

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

WEDNESDAY'S NEWS

Mrs. C. L. Kelton, who had been visiting with friends in Ashland for several days, left last night for her home in Oakland, Calif. She was accompanied home by her son, Cecil Rouse.

A. C. Joy is engaged at present in moving his house to his newly purchased tract, known as the Caldwell property, across the street from where it formerly stood. This new location will furnish a much more desirable home site.

A. C. Gunn, a mail clerk, who has been located in Ashland for the past two years running between here and Gerber, has been transferred to a run out of San Francisco, and leaves tonight for his new appointment.

Miss Helen Walker, who has been very ill with pneumonia for the past month, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Jessie M. Cooke, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Teeters, is in Ashland where she came to assist them in making their winter migration to Southern California. She will go to Medford to locate as soon as she gets affairs straightened out here.

L. W. Smith of Kansas City, Mo., has arrived in Ashland and will spend the winter here with his daughter, Mrs. Isaac Crisp.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Teeters have gone to San Jose, Calif., where they will spend the coming winter months.

Friends of Mrs. M. M. Stannard, who went to Berkeley this fall with her son and daughter, have received word from her that she and Miss Amy are moving to San Francisco to live.

Isaac Crisp has returned from Elma, Washington, where he had been spending Thanksgiving with his parents.

J. H. Hardy has accepted a position in the First National Bank starting with his new occupation Monday. Business in that institution has increased to such an extent to require the services of a man of Mr. Hardy's efficiency for some months, and the bank considers it fortunate to be able to secure him. It is understood that he will be made a part of the official staff in a short time.

At the special election held last Saturday in road district No. 1, a two mill tax was voted upon all taxable property for the benefit of the roads in the district. This will provide a fund of between \$4000 and \$7000, which will be matched by a like sum by the county. It is expected that \$5000 of this fund will be used to improve the roads south of the Pacific highway, and the balance on the Dead Indian road and roads north of the Pacific highway.

J. M. Miller has moved into the Badger property on Bush street, recently occupied by E. E. Cadwell and family.

Orra Angle has purchased the Laura A. (High) Nichols house on Fork street. He and his father are occupying this residence at present.

Mrs. R. L. Parker, who accompanied Mrs. Joseph Ogler to Ashland from Oakland when the latter brought the remains of her husband here for burial, returned to her home last evening.

E. D. and W. M. Briggs represented the local Rod and Gun club of Ashland at a meeting held in Medford Sunday which was addressed by Dr. A. K. Downing of Portland, president of the Oregon Sportsmen's League.

Married at Jacksonville  
Miss Marie Good and Russell Miller, both well known and popular young people of Ashland, were quietly married at Jacksonville last Saturday. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Good of H street, while the groom is in the employ of the Southern Pacific company in the local car shops. They will reside in Ashland.

**WAR MOTHERS TO PLANT THOUSANDS OF TREES**  
WASHINGTON—The War Mothers in co-operation with the American Forestry association, which is registering all memorial trees in a national honor roll, have completed plans for the biggest memorial tree planting program ever undertaken in the United States.  
The Service Star Legion of which Mrs. Robert Carlton Morris of Toledo is the national president, is now planning for the planting of thousands of memorial trees through every chapter in the country.  
This is the organization made up of 11 organizations of women relatives of men in the world war.

**THURSDAY'S NEWS**  
Phillip Amer, a former well known citizen of Ashland and member of the police force, is back from Portland where he had been living for the past year or so. Several weeks ago Mr. Amer was injured on a railroad where he was employed

and was confined to a hospital for a long time with a bad attack of blood poisoning, and still is quite lame. He may spend the winter in Ashland.

Mrs. L. Gartner has just returned from the city where she had been purchasing her Christmas stock of merchandise.

Mrs. Tom Hill was a Medford visitor Tuesday, calling on her aunt, Mrs. Jones.

Mrs. D. D. Edwards, wife of the pastor of the Nazarene church, is reported ill at her home on C street.

Willis Bailey and wife of Bard, Calif., are in Ashland this week visiting at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Ed Flackus. Mr. Bailey is a former well known Ashland young man and is a graduate of the high school here. He later went to Corvallis and took a course at the O. A. C., after which he accepted a position in Arizona as county farm agent. For the past year or so he has been connected with a government irrigation project at Yuma, Arizona.

Mrs. Letta and daughter, who have been guests of the former's sister, Mrs. E. H. Warner, at her home on Granite street for several weeks, leave today for Long Beach and other points in California where they will spend the winter.

Lee Caldwell, champion bucking horse rider of the world, was an Ashland visitor Saturday to Monday. He was on his way north to Pendleton.

