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APPEARANCE OF LOCAL ARMORY PLEASES MAJOR

NEATEST AND CLEANEST IN THE STATE DECLARES VISITING OFFICER

484TH COMPANY ADOPTED BY CHAMBER COMMERCE

Motion Receives Unanimous Endorsement of Gathering; 275 Sit Down at Tables; Pvt. Hunnicutt Wins Drill in Manual of Arms.

Formal adoption of the 484th company, Oregon National Guard, Coast Artillery Corps, by the chamber of commerce, was made at the Armory Monday evening during the reception and program given by the chamber of commerce and the military unit to the citizens of Ashland. Fred Homes, vice-president of the chamber of commerce, received the motion, which was unanimously adopted. Prof. E. E. Vining presided as toastmaster for the evening.

"The Ashland Armory is the neatest, cleanest and best taken care of building of its kind that I have seen in Oregon," declared Major Charles Getstead, U. S. A., following an inspection of the structure. "The supply room is unusual, and the method of keeping supplies and equipment complete. With proper support by the community, the company will go over the top and will cease to occupy a place near the foot of the list of 30 similar organizations in the state."

Adjutant General George A. White of Salem, explained to those present why it was necessary to keep the strength of the unit to a minimum of 65 in order to receive support from the government. Others who spoke during that portion of the evening devoted to the program were Fred Homes, Major J. S. Dusenbury and Captain J. Quincy Adams, commander of the 484th company.

Music for the occasion was furnished by the combined city and high school bands, those presenting taking occasion to dance while the refreshments were being placed upon the tables. There were 275 present at the tables.

An exhibition drill was staged by the company, after which the company competed for a prize in the manual of arms. Private Hunnicutt, who was a lieutenant in the air service during the war, won first place Monday, and during the evening, seven new men joined the organization.

185 TRAFFIC LAW VIOLATORS TAKEN BY STATE'S SQUAD

SALEM, Nov. 14.—The state traffic squad was responsible for the arrest of 185 traffic law violators during the month of October, with resultant fines aggregating \$3348.80, according to the monthly summary of the department's activities which has been prepared by T. A. Rafferty, chief inspector.

In addition to the arrests, 1206 motorists were warned against repetitions of minor violations of the rules of the road, and a total of \$2361.54 was paid into the automobile registration fund, which otherwise would not have been collected by the state.

Forty-six cases of speeding and 146 cases of reckless driving were reported by the traffic officials.

BEAR FOND OF APPLES; EATS NEARLY 40 BOXES

SANDY, Or., Nov. 14.—F. M. Burdick, rancher two miles east of Sandy, who has been missing apples from his orchard for the last three or four weeks, a day or two ago caught a bear in the act of stripping the fruit from the trees. George Koesicker, a neighbor, brought over his hounds and the bear was chased almost to Cherryville. Burdick says that Bruin devoured about 40 boxes of apples.

WEEES ARE KEPT BUSY; THIS IS HONEY WEEK

SALEM, Nov. 14.—Governor Ben W. Olcott, in a proclamation issued today, has set aside the period November 13 to 18, as "Honey Week." The proclamation was issued at the request of the Beekeepers' association of Oregon.

"Uncle" Shows Old Time Travel Ways



Nearly as spry as the time he drove his first team of oxen, at two miles an hour, from Indianapolis to Seattle seventy years ago, "Uncle Ezra" Meeker reached Chicago to be honored guest at the American Electric Railway convention on the Municipal pier. Uncle Ezra, ninety-two, mounts stairs steps two at a time and waxes wroth when dubbed "Grandpa" by the young. A short time ago he rode in an airplane across the state of Washington at eighty miles per hour. "That there's about my speed," he approved.

He and his ox team were part of an exhibit illustrating antiquated methods of transportation.

2 PAYROLL BANDITS GRAB \$40,000 FROM COAL MINE CONCERN

PALERMO, Italy, Nov. 14.—Constantine, former king of Greece, and now an exile from his native land, has retired from active politics for life and says he will never seek to return to the throne, no matter how loudly the people call for him. This was revealed in an interview today.

He said it was all nonsense about his return to Athens to stand trial on a charge of responsibility for the Greek military collapse in Asia Minor. He wants to lead a quiet life and not to discuss politics.

He will not go to Doorn to live with his brother-in-law, the former German kaiser.

HINDU PEDDLER IS HELD FOR KILLING

PORTLAND, Nov. 14.—Norman Repp, 11, died today as a result of being shot by Partab Hari, Hindu peanut vendor. Young Repp, with other boys, surrounded the wagon last Sunday. They made an appeal for popcorn and followed the wagon. The Hindu became angry and shot. He is charged with first degree murder.

