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The County Unit

AT THIS writing a resolution has been offered to the State Federation of Labor convention proposing changes in the county unit system, and the federation in assemblage here has heard a denunciation of the system by Ray Gill, master of the state grange.
 In Klamath county the county unit has been an outstanding success. It has worked for the benefit of every community in the county, and intelligent observers have repeatedly cited it favorably in comparison with counties that hang onto the horse and buggy system and are cut up into a multitude of little taxing districts.
 In another connection, the federation convention heard an appeal for efficiency in the public schools at its Wednesday session. Certainly the county unit system has worked for the efficiency of Klamath county schools. It has spread out evenly the financial load, and tended to equalize opportunities for the children of rural and remote areas, including those which, under the old-fashioned system, would be classed as "poor" districts and would be paying their teachers paltry salaries and giving inefficient service. Surely the objectives which the county unit brings closer to realization are the same which the representatives of Labor, if they really study the matter carefully, would want to endorse.

Hardly Fair Treatment

OUT OF the \$4,000,000 allotment for 1936 Indian reservation road work, the Klamath reservation has been given the paltry sum of \$15,000. The director of the interior department's road division points out, in a letter received here, that that will care for only a little maintenance work on the Sprague River-Chiloquin road.
 The idea in giving Klamath only \$15,000 seems to be that there are a lot of reservations and the money has to be divided up. That's all right on its face, but if you happen to know what was done last year, it is apparent that Klamath didn't benefit then by any such fair policy. In fact, it got nothing at all.
 We have before us a comparative table of 1935 and 1936 allotments, as approved by John Collier, commissioner of Indian affairs. In 1935, the total allotted was \$2,000,000. In that year several reservations received as high as \$90,000. The Central Navajo reservation in New Mexico and Arizona received \$465,000. In Oregon, Warm Springs got \$25,000, Umatilla \$10,000, Salem \$2,000, and Klamath nothing.
 The 1936 allotments show the Navajo again getting a huge appropriation, and many others running high. In Oregon, Warm Springs gets \$40,000, Klamath \$15,000, Umatilla \$15,000 and Salem \$5,000.
 Taking the two years into consideration jointly, Klamath has hardly had fair treatment. Admittedly, there may be conditions on such reservations as the Navajo that justify requiring much heavier appropriations. But it is plain that Klamath has a deserving claim for a more favorable allotment, because it got nothing at all last year. Furthermore, the need of the Sprague River road justifies consideration. If it can be built up to secondary standards, there is a good chance of having it taken over by the state highway commission for maintenance.

Keeping on the Fairway

THERE is probably more than meets the eye in Mayor Willis Mahoney's announcement that he will not attend the democratic national convention at Philadelphia next week.
 It will be recalled that the mayor was named as alternate delegate the other day, thus being given the opportunity to go to the big show in official status. After a few days, he decided not to make the trip because of the press of business here at home.
 We have a hunch that the mayor, who is depending on the Townsend vote in his race for senator, decided it would be best not to be on hand and take an active part in the re-nomination of President Roosevelt. Dr. Townsend and many of his followers aren't exactly enthusiastic about Mr. Roosevelt and the democratic administration.
 The mayor no doubt hopes to hold the democratic vote without offending Townsends, and hold the Townsend vote without offending the democrats.
 That will require rather cautious playing. As a good political golfer, the mayor will try to avoid the administration sand-traps. Maybe he ought to try, also, to keep from going too far into the Townsend rough.

ALGOMA NEWS

ALGOMA, Ore. — The bridge club met with Mrs. Solie of Klamath Falls this week. Those present were Mesdames Jones, Gray, Brown, Evans, Quillman, Coffee, Houglin and the hostess, Mrs. Solie. High score went to Mrs. Jones and second to Mrs. Gray.
 The play, "All On Account of Polly," presented by the Senior Epworth League of Klamath Falls, and sponsored by the Algoma Community club at Algoma last Wednesday evening, was fairly well attended and the play was enjoyed by all who did attend. Also the musical program which accompanied the play was very much enjoyed.
 The card party for the benefit of the Algoma baseball team, held at the hotel reading room, was largely attended. Prizes donated by business houses, and individuals in Algoma, Klamath Falls and surrounding vicinities helped to make this party a success.
 Mrs. George Krause returned home from a vacation spent in Portland and Albany, where she visited her mother and other friends. Mrs. Krause was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Smith, of Klamath Falls.
 Miss Vivian Dunn received

painful injuries when the bicycle she was riding left the tramway and caused a bad fall, spraining her shoulder and arm quite badly.

