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MARK E. MOE, Editor

WHO WILL YOU VOTE FOR?

Are you going to vote for Herb?
Are you going to vote for Al?
Interested as you may be in the presidential election and the state, county or city election, you will not vote for anyone unless you are registered.

Many learned to their sorrow in May that they were unable to vote at that time because they were not registered. Oregon now has a law which makes it obligatory to register in order to vote.

The registration books close thirty days prior to the election, which is November 6. So you must be registered by October 6, which is little more than three weeks away. It is not only a duty, but a privilege to take your part in the election.

THE NEW EAGLE ROCK

An airplane owned by local men now calls Vernonia its home port. It is not to be regarded as a luxury brought to town, but a new business, and one that may grow far beyond present expectations.

Those who may scoff at the practicability of flying will lose all the force of their argument if this plane is ever called upon an errand of mercy, such as taking an injured logger to the hospital.

And so Vernonia will continue to grow, as long as we have citizens of vision and imagination.

JUST HOWLING IN PERPLEXITY

This clamor of the pro liquor crowd

NOTICE OF MASS MEETING

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 24th day of September, 1928, at the hour of 8 o'clock p.m. on said date a mass meeting of the legal voters of the city of Vernonia will be held in the American Legion hall for the purpose of nominating the following officers for said city: Mayor, four councilman, and treasurer.

All of said officers to be elected at the general election to be held November 6, 1928.

Dated this 18th day of September, 1928.

By order of the City Council.
G. R. MILLS, Mayor.

Attest:
D. B. Reasoner, Recorder.

St. Helens—Board of directors elected for huge payroll industry. Fir-Tex mill to locate here.

Coming to Portland
Dr. Mellenthin
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in Internal Medicine for the past fifteen years
DOES NOT OPERATE
Will be at
Benson Hotel Thu., Fri., and Sat.,
October 4, 5, and 6
Office Hours: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
THREE DAYS ONLY
No charge for consultation

Dr. Mellenthin is a regular graduate in medicine and surgery and is licensed by the state of Oregon. He does not operate for chronic appendicitis, gall stones, ulcers of stomach, tonsils or adenoids.

He has to his credit wonderful results in diseases of the stomach, liver, bowels, blood, skin, nerves, heart, kidney, bladder, bed wetting, catarrh, weak lungs, rheumatism, sciatica, leg ulcers and rectal ailments.

Below are the names of a few of his many satisfied patients in Oregon who have been treated for one of the above-named causes:

- Elmer Booker, Condon.
 - H. H. Blake, Marshfield.
 - Thos. Burke, Willamina.
 - Mrs. M. R. Cooper, Oregon City.
 - D. G. Horn, Bonanza.
 - E. M. Hurt, Arlington.
 - Mrs. George W. Mathes, Ashland.
- Remember above date, that consultation on this trip will be free and that his treatment is different. Married women must be accompanied by their husbands.

(whose champion of course is no other than "Al") for a modification of the prohibition laws, reminds one of the story of the negro who had a hound dog that was continually howling.

A friend of the negro said to him one day: "Mose, why is that dog continually howling? Is he hungry?"

"No, boss, he haint hungry!"

"Well, is he lonesome?"

"No sub, he haint lonesome!"

"What do you suppose is the matter with him, then?"

"Boss, I's tried every way to figure out what's de mattah with dat dawg, and I's finally 'cluded dat all dat's ailin' him is dat he jes smells suthin', and doan know what it is."—Myrtle Creek Mail.

THE CHAMBER SHOULD FUNCTION

Vernonia's Chamber of Commerce has had a long vacation and now it is time to get into action again. Meetings should be held as before every two weeks on Thursday, for there is much work to do.

The secretary has been busy all summer attending road meetings and conferences in relation to getting more and better highways through Vernonia, and much has been accomplished.

But meetings must be held and an interest shown by local business men before long, or the chamber will cease to exist. Dues will not continue to be paid into an organization that does not function more than this has the past few months.

The work of advertising Vernonia has been given a good start. But it must be continued indefinitely in order to realize the best results. Support by the business men in particular and all property owners as well is something that should not even need solicitation. They will be immeasurably benefitted in the years to come.

While the beauties of the Columbia river can well be advertised to attract the tourist trade. No district has a stronger drawing card than the fertile Nehalem valley for attracting settlers. Since the migration of people is always westward, those communities in the west will be most benefitted who advertise their natural resources for making a good living.

THEY AGREE ON POLICIES



PIN MONEY FOR HOOVER FUND



Mrs. Grace Semple Burlingham, Missouri National Committeewoman, gives a check to John W. O'Leary, vice-treasurer of the G.O.P., covering contributions, without personal solicitation, of one dollar each from 1281 Missouri housewives. Mr. O'Leary is in charge of the "nickels and dimes" campaign, by which he hopes to obtain at least 600,000 subscribers to the Hoover fund.

