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FARMERS WHO CAN PAY

We recently ran across a doctor's diagnosis of the farmer's financial troubles which is worth passing along. This was a general practitioner in an average town, who carried the accounts of many farm families on his books, usually making collections yearly when crops were marketed, as is the custom with many.

On January 1 he checked up his delinquent accounts and found that in nearly every case those who had failed to pay were one-crop farmers who made no attempt to raise a variety of products. Then he looked over his paid-up list, which disclosed conditions somewhat like this:

One had a flock of pure-bred chickens, another a flock of sheep, a third had a brood sow, others had dairy cows, orchards, vegetables, hay and other feed for their stock. In other words, those who had raised their own food and stock feed, or had been able to market poultry and dairy products, had also been able to pay their doctor's bills. And by the same token had been able to pay their other bills without doubt.

Spring is here. The decisions the farmer makes regarding what he will raise next season will materially affect his condition next fall. Will he profit by the experience of those who have succeeded through diversification, or will he stick to the old poverty-breeding one-crop plan?

His doctor and other creditors will be interested in this question. The farmer should take an interest in it himself.

It should be a rule of the disarmament conference that all warship blue-prints be placed on the table.

A bishop declares that the modern girl is not indiscreet. At least not when the bishop is hanging around.

Prisons out of doors are now recommended as the best thing to cure prison discontent. This might be all right for the prisoners who play golf.

Cheer up. The robins are singing in the Adirondacks and this is said to presage an early spring.

A PATRIOTIC CREED

"The American's Creed," adopted by Congress in 1919, is not as well known to the citizens of the country as it should be.

This creed was selected through a contest, open to all Americans, for the purpose of securing "the best summary of the political faith of America." The author of the successful manuscript was Wm. Tyler Page, a descendant of President Tyler.

The phrases composing it are taken from the Preamble and the Constitution of the United States, the Declaration of Independence, The Oath of Allegiance and from utterance of distinguished patriots, all woven together into a complete and lofty sentiment, as follows:

"I believe in the United States of America as a Government of the people, for the people; whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic; a sovereign Nation of many sovereign States; a perfect union, one and inseparable; established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice and humanity for which American patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes.

"I therefore believe it is my duty to my country to love it; to support its Constitution; to obey its laws; to respect its flag and to defend it against all enemies."

WHAT'S NEW?

The new land lighthouse for aviators on Mount Valerien, near Paris, has one billion candlepower.

Poisonous ingredients in liquor may be detected by an ultra-violet ray apparatus devised by a Boston scientist.

An improved lock for mail bags, which requires neither ropes, bars or straps, has been invented by a Canadian convict.

A dog at Northwestern University lived two years after his stomach had been removed.

Several large passenger ships have telephone exchanges, which connect every part of the vessel.

By a new English process eggs are kept fresh by coating them with liquid paint.

It is said that keeping the sidewalks clean of snow in Scotland is a simple task. After a heavy snowfall the mayor drops a coin in the snow and announces that he has lost a shilling.

Our idea of the zero point in usefulness is to be a back seat driver in an aeroplane.

The national income is now \$89,000,000,000. Now don't spend your share foolishly.

HARPER

BURTIS-SHAW

Miss Mary Shaw, charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Shaw of Namorf, and John Burtis were quietly married in Caldwell last week. They kept the event secret several days. Then they were rousing charivari.

Boise friends visited Mr. and Mrs. V. Bess Sunday.

C. MacCamy returned Sunday from Spokane with his wife. They rented the A. Lee residence.

Enroute to Juntura, M. Gibbons and T. Joyce stopped here last week. Bob Powell is moving equipment to the Kime station ranch preparatory to farming.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hucker are here from Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hucker are in town from Bates.

Ed. Casto went to Idaho to begin sheep shearing.

Mrs. Pauline Zimmerman and Jennie Hinkle were visitors in Vale and Ontario Friday.

Josephine Budd went to Wallace Monday to visit her grandfather.

Jack Corbett spent the week end with Merle Kime in Vale.

B. W. Shaver family were in Vale Sunday.

A large crowd enjoyed the Legion dance Friday. Music by the Harper orchestra.

C. Hawkins moved his family to Vale last week.

Josephine Cuskey returned from Payette Friday where she visited Julia Webster.

Otis Turner moved to Harper this week.

F. Miller went to Pendleton Monday to visit his mother.

Mrs. F. Michaels, Mr. and Mrs. M. Pickering were Wednesday visitors in Vale.

NOTICE TO VOTERS

TO VOTE YOU MUST BE REGISTERED.

AS PROVIDED by Chapter 204, 1927 Laws, no person shall be qualified to vote at a Primary or General Election unless he shall be registered.

Election cannot be sworn in on election day.

Registration books are now open and will be open until the night of April 15th.

If you were registered and did not vote at the last Primary or General Election; if you have changed your residence, or if you desire to change your political affiliation, you must re-register.

You may register at the office of the County Clerk for any Precinct in the County, or with the official registrars in the following precincts:

PRECINCTS:

Applegate
Banks
Adrian and Big Bend
Bonita
Brogan
Harper, Bully and Crowley
Ironside
Jamieson
Jordan Valley, Juniper and Rome
Jones and Beulah
Mahogany and Rockville
Malheur
McDermitt
North and South Nyssa, Arcadia and Owyhee
Ontario 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Fair and Cairo
Riverside
Snake River
Watson

REGISTRARS:

Mrs. M. D. Clough
Mrs. Edna C. Betts
J. E. Holly
R. B. Hall
Mrs. Ben Jones
Chas. J. Bush
H. C. Elms
J. L. Pope
Geo. Parks
Henry Welcome
Mrs. D. H. Haylett
Mrs. Horton Worsham
Alice D. Bankoffier

Don M. Graham

E. H. Test
E. L. Armstrong
C. H. Spicer
Mrs. L. E. Palmer

Official Registrars have list of those who are now registered.
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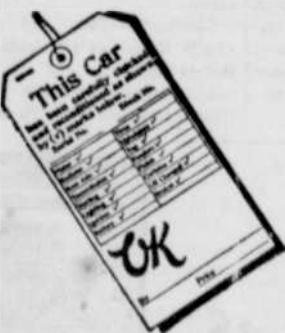


SPRING CLEARANCE SALE

of

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Here is a bargain event without parallel in the history of this community! This great spring clearance sale brings to bargain seekers a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to secure famous used cars "with an OK that counts" at savings that will be long remembered.

Due to the tremendous popularity of the New Chevrolet Six, we have an unusually large stock of fine used cars. To clear our stock quickly, we offer these splendid cars at low sale prices that are nothing less than sensational.

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