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It Keeps Its Head

SETTLEMENT of differences and issues in this community without bombast or bitterness must be generally recognized as desirable. Even those who by nature love a fight, public recriminations and uproarious controversy will admit that these things are destructive rather than constructive and that little in advancement of the public welfare can be credited to them. They stop the processes of civic progress while they are going on, and they leave scars and hatreds that survive long after the battle has ceased.

There are proper, orderly methods for determining the solution of public problems or the outcome of differences between men or policies. The means are always at hand for eliminating that which is wrong or outworn or improper, without resorting to violence of word or deed. The men and the women of this community have the intelligence to determine between right and wrong, between the sound and the unsound, without the application of methods based on the extremes of emotion or prejudice.

There is ample reason for faith in their calm, their sense of humor, their discrimination and their inherent common sense, to dispel any fears of a conflagration, for instance, such as swept a neighboring county a few years ago. The political campaigns of the past, lively and heated as they may have been, have been taken in stride by a good-humored public opinion that has refused to be carried beyond the limits of good sense or to perpetuate differences that deserved to die when the returns were in.

This is a record of composure worth continuing.

Visitors Coming

INTERESTING to the community at large and rental property owners in particular is the announcement that 40 men will be sent here February 1 by the Western Electric company to install equipment in the new Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company building at Eighth and Pine streets.

These men, most of them trained for highly technical work, will remain here until June 1, and 10 of them will be here until August 31. Half of the men expect to bring families here.

The plans present a housing problem to the Western Electric company. Finding quarters for the single men will not be difficult but with the families it is another matter. Not only does this create a strong demand for rental property, but it is certain that the temporary residents will spend many thousands of dollars in this community for all the usual family needs.

All of this contributes to bright prospects for a good spring and summer in Klamath Falls.

FILE AIDS G-MEN IN TRACKING DOWN ESPIONAGE WORK

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 (AP)—The nation's G-men have compiled an extensive file, congress learned today, of individuals and organizations engaged in subversive or espionage activities and could identify them swiftly in event of war.

J. Edgar Hoover, director of the federal bureau of investigation, told a house appropriations subcommittee a special intelligence division created when the European war broke out had compiled "extensive indices" of all persons engaged in "any activities that are possibly detrimental to the internal security of the United States."

"The indexes have been arranged not only alphabetically but also geographically," he testified, "so that at any time, should we enter into the conflict abroad, we would be able to go into any of these communities and identify individuals or groups who might be a source of grave danger to the security of this country."

Discussing other activities of his division in connection with the international situation, Hoover told the committee the FBI was getting about 78,000 complaints a year dealing with sabotage and espionage.

Courthouse Records (WEDNESDAY)

Marriage Applications
 Murel Allen Long, 22, farmer, resident of Klamath Falls, native of Silver Lake, Barbara Esther Soule, 20, student, resident and native of Klamath Falls.

LAST DAY * "MIRACLE ON MAIN STREET" and "MONEY TO BURN" VOX

TOMORROW and SATURDAY!

Charles STARRETT
 ...in another smash-roo for this buckaroo of the gun-ruled west!

THE STRANGER FROM TEXAS
 WITH Lorna GRAY and Sons of the PIONEERS

COMPANION FEATURE
 "CHILDREN OF THE WILD"

RAINBOW VOX

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLOTT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Mr. Morgenthau's sleeve was shaken gently at a Philadelphia meeting recently and out dropped twelve billion (yes sir, b-for-big) dollars, few knew he had.

This unsleaving of the treasury and exposure of money-magic devices it could perform any day was ably presented in an unreported speech to the American Statistical association by Professor Lawrence H. Seltzer of Wayne university, Detroit. Professor Seltzer worked in treasury research until a few months ago and hence shook with authority.

He did not seek to make an exposure. He was arguing what could be done about excess bank reserves and he wanted the treasury to issue a new kind of bonds of fixed value to banks. But in doing this, he showed how the treasury could raise exactly \$12,000,000,000 out of thin air to reduce the public debt or provide money for expenditures, without going beyond the \$45,000,000,000 statutory limit which is causing all the current dispute.

HIDDEN POWER

Behind Mr. Morgenthau's cuff, Professor Seltzer found the following powers to conjure money in the following amounts:

Use the stabilization fund to purchase government securities, \$2,000,000,000; revalue silver at \$1.29 cents an ounce for \$1,500,000,000; raise monetary value of silver to \$2.19 (the same percentage of increase as was made in gold) with a profit of \$2,300,000,000; devalue the gold dollar 9 cents more, \$3,100,000,000; increase the value of silver to a 16 to 1 ratio, \$1,000,000,000; issue Thomas currency to buy bonds, \$3,000,000,000—total \$12,500,000,000.

