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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY
 Bible thoughts memorized, will prove a precious heritage in after years.

COLUMBUS DAY, OCTOBER 12
 HE SHALL NOT FAIL—Behold my servant, whom I uphold; mine elect, in whom My soul delighteth; I have put My Spirit upon him; he shall bring forth judgment to the Gentiles. * * * He shall not fail nor be discouraged, till he hath set judgment in the earth; and the isle shall wait for his law.—Isaiah 42: 1, 4.

THE LOOMIS TICKET PROGRAM
 The eighth paragraph in the Loomis ticket program strikes a note close to the heart of the people of Ashland because it deals with the subject uppermost and most important of all, the water problem. It reads as follows:
 "The present water supply is inadequate, and I favor taking immediate steps toward increasing the supply through such measures as the people may adopt."
 That paragraph makes a rift in the clouds of doubt that have hung over Ashland for the past three years. Three years ago, the people voted, or thought they voted, a bond issue to build a reservoir to hold a more adequate supply of water for city. Instead of building the reservoir and providing more water, the council spent thousands of dollars of tax money for meters, putting the first ones on the property of those who had been the greatest agitators for more water, no doubt, as a punishment for their crime of daring to advocate measures against the august judgment of the powers that be. In a short time, the meters proved utterly impractical—they would not work—so the city authorities were compelled to remove the "works" from the poor things, leaving most of the meters standing out in the open rusting out, shorn of their "registration departments" or vitals but shorn of none of their cost to the taxpayers. We do not know just how much was invested in these meters—we have heard that it amounted to some ten or fifteen thousand dollars—and proved to be not worth a penny for the purpose for which they were installed. And now, after these meters have been rusting through disuse for three years, like carbuncles on the alabaster neck of a beautiful lady, we are told that those who thought they were voting for more water, were really voting for less water—they had failed to see the joker placed in the measure by the astute and far-

SAP AND SALT
 BY BERT MOSES

A big stomach makes a small lap.
 Socialism has more followers in private than in public.
 Eve got the blame, but it was a man who recorded the episode.
 Everybody dilutes the truth to the point where he can stand for it.
 Tape-lines are too short to measure the distance between a man's reputation and his character.
 In writing the biography of either an enemy or a friend, the writer invariably tells the kind of lies that fit the occasion.
HEZ HECK SAYS:
 "To hold the average true, there's a bigamist for every bachelor."

seeing representatives of a free people, who had climbed into power through the political manipulations of Briggs, Lamkin and Company, and who seems to believe that the best way to build a city is not to build a city and the best way to do that is to discourage people who are already here by allowing the gardens and lawns to dry up. You do not need more water to supply a prospective growth of the city which they do not intend to let grow so they will be bothered with new people coming in and taking up the room of folks who are already here and cannot get away.
 And some folks now, who do not favor the old bunch being re-elected, are mean enough to think that the present water agitation relating to the Neil creek water project means no more than the bond issue meant three years ago—that the present move is merely a political one and not a water move—that is it done in the hope of getting votes for the Blake ticket instead of getting more water. That the only way Ashland will ever get more water is to down the old councilmanic bunch, most of whom are running for re-election on the Blake ticket, and elect the open minded, earnest men and women on the Loomis ticket, who think more of making a good city than they do of mixing good political dope with which to deceive the people.

HERE'S TO THE NAVY
 An open acknowledgment of the importance of the first line of defense, the United States navy, will be made nationally on Friday, October 27, this day being designated as "Navy Day."
 During the war of 1917-18, much was said of the soldier, particularly the doughboy or infantryman. Their deeds are known to the world, which did not fully realize the importance of the work of the navy. Supporters of the proposed celebration of Navy Day are advocates of peace. They believe in and support the policy of reduction of armaments by agreement, but reject as absurd the fatuity of disarmament by example. Living in a world of reality, they would foster the instrument of their security while looking forward to the realization of the ideal not yet attained, when the only security needed by mankind shall rest in the hearts and minds of men and nations.
 The navy rendered vital service to the nation and to humanity during the first ones on the property of those who had been the greatest agitators for more water, no doubt, as a punishment for their crime of daring to advocate measures against the august judgment of the powers that be. In a short time, the meters proved utterly impractical—they would not work—so the city authorities were compelled to remove the "works" from the poor things, leaving most of the meters standing out in the open rusting out, shorn of their "registration departments" or vitals but shorn of none of their cost to the taxpayers. We do not know just how much was invested in these meters—we have heard that it amounted to some ten or fifteen thousand dollars—and proved to be not worth a penny for the purpose for which they were installed. And now, after these meters have been rusting through disuse for three years, like carbuncles on the alabaster neck of a beautiful lady, we are told that those who thought they were voting for more water, were really voting for less water—they had failed to see the joker placed in the measure by the astute and far-

