

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NOTES

A Daily Chronicle of those who come and go, and events of local interest.

DeWitt Ready For Business

Friends of W. F. DeWitt will be glad to know that Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt have returned to their home after enjoying a ten day's outing.

Visiting at Hurst Home

Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis, whose wedding was a recent social event in Ashland, spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Davis' parents.

Visits Parents

Ellis Potter, who is located in Hornbrook on a surveyors outfit, spent the week end with his parents.

D. O. K. K. Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reidingler, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weisheart and George Rockwell of Pekin, Ill., who were members of the oriental band of El Med Temple, No. 1, of the D. O. K. K. of Peoria Illinois, stopped here en route home, via California, from the recent convention of the Dokkies in Portland to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hodgkinson on Church St.

Gone to Alaska

Mrs. E. S. Rudd, accompanied by her son, Dr. Souther, who has been visiting at the Rudd home, left yesterday for Alaska.

Visiting Friends

Mrs. Jessie Stannard, who is visiting from California, spent Sunday and Monday at the home of her friend, Mrs. Barnard in the Bellevue district.

Band concert in Lithia Park tonight, followed by a dance on the Open Air Pavilion. This is the only event in the Valley on that night, so everybody will be there.

Visiting At Lake Of Woods

Dr. F. H. Johnson and family left Sunday morning for Lake of Woods to spend their vacation.

Dr. Gregg Home

Dr. G. W. Gregg returned home Monday from Williamson River where he spent a few days.

Visiting Newport

Howard Rose and wife left Monday morning for Newport and other towns in the northern part of the state.

Moves To Farm

Mrs. Margaret Reives and daughter expect to move from their home on the Boulevard to the farm recently purchased by Mrs. Reives from Mrs. J. W. Mills Sr.

Destination Unknown

Mrs. Earl Hosler, Mrs. Sim Morris, Mrs. Rance Morris and two children and Mrs. O. H. Carter left early this morning for a motor and camping trip.

Return to Dunsuir

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mount and son Robert, who have spent the past two weeks visiting at the home of Mrs. Mount's sister, Mrs. A. F. Abbott 346 Liberty street, returned to their home yesterday afternoon.

Leaving for Stockton

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Royce who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Royce's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reed, on Oak street, will leave tomorrow for Stockton, California.

Visiting Parents

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton C. Cole arrived in Ashland yesterday from Oakland, California to visit at the home of Mrs. Cole's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Doran.

Motors from Chico

Miss Essie Glendenning accompanied by her mother and brother motored to Ashland this week and are calling on Ashland friends.

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Home Again, Gone Again—Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Woods who spent Buyers' Week in Portland, and visited Marshfield and Roseburg, besides various other towns in the northern part of the state, returned home last week.

California Claims Ashlander—Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wheeler, former residents of Dunsuir, but who have spent a portion of the past season in Ashland, returned to Dunsuir recently to live for the present.

You will find "Long Lost Mama" and "That Red Head Gal" at the dance in Lithia Park tonight, immediately after the band concert.

At Lake—Mrs. H. M. Channell and guests left Monday for Crater Lake and are expected home tonight.

Home from California—Mr. W. J. Dougherty and family returned Sunday evening from a two week's vacation trip.

"Yes! We Have No Bananas" but there will be a dance at the Open Air Pavilion in Lithia Park tonight.

Leaving for Vacation—G. F. McConnell and wife left today for Lake of the Woods to spend their vacation.