FRESH FIGURES

Other fresh and sensational figures disclosed in the Seltzer paper:

There is now \$3,000,000,000 more money in circulation than in 1929.

The United States is likely to absorb practically all the monetary gold in the world.

Our gold stock is now 2½ times what it was six years ago in volume and worth 4 times as much under the artificially maintained price.

Bulk of additional monetary gold (\$1,300,000,000) will soon flow into the U. S. on either trade or capital accounts (war buying).

Excess reserves in banks have increased in 6 years more than 6 times. Existing reserves are enough to provide a \$30,000,000,000 credit expansion.

Seventy-one per cent of the people's deposits with banks are invested in government bonds. Sixty per cent of the earnings of banks today comes from government interest on these bonds.

BABY BONDS

NOTE—Professor Seltzer's proposed bonds would be somewhat like baby bonds, issued to banks; non-transferable, with an indefinite maturity date, redeemable on four months notice, bearing an interest rate of 1½ per cent. Apparently the treasury will try these only if the present method of debt financing becomes difficult.

PROBERS

Federal tax collectors have quietly been made spying agents for the wage-hour administration. Internal revenue bureau has cautioned its agents not to divulge the fact, but has instructed them to examine all social security tax returns closely for evidence of wage-hour act violations.

Employers pay 1 per cent tax on wages for old age benefits. On the assumption that employees work the maximum hours allowable under the act, internal revenue agents can make a fairly good guess on whether the em-

SIDE GLANCES



"I don't know what I'm paying you fellows for—you haven't written a good bloody mystery for the Kiddies' Hour in months."

The Family Doctor

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN
 Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine

In a recent review of the diseases which affect the blood vessels, Dr. E. V. Allen pointed out that high blood pressure is a serious disease, accounting for twice as many deaths as cancer in the United States. He believes it is an error to consider high blood pressure merely a symptom and not a disease.

What difference does it make, he asks, whether hypertension is a symptom or a disease, since it kills people who would live if they did not have high blood pressure? He feels that there is need for reduction of blood pressure as an important procedure in saving life.

Some people are convinced that high blood pressure is necessary in some people to permit their

player is violating the wage-hour law.

WAITING

The king is supposed to be gone in the justice department but the new king's friends are getting a little impatient in the delay in transportation of the corpse delect to the supreme court bench. Supreme Court Justice-Designate Murphy has announced he will stay on as attorney general for about 30 days to conclude pending technical reforms. Meanwhile new Attorney General Bob Jackson is figuratively being kept waiting at the door of his new office, wondering when he will get in. Jackson undoubtedly will improve Murphy's reforms. But a 30 days hiatus has resulted.

kidneys to function properly. Dr. Allen's investigations do not support this belief. In fact, when the blood pressure is reduced by surgical operation, as is done in some cases, the function of both the heart and of the kidneys is improved.

It is reported that reduction of blood pressure usually makes these patients feel better by relieving headache, dizziness, pain in the thorax, nervousness and similar symptoms. Shortness of breath and fatigue seem to disappear when blood pressure is lowered following the operation.

High blood pressure occurs because the smallest blood vessels offer increased resistance to the flow of blood through them. Rest, use of sedatives and similar treatment will reduce the blood pressure to normal, after which resistance to the flow of blood also is reduced.

Recently, medical science has been experimenting with a variety of drug remedies, which have the effect of lowering the blood pressure. Such remedies, when properly administered by a physician, can bring about this result in many cases.

However, the remedies must be taken regularly under medical control for the reason that overdoses are harmful and underdoses fail to yield the proper result. The proper dosage varies in each case.

During soviet air raids on Finland, one writer reports, foreign correspondents "had a fine chance to learn many Finnish swear words." Also some new names for Joe Stalin, probably.

Telling The Editor

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore.—(To the Editor)—During your "Favored for Forty" week, I submitted the following: "I favor everything that will improve the life of the community—at no cost to the city."

Since that item appeared, I have been beset with queries as to how it can be done, and I don't mind adding, some of the queries were bolstered with epithets which definitely placed my I.Q. rating at minus zero.

Therefore, in defense, I shall cite an instance at hand, namely, "The Art Center Association." This group has accepted the thankless task of raising fifteen hundred dollars, through one dollar memberships, as evidence of this community's desire to cooperate with the federal government, in establishing an "Art Center" in Klamath Falls. They are giving a great amount of their time and money and knowing their only reward shall be the personal satisfaction of having done something really constructive for the entire population of the surrounding territory. The city shall receive all the benefits, including a vastly improved cultural life, and—AT NO COST TO THE CITY.