The low-born Tibetan, on meeting a superior, does not touch his cap in the English fashion. He takes off his hat, holds it in both hands, slightly inclines his head forward and puts out his tongue, at the same time making a slight sucking noise.

The world's record for throwing a baseball is held by Sheldon Jeune. He threw the ball more than 425 feet while playing with Evansville, Ind., in 1910.

RAINBOW 15c
 NOW
 SHE GAMBLED DISGRACE
 for the man she loved
 The SOTHERN
 BRUCE CAROT
 "DON'T
 JAMBLE
 WITH LOVE"
 with
 IRVING PICHEL
 and
 JIM KATH

WASHINGTON

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS
 The Inside Story From
 The Capital
 By PAUL MAILLON
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WASHINGTON, June 18.—Newly discovered methods of high political finance were contained in the latest campaign expenditures reports to congress.
 Most sensational is that of the Good Neighbor league. Apparently it has become a Delaware corporation, capitalized, for some reason or other, at \$100,000. The assets are not listed, but the main asset appears to be the indisputable fact that it is doing the best pamphleteering promotion job for President Roosevelt's re-election. Its chief liability seems to be the uniqueness of its double entry bookkeeping.

IN-AND-OUT
 The only substantial contributor to the Good Neighbor league, Inc., was Dr. Stanley High, the president's new idea man. Dr. High donated \$6,000 to the league up to May 31 (the period covered by the report). Then, as now, he was the president of the corporation as well as the originator and sole inspiration.
 But, while being all these things, Dr. High was also the largest item of cost of his league, the record shows. While he was putting in \$6,000 he was taking out much of it in salary at \$300 per week, or \$15,600 per year.
 This undoubtedly makes the Good Neighbor League, Inc., one of the few corporations in the history of business whose chief source of revenue was also its greatest object of expenditure.

FILLS
 Not only that, but the league also disclosed some of the semblance of being a holding company. Its second largest contribution was a loan of \$2,000, advanced to it on May 6 by the democratic national committee, the security and interest rate of which are not mentioned.

Also it appears to have adopted some features of an interlocking directorate, because Dr. High seems to have some official connection with the democratic national committee, other than that of banker and client. At least he is listed among the committee's smaller expenditures, as having received \$40 on April 3, the day after he donated \$2,500 to his league. The \$40 item is marked "to be accounted for" later.

These things certainly indicate that the bookkeeper of the league, incorporated, requires a two-pants suit, or must wear an overcoat in summer, to provide enough pockets to keep the right money in the right pocket.

Another justifiable conclusion from the record is that, so far, the only two losers in this unusual venture are Dr. High and the democratic national committee.
 Note—Noticeable activities of the league so far include the issuance of two booklets about the size of the Reader's Digest. One is entitled "Boondoggling," and contains explanations of certain boondoggling projects which have been laughed at generally, the other bears the title, "The Case Against Franklin D. Roosevelt," and presents the case for him. The league also issues "The Roosevelt Record," a tabloid weekly. The booklets are on expensive paper and contain the best art of any political publications.

GASPS
 Some of the new campaign financing discoveries do not make sense, or at least not as much sense as money. For instance, you will need smelling salts after learning that the United States Steel corporation gave \$5,000 to the new deal cause. Equally posterous is the fact that the United Fruit company gave \$5,000 and the Chicago packers, Armour and Swift, \$7,500.
 The joke, of course, is that the money was not given outright. It came in the form of advertising purchased in that book, "The Book of the Democratic National Convention," but it came nevertheless, and is rightly listed as a political contribution.
 The democrats have raised the astounding total of \$326,000

COMING SUNDAY
STRIKE UP THE BAND!
HERE COMES
THE SHOW
BOAT!

CARL LAEMMLE presents
 EDNA FERBER'S

SHOW BOAT
 starring
 Irene DUNNE
 ALAN JONES
PINE TREE

SIDE GLANCES—by George Clark



"We'd like to take a quiet, little place in the country for the summer, but I'm afraid we wouldn't know anybody."

through their book. The largest industry represented among the "advertisers" is that of distillers and brewers. They gave about \$67,875.

NEWCOMER
 The last gasp is that the United Mine Workers, the labor organization of John L. Lewis, appeared as a campaign contributor to the same new deal cause alongside U. S. Steel.