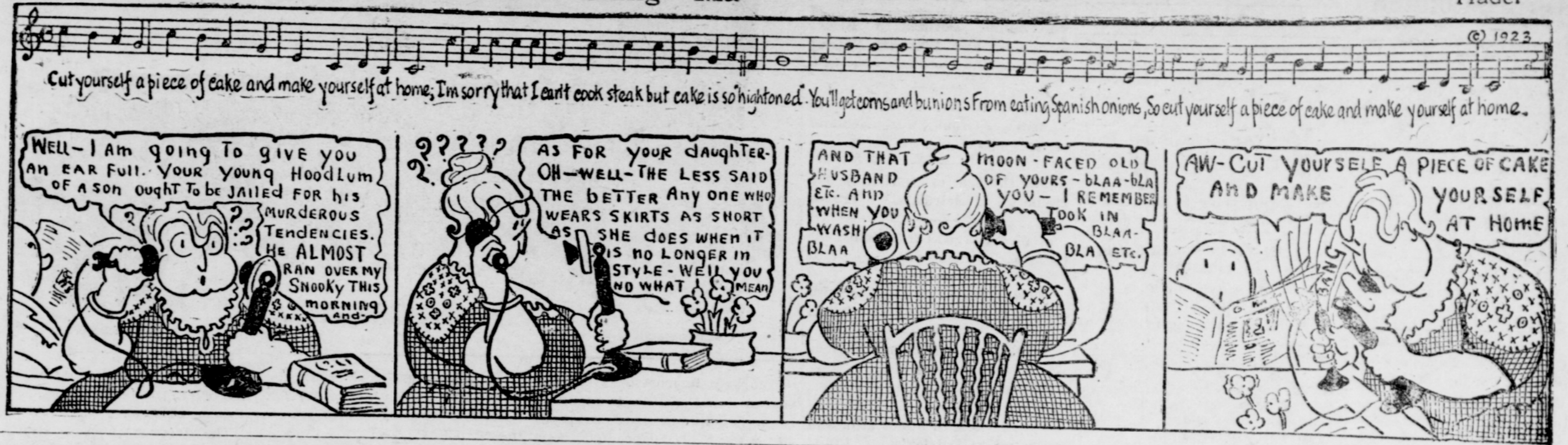
LOST—On Main St., between Theatre and Hotel Ashland, Tuesday night, Black purse, containing some change, jewelry, keys, etc.

Flowers Wanted at Chamber—The local registration bureau under the charge of Mrs. J. H. Fuller, announces that all the flowers which were brought in by the citizens of the town some time ago, have now withered and all donations of flowers will be accepted again as the tourists get a much better impression of Ashland if they are able to go into the registration office with flowers than if they go into a bare office to register.

The absorption of larger volumes of shipment by water through the Panama canal to Atlantic ports relieves both railroads and sawmills.

Manufacturing pay checks of Oregon total \$31,000,000 yearly.

How The Family Takes On New Slang—Ma



DOCTOR CALLS VERMIN CARRIERS OF CANCER

PARIS, Aug. 21.—Fleas and lice are cancer carriers, Dr. Bazin declared in a paper read recently before the French Academy of Sciences.

Dr. Bazin placed fleas taken from a dog affected with cancer on two healthy dogs. Within a year one of the healthy dogs died of the same disease.

PROMINENT RUSSIAN FAINTS FROM HUNGER

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Tragedy that followed Joseph Weinstein about the squalor of red Russia clings to him in the midst of peace and plenty in Chicago.

The former teacher, who is 69 years old and hardly anything more than a wigwag of skin hung over a bone framework, fell recently on the hard steps of a tenement building.

Crowds gathered. Someone surmised it was lack of food that made the derelict so weak. The bystander hurried to a nearby restaurant, got a glass of milk and some bread and offered it to Weinstein. He gulped it down as a beast feeds and told his story:

"Eleven years ago I was a man of position in Petrograd. I was one of the chief lecturers of a Zionist movement. I travelled around the world.

"Bad times came, I went to Chicago. With me was my son, My wife and three pretty daughters I left in Petrograd. My boy was taken sick and died of the 'flu.' Then I fell sick and was taken to a hospital.

"When I came out I was desperate. Penniless. Hungry. I wanted to die. But now, now I want to see my wife and daughters once more."

He gnawed again at his crusts. Nickels, dimes and quarters rained down on him. The crowd dispersed.

His tragedy was just another little incident in their city life.

NOVEL USE FOUND FOR AIR PLANES

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 22.—The adaptability of the airplane to a novel use is being tested by the Department of the Interior at Birmingham, Ala.

Experiments looking towards the use of planes in rushing the trained mine-rescue men of the Bureau of Mines to the scenes of mine disasters are being made. A landing field has been located at Carbon Hill, an Alabama coal mining town, and other fields will be located at mining towns within reasonable flying range of the mine-rescue station of the Bureau of Mines at Birmingham.

Two planes of the Alabama National Guard, each carrying a National Guard pilot and a Bureau of Mines engineer, transported five sets of rescue apparatus from Birmingham to Carbon Hill, a distance of 60 miles, in 46 minutes, or at the rate of 80 miles an hour.

