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**JULY 14.**  
THE BEST PREACHING—Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven.—Matthew 5:16.

**THE RIGHTS OF BOYHOOD**

There is nothing unworthy about the mouth organ. It probably would be difficult to define a just reason for its general exclusion from or disapproval of musical circles. Some folk have heard to damn it as low; but it is low only in the sense that marbles and baseball are low. To some people an urchin bathing his heated frame in the primitive luxury of a swimming hole without troubling about a bathing suit, is very low indeed. The sand lots are low, and all their works. Some folks are awfully strict.

The trade, wishing to bolster up the banished instrument, renamed it harmonica. But the harmonica is a vastly different affair, unless you are willing to affront the memory of Benjamin Franklin, its inventor. Call a spade or a month organ by their right names, and then ask how many good citizens got their first practical introduction to music by that self-same insidious instrument? The shamed answer of every truthful man would be legion.

Recently this orchestral device dedicated to boyhood came to its belated own in symphonic concert given at one of New York's fine motion picture houses, the sole virtuoso being a mouth organist. Richard Strauss, in one or more of his recent compositions, found that nothing but a cow bell could provide exactly the sound he wished to obtain. Now, a cow bell does not compare with a mouth organ, any more than cows compare with boys. And the mouth organ, so peculiarly the medium of a boy's self-expression, has infinitely more capacity for music than the rattling "hot dog" ejaculations from the assorted hardware usually described as a jazz orchestra.

**AMERICA**

Equality of opportunity. That is the magic of America. And the record of Secretary of Labor Davis is an impressive example of the potency of such magic. He arrived in this country a poor immigrant at the age of eleven, he entered the puddler craft and now, as a member of the cabinet, he goes back to visit the place of his birth. Such a record could have been written only in such a hand of opportunity. Here the top is always open to those at the bottom—in high places there is always room for the deserving. Those who wrote the Declaration of Independence meant equality of opportunity when they phrased the opening sentence and Secretary Davis career shows that they knew what they were writing about. Salust puts it that man complains unjustly concerning his nature, which, being weak and of short duration, is influenced more by chance than by his effort. But not so in America. Here a man is what he can make of himself.

**JUST VICTORY IS EARNED**

The announcement that Ashland is to be made a point of registration for out-of-state automobiles is hailed with a great deal of satisfaction by Ashland citizens and business men. The announcement from

the secretary of state came only after strong pressure had been exerted to secure for Ashland the registration office. The order of the secretary of state authorizing the establishment of an office here will be hailed with joy by the tourists coming into Oregon from the south. The attractions at Ashland are such that nearly every auto tourist coming into the state from the south desires to stop here. With the only office in the southern part of the state located at Medford tourists coming into Ashland were compelled to hurry on to Medford to register. While a number returned and enjoyed the attractions here, a majority proceeded northward from Medford. Complaints were being registered daily by incoming tourists because of the inconvenience of the arrangement. The location of a registration office here will eliminate the inconvenience and tourists will have no complaint to make.

That the creation of an office in Ashland will reduce to a low figure the number of registrations handled at Medford there is no doubt. Ashland is the first city of importance touched by the tourist coming into Oregon from California and the south and is the logical and proper geographical location for the registration office.

**THE SHELBY BOOMERANG**

Publicity sometimes comes too high. Look at Shelby, Montana. The Shelbyites decided to put their town on the map. That was a laudable ambition. But they chose as a means of putting it on the map a prize fight between two heavyweights, one of whom was the so-called champion of the world. And here was where they made their mistake.

For the Shelbyites doubtless thought that prize fighting was still a sport. They must have figured that the fight would be a national attraction. A any rate, they mortgaged the town, and apparently a good part of the state of Montana, to meet the demands of the champion who has always preferred money to fighting.

The fight may or may not have been a good one, but was a complete failure as an attraction. The public rightly decided the fight was not the main issue, but that the \$310,000 payable to the champion was. The aftermath has been severe. Shelby is broke. Her mayor and leading banker is broke and his bank is closed. She has her experience for her pains. She knows now that prize fighting is no longer a sport but a commercial enterprise.—Sacramento Bee.

