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UNITY NEEDED

NATIONAL and world problems are demanding today the united support of every American for the party controlling the destinies of the American republic. Civilization itself is at stake, we are told by the more gloomy observers of world politics. The average American is not likely to be stampeded into panic by the pessimistic prophets of universal disaster, but the prudent man, looking to his own comfort and convenience, the welfare of his loved ones and the advancement of the community and commonwealth, will, as a good citizen, endeavor to do all in his power to restore as speedily as possible the general equilibrium.

As a plain American, a member of the party now in control of American affairs, the editor of The Herald urges that our first duty is to set our own house in order.

The first step is toward development of our own individual lives; the taking of time from our business and social interests to gain an understanding of our community duties.

We believe that now, more than ever ,it is incumbent upon Republicans to renew their allegiance to the party of their choice. In a government, administered as is this government, by a majority which determines its policy by party division, it behooves each member of the governing party, once it has established its representatives in the seats of power, to stand unitedly behind them.

The practical method of lending support is by thorough organization—down to the uttermost unit—and for this reason The Herald urges the republicans of Klamath county to stand up to the responsibilities that the last national election imposed upon every member of the party, to forget their private bickerings in this time of general need and strive for a broader understanding and a united purpose.

The time has come when Americans must take control of American affairs, openly and aboveboard, through established methods tested and proved by time, and not through secret organizations and invisible empires, whose speech is fair, but whose actions give their words the lie and strip the mask to reveal beneath only selfish ends and basest purposes.

With men like Theodore A. Bell, veteran leader of the democratic party in California, renouncing his life-long allegiance and registering as a republican because, he declares, that he believes republican principles are the most efficient means at hand for dealing with world problems, how can men and women who have been consistent supporters of the party be longer blind to the need for intelligent and concerted effort?

America stands today a firm rock in a swirling maelstrom of world upheaval. By clinging close to the path of well established precedent, by holding fast to our belief in American ideals, by renewed pledges to safeguard the dear-bought heritage of freedom and democracy, we can set an example that will restore reason to the foreign nations that have not yet recovered from the madness of war.

THE MALE ANIMAL

"MEN are queer," philosophizes the Altoona (Pa.) Tribune. "Now, wouldn't there be a roar, when they went home to their meals, if they had to climb upon a high stool in front of a table on which there was no cloth, and eat their meals in that fashion? Yet a majority of men, when they go to a restaurant will pick out the highest stool and a feed board with no cloth on it in preference to a cloth-covered table."

And that isn't all. A man will borrow a chew of tobacco, says the Tribune, and set his teeth in it "right where some other man has gnawed out a chew." Yet offer him a piece of pie at home from which his wife or child has taken a bite, and he would "holler his head off." At home he won't drink out of a glass from which one of the family has been drinking, yet away from home he will drink out of a bottle "after half a dozen other fellows have had the neck of the same bottle in their mouths."

Yes, men are queer. No doubt about it. There's nothing more inconsistent than the male animal—unless possibly it's the female. Instances might be adduced on that side, too, no doubt, if anyone dared to do it.

What the Tribune overlooks, however, in this little analysis, is that a man is, generally speaking, two men. He is one person with men and he is another person with women and children. Here is a starting point for a philosophy which might really explain the sex.

And women? No, they're not two persons apiece; they're several. And so men are usually wise enough not to try to explain them at all.

Letters from the People

ANOTHER LETTER FROM R. A. EMMITT ON ROADS

Editor Herald—The first requisite for good roads is the proper location curves and grades by competent engineers. The state highway commission expends about 6½ cents of every dollar for engineering purposes, which is unavoidable and profitable in the end. Efficient surveys are the basic foundations for any permanent finished highway, and Klamath county is indeed fortunate in securing the services of the state engineers whose record throughout the whole state is unsurpassed by any on the Pacific coast, considering the natural barriers of resistance—they have made it possible to move from one end of the state to the other in high gear—a feat heretofore thought impossible.

Klamath county through inefficient surveys of its 2,300 miles of road has wasted sums impossible to estimate, but appalling in the aggregate. For instance, of 36 miles of road now under construction toward Ashland not more than three-fourths of one mile of the old road is brought into use or followed, the remainder of which being a total loss of all work performed and money expended for the preceding 40 or 50 years on the old route. No obections can be raised to the new route, as it is straighter, shorter, curves more gradual and grades lighter—no grade exceeds 6 per cent, except a short space on Green Spring mountain, 7½ per cent, which could not be overcome.

The Algoma grade is to be regretted, but adopted by the state engineers because of the vast amount having been expended it was thought not practicable to duplicate or change the route. The famous Topsy grade, now 9 per cent, could have been made a 6 per cent grade without adding an inch to the length or a nickel to the price.

A car can now ascend the hill in eight minutes in the intermediate while it could be made so as to attain the same result in four minutes in the high gear.

