

**Ashland News in Paragraphs**

Local and Personal

Side Lights



Siskiyou Chapter No. 21  
R. A. M.  
Masonic Hall, Ashland.

**Notice of Meeting.**

Special communication Thursday evening, May 4. Work in first degree. Visiting brethren welcome. GEO. B. ICENHOWER, W. M. W. H. DAY, Secretary.

**MASS MEETING TONIGHT**

A mass meeting will be held tonight at the city hall to make plans for the Fourth of July celebration. If you want a celebration this year, come out and tell the committee so, and help start the ball rolling.

For insurance, good under all circumstances. Beaver Realty Co. 197-tf

True to name — Blue Ribbon Bread. 204-tf

**Painting House—**

Mrs. L. Hilty is having her place on Gresham street improved by a new coat of paint; and is also beautifying the place by the construction of a pergola, at one side.

For insurance, fire or auto, see Beaver Realty Co. 197-tf

True to name — Blue Ribbon Bread. 204-tf

Detrick sells butter for less. 201-tf

Let us brighten up your old suit. Paulserud's. 198-tf

Our suits satisfy. Paulserud's. 198-tf

**Returns to Ashland—**

Mrs. C. M. Bomah has returned from Richmond, where she has spent the last four weeks at the bedside of Mrs. Flynn, who was badly burned at the Richmond hospital through the carelessness of attendants, when her baby boy was born. Mrs. C. A. Cotter left yesterday morning on No. 13 to take Mrs. Bomah's place, and will be gone two or three weeks.

Stop! Look! See that your match or "snipe" is out before you drop it.

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

True to name — Blue Ribbon Bread. 204-tf

Hand-made gifts for graduates and June brides.—Needlecraft Shop. Paulserud's. 198-tf

Phone 119. We call and deliver. Paulserud's. 198-tf

Have a fit at Orres. Orres cleans clothes. Phone 64. 191-3

**Standing of the Clubs**

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
San Francisco	19	9	.679
Vernon	14	9	.609
Sal Lake	10	10	.500
Sacramento	13	14	.481
Oakland	13	15	.464
Portland	10	12	.455
Los Angeles	12	15	.441
Seattle	10	17	.370

No games yesterday; teams traveling.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	13	3	.813
Chicago	11	5	.688
St. Louis	8	7	.533
Brooklyn	9	8	.529
Pittsburgh	7	9	.438
Philadelphia	6	9	.400
Cincinnati	6	11	.353
Boston	3	11	.214

Results  
Brooklyn 2—Philadelphia 0.  
Pittsburgh 7—Cincinnati 6.  
New York 10—Boston 3.  
Chicago-St. Louis, no game scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Louis	12	5	.706
New York	11	6	.647
Chicago	8	7	.533
Boston	7	8	.467
Washington	8	10	.444
Cleveland	7	9	.438
Philadelphia	7	9	.438
Detroit	5	11	.313

Results  
Boston 5—New York 2.  
Philadelphia 8—Washington 5.  
Chicago 6—Detroit 5.  
St. Louis 13—Cleveland 2.

**Parent Teachers Reception Was Great Success**

The Parent-Teachers circle was host yesterday to Mrs. Higgins, national president of the Parent-Teachers association of the United States, and Mrs. Hill, president of the state organization. Preparations were originally made for a noon-day luncheon, with 50 plates. This was later raised to 75 and the luncheon confined to the ladies and Medford members allowed 25 plates. At a late hour a message was received from Medford stating that there would be 42 here for the luncheon, and the hotel was asked if they could make room. When the time came and the luncheon was served there were an even 120 persons served, an increase of 100 per cent over the original plans. The hotel management is to be congratulated on the manner in which the affair was handled.

Following the luncheon a business session was held, followed by a reception in the hotel parlors, at which time a great number of ladies had the pleasure of meeting Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Higgins. Mrs. Hill gave a talk on the work being accomplished by the association in the state and a brief outline of what she hoped could be done in the near future.

Mrs. Higgins then gave a wonderful address, speaking of the various phases of the work she has had in hand. She told of how the work had been taken to the government and to some of the big colleges, and the response that was found. How Columbia university asked for information and a member of the association detailed to give a few lectures there, and that this year the university asked to have several weeks given over to a course of lectures on this work. How a representative of the association was placed in the department at Washington, being paid by the association. That when a ruling of the government was made that no person could be in a government position and be paid by outside aid, resulting in the discharge of the representative, but that Secretary Lane took the matter up and had the representative restored to her position, this time on government pay. Mrs. Higgins emphasized the fact that best results accrue from everyone getting together and working to one end; that in unity there is power, and in power lies the ability to secure results.

