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## REPUBLICANS OF JACKSON COUNTY MEET SATURDAY EVE.

### Lincoln Club Holds Their Thirteenth Annual Meeting and Banquet

#### INTERESTING PROGRAM

Many Local People Take Part in Commemorating Birth of Abraham Lincoln

Jackson county republicans, as well as many visitors from over the state gathered around the festive board Saturday night, to commemorate the birth of Abraham Lincoln, the father of the republican party at the thirteenth annual meeting of the Lincoln Club of Jackson county held at the Medford hotel.

Many Ashland people were present and took part in the program. Clyde Malone, of Ashland, being the retiring president, and Harry Tomlinson of Ashland, was named vice-president at the annual election of officers.

The Medford Mail Tribune has the following to say of the meeting:

The thirteenth annual banquet of the Lincoln club of Jackson county began at 8:30 p. m. with music by John W. Orchestra, as the banqueters began doing justice an excellent repast.

Clyde Malone of Ashland, retiring president, presided at the opening and introduced the incoming president, Mr. Moulton, who took charge of the gathering from then on. Rev. James Small, the well known evangelist, delivered the invocation.

Following the election of officers the following program was observed: Carl Tongvald, reading of Lincoln's Gettysburg address; Senator R. R. Butler, address on Abraham Lincoln; Mrs. Gordon McCracken address; reading of letters and telegrams; toastmaster; Guy Gordon and Dr. J. W. Stewart of Roseburg, remarks; Colonel R. C. Washburn, remarks; Dick Posey of Ashland, original poem. Entire assembly standing, singing America, led by Evangelist Brown.

Senator Butler's Address  
Senator Butler in his address held his audience spellbound with his inspired and profound utterances, at various times arousing healthy applause by his eloquent perorations. So profound was the impression he made that when he closed his oratorical effort after having talked about forty minutes his listeners could hardly believe they had listened to an unusually interesting long address.

In his opening remarks Senator Butler declared that the United States is the richest, most powerful, progressive and one of the most intellectually advanced peoples of the world, and dilated on the resources and blessings and present, he said.

The speaker gradually portrayed the great past Abraham Lincoln had taken in solidifying the nation by his deeds, principles and advocacy of justice and liberty, and declared that his useful life and powerful teachings were still living on, guiding his country's movements, a result of which his name and memory was honored all throughout America yesterday and last night.

In all history Lincoln represented the ideal in character and public wisdom, the speaker pointed out. In every great crisis in the history of mankind there always arises some man from the people to meet it and lead the people out of war and discord to better things. Such a man was Abraham Lincoln, coming from a humble origin in life during the great civil war crisis—a man of heroic mold and a typical American. In this crisis he won undying fame, and a revered and influential memory.

In closing, Senator Butler said that our Lincoln Day gatherings throughout the country will be in vain unless we got the inspiration from the life of Lincoln, the great preserver who left priceless ideals

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## BELLEVUE CLUB TO PRESENT A COMEDY

### Three Acts of Laughter is Promised by Members of Community Club

The Upper Valley Community Club presents "Cyclone Sally," an uproarious comedy in three acts. At the Community House in Bellview two night, Thursday and Friday at eight o'clock. Program, music.

Cast of characters:  
Jack Webster, owner of Webster Estate, Wilbur Tucker.  
Reggie Manners, a young Englishman an adept at plucking peaches, Henry Homes.  
Jim Jenkins, courted for twenty years, but not yet discouraged, Victor York.  
Willie Clump, Sue Bascom's beau and the world's eight wonder, Edwin Dunn.  
Sally Graham, "Cyclone Sally", Mrs. Wallace Reader.  
Jenny Thatcher, forty, and the object of Jim's persistence, Mrs. Dave McKinney.  
Ruth Thatcher, niece of Jenny's, and a peach Reggie would like to pick, Mrs. Edwin Dunn.  
Effie Varden, a cute little neighbor, Mrs. W. C. Elam.  
Vivian Vernon, the belle of Cedar Point, Ruth Newbery.  
Scene, living room on the Webster Estate near the town of Cedar Point.