Prominent writers on transportation maintain that a 6 per cent grade is easily susceptible in the high gear, and when a six or lesser grade cannot be obtained ,and a change to lower gear becomes necessary an increase in grade to 9 or 10 per cent is to be preferred, in order to make the ascension in shorter time.

This may be practicable for touring cars, but equally as impracticable for heavy loaded trucks, which welcome the lowest grades possible, even at the expense of extended distance.

No road should be less than 16 feet in width, and near cities and trade centers, where traffic is more congested, not less than 24 feet. At all curves the outside should be materially higher than the inside, in order to counteract skidding and the prevention of accidents. No road should be exactly level, neither side nor endwise, in order to assist drainage. Water is the confessed enemy of roads, therefore, to procure the best results, great care should be exercised in providing means to not only invite, but to compel all dampness to leave the highways with the utmost dispatch. No water should be permitted to stand in holes or puddles in the drain ditches, as it will eventually percolate or soak under the roadbed, soften the soil, weaken the foundation and susequently cause ruts and uneven places on the surface.

All new highways intended for dirt surface only should be constructed with at least 18 inches crown in the center for future results, rather than the present, as it will by constant traffic soon work down and adjust itself to proper requirements.

Klamath will in the future require roads for especially heavy traffic—lumber and grain, our principal redeeming commodities—and as the difference in expense of transportation between a three and six ton load is so small the traffic manager will without exception prefer the greater load; therefore our highway architects should fully consider the requirements, and act accordingly, with full realization that it will be less expensive to provide for such a contingency at the beginning than to rebuild, remodel and repair at a later date.

R. A. EMMITT.

COUNTY CIVIC LEAGUE ANNOUNCES BIG MEETING

On March 31st there will be a great meeting of the Klamath county civic league. Friday afternoon and evening and Saturday and Sunday will be filled with various activities of the league.

The county central committee of the league will meet at 3:30 p. m. at the Presbyterian church for its business session. The chairman of each precinct in the county with two of his committee men are entitled to participate in this meeting. The two committeemen are to be chosen by each precinct chairman. Important business along the lines of organization, education in citizenship and law enforcement will come before this meeting.

At 6 p. m. a banquet will be served to those committee men and to a few other invited guests. As there are thirty-one precincts repregented in our organization ninety-three committee men are entitled to sit at this table. Had space permitted we should have been glad to have our two hundred committee men and women at this feast to be spread by the good women of our churches.

The great four reel picture show "Safeguarding the Nation", gotten out by the United States government will be shown at the Klamath county high school at 2:20 p. m. to all the high school pupils of the county and to their parents. Parents are especially urged to be present. The pictures will be shown at the Presbyterian church again at 8 p. m. and again on Sunday at 8 p. m. Should the interest warrant our doing so the pictures will be shown one or more times on Saturday. All these picture shows are free to all persons of high school age or older.

On Friday evening, March 31st at the Presbyterian church and before the pictures are shown a statement as to the purposes, progress and methods of the league will be made. An opportunity to join the league and to contribute to its support will be given but there will be no long drawn out begging for money. Ten minutes is all the time we shall need for this work.

Other announcements of the program will be made soon.

We were never more confident of the success of the league. The good people of Klamath county are looking for an avenue for the expression of their sentiments in favor of law and order and this the Klamath county civic league proposes to be. It represents no factional or partisan interest. Lawlessness in high places or in low places will meet with relentless punishment at the hands of our officials supported by the league.

There is a place and a welcome for every home loving, law abiding citizen of Klamath county in the Klamath county civic league. The success of the league will be of distinct advantage to every legitimate interest of Klamath county. Of all times now is the time to help us and thereby to help yourselves.

KLAMATH COUNTY CIVIC LEAGUE
By W. S. SLOUGH, President.
CHAS. E. DREW, Chairman,
E. M. CHILCOTE, Vice Chm.
E. R. DANNER, Secretary,
M. L. MILLER
C. G. HUNT
Executive Committee.

BIRTH RECORD

KERBEY—In Klamath Falls, Oregon, March 15, 1922, to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kerbey, 538 Pine street, a daughter; named Comet.

BOLEO—In Klamath Falls, Oregon, March 20, 1922, to Mr. and Mrs Arthur Boleo, 427 Commercial street, a daughter; named Alice Anne.

KRUGER—In Klamath Falls, Oregon, March 21, 1922 to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kruger, 1034 High street, a son.

IMPROVEMENT SHOWN

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Portland

Six hundred to seven hundred residences in course of construction. New dwellings of most modern type considered high in price. Several large office buildings, apartments, an Elks' temple and new theatre should employ 200 to 700. Road work, with street improvements and better conditions in lumber mills and logging camps, should take up the slack in unemployment, now numbering around 7000. Iron and steel production nil account lack of demand. Other industries operating with reduced forces, for lack of orders. Careful buying prevails. Gradual price reduction noted. Small firms going out of business because of high rents and low prices. Both employers and employes are studying conditions and are being governed more by real facts than in several years.

