

**Local and Personal**

The greatest courtesy you can accord your friends is to let others know of their presence in the city. The Tidings would appreciate this. Call 39.

**Federal Court Continues**

The federal term of court, which is being held in Medford, will be continued today and probably Tuesday before the work is accomplished. During the past week, a great many liquor cases were handled, resulting in fines and jail sentences. Fines varied from \$100 to as high as \$250, with as many as 90 days in jail. Two transporters of liquor had their cars confiscated. Judge Bean presided, while the prosecution was conducted by T. H. Maguire and Alan Bynon.

APPLES—20 ounce pippins, 75c box delivered. Phone 9-F-11.

**Local Boys Promoted**

Word of the promotion of H. B. Stone and J. L. Porter in the R. O. T. C., at Oregon Agricultural college, has been received. Stone is now a captain of company 2, and Porter a first lieutenant in the third company, which is a unit of the motor transport corps.

We will be glad to call at your convenience. Ladies' work a specialty. Call 63, Ashland Cleaning & Dyeing Works. 32tf

**Return from Hunt**

Robert Warner and Hubert Bentley returned Saturday evening from a trip to the woods, empty-handed. The ducks seemed to have had advance warning of the hunting expedition and had fled to other parts.

**Don't Miss the  
BIG  
1c  
SALE**

Thursday, Friday  
Saturday  
THIS WEEK

**McNair Bros.**

*The Rexall Store*

**VINING**  
THE THEATER BEAUTIFUL  
**TODAY**

**ANITA STEWART**

—in—  
**"HER MAD BARGAIN"**

—A story of Rich and Poor—  
Love and Endurance—Life that forms its own rules.

A Johnny Jones Comedy  
**"SUPPLY AND DEMAND"**

—and—  
**PATHE NEWS**

Tomorrow, Wed., Thursday



**HOUSE PETERS**  
EDITH HALLORGE, GEORGE CLARY, MARY SWELLEN,  
RUSSELL SIMPSON, GAREY WALLACE, GEO. MCCARTHY  
**"HUMAN HEARTS"**  
Dedicated to the Mothers of the World  
by Carl Laemmle

**UNIVERSAL-JEWEL**

New fall suits on display at Paulserud's. 32tf

**Motor to Grants Pass**

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hodkinson and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beck motored to Grants Pass Sunday, where they spent the day. The trip was made in order to try out the new Cleveland that Mr. Hodkinson recently purchased.

**EXCHANGES**—Large Montana sheep ranch, stock equipment, partly irrigated, to trade for ranch property. Staples Realty Agency. 32-1

**Embroidery Club Meeting**

The O. E. S. Embroidery club will meet tomorrow afternoon in Masonic hall. Mesdames Kinney and Trask will act as hostesses. All Eastern Star members and visiting members are cordially invited.

**In the City Today**

Mike Hanley Jr. was in the city from his ranch on Little Butte creek, today.

See Paulserud's suits, \$15 and up. 32tf

**Return from California**

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Raine returned home last evening from a three weeks' trip to their old home in Salinas, Calif.

Suits, SUITS, SUITS! at Paulserud's. 32tf

**Banquet Well Attended**

Nearly 200 people were present at the banquet given by members of the Modern Woodmen and the Royal Neighbors at the Moose hall Saturday evening. Mrs. Ida Hamlen, the state supervisor of the ladies' auxiliary, was guest of honor.

**American Legion to Meet**

Members of the Ashland post of the American Legion are requested to attend the regular meeting of the organization Tuesday evening, 7:30 o'clock, at the Armory. Final plans and preparations for the coming lycium course will be laid.

Twenty-three acre ranch with implements, turkeys, chickens, cows, heifers, barn, house, all goes for \$5000. Reasonable terms. Ashland Realty Co. 32-3



**AND HE'S RIGHT, TOO**

She: Do you like these jazz dances?  
He: Yes, I term 'em the freedom of the size."

**And the Further, Too.**

"A standing account  
is a queer thing," said Don;  
"The longer it stands,  
The longer it runs."

**Explained.**

"I wonder, Jinks, why every eplthap begins with 'Here lies?'"  
"I dunno, unless maybe they used to bury a lot of fishermen and lawyers and just got into the habit."

**Saving on Shows and Sweets.**

Ethel—Now that we are engaged, I must economize.  
Jack—I do already; I'm not eating on any other girls.

**The City Farmer.**

"Some day I want a home in the country."  
"Better try farming first, in a small way on the fire escape."

**Will Leave for Klamath**

Dan Conner and Harry Hosler expect to leave this evening for Klamath county, where they will spend several days looking after the wild birds in that section of the country.

I am agent for the VACUETTE SUCTION CLEANER. A. F. DYER, 77 Pine St. 14-eod-3\*

**MANY MEETINGS SCHEDULED FOR FIRE PREVENTION WEEK**

SALEM, Or., Oct. 9.—Schedule of meetings during "fire prevention" week, which starts today, is announced by A. C. Barber, state fire marshal.