Time, the present, early fall. Music, dancing free, followed by lunch after the program.

## Y M C A Men Hold Out Side Meeting

Members of the Employed Boys Club, the H-Y club and Normal students under the leadership of C. N. Gillmore and W. P. Walter, drove to Wagner Creek district last evening where they conducted services in the school house for some thirty people of that district. The services were held under the auspices of the Ashland Y. M. C. A., and were enjoyed by those present, and the group was asked to hold services in two weeks, according to those who made the trip. Hugh Gillmore of the Employed Boys' club, sang a solo, Gordon Claycomb of the H-Y played a piano solo and James Nutter, H-Y president, read the scripture. The address of the evening was given by W. P. Walter, and C. N. Gillmore led the singing. Aubrey Haan was pianist for the evening and was accompanied by Melvin Kyner on the clarinet and Clarence Haan on the cornet.

## Old Resident Dies Saturday

James Edwin Barrett, aged 60 years, passed away at the Community hospital in this city, Saturday, Feb. 12. Mr. Barrett has been a resident of Ashland for the past 35 years, being a passenger brakeman on the Southern Pacific lines.

The deceased is survived by his wife and one son, who resides at Albany, Oregon. Funeral services will be held from the J. P. Dodge & Sons Chapel, Wednesday at 2 p. m., with interment in the Mountain View cemetery.

## GERMAN COMPILES BOOK ON ADVERTISING ART

BERLIN, (UUP)—A new book on German advertising art, compiled by Dr. Walter F. Schubert, is attracting widespread attention among critics and advertising experts.

America's belief that European advertising methods enjoy unchallenged superiority is likely to receive a surprise from this volume. Originality and artistry abound throughout the text and 500 illustrations, showing how modern German art has been harnessed to the cart of commerce and industry. The "chocolate-box" style of advertising is conspicuously absent from this book, which tries to gain its effects by sheer force of artistic mastery.

E. N. Vilm, a resident of Medford, was a business visitor in this city this morning.

## CHARGES MADE BY DEPOSITORS AGAINST STATE BANKING DEPT.

### Audit Claims No Trace Can Be Found of Thousands of Dollars

#### BOOKS IN BAD SHAPE

Claim That State Superintendent Has Not Explained as he Promised

THE DALLES, Feb. 14.—Charging that the state banking department be held to account for thousands of dollars of depositor's money which is in the liquidation proceedings of French & Company, an insolvent bank was stated in an audit which was prepared for the depositors and filed with the county clerk here today.

The books of liquidation are in a "deplorable" condition, while more than \$30,000 coming into the hands of the deputy superintendent of banking cannot be traced in the assets of the depositors, according to the audit.

The report was placed in the hands of Frank C. Bramwell, state superintendent of banking, several weeks ago and Bramwell promised to explain but made no attempt to help reveal the true state of affairs, the committee of depositors charges.

## GOOD MAIL SERVICE WILL BE PROVIDED

### Congressman Hawley Makes Inquiry as to Plans for New Cut Off

G. F. Billings is in receipt of a letter from Congressman W. O. Hawley in which he says that he has already taken up the matter of good mail service between Eugene and Weed whenever there is through service over the Natron Cut Off. He enclosed a letter from Mr. A. A. Fisher, General Supt. Railway Mail Service assuring that this section should have ample postal service.

Hon. Willis C. Hawley, House of Representatives.  
My dear Mr. Hawley:  
I have your letter of February 4, in which you inquire as to what arrangements for mail service have been made over the line of the Southern Pacific between Eugene and Weed, via Ashland, Ore. The importance of the offices and communities served over the old main line of the Southern Pacific is such that no doubt the railroad company will provide ample train service to serve these communities, and you may be assured that this service will use such trains as may be provided to the full extent necessary to furnish ample postal service for these communities.

We have not as yet received the new schedule covering the operation of trains to be effective when the through trains are routed over the Natron cut off. The field officers have been instructed to report as soon as these schedules are received and submit recommendation for such service as may be necessary.