Even its enemies—if it has any—must admit that the Mail Tribune is a much better newspaper than is usually found in a town the size of Medford. It makes a specialty of giving the important news of the entire country at all times, and has many subscribers who take the paper for this reason. Many readers of the Mail Tribune in this portion of the county thought it very unusual and strange that not a line appeared in that paper about Ashland's celebration on the 3rd and 4th, nor a word of mention about Jacksonville's float winning first prize and a Medford float winning second prize in the parade. Evidently it was a case of its reporters being "asleep as the switch"—or something of that sort.—Jacksonville Post.

For the month of June prohibition enforcement in Jackson county cost \$882.64, according to the records of the county clerk's office, says the Jacksonville Post. The total fines collected for prohibition violations and convictions, according to the records of the county treasurer's office, totalled \$30. Under a law passed by the last legislature and now effective, the expenses of enforcement shall be borne by the fines collected, 25 per cent of the amount collected going to a "special state prohibition fund," and the remainder to the county.

A decided new departure is that of the Marysville pastor who is to preach without either coat or vest during the Summer, and who invites the men of his congregation to leave their coats at home. He discretely omitted to make any similar suggestion to the women, but they might at least dispense with hats during "meeting," if they didn't prefer to show them off.—Sacramento Bee.

War clouds are hovering over Europe and it is not at all improbable that the world may be thrown into another contest, the results of which can not be comprehended. It calls to mind that when a solution is offered for remedying grave questions it deserves the support of every man who has not something better to offer.

Observing the loads carried by some of the tourist cars passing through one is led to believe that the load capacity of an automobile is limited only to the tonnage that can be loaded.

It is good, old summer time.

**Daily News Letter**

DUBLIN, July 14.—Now that the DeValerites have decided to give Ireland a rest, Jim Larkin has stepped in to keep the excitement going. Seizing buildings has become a national pastime in Ireland, so to speak. A year ago Rory O'Connor and the men were taking possession of buildings as fast as the clock ticked minutes and now Jim Larkin has turned his hand to the same game. Larkin is general secretary of the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union, by far the greatest labor organization in Ireland, and apparently the officials of the union did not give him satisfaction during his enforced stay in the United States. Anyway, he was up in arms against the officials the moment of his return, and after some violent speeches he, with his followers, seized Liberty Hall, the headquarters of the union, and the offices of another district of Dublin. These officials got a writ of eviction against him in the court and that is how the matter stands at present.

But this is only the beginning of Irish labor difficulties. Irish labor is facing a big split. There will be a general election in September or October upon universal suffrage, when every man and woman over 21 will be entitled to vote. Labor, already a powerful opposition to the Government, in the Dail, promised to double its numbers if not to obtain the reins of government. Now, it is thought it will have its hands full fighting its domestic troubles. Larkin may run his own nominees against the official labor party. Of course this will split the working man's vote and as a consequence it is feared labor will not be nearly so powerful in the next Dail as it is now.

High wages and short hours are having their effect upon Irish trade. The Irish manufacturer cannot compete with his rivals in Belfast and England. Recently the Irish government wished to have some of its ships repaired and invited contracts from firms in the Free State and Belfast. The northern Irish city contract was 60 per cent cheaper than the lowest firm in the Free State, and as a consequence the work went north, though the Irish Government was most anxious to have the work done in its own area.

In no country in the world has profiteering developed, to such an extent as it has in Ireland in the last few years. Every group of traders has its own combine; the grocers, the shoemakers, the candlestick makers are all at it—keeping up the cost of living. The farmer is in the hands of the combine which fixes buying and selling prices. For example, a farmer considers himself lucky to get \$8 a ton for his potatoes after growing and harvesting them and carting them to market. The selling price to the Dublin housewife is more than \$20 a ton, a clear profit of \$12 on an outlay of \$8.

