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A Pressure Year

A TERRIFIC job is ahead of the voters at the May primary. Party nominations are to be made in Oregon at that time for a total of 116 state and federal offices. Candidates for many of those offices will be found on the ballot by the Klamath voter.

The Klamath ballot will include candidates for one United States senate post, congressman from the second district, state treasurer, attorney general, three supreme court justices, two state legislators, one state senator, sheriff, county coroner, county clerk, county treasurer, county commissioner. Both republicans and democrats will elect a national committeeman, national committeewoman, delegates to their respective political parties, and precinct committeemen.

When that job is out of the way, the voters will begin to feel the pressure of the general election campaign. The presidential nominations will be made in early summer, and from that time on the big drive will be underway.

In the fall, the final selections will be made for the state, federal and county offices for which nominations are to be made in May. In addition, every city office, including mayor, councilmen, police judge and city treasurer, will be filled at that election.

Even people who like their politics will probably be pretty sick of it by the time it is all over. Klamath voters might as well steel themselves for the task. They're going to get the works this year.

Courage and Good Sense

INDICATIVE of Governor Martin's courage and good sense was his statement in opposition to the proposal that a \$7,000,000 bond issue be authorized for re-building the Pacific highway from Grants Pass to Roseburg.

The governor, who recognizes the need of the proposed project, made the direct statement that "if we are ever to put road building and maintenance on a business basis we must adopt and stay with a policy of confining expenditures to actual revenues and eliminate heavy interest charges."

Back of the proposal for the big bond issue is considerable public sentiment along the Pacific highway, and it would have been good and easy politics for Governor Martin to have either endorsed the scheme or kept still about it. But as a man who heads the government of Oregon, and is pledged to do his best to advance a sound public financial policy, Governor Martin refused to evade his duty. Others might have yielded, but not he.

Governor Martin is setting an example of political courage and honesty that should be recognized and applauded by Oregon people. More men like him are needed in public office.

Short Wave Burglary

HAVE you sometimes wondered as you listened to police short wave broadcasts over your home radio set, whether thieves and crooks were in the same manner keeping tabs on police activities?

Well, they do. Within the last month, police of Cleveland, Ohio, have "tipped off" by short wave broadcasts a dynamite gang engaged in looting large stores.

In each instance the burglars set up their radio and then, according to night watchmen held under guard, kept one man constantly tuning for official broadcasts. It made a perfect tip-off.

The police admit their complete bewilderment as to how to stop this clever use of their radio. It looks as if they will have to devise some code for their short-wave radio activities. Otherwise, it's a bit too handy for the underworld.

Adolph's Observations

IN HINDUSTAN a searching party found a cave in which there were twenty-two headless mummies. This is one of the most startling things that have been discovered for a long time.

Mummies always are flat-footed, (that's from walking back from Camel rides), but how this bunch lost their heads will probably remain a secret. Some day they will find the twenty-two craniums and then these will be displayed in one museum and the bodies in another. It's a little more effective to have it that way.

I saw a Hindoo out here in the country not long ago who was creeping up behind a mule to throw on a harness. Since then I have come to the conclusion that these guys maybe had their heads kicked off.

Mahoney to Address
 Malin Townsendsites

MALIN, Feb. 10.—Mayor William Mahoney, Klamath Falls, will

REX
 Tonight Is
 COUNTRY
 STORE

"SUNNY SKIES"
 "THE THOROUGHbred"
 —Color Cartoon—
 —TUESDAY—
 "JUST LIKE HEAVEN"
 "LAND OF MISSING MEN"
 "WILKINS MURDER"

NOW PLAYING

...HE STAGED A PERFECT CRIME!
 ...yet his own conscience bothered him in spite of his brilliant!

