALVIN COOLIDGE

U. S. Senator
R. N. STANFIELD

Congressman
N. J. SINNOT

State Senator
JOHN R. NICKELSEN

Representatives
HERBERT EGBERT
ALBERT S. ROBERTS

District Attorney
JOHN BAKER

County Judge -
H. L. HASBROUCK

Sheriff
THOS. F. JOHNSON

Clerk
KENT SHOEMAKER

County Commissioner
GEORGE SHEPPARD

County Treasurer
JESSIE M. BISHOP

County Surveyor
A. R. CRUIKSHANK

County School Superintendent
L. B. GIBSON

County Coroner
JOHN W. SIFTON

For Constable
E. S. OLINGER
ROBERT LEASURE
and C. A. SMITH

Republican Central Committee

(Paid advertisement)

FOR SALE

For Sale - 7 room residence at 1011 May st. Phone 224, evenings. 011f

For Sale - A 14 inch crossing plow and one 14 inch plow, good as new. Robert Rand, tel. 3042. 012

For Sale - Furniture of 5-room flat, including piano and kitchen utensils, all like new; leaving Hood River at once. Paul H. Snick, on old J. L. Carter ranch, tel. 475. 014f

For Sale - 1919 Cutler grade and motor, like new, used very little; also 500 boxes. H. K. Davenport, Odell 367. 014

For Sale - At right price or trade for bait hay or hogs one 1-year black calf and one 2-year mare, one 180-lb. mare - good worker, one 15 in. solid Combs riding plow, 1800 second hand sacks. East Hood River Fruit Co., Mosier, Ore., or tel. 61. 014

For Sale - One high grade upright piano used very little. Tel. 672. 014f

For Sale - A few White Leghorn pullets, now laying; phone 421. E. A. Prather. 014

For Sale - A big mare, or will trade for cow or better. Phone 448. M. J. Foley. 012

For Sale - Red Star 5-horse oil stove; also oil water heater. Phone 281. 012

For Sale - Second-hand windows, The Liberty Furniture Store. 014

For Sale - Fresh Jersey cow, 14 months old, cream separator, disc, spring-tooth harrow, three plows, two cultivators, picking ladder, phone 61. J. L. Turle, tel. 927. 014f

For Sale - Winter Barlett Peas, \$1.00 per bushel. Also enough to eat now. Will deliver in town next week. Call 3492. 011f

For Sale - A team of horses, weight 2,000 lbs., aged 8 and 9 years, absolutely sound and gentle, wagon and harness good with the outfit; price \$425. Can be seen and tried out at Earl Ordway's place. Phone 548. 014

For Sale - Household furniture and range. Call 288. 014

Eyes scientifically examined by H. L. Hasbrouck, Optometrist, Heilbrunner Bldg. 19-1f

Oregon City Auto Robes

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Cabbage For Sale - \$2.50 per 100 lbs.; leave orders at Mt. Hood Store. Phone Odell 257. 014

Lutheran Church for sale, located on Davidson hill, size 23 1/2 x 11 1/2 ft., height inside 14 1/2 ft., rock foundation. Inquire at 119 Columbia st. 071f

More Milk Goats For Sale - Does and bucks; choice Soudan stock; right prices. Several Hood River people came with their own and bought in the last two weeks. Hard up all day Sunday. W. F. Kipley, Mosier, Or., seven miles up Mosier Creek. 028

For Sale - Good Jersey cow; price \$65. C. D. Hoyt, Phone 232. 014

Scapes - 41 a. 2 miles to town, 12 cleared, large barn, small house, spring, fruit, all soil, school, 1275, \$300 down. 32a, 10 cleared, all soil, springs, fruit, school, 1000, \$200 down. 100 a. 200 cords wood, \$120. Other tracts \$20 to \$50 an acre; see terms. (Sundays) Hamilton, Stevenson, Wash. 014

For Sale - One 5 h.p. vertical boiler, good as new. Kelly Bros., tel. 101. 014

For Sale - Two Snow natting presses, one new and one used; \$10 and \$5. Geo. Sheppard, tel. Odell 24. 014

For Sale - Two cows, Phone J. E. Plagg, Odell 55. 014

For Sale - Alfalfa hay, second cutting, clean and free from orchard. Phone noon or after 6 p. m., O. L. Craton, tel. 536. 8301f

For Sale - Double wheel harness, \$35; Numa-maker grade, old style, 14 ft. bell, Orchard Co., Parkdale, Or. Phone Odell 26. 1011f

For Sale - Guano and grader. A. Hukari, 4511 Heights Garage, phone 313. 014

For Sale - 15 acres, 12 bearing apples and pears. Modern 6 room house. Running water. Creek through place. Joining Barrett school. Price \$200 per acre. Route 4, box 33. Telephone 573. 014

For Sale - One 6 yr. old horse, weight about 1000 pounds; also one 3 yr. in. Mitchell wagon; see Harrison at Hood River Garage. 014

