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WOMEN NOT EXTRAVAGANT. WHEN THEY STEAL ENOUGH. A PROBLEM FOR JUSTICE

The theory that you are safe in America if you steal ENOUGH may be shaken by trial at Washington of gentlemen accused of stealing the Government's oil supply, by bribing the Secretary of the Interior.

The trial was halted and the jury dismissed by the judge on evidence as to the "fixing" of jurors.

If it can be shown that money was used to fix jurors in this case the fixers might go to jail.

However, if big thieves can bribe a Secretary of the Interior and escape punishment, even with the Supreme Court officially denouncing their dishonesty, bribing a juror or two may not make much difference.

After all the talk about "extravagant women" you will be interested in this fact, provided by the United States Department of Labor:

Men on the average spend more for their clothes than women. The average for husbands is \$71.38; for wives \$63.55.

Women are the economical half of the household, making ends meet, denying themselves for their children and the future. Not to know it is not to know women or men.

A killing that will puzzle the jurors comes from McHenry County in Illinois. The police announce that William Schmacher, twenty-eight, was innocent of the charge that he had killed his father. Schmacher told them "You are wrong. I waited for him to come into the barn, pulled the trigger and the shot almost blew his head off."

His father made him work before and after school when he was nine years old, took him out of school for good when he was twelve, and made him do a man's work. He beat the boy's mother, repeatedly, knocked her onto a hot stove and left her there, drove a pitchfork into a leg of a young brother so far that the boy could not pull it out without help.

Just before the murder he knocked his wife to the floor with a blow on the chin, accusing her of infidelity, saying "a farmhand was the real father of the twenty-eight-year-old son."

That son killed him. The neighbors corroborate the story of cruelty.

It will not be easy to get a conviction in that case.

FATHERS AND SONS BANQUET TONIGHT

Junior High School to be the Scene of Annual Event

A father and son banquet is to be held this evening at the Junior High school. The domestic science department of the High school is to have charge of the banquet, the cooking and the serving of the banquet is to be handled entirely by them. Between 125 and 150 tickets have been sold up to noon today, and places are being laid for 210 people, but it is thought that they will not be able to accommodate the crowd this year.

The following fine program will be rendered: Invocation by Reverend Gaffney; Song—America the Beautiful, Singing led by Lou Hanson; Toast—"To my Dad" by Dick Joy; Toast—"To my Boy" by A. C. Joy; Solo—David Johnson; A short talk by E. G. Earlan; Duet by Lonnie Seroginas and Bert Wright; "What I owe to my Dad" by Leverett Davis Jr.; "What I owe to my Son" by Leverett Davis Sr.; Song—Presbyterian quartet; address by J. A. Churchill; solo by Robert Gult; Benediction by Reverend H. F. Pemberton.

Mrs. Ella Mills has leased her home on the Boulevard for the winter and has rooms at the Columbia Hotel.

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STAND AT SCHOOL IS DEDICATED THIS P. M.

Lithians Have Charge of Ceremonies at Athletic Field

HOLD PROGRAM

Foot Ball Game Between High School and Roseburg Center Interest

The Ashland Lithians dedicated the High School Athletic Field Grand stand this afternoon, and thus brought to a close a movement started about a year ago, which resulted in the erection of the stand that now graces the foot ball field.

V. D. Miller was master of ceremonies, and after briefly outlining the activities that led up to the actual building of the stand introduced, Prof. I. E. Vinjng, who in a masterly address told of the value of team work, in the accomplishment, not only of victories on the foot ball field but in life's work as well.

He then officially presented the grand stand to the High school student body. Dick Joy on behalf of this organization responded briefly and thanked the Lithians and other organizations for their interest.

The dedication ceremonies took place between halves of the Ashland-Roseburg football game. The band gave several selections before the ceremonies and the stand was well filled throughout the afternoon.

The grand stand was specially decorated for this occasion the decoration work being under the direction of B. C. Forsythe, while ticket sale in the downtown district was in the hands of Major C. A. Malone. S. A. Peters Jr., was general chairman of the dedication arrangements.

Special Services At Presbyterian Church

The Presbyterian church will hold a Harvest Home service Sunday morning, and Rev. Mitchellmore will preach a special sermon taking as the text "Blessed be the Lord."

Music will consist of two special anthems by the choir, and a number of quartettes.

Mrs. Frank Dickey and son John took in the High School play at Phoenix Thursday night.