The first meeting will be held in Portland on Monday, and will be featured by addresses by Jay W. Stevens and J. H. Shively of the National Fire Prevention bureau, with headquarters in San Francisco. Other meetings will be held at Corvallis on Tuesday; Albany, Wednesday; Eugene, Thursday; Salem, Friday, and McMinnville, Saturday.

**RECENT RAINS HAVE BEEN BOON TO DUCK HUNTERS**

YREKA, Calif., Oct. 9.—The heavy rains of the past week filling up the sloughs and marshes in many parts of the county have been a boon to the duck hunters. Reports of limit kills have been made by scores of hunters the past week.

The local supply of ducks seems to be larger this year than ever before.

**BOY ARRESTED FOR BREAKING INTO HOUSE**

Roy McCoy was taken in charge Saturday night on the charge of entering the J. S. Dale home on Terrace street during the same evening.

Young McCoy, in company with two other boys, went to the Dale home, where McCoy entered the house, but left by a rear entrance when he heard Dale coming home. Dale started around the house and met the boy face to face, when he turned and fled in the other direction. Dale reported the matter to Chief of Police Hatcher at once, and the boys were taken in charge before they had left the neighborhood. However, it was shown that the other two lads were guiltless.

McCoy is under parole from the state reform school, and will undoubtedly be sent to that institution again at once.

**Car Reported Stolen**

Mrs. Ruth M. Newell, of Baker, Or., who is stopping at the Manx hotel for a few days, reported that her Overland car was stolen this morning. The car was found later this morning on a side street, with everything apparently in shape, but with the key gone.

If it is for Ashland, we are for it.

**Lofty Island Mountains.**

The volcano Mauna Loa on the island of Hawaii and the neighboring cone, Mauna Kea, both nearly 14,000 feet high, are among the highest island mountains in the world.

**TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY**

FOR SALE—15 tons alfalfa hay, fine cow \$50, 40 White Leghorn pullets. R. D. Wersakul, Talent. 32-2\*

LOST—Pair gold rimmed glasses in case with name, Dr. George Pratt, Portland, on case. Finder leave at Tidings office. 32-2\*

WANTED—50 to 100 cords 4-foot first growth fir. Ashland Hotel. 32tf

WANTED—To rent a good piano. Call 173 Helman St. 32-3

FOR SALE—Goat milk. Address P. O. Box 463. 32-1mo\*

FOR RENT—Four room furnished apartment with garage; adults only. 1101 Boulevard. 32tf

WANTED—To rent a piano; no children in house. Address Box 324. 32-2\*

LOST—Between Klamath Falls and Keno, lady's purse. Return to Tidings, receive reward. 32-3\*

**DANCE**

COLE MCELROY'S  
ORCHESTRA OF PORTLAND

**Mon., Oct. 9th**

FAIR GROUNDS HALL  
MEDFORD

**VALUE  
VALUE  
VALUE**

**Pound Paper**

OF GOOD QUALITY

**18c pkg.**

WHILE THEY LAST

*Elhart's*  
PRUGS, BOOKS, STATIONERY.

**SPELLMAN TO SPEAK**

Hebrew Christian Evangelist to Speak Tuesday

Rev. Charles I. Spellman, Director of the Jewish Evangelistic Work of Los Angeles, Calif., will deliver an address at the Baptist Church Tuesday, October 10th, 7:30 P. M. His subject will be: "The Conversion of a Jew." Mr. Spellman was not only disowned by his relatives for becoming a Christian, but became as one dead to his family. They held his funeral service, having a dummy for his body. He will likely tell us what it cost a Jew to become a follower of Jesus. Our Jewish people are awakening today, and they see Him, the Messiah, and are beholding Him as their Savior. They are standing by their own people today, regardless of prosecution. Come and hear him. The public cordially invited.

**Rev. B. C. MILLER, Pastor**

**Do You Believe In Specialists?**

—In his line the SPECIALIST is a MASTER.

**WE ARE CLOTHING SPECIALISTS**

Tailored Suits, Made-to-Measure Suits, Ready-to-Wear Suits

—at—

**PAULSERUD'S**

Exclusive Dealers for

**New Fall Style Plus Clothes**



**Walter M. Pierce  
On Taxation**

(From an Address Made at Albany, Oregon, October 4, 1922)

I came into this State 40 years ago, a wandering boy, working as a farm hand. For 30 years I have been in public office. I have never deliberately misled or deceived anybody. In public life I have tried to play absolutely square.

When I was nominated last May, I said to my friends: I will carry the message of lower taxes to the people of this State. I have no money, but I expect to make a hundred speeches. Five times I have touched the ocean, and gone from California to the river in Idaho three times. I have gone wherever the invitation was extended; wherever I could meet a little group and talk to them about what I think is a startling state of affairs. I am trying to do it fairly, honestly and in the open.