UNIVERSITY PUTS BAN ON CO-EDS' BEAUTY CONTESTS

LINCOLN, Neb., Nov. 14.—Beauty contests among co-eds of the University of Nebraska are a thing of the past. Hereafter members of the fair sex of that university will compete for intellectual or popularity honors only.

Such is the decree of the Pan-Hellenic association, composed of one active and one alumni member from each of the 16 sororities of the Cornhusker state university. The defl has been hurled at all the newspapers of the land.

Meet in Medford—

Dr. Strickler, president of the Oregon state board of health, and Dr. Warren, of the Rockefeller Foundation fund, met with the members of the Jackson County Health association and several others interested in the welfare of the county Saturday, in regard to the establishment of a unit of the Foundation in this county. It was supposed that this matter had been settled with the county court, but other matters have come up that necessitate taking the matter up again with that body, as a slightly larger sum of money will be necessary to put the project in operation. The people of Ashland are for the unit and believe that it would be a great mistake to allow this opportunity to get away from this county.

Long Service for Light—

The large light at the entrance to the city recorder's office burned out a few evenings ago, and it was replaced today. Employees of the city say that the light has been in place for at least eight years, and some surmised that from the make of the globe, it was probably placed there at the time the city hall was built. The light is switched on and off from inside the building and is never touched by hand, which probably accounts for its long life.

This is Better Speech Week. What will you do for it?

BETTING CHARGES ARE LOUDLY DENIED BY JESSE WINBURN

Jesse Winburn is very indignant, and rightly so, for nearly every one he meets on the streets rushes up to him and says: "How much did you win on the election? Is it true that you bet \$35,000 on Mr. Pierce? Won't you contribute so much to this cause since you won so much money on the election? Mr. Winburn, you made so much money on the recent election, you can surely afford to let me have a few thousands of dollars. I will give you a mortgage covering the amount." And so on.

Mr. Winburn today made a most emphatic denial of any and all such rumors. He declared that any statement to the effect that he had won on the election was absolutely false. He said a few things more, but they will not be printed. Mr. Winburn declared he neither won nor lost one cent on the election.

"I have complied with the law and filed with the secretary of state a complete list of my expenditures during the recent election," Mr. Winburn said. "If any one wants to know how much I spent for political purposes, they can write to the secretary of state and find out, setting their curiosity at rest."

FIRST MASS IS HELD IN NEW DEATH HOUSE, SING SING, NEW YORK

OSSINING, N. Y., Nov. 14.—Mass was celebrated for the first time in Sing Sing's new death house recently by Father William E. Cashin, chaplain of the prison. Father Cashin used a portable altar, which was set up in the prison corridor for the service. He plans a weekly mass for the condemned men at Knecforth.

MERCHANT MARINE LEGISLATION WILL INTEREST HARDING

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—President Harding is insistent that congress, convening next Monday, shall enact the ship subsidy legislation. His message will deal alone with merchant marine legislation, it was learned today. Harding's determination may bring the White House and congress into bitter conflict, as polls conducted reveal a formidable opposition to the bill, both in the house and in the senate.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—The "big" and "little" navy fight has opened.

Republican Representative Kelly, of Michigan, chairman of the naval appropriations committee, is a "little" navy man. Kelly is backed to win in the committee, and a fight is certain in the house as Secretary Denby and other naval experts are for a "big" navy. Harding is also likely to back a "big" navy.

TWO BURIED SAME DAY, SAME NAME, UNRELATED

POMEROY, O., Nov. 14.—William D. Roush, 64, died at his home here. His body was buried in the local cemetery. On the same day, the body of Mrs. William D. Roush, 68, who died at her home in Syracuse, was buried in the Syracuse cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Roush were not related.

ATTACK ON OFFICER BRINGS PRISON TERM

BEND, Or., Nov. 4.—Thomas E. Foley was sentenced to serve two years in the state penitentiary on a charge of assault with intent to kill Thomas Carlon, police officer on the night of July 15.

ASHLAND NEWS IN PARAGRAPH

Attend Road Meeting—

County Commissioner James Owens and County Judge G. A. Gardner attended a road meeting in the Bellevue district today. It was decided at the meeting that no special assessment will be made in the district for roads this year.

Place of Meeting Changed—

Mount Ashland chapter, D. A. R., will meet Friday, November 17, at Mrs. Luella Stearns, 78 Pine street, instead of with Mrs. Gordon MacCracken.