**Napoleon Relic Stolen.**  
The sofa on which Napoleon I rested on the day before the Battle of Jena has been stolen from the Grunnenbaum inn by Germans. This is not the first time that relics of the great captain tempted the cupidity of "collectors." In 1864, the saber presented by the city of Paris to Napoleon on the occasion of the birth of the king of Rome was stolen from the castle of Stolzenfelds. This saber had been found, it is said, by the Prussians in the imperial coach after the Battle of Waterloo. The hilt and scabbard were of solid gold, encrusted with precious stones. At the same time the robbers made away with Prince Murat's saber, which was also very valuable, and several other souvenirs, including Blucher's sword.—From Le Petit Parisien. (Translated for the Kansas City Star.)

**The Right Way.**  
Motorists on the highway between Greenfield and Pendleton have been having considerable difficulty in getting through a certain bad spot in the road. A few days ago an automobile sunk to axle depths, but, after a titanic struggle, succeeded in backing out. The destination was forward, however, so the driver went to a farmhouse near by and asked a boy whether there was any other road he could take to Pendleton. "Only road to Pendleton," the boy answered. "Ain't no other way." "Oh, there must be some other way," the motorist insisted. "Nope, no other way. Just go on into the hole and pa will be along in a little bit an' pull you out for \$4."—Indianapolis News.

**Jews as Farmers.**  
Gabriel Davidson, general manager of the Jewish Agricultural and Industrial Aid society, has issued a report concerning its work. The society's goal has been, to quote the report, "to build up a substantial, progressive and permanent Jewish farming class in this country." Twenty-two years ago, when the organization began to function, there were 216 Jewish farm families in the United States. Today the number exceeds 90,000. In 1900 the total acreage owned by Jewish farmers was 12,029. Today more than 1,000,000 acres are farmed by Jewish hands, and the real estate and personal value of these holdings are above \$1,000,000.

**Now the Blind Can Hear Print**



Originally invented in England about ten years ago by Dr. E. E. Fournier d'Abbe, but more recently developed by an organization of technical men and business experts of this country, a device known as the optophone has been perfected by means of which, for the first time in the history of the world, the blind may enjoy at their leisure the full benefits of the world's printed word in books, magazines and newspapers. The photograph shows it being used by Miss Margaret R. Hogan, who was the first blind woman to graduate from Columbia university. In the optophone light projected by a tiny photograph lens streams through five rows of oblong perforations in a revolving disk and is reflected back and transformed into sound by means of selenium cells.

**MRS. F. C. SIMPSON CALLED BY DEATH TUESDAY MORNING**

Mrs. Winifred Merrill Bolton Simpson, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Bolton, died Tuesday morning at the Sacred Heart hospital, Medford at 10:30 a. m. She was 41 years of age.

Mrs. Simpson was born November 27, 1880, in Putnam, Conn., coming at the age of four years to Ashland with her parents and living here almost continuously since that time. She attended the local schools during her early life, but poor health prevented her from pursuing a higher musical education, along which line she was very talented.

She was married to Frank C. Simpson in 1904, and was left a widow in 1912, since which time she has made her home with her parents at their residence on Church street. For the past several years she has been in poor health and her condition had gradually become worse until her suffering was ended by death.

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon from the H. C. Stock funeral parlors, burial to be in Hargadine cemetery. Rev. C. A. Edwards will officiate at the funeral services.

**COUNCIL CONSIDERS ROUTINE BUSINESS**

The city council met last evening in regular session and routine business only was transacted. Following are some of the actions taken: An ordinance regulating motor buses was given second reading. Action on Linniger's request to be allowed to use city water was deferred until next meeting. The regular monthly bills were allowed. Mr. Million's request for a permit to build a barn on his place on Oak street was granted. Mr. Pinion, caretaker at the cemetery, asked for an increase in salary of \$10 per month, but request was denied. Judge Gowdy was voted \$20 additional for the work thrown into his office by the great number of arrests made for speeding last month. A special meeting was called for next Monday evening to consider the finances of the city. A new petition to be required in connection with the request for a sidewalk on Sixth street. Metering of small tracts not already metered was taken up, but on account of the water superintendent having so much

work on hand, it was decided not to take any action now.