Friends, if we save Oregon from the auction block, if we save our property from confiscation by taxation, we have got to do some very hard thinking. To my mind, the tax question is the foremost problem in Oregon today. It rises above all else. The question is: Are you going to own your own homes and your own farms in future years, or are they going to be taken from you by the rising tide of taxes?

The rental value of all property in Oregon is too high according to the value of the property, caused by the high taxes. It doesn't cut much ice in the money markets when the property passes away from the man who thought he owned it. He is left with the husk; the kernel is gone.

When I went to the Senate the first time, it took about 15 per cent of the rental value of property to pay taxes. That year, Umatilla county raised 3,000,000 bushels of wheat. Our State taxes were \$100,000 in that county; 3 1/2 per cent of the wheat crop paid its taxes. This year, that county produced 4,000,000 bushels of wheat, while her taxes are \$1,549,000, of which \$433,084 is State tax, while the whole is 40 per cent of the value of the wheat crop taken for taxes. The population of the State then was about 313,000. Now it is not quite 800,000.

When I entered the State Senate 20 years ago, \$1,000,000 was the total State expense. When I returned to the Senate six years ago it was \$2,500,000 per year. Today, \$15,000,000 or more is collected from us in taxation. Can this tide continue to rise if we keep our property? How high is it going to go? There is collected \$6,000,000 in fees now, six times as much as we spent 20 years ago; more than twice what we spent six years ago.

In knots and groups I have been carrying this message to the people: "THIS MUST STOP!" I shall continue to carry it until election day.

I asked Mr. Day, as Secretary of the Tax Investigation Committee, to collect some figures for me. According to these figures, there are only five or six states in the Union that have more bonded indebtedness than we have. In wealth and population we rank down about thirty-sixth. The figures show we are spending more money for state government than the State of Kansas. Kansas spends \$8,500,000; we spend \$15,000,000, while Minnesota spends only \$1,600,000. You ask, "Why is Minnesota away down there?" It is because Minnesota has raised from indirect sources the larger part of her revenue for State purposes, while we have raised it from the farmer, the cattle man and the sheep man. They thought these men could not kick, but they ARE kicking to-

day. If I do not miss my guess, they will show still more kicking in November.

Minnesota collects 5 per cent upon all public service corporations in that state. California pays her State taxes in the same way. That should be done in Oregon. You may say this tax comes back upon the people. Just the same, it is spread out on more people. It is not on a few scattered farmers.

Today we are confiscating property and ruining the people of this State who are feeding us. They cannot operate their farms at a profit, and they cannot pay the heavy taxes levied upon them.

Minnesota collects 25 cents from every ton of ore dug up and taken from the state. This is done by a severance tax. When you take a product from that State, you must pay for the privilege. I was at a place in Oregon where they showed me a mine from which a company had taken out a million dollars in gold. It was owned by citizens of England. They had not paid a dollar in taxes to the State of Oregon for removing this great wealth.

A severance tax has been levied by several states in this Union. It is something for us to talk about and consider. In a few years Oregon's beautiful forests will be blackened stumps. Here we allow the government to set aside great forest reservations, from which no taxes are received. From forests in the reserves, Easterners cut the timber and ship the lumber to Oklahoma. Thus from Oregon's great forests in the reserve, there come no taxes to support the State.

We have \$10,000,000 in bonded indebtedness for the soldier boys. I don't regret the money we gave them. It was Senator Smith of Coos and I who introduced the bill. Two and a half million dollars have been raised to encourage the boys to go back to school. I am glad we have given this money to them. We can never do too much for the men who went down on the fields of France to do and die.

We have on the ballot a measure to impose a flat income tax. I am opposed to that, but I am in favor of a graduated income tax, because I believe the man who has the large income should pay more than the man who has the small income.

A gross earnings tax would be another source of revenue.

The cattle grower certainly needs relief. Cattle are selling cheaper than they have sold in 30 years in proportion to cost of production. A million head of cattle in this State are going to the butcher's block. They simply cannot be produced for the money that is paid for them today. The burden upon the farm and ranch has become unbearable.

There is no question in this campaign but that of taxes. There is no other thing to talk about. If I don't do anything else, I am going to do this to the end of time. You can in six years drive this State into bankruptcy. I have done and am doing the very best I know how to carry this message of lower taxes to the people of Oregon. Extravagance must stop! Expenses must be reduced! Taxes must come down!

It all depends upon you who read these words. You can say by your ballot in November, whether you want to go on paying this terrific cost, or whether you don't.

My pledge is this: If elected Governor, I will do every proper thing within my power to reduce taxation in Oregon. On this basis, I ask your support and vote.

**You Should Help Pierce**

by contributing One Dollar to his campaign expenses. In doing this you will help yourself reduce your own taxes, for that is the great issue Pierce is making for you. Send One Dollar, in cash, money order or check, today to

**T. H. CRAWFORD, Manager**

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