CRIME AND PUNISHMENT
 with Peter Lorre
 Edward Arnold
 Made a Columbia Picture

SHOWS DAILY 2-9

V25X
 KIDDIES 10¢

WASHINGTON

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

The Inside Story From The Capital

By PAUL MALLON
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WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The nations of the world may be publicly preparing to cut each other's throats, but they are going about it privately in a very pleasant way.

Our delegates to the London naval conference had a chance to get an insight into world relationships closeup, in a single room. These observations will never be stated officially, but they should be. They include some wondrous sights. The cordiality of the British and Italian delegates, for instance, was amazing.

PALS

The American delegation, before landing in England, agreed that the first word heard at the conference would be Gibraltar. The British would use it insistently, the Italians resentfully. It was fully expected that the conference would devolve around that British fort dominating the entrance to the Mediterranean.

At that very time, also, the Italian press was telling its public what a bad lot the British are. Mussolini was bristling with daily threats from Rome.

You could have floored the delegates with a blue print battle when the British and Italian delegates moved arm in arm to avoid conflict about Gibraltar and, in fact, about everything.

UNDERSTANDING

No one even got excited when the Japanese withdrew. Everyone seemed to realize that the Japanese government was acting for domestic political effect at home. It was trying to impress its people with the idea that it is making a big nation out of Japan—on paper.

That also seemed to explain Italian press attacks, and Messing's bristling.

The recognition of these domestic political situations created a sort of mutual understanding among the delegates. No one previously thought that Japan would or could try to build up to U. S. equality, and there was less war talk in London than in Washington.

WARNING

Do not, however, make too much out of this. There are reasons for believing that Europe has gone back to the old diplomatic method of secret treaties. This trend lately has been strong. Secret treaties have not been mentioned at international conferences. Such gatherings these days amount to little more than international cocktail parties. The dirty work is done elsewhere.

PACIFICATION

Since the story got out about President Roosevelt ignoring his congressional leaders, several of them have been invited in the side door of the White House for lunch. These visits have not been publicly recorded, in fact rather extensive secrecy precautions were taken.

Nevertheless, the inside doorman at the east entrance noticed Speaker Burns tip-toeing in a few days ago, and others came individually at another time.

The purpose seems to be to quiet congressional resentment. Also to effectuate a common understanding about what will be done before anything is attempted publicly.

Note.—Presidential advisers would not be at all surprised if Mr. Roosevelt neglected to send a tax message to congress, and permitted the recommendation to come from Messrs. Wallace and Davis. It is not considered necessary to stress such a distasteful subject as taxes. As you may have heard, this is a campaign year.

PANTOMIME

The new dealers trudged out of that spending-curtalement conference at the White House, their faces registering deep chagrin, but without any sound effects whatsoever.

Youth-saver Aubrey Williams told inquirers he did not know how much he could say. Someone asked him whether he meant

LAST DAY
 "BLACK FURY"

TOMORROW
 "McFADDEN'S FLATS"

A Paramount Picture with
 WALTER C. KELLY
 ANDY CLYDE
 RICHARD CROMWELL
 JANE DARVELL
 ADDED
 "EXPECTANT FATHER"
 "SEE AMERICA FIRST"
 "SIX DAY GRIND"
 LATEST NEWS

RAINBOW

SIDE GLANCES—by George Clark



"I wish you would explain to the waiter that they never act this way at home."

"say" or "save." He responded both, and ran for the door.

Resettler Yugowich said the saying was all up to "the chief." Someone asked him whether he and his cohorts were mice or men. He answered: "Mice, by golly," and escaped through the same hole.

Other conferees pleaded that matters were still in the "conversational stage," but they would offer no conversation.

Not only from this incident but from others, it is evident that the eminent new deal trampshooters have been advised what to do with their traps. For the time being, at least, the new deal is being acted out in pantomime. This is a radical departure.

CRANKS

Now it can be told that the federal government did not permit J. P. Morgan and his associates to be lonesome during their vacation on the senate island. Wherever they went, while they were under senate subpoena, they were accompanied by U. S. secret service men. Two were ace bodyguards who formerly protected the president.