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Baby Boy Arrives—

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Mason, of Liberty street, are the proud parents of a fine baby boy, which arrived at their home Monday morning. Mother and son are both doing nicely.

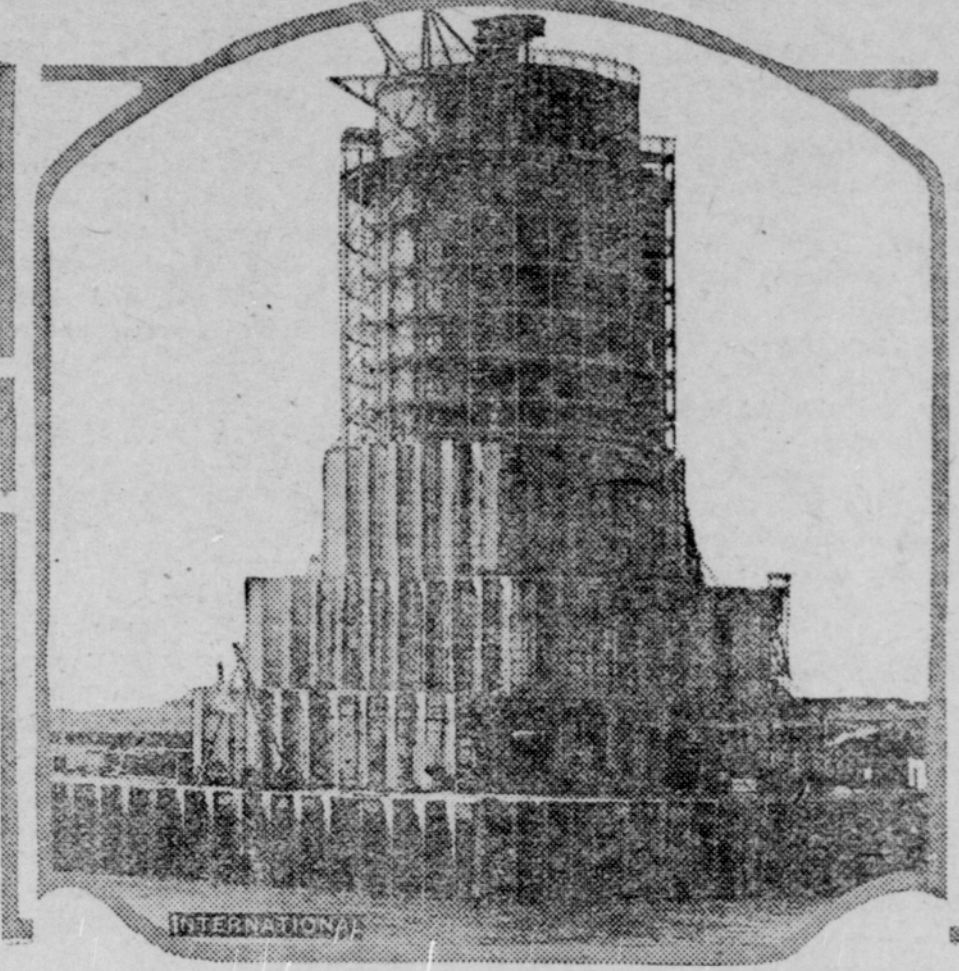
Credit Man Here—

T. M. Ewing, of Portland, head of the credit department of the Standard Oil company in this district, was in the city Monday looking over conditions here. He reports that southern Oregon has conditions equal to anything in the state at the present time.

School Election Today—

The school election for the city of Ashland is being held today in the city hall. The question to be voted on is whether the citizens will allow the amount the school board has asked for the coming year for the payment of expenses. The polls were opened at 2 o'clock and will be open until 7 o'clock this evening. Every person owning property in the city is entitled to a vote at this election.

Tearing Down a Mystery of the War



The great "tower of mystery" erected off Shoreham, England, during the war, is being torn down, and the public is still in the dark as to its purpose. The British government never has elucidated the mystery and perhaps never will. Apparently the tower was a solid mass of concrete.

NO MORE POLITICS DECLARES EXILED KING CONSTANTINE

MIDDLEPORT, O., Nov. 14.—Fresh strawberries are reported from a number of gardens all over this part of Ohio, due to the long open fall. A number of residents of Meigs county are credited with having been eating shortcake for a number of days. The yield was not large, but ample for several families.

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DUNN WAS ELECTED BY SAFE MAJORITY

PORTLAND, Nov. 14.—George Dunn, republican, was elected state senator from Jackson county, receiving 4450 votes against 2951 for N. W. Borden, democrat. An earlier report indicated that Borden was elected.