Mayor Lamkin informed the council that large signs giving the speed limits had been ordered would be erected across the streets as soon as completed.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

Delivery subscribers to the Portland Oregonian, San Francisco Examiner, San Francisco Chronicle and San Francisco Call will be allowed a rebate premium of five cents per month for back payments if paid with the May payment before May 10, at the office, 267 Fourth street, the same as for the May payment.—C. W. Trefren, Agent. 206-2  
Cliff Payne makes book shelves.

**AT REST ON BARREN ISLAND**

Land Where Sir Ernest Shackleton Sleeps Was Discovered by the Famous Captain Cook.

South Georgia island, where Sir Ernest Shackleton will sleep on the fringe of the wild and frozen solitudes against which he opposed the might of a hero's will, is in about the same latitude as Cape Horn, which lies 1,200 miles westward of it.

When Captain Cook was making one of his historic voyages around the world in the eighteenth century he happened on South Georgia island, it is recorded. At first he thought it might be the "terra incognita Australis" he was in search of, so he went ashore and as he recorded in his diary, "took possession of the country" in his majesty's name, under a discharge of small arms.

When the great circumnavigator examined his discovery a little more closely and found it to be a mere bunch of icy mountains, he concluded that it was "not worth the discovery." Nevertheless he "called this land the Isle of Georgia in honor of his majesty." His majesty, by the way, was none other than George III.

A hundred years later the seafaring men of New England came to the conclusion that South Georgia island was not as worthless as Captain Cook had supposed. It was a great place for fur seals. They slaughtered more than 1,000,000, virtually exterminating them in that part of the Antarctic. Then came a harvest of "elephant oil," extracted from the blubber of the sea elephant, the giant of the seal family.

Columbia records reduced to 65c at Rose Brothers. 152-tf

True to name — Blue Ribbon Bread. 204-tf

**HOUSEHOLD WORDS NOT OLD**

In Everyday Use Today, but Really Have Not Long Been Incorporated in the Language.

Most persons probably think that the word "starvation" is as old as the language; but it isn't. It was first used in 1775 in a speech made in parliament by Henry Dundas, who in consequence became widely known as "Starvation Dundas." "Intensify" and "outsider" are two words less than a hundred years old. The English poet, Coleridge, deliberately coined the former word because there was no other in existence to express the particular shade of meaning which he wished to convey; and "outsider" came into being in 1844, during the convention that nominated James K. Polk for President. The delegates were subjected to uncomfortable pressure by the throng of spectators gathered without the hall, and some one happily described it as a pressure from the "outsiders." The term was taken up by the reporters and at once became popular.

Other words unknown until the middle of the Seventeenth century include such now familiar ones as "sculptor," "umbrella," "opera," "suicide" and "peninsula," while Bentley in the Eighteenth century had actually to defend himself for using such strange terms as "timid," "concede," "repudiate," "idiom" and "vernacular," and George Campbell in 1776 hesitated to use such queer new words as "originate," "sentimental" and "criminality."

Try Detrick for ripe olives, green olives, sweet pickles, dill pickles, boiled ham, chipped beef and honey. "We sell for less." 201-tf

**TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.**

FOR RENT—One acre alfalfa pasture on California street. Address T. E. Hadfield, Grenada, Calif. 206-6\*\*

FOR SALE—Flock of one year old Tanager Leghorn hens at 75 cents apiece. See Judkins at Laundry or 54 Roco St. 206-2\*

WANTED—To buy second hand furniture at the Furniture Hospital, newly opened. 253 Fourth St. 206-6\*

FOR SALE—Grass hay. Phone 1-F-11. 206-tf

FOR SALE—One young sow; also eight 100-pound shots. Welborn Beeson, 268 B street. 206-3

WHEN you desire the best help, phone Charles S. Mitchell, stenographer, graduate bookkeeper, pianist and piano instructor. 206-2

**College Boys Honor Retiring Prexy**



Dr. K. G. Matheson, retiring president of Georgia Technical college, and Mrs. Matheson with the silver service presented to them by the students. At the left is Albert Staton, who made the presentation address.

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**On Each Option for Site**

the legal description must be correct and complete. With each option, on a separate piece of paper, draw a diagram showing the SHAPE and dimensions of the property offered. This is very important. Pin the diagram to the option. It may be drawn with a lead pencil in rough freehand.

Please observe these two requirements, and it will save time for all of us.

Several options are already in, and some of them do not meet these requirements, and will have to be corrected.

Several options have been filed of small properties which join, so that the investor can be enabled, if he likes the location, to take as much as he likes for the site. This is a good idea.

**BERT R. GREER**

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—in—

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