This was not only irregular but technically illegal. The U. S. S. is empowered only to guard the president and his family. Never before were they assigned to guard a private citizen. The S. S. will probably deny

OF 24 HOTELS in the Wonderland area reporting to Mr. Stanley, 20 showed an average increase of 20.8 per cent in their business over the year before. Four reported business the same.

These 24 hotels spent an average of 3.3 per cent of gross income for advertising.

TWENTY-EIGHT resorts reported to headquarters of the association, and of the 28 an average

preceding year, and one reported a 10 per cent decrease.

EVERY ONE of the 44 bought new equipment in 1935.

Editorials on News

(Continued from Page One)

ENDS TODAY — Then Gone FOREVER

WARNER BAXTER

KING OF BURLESQUE
 with ALICE FAYE

Starts TOMORROW

THROWN WIDE OPEN TO KLAMATH FALLS
 MIDST A COAST-TO-COAST AVALANCHE
 OF ROARING APPLAUSE!

WRITTEN FROM ACTUAL EXPERIENCE
 BY LIEUT.-COMM. FRANK WEAD.

DIRECTED BY THE FAMOUS
 ACE, HOWARD HAWKS.

LAUGHING AT DEATH! LIVING AND FIGHTING FOR LOVE — HERE IS ENTERTAINMENT IN BIG, BLACK LETTERS!

JAMES CAGNEY
PAT O'BRIEN

CELLING ZERO

with **STUART ERWIN • JUNE TRAVIS**

ADDED "CAVALCADE OF MUSIC"
 BEAUTIFUL SCREEN ACT
 NEWS AND COLORED MICKEY MOUSE

PINE TREE

REMEMBER — PICTURES
 PLAYING THIS THEATRE
 NEVER RETURN

age increase in business of 35 per cent was reported by 20. Seven indicated business was about the same as the year before, and one reported a decrease of 3 per cent.

IN THESE four years, the Shasta-Cascade Wonderland association has carried the name of this area far and wide over the country, bringing it to the attention of thousands who never heard of it before—which is an achievement of importance.

But the final proof of the pudding is the eating thereof, and the final proof of the value of any advertising campaign is the amount of business it brings—for bringing business is advertising's job.

These figures indicate pretty clearly that advertising the Shasta-Cascade Wonderland has paid.

ONE more set of figures: A total of 112 concerns affected by tourist business have reported to the association, and of these 90 showed an increase of business in 1935—and as a result of this increase 49 of them plan to make improvements in 1936 totaling \$280,000.

These concerns represent about 30 per cent of the total in the Wonderland, and if their percentage holds good throughout the total approximately \$1,000,000 will be spent in improvements this year.

Ten Years Ago
 In Klamath

THE first plunge into the political pond has been taken by Edward B. Ashurst, who has declared his intention to run for the office of district attorney on the democratic ticket. In announcing his candidacy, Ashurst not only casts his hat into the ring, but sends with it a few wallops that might indicate that his campaign is not going to be one of the pussyfooting sort. In no uncertain terms he lets the public know that the spotlight is not going to be hidden under a bushel, if he has his way.

Ashurst has been a resident of the county for ten years and over, he has never been accused of numbering fear as one of his faults. His courage has been of the type that has carried him to the brink of recklessness, and if he pursued his usual course during the campaign the voters may look for fireworks and far to fly.

An electrical heating unit is now used on some air lines to warm sleeper planes before the engines have been started.

The Klamath Veteran

News Notes on Activities of the Local Veteran Groups

Klamath Post No. 8
 American Legion

Last evening meeting of the post was known as a bonus night and was attended by over 300 veterans.

Short talks were made by State Vice Commander Finley and the adjutant, Bill Canton, on membership in the Legion.

