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FULL LEASED WIRE TELEGRAPH REPORT

THE RECALL WOULD BE FAR MORE EFFECTIVE THAN THE REFERENDUM.

Everybody is holding his breath while the Yamhillers are getting ready to take the Referendum on some of the appropriations made by the legislature.

Why not take the Referendum on the legislature itself? What good has ever been accomplished by taking the referendum on bills allowing money by the legislature?

Not a dollar has ever been saved and it is only locking the stable door after the horse is stolen.

A far better plan and the only plan left to the people is to take the Recall to those who knock out the people's laws raising revenues.

When the people enact a law for putting money into the treasury it should be made treason to tamper with such a law.

While not a dollar will be saved by the referendum movement in Yamhill, there is a time for some good reform.

Some good will come from the agitation because the people have about reached the limit of their taxpaying power.

When people complain about high taxes they will sometimes listen to a little plain common sense on political lines.

All political discontent in Oregon has found vent in electing Democratic governors.

But Democrat or Republican, with our boasted Oregon system in full swing, taxes have gone higher and higher.

There is no recourse for the man who pays taxes but to quit playing the game.

When the voter registers, goes to the Primary, goes to the polls he plays the game of the tax eater, the salary grabber and the grafter.

The only recourse is the recall—never vote but to recall one of the above class.

Quit electing men to office for the only result is higher taxes, more officials, higher salaries, larger appropriations and more grafts.

Reverse the process, quit electing, and start the Recall system.

When you recall there must be someone elected in place of the official recalled.

The people must endorse the grafter or elect a man on the anti-graft issue.

To show how completely the people look at one fact. Four years ago the Grangers initiated a gross earnings tax on hitherto untaxed corporations.

The law was upheld in the supreme court and the money began to roll into the treasury.

The Standard Oil Company, The Wells Fargo Express Company, The Pullman Sleeping Car Company, The Armour Refrigerator Car Company, The Long Distance Telephone Company, The Western Union Telegraph Company, The Postal Telegraph and Cable Company.

And other gigantic corporations were all required to pay \$2 tax on every \$100 receipts in Oregon into the state treasury.

That was the law enacted by the people, and the corporations were beginning to pay the tax.

The Bell Telephone Company appealed to the U. S. supreme court.

But all the rest were paying, and if the law stood half the state tax would by this time be paid by these corporations.

Something had to be done, so the last legislature created the State Tax Commission.

The law creating this commission was "prepared" by "honorable."

No sooner was it passed than a test case was made up and a circuit court decided that the gross earnings tax was repealed "by implication."

On the strength of that decision another official decides that no more taxes can be collected under the "People's law."

The aforesaid multi-millionaire corporations are released from this tax of \$2.00 on the \$100.

Instead of a half million taxes each year, the people get "implication" soup.

But they seem to like the soup and give the officials who fed them soup immense popular votes.

Taxes on property mount higher and higher. "People's" laws are knocked out by "implication."

Great is officialism, but far greater are the corporations. Party names are a fraud to delude the voter.

The time has come for a new party—the People's Recall party. The voters can wear their legs off going to the polls, and taxes will go higher and higher.

Next year taxes will be higher than this year, and this year they are higher than last.

But what cares professional officialism, so long as the fool voters play their game?

Reverse the game. Don't vote but to recall the tax-eater, the tax-raiser, the common enemy.

Organize the recall party, and know no other party. It would be hard to fix the responsibility for the nullification of the corporation gross earnings tax.

But some official turned that trick and relieved the interests. The matter should be discussed and the responsibility fixed. If a law enacted by the people, under the power of Direct Legislation, can be repealed "by implication," there is no weapon left to the people but the recall.

The people have no protection against officials and courts who nullify their laws but the recall.

A TERRIFIC EXPLOSION OF DYNAMITE

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY TONS EXPLODE, SHAKING THE COUNTRY FOR A RADIUS OF NEARLY 200 MILES.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Kenosha, Wis., March 10.—The little city of Pleasant Prairie is off the map today as the result of the explosion yesterday of 150 tons of dynamite at the plant of the Dupont De Nemours Powder company, in which two lives were lost. Not a building was left standing. So great was the force of the explosion that the entire region from Cleveland, Ohio, to Clinton, Iowa, was badly shaken. The damage to the powder plant other buildings at Pleasant Prairie and to contiguous territory is estimated at \$1,500,000.

