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Our Allies in the Near East

By CHARLES EVANS HUGHES

Probably at no time in the history of the world have there been so many fatherless and motherless children as there are today. Tens of thousands, probably hundreds of thousands in Armenia, Syria, Caucasus, Persia, Mesopotamia and Palestine are not only without parents, but are without any strong parental government to give them the help and protection which orphan children of other lands enjoy.

American Consuls and missionaries cable the American Committee for Relief in the Near East, almost daily regarding the situation. One message from the Russian Caucasus pleads for the support of 10,000 children at an average expense of two dollars per month per child. Another from Tiflis reports 40,000 children in one region waiting for an answer to a previous cablegram requesting help. Reports from other points indicate similar conditions. Among the many appeals it is possible for this committee to assume responsibility for only the most pressing cases, and it is upon these that the committee would focus the attention of the American people. Splendid help has been rendered the little ones in other lands, but these in Western Asia are no less human than those who have already been aided by American charity. It is the duty of Americans, as well as a privilege to respond to this great opportunity and help keep alive the best civilization that Western Asia has developed.

All expenses of administration for this relief are privately met, so that every dollar sent to the committee is used directly by their agents in purchasing food and supplies for the needy who, according to the best advice and from audited reports, receive the full benefit of the funds sent them.

Out of the horror and nightmare through which these people have passed comes the gratifying word that we can be of assistance; that our efforts will prove availing, and that we can share with these orphan children the bounty which we, as Americans, have enjoyed for years. The work done by this committee has been most unselfish and effective under conditions of great personal sacrifice. May America respond to their appeals.

Just in
A Big Stock of
ALABASTINE
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CITY NEWS

Went to Portland—
Father Lane and Rev. Soumis went to Portland this morning to attend a memorial service given for Father Naughton, who passed away about a month ago.

Visiting Son—
Mrs. J. A. McClain of Salem came up last evening to visit at the home of her son, Deo McClain.

To Install Officers—
The ladies of the Maccabees will hold installation of officers this evening at their regular meeting and new members will be initiated. After the meeting a banquet will be served.

Down From Harrisburg—
Earl Van Aken of Harrisburg is here visiting relatives and friends.

Returned to Fort Canby—
Engineer Wm. E. Paul returned to Fort Canby this morning after a five-day furlough spent in Albany at the home of Mrs. Nellie Myers. Mrs. Paul will remain in Albany for awhile.

Visited Brother—
C. H. Baker, manager of the J. C. Penney Company store at Enterprise, Eastern Oregon, returned home this morning after a visit with his brother, Paul E. Baker, of the local store. Mr. Baker is a former Albany man and was manager of the Albany J. C. Penney Store before leaving here.

On Business Trip—
Chas. Hector went to Dover this morning on a business trip.

Visiting Mother—
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stephens of Portland are here visiting Mrs. Stephens' mother, Mrs. Mary M. Chambers.

**PORTLAND TIMBER
MAN INVESTIGATES
SODAVILLE TRACT**

SODAVILLE, Feb. 13.—Special.—Health conditions in this community have improved considerably during the past week. The flu has apparently been stamped out. Three convalescent cases of mumps seems to be the last of that disease.

Mrs. N. Bridges, who underwent an operation for cancer in Portland several weeks ago, is rapidly recovering, and will return to her home here in a short time.

Mrs. Lena Churchill of near Plainview is visiting her mother, Mrs. I. F. Snider, and other relatives of this place.

Carl Simons has returned from a short visit with his clan, Harold E. H. of Fir Grove district.

Mrs. D. Foreman has gone to Seio to see her son, Asa Hiron, who is in a dangerous condition resulting from an operation for cancer a few days ago.

J. E. Hamer and wife of Harrisburg, who are spending the winter at their old home here, returned from a week's visit with relatives near Waterloo.

Harrison and Trobaugh, who have shipped several carloads of ties from this neighborhood during the winter, are contemplating building a tie-mill near the Hall mill north of town.

A Portland investor was here during the past week examining the Nelbert timber and adjoining tracts.

**THIRD WARD MINUS
ONE COUNCILMAN**

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ster over J. V. Riley. No application was received for the office of city poundmaster. The election of street superintendent and truck driver was put off until a future meeting.

Code to Be Made.
City Attorney Dan Johnston was instructed to recodify the city ordinances and to bring the city laws down to date from the time they were last compiled in 1912. City Recorder L. G. Lewelling was given authority to employ help in comparing the copy of ordinances in the official city records.

A representative of the Union Bridge company of Portland, was pre-

sent, an offer to deliver the steel and the construction of a new bridge over Penawhite Creek on Salem Road for \$1000, or for \$1750 if the steel and railings for sidewalk is included. The present bridge is in bad condition and is said to be unsafe. Mr. Sears, representing the company, explained that owing to the fact that there is a dull spell on in the steel yards he could furnish the materials at less cost than later on.

New Bridge Considered.
This is also considerably lower than prices received during the war. The work of assembling is to be done locally and will cost about \$200 in addition. County Commissioner T. J. Potter has promised to superintend the work. The bridge would be a 67-foot span 18 feet wide, the foot walk being outside of this. The matter was referred to the committee on streets and public property.

The city treasurer's bond was set at the same figure as last year. Councilman Calvert brought up the matter of the inadequacy of the Madison street sewer to carry off surface

water during a hard rain and remarks upon the subject were made by E. L. Umphrey. Many basements have been flooded in that section the last week.

Dan Molver and P. D. Huskitt, both of the Mountain States Power Co., filed their applications for the positions of light and plumbing inspectors respectively.

Snacks Are on Wieder.
The influenza situation was declared to be in satisfactory shape, but five homes being quarantined, and a smaller number of cases being under treatment at this time. The application of high school students for a small private dance was denied this week, but will probably be permitted next week. Complaint was made regarding wood on sawings on Lyon street on account of water dripping on pedestrians passing along the sidewalks.

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The application of Albany Sand & Gravel company to remove materials from the riverbed was granted. A light was ordered installed in the alley back of the armory.

A note of humor and satisfaction pervaded the meeting through the fact that Councilman E. L. Wieder, who arrived late, was assessed the price of the cigars, and during the greater part of the meeting the rules were suspended and councilmen, city employees, visitors and newspapermen puffed merrily at the word.

MORE EGGS TONIC

We have taken the agency for E. J. Reifer's celebrated "More Egg Tonic" which we know by our own experience is one of the finest things going both for eggs and also for sickness among the chickens. It sells for \$1 a package but for the balance of February we will give you 20 percent discount in order to give everybody a chance to try this valuable remedy. **BALTIMORE GUN & BICYCLE WORKS.** 13229

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