Miss Dorothy Ninninger and Mrs. Blowers visited Dr. Jenkin's Sanitarium at Jacksonville Thursday where Mrs. Jerry O'Neal is taking a course of treatments. Mrs. O'Neal is reported to be somewhat improved since she was taken to the hospital the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Chapman have removed to Fox street in the western part of Ashland.

Wesley Lamb and family have moved to a residence on Walnut street.

Mrs. Leach, mother of Grover Leach of this city, is expected over from Klamath Falls for a week end visit with her son and his wife.

SALE ON SEALS TO START FRIDAY

Quota for Jackson county this Year Shows a Large Increase

Mrs. Alice Holloway of Medford, county chairman of the National Tubercular Association, in charge of Christmas seals, was in Ashland in the interests of organizing her forces in this city, preparatory to the Christmas seal sale which will start the day following Thanksgiving. Plans for the distribution and sale of Christmas seals are now being made over the country, but the actual sale does not begin until Friday, November 25th, when letters, circulars and posters are sent out to schools, health centers, churches, clubs and other organizations. The Southern Oregon Normal school will have charge of some phase of the work this year, as they did last year. Miss Victoria Tavener will be local chairman, having the work in charge. She will appoint committees and organize her workers in the near future. Mrs. Holloway who has had charge of the distribution and sale of Christmas seals for several years in this county, announces that Jackson county has a trifle larger quota to raise this year than last year. Approximately \$200 more will be raised in this county this year, and Mrs. Holloway expresses the belief that this will easily be done. She explained at some length how Christmas seals came to be originated, and showed charts giving the proportion of money raised, and death totals per hundred thousand, for the past ten years. Attractive posters are to be sent to all communities, and every community will be organized to the best possible advantage.

Publicity Group Meets Last Night

Opportunities and Methods of Selling Ashland Were Discussed

The first meeting of the Tourist Information Group was held Thursday evening at the Ashland Hotel. The opportunities and methods of "selling Ashland," were ably discussed and many splendid ideas and suggestions were given by the members of the class as to the best ways in which to induce the tourist and stranger to prolong their stay and investigate the advantages of Ashland and vicinity. Clever demonstrations were given by various members of the way in which they greet the stranger. The next meeting of this group sponsored by the Ashland Chamber of Commerce will be held in two weeks.

J. Andrew McGee is the efficient chairman of this lively group the following program was brought before the class last night: V. V. Mills, president of the Chamber of Commerce, gave a splendid talk on "Why the group was assembled by the Chamber of Commerce," E. J. Farlow and Earl Crow put on an especially fine demonstration of the proper way to "sell Ashland," to the tourist who comes to the service station. Frank Jordan gave a comprehensive talk on the City Auto Camp and the opportunities there; Leo Schoeniger, and Mr. Davies spoke on "How the barbers may impress the tourist with the local advantages," Harry Harrison explained the opportunities of the garage men to induce the tourist to linger in the city. This first program and meeting proved very interesting and inspirational and the group is looking forward to the next meeting, with pleasure.

Mrs. Lulu Cheever who has been visiting friends in this city for the past week, is leaving Saturday morning for her home in Elkton. Mrs. Cheever formerly resided in this city for a number of years, and is well known here.

Mrs. Roy Taylor of Harrison street, is slowly recovering from a long siege of the "flu."

Proclamation

At this season of the year, it is an American custom to devote a day to the giving of thanks to the Almighty for His bounties; to commemorate the first season of prosperity and plenitude.

On this day it is fitting and proper that we review the manifold blessings of the year just past; that we offer true expressions for peace and prosperity.

That this nation has been preserved through wars and strife, that it has developed in all the arts and sciences as well as in husbandry and commerce, that it has known no year of universal pestilence or famine, should be constant sources of joy to our people; we should be ever cognizant of our good fortune and pay homage to those first comers who so soundly founded and carefully builded the structure of our national life. That we today stand a leader among nations, supreme in the ways of modern civilization, is a tribute to those Pilgrim Fathers, whose first Thanksgiving gives us inspiration today.

