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SOLOMONITES
 QUERER
 Oh, I know an old lady who wears a green shawl,
 And the other good neighbors don't like her at all,
 For she potters around in her garden all day,
 And seldom has ever "Good Morning" to say.
 But today, as I watched her transplant a starved rose,
 I guessed the queer secret that no one else knows,
 For she whispered of Yesterdays—oh, by the hour—
 As she worked at rebuilding the life of the flower.
 —Walter Greenough, in Farm Life.

There are a few dangerous little chuck holes alongside several of the culverts crossing the main path in Lithia Park, which should be looked after; and quickly, or there is a possibility of the park board having a damage suit on its hands for a broken limb or two.
 Gratitude is a peculiar thing. France opened its arms in welcome to Jack Dempsey, while his reception in Berlin was rather cool. He licked the French idol, Georges Carpentier, but when it came to licking the Germans—oh, well! What's the use of "casting up"?
 A clergyman, wise in the ways of humanity, once said: "If a man wants that sort of doctrine or creed, who are we to say he shall not have it. The things that would make a church wholly acceptable in our sight, might drive somebody else away from it." Another way off saying that "what is one man's meat may be another man's poison."

Ashland has an opportunity of getting its share of representation on the board of county commissioners and in the state legislature. Two well known citizens are candidates, Thomas H. Simpson for county commissioner, and George W. Dunn for state senator. Both men are eminently qualified to fill these offices acceptably and ought to have a solid Ashland vote behind them. The nomination of Mr. Dunn is a foregone conclusion, in that he is without opposition, but in the case of Mr. Simpson, he must, to a large extent, rely upon the solid vote of Ashland to counteract the vote received by other candidates in the field from other parts of the county. It is important that Ashland should have representation on the county

board. It is the second city in the county, and it would seem only a matter of fairness that we should have a voice in the affairs of the county controlled by the commissioners.

Looks like the Chautauqua will "put it over." The committees report the first day's sale of tickets as extremely satisfactory. This is as it should be. The Chautauqua association is as much a part of Ashland as the city charter, and considerably older. It has had a hard row to hoe during the 30 years of its existence, and not deservedly. It has brought much of enlightenment to the city that it would never have known, were it not for the existence of this organization. It is entitled to whole-hearted support and never was there a more fitting time than the present to give a practical demonstration that the Chautauqua as an institution is appreciated.

Senator Thomas, candidate for the republican nomination for circuit judge, was here yesterday, visiting his friends in this section. The senator is a man of forceful character. He made a good senator, his striking characteristic during his service in the legislature being the fact that he did his own thinking and took orders from no man. Quite naturally, he antagonized many who arrogate to themselves the role of dictator in party councils. To the extent that he antagonized the politicians of that calibre, he strengthened himself with the people, as it is seldom the interests of the people and political dictators run together. It would not be surprising, under the circumstances, to see Senator Thomas secure the nomination, for, after all is said and done, it is the people and not petty dictators who control the primary.

VOTE TOMORROW!

The first duty of an American citizen is to cast his vote on election day. If that duty was performed; if every American born citizen showed the proper appreciation of his heritage, by casting his ballot, there would be less cause for the clamor that is heard on every side, that foreigners are usurping the rights of native-born citizens and have designs on the government of the United States. If there be any ground for these clamors, the opportunity is provided, year in and year out, by the American born citizen neglecting to exercise his franchise. The foreigner prizes the privilege of having a voice in the government—a privilege denied him in the land of his birth—and as a consequence, in every community where there is a large foreign population, a relatively larger vote is almost invariably cast by naturalized citizens than by the native born Americans.

The "stay-at-homes" are directly responsible, not only for the laxity in the enforcement of laws, but for the enactment of laws that are irksome and burdensome, simply because, under our primary system, any Tom, Dick and Harry can run for office, irrespective of qualifications. As a result, the "stay-at-home" citizens makes possible the election of men who are unfit for the offices to which they aspire. The remedy is in our own hands. The average native born American, having had better educational advantages than the foreign born, have had their capabilities developed to a higher degree than the average naturalized citizen, and it is logical to assume that in casting their ballots they are equipped with intelligence to exercise a greater discrimination as to the fitness of candidates.