STATE COMMISSION WILL RECEIVE BUDGET THIS WEEK

SALEM, Nov. 14.—The budget of estimated expenditures of the various state departments and institutions for the years 1923 and 1924, is nearing completion, and probably will be submitted to the state budget commission this week.

The budget commission was created by the last legislature and according to state officials, probably will result in a large saving for the taxpayers. Frank Meredith, at one time secretary of the state fair board, has charge of compiling the budget.

THOMAS ROBERTS INJURED WHEN HEAVY TIMBER FALLS

Thomas Roberts, former night patrolman, was severely injured this morning while working in the new Enders building at the corner of Oak and First street, when a heavy timber fell, hitting him in the head and knocking him unconscious.

He was rescued from beneath the timber and medical aid was called. When several stitches had been taken and his head swathed in bandages, he was taken to his home.

Despite the injury, he was seen a few hours later making his way down town, but his gait was far from steady, and it will probably be several days before he will be able to do any work.

MOTHER OF 13 CHILDREN GIVEN DIVORCE AT REDDING

REDDING, Calif., Nov. 14.—An interlocutory decree of divorce was granted in the superior court here to Mrs. Anna Maude Chase, of Anderson, mother of 13 children, all living. The husband, George G. Chase, made no objection. He is directed to pay alimony of \$40 a month to take out a pair of 2 1/2 carat diamond earrings and \$200, she found only a doughnut, stale and decayed, in place of the sparklers.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 14.—Doughnuts for diamonds. Not a fair exchange, and yet the Diamond family is wondering what became of the jewels. When Miss Dora Diamond opened her safety deposit box at a bank here to take out a pair of 2 1/2 carat diamond earrings and \$200, she found only a doughnut, stale and decayed, in place of the sparklers.

DRUNKENNESS AT CONVENTION HOTLY REFUTED

AMERICAN LEGION COMMANDER SAYS NEW ORLEANS MEETING ORDERLY

EUROPEAN COMMANDER REPORTS ORDER IS DYING

Dr. Edmund Gros, Paris Delegate, Also States That the Organization Has Commercialized Patriotism; Alvin Owsley Appeals to South.

PARIS, Nov. 14.—Dr. Edmund Gros, department commander for continental Europe of the American Legion, who has returned from the national convention at New Orleans, declares that "the American Legion is dying, and mob rule governs the national conventions," in his report to the Paris post.

"The American Legion has commercialized patriotism. In New Orleans, shop windows were broken, furniture and bedding thrown from hotel windows, and drunkenness prevailed," he declared.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 14.—Alvin Owsley, national commander of the Legion, denies Gros' allegations. Owsley says:

"The statements seem somewhat extravagant. You will notice he does not say he saw the things which he alleges to have happened. He must remember there were close to 50,000 ex-service men, all bent upon having a good time, but in an orderly manner. It would be a good thing to have statements from people in New Orleans regarding our actions."

CO-OPERATION IS URGED BY RED CROSS COMMITTEE

All men and women engaged in business in the business district are asked to co-operate with the Red Cross captains by taking out their membership with the captain who solicits at the business house, according to Mrs. J. H. Dill. All who are not engaged in business in the business district, are requested to leave their contribution at their residences to be given to the captain of that district when she calls.

While it really does seem unnecessary to mention what is done with the fund made up of the 50 cents on each dollar membership, and 50 cents taken from each contribution, no matter of what amount, by the local branch, yet at this time an explanation is not amiss. This fund is kept by the National Red Cross and used for emergency calls, such as the Pueblo flood; medical and hospital supplies for distribution wherever needed in any country; assistance to organization co-operating in work relating to Red Cross activities; assistance to disabled ex-service men and their families and many charity causes.

Medical authorities the world over have repeatedly stated that not until 1927 will the world reach the peak of devastating results to the physical and mental life of the men who returned from service.

OPENING UP LUMBER CAMP ON GREEN SPRINGS ROAD

The Moon Lumber company, of Hill, Calif., expect to open up a lumber camp on the Green Springs mountain road near the junction of Keene and Jenny creeks within the next few days. The camp will be located about a mile this side of Pinehurst and a mill will be installed near that point to saw up the timber which will later be hauled to Ashland for shipment. From eight to ten men will be employed during the winter and several teams of horses will be kept busy bringing the logs to the mill site. By spring, some 30 or 40 men will be engaged in the work.

LEAVES DOUGHNUTS ON DEPOSIT FOR DIAMONDS

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