

STOLEN AUTOS IN ENGLAND ARE FOUND

LONDON — (UP) — Of every 100 cars stolen in London, 78 are promptly recovered by the police and restored to their owners, according to the report of the Chief Commissioner of Police for the Metropolitan area.

Within a few minutes of the time when the owner reports his loss, every police station in Greater London receives by telegraph a full description of the car. This is immediately mimeographed, and a constable leaves the station with copies, one of which he gives every constable in the district. The constable, knowing that he may get a substantial reward for vigilance, commits the description to memory and straightway examines every car that passes.

In the meantime a similar description goes out through the provinces, either by telegraph or by mail, and in a very short time every constable in England, Wales and Scotland has a description of the missing car in his pocket.

Those cars which are not recovered are presumed to be those which are quickly run into the thieves' garages and thoroughly changed in appearance, or "cached" for several months until they can be safely taken out and sold.

PECULIAR BURGLAR NABBED IN CASTLE

LONDON, (UP) — The premises of the King of England have been burglarized, under the nose of the King's brother-in-law, the Marquess of Cambridge, Governor and Constable of Windsor Castle.

There is great mystery about the affair, though a prisoner has been caught and arraigned in the Windsor police court. The prisoner refused to give his name.

declared upon arraignment that his head was badly muddled and was haled to the bar as "the nameless one." Much investigation is under way.

The premises of Windsor Castle, where the Henry I Chamber was broken into and robbed, are under the guardianship of the Marquess of Cambridge, Viscount Northampton, Earl of Epsom, whose full name is Lieutenant-Colonel Adolphus Charles Alexander Albert Edward George Philip Louis Ladislaus Cambridge. He is the brother of the former "Princess Mary" of Teck, who is now Queen Mary of England.

The Marquess of Cambridge has had a distinguished diplomatic and military career and has earned the long string of initials which follow his name. These include a G. C. E., G. C. V. O., K. C. V. O., and a C. M. G. He saw active service as a transport officer in the Boer War, served as commander of the First Life Guards in France during the World War and was at one time Military Attache of the British Embassy in Vienna.

But the "nameless one", arrayed against the many-named Marquess, has set up a mystery which neither military experience nor diplomatic skill yet has solved.

Meeting at Christian Church

Please remember the Ladies of the Social Circle of the Christian church will meet at the church parlors Wednesday, September 22 at 2 p. m. Promptness is urged as there is much to be planned and arranged for the coming winter. Also remember the cooked food sale to be given at Hardy Bros store on Saturday, Sept. 25, by this loyal group of workers. All donations should be at the store by 9 a. m. if possible, and those who cannot bring or send, phone 375-J.

H. A. Spencer, who has been in Ashland for some time, has returned to his home at Copco.

BELLVIEW NOTES

Roscoe Bratton, the new owner of the Ashland Feed and Grocery store, has purchased the place in Bellview until recently owned by Bob Avery, who also operated the Nelda Cafe in Ashland, but is now located in Medford. The Bratton family will occupy the home and this community is glad to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Bratton and their two little daughters into our midst and to the many community activities.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Tucker have returned from a few days spent at Reedsport with the Will Grubb family. The weather was perfect and a wonderful vacation is reported.

In reaching Reedsport by auto the traveler is compelled to leave the highway at Drain and ferry across the Umpqua river at Scottsburg (which, by the way, is one of the oldest towns in Oregon.) This particular Sunday a pleasure car had plunged into the river and so a lot of cars were held up until the wrecker arrived and removed the offending car. The tourists waxed most friendly and a large number of people availed themselves of the eating privileges of the town. And talk about good things to eat, just let me say to every one who reads this, if you ever are fortunate enough to be detained in Scottsburg for even a little while, don't fail to eat at "Dad" Reeder's restaurant. That's enough said—burp mouths water yet.

Frank Homes, now of Grants Pass and Miss Edna Burns of Medford, were married in Medford on Tuesday, September 14. Mrs. Homes has been employed as head stenographer in the O. C. Rogge office for the past two or three years, and is a lovely girl. Frank, who is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Homes of Ashland, grew into young manhood in this community, attended the Ashland high school, leaving here to enlist in the World War. Soon after his return from France he commenced work with the Shell Oil people, and his advance has been steady. He is now located at Grants Pass as salesman, and in

that city Mr. and Mrs. Homes will make their home. The best wishes of a large circle of friends goes with them.

Mrs. Edwin Dunn, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Diaz in Portland, for the past week returned Sunday night. A little later Mrs. Dunn will start home to school in the Ashland schools.

The committee on plans for the new community house, to be built very soon, met at Mr. and Mrs. Homer Moore's Thursday night. A design was settled on. Very plain, but all that can be desired from a standpoint of convenience. As soon as bids are in from the lumber companies, definite plans will be announced, and building will go ahead at once. A meeting of the club will be called Tuesday night. A mass meeting will be called to follow immediately thereafter and all available material, workers and otherwise, will be investigated into service.

The fine school house which has been under construction in the Nell Creek district, is nearly completed, and the school will be

moved in by the first of October. The "problem" in the Nell Creek district was to be accomplished on this the 15th anniversary. I merely need to show all the more satisfactory that the problem was having had to be done with plenty of delay and determination. To a little group of women in the parent-teacher circles out there, and to their cooperative husbands, belongs the glory of this, from start to finish.

Mrs. W. L. Howard and son, Davy, have returned and taken over their old place again.

Mr. John Smick, Mrs. Smick, and the children have moved onto the Payne place here in Bellview and will have charge of his milk route for a few months.

Among the winners of prizes at the fair in the boys' club were Robert Smith of the rabbit club, who won first prize and Lewis Williams who won third. Dick Joy, leader of the rabbit club, and Bernard Joy, leader of the garden club, are to be very sincerely thanked for the effort in behalf of the clubs. Those who attended the fair from the Bell-

view club were Misses Mary and Fred Williams, Mrs. Mary and Robert Smith, Mrs. Williams and Fred Williams.

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