Valley Trambatis, light weight champion of Portland, stopped in Ashland yesterday on his way from San Francisco. He has a bout staged in Portland for next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Everton were Grants Pass visitors yesterday.

Mrs. Julia Hockett and children left last night for Denver, Colo., where on account of the health of the former's father, E. E. Cadwell they will remain indefinitely. It was hoped that Mr. Cadwell would be able to return to the western coast but his condition is such that his family is urged for him to attempt the trip. Mrs. Hockett hopes to return at the earliest possible time.

The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co. distributed new telephone directories around the city yesterday afternoon. The new edition is condensed and conveniently arranged for the use of the subscribers.

L. Shoemaker of Talent was an Ashland visitor this afternoon. Mr. Shoemaker has taken over the barber shop in Talent from A. F. McMahon and is conducting a modern and up to date establishment there.

Mrs. John Hickey of Dunsuir is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Ruger.

The sixth decennial census, taken in 1840, was the first one to cover agriculture statistics, now one of the most important parts of the entire census.

While a stereopticon lecture was being delivered by Rev. J. W. Hoyt in the school house at Phoenix Monday night, the latter had the auto blanket stolen from his car. Another blanket belonging to Mrs. Otto Kester was stolen at the same time.

**FRIDAY'S NEWS**  
The Ashland Laundry has received a fine new delivery wagon which is seen upon the street today for the first time, and will be employed in the collection and delivery of their work.

G. H. Yeo is expecting to occupy the Harvey house on Oak street in which Mayor C. B. Lamkin resides as soon as the present occupant moves into the residence he has lately purchased on Bush street.

A burning fire in the house of J. M. Beaver on Henry street yesterday afternoon called out the fire department. No damage was done the property.

Miss Vera Mosier left last night for Los Angeles where she will spend several weeks.

Charles G. Millett arrived Wednesday evening from Fossil, Oregon, to spend the winter with his son, Claude Millett of 321 North Main street.

J. L. Harner is moving this week into the residence he recently purchased on Almond street.

Mrs. Klemmer, who has been a guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. G. H. Ketchum, for the past week, left today for her home in McCloud.

Earl Bates, who has been serving as substitute mail clerk for the men from this section for the past six months, has been transferred to Dunsuir, and left this week to fill a like position there.

Miss Mary Young is back to Ashland from Boston where she had been attending the national missionary convention. It was her intention to leave from the eastern coast for India where she is going to enter a school of the Methodist denomination as a teacher of music, but she found that she could sail from the

Pacific coast after going east, so she had the pleasure of returning to Ashland once more. Miss Young will sail either from Seattle or Vancouver and will remain here until the last of next week, and will start on her long journey the first of the week following.

Ben Goldstein of Sacramento was in Ashland today calling on friends.

Many people read with interest the beautiful printed sheets of the "Wayside Pulpit," posted weekly on the front of the First Methodist church with their wonderful writing to stimulate religion, patriotism and idealism.

The midwinter vacation in the city schools will start December 19 and last until January 5. This will give the kiddies two weeks in which to celebrate Christmas and get over it.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lanerman of Medford, parents of Mrs. Leo Ferguson, have come to Ashland to spend the winter.

Foster Jenkins, a lately returned soldier from Siberia who has been spending several weeks here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Jenkins, left last evening for Boulder and Denver, Colo. He will later return to Casper, Wyo., where he has accepted a position with an oil refining company.

A new furnace has been put in the basement of the Archibald building on East Main street occupied by Ferguson's store and the Boot Shop.

Mrs. Bert Harr and son of Applegate are guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Beaver, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Mackey and young son are back from an extended visit with friends in various points of California.

Mrs. C. V. Beeler returned home this week from Portland where she had been making an extended visit. While on her way home she stopped at Albany to visit her sister, Mrs. Baker, who has been seriously ill.

In preparation for the coming building era that is sure to strike Ashland in the near future H. A. Autry has already taken time by the forelock and purchased lots 23 and 24 in the Matthews addition from the Beaver Realty company.

Mrs. R. C. Wiley nee Rose has received a beautifully engraved card announcing the birth of Phil Sheri Dan Rose, Jr., of Monterey, Calif. which makes the thirteenth grandchild she possesses. The new arrival is the last bud on the Rose tree of the third generation.

Miss Lena Nelson, superintendent of the Granite City hospital, returned home yesterday from a visit in Salem.

