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## THEY GIVE US CONVERSATION WHEN OUR NEED IS DECISION AND ACTION!

Loud and bitter are the protests on the destroyer deal announced by President Roosevelt this week whereby 50 old US vessels will be transferred to England in exchange for vital air base leases. The opposition comes, largely, from the same group which forecast there would be no war in Europe, who insisted the arms embargo should not be lifted, and who persistently pared defense budgets and condemned Roosevelt for increasing army strength a year ago. And it is, largely, this same group which now accuses the administration of failing to build up our national defense.

Americans now can mark these critics of the President—and Candidate Willkie tacitly is one of them—as the very ones who, should the British Isles fall, will be the loudest in condemnation of Roosevelt for permitting Hitler to win.

Their forte is criticism of anything and everything Roosevelt has done and now is doing. And if they find it political suicide to condemn his acts, they then carp at Roosevelt's methods.

While the nation cries for statesmanship, the isolationists play their usual obstructive game of politics.



## THE HO-HUM SEASON IN POLITICS ARRIVES AS BLESSED RELIEF!

With Hitler again issuing his annihilation threats against England, and with the United States leasing important strategic air and naval bases along the Atlantic from Nova Scotia to South America, and with the Ashland National Guard leaving for a year's training within a few days, the coming presidential election becomes of minor importance to most folks hereabouts.

Problems of national defense, probability of conscription for military training, and Oregon's hunting season which soon will open all become of far more immediate importance to voters than the third term question, the verbal fencing of the candidates. With such significant problems occupying the average person's thoughts, the continuous shouting of Wendell Willkie bounds off disinterested ears like the rantings of any man whose sole purpose is to beat another out of his job. Such criticisms as "I agree that we should send England 50 destroyers but I strongly condemn President Roosevelt's method of going about it" sound too much like saying "the President is doing the right things but only I can do them the right way." Apparently Willkie wishes to acquiesce to the majority opinion that Britain should be given material aid and, at the same time, cast his lot with the folks who hate Roosevelt regardless of what he does.

So many things are of greater importance right now than the domestic political scene that the shaggylocked aspirant who promises utility utopia will have to shout a little louder to command much attention for a while. And will he please make it a little funnier!



## CONGRESSMEN SHOULD START SNEAKING UP DARK ALLEYS FOR SHAME!

Although congressmen undoubtedly take themselves seriously, many folks sometimes wonder how they do it. Especially in times like these when emergency after emergency is met with a minimum of statesmanship and a maximum of politics. How well Hitler calculated when he launched his great offensive against France and England during an election year in the United States!

It is maddening to patriotic Americans to see pin-headed politicians throwing wrenches into the legislative machinery while dictators sneer at our indecisions and take advantage of our clumsy democratic hesitancy. Because an election looms in the fall, representatives and senators are counting votes, scheming schemes and sacrificing national welfare on the altar of selfishness. Not all congressmen are guilty of Bene-

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dict Arnold behavior, but enough of them are to found congress and confuse the public.

And even now congress sulks because the securing of air bases was not entrusted to its bedlam! What a national disgrace and what an indictment of democracy is this band of starch-shirted mental hoodlums in our legislative halls! Self-respecting members of those august bodies should hang their heads in shame at the spectacle they make before the world. Most Americans are sick to their bellies of congress' exhibition!

### NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR JACKSON COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE SALE OF LANDS HERETOFORE ACQUIRED BY JACKSON COUNTY, OREGON.

Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of September, 1940, in accordance with an order of the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, of date August 7, 1940, the undersigned Sheriff of Jackson County, Oregon, will sell all the right, title, estate, lien or interest of Jackson County, Oregon, in and to the following described real property heretofore acquired by Jackson County, Oregon, and situated in Jackson County, Oregon, for not less than the minimum price set opposite said parcels, as follows, to-wit:

