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"KEEPING THE FAITH"

(From Pacific Legion)

The American Legion is keeping faith with those that died during the war by taking care of the disabled veterans and by taking care of the widows and orphans, by upbuilding playgrounds for the children, and by seeing to their education.

gon, a few short weeks ago.

The proof may be found in every part of the state. There is not a community that has not witnessed the helping hand of the federal government extended to the disabled veteran and his dependants, if entitled to aid. In Oregon alone a hundred thousand dollars a month is paid in compensation for war disabilities, and five hospitals in the Portland radius have their quotas of beds filled with sick veterans.

All this is done by one agency, the Veterans Bureau, a creation of the American Legion.

The widows and children of the dead, and of incompetents, have their benefits paid and their rights protected of the Legion.

In this issue are fifteen reports of Legion state department officers and committeemen that are heartening to read. From each of the several districts of Oregon, came a most encouraging account of what the Legion has done in the past year in keeping alight the altar fires of patriotism, caring for the disabled and the helpless, doing good for the community for its own sake.

Each of the dozen activities laid out for accomplishment in the year has received attention in some degree, varying with the necessities and the means at hand. Distributed as they are throughout the state, the sum total of these Legion accomplishments is great, and beneficial in large degree, and pleasing to the public.

The power of the Legion in national affairs, especially in congressional legislation, was manifested this year to the fullest extent.

For the second time in its history the influence of the Legion enacted a law over the veto of the President of the United States, and happily with his approval, obtained the enactment of other far-reaching laws to benefit untold numbers of veterans and their families.

The American Legion of Oregon is preparing to convene in Medford next month. There the responsible officials and representatives from all the organizations in the state will assemble and give an accounting of their stewardship in the past year. It is a splendid accounting.

The Legion is "keeping the faith"-and how!

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CAN THE LEOPARD CHANGE HIS SPOTS?

Al Smith, democratic nominee for president, has a record in the New York legislature that certainly should meet with the approval of the "wet" element of the na-

1904 voted to weaken the town local option bill against hotel bars.

1905 voted for several amendments to destroy Wain-

1906 voted for amendments to kill local option bill. 1908 voted to bring saloons nearer to churches and schools.

1909 offered bill to allow saloons nearer than 200 feet to a church, to increase hours saloons could keep open.

1913 voted to increase hours of saloons and the Mc-Cue bill to hinder conviction of violators.

As late as 1923, the New York Times reported him as saying "I will be glad to go down and help him (Senator

Edge of New Jersey) put over his bill if that will get us So declared National Commander Spafford, in Ore- somewhere where we can put a foot on a brass rail again and blow off the froth."

This is the record of the man that would be president of the United States. -000-

Business conditions are good in Eastern Clackamas county, as indicated by the financial statements of the Sandy and Estacada banks. Each shows a substantial increase in deposits over the statements of a year ago, and he Clackamas County Bank of Sandy shows a considerable increase in deposits since the last financial statement made three months ago.

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The agitation over the \$3 auto license fee measure, by laws enacted by the American Legion. So much for it appears, was of little consequence, after all. The people government aid, under the sponsorship and watchful eye of Oregon like good roads too well to cut off the funds hat are making them possible.



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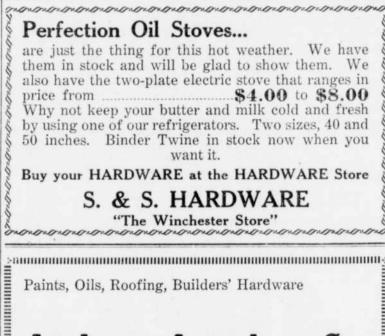
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Sunday and Monday, July 15 and 16-

The Super-Spectacle of the Ages-

"MOON OF ISRAEL" Starring Maria Corda and Arlette Marchal with a cast of 50,000. Also news reel and Krazy Kat.

Wednesday and Thursday, July 18 and 19-

Columbia Pictures presents Hobart Bosworth in "THE BLOOD SHIP"

With Jacqueline Logan and Richard Arlen. A big thrilling sea drama, one of the golden dozen. Comedy, "Uncle Tom's Uncle."

Friday and Saturday, July 20 and 21-

"THE CRUISE OF THE HELLION"

With Tom Santchi, Edna Murphy, Donald Keith and Sheldon Lewis. Comedy, "Oh Winnie Behave.'

Coming, July 25-26-Chas. Chaplin in "The Circus"

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