LLOYD GEORGE WILL ASK VOTE OF CONFIDENCE

LONDON, March 21.— Premier Lloyd George will ask a vote of confidence April 3 on the government's policy regarding the Genoa conference, Austen Chamberlain, a government leader, announced.

OTHER NATIONS OWE

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the form of unified loans, at a fixed interest rate and a single maturity date, which will simplify computations and negotiations at such time as full or partial repayment is possible.

After these will come Belgium, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Serbia, Rumania and a dozen smaller fry among nations. Each will send to Washington financial representatives to assist ambassadors or ministers in getting their debt to Uncle Sam refunded and extended.

CITATION

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR KLAMATH COUNTY

In the matter of the Estate of John W. Banta, Deceased.

To Martha J. Banta, William T. Banta, Harry Lawrence Banta, Eva Silsby, and Coy Bunyard.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON You are hereby citated and required to appear before the above-entitled court, at the court room thereof in the City of Klamath Falls, Klamath County, Oregon, on Saturday April 22, 1922 at 3 o'clock p. m., then and there to show cause, if any you have, why an order should not be entered by said court authorizing R. C. Groesbeck, administrator of said Estate to sell at private sale for cash or upon terms the following real property belonging to said Estate, to-wit:

Situate in Klamath County, Oregon, Southwest quarter of Southwest quarter of Section 29; Southeast quarter of Southeast quarter of Section 30; Northeast quarter of Northeast quarter of Section 31; Northwest quarter of Northwest quarter of Section 32, all in Township 38 South Range 11½ East of Willamette Meridian; also West ½ of Northeast quarter and East ½ of Northwest quarter of Section 31 Township 38 South Range 11½ East Willamette Meridian.

WITNESS the Honorable R. H. Bunnell, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Klamath County, with the seal of said Court affixed, this 20th day of March, 1922.

(Seal) C. R. DELAP, Clerk.
ALLAN SLOAN, Deputy.
21,28 A 4,11,18

CLASSIFIED ADS

MISCELLANEOUS

AUTOMOBILE WANTED— Will trade big lot on pavement and $400.00 equity in service station equipment for good light car. Will give deed to lot. Balance due on equipment payable monthly. Call 478R after 5:30 p. m. 20-22

LOST—Pair skid-chains on river road to Bonanza. Return to Dunham Auto Co. Reward. 21-23*

LOST—Bunch of keys. Please leave at Herald office. Reward. 20-22*

Small ranch for sale at Ashland, Ore., one mile out. $160 an acre with improvements, fenced and cleared. Make good chicken ranch. Box C. R. Herald office. 20-22*

Farm wanted by ex-soldier under state bonus plan. What have you to offer? Give size of place, location, improvements and all descriptions in first letter to Box G. C., care Herald. 20-25

Will trade exceptional value in farm land for $5000 stock in First State and Savings or $3000 stock as first payment. Address "Spring Lake ranch," R. No. 1. Box 68 Klamath Falls. 20-21

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two twelve Olive chill gang plow, good as new. J. A. Johnson, Phillips' ranch. 18-24*

LOST—Man's fleece lined leather glove. Finder return to Herald office. Reward. 18-21*

BABY CHIX—White Golden Buff and Brown Leghorns, Anconas, Black Minorcas, Buff Orpingtons, R. I. Reds, Barred and White Rocks every week. Enoch Crews, Seabright, California. 17-25*

FOR RENT—or will sell on easy terms fine dairy farm, own irrigation and part in alfalfa. P. C. Carlson, Box 185, Klamath Falls, Ore. 16-21*

White Leghorn baby chicks, $11.00 per 100. Tancred strain. Heavy layers circular. Henry Tarratt, Corning, Cal. 10-31

ESTRAY NOTICE
Taken up on or about October 15, 1921 1 Brindle steer about 2 years old, weighing 800 pounds, branded on right hip dash y (connected) one under cut in right ear one swallow fork in left ear. The owner can claim same by paying the costs and feed therefore by calling on O. E. Hunt on my ranch 1 mile north Shasta school house, 4½ miles north west of Malin.
O. E. HUNT. 16-23

STEAM HEATED rooms $3.50 per week. Large, well lighted lobby, shower baths. New winter rates. Central Hotel, J. T. Ward, Mgr. 9tf.

If you want to sell it, buy it, trade it, or find it, try a Herald classified ad.

Swedish select certified seed oats, ton lots 2½ cts; less quantity 3 cts. J. A. Bushong, Klamath Falls, Oregon. M-3-Apr. 1*

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS — NOW HE'LL HAVE TO DO IT ALL OVER — BY ALLMAN