Fortunately the plant was closed down at the time and only 15 men were at work. These escaped with minor injuries except Engineer Joseph Flynn, who was blown to atoms and a man who has not been identified, who was killed.

The cause of the explosion is unknown.

THE JAPS ARE NOT INTERESTED IN THE MOVE

JAP PAPER AT CAPITAL SAYS, U. S. WANTS TO TAKE MEXICO, AND IF WE DO THERE IS NOBODY CAPABLE OF PREVENTING IT.

Tokio, March 10.—"The activity of the American forces in mobilizing on the Mexican frontier is most significant," the Hoshi says editorially today. "It is more aggressive and displays more hostility than would be shown by a mere series of maneuvers."

The Hoshi adds that the action of troops and warships is a sign of approaching realization of Pan-Americanism; that there is no doubt that America's ultimate object is the annexation of Canada, Mexico and the southern republics, but that it is confronted with two obstacles of the Latin—ambition and the possible growth of Mexico and a powerful confederacy of southern republics.

Even England, in the opinion of the Hoshi, dare not interfere with Pan-Americanism; Japan is complicated in Far Eastern politics, and the United States may safely profit by the Mexican revolution to forestall German ambition in South America.

The Japanese press in general makes no comment on the military activity in the United States, and no official cognizance has been publicly taken of the maneuvers.

WHERE IS THE MORAL TO THIS LITTLE TALE?

Manhattan Kan., March 10.—Two years ago, without a dollar of his own or the prospect of getting one, James Benner a student in the state agricultural college here, subscribed \$1,000 to a fund for building a new Baptist church. With the last installment paid, Benner is back at college today, doing double work in the hope of graduating this Spring. After subscribing \$1,000, Benner went to work for the American Steel and Wire company and after working 18 months had more than saved enough to make good his subscription.

WILL HOLD MANY FARMERS' INSTITUTES

Corvallis, March 10.—A large number of farmers' institutes will be held throughout the state during the next few months said Dr. James Withycombe today. Requests are coming in from many communities in the state for representatives from the state and the college to make addresses and give suggestions for the carrying on of certain experimental work in these localities.

"The college could use practically three times as many experts as are now available in the extension work alone," said Dr. Withycombe. "We will send men as to many of the institutes as is possible, but we cannot anywhere near meet the demand. It will be our policy to send representatives out to institute work in the fields where institutes have not been previously held."

TERRIFIC CYCLONE SWEEPS AUSTRALIA

Melbourne, March 10.—A terrific cyclone has passed across a district in Gippsland, clearing a track three miles wide and 10 miles long across the giant gum trees. No loss of life has been reported as a result of the storm.

Dr. Lyon's PERFECT TOOTH POWDER

cleanses, preserves and beautifies the teeth, prevents tooth decay and imparts purity and fragrance to the breath.

WILL TRY GROWING RICE IN OREGON

Charles E. Chambliss, expert in charge of rice investigations for the United States Department of Agriculture, will arrive in Portland soon to investigate the possibility of rice-growing in the Willamette Valley. It is probable that the first experiment will be made near Stayton as it is thought that the mild winters, early springs, abundance of water and dry summers and autumns of the valley might prove that the valley was especially adapted to rice growing. It was also pointed out that the character of the soil was similar to that in the vicinity of Louisiana, Arkansas, where the elevation, also was about the same. Mr. Chambliss writes from Washington as follows:

"Our success with the testing of rice at Red Bluff, California, last season has encouraged us to enter the state of Oregon with this work. We have planned to locate somewhere in the Willamette Valley. We can furnish seed rice from our California plants of last year for the planting of at least five acres and shall be glad to do so if the company referred to will furnish us land, team, labor and water for the making of the crop. Besides supplying the seed, we will give such instructions for the cultivation and irrigation of the crop as we may deem necessary."

It is said that under the modern method of handling rice fields the cost of labor does not furnish an obstruction. Headers are used in cutting the rice plants and threshers handle the grain the same as if it were wheat.