Description of Property	Minimum Price
Part of lots 8 and 9, Block 3, Ashland, described Deed Record 135, Page 181	\$200.00
Part of Lot 9, Block 10, lying Southwest of Railroad right of way, Ashland	10.00
Part of Lot 3, Block 17, Ashland, described Deed Record 71, Page 482	500.00
All Lot 7, Block 17, and Lot 8, less Deed Record 77, Page 397, Block 17, Ashland	150.00
Part of Lot 4, Block 26, 65 foot front on High Street, Ashland, described Deed Record 155, Page 467	150.00
Part of Lot 1, Block 29, Ashland, described Deed Record 152, Page 478	480.00
Lot 8, Block 33, less 12 feet off East side, Coolidge Tract, Ashland	100.00
Lot 2, Block 44, Ashland	1,000.00
Lots 4, 5, 5, Block 46, Summit Addition, Ashland	75.00
Lot 18, Block 48, Summit Addition, Ashland	40.00
Lot 19, Block 48, Summit Addition, Ashland	40.00
Lots 9 and 10, Block 49, Summit Addition, Ashland	80.00
Lots 14, 15, 16, Block 49, Summit Addition, Ashland	100.00
Lots 11 to 14, inclusive, Block 50, Summit Addition, Ashland	125.00
Lots 8 to 11, inclusive, Block 51, Summit Addition, Ashland	125.00
South half of Lots 13 and 14, Block 51, Summit Addition, Ashland	60.00
Lots 3 to 7, inclusive, Block 52, Summit Addition, Ashland	100.00
Lots 10 to 18, inclusive, Block 52, Summit Addition, Ashland	200.00
Lot 5, Bagley's Addition, Ashland	150.00
Lots 7 and 8, Bagley's Addition, Ashland	250.00
Lot 6, Block D, Boulevard Park Addition, Ashland	150.00
Lot at corner of Main and California Streets, Downing Tract, Ashland, described Deed Record 165, Page 577	200.00
127 foot front, Downing Tract, Ashland, described Deed Record 182, Page 605	210.00
Lots 45 and 46, Block 3, Eureka Addition, Ashland	80.00
Lots 1 to 8, inclusive, Block D, Fairview Addition, Ashland	250.00
Lots 3 and 4, Block E, Fairview Addition, Ashland	50.00
Lots 5 to 8, inclusive, Block E, Fairview Addition, Ashland	100.00
Lots 19 to 26, inclusive, Block E, Fairview Addition, Ashland	200.00
Lot 18, Block E, Fairview Addition, Ashland	200.00
Lots 1 to 7, inclusive, and North forty feet of Lot 8, Block F, Fairview Addition to Ashland	200.00
Lots 30 to 37, inclusive and West half Lot 38, Gale Addition, Ashland	500.00
Lots 7 and 8, Highland Park Addition, Ashland	75.00
West 73 feet of Lots 11, 12 and 13, Highland Park Addition, Ashland	75.00
Lot 22 and 10 foot strip joining on East, being part of vacated street, Highland Park Addition, Ashland	100.00
Lots 15 and 16, Block B, Meikle & Payne Addition, Ashland	80.00
West 165.8 feet of Lots 60 and 61, Miners Addition, Ashland	200.00
Part of Lots 7 and 8, Montview Addition, Ashland, described Deed Record 187, Page 376	100.00
West 90 feet of Lots 24, 25, 26, 27, Montview Addition, Ashland, described Deed Record 181, Page 33	150.00
Lots 28 and 29, Montview Addition, Ashland	200.00
Lot 1, W. C. Myers Addition, Ashland	510.00
Lots 11 to 14, inclusive, and Lots 19 and 20, Nickel Plate Addition, Ashland	1,000.00
Lot 6, Nob Hill Addition, Ashland	500.00
Part of Lots 26, 27, 28, 29, Block C, Railroad Addition, Ashland, described Deed Record 120, Page 501	150.00
Lots 31 and 32, Block C, Railroad Addition, Ashland	900.00
Lots 19 to 22, inclusive, Block N, Railroad Addition, Ash-	

### Trinity Episcopal Church

Dr. Claude E. Sayre, Vicar

Holy Communion, 8 a. m.  
Church school, 9:30 a. m.  
Sermon and morning prayer, 11 a. m.  
Holy Communion, Wednesday, 9:30 a. m.  
Choir will meet Friday, 7:30 p. m.  
You are cordially invited to worship with us.

### Methodist Episcopal Church

Dr. George W. Bruce, Minister

Sunday school 10 a. m. Homer Billings is the general superintendent. "You must find heaven while you live to be there when you die." The study and the practice of the truth of God's Word helps one to find heaven during life.  
Morning sermon 11 a. m. Subject, "The Higher Security." If you begin here and now to live up to the best you know, that best knowledge will one day grow into sunrise. Special music in charge of the choir.  
The Epworth and Wesley Leagues meet for worship at 6:15 p. m. Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock. Sermon subject, "Why Not Try God?" "The surest way to get on your feet is to first get on your knees."  
Prayer meeting is held each Wednesday evening at 7:30. During this hour the book of Revelation is being studied.

- Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edsall of Klamath Falls visited here with relatives and friends early in the week.
- Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jordan returned Wednesday from a fishing trip to the coast.
- Harold Baughman of Union Creek is visiting here for a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Baughman.
- Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Forsythe returned early in the week from an extended trip through the United States.

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SYD I. BROWN  
Sheriff of Jackson County, Oregon.