

DRIVE STARTS FOR CO. 'Y'

Thirty Ashland men sat down in Chautauqua Pioneer hall last night to partake of a dinner furnished by the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church.

V. O. N. Smith was the presiding officer and stated that it was the plan and purpose to start a campaign in Jackson county to organize and establish a county Y. M. C. A.

Prof. G. A. Briscoe, M. C. Reed, Rev. W. E. Bean, Leslie Butler of Hood River, C. B. Lamkin, Rev. N. W. Phelps of Talent, Homer Billings, John Rigg and John Rudd of Portland, state secretary for county Y. M. C. A. work.

It was decided that teams should start at 10 o'clock Tuesday for a canvass to raise the money to install a county secretary, the amount apportioned to Ashland being \$2000—consequently at that hour ten teams of two men each started to make the campaign.

At noon the entire committee of twenty met to dine at Pioneer Hall and compare results. C. B. Lamkin reported for his team \$477.50 and O. P. Carson reporter \$432.50, a total of \$910.00.

A telephone to Medford brought the information that Medford had beaten us by only \$30, their total being \$940, but as the allotment for Medford is much larger than for Ashland, the Ashland amount is a fine start for the first day.

Those who subscribed up to noon are: C. B. Lamkin, J. E. Fuller, J. W. Milner, M. C. Reed, G. W. Gregg, Eugenia L. Atkinson, Ernest A. Wood, M. D. John H. Rudd, Charles A. Edwards, D. M. Brower, M. D. W. E. Buchanan, Thos. Hill, W. M. Barber, Mrs. H. J. Van Fossen, W. H. Day, F. P. Whittle, C. H. Voppel, Frank J. Shinn, William O. Dickerson, J. P. Dodge, H. J. Enders, Jr., F. H. Walker, R. L. Burdick, J. A. Lockhart, Hazel Powell, Webster Wertz, J. H. Fuller, Briggs & Briggs, B. O. Walstein, B. Walstein, Mr. and Mrs. Weren, Homer H. Elhart, J. O. High, P. K. Hammond, F. H. Johnson, C. F. Koehler, Mr. and Mrs. Heer, Jno. A. Leslie, J. W. McNair, O. F. Carson, Billings Agency, Sam McNair, A. A. Marste, J. E. Angwin, B. E. Finch, H. O. Andrews, L. J. Orres, A. M. Beaver, Carl Darling and E. T. Staples.

Tomorrow's Tidings will contain the additions to this list.

SNEAK THIEVES ROE

The pool room belonging to Dobbin Irwin was broken into last night and a considerable sum of money taken, besides several valuable articles. Entrance was made by prying up the bar over the back door. The screen was also torn from a back window and the sash raised.

IRWIN POOL ROOM

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Honey bees are doing their best to relieve the teacher shortage by helping out instruction work at O. A. C. under the direction of H. A. Scullen, formerly federal bee specialist for the northwest. The work is given for the benefit of students who want to learn how to handle bees so bad that they are willing to take a chance at not close an acquaintance. The bees are especially effective in dismissing classes.

FRANCE TO PAY LARGE INTEREST ON HER RECENT LOANS

PARIS, Oct. 21.—The French press, commenting on the \$100,000,000 loan which has just been made by a syndicate of American bankers at France, endeavors to reassure the general public which has been somewhat alarmed at the rate of interest. Taking into account all charges and premiums, they figure the interest to amount to 9.42 per cent. It is explained that this rate is by no means unreasonable when compared with the interest charged to both Belgium and Switzerland in its recent loans made by America.

The French newspapers say the American nation, as represented by its government and congress, has shown itself to be far more generous than the American bankers, as no demand has yet been made for one cent of interest on the state loans advanced to France by the United States during the war.

