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Big Union Rally Ends Conference

The Jackson County Sunday School Convention held its last day's session in Ashland at the Chautauqua building.

The morning session began at 10 a. m. with music by the orchestra and singing by the audience of the good old hymns such as "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name," "Sunshine in My Soul," "Since Jesus Came Into My Heart" and "We're Marching to Zion," followed by a responsive reading of the 23rd Psalm, led by Rev. Carnahan. A splendid prayer was offered, an intercession for help in county, state and national life, closing with the Lord's Prayer repeated in concert by all.

After more rousing music the classes were divided for the usual class work. Miss Carlton of New Jersey taught the adult woman's class of 153 women, and she said: "I never taught such a large class before." But before the class work was finished the ladies were convinced that she could have handled even a larger class had it been necessary. She brought out the practical thought that we as American women were in bondage today in many ways, such as giving too much time to housework, preparing meals, dress, style and so on to the utter neglect of more important things, until our neighbors and loved ones failed to see the consistency of our Christianity. She said the woman who habitually had a curtain lecture for her grocery man or other business friend needed to get closer to her God.

Mayor Lamkin handled at the teaching hour a fine class of young men, and the fellows were heard to say, "Mr. Lamkin sure knows how to talk to boys."

Dr. Baillie of Phoenix taught the Bible class of adult men, and he no doubt felt he had quite a fair audience, for they so far surpassed the usual size of men's Sunday school classes.

The secretary reported 650 in attendance at the Sunday school session.

After singing by a mixed quartette Rev. Gammons of Jacksonville led in prayer in a very earnest manner.

Rev. Mellinger of the Christian church was asked by the chairman to make a few remarks, after which "America" would be sung with the added verse as follows:

"God save our splendid men,
Bring them safe home again,
God save our men.

Keep them victorious, patient and chivalrous.

They are so dear to us,
God save our men."

Mr. Mellinger in his patriotic speech said in substance: "We have

given our boys to go to the front in this great war crisis. Now shall we not stand back of them with our money in order that the war may not be prolonged?" He also told how the Liberty bonds might be purchased by anyone with a salary, closing by saying he expected to practice as well as preach and purchase one of the Liberty bonds very soon.

Rev. Carstens of Medford preached the convention sermon in his usual eloquent manner, taking for his text Matt. 18:6 and Gal. 5:7. "Nipped in the Bud" was the subject of the sermon. Mr. Carstens brought to mind how an unseasonable frost in early spring would nip the prospect for fruit in the bud, and how men would stay up all night watching their smudge pots in order to save their crop of fruit, and yet at the same time would neglect the "buds of promise" God had given them in their homes and allow indifference or criticism to freeze out of the hearts of their children the good impulses or resolves that had started to grow in the child's life perhaps as a result of a Sunday school teacher's faithful effort. He also spoke of the sad results of this freezing-out method. Lastly Mr. Carstens told of how the spirituality of young Christians was often "nipped in the bud" these days by worldliness stealing into their lives and crowding out the best things. Special emphasis was brought to bear on the parents and teachers of young people that their lives might be a suitable example instead of a stumbling block to those looking to them for help in Christian living.

The afternoon sessions opened with singing and prayer. Mayor Lamkin spoke on "Patriotism as a Christian and Moral Duty." Mr. Lamkin read a letter from Lieutenant Spencer of Fort Stevens, stating that the soldiers had bought \$37,000 worth of Liberty bonds.

Senator Gore of Medford at this time spoke on the Liberty bonds, saying this was an opportunity on our part to purchase the Liberty bonds and not a sacrifice, for the supreme sacrifice had been given long ago by the Saviour of men.

Professor Briscoe of the Ashland schools then spoke on the topic, "My Nation is Today Holding Out Her Hands for Help. Who Will Respond?" Professor Briscoe's talk was very fine and was enjoyed by the audience.

Mrs. Dananhower of Portland gave a chalk talk on "What Becomes of Our Nickels?" as applied to the local and national Sunday school work.

Mayor Gates of Medford on "Sunday School Work" said that teachers and superintendents should be selected who could and would plan to hold the young people in the Sunday school.

Miss Carlton of New Jersey spoke



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interestingly on "The Value of the New Testament" and said that every Christian person should own a Testament and carry it with him in his pocket.

Dr. Rollins of Medford spoke on "Opportunities," saying great opportunities come to one but once in a lifetime, and the opportunity of the American people today was to purchase a Liberty bond.

The afternoon's interesting discussions closed by singing "America" again, including the new verse added by the Sunday school convention people.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors, also the Moose and Maccabee lodges, for the many beautiful flowers, words of sympathy and acts of kindness during the sickness and loss of our dear mother.

MR. and MRS. GEO. YATES,
EDWIN W. CURTIS,
FRANK L. CURTIS.

J. V. Wright and Lee Peachey were hunting down the valley near Eagle Point last week.

Miss Daton has been spending the past three weeks at the home of J. H. Fuller near Talent.

Mrs. Alice Jillson, who represented the local W. C. T. U. state convention at Albany, is spending some time with relatives in the north.

Joseph Croft and family, who have been spending the past year on a ranch near Eagle Point, have returned to Ashland. Mr. Croft is employed at the round-house.

Mrs. R. W. Farquhar, wife of Rev. Farquhar, former pastor of the Congregational church here, is in Ashland from Portland visiting her cousin, Mrs. James Rudd.

Mora Bailey is in from Bly for a few days, visiting his parents. He is employed in the lumber mills there grading lumber. He will return about the middle of the week.

William Rebec, son of Prof. George Rebec of the University of Oregon faculty, has returned to Eugene after spending fifteen months in a Portland hospital, where he had an operation performed on his leg. William was a former student of the Ashland high school.

Mrs. Pearl Johnson Dodge, Misses Lucile Barber and Hortense Winter left Friday for San Francisco to enter the Southern Pacific training school for agents and telegraphers.

O. A. Paulserud and R. L. Allen spent a few days last week in Portland. They returned Tuesday evening in a new Overland Six which Mr. Paulserud purchased while away.

Raymond Badger left this week for Corvallis to take the O. A. C. agricultural course. He will make his home with the family of Elmer Patrick, formerly of Ashland, but who are now residing in Corvallis.

William McDonald moved his family from Dunsmuir to Ashland last week and are now occupying one of the Blalock houses on B street. Mr. McDonald is a mail clerk on the Southern Pacific railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Greninger and two children of Miami, Ariz., are visiting Mr. Greninger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Greninger, at Glendale. They made the trip by auto, and as Mr. Greninger expects to leave soon for Chile, he presented his car to his father. Mr. Greninger expects to remain in Chile about three years.

Keels will be laid within thirty days for four of the eight ships to be built at the yards at Marshfield for the United States government, contracts for which have been awarded the company.

The Weed Lumber Company at Weed has a new mill under construction which will cost approximately \$500,000 when completed. The company will expend upwards of \$39,000 on the mill pond alone.

William St. John, Harry Dean and Councilman Banta were up from the Rogue river Sunday. These men constitute the crew checking up the previous classification of the O. & C. land grant timber areas.

Mrs. G. H. Hedberg, who left Thursday morning for Fort Stevens, carried with her a suitcase of candy contributed by the Ashland Honor Guard, to be distributed to the soldier boys from this section.

Floyd Ramp, who was recently charged with resisting an officer when he was arrested in Roseburg on a federal charge of violating the draft act by urging soldiers not to fight, was convicted by a jury after one jury had disagreed.