The result of the primary election tomorrow is in their own hands. If they prefer to stay at home and permit the naturalized citizen to outvote them, the responsibility is on them, if the candidates chosen are not men and women whose mental and moral calibre warrant their approval. Do your duty as a free-born

American, and go to the polls tomorrow, and vote as your conscience and good sense prompt you.

AUTO CAMP EXPERIMENT

A month's experience with the auto camp on a fee basis appears not to have been so hazardous an experiment after all. The Tidings is free to admit that it looked askance at the plan, as did many others, including a majority of the board of directors of the chamber of commerce. To many it seemed that the revenue to be derived from the exaction of a fee of 50 cents a day would by no means offset the loss the city would sustain in the matter of advertising to be obtained from the maintenance of a free auto camp. To say that the new system is satisfactory to all the tourists who come here, would not be exactly in accordance with the facts, but it is undoubtedly true that considering the backwardness of the season, the camp has had as many visitors this year, as it had last. In fact, according to Superintendent Doran, very few kicks have been registered thus far this season, and the tourists making the kick were accommodated with camping ground, close to, although not in the park. The concession made by the park board, of a reduction to 25 cents a day, to those who wished to remain more than two days, has been appreciated; so much so that there are several who have remained a week, and one tourist remained nine days. That doesn't look as if the fee system was very objectionable, and it may be that we squealed before we were hurt.

A POLITICIAN NEEDED

Ralph Williams, who is a candidate for re-election as national committeeman, for fourteen years has represented Oregon in republican national conferences, and is now vice-chairman of the committee, a sort of fifth wheel to a coach. In the matter of accomplishment, in so far as Oregon interests are concerned, he has been just about as effective as a fifth wheel would be on an auto or other vehicle. Whenever there was important work to be done; whenever there have been political fences to be repaired, breaches in the party in Oregon to be healed on the eve of national campaigns, someone else has been selected to do the work. Never Williams. That it itself should be sufficient to show the standing he has attained as a national committeeman. By profession a banker, he is eminently fitted for that role. Aggressiveness and not ultra conservatism are the essential qualities for the successful politician, and the national committee, being a political body, it is high time Oregon should be represented by someone who is not content to everlastingly remain a figurehead, more picturesquely ornamented than useful.

"TRAVELIN' ON" WITH BILL HART AT THE VINING

Deep psychology, the finding of a man's soul, a drama of the most

compelling type, gripping and sustained as to plot and bristling with incident—such is "Traveling On," the new William S. Hart production, a Paramount picture, which will be seen at the Vining theater tomorrow and Saturday.

In the leading role of "J. B.," Mr. Hart excels all previous work. His character depiction is a work of art and his supporting cast is powerful. Ethel Grey Terry is the leading woman, and her beauty and forceful acting make her ideal. It is a tale of the unbridled West, 30 or 40 years ago—a story that brings the blood tingling to one's cheeks, and causes the spectator to sit spell-bound till the final scene.

Mr. Hart had the story "up his sleeve" for a long time, and finally developed it into its present striking form. It was produced with skill and cleverness, and it touches the deepest recesses of the heart in its steady development to a smashing climax.

Cecil De Mille's production, "Saturday Night," will have its final presentation tonight.

LEGION AUXILIARY HAVE JOLLY PARTY

Friday evening the American Legion Auxiliary gave a jolly party at the parish house. Mrs. Cecil Norton won the prize, a box of candy, in the guessing contest. Rev. P. K. Hammond's squad won the washerwoman's race, but Captain Holmes felt so badly about losing that his squad was allowed to win the second heat. Mesdames Heath, Holmes, and Dunn tied for first place in the spelling match. All three were bitten by the same weevil.