Mr. Lewis bought \$5,000 worth of "advertising" for his labor union in the democratic convention book. Furthermore, he purchased enough copies of the book to cost him \$1,250 more.

The largest purchaser was listed as "The Chilean Nitrate Educational Bureau, Inc.," which is down for \$2,500 worth. Its purpose possibly is to grind up the books and make nitrates out of them.

DORRIS

DORRIS—Mrs. Enock Israelson and daughter left Wednesday morning to take Mrs. Israelson's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Manchion, to their home in Petaluma. Mr. Israelson will also visit her step-mother in Santa Cruz.
 Mr. and Mrs. William Corr, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McCully, and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Cox went to Yreka Thursday. Corr got his citizenship papers.
 The Junior society of the Nazareth church gave a surprise party for their leader, Mrs. Lenora Christy, Thursday evening.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Atkin left for their new home in Yreka Friday.

HURRY!
ONLY TWO MORE DAYS!
 IT MUST END SATURDAY
 1000's
 HAVE SEEN IT
 1000's
 HAVE RAVED ABOUT ITS GREATNESS!

UNDER TWO FLAGS
 Color Cartoon
 "The Old Mill Pond"
 News
 DAILY 2 - 7 - 9 P. M.
PINE TREE

From Other Editors

FINANCING THE EVANGELS

(Salem Statesman)
 From appearances both political parties will be liberally supplied with funds for the coming campaign. The republicans expect to profit by heavy donations from anti-new deal industrialists. The democrats have been using sundry devices, \$50 banquets, \$1 "nominator" lists, advertising sales, and contributions from those who have shared in the expenditures of alphabetical agencies.

Soon to come off the presses will be Jim Farley's book, "The Book of the Democratic National Convention." This is to sell at \$2.50 per copy, but like most publications the gray is in the ads that are being sold. Advertising proceeds from this "book" are estimated at \$102,500. Anyone with a knowledge of advertising can measure for himself how much of the payment is for legitimate advertising and how much is plain Jim Farley hold-up.

It is going to be a great book, aside from the beer and distillery advertising it carries. Subtitles are: "The Story of a Great Nation's Growth," "A Dramatic Document of Achievement," "A Source-Book of Today's Living History," "Education and Entertainment Your Great-grandchildren Will Enjoy." The book will contain many biographies, the one on James A. Farley being described as "The Story of a Notable Contribution to Democracy," a fascinating career related by a well-known political commentator.

The June 10 lists of contributions show how much the apostles of virtue and supporters of the great humanitarian are relying on the millions of Lucifer the fallen angel to finance their season's evangelism. Frankfort Distilleries and Associated American Distilleries are down for \$10,000 each. In the \$7,500 bracket are W. P. Chrysler, Schenley Distilleries and Frankfort Distilleries again. Philadelphia Lager Beer Breweries' association gave \$6,250. The United Mine Workers are linked with United States Steel Corporation for \$5,000 apiece. The tire companies, Goodrich, Goodyear, Firestone, got off with \$3,125, also General Electric, Reynolds Tobacco and Hiram Walkers Distillers. The cement companies and brewers thought \$2,500 was their share, or Emil Hurja fingered his outpocket and counted that as their assessment: Medusa-Portland Cement, Schlitz Brewing, Premier-Pabst, Marquette Cement; also the big packers, Swift, Armour Cudahy and Wilson, thought they should spare \$2,500 apiece out of their reprocessed processing taxes. The typewriter people have good business with P. W. Felt, A. A. ETC., so Remington-Rand gives \$5,000, Underwood-Elliott-Fisher, \$2,000, Royal Typewriter, \$2,000, L. C. Smith and Corona, \$2,500. Even the big boys do not want to be left out in the cold. Olds Motors chips in \$2,000, Standard Oil of New Jersey \$2,000, Inland Steel \$1,000.

The corporations feel they have to contribute to both campaign funds to avoid reprisals. There does seem more than a little inconsistency in parading over the country denouncing the corporations, on expense bills financed by their contributions. It must be remembered, however, that politics is still politics.

Last Day
"NIGHT CARGO"

Thirteen months and six days are required to hatch turtle eggs.

