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"This will consider only solicitations as approved by the Ashland Chamber of Commerce." —thus reads the sign prominently displayed (but disregarded) by chamber of commerce members.

Because of the disregard of this service feature offered by the local chamber, reports indicate that a majority of the Ashland business men have been "taken in" this past week by a neat advertising solicitation scheme that would qualify most of us to head anyone's sucker list.

It seems that under the guise of church sponsorship, an ambitious solicitor secured an estimated \$180. from the business men on an advertising directory. The willingness to support a local church is highly commendable, but too late it was discovered that the church in question was completely unaware of the solicitation carried on in its name.

The scheme was neatly handled, but succeeded only because not a single member of the chamber of commerce took the trouble to check with the secretary as to whether the solicitation was on the up and up!

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Appalling Ineptitude!

The government, wrote Frank R. Kent recently, is handling the price-wage problem "with really appalling ineptitude." It has failed to grasp the problem firmly by simultaneously putting a ceiling over both prices and wages and has not given the price control administrator the authority he needs to be effective.

"Even if the administrator had the statutory powers proposed, he still would not be able to control prices until in some way wages were stabilized. It is obviously impossible to hold prices down if wages are going steadily to rise..."

To quote Mr. Kent again, "The fundamental fact, which wise leadership should convey to the wage earners, is that, no matter how much wages go up, if prices go up too, the wage earner is no better off—is worse off, in fact, because more than any other class he will suffer from the threatened inflation... The real enemies of labor are those who mislead the workingman on this question."

In the past few months, wages in manufacturing industries have risen 15.8 per cent. Let that trend continue, and we will really have inflation that will endanger the standard of living of millions of families.. The workings of economic law are fixed and absolute. They cannot be negated by radical labor leaders who urge the workers of America to follow a course that must lead to disaster.

-Industrial News Review

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Ralph Lee in The Oregonian

BELLVIEW NEWS

- Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buckles and son Gene from Yakima Wash. and Miss Lyle Buckles from Gerome, Idaho spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Turner.
- Chas. Rector who returned last week from Salem where he had been employed, is now working at the Henry mill at Lincoln.
- Mrs. Angus Todd and small son Ralph of Oakland were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brantley last week. Mrs. Todd was formerly Miss Gladys Brantley.
- Mrs. Mary Hushower and Dale Anderson left Monday for Myrtle Point to visit relatives. Dale will return next week but Mrs. Hushower will remain for a longer visit.
- Mrs. Robert Rosenbaum and infant son have returned to their home in Klamath Falls after visiting several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Haah.
- Mrs. Val Inlow and daughter Aileen were business visitors in Medford, Monday.
- Miss Marie Walker arrived home Sunday evening from a trip to Riverside and Los Angeles, California.
- Miss Edith Chapman suffered a stroke at her home Saturday.
- Miss Aileen Inlow took a group of Girl Scouts to their homes in Gold Hill, Wednesday and went on to Diamond Lake for two days.
- Archie Heilmeyer has returned to Ft. Lewis, Wash. after spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Heilmeyer.
- Mr. and Mrs. Dean Horne were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kincaid, Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Horne had just returned from a trip to Alabama where they visited the parents of Mrs. Horne.
- Buddy Bowman, Earl Warren and Eunice Kincaid were visiting in Yreka, Sunday.
- Mrs. Val Inlow and Ileen attended a Grange meetin at Upper Applegate Saturday night.
- Mr. and Mrs. Talbott left Monday on a trip which will take them to New York and up into Canada where they will visit with Mrs. Talbott's niece and family and will attend the golden Wedding anniversary of Mrs. Talbott's sister.

HILT NEWS

- The ladies of the community gave a farewell party at the club house Friday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Waldemar Holmberg. The room was decorated with greens and flowers. Eighty People were present to enjoy the evening of games which included Chinese checkers, pinochle and bridge. Twelve prizes were awarded to the winners of the various games after which refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Holmberg were presented with a lovely coffee table with the compliments of their many friends. Among the out of town guests were Dr. and Mrs. Edwin Richardson of Hornbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hess and daughter Nina of Ashland and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Schleuter of Yreka.
- Mr. and Mrs. W. Holmberg moved to their new home in Yreka Saturday.

- The Club hotel was the scene of a Foremen's dinner, Monday night, honoring Waldemar Holmberg, retiring manager, and H. C. Vincent, new manager who took over duties here July 1. Those attending were Clinton Gans, Alva P. Warrens, Ray Elliot, Frank Geaves, Jack Williams, Louis Alphonse, O. Bernheisel, Arthur Hall, Dr. R. F. Schlappi, Ed Adams, Bill Bray, Fred Bayliss, Mora Baily. Exchange: Apricots taken as payment on old or new subscriptions to the Miner.
- L. D. Fox, Frank Ohlund, John DeWitt, W. Fallis, Dorrance Ruger, William Roush, Ted Quamme, Frank Ward, Arthur Nelson and the guests of honor, W. Holmberg and H. Vincent.

- Mrs. M. J. Bailey and Mrs. R. F. Schlappi were hostesses at a bridge luncheon last Tuesday honoring Mrs. W. Holmberg. First prize at bridge was won by Mrs. Nebeker, second by Mrs. Elliott and low by Mrs. Tallis. Mrs. Holmberg was presented with a guest prize.
- Miss Majorie Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clark of San Rafael, became the bride of Elwyn Jones of Ashland, Nebr., now in army service at Portland, on June 9 at the home of Miss Clark's aunt, Mrs. Vernal Jenkins of Vancouver, Wash. The vows were read by Rev. Kunsman in the presence of relatives and a few close friends. They will make their home in Portland.

- Mrs. Roy Clevenger was hostess at the Wednesday meeting of the Sewing Club. Delicious refreshments were served to ten members and guests.

- Mrs. Frank Benkosky of Dunsmlur spent the past week visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Mendes.

- Mrs. Harry De Jarnett held the lucky number at the drawing Thursday evening and so won the lovely bedspread raffled off by the local Girl Scout troop.

- Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walker and sons drove to Pittville Sunday to take Mr. Walker's father, Godfrey Walker, home.

- Mrs. James Purvis, Bob Purvis and sons visited relatives in Ashland Monday.

- Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gran and son Billy and Ikie Geroy attended the show in Yreka Sunday evening.
- Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ohlund were in Ashland Sunday.

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IS IN SHAPE**

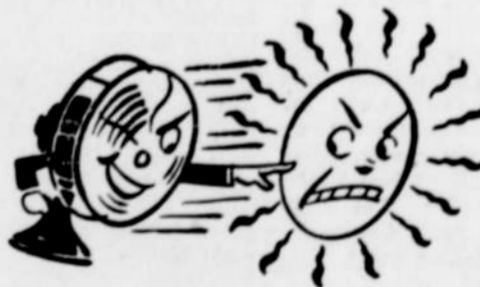
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