B. M. Heath told some of his experiences and observations while in France and Germany with the A. E. F. and army of occupation. Among the speakers of the evening, honors went to Edwin Dunn, the "human geranium," who delivered in a masterly manner, a lecture on prohibition, with "before and after

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taking" illustrations.

Dr. Burdick and S. A. Peters Jr. each related some interesting experiences, the one on domestic economy, and the other on "credit, or how to buy on a shoestring."

EAGLE MEAT MARKET BOUGHT BY KIRBY BROS.

A deal was closed today, whereby the Eagle Meat Market located on North Main street, near Granite street, passes from the ownership of Louis Schwein, to Kirby Brothers.

The new owners are well known in the city, having owned and operated the East Side Meat Market for the past several months, and have a host of friends in the city that they have made through their business transactions.

The new owners hope to enjoy the same patronage that Mr. Schwein did and will lend their every effort to furnish their patrons with the best meats procurable.

Within the next few days, they expect to start the construction of their new slaughter house, on Bear creek on Oak street, which will be built according to the state requirements for an up-to-date sanitary slaughter house.

"RHEUMATISM RELIEVED BY INTERNAL BATHS"

Mr. Ira E. Shambaugh of 732 Julian Ave., Dubuque, Iowa, writes the Tyrell Hygienic Institute: "I have used the 'J. B. L. Cascade' for two years and have no more trouble with rheumatism or my stomach. I feel like a new man although I am 68 years old."
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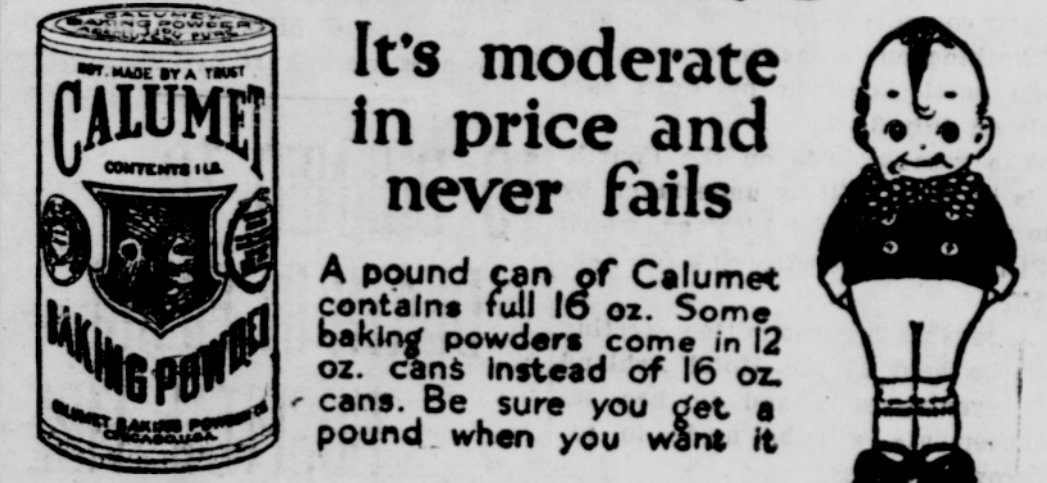
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 This stock is now offered in shares of \$100 each to the people of the Rogue River Valley. The company is incorporated for \$150,000 and proposes to purchase the land and equipment of the Blair interests, enlarge the plant and expand the business to a point where the annual output will be increased many times. This will require the employment of a large force of men and will bring in many thousands of dollars annually from outside sources.
 The Blair Quarry has been operated for six years, and is now producing as fine a gray monumental granite as is quarried on this continent. The stone is well established in Northwestern markets. Demand, prices obtainable and freight rates are favorable for the building of a very large business.
 During three months of very careful investigation, information regarding all phases of the business has been procured, classified and substantiated by ample reference to original sources. This is now available to the public and will be furnished upon application to the company.
 Come with us next Tuesday and see the foundation upon which we plan to build a splendid business. If you desire transportation, please file your name a day or two in advance, if possible, so room can be provided for all.
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