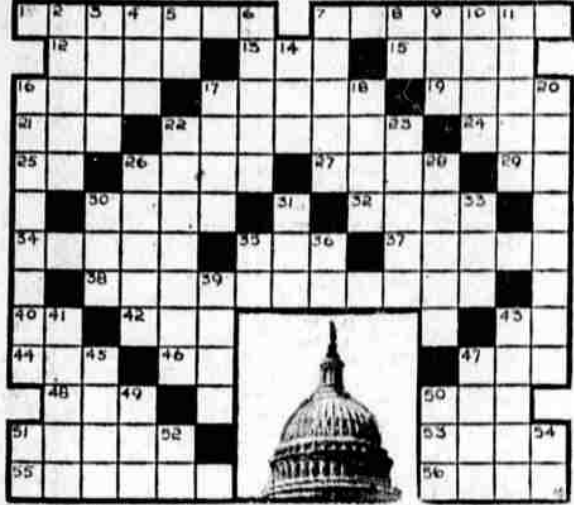
TOMORROW
ACTION! ROMANCE! THRILLS!
 A smashing drama of the roaring range...
"HOOT"
GIBSON
 A QUICK-TRIGGER ROMEO IN A RIP-ROARING ROMANCE

FRONTIER JUSTICE
 ADDED TREATS
 "SNAPS! SHOTS!"
 LATEST NEWS
 CARTOON
 "FIRE ALARM"

V23X

Building in Washington

HORIZONTAL
 1 What U. S. A. building is pictured here?
 7 The statue of — tops its dome.
 12 Finch.
 13 English coin.
 15 To percolate.
 16 To heal.
 17 Conscious.
 19 To ogle.
 21 Hopa kiln.
 22 To assume.
 24 Golf teacher.
 25 Northeast.
 26 Couple.
 27 Bustle.
 29 Preposition.
 30 To wade through.
 32 Source of ipecac.
 34 To lift up.
 35 To low as a cow.
 37 Asiatic.
 38 Public eating places.
 40 Street.
 42 Courtesy title, 56 Cupola.
 43 Laughter sound.
 44 Tree fluid.
 46 Therefore.
 47 Possesses.
 48 Flying mammal.
 50 Over.
 51 Tiresome people.
 53 Sketched.
 55 Washington laid the — stone.
VERTICAL
 2 To entertain.
 3 Harbor.
 4 Anger.
 5 Toward.
 6 To let down.
 7 Transporta-tion charges.
 8 Corpses.
 9 Snaky fish.
 10 Profound.
 11 Musical.
 14 Rodent.
 16 — meets it, this building.
 17 Dry.
 18 Grafted.
 20 Its — (pl.) is almost 100 feet in diameter.
 22 Paralysis.
 23 Sofa.
 24 Acts as model.
 25 Slumbers.
 30 Pine tree.
 31 Ye.
 33 Sloths.
 35 Mother.
 36 Either.
 39 To jog.
 41 Sacred interdiction.
 43 Seraglio.
 45 Young salmon.
 47 Vallant man.
 49 X.
 50 Queer.
 51 Before Christ.
 52 Southeast.
 54 You and I.



Lamson Signed As Movie Scenarioist

HOLLYWOOD, June 18, (UP) — The film writing career of David Lamson, freed of a wife-murder charge after four trials, was more solidly established Wednesday after the former Stanford University Press executive was signed to a contract with 20th Century-Fox studios.
 Lamson is scheduled to finish adaptation of his original story "We Who Are About to Die"—written while confined in San Quentin prison's death row—for RKO this week.

There are said to be more Negroes in Georgia than in any other state of the Union.

LAST TIMES TODAY
DYNAMIC!
"THE LAW IN HER HANDS"
 with
MARGARET LINDSAY
GLENDIA FARRELL
 Lyle TALBOT

Starts TOMORROW ★ ★ ★ ★ ★
HERE HE IS, KLAMATH FALLS!
Real as Everything
 WE'LL LET YOUR IDOL OF THE AIR SPEAK FOR HIM.
 SELF. HERE HE IS —

"Hi Folks!"
 This is Jimmie Allen broadcasting about his first picture and, believe me, it's something to broadcast about! If you like adventure... if you thrill to daring sky exploits... come down and see me in "The Sky Parade!"

Jimmie Allen
"THE SKY PARADE"
 A Paramount Picture with
 William Gargan - Katherine DeMille
 Grant Withers - Billie Lee
 Kent Taylor - Directed by Otto Loewinger

ALSO — COMEDY, NEWS AND SCREEN SONG

PELICAN