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The past, at least, is secure. There is  
Boston and Concord and Lexington and  
Bunker Hill; and there they will remain  
forever.  
—Daniel Webster

God who gave us life, gave us liberty  
at the same time.

Thomas Jefferson

### THE BEACON

The scene was more beautiful far to the eye  
Than the day in its pride had arrayed it;  
The land breeze blew mild, and the azure-arched  
sky  
Looked pure as the spirit that made it.  
The murmur rose soft as I silently gazed  
On the shadowy waves playful motion.  
From the dim distant hill, till the lighthouse fire  
blazed  
Like a star in the midst of the ocean.  
No longer the joy of the sailor-boy's breast  
Was heard in his wildly breathed numbers;  
The sea bird had flown to her wave girdled nest,  
The fisherman sunk to his slumbers.  
One moment I looked from the hill's gentle slope,  
All hushed was the billows' commotion,  
And o'er them the lighthouse looked lovely as hope  
That star of life's tremulous ocean.

The time is long past, and the scene is afar,  
Yet when my head rests on its pillow,  
Will memory sometimes rekindle the star  
That blazed on the breast of the billow.  
In life's closing hour, when the trembling soul flies  
And death stills the breasts last emotion,  
Oh, then may the seraph of mercy arise,  
Like a star on eternity's ocean.

—Anonymous

### MODIFICATION

The stock argument used by the "wets" who have  
appeared before the senate investigation committee  
is that the dry law should be modified because it  
cannot be enforced as it stands. But is that a val-  
id argument? The traffic laws are not enforced either,  
shall they be repealed? Nor are the laws against  
robbery and murder entirely obeyed. Statistics show  
this country has twice as many murders in propor-  
tion to population as has Italy. Are we to repeal  
the laws against murder because the present laws  
are being violated?

East Oregonian



THE PRESIDENT

### AUTHORITY AND LAW

The righteous authority of the  
depends for its sanction upon its  
harmony with the righteous author-  
ity of the Almighty. If this faith is  
set aside, the foundations of our in-  
stitutions fail, the citizen is depos-  
ed from his high estate which he  
holds as amenable to a universal  
conscience, society reverts to a  
system of class and caste, and the  
government instead of being im-  
posed by reason from within is im-  
posed by force from without. Freedom  
and democracy would give way to  
despotism and slavery. I do not  
know of any adequate support for  
our form of government except  
that which comes from religion.

Calvin Coolidge

### FOREST FIRES

Incendiarism, smoking, and  
camp fires were the three princi-  
pal causes of man caused fires  
within the national forests during  
1925.

Each year forest fires burn an  
area equivalent to a 10 mile strip  
reaching from New York City to  
Denver, and an area more than  
eight times the acreage of the  
French forests destroyed or dam-  
aged during the World War.

In the last five years forest fire  
has burned—more or less destruc-  
tively and with much repetition—  
about 45,000,000 acres of land.  
Less than 25,000,000 acres have  
been cut over in the same time.

## Church News

Notes of Interest to All  
Local Denominations.

According to the annual statis-  
tical report compiled for the  
Christian Herald by Dr. Carol D.  
Wright there were more than 800,  
000 members added to the Chris-  
tian churches of the United States  
in 1925. Of evangelical churches,  
the Methodist Church received  
larger number of accessions. This  
should be of interest to Mr. Asbury,  
the author of "Hat Rack", who  
is said to be a descendant of the  
first Methodist bishop in Ameri-  
ca and who announces a forth-  
coming book under the title, Up  
From Methodism. Possibly this  
statistical information may be the  
reason for his opinion that the  
evangelists should all be hanged.

Easter past and Mother's Day  
comes on apace. We hope the  
churches and Sunday schools will  
fittingly honor the day and moth-  
er. We hope too that there may  
enough love and reverence gen-  
erated to sweeten all the days  
to come.

Prayer is a beneficent habit. It  
strengthens the sense the nearness  
of God, develops moral muscle  
and generates spiritual power.  
The churches of Ione maintain  
places of prayer. Do you frequent  
those places?

The pastor of the Congregational  
church has been asked to preach  
the baccalaureate sermon for the  
graduating class of the Ione  
High School.

We wonder if the people of  
Ione are favorably disposed to-  
ward opening a Daily Vacation  
Bible School this summer. The  
young man who was with us  
last summer is in California, but  
there are others.

### Lodge Directory



IONE LODGE No. 120, A. F. & A. M.  
Meets every first and third Wednes-  
day of each month. W. M. W. E. Bullard  
Sec. Elmer Griffith

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Meets the second and fourth Tues-  
day of each month. W. M. Mrs. C. R.  
Howk; Sec. Mrs. Ruth Mason.



IONE LODGE No. 135, I. O. O. F.  
Meets every Saturday evening. N.  
G., Edison Morgan; V. G. Ernest  
Helker, Sec. Earle A. Brown; Treas.  
E. J. Bristow.

BUNCHGRASS REBEKAH No. 91  
I. O. O. F. Meets the first and third  
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## BIBLE READING FOR THE WEEK

It is a good thing to give thanks  
unto the Lord, and to sing praises  
unto thy name, O Most High.

Psalms 92:1

Bless the Lord, O my soul; and  
all that is within me, bless his  
holy name.

Psalms 103:

The stone which the builders  
refused is become the head stone  
of the corner. This is the Lord's;  
work; it is marvelous in our eyes.

Psalms 118:22, 23.

The earth is the Lord's, and  
the fulness thereof; the world  
and they that dwell therein.

Psalms 24:1, 2.

The Lord is my light and my  
salvation; whom shall I fear? the  
Lord is the strength of my life;  
of whom shall I be afraid?

Psalms 27:1

For in the time of trouble he  
shall hide me in his pavilion; in  
the secret of his tabernacle shall  
he hide me; he shall set me up  
upon a rock.

Psalms 27:5

Fret not thyself because of  
evil doers, neither be thou envi-  
ous of the workers of iniquity:  
for they shall be cut down like  
grass, and wither as the green  
herb.

Psalms 37:1, 2.

Holy Bible, book divine,  
Precious treasure, thou art mine.

### CHURCH DIRECTORY

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH  
Rev. W. W. HEAD, Pastor  
Services

11:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M.  
Prayer Meeting, Wed., 7:30

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.  
Prayer Meeting Thurs. Evening

Services

10:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M.

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