Corsets Here to Stay, Says Poiret

In Parting Interview, Famous French Authority on Dress Disclaims Role of Dictator

By GEORGE HITZLER
THIS may be a shock to the women of America but, if properly interpreted, should instead give understanding and comfort.
 The famous M. Paul Poiret, of Paris, is not at all a dictator of women's fashions.
 He granted me an interview at his suite in the Ritz-Carlton. I wanted to find out how it is that fashions arise and predominate, and said to him that I had come, therefore, to a recognized source of authority.
 "Oh, I am not an oracle at all. Many interviewers misunderstand my rough English and portray me as saying silly things which I have not said," he answered. "I do not pose as a dictator or an authority on fashions, I merely feel the tendencies of mode. I am simply sensitive to what is going on in the world of women's dress."
 "It is not a question of my taste," continued M. Poiret, "but of mode."
 "But how does mode arise," I asked.
 "I really do not know," he replied. "Every year I make up about two hundred models and why women choose what they do is more than I can explain. It is my profession to make something new in keeping with what I feel women of taste desire. I do not at all seek to impose my taste upon them."
 In recent interviews M. Poiret was quoted as saying that corsets had passed, and so I asked whether he had been correctly quoted. He replied that he had referred only to the old-fashioned stiff corset which bound in women's waists unnaturally.
 "That corset, of course, is gone. It was impossible and never will return," he explained. "The tendency is toward natural lines and the modern corset which assists women to keep them is bound to stay. Women want a soft corset of hygienic character."
 By "hygienic" M. Poiret explained that he meant a corset in keeping with nature's requirements.
 "Some women," he said, "try to reason these things out logically and others follow their instincts. Some parts of a woman's figure must be supported. Women are not so strong as we are and need, and always will need, some assistance in the way of a corset."
 He showed me a letter from the Association of Overworked, Underpaid, Dishwashing Housewives who had taken the trouble to tell him that there is no more need of styles or fashions, and that people could live very happily without them. Nevertheless, he said, fashion exists and there is no use blinking the fact. Even for members of this association, he said, naturally constructed corsets are a necessity.
 Sometimes he is too far ahead of the times in sensing



Paul Poiret, of Paris

the trend of fashions, M. Poiret admitted. For instance, he said fifteen years ago he had felt that the use of knickerbockers would become general. But, he pointed out, it was only at this late day that they were beginning to come into general use.
 The French artist is a very democratic sort of person, quite devoid of egotism, and does not desire to impress his opinions upon the public, but merely seeks to interpret and visualize the trend of the times, giving to that interpretation, of course, the benefit of his own well-trained taste.

Health Exposition Will Convene Soon For 10 Day Meet

The Oregon Health exposition, to be held in the municipal auditorium at Portland October 26 to November 4, inclusive, gives promise of being one of the greatest expositions of its kind ever held on the Pacific coast. Art, science and industry are to be combined for the purpose of presenting to the people of Oregon the latest and best developments for health betterment and the comfort and happiness of the people.
 Thousands of square feet of floor space in the municipal auditorium, one of the largest buildings in Portland, will be devoted to booths and displays of most attractive forms, setting forth the work of more than 50 national, state, county and city organizations engaged in health, recreation, nursing, hospitalization, dentistry, pharmacy, medicine and social service. More than 100 booths and special displays will be in place.
 Subjects pertaining to health and sanitation and public and social service are to be presented by means of motion pictures and snappy talks by persons especially qualified on those subjects there will be clinics and free advice on medical, dental and hygienic subjects, and object lessons in the latest methods of health safeguarding and prevention of illness. One feature of the exposition will be that devoted to "safety first" precautions in the home, store and factory.
 The exposition is under the auspices of the state board of health, the city health bureau of Portland, various medical and surgical societies and numerous civic organizations of Oregon and its general information will be of benefit to residents in all parts of the state.