ASHLAND HIGH ELEVEN BEATS GRANTS PASS

Ashland high school ran up a good score of 46 to 0 against Grants Pass in Saturday's game. Though outweighed about ten pounds per man the Ashland team easily ran away from the Pass team and put touchdowns over with ease. At no time was Grants Pass within scoring distance and only three times did they make their first downs. The clean physical condition of the Ashland boys was very noticeable. Though time was called out repeatedly for the visitors, only twice did the Ashland boys call for time.

The game started with Ashland kicking up hill. The ball rolled over the goal line and would have been a touch back and put in play on the 29-yard line, but the Pass half, who received, tried to carry it yard and was downed on the ten yard line. The Grants Pass team was compelled to punt and recovered on a blocked punt. The second punt was more successful and Ashland received on the 60-yard line, then started to make good yardage. Through to make mass play the Ashland team lost on down under the shadow of the visitors' goal. On a fumble which followed, Brower, Ashland's end, recovered and ran over for the first touch down. Cochran kicked goal. Score 7 to 0.

In the remainder of the quarter, on a series of line bucks and short end runs, the ball was put across again. The score at the end of the quarter was 14 to 0. The second quarter was much the same as the latter part of the first. Grants Pass, being unable to advance the ball, had to kick, then Ashland in old fashioned line plunging carried it for the third touchdown. At the end of the half the score stood 20 to 0.

Both teams came back strong in the second half, but Ashland had the ball most of the time and started to open up on some long end runs and a few passes. As a result the Grants Pass team was at a loss to know what to do. Two more touchdowns were made this third quarter, making a total count of 34 to 0. In the last quarter some changes were made in the Ashland lineup, but it did not weaken. Two more times this last quarter the ball was carried over, making the final score of 46 to 0.

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Honor Given to Rev. Jason Lee

Rev. Jason Lee, father of American Oregon.—Scott. It is 80 years ago since Rev. Jason Lee piloted the Laussanne into the Columbia river with a cargo of religion and patriotism. Six years previous, Mr. Lee had crossed the Rocky mountains and settled in the Willamette valley near Salem. First he came as a missionary. The second time he came as a colonizer to make Oregon American.

When he returned to the United States in March of 1838, he carried a petition to congress signed by 22 Americans and 9 French Canadians. This petition was presented to the senate January 28, 1839. This was the first attempt ever made to make Oregon American.

So favorably did Mr. Lee impress congress that through the secret service fund he received \$5000 to assist him in making up his reinforcement company. Crowds thronged to hear this pioneer missionary from beyond the Rocky mountains, also to see the converted Indian who accompanied him. At Alton, Ill., he created great enthusiasm. The next day the Alton Telegraph said: "Citizens of the West! Will you tamely consent that Oregon, one of the loveliest regions that nature ever bestowed upon man, shall become a powerful country in the hands of England? If Oregon goes from us, the honor of the United States goes with it. No, never, never will we yield!"

Today is Methodist day in Oregon. A life-size painting of Rev. Jason Lee was unveiled at the capitol building in Salem, and the Methodist ministers from Oregon and Washington gathered for the occasion. Bishop Shepard presented the painting, and Governor Olcott received it in the name of the state. The picture will be placed behind the speaker's chair in the house of representatives and will match the picture of John McLaughlin, behind the speaker's chair in the senate chamber; thus honoring the two men who had so much to do with making Oregon American.

Rev. Dr. S. A. Danford, district superintendent of the Southern District, and Rev. Charles A. Edwards left last evening to participate in this important event. A week ago Mr. Edwards gave a series of pictures on the screen, showing the early days of Oregon.

TO KILL THE LADY KILLERS

An exhibit of "lady killers," the kind found in too many homes, is being put on in different parts of the State of Washington by the Washington State College extension department and the United States department of agriculture. The attendance wherever the exhibit has been held has been in the hundreds, both men and women finding much of interest.

