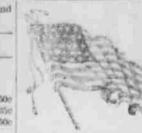
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#### THE NEW LEADERSHIP OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY.

A generation of clean, able and honest young Republicans was disclosed in the House of Representatives during the session just closed.

SUCH MEN PRESENT THE HOPE OF THE PARTY'S FU-

TURE SUCCESS IN OREGON.

The list includes Bean, Calkins and Eaton of Lane, Bonebrake of Benton, Buchanan of Douglas, Campbell and Dimick of Clackamas, McArthur, Mahone and Orton of Portaind, McCue of Clatsop, McKinney of Baker, Jones and Hawley of Polk, Rush of Wallowa, Brooke of Malheur and Harney, Patton and Reynolds of Marion.

All these men were at different times called to the speaker's chair AND ANY ONE OF THEM COULD FILL IT.

As workers in committees, as organizers on the floor, as debaters and putting measures through the House they were men far above average.

ABOVE ALL THEY SHOWED NO CONNECTION WITH ANY JOBS OR GRAFTS.

There were older men in the House who possessed more

ability and experience than some of the above. The whole membership of the House was REMARKABLY

CLEAN AND SHOWED A SPIRIT OF PROGRESS. There is hope for the Republican party in that type of men.

In the above list are men who as orators, and for clear, firm grasp of things, WILL RANK WITH ANY IN THE STATE. They will be heard from in the coming constitutional convention.

Out of that list will come members of the next Senate, state officials and congressmen. NOT A MAN IN THAT LIST WOULD DISGRACE THE

STATE IN ANY CAPACITY. They stood for the honor and dignity of the commonwealth and a greater Oregon. They are optimists, not rea

ctionaries. They are progressive, friends of labor, and NOT COWED

BY POWERFUL INFLUENCES. While not agreeing with this writer on some things, they are men the people can trust on any matter.

We shall watch the career of every one of them with interest.

This newspaper is not afraid to commend a public man while he is yet alive and will HELP BRING HIS GOOD QUAL-ITIES TO PUBLIC NOTICE.

### HISTORY OF THE CONSERVATION MOVEMENT.

The great movement for the conservation of natural resources has become world-wide.

It is a national movement headed by the President AND BACKED BY THE PRESIDENT-ELECT.

It is a state movement in Oregon with a Conservation Commission and the Governor back of it.

This legislature has backed the conservation program by enacting the Eaton law to lease WATERPOWERS OWNED BY THE STATE.

That law is expected to produce \$100,000 a year revenues for the school funds INSIDE OF TEN YEARS.

This is only an incident of the conservation program. The conservation of the natural resources will become the greatest source of wealth AND REVENUES TO THE STATE.

The public is not aware that this movement really had its first practical inception in Oregon.

A few years ago the University of Oregon made a survey of the waterpowers on the Santiam and McKenzie rivers.

Those reports showed an enormous waterpower, millions of horsepower, in those streams still owned by the state, but liable to private appropriation or TO BE FILED BY CORPORA-TIONS AT ANY TIME.

Representative Killingsworth of Portland got a committee appointed to report on the extent of these unused waterpowers. That report drawn up by Mr. Killingsworth's committee by

ter at the same time.

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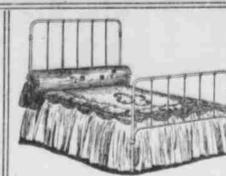
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some accident FELL INTO THE HANDS OF PRESIDENT

ROOSEVELT. That was four years ago, when almost nothing had been

heard of the conservation of natural resources. Now it has become the most popular phrase IN AMERI-

CAN POLITICAL PARLANCE.

The greatest men of the state and nation are enlisting in the cause those words represent.

But be it remembered that one of the first blows ever struck for preservation of the natural wealth and resources WAS STRUCK IN OREGON.

### IT WOULD HAVE CREATED A MONOPOLY.

The House bill for safety gas jet appliances was killed in the Senate for a very complimentary reason.