LOOMIS TICKET

- For Mayor
CHARLES L. LOOMIS
- For City Council
S. A. PETERS, SR.
M. C. LININGER
DR. R. L. BURDICK
H. G. WOLCOTT
MRS. W. M. BARBER
MRS. W. J. WALLACE
- For City Recorder (Indorsed)
GERTRUDE BIEDE
- For City Treasurer
SYLVESTER PATTERSON
- For Members Park Board (Indorsed)
HAL MCNAIR
MRS. F. D. WAGNER
A. C. NININGER

LOOMIS PLATFORM

Being a candidate for mayor of Ashland, I make the following statement of the policies I stand for, and the position I take on the issues of the campaign:
 The first consideration of a city should be the health of its people. I am, therefore, in favor of taking every precaution to protect the water of Ashland creek from pollution. It must be kept pure.
 I believe in the enforcement of the laws, particularly those against gambling and bootlegging.
 I am opposed to factions in Ashland, and promise, if elected, to be the mayor for all the people, rather than for a part of them. My slogan is this: "The way to get action is to unite every faction."
 I am in favor of the new hotel project. We have the scenery, the climate, the soil and the people—everything here except a modern hotel to attract newcomers. Let's get that hotel!
 I am proud of Ashland's fine reputation everywhere in the matter of schools and education, and I favor any suitable action looking towards the re-opening of the normal school.
 I am in favor of having all offices and all positions on the city's payroll filled by citizens and taxpayers of Ashland itself. No outside place-holders!
 I believe that when the people vote in favor of anything they should get it, and I am opposed to all forms of trickery, particularly the so-called "jokers" that are often used to deceive the voters. I believe that being on the level is the highest form of American citizenship.
 The present water supply for Ashland is inadequate, and I favor taking immediate steps toward increasing the supply through such measures as the people may adopt.
 I believe the mayor and city council should give their moral influence and support to all practical projects for profitably utilizing the fruits and vegetables of this community. At present, thousands of dollars worth of local products go to waste for lack of canning and preserving facilities.
 On these principles I ask to be judged.
 (Signed) CHARLES L. LOOMIS.—adv-tf

TOOK HIS PART SERIOUSLY

Better Half of Lodge Member the Sufferer Because of Hubby's Share in Entertainment.
 "Oh, my goodness alive!" exclaimed the mistress of the mansion as she greeted some newly arriving guests at the front door. "Here's this rug all rolled up again! It's my husband who does it! He gets in front of the mirror here and dances."
 "Yes, you see his lodge is putting on a minstrel show. There are six or eight men, and Paul's one of them. I just paid \$5 to have my hardwood floors polished, and Paul's worn all the polish off practicing his dances."
 "Last night he had a man from Missouri who knew all about buck and wing dancing come in and instruct him for an hour. Several men called him up on business. But he wouldn't let me interrupt him for any one of them. He had all his friends lined up here observing his antics and making suggestions."
 "Paul sings, 'Please Ma-ma, Papa's Gettin' Mad!' Then after he sings that he has to dance, and that's where the trouble comes in. If he sings too loud and vigorously it takes all his breath and he can't dance."
 "Ordinary dancing is hard enough on him, because he is six feet tall and weighs 208! But this is extraordinary dancing with a big handicap. He wears an alarm clock for a wrist watch, and a locomotive headlight for a diamond pin. To dance around with these things on after singing is almost impossible."
 "The friends who were here last evening couldn't agree as to whether Paul would be funnier laughing or looking solemn during the stunt."
 "Of course you will be going to the entertainment to see him," suggested one of the guests.
 "Oh, yes, I'm going to be there right up in front, and if Paul sees me he'll smile all right, because he'll remember the damage he did to my floor in front of the mirror."
 "Well, I'm not going to be there," declared Paul's mother. "The cheapest seats are 50 cents, and I'm sure the show won't be worth 50 cents to me. I've been acquainted with some of Paul's jokes for 57 years, more or less."—Fall River Globe.

AUTOMOBILE "SPOONING" HIT BY LOS ANGELES JUDGE

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 12.—The ban now has been placed on a fellow and his girl "spooning" while automobile driving along the country highway. At least Justice Channing Follette says a young man can't drive his automobile with one hand and let the other arm encircle the waist of an alluring young woman.
 According to the edict issued by Justice Follette the girl, no matter how beautiful or how hard she pleads, is to be brought to court by the arresting officer to be fined for allowing her admirer's attention to be diverted from the road.
 The decision against "spooning" on country highways by Justice Follette followed an investigation of the offenses most prevalent among motorists on the highways. The report shows that many accidents are caused by drivers who are so busily engaged in looking deeply into the eyes of some young lady who is tucked cozily under one arm, that he hits other machines.
 Some men devote more time worrying about a spare tire than they do about a spare pair of trousers.