Your interest in this matter is appreciated and I assure you that the interests of the people in that locality will not suffer on account of inadequate postal facilities.

Sincerely yours,  
A. A. FISHER,  
General Superintendent

## HOT WATER BOTTLES USED BY CHINESE IN THEATRES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—(UUP)—A new use for hot water bottles has been found by Chinese. They utilize these appliances to warm themselves in unheated theatres.

The Chinese theatregoer, according to reports to the Department of Commerce, carries a bottle in a hand muff when he attends a play, which often lasts for six hours. The smaller sizes of these appliances are purchased in considerable quantity for this purpose.

## Work Appreciated

The success of others is the best recommendation that can be given a community. The Tidings in a series of articles prepared by A. C. Joy, well known Ashland farmer, under the caption of "Ashland Agrees," has set forth some of the advantages that this community has to offer, by giving the results that others have experienced on the rich soil that adjoins this city. Every day last week from one to three and sometimes four letters came into the Tidings office, many from outside the state requesting copies of these articles, and today the State Chamber of Commerce has officially recognized the work the Tidings is attempting, as is evidenced by the following letter.

Ashland Tidings,  
Ashland, Oregon,  
Gentlemen:

We are very much interested in the story in your issue of February 4th, regarding the poultry farm of Mr. Elmer Morrison. Am going to have this story mimeographed and send it out with my literature.

Actual stories of this kind from successful farmers in the different districts of Oregon are very effective advertising and I think every community could adopt this plan with great benefits to themselves.

Yours very truly,  
W. G. IDE,  
Manager.

## MANY JACKSON COUNTY FOLKS AT SALEM THE LAST FEW DAYS

Absence From City of Clyde Malone Halts Forum Plans  
Due to the fact that Major Clyde A. Malone was called north on important army matters, the chamber of commerce luncheon scheduled for tomorrow noon at the Lithia Springs hotel, has been postponed for a week. It was announced this morning by President O. F. Carson.

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## HARMONY PREVAILS

### Jackson County Members Doing Much to Foster Cooperative Spirit Here

By J. H. Fuller, Secretary  
During the past week a considerable delegation of Jackson county people were in evidence at the capitol. Among these were Mayor Allendorff, Olen Arnsperger, Ralph Cowgill, P. J. Neff, and O. C. Boggs of Medford, President J. A. Churchill of Ashland was at the State House one day and received the greetings of numerous members of the legislature and state officials.

While some important measures have already become laws with the passage through the House and Senate and signature by the governor, the main legislation will come out of committees, and be acted upon during the final days of the session. It is not impossible that large appropriation measures for public institutions may suffer. If any receive favorable action, we are confident that Ashland Normal will be in the list.

## NEW BILL UP FOR LIQUOR MANUFACTURE

### Ways and Means Committee Would Issue Special Permits

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—A revised bill for the manufacture and the distribution of medical whiskey was reported favorably to the house today by the Ways and Means committee measure, which abandons the plan as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrew P. Dodge & Sons chapel, with interment in the Mountain View cemetery.

From Talent —  
E. E. Cook of Talent was in Ashland this morning shopping and looking after business affairs.

## What This Country Needs is a Little Cooperation



## CHAMBER LUNCHEON TUESDAY POSTPONED

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## CENTRAL COUNCIL Y MET SATURDAY NIGHT

### Forty-Five Members Present, Ideals of Lincoln

Closer adherence to the great ideals in the life of Abraham Lincoln was urged Saturday night at the Y. M. C. A. Pioneer round-up by Rev. Pemberton, who spoke on the life of Lincoln. Forty-five Pioneers and their leaders were present at the dinner and round-up which was given by the Central Council of Pioneer clubs of the city. Members of the Pioneer clubs met in Pioneer hall earlier in the day and decorated the hall and set tables for the evening event which proved to be a success, according to those present.