For Sale - Cheap: 10x200 feet in block 8, in pleasant view addition to Hood River Oregon, for \$800.00. Mrs. J. Elliott, 3822 Watson ave., E. San Diego, Cal. 028

For Sale or Trade - Nelson Tractor 12x24. Almost new. Also 1000 lb. plow. One new 8 foot disk. R. D. Smith. Phone 518. 021f

For Sale - Pure bred Poland China pigs, eligible for registration. E. H. Mohler, Tel. 987. 801f

For Sale - 80 acres land 1 1/2 miles from City of Hood River, part bottom land with free water, balance good pasture land not bonded for water. 1200 cords fir and oak wood standing, county fair buildings. Price \$27.50 per acre. J. R. Phillips, Phone 554. 1021f

For Sale - Eight weeks-old Duroc pigs. Lava Red Orchard Co. Odell 25. 801f

For Sale - Five and a half acres, three in bearing orchard, garden spot, six room house, good barn, good well in wash-house; at a bargain. J. C. Boggs, r.f.d. 4. 014

For Sale - or trade - 6 weeks-old pigs; brood sow, also one small driving or work hog to se. Phone 548. C. E. Miller. 014

For Sale - Tent 14x20, floored and walled with good lumber. Also, Studebaker Six touring car in good condition. N. W. Leadbetter, 100 Sherman Ave. Box 53. 011f

For Sale - Duroc pigs and shoats. F. M. Edwards, 5X3. 821f

For Sale - The best bargain in the city. Am here for a few days to dispose of the Rungtalon at 14 Montclair Ave. If you want a house, better see this. W. H. Jones, on the premises. 014

For Sale - 100 apple boxes, 2 picking buckets, 1 Snow apple press, small power spray; can be used on any farm. Call or write to Brooks and drive Belmont road. F. H. Sherman, Cascade Locks, Ore. 801f

For Sale - Five passenger Ford car, as good as new. Phone 543, J. H. Fleenor. 821f

For Sale - Fine farm, 100 acres, near town; I've made good money here and old enough to retire - you can do the same; right price, right terms; buy direct from owner, Harding Bros., Hood River, Or., 209, Third st. 014

For Sale - Auto trailer, 12x15 ft., in good condition, used about 250 miles; will sell very reasonable. Also large apple wagon with rack. Tel. Paul F. Hoeftel, tel. 572. 014

For Sale - Fine rack, 3 1/2 in. Studebaker wagon and 35 ton springs. All in good condition; will haul 140 boxes apples; cheap if taken soon. A. G. Wing, phone 559. 014

For Sale - Range with water coil, \$45. 910 Columbia st., phone 224. 014

For Sale - Six room house and bath, good location, furnished if desired. Also 1915 Ford touring car. Phone 283, 715 Cascade av. 021

WANTED - To lease for a term of years, good orchard place of 40 acres or upward; would take 30 acres in full bearing and in good shape. Experienced man with grown sons to assist in work; Valley reference. Address Alexander Walsh, box 52 Hood River, Or. 014

Wanted - Married man for general farm work, steady place, separate house and garden, only small family considered; state fully experience, reference and wages expected first letter. Box 101, Mosier, Ore. 014

Wanted - Apple packer, long job. W. H. Bucher, Odell, phone 10X1, after 5:30 p. m. 021

Wanted - Man or woman to cook for ranch here during October and November, good wages. A. W. Peters, route 1 Hood River, Ore. Phone 672. 014

Wanted - Woman to do plain cooking during apple harvest, \$10 to \$15. No washing, and all modern conveniences. Address 106 Mosier, Or. 014

Wanted - Straw, clover hay and alfalfa, about 15 tons of each. Phone 5497. 801f

Wanted - To buy your used furniture, stoves and rugs. Cash or new goods in exchange. E. A. Franz Co. 014

Wanted - A 1200-pound horse for winter's keep, might buy if satisfactory. Tel. 547, at noon and evening. 014

Wanted - To lease orchard place. Reply to J. A. Carr, 1210 St. Clif, tel. 181. 021

Wanted - To place saddle horse for winter for its keep with responsible party. Phone Odell 314. 028

Wanted - Plain sewing - children's dresses and such a specialty. Mrs. W. Sumner Smith, 200 Sherman Ave. 021f

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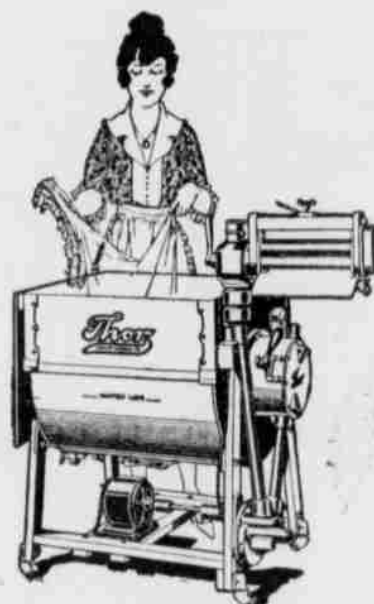
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