The committee found there was BUT ONE PRACTICAL AUTOMATIC CUT-OFF IN EXISTENCE.

To have enacted the Hughes bill would have created a monopoly worth millions.

To require its use in public buildings and hotels WOULD HAVE BEEN IN THE INTEREST OF HUMANITY.

But the legislature cannot bring a monopoly into existence even to save human life.

#### ADVERTISING OREGON.

The Portland Tall-Tower newspapers have done the continual-howl act from the time the legislature convened, and will, until long after it has adjourned about ENORMOUS AP-PROPRIATIONS AND HIGH TAXES.

That has become chronic with them, and they represent the taxpavers of Oregon going about in sackcloth and ashes. Yet the worst the Portland papers can show is NOT HALF WHAT IS CALLED FOR BY WASHINGTON AND CALIFORNIA

But we are advertising our state as the home of extravagance and high taxes.

at is the unfortunate feature about the matter. THAT IS WHAT HURTS THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE

We will have to work all the harder to overcome that handicap.

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and healthy, is to have pure blood, free- ably. dom from disease and vigorous health.

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Divorce cases have been the small est in number during Judge Wm. Galfor a long while. Several divorce sults are pending, and there have been four saits filed, which will not To make and keep them abundant cases have also fallen off consider-

Frogs Tuned Up-

attended by thousands of wonderful For the first time this year the cures. Cures of all blood diseases, frogs could be heard giving a night scrofula, eczema, rheumatism, catarrh. screnade over in the island sloughs, which is the first sign of spring.

# LEGISLATURE ARE ABOUT \$3,500,000

Appropriations originating in the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition, adsenate and passed by both houses ditional appropriation for, \$25,000;

propriation for purchase of land, adding veterinary, \$12,000; scalp grounds sewerage system, etc., \$25,- lasane asylum in Eastern Oregon. sane asylum, \$350,964.

cation project, support of \$6000;

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codifying the statutes, appropria-Improving the quality of milk, but tion for, \$25,000; state board of tax ter, cream and cheese, \$12,000; commissioners, creating appropriabanks and banking, \$2000; Linn countions for, \$36,000; prosecuting atty fair association, \$1000; Eastern torneys and deputies, increase or sal-Gregon agricultural station at Union aries. \$1000; state agricultural col-Or., \$30,000; annual support state lege, \$210,000; bridge across Snake arricultural college, \$1,000; ap- river, \$15,000; state board of health, buildings and equipment for salmon bounty, \$40,000; state engineer and hatcheries, \$20,000; state agricultur- assistants, \$10,000; Yamhill county al college, \$5000; central hatchery on fair association, \$1000; state board Columbia river, \$15,000; armories to equalize taxes, \$5000; reimburse for Oregon National guard, \$40,000; G. H. Small, \$280; reclamation desconservation commission, prescribing ort land, \$5000; bureau labor statisits duties, etc., \$1000; protection of ties inspector of factories and worksalmon and sturgeon in Columbia shops, \$4800; expenses of the State river, \$1000; Oregon City locks, ex- Forticultural society, 1909, 1910, tending time (returns \$200,000 to \$1000; state road from Pacific ocean general fund), \$300,000; state board to Idaho boundary, \$100,000; Grange of agriculture, appropriation for \$15-, Fair association at Gresham, \$1000; 600 annually, \$30,000; state fair state portage railway, \$15,000 branch 000; state sanitorium, \$70,000; in- \$200,000; Martha S. Lane, relief of, \$160; bank examiner, \$12,000! Total senate appropriations, \$1,- Clackamas county fair, \$1000; deficiency appropriation bill, \$104,266; Appropriations in the house and deaf mute school, \$75,000; Boys' and eased by both houses were as fol. Glyis' Aid, Crittenden home, Patton home, Baby home, \$37,618.35; Ore-Experiment station Umatilla irriga- non Historical Society, \$5000; addi-Houal deficiency, \$81,188. Total house appropriations, \$2,-

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