AMERICANS LIVE LONGER NOW

The life of an average American has been lengthened by five years since 1909, according to the findings of the committee on elimination of waste in industry of the American Engineering Council appointed by Herbert Hoover. Surveys of sickness, the report shows, indicate an economic gain to the nation of many millions of dollars through decreased disability and sickness, observes the New York World.
 Army figures bear out estimates of industrial loss resulting from accidents to the eye and defective vision. Of 2,232 men discharged for physical reasons by the military authorities in Brooklyn and Manhattan, 462 were rejected because of defective eyes. Eye conservation, the report argues, has now become a matter of organized national concern.
 It is estimated that every day nearly 2,500,000 people are ill in the United States. Tuberculosis is still the worst communicable disease, though its ravages are decreasing. Federal and state action is included in an elaborate program suggested to minimize illness and prolong lives. There is no reason, it is declared, to believe that the race is physically advancing, but that national vitality is increasing, according to the waste investigators of the council.

Bishop Stuntz Gives Fine Talk At Grants Pass

"The Living Christ in the Modern World," was the subject of an address given by Bishop Homer C. Stuntz, to a large audience in the Methodist Episcopal church at Grants Pass Tuesday evening.
 Confronted by the alternative of retreat on every missionary front at home and abroad, or the raising of \$2,000,000 for an emergency fund, the bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church have inaugurated a \$2,000,000 "I Will Maintain" fund.
 Bishop Stuntz, in speaking for the board of bishops and the committee on conservation and advance in the interest of this emergency fund, said:
 "The Methodist Episcopal church is committed to missionary work right around the world. In America and in other nations of the earth, we are preaching the gospel in 127 languages. Last year 69,000 heathen and pagan people were baptized and received into the church by our missionaries in the foreign fields, and a vast work was carried on in our cities and frontier regions in the United States.
 "On the one hundredth anniversary of our missionary work, the Methodist Episcopal church subscribed \$100,000,000 for a great enlargement of this missionary program at home and abroad. A thrill of gladness and hope ran throughout all of our missionary agencies on the hearing of this unparalleled offering for missionary purposes.
 "Three years have gone by, during which the Living Christ has been swinging the doors of opportunity before us in every land, and yet there are \$22,000,000 of this splendid total due and unpaid! This is what saddens us. This is what drives us to our knees! Because of this shortage of payment, missionaries on furlough cannot be returned to their fields, where thousands are seeking admission to the church. New missionaries can not go into either home or foreign fields. Greatly needed building enterprises cannot be begun or are stopped midway toward completion, with walls partly reared, standing as dumb evidence that our great program is halting.
 "Native Christians in China and India and elsewhere have met their pledges in full, despite war, famine and persecution, and are wondering whether the church which brought them the gospel is going to keep faith and send them what was promised for hospitals, dormitories, school buildings, and the support of missionaries to give them the gospel."

BOOTLEGGERS CONTRIBUTE TO SHASTA COUNTY FUNDS

REDDING, Calif., Oct. 12.—L. C. Smith, deputy district attorney, went over the county books yesterday to determine the amount of cash fines collected in the county from October 1, 1921, to October 1, 1922.
 He reports that the fines collected in the superior court and in the township courts totaled \$14,573.23. He roughly estimates that bootleggers paid \$12,000 and traffic law violators the bulk of the rest. There were a few fines for misdemeanors, such as disturbing the peace.

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UNKNOWN WAYFARER IS KILLED BY TRAIN

ANDERSON, Calif., Oct. 12.—The body of a man who had been run over by some passing train was found along the Southern Pacific railroad by the section foreman. The man's head had been cut off and mashed beyond recognition.
 It was well determined, however, that the unknown, unidentified man was a Frenchman who drifted into Anderson afoot from the north Monday evening. He said he was from Weed and wanted to go to Chico. He was blind in one eye and plainly deformed, or nearly so.
 The body was identified as that of the one-eyed Frenchman by the little bundle he carried wrapped up in a gunny sack.
 See Paulserud's suits, \$15 and up. 321f

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