

Local and Personal

Bellevue Visitors— Mrs. Guy Randles and little daughter, of Bellevue district, are visiting Mrs. Randles' grandmother, Mrs. William Radcliffe for a few days.

Albert Taxi. Phone 183. 307-1m

Chas. S. Wilson—Painting, paper-hanging, tinting. Satisfaction guaranteed. P. O. Box 244. 8-1m\*

Recover from illness— Elmer Morrison is able to be back in the Automotive shop again after a few days' illness.

Watch Yeo's window. 299-ft

Leaves for Idaho— Mrs. Frank Dickey left Sunday evening with her sister, Mrs. Cora Edwards, for Burley, Ida., which is Mrs. Edwards' home. Mrs. Edwards came here for her health, and is returning to her home much improved.

Ladies' all pure linen embroidery handkerchiefs, 60c values 33c, 75c values 45c, in the Drummer Sample Sale Saturday and Monday at Ferguson's.

Moves to East Main Street — Mrs. Letty Judy has moved to her new home on East Main street, that she purchased recently from Mrs. I. N. Smith. Mrs. Judy has been previously making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Maxey, on Allison street.

Are you interested in a 1920 Buick six, 5 cord tires, run less than 4000 miles. This car is a real bargain. Call Ford garage, Ashland. % 8-2

Returns From 'Erisco— Mrs. D. A. Applegate returned yesterday from San Francisco, where she has been visiting her daughter, Miss Gladys, for the last three weeks. Dan rejoices in eating home cooking once again.

For pleating see Orres. 303ft

To Visit Mother— Mrs. Morris Plymate left this morning for Caldwell, Idaho, to visit her mother, Mrs. W. W. Stevens. She expects to be gone a couple of months.

All linen towels in guest and regular sizes, at wholesale prices in the Drummer Sample Sale at Ferguson's Saturday and Monday.

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Big values in fancy bath towels and bath sets in the Drummer Sample Sale Saturday and Monday at Ferguson's.

Handkerchiefs! Handkerchiefs! Hundreds of them on sale at wholesale price, all drummer samples, at Ferguson's Saturday and Monday.

Good food, cooked right, served at reasonable prices. Hotel Ashland Grill. 297ft

ANJOU, BOSQ AND COMICE PEARS Will be ready to pick the 15th. Will begin packing the 19th for shipment—Ashland Fruit and Produce Association. 8-4

WEST VIRGINIA MOON. SHINERS HAVE SECRET CODE TO FOOL OFFICERS

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Sept. 10.—The West Virginia moonshiners and moonshiners may not be long on education, but they are certainly endowed with plenty of shrewdness and ingenuity to offset whatever they are lacking in book learning. For years it has been a battle of wits between the mountaineer moonshiners and the "revenuers." More often the mountaineers win.

Federal officers, returning to headquarters here from a tour through Lincoln county during which they seized 2000 gallons of mash, nine stills and a quantity of moonshine whiskey, report much discouragement over a code system put into use by the mountain moonshiners.

The "code" varies in different communities, but it is such that nothing can be done by the officers to prevent its utilization. For example a woman will, upon observing the approach or presence of the federal officers, rush out of a cabin door and begin yelling:

"So-o-o-o cow; so-o-o-o-cow." This translated means: "The federal men are here, so hide the still quick."

The officers declare there is no way to prevent the women from calling the cows home, yet they say it is possible to go for days and not see a cow in the whole mountains.

OREGON FOREST FIRES DECREASE SINCE LAST YEAR

HINTS TO CAMPERS When you leave that campfire, brother. Put it out! It is apt to breed another— Put it out! Forest fires start from little When the woods are dry and brittle. So when you remove the kittle, Put it out! Do not leave one spark to smolder— Put it out! One small spark will soon grow bolder— Put it out! One small spark may prove a whale; There, when you hit the trail, Down it with a water pail— Put it out!

FOREST FIRES DECREASE IN NUMBERS THIS YEAR PORTLAND, Or., Sept. 8.—Reports just received at District Forester George H. Cecil's offices here from the twenty-two national forests in Oregon and Washington show that the number of forest fires reported to date has been smaller than a year ago and that the number of large fires has been greatly reduced.

The figures just compiled show that since July 1, there have been 769 forest fires reported on the national forests of Oregon and Washington, as compared to 930 a year ago at this same date. A total of 15,182 acres has been burned over to September 1.

The forest service divides forest fires into three classes, according to the acreage burned over by each fire. Class A fires are fires covering not over one-quarter acre; class B covering over a quarter acre and not over ten acres, and class C fires covering over ten acres. The 1920 report for the period from July 1 to September 1 showed 551 class A fires, 239 class B fires, and 140 class C, a total of 930 fires inside the national forests. The 1921 figures, for this same period, give 540 class A, 179 class B, and 50 class C, or 161 less fires than for 1920.