TELLS HORRORS OF LIFE IN SHADOW OF DEATH CHAIR

Boy, Sentenced for Murder, Is Saved by Sister and Sweetheart.

Brooklyn.—The shadow of the death chair, the wooden and wire and iron contraption which is in the clean, white room at Sing Sing, hung for 13 months over Robert Weiner. But it's gone now; at least, he is out of its immediate shadow, and believes that his troubles are over.

There are not many men in New York state who have spent long lagging months, waiting and watching for that last trip through what once was "the little green door." It isn't green now, of course; it's browned steel and it's big and heavy. But the idea is there. For those men who have lived eternities each day and week there is no way out, once they have passed through the door.

Twelve persons, eleven men and one woman, marched slowly, shuffling along through that door while Bob Weiner watched them. And now he shudders, and his smile fades when he thinks of them. He saw Ruth Snyder slouch through it. He saw Judd Gray go, and several others.

Two Women Aided Him. They sent him to the death house, under penalty of death, for his alleged part in the Tombs prison break and killing of 1926. He denied any part. But a jury found him guilty.

Then two women, indeed they are little more than girls, set out to prove him innocent. One was his sister. The other was his sweetheart. The story of how they battled against odds, fought with officials, worked and



Bob Weiner Watched Them.

struggled in it itself a story. But they won when the Court of Appeals ruled that Weiner be given a new trial, and the district attorney in Manhattan admitted he couldn't produce the evidence which would again convict the Brooklyn boy.

Now Weiner is home, just trying to get acclimated. He isn't going out. He is just sitting around home, trying to realize that when night comes he will not have to sit in the semidarkness and count the hours. He hasn't yet, he says, understood fully that he will not have to play checkers through the bars, or hear the shouts and laughter of condemned men who are trying to appear carefree, but who are worrying and counting.

A Terrible Feeling. "It's a terrible feeling," he says, "this knowledge that some night is coming and that you are going out of your cell and that you are not coming back."

"I played checkers with these men. We had to play our own board, shouting out the moves, because death house confinement is solitary confinement. And we would play, or talk, never seeing the men we were playing or talking with."

"Then would come the night when we would hear the shuffling of feet. I think that was the worst. We would hear the men shuffle down the corridor. I would see a dim form, then two or three others pass the cell. The men would cry out their farewells. The others in the cells would call out, too. But the man we had known, if only by voice, had gone."

Weiner feels, he says, as if he had been dead and had come back to life again.

Mother Found Guilty; Attacks School Teacher

Lafayette, Ga.—An irate mother who whipped a school teacher is under a 12 months' suspended sentence on the chain gang.

Mrs. J. W. Groce pleaded guilty to an assault charge for an attack on Miss Bertha Harp, Chickamauga school mistress, last year. The whipping occurred on the street after Miss Harp had punished the Groce boy for a schoolroom infraction. A long switch was used by Mrs. Groce. When this was broken she used a club, according to the victim.

Injury Worth \$7,500

London, Eng.—Forced to wear long skirts to hide an injury to her ankle in an automobile accident, Joan Barker, of this city, won a \$7,500 damage suit.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH

(The Pioneer Church)
The Sunday school meet at 9:45 a.m. The pastor will preach at 11 a.m., subject, "I'll Do It For Jesus Sake." Communion service will be held in connection with morning service. Young people's meeting at 7 p.m.

At 8 p.m. Rev. F. B. Culver, presiding elder, will preach.

Monday, 8 p.m., Rev. F. B. Culver will preach again, and hold the second quarterly conference.
G. W. Plumer, Pastor.

Card of Thanks

I wish to thank the many friends for their kind expressions of sympathy and beautiful flowers sent during our recent bereavement.
Ralph Clem.

Grants Pass—Long cherished hope of a railroad to connect Rouge with Eureka, Calif., again proposed by rail officials.

Silverton—Proposed new Cascade highway would open up new country with assessed valuation of 35 million.

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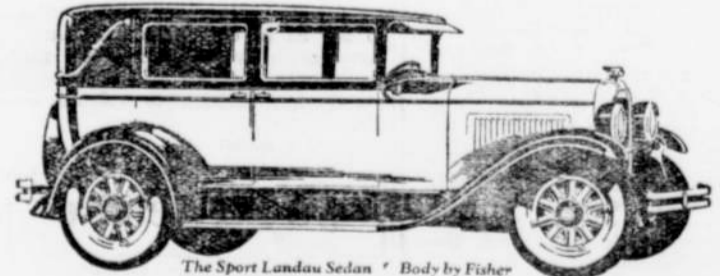
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