

### Ashland News in Paragraphs

Local and Personal

#### Side Lights

##### MASONIC CALENDAR THIS WEEK

Malta Commandery, Wednesday evening. Stated conclave. Reception of petitions. 152-3

Siskiyou Chapter, Thursday evening. Special convocation. Royal Arch degree. Postponed from date set for Tuesday evening.

Hillah Temple, stated session, Friday evening. Ceremonial matters to dispose of.

Dew Drop Inn—for lunches.

Everybody is going to the masque skating party Friday night. 152-3

Sambo, where can I get the biggest, fattest chicken in town? At the Ashland Fish and Poultry Market, of course. Phone 104. We deliver. 152tf

Dance tonight, Memorial Hall.

Parent-Teachers Meeting—

A meeting of the Parent-Teachers' association will be held Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Hawthorne school. Pupils will furnish music, and short talks will be made by Dr. Buchanan of the board of directors and Prof. G. A. Briscoe.

Cliff Payne makes clothes racks.

Bacon and Eggs for Breakfast—

You can get some of that crisp, snappy bacon at Detrick's, also strictly fresh yard eggs. We sell for less. Detrick's Groceria. 150tf

In Town Today—

Charles L. Hanson, who has been at Lodi, Calif., for some time was in Ashland for a time today.

The famous Victor 10 inch record has been reduced from 85 cents to 75 cents. Three thousand to select from at Rose Brothers. 152tf

Medford People Attend Meeting—

Among those attending the W. C. T. U. meeting from Medford yesterday, were Mrs. F. J. Jones, Rev. Rhoda Burnett, Mrs. S. L. Leonard, and Mrs. H. A. Kennedy.

Big dance at Gold Hill Saturday night. Oh, Boy! 152-4

The best home made candies can be had at Rose Brothers. 152tf

Everybody has a wonderful time at Gold Hill. Why? Come and see. 152-4

Taken to Hospital—

Jesse Neil was taken to the hospital this morning suffering from appendicitis, and it is expected he will undergo an operation in the very near future.

The March Victor records are here. Come early and make your selections. Rose Brothers. 152-wfs

If you want to see real, honest-to-goodness Butler-made confections, look at the Plaza windows. 152-2

An added feature of the illustrated lecture on Crater Lake at the Christian church Friday evening, is to be R. B. Brewer's composition for the piano, "At Sunset," rendered syncategorematically with Patterson Pictures of Columbia river sunsets. 152-1

Visiting Friends—

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Barkley and daughter Catherine of Aberdeen, Wash., are spending a few days as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Porter, on Church street. They will go south from here, where they expect to spend some two or three months.

Columbit records reduced to 65c at Rose Brothers. 152tf

Dancers, take warning. Don't fail to hear the new dance hits. Snyder's Orchestra, Gold Hill. 152-4

Cocoanut Brittle. You never have tasted a daintier confection. Butler-made. Plaza Confectionery. 152-2

Makes Good Score—

Edgar Buchanan, son of Dr. Buchanan of this city, who is attending school at the University of Oregon, was the highest scorer in the recent Ninth Corps rifle meet, when he made a score of 593 out of a possible 600. This meet was between the freshmen, of which class Mr. Buchanan is a member, and the sophomores. Only two of the 'varsity team had shot when the report was sent out, and the lowest of these scores was only seven points ahead of young Buchanan.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen will meet at the home of Mrs. Mark W. Smith, 269 B street, on Friday evening, March 3. 152-1

Nose-Tip Vaccination.

The aged Japanese statesman had a little, saucer-shaped scar on the tip of his nose.

"All we Japanese of the older generation have this scar," he said. "It's our vaccination mark."

"Mercy!"

"Yes, it's our vaccination mark. In the old days, when compulsory vaccination first came in, we vaccinated everybody on the tip of the nose. Why? Well, because it was a good place—no movement there, you see, to rub off the scab. Also because a vaccination mark on the nose tip was easily identified by the medical officer—no need to take off half your clothes in order to prove that you'd been vaccinated."

"Yes, nose-tip vaccination had its good points, but before the modern hankering after beauty it had to go, just as knee vaccination is going here in the western world, before the one-piece bathing dress and the stocking rolled down to the top of the calf."

Peanut Brittle. You never tasted better. It melts in your mouth. Butler-made. Plaza Confectionery. 152-2

### Fine Comedy to Be Staged Soon

First company, coast artillery, will give a splendid home talent comedy at the Armory, two evenings, March 14 and 15. The title of the production is "Nothing But the Truth," and is a comedy of the highest class, having had a wonderful run recently in the eastern states.