Then too, there is the Rotary club's recreation program which they offered to the city and which the city gladly accepted. In this case, the Rotary club relieved the city entirely, from a very expensive recreation program, which the city could not hope to finance, and—AT NO COST TO THE CITY. Moreover, instead of allowing the city to assume any costs, THE ROTARY CLUB VOLUNTARILY AGREED TO PAY THE BACK TAXES ON THE CITY OWNED PROPERTY, which they are going to develop.

In the foregoing instance we have, what could well be catalogued as "Civic Spirit, Plus Ultra," and which spirit is indeed worthy of the support of everyone.

I'm hoping the support shall be forthcoming, and that such civic spirit may prevail.

Yours truly,
 A. A. MONTGOMERY,
 431 Laguna St.

To the Editor: Here's something that all of us who have tried to locate someone living in the country would like to see on the "Favored for Forty" calendar:

Start a project to have all rural mail boxes painted clean; and new, correct numbers only put on them. In some cases there are three or four different sets of numbers on a box.

I don't know whether this would come under the jurisdiction of the city, county, state, WPA or rural rehabilitation commission... but anyway it's a good project for 1940.

Yours truly,
 AL TURNER,
 Turner Chevrolet Co.

FUNERAL NOTICE

JOSEPH THURMAN JACKSON
 The funeral service for the late Joseph Thurman Jackson who passed away in Gridley, Calif., on Monday, January 8, will take place from the residence of the deceased parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jackson, at Chiloquin, Ore., on Friday, January 12, at 10 a. m. The Rev. Bisby of the Full Gospel

church will officiate. The remains will be taken to the Jackson residence at Chiloquin on Thursday afternoon, January 11, at 4 o'clock, there to rest in state until 2 p. m. Friday. Commitment service with vault entombment will take place in the family plot in the Hill cemetery. There will be evening service at the Jackson home Thursday at 7. Friends are respectfully invited to attend the services. Ward's Klamath funeral home in charge of the arrangements.

ELVA RUTH LOY

The funeral service for the late Elva Ruth Loy who passed away in this city on Monday, January 8, will take place from the C. W. Henkle funeral home at Dallas, Ore., on Friday, January 12, at 2 p. m. Commitment service and interment will be in the Dallas cemetery. The remains will be forwarded to Dallas on Thursday, January 11, via Southern Pacific at 9:45 p. m. Ward's Klamath funeral home in charge of the arrangements.

Members of the court announced that no decisions had been reached on the awarding of bids for crude oil for the poor farm, gasoline for the county, or diesel for the county.

Four minor bids were awarded Wednesday by the county court, as follows: Hog fuel, Klamath Heating company; laundry, New City laundry; servicing typewriters and adding machines, Shaw Stationery company; board of prisoners, Lloyd Low.

LAST DAY * MELVYN DOUGLAS - JOAN BLONDELL "THE AMAZING MR. WILLIAMS"

TOMORROW The Greatest Entertainment Value In Years!

Gandy
 DYNAMITE in DIAPERS
 A RIOT in "East Side of Heaven"... A PANIC in "Unexpected Father"

Hugh HERBERT in **LITTLE ACCIDENT**
 with Richard RICE CARLSON, Joy HODGES, Edgar Kennedy, BABY SANDY

AND ON THE SAME PROGRAM

GENE AUTRY
 The life of Stephen C. Foster becomes the Great American Motion Picture!... A picture as big as America's heart!

SOUTH OF THE BORDER
 Your western king of song and saddle... in a ridin'... fightin' action romance!

with Smiley BURNETTE

LAST DAY * HURRY! WILLIAM POWELL "Another Thin Man" MYRNA LOY

Starts Tomorrow!

AMERICA'S TROUBADOUR
 The life of Stephen C. Foster becomes the Great American Motion Picture!... A picture as big as America's heart!

SWANEE RIVER
 with Don Ameche, LEEDS, JOELSON
 Photographed in TECHNICOLOR

FELIX BRESSART, RICHARD CLARKE, CHICK CHANDLER, RUSSELL HICKS, GEORGE REED

COLOR CRUISE LATEST NEWS NOVELTY PARADE

PINE TREE

TODAY **Jane WITHERS**

"BOY FRIEND" ALSO
 BREVITY—"Selling Opium"
 "ILLUSTRATED MECHANIX"
 Adventure—"CONQUERING THE COLORADO"
 LATEST NEWS FLASHES

RAINBOW