Among the "lady killers" are found the washboard, the sad iron, the scrub brush, the water pail, the short handed dust pan, the etc., and a number of implements with which many women are obliged to do their work. To offset the "lady killers" was another exhibit of ways and means of lightening work in the home. In this were included "kitchen lifts"—a type of tea wagon—refrigerators, washing machines, plans for simple water systems, tireless cookers, fruit and vegetable driers, oil stoves, portable gas makers and hydraulic rams. Several manufacturers showed light and power plants suitable for farm homes at the same exhibit. Small conveniences costing anywhere from 5 to 25 cents were also displayed. Getting more conveniences for doing work into the home is the aim of every home demonstration agent. Last year, through their advice and by their aid, thousands of labor-saving devices and conveniences were installed in country homes, thereby lessening the house-wife's work and increasing her efficiency, comfort, and enjoyment of life.

THE AUTO HOBBO

Barring the trouble created by the gasoline shortage, there is no mode of life as wholly delightful as that of the auto hobo careening his movable home through the mountains, valleys and deserts of the West during the warm days and cool nights of the long, rainless season. Best of all, he is sure of a hearty welcome wherever he rolls. Throughout the Far West the motor camps are the object of loving solicitude. Towns vie with one another in their offers of hospitality.

It is good to own and ride in a limousine, but for the open road give us the open car, the open sky and the open air.—November Sunset.

MRS. EDSON TALKS TO REPUBLICANS

There are many better understanding voters in Ashland—those hearing the address given by Mrs. Edson, the member of the republican national committee who spoke at the Chautauqua Pioneer hall yesterday afternoon, and consequently better citizens, especially among the women voters to whom politics has only begun to be a vital question since suffrage has awakened their deeper interests. Mrs. Edson impressed her hearers with her extreme earnestness in politics. She did not take up her time with witty stories, but struck at the heart of the questions which she is explaining to the public and gave a plain, concise exposition of the vital political questions as they appear to her.

Previous to the public address Mrs. Edson was entertained at a luncheon in the Hotel Austin by a company of republican women. Thirty-two sat down at the table and after the luncheon, Mrs. E. D. Wagner as toastmaster, introduced the honor guest. Mrs. Edson gave a most entertaining description of her breakfasting with the Harding family at their home in Marion, Ohio, which she described as a plain American family, "serving just the sort of a breakfast any of us would. She was followed by Mrs. H. C. Galby, Mrs. W. M. Poloy and Mrs. Louis Dodge. The latter gave a toast to E. V. Carter, republican candidate for representative to the legislature. As it happened, Mr. Carter was taking his luncheon in the Austin dining room at the time, and proved that the old adage, "Listeners never hear any good of themselves," was not true. The Ashland candidate was then besieged by the guests to respond, which he did by toasting the candidacy of R. N. Stanfield, for United States Senator.

The luncheon consumed considerable time, and it was close to 1 o'clock when the public address was given in Chautauqua Pioneer hall. The room was filled, however, with an enthusiastic audience, who listened attentively to the address given by Mrs. Edson. Mrs. N. G. Bates and Mrs. J. Henry Provost led in singing some of the new campaign songs, which made a great hit with the Ashland republican boosters.

THAT AWFUL HANG

ON THE FALL GOWNS JUST A FASHION FREAK By "Marjorie." (Written for United Press)—NEW YORK—Oct. 18—Millady of fashion is not on the level. At least, her clothes are not, for as the season advances the tendency to lop-sidelines is more and more marked. Nor is this "up-and-down-again" movement confined to the skirt items that would be described by the rural dressmaker as "hanging awful." The craze for irregular, spasmodic lines is shown in draperies, panelings, the way a button snap fastens, irregular length in sleeves or shoulder traps, and graduated handings and applied trimmings.

The "awful hanging" hems are seen in gowns, suits and even in coats. In dresses the effect is often shown by a bead or yarn fringe that is set higher upon the body of the gown on one side than the other, and thus makes the skirt length an inch or so longer on one side than on another. Fringed hem finishings, by the way, are a popular novelty of the season. Monkey fur is by far the favored fringe material, as bead fringes are too apt to be caught by the shoe and broken. Fringe is not often seen upon coats, but an irregular hem line is given either by the natural cut of the garment or by having the buttons set an inch or so above the corresponding buttonholes.

