

Illinois Valley News

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WON'T FIGHT

An Associated Press dispatch in the Oregonian last Tuesday says that the executive committee of the National Council of Methodist Youth asserted they would not support the government in a far eastern war.

"It will not be our war," the committee said in a letter to President Roosevelt. "We cannot fight in it."

Shades of the departed Anthony. What price impetuous youth?

"We cannot fight in it."

Which reminds us of a wonderful story. Two Negroes were discussing the same situation. One of them said he would not fight for Uncle Sam—they couldn't make him fight. The other Negro replied—No, they can't make you fight, but they can take you where the fighting am—and then you can use your own good judgment.

If we could only sleep as soundly at night as we do when it is time to get up!—Walter Winchell.

BUYING AT HOME

Mail order houses are still doing a thriving business from residents of the Illinois Valley. Of course we have the right to trade with whom we wish, when we wish—and really, it isn't anyone's business where any of us trade, and we do not want our readers to get the idea we are meddling with their right to trade with anyone they see fit.

But for the valley's development, we merely want to point out the advantages of trading with your valley merchants. Of course we know that our merchants do not carry a large stock, and have not the variety the mail order houses have. BUT, every merchant in the valley would be very glad to order the exact item you want, and you'd get it just as quick as the mail order house could supply you, and your local merchant would stand behind the order and make good any discrepancy, which we know is a hard job to convince mail order houses to do.

Developing the valley helps you in a business way. The more stores we have and the more trading done in the valley, the more our own property increases in value. We can understand why folks trade with mail order houses who do not have an interest in the valley, but for the life of us, we can't understand why those who own property won't help increase the value of it by doing ALL of their trading at home. This is a matter of self preservation—You scratch my back, and I'll scratch yours. Trading with our home merchants is exactly that.

Suppose every resident of the valley did ALL their trading with merchants in the valley? What would happen? The merchants would be glad to increase their stock of merchandise to take care of the increased volume of trade and soon we would have the variety of merchandise that city stores carry and besides a lot of other businesses would come in. AND this would create not a few jobs for men and women who need them, and naturally the merchants would be glad to hire valley men and women.

Again the application of "You scratch my back, and I'll scratch yours" would apply. By putting forth an effort to build our own community by patronizing our own merchants would bring back to us added benefits that cold type could never recount.

We have quite a diversified lot of stores in the Illinois Valley and one can get most anything one needs, especially if one will ask our stores to do the ordering for us, if they do not carry the particular item needed. The profit from the item would remain in the valley to be distributed around, and one has a magnificent chance to have some of it come back home to roost.

Send it to a mail order house and you kiss it goodbye forever.

If this article convinces only one resident of the valley that it is the wise thing to do to trade at home, we will be grateful. It is only a matter of educating the public to the benefits derived from the idea. When we all see clearly what these benefits really are, the mail order houses will starve to death, as far as the Illinois Valley is concerned.

Doctored traffic sign: Resume lethal speed.

CHURCHES

BRIDGEVIEW COMMUNITY CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday school 10 a. m.
Loyal Defenders, Vivian P. len, acting president 7 p. m.
Prayer meeting in church
Wednesday night 8 p. m.
NON-DENOMINATIONAL
Cave City
Sunday School and church services at Legion hall, Cave City every Sunday.
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Church services at 11 a. m.
Rev. George L. Gray of Grants Pass, pastor. Everyone invited.

ILLINOIS VALLEY SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

Sabbath School at 1:45 p. m. every Saturday.
Church service 3 p. m., subject, "The Silent Soul Winner," F. W. Cooper, Elder, speaker.
Prayer meeting announced each Sabbath at church service.

John Egger Killed By Flying Deflector

John Lawrence Egger of Grants Pass, well known in the Illinois Valley, died Saturday morning while being taken to Crescent City hospital as the result of injuries received when the deflector of a giant blew up, whirled around and struck him in the chest.

The accident occurred early Saturday morning at Oro Grande mine, located 30 miles from Crescent City on Hurdy Gurdy creek, where Mr. Egger was employed as foreman by Mr. Wilkie, owner.

Mr. Egger leaves his wife, Essie, a son Sherman, and a daughter, Phyllis, all of Grants Pass, a sister, Mrs. Catherine Sowell of Medford, and two brothers, Edmond in Nevada and Sammey in California.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the L. B. Hall funeral home.

PINOCHLE CARD PARTY

Mrs. Eva Hill and Verlie Babcock entertained Cave Junction's Pinochle club at the home of Mrs. Hill, Tuesday afternoon. Guests were Edna Hoskins, winning first prize; Sophia Bunch, second prize; Florence Fagnant, Danna Hines, Beth Collman, Ella Patrick, Verlie Babcock and Eva Hill. Lunch was served at 4:30 which was enjoyed by all.

Tests To Continue On Bang's Disease

Dr. F. H. Thompson, government veterinary inspector, will begin testing Josephine county cattle for Bang's disease on Tuesday, the county agent's office said. He will conclude the work begun by Dr. Stuart Dingwell, continuing until all cows in the county have been tested.—Grants Pass Courier.

Support the Fire Department.



What Rights Do I Have if Leading Animals on the Highway? You may signal motorists coming from the opposite direction to stop, and they must do so, giving you a reasonable time to drive or lead your animals past. Motorists must use caution in passing animals going in the same direction, and in any case must stop their motors if necessary to prevent frightening the animals and causing accident or injury.

Is It Legal for Me to Hitchhike?

No. In Oregon it is unlawful for you to stand in a roadway for the purpose of soliciting a ride from the driver of any private vehicle. Hitchhikers usually violate the further provision that pedestrians should walk on the left side of the roadway.

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Ask about this convenient container we use for delivering letterhead printed on Caslon Bond.



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Clarence Coon Comes Out For Sheriff

Clarence Coon of Grants Pass announces that he will be a candidate for the position of sheriff of Josephine county at the May primaries on the democratic ticket. He makes the following announcement:

If nominated and elected as sheriff of Josephine county, I promise the people an efficient administration of the office, and that my deputies will be selected from the best available men representing different sections of the county.

Mr. Coon is well known in the valley and was a candidate last election for sheriff. Many of his friends are out working for him already, and he expects a record vote this year.

T. H. Fredenburg from Upper Briggs Creek is spending a few days in Cave City during the rainy weather. Mr. Fredenburg owns the Bean Placer mine on Briggs creek.

Weight of Milk, Water
Milk is slightly heavier than water. Water weighs 8.3 pounds per gallon and milk weighs 8.6 pounds

Dance

SATURDAY
FEBRUARY 5th

AMERICAN
LEGION HALL

CAVE CITY



"Current events brought to you by Electric Current." I bring you music and drama too... says REDDY KILOWATT.

Cave City Theater

SATURDAY and SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5-6—

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WEDNESDAY, FEB. 9—

"Married Before Breakfast"

With Robert Young and Florence Rice

Talent Night

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