## LAND BAILY TIDINGS OUT

## The World Heroes

It is interesting to note that the school children of the world, in electing the twelve greatest heroes of history, emitted the names of its outstanding military geniuses. George Washington is the only genius soldier of the lot and presumably it was his devotion to the cause in which his military talents were employed rather than the possession of these talents which won the children's admiration.

Distinguished service seems to have been the test by which choice was made rather than the possession of those high qualities of physical or moral courage which we usually associate with heroism, although those qualities are sufficiently prominent in the list too. At that the list is probably more notable for what it omits than for what. it contains. That is to say, while all twelve chosen are probably deserving of niches in the hall of heroes, an attempt to single them out as the great-est archides too many equally great.

The names in order of their choice are Louis

Pasteur, Abraham Lincoln, Christopher Columbus, George Washington, Benjamin Franklin, Woodrow Wilson, Florence Nightingale, Joan of Arc, Socrates, Johann Gutenberg, David Livingston and George

Stephenson. There are various names on the list which can be displicated by others who for services of an equal character are equally deserving.

Is there no place among the scientists for Galileo and Bacon and Darwin and Huxley, he place among the heroes of the American revolution for the Adamses and Jefferson and Tom Paine, no place among the humanitarians for Father Damien, no place among the inventors for Morse and Bell and Daimler and for that matter Marconl and the Wright highers and Edison? Were the early Christian markers minor heroes? Was Martin Luther? And marytre minor herees? Was Martin Luther?' And how about Peary and Amundsen and Commander

About the only name on the list which defies duplication from any standpoint is that of Joan of Arc. She was unique in the world's history. There never has been another like her nor is there likely ever to be.

## Science Scores Again

Science becomes daily more useful. One by one it is gradually ferreting out those "more things than are dreampt of in our philosophy" and making practical application of them. Its latest discovery is that a bookkeeper is as fit after six hours of rest on a soft, comfortable bed as after eight hours on a hard, uncomfortable one.

The demonstration was made by students at Colgate university. Subjects of the test were awakened after various sleep periods on different kinds of beds. Samples of their breath were taken and its caloric content measured. Then they were required to multiply 456 by 239 mentally for fifteen minutes without moving, after which their caloric respiration was again measured.

It was found that it took six calories to do the problem after eight hours on a soft bed and eleven after six hours. It also took eleven calories after eight hours on a hard bed, showing that six hours sleep on a feather tick is equivalent to eight hours on an army cot.

This is all very interesting, but the thing which really charms us is discovery of the fact that there are persons, not mathematical abnormalities, who can really do a mental multiplication of 456 by 239 after any number of hours of seep on any kind of a bed.

## Christmas Seals

All for health-health for all.

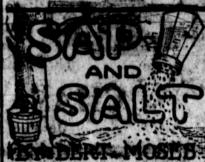
This is the message of the little Christmas sealwith its crimson double cross, which adorns packages, letters and cards at Christmas time. That cross is emblematic of the fight which is being waged against tuberculosis.

The sale in Jackson county is fostered by the Parent Teacher Association and the Anti-Tuberculosis association. Most of the money derived from the sale of the little seals is used to protect the health of our own children. Every penny you spend for a Christmas seal is a tiny factor in carrying on this great work. Too few realize the great good done by the Anti-Tuberculosis association. A few cents for seals enables them to go ahead. It helps them ecomplish their aim of health for all.

Have you purchased your seals? Have you contributed your mite to help make the world a betterplace to live! Have you fulfilled the spirit of the valetide season by being thoughtful of your broth-

If you haven't you should,

# By Williams K Bobs? 400 ER MA I AST YA HOU ALONG! AU AMUE Careful How AUSWER ME NOW



To sit on a husband is not the est way to hold him down.

If you admire a writer, it is beause he tells you things you aleady know.

An optimist becomes a pessimist when he gets fired instead of getting a raise.

The strength of both men and ea is not full drawn out until they have been in hot water.

Legs are Just legs, and they are t nearly so alluring as they used to be before we knew what

Hes Heek says: "The territory round he should take to culti-

ASHLAND

10 Years Ago

stray builet while working in this garden, is able to be out and was

Mrs. W. M. Poley will leave

The length of her stay is ladefin-its. The expects to bring her sis-ter with her upon her return.

Miss Beatricle Miller of this

ity left Saturday for San Jose,

Inter and Elsie Ha

Miss Esther Whited. is also attending the latter

who go back to the San Francisco

Institute of Arts, where they are

Cal., where she is attending California state normal.

up town last Tuesday, his b

swathed in bandages.

## What Others Sa

HEROES ARE MADE-NOT BORN

(Albany Democrat) Down in Douglas count

there has been formed a tax-payers league for the apparent purpose of telling the county court how it shall spend the big windfall it will receive in O. and C. lan grant moneys as a result o the Stanfield law. Organiza formed and too often they are the work of visionary zealots who have some are to grind. But this Douglas county group appears to be comprised of level-headed chaps who know the value of a dollar and how to spend it to the best possible advantage. It recommends that the O. and C. money in Douglas county be applied to the reduction of their debt and not expended for new projects.

(Corvallis Gazette-Times) The supreme court of Ore-gon has decided that a drunk is intoxicated but that an in-toxicated man is not necessarily drunk. It was a middle west court which once decided that a man was not drunk unless he was so far gone he couldn't lie on the ground without hanging onto

TURNING THE PAGES BACK

ASHEAND

20 Years Ago

Tonight: M.M. George Engle, Mrs. C. F. Stephere, Miss Eve Storey, and Miss Gertrude Engle in leave for Newbort: where they will spend a few weeks of redsp-

a two month's trip to Pelican Bay.

Dell Thomas, Howard Hi Ernest Wick and Duy Good

tertained & number of the friends on the lawn at the B. Rice home, Tuesday evening.

Oregon lost 225,000,000 g

tory for fruit and cannery schinery, more than doubled.

A partf compo

Wealth in America is at ing the election returns.

Today's price for painting where a training school for clowns has just been estab-

The day's best retort courous: A Kansas Teachers' ollege student, reading the eadline, "Marie Sails," expressed the conviction that Marie was already here.

One rule of success is "keep at it." But it doesn at it." But it doesn't

Be patient. Ether was iscovered in 1540 but didn't become popular until Arid

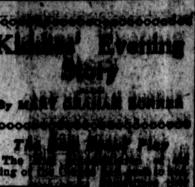
Postal receipts nths, are 75 per

ABHLAND

30 Years Ago



B. D. Good, who was employed Having Week shift down John Coleman, a son-in-law of K. VanSant is now employed in











8: Short of Medferd, father; Mr. and Mrs. Roger O. Lewi armacy of this city, was a the birth of a daughter, November inces visitor in Ashiand yester- 4. Mrs. Lewis was formerly Mis-