Interesting evangelistic meetings are being conducted in the Methodist church this week. Rev. C. A. Edwards, the pastor, is assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Johnston, the singing evangelists, and Dr. S. A. Danford, the district superintendent. Next Sunday evening Rev. Dr. Bowen of Portland will preach. These services will continue all next week.

James C. Gibson, who has been spending several years in Yoncalla, has returned to Ashland and is looking for a residence here. Mr. Gibson was a resident of this city for many years and still claims Ashland as home.

Mrs. F. M. Utzman left last evening for her home in Los Angeles after spending several weeks in this city. Mrs. Utzman was called here by the death of her mother, Mrs. A. DePeatt.

Mrs. B. M. Shouby is spending several weeks in San Francisco, visiting with her daughter, Miss Ruth, who holds a position there.

**SATURDAY'S NEWS**  
Harry Hagel and family of Sterling, Colo., are in Ashland with a view to locating in this city.

Z. F. Moody and family left today for The Dalles where they will spend several weeks visiting in that section.

Rev. Dr. Brown of Portland and Rev. E. E. Gilbert of Medford were callers on Rev. C. A. Edwards of the Methodist church in this city during the week.

Word was received in Ashland this week that Mrs. R. J. Edwards of Alhambra, Calif., had had the misfortune to break her arm about three weeks ago, and that it is not getting along as well as hoped for. Mrs. Edwards was formerly from Ashland and has many friends here who will be sorry to hear of her misfortune.

Mrs. W. G. Curry, Miss Florence Niver and Master Billy Wilson went to Medford this morning to spend the day.

H. B. Tinker, with his wife and daughter, of Walla Walla, Wash., is in Ashland this week spending a few days with his brother, W. L. Tinker. Mr. Tinker and family are on their

way to California to spend the winter and will remain here a few days en route.

Rev. J. W. Hoyt has been selected as a delegate to the New Era conference to be held in Portland, December 9. He also will represent Southern Oregon at the inter-church world movement conference which meets in Portland December 10, 11 and 12.

Mrs. E. P. Voruz and daughter, Miss Ruth Voruz, were Medford callers today.

F. D. Swinale expects to leave shortly for California where he hopes a change will be of benefit to his health.

A good representation of music lovers were up from Medford last night to attend the concert given by the American Syncoated Orchestra in the Armory.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Eric Wren Friday, December 5.

Mrs. J. H. Turner is back from a visit to San Francisco where she had spent several weeks.

M. E. Bostough is able to be out again after being laid up with injuries received from the falling of a ladder on which he was standing while working on the cabinet shop belonging to G. P. Damon. Mr. Bostough was badly bruised and shocked by the fall.

Mrs. George Jenkins will leave today for Bisbee, Arizona, where she was summoned by a telegram telling of the serious illness of her son. She expects to be gone for some time.

D. A. Owens of Wimer Cove orchard brought into the Tidings office this forenoon some of the finest specimens of apples seen this year in the valley. The apples in the market at present from Mr. Owens' orchard are Spitzenburg, Baldwin and Newtown. While Mr. Owens' crop of apples this year was light, the exceptional quality and good prices he obtained more than compensated for the lightness of the crop.

**MONDAY'S NEWS**  
P. H. Korvin of Tonopah, Nev., arrived in Ashland this morning to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Dickey for a few days. His wife had preceded him here some time ago.

Mrs. C. H. Hargadine and daughter, Mary Virginia, arrived home Saturday from Santa Monica, Calif., where they had been spending several weeks. They went south with the former's father and sister, J. R. Casey and Miss Helene Casey, and

have left the latter comfortably located for the winter in Santa Monica, very much in love with the summer-like weather of the southland.

The body of J. D. Footitt, who died here Friday evening, was shipped Saturday night for Middletown, Conn., for interment. Mr. Footitt had been living in Ashland since September and had been in failing health ever since. His body was accompanied from here by two sisters who were with him when he died.

Ray Clary, who was so badly hurt at a lumber plant in the north several weeks ago, is still confined to the hospital in Portland, but is regaining in health and expects to be able to come home in about two weeks.

At a business meeting held at the parish house last evening the reports of the first day's canvass of the world-wide campaign in the Episcopal church revealed the sum of \$1496 had been raised in the local church. A fine luncheon was served during the business meeting.

The Ashland Manufacturing company has transferred 3146 acres of land without timber in the Nell Creek district recently to Wolborn Besson, the well known sheep man of Talent. Mr. Besson in turn has sold a part of this tract to Mr. R. Brown, who owns land in the same district.

Mrs. A. L. Irwin left Saturday evening for Santa Cruz, Calif., where she will visit with her daughter.

Mrs. Pruitt of Seattle has been spending the past week as a guest of Mrs. George Dodson.