Panelings are very useful in giving a broken skirt silhouette. Thus, a leading Fifth Avenue house shows a street gown fashioned of rich bottle green ducky. The basque front is puckered about a white satin vestee. Mrs. Sarah Alice McCune, wife of J. N. McCune, died at 6 o'clock this morning at the age of 81 years. Mrs. McCune had been in fairly good health until yesterday, when, she was taken sick and death resulted after an illness of only a few hours' duration. The deceased was a former resident of Tillamook, but had lived in Ashland for several years. She is survived by her husband, one son, Carl McCune of this city, and a daughter living in California. No funeral arrangements have been announced yet, as word is being awaited from relatives from a distance.

Mrs. J. F. Melkie of Berkeley is a guest of old-time friends in Ashland this week. Mrs. Melkie was a former well known resident of this city, and her presence here is always hailed with delight by her many acquaintances.

Ashland Boy Has Leading Part in College Play

Word has been received here that Clarence E. Hedburg, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hedburg, has been chosen leading man in the annual play given by the "Mask and Dagger," the literary club at O. A. C. He is to take the part of Col. Smith in the play "Green Stockings."

Ten new members were added to the "Mask and Dagger" this fall—the ten being picked from the seventy odd students who tried out. Elwood being foremost among these ten.

It will be remembered that Ole, as he is familiarly known here, took the part of the Toreador in Carmen, given by Ashland High school in 1916, the play being one of the most successful ever given by local talent. Perhaps in future years Ashland may proudly claim to be the home of one of the leading actors of the country.

Jackson Co. Has 3,588 Automobiles

Automobile registrations in Oregon, according to the report prepared by Sam A. Koser, secretary of state, during the period of January 1 to September 29, 1920, total 99,998. Total number of motorcycles registered are 3,439; chauffeurs, 3,020; dealers, 759; and operators, 127,987. The approximate fees received for licenses came to \$2,957,211.

Jackson county has the sixth highest number of automobiles in the state, having 3,588. This county has 63 motorcycles, 198 chauffeurs, 24 dealers, 4,738 operators, and received \$68,887 in fees. Multnomah county leads with 32,926 automobiles, Marion has 6,595, Umatilla 4,652, Lane 4,498 and Clackamas 4,178.

The Social Realm

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D. M. Low was a visitor at the Chamber of Commerce room yesterday with some splendid specimens of three varieties of field corn. Proper selection of seed is one of the most vital factors in raising this crop.

Two Men Drown In Rogue River.

Aaron Payne, 40 years old, and his nephew, Johnnie Payne, 15 years old, both of Sams valley, were drowned in Rogue River Sunday evening when the boat in which they were fishing capsized. The accident occurred at the mouth of Sams creek on Rogue river near Sprague Reigel's place. A party searched the river during the night without success, but about 3 o'clock Monday morning both bodies were found about 20 feet apart only a short distance from where they went down. It is supposed the boat in which they were rowing on the river capsized.

Miss Kopp is busy instructing pupils in debate and arranging for tryouts for the teams that will represent Ashland High school in the state debating league. At the present time a large number are offering themselves for the preliminary work. From this large number it may be expected that capable teams will represent the Red and White in the contest for the district champions of Southern Oregon.

The team winning the championship of each district will go to Eugene some time in the spring to contest with other district winning teams for the state championship of debate. The United States civil service commission announces a postoffice clerk-carrier examination, to be held on November 12, 1920, for the purpose of establishing an eligible register from which selections may be made to fill vacancies as they may occur in the position of clerk and carrier, postoffice service, Ashland, Oregon; salary \$1,400 per annum. For further information apply to Donald M. S. Cooper at the local postoffice.

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