The young people taking part in the production have been practicing faithfully almost every evening for the past three weeks, and it will doubtless be the best developed and most perfectly accomplished home talent production ever produced in Ashland for years.

One of the things that is sure to please Ashland people is the fact that for the past two weeks new scenery having been made, so that the Ashland public will see two entirely new sets of scenery at the Armory. This is a splendid addition to the equipment of the Armory, and has been made at no little expense to the company.

The proceeds of this play will be devoted to apply on the indebtedness of the boys due the First National Bank of Ashland, and is in the nature of a benefit. Loveland's orchestra has donated its services as orchestra for the event, and several vaudeville acts have been arranged to fill in while changes of scenery are being made.

Seat sale will start next Monday, and the board will be placed at Rose Brothers. This entertainment will be put on at reasonable prices, which will be announced by appropriate advertising during the week.

### Rivers and Harbors Convention Today

(By International News Service) WASHINGTON, March 1.—The seventeenth convention of the National Rivers and Harbors congress will take place tomorrow at the New Willard hotel. The Women's National Rivers and Harbors congress will conduct its fourteenth annual convention at the same place and date. On March 3 and 4 the annual convention of the National Merchant Marine association will meet at the Washington hotel.

The evening of Wednesday, March 1, will be devoted to a discussion of the proposed St. Lawrence river ship channel, led by two speakers of national reputation whose names will be announced later. Among those who have promised to address the convention are Secretary of the Navy Denby, Secretary of Commerce Hoover and Major General Lansing H. Beach, chief of engineers, United States army.

The banquet will be held on the evening of March 2 at the New Willard hotel. President Harding has been invited to attend, and it is hoped that his public duties will permit his presence for at least a part of the evening.

Everyone who is at all interested in rivers and harbors will find food for thought in the facts published in the Official Call under the heading, "Cheese-paring Economy vs. Broad-visioned Statesmanship." Agriculture, industry, commerce and every other interest in the country has suffered enormous losses because of inadequate railroad facilities.

#### FIGHT EXPECTED ON SHIP SUBSIDY

WASHINGTON, D. C. March 1.—Another fight in congress which may rival that over the soldiers' bonus is threatened by the ship subsidy message which President Harding read in the joint session at the capital yesterday.

Warnings have already been sounded by the members of the "agricultural bloc" that they are against voting a subsidy of approximately \$30,000,000 a year to be handed over to the shipping interests.

"We are opposed to all subsidies on general principles," said Senator Capper. "In the past I have been against ship subsidy of any kind. But I understand that the president is preparing to present the problem from a new point of view, and I intend to reserve judgment until I can study his message. There is bound to be opposition from many of the agricultural districts however."

Some apprehension is also felt in administration quarters lest the advocates of the soldiers' bonus charge the president with inconsistency in advocating a \$30,000,000 "bonus" for shipping interests while opposing a cash outlay for the ex-service men.

London, England, probably has the largest and the most efficient police force in the world. The metropolitan police force has charge of an area beside the River Thames composed of twenty-one land divisions and comprising an area of 688 square miles. A superintendent is over each division. In 1916, the force had a strength of 22,323—composed of thirty-six superintendents, 650 inspectors, 2,995 sergeants, and 18,642 constables. The criminal investigation department, having a central body at New Scotland Yard, and branches in each division, was organized in 1878. A branch of this department is the convict supervision office, founded in 1880. The City of London police had a force of 1,161 in 1916, 1,015 being constables.

#### A Pointed Question.

Alice Whitney Auerbach, seven-year-old daughter of Murray A. Auerbach, executive secretary of the Indiana Tuberculosis association, is an ardent advocate of women's rights.

Alice went to church Christmas Sunday and the choir sang hymns in which "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men" often occurred.

Miss Auerbach stood it as long as she could. Then she leaned over to her parents and, in a whisper that was easily overheard, she said:

"Daddy, why do they always sing 'Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men'? Why don't they sing 'Good Will to Ladies' now and then?"—Indianapolis News.

#### Thunderstorm Spots.

The conclusion has been reached by a well-known engineer who has given the subject considerable attention that certain cities, if not indeed most inland cities of say 100,000 population or more, appear to be "thunderstorm spots." The observation has been made by R. E. Horton of Voorheesville, N. Y., who also points out that "a shallow lake with sandy margin located in a forest may serve as a thunderstorm breeder" and cites as proof of observations made by him over Oneida lake, New York.—Indianapolis News.