Tom Roberts, night policeman, is able to be out again after a severe tussle with pleurisy. He does not look as if he would relish a hand-to-hand combat with a desperado, however.

H. S. Hemley, a soldier at the Ashland Iron Works, had his clothing, consisting of a new suit, shirt and all his extra wearing apparel stolen from his room on Fourth street one night recently. The marauder evidently picked the lock during Mr. Hemley's absence and made way with the entire outfit.

Thomas P. Davis, claiming to be a service man, from Company K, 14th infantry, wandered into Ashland last week looking for work. When he was unable to find any he gave himself up to Chief of Police Hatcher, stating that he had deserted from his company. On being notified of the young man's location here Chief Hatcher was instructed to hold the soldier until an escort

was sent to conduct him to the Presidio, Friday night Sergeant Frank R. Bagaria and Private Walter York arrived on train 54 and took their prisoner back on 53 to San Francisco.

Mr. Charles H. Johnson, a representative of a prominent business firm of Philadelphia, and his mother arrived in Ashland Saturday and are guests at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. E. V. Carter on the Boulevard. Mrs. Johnson lives now in Dixon, Ill., and will make an extended visit here. She was a former resident of this city.

Seattle chamber of commerce by referendum of its membership has come out uncompromisingly for the open shop. A "declaration on industrial situation" was adopted by the board of trustees and approved by more than 99 per cent of the membership of the chamber voting in referendum. Immediate cause of adoption of this ringing declaration was radical methods of unions.

The postoffice department expects an unusually large increase in the amount of Christmas business to be handled by the parcel post over former years. Postmaster E. J. Kaiser is busy arranging the program for the Ashland postoffice and Claude E. Slater superintendent of the railway mail service and Chief Clerk John J. Burke were up from San Francisco this week announcing the plans for the dispatch of the mails for the rush.

The large increase in population of Ashland since the armistice was signed as well as the increased prosperity of the people as manifest in every direction is easily recorded in the postoffice which is a barometer in such matters. The heavy mails both coming and going through the Ashland office is keeping the crew busy at work without an idling moment and the real Christmas business has not yet begun in earnest. With the industrial troubles in the larger enterprises which effect the business of the nation in such a wide spread manner the people are taking time by the forelock this year and doing their shopping early. Parcels may be marked "not to be opened until Christmas."

Three thousand recruits are urgently needed at this time for service in the Panama Canal Zone in the infantry, cavalry, field artillery (mountain), coast artillery, engineer corps, medical department and the quartermaster corps. All enlistments for this service are for three years. During the process of the drive for Panamas recruits, recruiting officers are requested to notify this office or the publicity bureau in New York of any unusual or novel means utilized by them to procure applicants, which will be published at once for the benefit of all. An interchange of successful methods of operation during a campaign of the character is encouraged.

The Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company will make refunds to subscribers in accordance with the recent order of the public service commission, which, it is asserted, went beyond the stipulation entered in the proceedings by the attorney for the corporation. Further, the company serves notice that it will, within the statutory limitation, apply for a rehearing on the reasonableness of the rates laid down by the commissioner.

W. J. Phillips, division commercial superintendent, stated yesterday that there will be some delay in rendering the current statements to subscribers, owing to the difficulty in crediting the proper refunds in each case.

Phil Wolcott writes from Mayen, Germany, saying he is well and enjoying life. It will be remembered that he enlisted in the army. Things are cheaper than in the states. It takes thirty marks to buy an American dollar. It costs one and one-half marks (about five cents) for a hair cut. (Ashland barbers please not read.)

Phil belongs to a patriotic family. After the father, two brothers and an uncle had enlisted Phil said, "I am going," and after repeated "turn downs" on account of age, he at last succeeded in "passing muster" and immediately wrote his father, "I'll beat you to France," which he did, twice over. Phil is a generous-hearted lad and his many Ashland friends are glad to know that he is making good.

Congressman Hawley this week introduced a bill asking for \$100,000 for the construction of a public building in Ashland. This bill was introduced in connection with several others which are considered worthy of recognition from the government. Among these are Astoria, \$500,000; Corvallis, \$100,000; Grants Pass, \$100,000; Marshfield, \$100,000; Oregon City, \$150,000. An addition of \$50,000 is also asked for the building in Eugene.

The two-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Wren died Sunday and was buried this afternoon in Mountain View cemetery. The sympathy of his many friends are with Mr. and Mrs. Wren in their bereavement.

PARIS—The Chamber of Deputies of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg has decided to "adopt" Ver-

for **FALL DAYS**

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