It is estimated that the minimum time that would have been required by a special railroad engine to cover the distance with a clear right-of-way would have been three hours, while an automobile truck proceeding over the roundabout public roads would have required four hours.

In ordinary rescue work following explosions and fires, it is standard practice to use not less than five sets of oxygen breathing apparatus for the rescue of possible entombed miners and in the recovery of bodies. It is necessary to use oxygen breathing apparatus in the poisonous and irrespirable atmospheres which are generally found after explosions and fires.

The apparatus used in the airplane test weighed approximately 200 pounds and the weight of the two pilots and two passengers aggregated about 750 pounds.

Western lumber producing states are assured of a steady market for timber products for the next two years.

WESTERN MEN ASK TARIFF REVISION

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 22.—The movement of western producers, aided by bankers, chambers of commerce, and other civic bodies in an effort to take the tariff out of partisan politics and secure the adoption of a permanent tariff policy suited to the needs of the west, took definite form today when Governor Sweet of Colorado and other western governors joined with the producers in a call for a Western Tariff Congress.

The Congress will be held in Denver early in October, the exact time to be announced at an early date. The officers of the Congress are E. M. Ammons, former governor of Colorado, chairman; Frank J. Hagedarth of Salt Lake City, chairman of the organization committee and J. A. Arnold of Fort Worth, Texas, active head of the Southern Tariff Association, manager.

The movement is declared to be strictly non-partisan with the primary purpose of taking the tariff out of partisan politics, creating a medium for the discussion of the tariff and other economic issues which affect the welfare of western producers and to assist in maintaining the present tariff duties upon western products.

"It is to be a Congress in which free traders, tariff-for-revenue, competitive tariff and protective tariff advocates can participate without surrendering their views," former Governor Ammons stated in explaining the purpose of the Congress. "Regardless of our convictions on tariff policies of government, we can surely all agree that the tariff should be treated as an economic issue; that the farmers of the west are entitled to the same treatment as the manufacturers of the east; that the men who toil upon the farms, in the mines and factories of this country should not be brought into destructive competition with the pauper labor of foreign countries and that the rates on our western products in the present tariff act should be given a fair trial before making any reductions.

LEGION POPULATION CENTER AT PONTIAC

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 21.—Pontiac, Illinois, a city of 11,000 people, about 92 miles south and west of Chicago, is the approximate center of American Legion population in the United States, according to figures compiled at national headquarters of the organization. This computation is based on legion members in late July, 1923.

The legion population naturally follows the population of the country. The center of the whole nation fifty miles west and slightly south of Indianapolis, where is located legion national headquarters. All these points are within a 100-mile distance of each other, so that geographically speaking, the present headquarters of the organization is a center location for direction of the work of the veterans' body.

The preparation of membership figures revealed many interesting facts. Although most of the western states have a comparatively low membership, consistency in totals practically determined the east and west line at the Mississippi river. The north and south line was more difficult to estimate. The great cities in the region of the lakes, and of New England, played the principal part in setting the line so far north, as against the great expanses and sparsely settled regions of the south and southwest. Once the agricultural states were met, however, the line was quickly determined; and the preponderance of the north was established.

These figures do not take into consideration any territorial or foreign departments of the legion embracing only the departments in 48 states and in the District of Columbia. A membership already in excess of that of last year has been enrolled in many of the departments away from the shores of America.

New York is well in the lead in point of membership totals, ahead of Illinois which state leads Pennsylvania by a good margin. In the next division, Iowa and Ohio are fighting it out, with California, Minnesota and Wisconsin in a three-cornered contest for the sixth, seventh and eighth places.

GALT CITIZENS DISCUSS VICTORY HIGHWAY ROUTE

GALT, Cal., Aug. 22.—Resolutions favoring the routing of the Victory Highway identical with the course of the Lincoln Highway through Galt, Lodi and Stockton, and endorsing the Lodi and Stockton chambers of commerce in their stands on the matter, were passed at a mass meeting called by the Galt Chamber of Commerce here Saturday evening.

The advantages of increased tourist travel, if the new road passed through Galt, were pointed out.



(National Crop Improvement Service.)