To help preserve the ideals of American simplicity and virtue and Christianity, the President of these United States has proclaimed that a day be set aside for the observance of Thanksgiving, and in conformity thereto, and by the authority in me vested, I, L. L. PATTERSON, governor of the state of Oregon, do hereby proclaim and designate:

Thursday, November 24, 1927

as Thanksgiving Day, and do hereby set it aside as a public holiday I earnestly ask the citizens of this great state to join together to observe in proper manner the season of Harvest, of Peace and Good Will, that we turn our thoughts to the Almighty Father who in His graciousness has given us amply of His bounties and that we display the American flag as evidence of our patriotic devotion to the founders of our nation.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the state of Oregon to be hereto affixed this 9th day of November, A. D., 1927.

I. L. PATTERSON
By the Governor,
SAM KOZER, Secretary of State.

November

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

What shall we do when the trees are bare,
And the garden is cold and no flowers there?
I asked my mother one summer's day,
"Just wait and see," I heard her say.
My dear, whenever a month takes wings/
And a few months comes, the new month brings
Some sort of a joy that we haven't had,
Some different reason for being glad,
"What will it be? Just wait and see."

The leaves have fallen the way I said,
And the garden is cold and no flowers there?
And November's here but mother and I
Just laugh and laugh, and you can't guess why.
For I am making gingerbread men,
And I'll give you some, but I won't tell when;
And Mother's fixing the turkey too,
For Thanksgiving a day with lots to do.
Just what will it be? Wait and see.

Mother was right. When a month takes wings,
And a new month comes, the new month brings
Some special day like Thanksgiving day
In place of the joy that has passed away.
She says it's the same way all along,
When anything else in the world goes wrong,
Whenever a joy has fled,
There's always a new joy just ahead,
What will it be? Just wait and see.

ISAAC'S TOYLAND IS A GREAT ATTRACTION

Characters in Comic Strips are Brought to Life in Toy Department

The balcony at Isaac's looks as one would imagine do the toy shops of Santa Claus before Christmas. In this Toyland may be found Barney Google, Uncle Walt, Skeezix, Little Orphan Annie, and many other character dolls. Here also the calico dog is wont to caper wildly about, the woolly lambs bleat plaintively, the teddy bears in all colors say "Boo," then there are dolls to fill the wants and hearts of every girl child, French dolls, German dolls, the walking and talking dolls, cowboys, clowns, and pickininnies. There are lovely doll houses all outfitted in the latest furnishings; dishes, pianos, doll buggies, electric stoves, painting sets, blackboards, and children's furniture.

For boys there are the marvelous Chemo Craft outfits, real phonographs that play real records; archery sets; Radio constructors; Mecanno sets; tool chests complete for the young carpenter; "Humpty Dumpty" circus toys; the "Sandy Andy" sand toys. There are the sturdy reliable "Buddy L" line of toys such as fire engines, trucks etc.; the "Dorfan" electric trains—and games and books of every description suitable for all from Jimmie to Grandpa. Oh yes, the "Tinker Toys" this year are almost beyond belief in a happy combination of the humorous, the grotesque and the vivid, truly they exceed everything the fancy has hitherto imagined.

"Egg Pardon, Bert"

Today's issue of the Register an error was made in the advertisement of Miller's Toggery. The prices given on heavy wool Ruff Neck Sweaters and Heavy Wool Flannel Shirts were wrong the price should have been for the sweaters, \$5.50, and for the Shirts \$3.35.

TWENTY SINGERS WILL BROADCAST

Rogue River Valley Girl is to Be Featured in Radio Program

Twenty young singers, each a state winner, will assemble in San Francisco on Monday night for the Far Western district radio contest, which will be broadcast locally by stations KGO and KPO and will go out over the entire Pacific Coast network of the National Broadcasting Company.

Local interest centers around this program as one of the twenty singers is Miss Hortense Mills Hough, daughter of Mr. A. C. Hough, a prominent attorney at Grants Pass. Miss Hough is very well known in the Rogue River Valley, and she is now instructor of music in the Junior college at Pasadena, California. It was at Pasadena where she won the contest for Southern California, which enabled her to compete at the contest Monday night. Should she be one of the winners in the contest at San Francisco she will go to New York to compete in the finals. The songs she will sing over the network are, "Goodbye, Sweet Day," and the negro spiritual, "Deep River." The contestants will be announced by number only, so you will know Miss Hough by the songs she will sing.

Friends of the Rogue River Valley listening in will send their votes to San Francisco the following day.

The contest will be put "on the air" at ten o'clock Monday night and will continue till midnight. Each of the nine states west of the Rockies selected its two best young singers for this contest, and from them will be selected a young man and a young woman to represent the Far West in the National radio audition of the Atwater Kent Foundation. The finals will be held in New York City, December 14th.