There is a duty of two cents a pound on rice imported from other countries and a ready market is found for the product in the United States at 7 1/2 cents a pound.

HAD TOOTH PULLED WHEN SIX DAYS OLD

York, Pa., March 10.—Although less than a week old the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Conley has already been in the hands of the dentist. Teething usually does not come along before the age of 10 or 12 months, but this precocious youngster had a tooth pulled when only six days old.

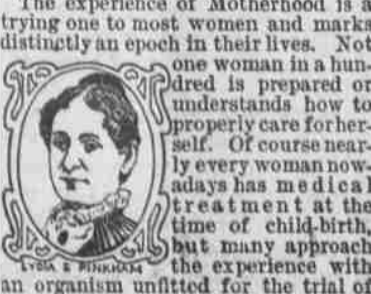
MILITARY IS BUSY IN THE PHILIPPINES

Manila, March 10.—Unusual military activity has been in progress here during the last few weeks. Army transports sailing from San Francisco have been heavily loaded with troops. At Corregidor Island additional artillerymen have been received and assigned to stations. It has been noticed also that the Japanese have been buying unusual quantities of rice and coal.

Some doubt is still expressed as to whether Col. Roosevelt is out after voters or subscribers.

Facts About Motherhood

The experience of Motherhood is a trying one to most women and marks distinctly an epoch in their lives. Not one woman in a hundred is prepared or understands how to properly care for herself. Of course nearly every woman nowadays has medical treatment at the time of child-birth, but many approach the experience with an organism unfitted for the trial of strength, and when the strain is over her system has received a shock from which it is hard to recover. Following right upon this comes the nervous strain of caring for the child, and a distinct change in the mother results.



There is nothing more charming than a happy and healthy mother of children, and indeed child-birth under right conditions need be no hazard to health or beauty. The unexplainable thing is that, with all the evidence of shattered nerves and broken health resulting from an unprepared condition, women will persist in going blindly to the trial. It isn't as though the experience came upon them unawares. They have ample time in which to prepare, but they, for the most part, trust to chance and pay the penalty.

In many homes once childless there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy, and strong. Any woman who would like special advice in regard to this matter is cordially invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. Her letter will be held in strict confidence.

STATE NEWS

The Portland harbormaster gives notice that shipments of monkeys from the Orient to Portland will not be allowed until the plague is ended.

The first arguments made to a jury by a woman lawyer in the Multnomah county court house within the memory of most of the officials there was conducted Thursday by Frances M. Kemp, a bright young woman from Woodburn.

A man named Bepoldi was shot by a negro tramp near Grants Pass Thursday, and a posse is looking for the "smoke."

The first pair of newly-weds to travel over the new Deschutes road made the trip Thursday.

Snow has stopped auto travel between Klamath Falls and Lakeview.

Willard N. Jones, Oregon land fraudist, was given a commutation of sentence by President Taft Thursday. He serves four months in jail, instead of a year, but pays a fine of \$12,000.

Mrs. Charles Wall, a widow, of Pendleton, Thursday married the widower of her deceased husband's sister.

The Linn & Lane Timber Company, of Albany, has brought suit in order to get rid of paying taxes.

W. H. Meyer, of Forest Grove, and pioneer of 1853, celebrated his 83d birthday Sunday last.

A two-story brick in Albany is the latest news from our neighbor.

Newport has called a meeting to protest against high taxes—a waste of time.

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FIRE AND EXPLOSION IN SAN FRANCISCO. [UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] San Francisco, March 10.—Following a fire in the Russ building at Montgomery and Bush streets early today the boilers blew out and the entire inside of the north end of the building was wrecked. The loss is estimated at \$150,000. A Dreadful Slight. To H. J. Barnum, of Freeville, N. Y., was the fever sore that had plagued his life for years in spite of many remedies he tried. At last he used Buckley's Arnica Salve and wrote: "It has healed with scarcely a scar left." Heals burns, boils, eczema, cuts, bruises, swellings, corns and piles like magic. Only 25c at J. C. Perry's. Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA. Get it at Dr. Stone's Drug Store.

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