"Epidemics of disease can often be headed off if the first cases are promptly isolated and every possible source of infection stopped and cleaned up. Naturally, the rooms of the first patients should be rendered harmless, and accordingly," says Dr. L. F. Priestmann, of Illinois, "thorough fumigation is in order. It cannot harm and may save much suffering to others."

The temperature of the room should not be below 50 degrees F. and more effective disinfection will be obtained if the temperature is 80 degrees F. or above at the beginning. "Put a line across the room and hang up a wet sheet. An oil stove with a tea kettle of water to humidify the room is also desirable. After having stopped all the cracks, leaving only the door open for a rapid exit, place a metal or earthen dish on the floor for a generator. The fumigation is accomplished by pouring formaldehyde into permanganate of potash. The dish should be large enough so that the liquid will not boil over or spill on the floor, as the permanganate will stain. "The temperature of the room should not be below 50 degrees F. and more effective disinfection will be obtained if the temperature is 80 degrees F. or above at the beginning. "Put a line across the room and hang up a wet sheet. An oil stove with a tea kettle of water to humidify the room is also desirable. After having stopped all the cracks, leaving only the door open for a rapid exit, place a metal or earthen dish on the floor for a generator. The fumigation is accomplished by pouring formaldehyde into permanganate of potash. The dish should be large enough so that the liquid will not boil over or spill on the floor, as the permanganate will stain. "Open drawers and doors of bureaus, wardrobes and closets to allow free access of the gas."

THE "SUMMER FUR" AND THE FUR TRADE IN GENERAL

The United States the world's greatest fur consumer. Our people spend \$300,000,000 a year for furs. One-half of the finished product is produced from furs drawn from other parts of the world.

The "summer fur" which has in the past half dozen years helped to relieve the monotony of the mid-summer period is now in its most successful season. With the latest developments in its use, upon collars of light weight summer garments and a continuation of the form in which it had already been utilized the 1923 season will probably "break the record" of the short period since the summer fur became a noticeable feature of the life of the American citizen. For it is only about six years, says the Trade Record of The National City Bank of New York, since the development of the fashion and its use is still chiefly confined to the United States and to the city in which the fashion originated, Paris.

To what extent this new fashion of the wearing of furs in mid-summer has participated in the enormous increase in the sum paid for furs by the people of the United States is difficult to determine with extreme accuracy. Fur experts, however, express the opinion that "summer fur" still forms but a small proportion, perhaps 10% of the hundreds of millions of dollars annually paid for furs by the people of the United States for the sums which our own people pay for furs do actually run into the hundreds of millions. The imports of furs in all forms in the fiscal year just ended totaled nearly 100 million dollars against an average of about 25 millions a year prior to the war, while the output of "fur goods" by the factories of the United States in 1921 was according to a census report just issued 140 million dollars, and that of the "dressed furs" 20 millions. And when we remember that the nearly one hundred million

dollars valuation of furs imported is that in the country from which they are sent to the United States and are therefore exclusive of the freight and tariff duties, and also remember that the 160 million dollars worth reported by the 1921 census is the factory valuation of the goods, it is quite apparent that the sums annually paid by the final consumer will run into the hundreds of millions, and may perhaps cross the 300 million dollar line in the calendar year 1923. The big increase in recent years is due in part to larger quantities of furs used and in part to higher prices. The growth in the use of furs is illustrated by the fact the U. S. census reports show that the capital of the factories engaged in the production of fur goods increased from 30 million dollars in 1914 to 81 millions in 1919. New York and Chicago are the chief fur markets of the United States.

Certainly there can be no doubt of the enormous increase in the sums paid for furs, since the total output of the fur factories of the country has grown from 27 million dollars in 1899 to 160 millions in 1921, while the value of the imports has grown from an average of about 25 million dollars a year prior to the war to 93 millions in 1920, and about 90 millions in the fiscal year 1922, which ends with the month of June.

Where do they come from these hundreds of millions of dollars worth of furs used by our people? About one-half from our own forests and plains and mountains and about one-half from foreign countries, chiefly Canada, Russia, Siberia, China, Great Britain, France, Germany, the Scandinavian countries, Japan, Australia, New Zealand, Argentina and India, for fur bearing animals are found even in the tropical as well as the temperate and frigid areas of the globe, and we do ransack the globe for furs, since our official records show importations from no less than 85 countries, colonies and islands, though in a few cases, notably Great Britain and France, a considerable part of the millions

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