Membership Chairman Bob McGhee reported on the results of the January drive. 140 members were signed up in January, bringing the total membership up to 220 for the year. Thirty five new members were enrolled which is the best record the post has enjoyed since 1930.

Comrade McGhee won first place for securing the largest number of members, followed by Bill Canton, and third place was awarded to Comrade Gallagher.

The drum corps team won first place and the 40 of 8 and Legion team tied for second.

The bonus application bureau of the post was conducted at the Legion hall under the charge of Adjutant Bill Canton, from Thursday, Jan. 28, till Tuesday Feb. 4. The hall was open from 10 a. m. until 9 p. m. and the post took care of over 600 veterans.

Comrades O. D. Matthews reported on the civic museum committee and announced that the committee will have a definite report at our next meeting.

The meeting adjourned to enjoy refreshments with the auxiliary.

Next meeting will be Tuesday, Feb. 18, and the post will conduct an initiation and observe National Defense week.

Entertainment and refreshments will be in order.

Comrade Ted Case, chairman of the National Defense committee, announced that the post will observe National Defense week from Feb. 11 to Feb. 22 with programs before the service clubs, Elks club and the local high school, and a series of talks over KFJI.

The post will sponsor a Lincoln day address over KFJI and Comrade S. R. Brown will deliver the talk. This is part of the Americanization program of the Legion.

National Defense Week
 Klamath Post No. 8 American Legion will observe National Defense week, Feb. 11 to Feb. 22, by a number of programs before the local service clubs, H. P. O. E., and the Union high school, and Junior Chamber of commerce. Speakers under Chairman

Ted Case will appear before these organizations under the sponsorship of American Legion who are conducting the National Defense campaign in this city during the above dates.

National Defense chairman Ted Case says: "The purpose of the Legion in sponsoring this campaign is not to a feeling for a large standing army, but to make the people national defense minded and to pause in our busy life to pay honor to our army and navy for the wonderful accomplishments which they have done to preserve our country."

This event will be observed by over 12,000 American Legion posts, as well as by other patriotic organizations in this country.

Dewey Powell, secretary of the local Elks club, is the state national defense chairman of the American Legion.

Spanish War Vets

The regular meeting of the Herbert Applegate camp No. 25, United Spanish war veterans was held Feb. 6 in the basement of the courthouse. It was decided to hold their annual banquet commemorating the 35th anniversary of the sinking of the battleship Maine in Havana harbor, 9:15 p. m. Feb. 15, 1898, resulting in the Spanish American war.

The banquet will be held in the Christian church quarters, Ninth and Pine streets, Feb. 15 at 6:30 p. m.

Service 50c a plate. All Spanish war veterans and their families are cordially invited whether they belong to the organization or not.

The auxiliary of the Spanish American war vets met at the home of Mrs. Frank Frankford, 318 Walnut street for their regular meeting. All meetings hereafter will be held in the courthouse. It was decided being the first Thursday in the month.

Many Visit Park;
 27 Cars Checked

Eighty-seven cars carried visitors into Crater lake park Sunday. There was an average of about four passengers in each car.

About two-thirds of the cars came from the Klamath Falls side of the park.

Visitors reported a perfect day in the park. Many skiers went from government camp to the rim for a view of the lake.

ENDS TODAY

"ESCAPE from DEVIL'S ISLAND"

STARTS TOMORROW

SHE'S A WOMAN!

RAVISHINGLY BEAUTIFUL — DELIGHTFULLY CHARMING — GLORIOUSLY IN LOVE!

She's a Boy!
 CARELESS AND—
 HELL-BENT FOR
 HIGH ADVENTURE

Katharine HEPBURN
 Charming! Startling! Dangerous!
 In the most dynamic character she ever brought to life!

SYLVIA SCARLETT
 With CARY GRANT • BRIAN AHERNE

EXTRA ADDED FEATURETTES
 VITAPHONE SCREEN VAUDEVILLE
 COLOR TRAVEL and LATEST NEWS

PELICAN