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No donations to charities or otherwise will be made in advertising or job printing — our contributions will be in cash.

ASHLAND'S WATER SUPPLY

An undertaking of vast importance to every citizen of Ashland is now in progress under the direction of the city manager, and it behooves every taxpayer and every citizen to give careful thought to what is being done with reference to bettering Ashland's water supply.

Officials and citizens alike are agreed that the present supply is inadequate for present needs, even if no thought were taken of the future. With this situation staring us in the face it is apparent that something must be done.

An engineer is now engaged in making a complete and comprehensive survey of the water system with a view of submitting recommendations of what should be done. It is more than probable that whatever recommendations he must make, coupled with the suggestions of the city manager and the city council, will be embodied in some definite action upon which the people will be asked to vote at the fall election.

Although in no way alarming, the water situation this summer has been serious, and a year from now it might be even more serious than it is today. The city should guard against a repetition of present conditions if it is possible to do so, and if some feasible method is found by which Ashland can be assured an adequate water supply throughout the year, it should receive the united support of the people, providing, of course, that the cost is not prohibitive.

It is possible that an additional reservoir will solve the present water problem, and if this is true the people, we believe, will be quick to vote the necessary funds to finance the project.

No city can afford to be careless with its water supply, and the people of Ashland, when they awaken to the needs of the city, will be quick to respond to any feasible and worth-while solution. It is a matter of vital importance and one which every citizen will do well to consider with due care and deliberation.

REAL TOLERANCE

A certain substantial business man of Ashland was heard to remark this week that he believed the revival of baseball in this city had done much for Ashland during the present summer months. The man who uttered these words was representative of the business life of the city. A devout church member himself, he does not go to the Sunday ball games, but he contributed financially to the support of the team, and said he hoped that Ashland would continue to be represented in the new baseball league because he thought it a splendid thing for the city and its people.

"Although I do not attend the games myself, I believe in letting those enjoy it who do like baseball, and I hope baseball has returned to Ashland to stay."
This is a splendid spirit of tolerance; the sort of tolerance which all of us might well afford to emulate.

PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS

During the World War, the American people became heavy investors in Liberty Bonds. They learned the merits of moderate-yield securities, and since the war have invested in public utility securities, preferring this form of investment with its good return and high factor of safety rather than speculative stocks.

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Strong favorites in the investment market, the preferred stocks of public utilities continue to lead the field in financial circles. They are the fastest selling securities upon the market today.

The Ashland Floral Society is deserving of unlimited credit for the splendid floral display this week at the Lithia Springs hotel. The display only served to strengthen the city's claim to being one of the most delightful cities on the coast.

The Joke Is On Us



STEWART'S WASHINGTON LETTER

BY CHARLES P. STEWART
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON — Nobody who knows General Lincoln C. Andrews could take, without a good many grains of salt, the report that he intended to resign as secretary of the United States before the end of the year that he gave himself to show some "considerable progress" toward prohibition.

The general is the type of individual who generally performs more than he promises, not less. He is not, indeed, plying himself to dry the country up. He was quite frank to admit, at least by implication, that he was uncertain whether it could be done or not. He did not even promise "considerable progress." But he did say he intended to try it for another year.

He has still about four months to go and recently denied he would quit.

If he could only be forced out — as General Smedley D. Butler was in Philadelphia. But to quit, to admit defeat! — Andrews probably would prefer death itself.

To appreciate the situation at its full value it is necessary to

Tornado Strikes Valley in Maine

YORK BEACH, Me., July 24 — Valleys of Southern Maine were in total darkness last night as the result of a tornado which swept this section after dark.

Houses were demolished, windows were broken and cattle in pastures on the outskirts of the town were killed.

Dismiss Charge Against Sleuth

PORTLAND, Ore., July 24. — (UP) — Because arresting officers were unwilling to swear that R. E. Amy, state prohibition officer, was drunk, charges of intoxication were dismissed against him here yesterday afternoon. Amy was found sleeping in a yard here Wednesday night. He claimed he had been drugged.

Gambler Steals To Pay Up Debts

CHICAGO, July 24. — Arthur Gimmetti, bank teller, told police he lost \$11,000 gambling in an attempt to refund \$5000 which had been stolen from his cage in the Market Traders State Bank.

ATTACK BRITISH ON PROHIBITION DEALS

LONDON, (UP) — A demand that the Baldwin Government take adequate steps to stop the flow of "bootleg" liquor from England into the United States, has been made by the Daily Herald, official Labor paper, here.

To offset attacks on the importations of "Soviet gold" from Russia, used to aid striking coal miners, the Herald editorially criticized the English Government for not taking effective measures to stop liquor exportations to United States ports, or to intermediate ports, where the final destination of the consignment is known to be the United States.

"Even since the United States went dry," the editorial stated, "shiploads of whiskey have left Scotland daily for America. Some of the leading distillers in Scotland are engaged in this unlawful trade, which is an unwarranted attempt to interfere with American laws. The British government knows of this conspiracy, but the distillers have not been rebuked in any way."

"Many distillers have actually made overtures to bootleggers and British customs officials are employed to check, in the usual way, the quantities produced and exported. This happens not only in Scotland, but in many ports in England, and in the British colonies in the West Indies, where all kinds of liquors are shipped to the United States.

"Thus the British Government is conniving at illegal acts, directly helpful to those who are fighting the American Constitution, and has been conniving at them for a long time."

Soldier is Held For Forest Fire

TACOMA, Wash., July 24. — After being held in custody for the past five days following his arrest by the fire garden for through a lighted cigarette from an auto to the public a short distance from the city, James Gustaf, 43, Camp Lewis soldier, was released from custody yesterday upon payment of the costs of his arrest.



"Are you hurt?"
"Well," said the man who had just been knocked down by a truck, "it ain't done me no good."

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