The dangerous fire season is not over yet by any means, the District Forester said, and forest officers are still urging hunters, campers and other users of the forests to use the greatest possible care to see that they leave no unextinguished fires in the woods.

"The most encouraging result," District Forester Cecil says, "of the 1921 figures, is that the number of class C fires or fires covering over ten acres, has been cut from 140 in 1920 to 50 for 1921; also the fine record being made on most of the forests. For example: Ranger E. C. Peachey, of the Dead Indian district on the Crater forest, had nine fires to September 1, but the total area burned over by these nine fires was only one-half acre. Another encouraging feature to me is the fine co-operation being given the federal forest officers by county peace officers in enforcing the state laws against leaving campfires unextinguished. The Oregon forest leads so far with nineteen convictions secured out of a total of thirty-five fires reported, with the Wenatchee forest second with fifteen convictions." In 1920, from July 1 to September 1, there were forty-two convictions while this year, for the same two-month period, eighty-three convictions have been secured, with a large number of pending fire trespass cases yet to be tried.

Forest officers attribute this improvement in record largely to the fact that rangers and guards are reporting discoveries better and getting to fires quicker than ever before. Mountain lookout stations have also been better equipped this year with fire-finding instruments and telephone lines, so that quicker action is being secured, and to the fact that justices of the peace of both states are co-operating with the field officers in strictly enforcing the state laws against carelessness with fire in the forests.

Forest officers say that the airplanes furnished and piloted by men from the 91st aero squadron have been of very material assistance in Oregon and on the Olympic peninsula in spotting fires quickly, in spite of the fact that due to a shortage of gas the forest patrol was shut down for several weeks in the height of the season.

The reports from the field indicate that west of the Cascades in

THE BLUE LAWS WILL GET YOU IF YOU DON'T WATCH OUT



Hawaii Has Nothing on the United States When it Comes to Wearing 'Em Higher, if Marie Prevost's Bathing Suit is any Criterion

WHAT with rounding up boot-leggers, speed-manias, firebugs and dope-fiends, "the policeman's boy" as Gilbert remarked, "is not a happy one." One would gladly trade jobs with these guardians of law and order at Coney Island, however, whose official duties include the surveying of bathing suits. "Somebody is always taking the joy out of life," pouted Marie Prevost, Universal star, as these two bluecoats stopped her as she was about to plunge into the Atlantic. "You might at least have let me take a dip first."

"Not a chance, miss," replied the custodian of the tape measure. "I'm not taking any chances on your suit shrinking—enough is enough."

Washington the fire danger is greatly lessened, with conditions still dangerous east of the mountains. In Oregon the conditions on the west side of the Cascades are still dangerous, made more so, forest officers state, by the earlier date of the opening of the deer season this year, while in eastern Oregon the woods are very dry and the peak of the fire season is yet to come.

Civic Club Notes

An interesting letter has been received from Mr. Jedediah Bruleyhorn in which he says that all this noise about a civic club house makes him think of a train tooting a few miles before it gets to the station. The train may be sidetracked for a time but the station waits. Mr. Bruleyhorn believes in giving women as much freedom as they can use. He bought a washing machine for his wife years ago, and says he would be glad to take her to town with him when he has to go on business, if only she might have a place to rest and meet her friends and freshen her mind a bit. She can't do much shopping with little Jed in her arms. Having the other two children in school means more spare time for her, and she wants to join the Civic club. His next paragraph is worth quoting:

"I wish my wife and the other women might be content to be auxiliary members of our lodge, since this arrangement would save us janitor wages, but Ashland is bound to grow, and I hope the women may be among those who help the good work along, even though they do it their own way, and even if I have to spend a few dollars to get things started. I believe it is a good investment."

Mr. Bruleyhorn quaintly adds that the women who oppose, condemn and fight every new idea or change of any sort, are the same little girls who used to stand by the old school house fence and refuse to play the game. The curious part was that they not only refused to play, but did all the could to spoil the game for the other children. They never suggested any game themselves, yet resented the ideas of any other child and were constantly peevish lest they be asked to fill in when more girls were needed to make the game a success.

Mr. Bruleyhorn says that he sees both sides to most propositions, and hopes that the non-club house faction may take advantage of press publicity and public discussions at

club meetings, urging that the women avoid harsh language, bad temper, unsigned letters and other vulgarities in stating their objections to having a women's club house in Ashland. They may not know how many thousand women's club houses are in our fair land today. He pays a compliment to the pro-club house faction because of the sincerity of their efforts and their desire to be of service and pleasure to Ashland and her guests, even at the expense of considerable personal comfort. He ends his letter with the following couplet:

"Please re-read the Golden Rule You used to lip in Sunday school." GRACE H. CHAMBERLAIN.