Great preparations are being made for the district contest in San Francisco, and Mme Louise Homer, Carrie Jacobs Bond, and Governor Young are among the notables who have accepted invitations to attend. Local radio fans will tune in at ten o'clock Monday night.

SPEEDER IN SCHOOL ZONE IS FINED

J. A. Snodgrass who was driving a California car at a great rate of speed, in the school zone was brought before Police Judge Clint Baughman and fined \$7.50 despite the plea that it was a case of "life and death," Judge Baughman, who is from Missouri, remained adamant, and the man paid the fine, though not without free and bitter expostulations.

UNION SERVICES ON THANKSGIVING DAY

Rev. Charles Gaffney of the Congregational Church to Preach

Ashland churches will observe Thanksgiving day with a Union meeting at the Christian church, and Rev. Charles Gaffney of the Congregational church, will deliver the sermon.

Other Ashland ministers will participate in the service and special music will be provided by the Christian church choir.

The service will start at 10:30

Real Maple Syrup

H. B. Carter is in receipt of two cases of pure maple syrup shipped to him by relatives direct from Vermont. This syrup is the real maple, and Mr. Carter plans on selling a portion of it.

Mrs. W. A. Shell returned Thursday from Keno, where she accompanied her husband on a business trip.

Mr. William Carter, a prominent business man of Elasta City is in at his Ashland home.

Mr. A. L. Wallace and family have moved to 130 Helman street.

Lee Meyers of Hornbrook visited Ashland Friday.

E. T. Allen of Portland, former owner of the Ashland Hotel was a visitor in Ashland the latter part of the week. Mr. Allen owns the Nash Hotel in Medford and is transacting business in that city for a few days before leaving for his home in Portland.

Late in the evening Mrs. Randles served dainty refreshments to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moore, Mr. and Mrs. William Grenbemer, Mr. and Mrs. Rusey Crosby, Mr. and Mrs. James Shiffer, and Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Handles.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gear of Grants Pass visited Mrs. Gear's parents Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Payne on the Boulevard, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

EMERGENCY AIR PORTS PLANNED ON COAST

Nine Government Fields Are to be Located in Ashland

WELL EQUIPPED

Each Field to Have Special Search Lights and Are to be Marked

A city that does not have a municipal flying field with in the next few years will be in the same position as one with out a rail road depot, "E. L. Curtiss, superintendent of the Government Airway Extension service told a committee of Ashland business men Wednesday, while making an inspection trip in this vicinity.

Nine Fields

"The government is putting in nine emergency flying fields between Redding and Grants Pass this winter," he further stated, and each of these will be equipped with special search lights, telephone, gasoline and oil, and will be located in such positions as will be of greatest benefit to government fliers."

The government fields cannot be used in any way for commercial flying, nor can they be used by individuals except in the case of an emergency, the government man explained. One field is being erected at Delta, another at Hornbrook, and the original plans call for a field near the summit of the Siskiyou, however it was thought that this field would have to be abandoned because of inability to secure a proper site.

Makes Progress

Aviation is making tremendous strides, Mr. Curtiss said "and with a passenger and express service being inaugurated the first of the year by a well known stage line, it behooves all of the towns, that are located upon the government air way to secure some type of landing field in order that they may participate in this development."

Mr. Curtiss painted a graphic word picture of the steps that are still to come in the matter of commercial aviation, and explained that at this time maps were being prepared all over the United States for the use of aviators, showing the various airways, landing fields and other essentials that an aviator must know. These maps are considered of very great value to a community and absolutely indispensable to an aviator.

Rev. and Mrs. Kirkpatrick of Modesto, California were guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Murphy, Wednesday and Thursday of this week. They were enroute to Everett, Washington where they will hold a series of revivals.

Mrs. Dan Combs of Wagner Creek was in Ashland several days this week, shopping and attending to business matters.

Members and officers of the Gospel church met at the parsonage on 225 B street this week to make arrangements for the Christmas program this year. The members were much enthused and showed a great deal of interest in the preparations. The program is to be such that both young and old may be included.

Mrs. J. R. Elder of Almond street who has been visiting friends on the Green Spring Mountain, returned Saturday to her home in this city.

Mrs. Jerry O'Neal is very ill at her home on Morton street.