A RELIC  
"Poor man, he looks honest at least."  
"Oh yes, that's why he is poor."

### SHIP INDUSTRY IN GERMANY BOOMS

NEW YORK, March 1.—"Ship-building industries are flourishing in Germany as never before in that country's history. The port of Hamburg, for instance, during the year just passed, regained her full pre-war tonnage."

This is the news that was brought by Emil Lederer, passenger traffic manager of the United American lines, back from Europe.

Lederer said he was astonished at the rapid strides made by Germany in rebuilding her merchant marine. While in Holland he conferred with Averill Harriman, president of the United American lines, regarding the purchase of two new vessels to be put into the passenger service of the company.

"In the Resolute and Reliance, which we have recently acquired, we will have two of the finest vessels in the world. The Resolute will arrive here in April, and the Reliance in May."

The prune crop in the northwest last season was 24,000,000 pounds.

#### MUSCLE SHOALS TO BE SECOND TO NIAGARA

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of the most progressive countries of Europe. France, Italy, Germany, Norway and Sweden and Switzerland have total developments of a little more than 1,000,000 horse power. The Muscle Shoals development will almost approximate the totals in these countries."

#### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

WANTED—Fat hens. Box 12, Talent, Oregon. 152-1mo\*

FOR SALE—Good Jersey milk cow. Route 1, Box 172. Geo. W. Grant, 2 miles east of city. 152-2\*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Lot on 4th St. below Loomis and Nelson store. Inquire 30 Second St. 152-2\*

FOR SALE—Eight room house. Price reasonable. Close in. 71 Gresham. Will rent. For terms, phone 415-L. Mrs. Leavitt. 152-3

WANTED—Five or six room house. Must be modern and clean as I have children. Phone 31. Mrs. Price. 152tf

### SPEAKER L. E. BEAN DISCUSSES TAXATION PROBLEMS OF OREGON

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boards, which boards would be appointed by the governor and his cabinet, and each board would be responsible for their acts, a condition that does not exist now.

Another way of curbing the taxes would be to stop the issuance of any further tax-free securities in the state, says Mr. Bean, and he further states that not only the state but the United States as well should stop the issuance of his class of securities.

A word was said in favor of passing the alien land law, which was brought up at the last session of the legislature and passed by the house but turned down by the senate. Mr. Bean stated that in as much as both Washington and California had

passed such laws, it left Oregon as the dumping ground for the people that these states refuse to allow to become landowners within their borders.

After Mr. Bean had closed his masterful address, Mr. Fuller took the floor and gave a brief summary of what had been accomplished and read the financial report for the past year. Mr. Fuller undertook to refute some of the charges that have been made against him, and was followed by Messrs. Carter, Smith and McCoy, each of whom endeavored to explain their position in regard to the hotel proposition.

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**HULET M. WELLS**  
ORATOR AND LECTURER  
—of—  
SEATTLE, WASH.

Just returned from a five months visit to Russia, where he made a tour through the Volga famine region with an official investigating party.

Wednesday Evening,  
Mar. 1, 1922, at 8 p.m.  
**CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
ADMISSION FREE

Today--Tomorrow **V. WINING**  
THE THEATER BEAUTY

**3 LIVE GHOSTS**  
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**Anna Q. Nilsson and Norman Kerry**  
You will say they were alive alright when you see this picture  
—ALSO—  
BABY PEGGY in one of her best comedies

Next Friday—Saturday  
CONCEIT—A 100 PER CENT PICTURE

Next Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday March 7-8-9  
**WAY DOWN EAST**

# MASS MEETING!

## At Armory, Tonight

### At 7:30

## To Discuss the Issues in Regard to The New Hotel and Sanitarium

Mr. Greer will attempt to answer every charge, or argument, if they have any, that will be proposed at the Tuesday night meeting by the Chamber of Commerce.

The Wednesday night meeting is called primarily for those Chamber of Commerce members who are opposed to the present directory slate, to put a ticket in the field against the slate ticket. Only members of the Chamber of Commerce whose dues are paid up will be eligible to participate in the forming of this ticket, but

## All Interested Citizens Are Requested to be Present

There is no bluff about this tourist hotel and sanitarium business. Ashland now has her big chance. Are you interested? Come!

# Greer Will Dodge No Issue the Opposition Raises He Means Business