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## VOTERS SPEAK

Tuesday, the people of the United States went to the polls and gave their preference to Franklin D. Roosevelt, Democratic candidate for the highest office in our national government. East, west, north and south, they voted for Mr. Roosevelt.

Why? The answers might vary but the record vote he received everywhere reflects the desire for a change in regime and the confidence that Roosevelt will lead the nation onward.

Among the first to congratulate the winner was President Hoover. The greatest tribute we can pay him is to say that America loves one who can lose with good grace and with no animosity in his heart.

Surprising were the results of state county and city elections. Good men won and good men lost. The results may not please all of us but the majority have spoken and now it's up to you and I to work with the successful candidates for good government.

Regardless of who lost the election, our best bet is on the U. S. A. to win in the end.

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## ARMISTICE

(By Rev. Floyd E. White)

The stopping of the gigantic struggle, that had bathed the earth in blood and sent the nations into mourning, was of so great importance to civilization that we have been observing it every since on both sides of the Atlantic Ocean until it has become an international holiday.

There are many ways in which Armistice is observed all over the world but perhaps the most impressive is found in London. At eleven o'clock, the hour of the signing of the Armistice, there is a two minute pause of all the lumbering, rolling, shrieking, whirling traffic in the streets of London. In fact not one sound can be heard as they pay tribute to those who died in the war. But the way we observe it does not really matter. The great issue is—did the world learn a lesson from a loss of ten million men, the flower of the earth, and twenty million disabled together with a hundred and fifty billion dollar economic loss?

Is it any wonder that the world is still staggering from the blow. History shows us that every generation has had its war, and each one has grown more terrible than the last by introduction of newer methods of warfare. Shall we sacrifice on the altar of Mars this generation that is now in its childhood! God forbid! The world cannot stand another war because of the modern methods of slaughter, for it will annihilate our civilization. Then we must all strive for every means to promote World Peace and go back to the principles as annunciated and put into practice two thousand years ago by Jesus Christ of Peace on Earth and Good Will Toward Men.

## CUTTING STATE SALARIES

It is proper that the state board of control should consider a revision downward of state salaries, particularly those in the higher brackets, as is suggested at Salem. Living costs have fallen and the cuts in the higher salaries can be made without working any hardships. We believe that all reductions should be made in the higher salaries and not in the little fellow's pay. Too often in the past have the big ones escaped in loudly heralded economy programs.

It should be remembered that the larger salaries are for the most part controlled by the legislature which should take action this winter. We should let our legislators know our wishes.

In checking over the high salaries, we will find that most of them were raised under the stimulus of the period of exceedingly high prices and prosperity which held sway over the land from the days of the World war until 1929. For example, in 1919 justices of the state supreme court received \$4500 a year for their services. The legislature of 1919 increased that amount to \$5250 and the legislature of 1925 boosted the figure to its present level of \$7500. Salaries of circuit judges began climbing from \$4000 to the present level of \$6500 in Multnomah county. Salaries of other state officials also climbed.

We are told that even a few legislators are whetting their knives for work on the state payroll next January.

## THE MACHINE AGE

Can any invention be evil that lightens the labors of man and gives him leisure for perfecting himself?

Leaders of the world agree on one thing—if they cannot agree on anything else—and that is the troubles of the machine age lay not in the machines but in their control. Nor is it strange that when man first grasps these new tools he should be bewildered and blundering in their use. In time, we believe that all of our modern devices will be used for the betterment of mankind instead of for the building up of a few individual fortunes. That is the only evil of the machine.

"Were the United States to use the most effective methods of production now available, only 30 per cent of the people at present employed would be required to run the nation." This is the statement of Technocracy, a research group of technicians working at Columbia university under the direction of Howard Scott.

With an automobile, the farmer can drive to town in a few minutes. With a tractor, he can plow in a few hours land that took him days with horses. In 1904, the beginning of the automobile industry, one man needed 1,291 hours to fabricate an automobile; by 1914 he needed but 400 hours and today only 73 hours. Man used 60 minutes to make 45 bricks in 1830 while today he needs but four seconds for the same bricks. Everywhere is the tendency toward greater efficiency and smaller employment.

The rapid gains in modern industry, Scott says, show how rapid has been displacement of men with machines. The only way this almost certainly increasing burden of unemployed can be cared for will be through the adoption of social measures designed to reduce the necessity for human drudgery.

The machine age might be likened to a long book, only the first chapter of which has yet been written.

Whenever Uncle Sam has diminished a roll it's never the payroll.

Too many sips make a sap, remarks the Greensboro Journal.

A college girl at the University of Maryland hit a target smaller than a .22 bullet at 50 feet, 119 times in 120 shots. In the blessed state of matrimony what that girl could do would be "just too bad."

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## Voice of the Press

### LOCKLEY VISITS MALHEUR

Fred Lockley, The Journal man of Portland, gave Malheur county a nice write-up in the Tuesday issue of the Oregon Journal, as follows:

On a recent visit to Eastern Oregon I visited Malheur county, driving out to what is known as Harper unit of the Vale project. Water was delivered to the canals in the Harper unit in March, 1930, and to the West Bully Creek unit just a year later. The East Bully Creek unit received its water in the spring of 1932. Vale is the principal city in the Vale project. The other communities are Harper and Jamieson.

Nyssa and Ontario are the principal towns on the Owyhee project, the other communities being Adrian and Homevale. Unbelievably large crops of wheat, barley, corn, oats, potatoes, clover and alfalfa are raised on the irrigated land in these projects. Land was pointed out to me on which more than 600 bushels of potatoes were raised to the acre. From 8 to 10 tons of alfalfa are cut per acre in three cuttings. In driving through the country you are impressed with its possibilities as a dairy country for you see huge stacks of alfalfa hay in every direction. Both lambs and cattle are fattened and prepared for market in the district. Hogs also are raised extensively. Large droves of turkeys remind one of Douglas county, for turkey raising is one of the profitable industries in Malheur county.

I have never seen larger onions raised than I saw in the irrigated districts of Malheur county. Not only are the onions large but the yield is heavy and onion growers have made very satisfactory profits on the East Bully Creek unit and in other districts in Malheur county.

Mr. Lockley called on V. V. Hickox, well known old timer, while in the county.

"I was born at Astoria on February 24, 1877," said Mr. Hickox. "My father, whose name was Volney V. Hickox, crossed the plains to Oregon in 1867. My mother, whose maiden name was Sarah Ann Seward, was born in Polk county, Oregon. I am the seventh of their 11 children, nine of whom are still living.

"My father was farming on the Lewis and Clark river when I was a little shaver. We left there when I was 4 years old for a farm near Spokane. A year later we moved to Texas, where Father farmed for a couple of years. From Texas we moved to Denver, where I put in four years at school. Later we moved to Montezuma county, Colorado, where I went to school two years. When I was about 12 years old we moved to Forest Grove, Or. I attended Pacific university in 1896 and 1897. From Forest Grove we moved to Davenport, in Eastern Washington. I worked on a farm there four years. Later I put in seven years on a farm in the Yakima valley.

"I was married in 1902 to Mary Baker. We have four children—a daughter and three sons."

We might add that no one takes greater pride in the outstanding production of Malheur county lands than Mr. Hickox. He knows his produce, too. He helps make the selections that win blue ribbons at the Oregon State fair and Pacific International Livestock Exposition.

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