Following the address on Lincoln, the boys were led in singing by C. V. Howell and D. M. Spencer. This was followed by a short business after which some games and stunts were enjoyed by all. "This is just the start of a regular monthly round up to be held by the Pioneers. Each round up will center around some day or date of interest and speakers will be brought in to instill higher ideals in the lives of each boy," Secretary Walter stated.

## CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR HAVE RALLY DINNER

Paul Brown, Pacific Coast Secretary Will be Main Speaker  
The Crater Lake Union of Christian Endeavor will have a Rally Dinner at the Congregational church Tuesday evening at 6:30. Mr. Paul Brown of San Francisco, Pacific Coast Secretary of Christian Endeavor is to be the principle speaker. There will be members present from Grants Pass, Medford, Phoenix, Klamath Falls, and other out side points as well as from the Christian, Presbyterian and Congregational societies of Ashland.

## Local Boy Handles \$1,000,000 Deal

Of more than ordinary interest to local people was the two million dollars real estate deal consummated in Portland last week, when L. B. Menefee, prominent Oregon lumberman, purchased the entire Ladd estate with the exception of the Oregon Iron & Steel company. This deal, one of the largest in the history of Portland, was handled by A. M. Beaver, Jr., former Ashland boy and son of A. M. Beaver, Real Estate dealer here.

Mr. Beaver is well known in Ashland having been associated with his father for some time, and before entering the real estate business in Portland spent several years at district salesman for the Oldsmobile automobile company. This is his second year in this line of business, and he has already successfully established himself as a leader in Portland realty circles.

Perry Norton of Hill, Cal., spent the week-end in this city visiting with friends.

Wm. E. Johnson of Pasadena, Cal., spent the week-end in this city looking after business affairs.

## LEGISLATURE OPENS UP ON LAST WEEK OF THE SESSION

House Has Fifty Bills That Are up for Final Passage  
SALEM, Feb. 14.—The Oregon legislature opened for its final week of the normal session today with indications that it will not be necessary to go beyond the usual 40 days.

As the house and the senate met today the senate had 18 house bills and the same number of senate bills at the head of the Senate for consideration. The 150 house bills and 9 senate bills up for final passage.

## APPOINT COMMISSION

Senate Passes Bill Making Office of Public Service Commission Appointive  
SALEM, Feb. 14.—The senate passed a bill providing that the members of the Public Service commission be appointed by the governor instead of an elective.

## REVOLVING FUND

It also passed a bill repealing the Emergency act and gave a revolving fund of \$100,000 to the board of Control to be used in case of emergency.

## CHAMPIONSHIP GAME HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

### Medford and Ashland High Schools to Start Series at Junior High

The first of a series of games that will decide the championship of Southern Oregon high school basketball will be played Friday night when the Ashland high school basketball team will meet the Medford high school on the Junior high floor here. Medford and Ashland, always bitter enemies in any athletic contest will be more on edge than usual this year because the winner of this series will represent the southwest district in the state tournament at Salem.

Ashland's stock was raised considerably on the basketball market when Roy Abbott, and Wayne Hill, star guards for the locals, had sufficiently recovered from their recent illness to be in school this morning, and with these two back Coach Cripe has outlined an intensive week of practice, that will put the locals in shape to uphold the honor of the local school in the series.

Principal of the high school, Forsythe, who has attended several games that Medford has participated in, predicted this morning that more basketball will be displayed when the two teams meet Friday than has been seen in Ashland for many a day, and further more that while the Medford team is a fast organization, the locals have an excellent opportunity to hang their scalps on the honor roll of this year's athletics.

In a telephone conversation with Medford this morning, school authorities learned that the neighboring city is desirous of securing as many tickets as will be possible for this game, and while local fans will be given every opportunity to purchase tickets, any that are left unsold will be turned over to the visitors. Seats will be placed on sale at The Rose.

## AGED RESIDENT PASSES

J. E. Spindler, aged 65, brother-in-law of Mrs. F. G. Swandberg, passed away last evening at the Community hospital in this city, after an illness of several years.

Mrs. Spindler will accompany the remains to Whitlock, Wash., this evening, where the deceased will be buried.