When the Free State government began to function the combines thought they had a fat goose to pluck. They did it more or less successfully during the rush of the civil war. The government soon found the profiteers were out to fleece it. Recently the government invited Irish bed-makers to bid for 50,000 beds. All tendered the same price—not a cent of difference. An English firm tendered at half the figure and got the contract. The combine was indignant.

The Irish government has done a very generous thing in the way of pensions. A bill, introduced in the Dail, provides pensions for all who suffered injuries in fighting the Black and Tans out of Ireland. Now General Mulcahy, commander-in-chief of the Free State government, has announced that even those who fought against the government in the recent civil war will be entitled to those pensions provided they did their bit against the British. It is believed the move will make for the better feeling between the soldiers of the old Sinn Fein army though they may be in a different camp just now.

**OBITUARY**  
Mrs. Mattie Millon, wife of Charles C. Millon, Oak street, died July 13th, 1923, at the residence.  
The funeral will probably take place from Stock's Undertaking parlors, Monday, July 16th at 2 p. m.  
Interment in Ashland cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hulitt of Penngrave, California, were in Ashland yesterday attending to business affairs.

**SOCIETY**

**MRS. GRACE E. ANDREWS, Editor**  
Phone items to her at 345-R, between 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.  
and evenings.

**Whites Leave Wednesday**  
Mr. G. A. White accompanied by Mary Claire left Wednesday evening for California. Saturday Mrs. White will join them at Sacramento.

**At the Beeson Ranch**  
Mrs. Balis and children are guests at the Everett Beeson ranch home near Talent. Mrs. Balis brings the children in every day for their work in the summer school.

**Sunday School Gathering**  
An important Sunday school gathering is planned for Sunday, July 15th at Bybee Bridge, in the oak grove just this side.

**The "Conservo Steam Cooker"**  
and the ordinary "Boiler" method, will be shown, as will that of the "Pressure Cooker."

**Delightful Outings**  
The Reids and their guests have had two delightful outings lately. One to Buckhorn Lodge Sunday and another later, in the week down the valley.

**Trip to Riverside Park**  
A delightful motor trip with Grants Pass the objective occurred Thursday evening, when Mrs. John Finneran, her aunt, Mrs. C. A. Shuttles and Mrs. Hugh Gillette, with their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. C. Boyle drove down the valley, viewing the panoramic loveliness outspread, finally halting a little way this side of Grants Pass at Riverside park for lunch. After an hour of quiet enjoyment spent there, the party drove on into the little city, returning home as the shades of night fell.

**Persons from Bellview**  
Mrs. A. C. Joy and Mrs. H. Monroe motored to Medford Wednesday to spend the day.

**Mrs. Butler Walker is in Klamath Falls** at present the guest of relatives and friends there.

**Mrs. Wm. Rogers is visiting friends in Medford** this week.

**Mrs. McCracken Convalescent**  
The many friends of Mrs. Gordon McCracken, will be very glad to learn that she is convalescing from her recent illness.

**An Informal Evening**  
Mrs. Ella B. Mills was hostess for an informal evening gathering Thursday at which a number of friends were invited to meet Mr. and Mrs. McClarey of Portland, who are visiting in Ashland.

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the north but Mrs. McClarey will remain here for a time.  
**Reception Wednesday**  
Mrs. J. H. Thurner of 470 Boulevard entertained most delightfully Wednesday afternoon in compliment to her sister, Mrs. Marian Lindsay of Bellingham, Wash., who is visiting in Ashland after many years of absence.

The hours spent with happy reminiscences and were brought to a close all to soon with the daintiest of refreshments served by the gracious hostess.

Those who shared in this happy re-union of old friends were the Mesdames Dunn, Minkler, Van Sant, Loughlin, Fracht, McConnell, Winters, Eubanks, and Dews of Ashland, and the Mrs. Merriek and Caldwell of Los Angeles, Mrs. McBride and Mrs. Vining of Portland and the Mrs. Young and Mrs. Minkler of Medford.

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