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*A man who is good enough to shed his blood for his country is good enough to have a square deal afterwards.*

*Theodore Roosevelt*

## NEARER HOME

One sweetly solemn thought  
 Comes to me o'er and o'er  
 I am nearer home to day  
 Than I have been before;  
 Nearer my Father's house,  
 Where many mansions be  
 Nearer the great white throne,  
 Nearer the crystal sea;  
 Nearer the bound of life,  
 Where we lay our burdens down;  
 Nearer leaving the cross,  
 Nearer gaining the crown!  
 But lying darkly between,  
 Winding down through the  
 night,  
 Is the silent unknown stream,  
 That leads at last to the light.  
 Closer and closer my steps  
 Come to the dread abyss;  
 Closer death, to my lips  
 Presses the awful chrym.  
 Oh, if my mortal feet  
 Have almost gained the brink;  
 If it be I am nearer home  
 Even to day than I think;  
 Father perfect my trust;  
 Let my spirit feel in death,  
 That her feet are firmly set  
 On the rock of a living faith!

PHOEBE CARY

## MAIL ORDER INSURANCE.

The Union National Life Insurance Co. of Kansas City, Kan., is circularizing this state soliciting accident insurance.

Inasmuch as the one purchasing a policy from this company does not have the protection of the department, or of any of the laws of Oregon, it is appropriate that the citizens should be informed regarding this class of insurance.

There are two primary causes for mail order insurance: First, to rescuse the payment of taxes; and second, to avoid the restrictions placed upon licensed companies for the protection of policy holders.

Should a claim against one of these policies be contested, the policy holder would be forced to go to the courts of Kansas for recourse, as the courts of Oregon would be closed to him.

In purchasing insurance of any kind it is advisable to patronize only those companies that are licensed to do business in this state, as these companies are under the supervision of the insurance department and are amenable to all of the laws of the state of Oregon.

*Will Moore*

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

THANK YOU SIR

The militant dries have every reason to be thankful to the distinguished advocates of light wine and beer who have been making the halls of Congress ring to the loud ballyhoo for the legalized dispensation of their favorite dope and their walls of agony over the alleged universal and total failure of enforcement. The net result of the hearings before the Senate committee will be to rouse many a sleeping dry and send him back to the line of duty. Oregon dries ought to be especially grateful to Mr. L. B. Sandblast who announces his candidacy for the Republican senatorial nomination on a platform liquor law modification and referendum.

When the ballots are counted, Mr. Sandblast will find that his hopes are but a rope of sand.

## ONLY A COLD

Miss Lucille La Verne, the American actress, tells an excellent story of a negress maid who once came to her tragically and said: "I've lost my instinct, miss!"  
 "But," said Miss La Verne, aghast, "you must be mistaken. You can't have lost your instinct."  
 "Oh, yes I has, miss," repeated the colored lady tearfully, "I can't smell anything at all."—Sporting and Democratic News.

## Times Have Changed

"Did you ever have your wife look you in the eye when you came home, and ask you if you had not forgotten something?" asked the young husband.  
 "Many a time, my boy," answered the old married man. "She does yet. In the early days it used to mean a kiss. Now it is usually a reference to wiping my shoes."—Stray Stories.

## Getting One Over

The young maiden was indignant, accusing the grocer of charging her too much.  
 "You're a very small potato, is what I think," she snapped.  
 "Perhaps," the grocer remarked, "but I never let myself be skinned."—The Progressive Grocer.

## Not the Fashion

"Well, what's this?" inquired Mamma, as she brought out her last season's winter coat.  
 "It looks to me," replied Maude, "like an eaten jacket."—Tit-Bits (London).

## Her Complaint

"Your honor, he's never at home."  
 "It must make you pretty lonesome."  
 "Not that! It leaves no one there with the baby."

## CROWDED COURT



First Hobo—Jever address a big crowd, Dusty?  
 Second Hobo—Sure—pretty big crowd.  
 First Hobo—And wot was yer remarks?  
 Second Hobo—Not guilty.

## A Garage Story

Only to bed,  
 And only to rise,  
 Is the way of a man  
 When an auto he drives.

## How Rude

"You say your husband is going to be a candidate? Why, he has never opened his mouth in public."  
 "Oh, yes, he has, dear. At the last speech your husband made he almost threw his jaw out of joint yawning."—Paris Rire.

## Tales Out of School

Lecturer—And in Japan the natives have a peculiar custom of removing their shoes before entering the house.  
 Childish Voice From the Rear—Humph, that's nothin'. Dad does, too, when he comes home late from the club.

## Not Sure

Poulterer—Was that a good chicken I sold you last Saturday?  
 Customer—I don't know. We couldn't get our teeth far enough into it to catch the real flavor.

## Just Like Mother

"Mother, what did you do when a boy first kissed you?"  
 "Never mind."  
 "I did the same thing, mother."

## BIBLE READING FOR THE WEEK

Learn to do well; seek judgment  
 Relieve the oppressed; judge the fatherless; plead for the widow.

If ye be willing and obedient, ye shall eat the good of the land.

And they shall beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war anymore.

Woe unto them that draw iniquity with cords of vanity, and sin as it were with a cart rope.

Sing unto the Lord; for he hath done excellent things: this is known in all the earth,

Comfort ye, comfort ye my people, saith your God.

The grass withereth, the flower fadeth: but the word of our God shall stand forever.

Selected from the Prophecy of

*Isaiah*

## I. O. O. F. ANNIVERSARY

Members of the Ione lodges of Rebekkas and Odd Fellows met at I. O. O. F. hall last Monday evening to celebrate the 107th anniversary of the order.

A very pleasing program of literary and musical numbers was rendered and a short address was made by Bro. Head of Cathlamet, No. 287. Games and refreshments closed a very pleasant evening.

Those taking part in the program were Ellen Ritchie, Fern Engelman, Dorris Gunzel, Joel Engelman, Darrell Padberg, Miss Linea Troedson, Mr. Heliker and Hazel Padberg. A number of instrumental selections were very pleasingly rendered by the Non Harmonious Trio.



IGONE LODGE No. 120. A. F. & A. M. Meets every first and third Wednesday of each month. W. M. W. E. Bullard Sec. Elmer Griffith

LOCUST CHAPTER No. 119. O. E. Mee's the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. W. M. Mrs. Clara Hawk; Sec. Mrs. Ruth Mason.



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

BUNCHGRASS REBEKAH No. 91. I. O. O. F. Meets the first and third Thursday of each month. N. G. Etta Howell; V. G. Vida Heliker Sec. Verda Ritchie; Treas. Etta Bristow.

## Church News

Notes of Interest to All  
 Local Denominations.

A large delegation of Seventh-Day Adventist clergymen from the Pacific Northwest will attend the quadrennial session of the General Conference of that denomination in Milwaukee, Wis., May 27 to June 14, when representatives will be present from 115 nations of the world where the church is being promoted.

Among local conference presidents who will attend will be E. F. Peterson of the Columbia River Conference, which includes Eastern Washington, Northern Idaho and a small strip of Oregon in its territory, George F. Watson of Hermiston will also be in attendance.

Pastor Head of Ione Congregational Church was in attendance on the sessions of the Columbia River Association of Congregational churches at Cathlamet, Wn. While there, he asked for and was granted a transfer of membership to the Portland Association.

The State Association of Congregational churches meets the 4th, 5th and 6th of May with the First Church at Eugene.

A large attendance is hoped for and every effort is being put forth to make meeting one to be long remembered.



## 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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 Junior Endeavor at 5:30 P. M.  
 Prayer meeting Thurs. 7:30 P. M.

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