RADIO CONTROLLED AUTO NOW BEING DEVELOPED BY ARMY AIR SERVICE

By JAMES T. KOLBERT (United Press Staff Correspondent) WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—Next on the program of twentieth century progress is the radio controlled automobile.

The air service engineers at McCook Field, Dayton, O., have in their possession an invention which makes it possible for them to drive a three-wheeled automobile from the office. They can make the machine dart about the field, make it stop suddenly with a screeching of brakes; cause it to turn to the right or left, and make it do everything that the driver at the wheel may call for.

This automobile is about eight feet long, runs on three pneumatic tired wheels and has a speed ranging from four to ten miles an hour. It has no aerial or antenna system visible.

The "selector" does the work. The "selector" is the heart of the mass of machinery under the hood, and receives and distributes the impulses wirelessly by the men at the radio controls. The "selector" operates twelve controls and can be put into action within less than a second after the push button at the transmitter in the radio station is pressed.

The car can be controlled from the ground and from airplane, the test showed. Aside from the value of the radio controlled car in times of peace, the contrivance will be invaluable in time of war. It was pointed out.

Great tanks, filled with high explosives could be launched against the enemy without endangering the members of the attacking force. Ships laden with TNT could be directed against battleships. Even airplanes could be loaded with explosives and dropped at a given point within the enemy lines.

The engineers are hard at work

with the expectation of improving the apparatus to the point where its operation will be simple and practicable.

LONDON, Sept. 10.—That allied troops may be sent into West Hungary to prevent an Austro-Hungarian war, which would involve the "little entente," was reliably reported here today.

LONDON, Sept. 10.—Three were killed and several wounded today in an explosion upon the former German submarine Deutschland at Birkhead, where the submarine was being dismantled.

Astoria—Columbia Fruit Cannery starts operations Sept. 6.

SAN ANTONIO DAMAGE RUNS TO MILLIONS

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ville has been washed out. Greed-moor is reported as completely inundated and the "Katy special" train which left Dallas last night is marooned between Georgetown and Austin. All trains at San Marcus are tied up by the high waters.

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Your Last Chance to See BILL HART "The Whistle" IN Louise Glaum in "Love" Coming— Sunday Monday Larry Semon IN "The Rent Collector"

CUT-PRICE GERMAN GOODS MENACE TO U. S. MERCHANDISE

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German catalog, dated May 2, 1921, quoting a price of sixty marks on a lawn mower, which is an exact duplicate of a popular American model that at today's price of labor and materials cannot be produced in America for less than \$4.25. With the mark worth but a fraction more than a cent and a half in American money, the German price for the mower is 76 cents, or six times below the American price. So you can see what I mean when I say this industry will be destroyed, not crippled, if adequate protection is not provided.

Many other industries face a like fate. The basket manufacturers of America, seventy-five in all, giving employment to 10,000 workers and with a capital investment of \$10,000,000, face ruin. "Many baskets are being imported from Germany and Japan, where labor is extremely cheap and much of the work is done in the homes by the women and children," writes E. A. Florang, president of the Burlington Basket company, "and the only way we hope to compete with these countries is to have the import duties based on the American valuation plan."

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

FOR SALE—160 acres of land seven miles east of Ashland, 3 room house, fair barn, 2,000,000 feet of timber, three-fourths mile from school, several springs, 12 acres in cultivation, 50 acres fenced, good terms at 6 per cent, or will trade for Ashland property. See C. B. Lamkin. 8-1m

FOR RENT—Housekeeping room, adults only, use of parlor and piano. 153 Granite street, phone 411-R. 8-1

FOR EXCHANGE—My equity \$3800 strictly modern stucco 5 room bungalow with sleeping porch, in Dinuba, Calif., town of 5000, center of raisin belt. For partly improved farm. D. Rasmussen, Cutler, Calif. 8-9\*

FOR SALE—Kitchen range, wood or coal, hot water coils, good condition, half price. 425 East Main St. 8-1

Hotel Ashland will make special monthly rates to permanent guests. All rooms have hot and cold water and steam heat.

The Citizens Bank

of Ashland Ashland, Oregon

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Statement of Condition

September 6th, 1921

RESOURCES

Table with 2 columns: Resource, Amount. Includes Loans, Bonds and Warrants, Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures, Cash and Exchange, Other Resources, Total \$642,770.10

LIABILITIES

Table with 2 columns: Liability, Amount. Includes Capital Stock, Surplus and Profits, DEPOSITS, Reserve for Taxes, Rediscouunts, Total \$642,770.10

The O.K. Barber Shop 95 OAK ST. Now Open for Business C. G. ENGLISH, Prop.

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