

NEWS FROM COUNTRY CORRESPONDENTS

ASHLAND AND VICINITY

In connection with Normal publicity matters, the committee as well as private individuals are in receipt of many applications for advertising specialties, particularly those in the shape of enclosure in correspondence. The Elfers music house, with branches in all the leading coast cities, has made a requisition through a firm of local merchants for at least 3000 copies of such circulars, and various Portland houses have also been supplied.

H. L. Coolidge of Pasadena, Cal., brother of Mrs. J. R. Casey, wife of the local postmaster, arrived Friday for a visit with relatives. He has been up in the northeastern portion of the state as far as Enterprise, visiting a daughter there and son at Hood River. He is a nephew of Orlando Coolidge, a former old-time resident here, whose name as a horticulturist was known beyond bounds of county and state. In fact he was known as a wizard in horticulture before the present Burbank gained such world-wide celebrity.

Ashland has been placed in the same class with Siasconset, Mass., as far as wireless privileges are concerned, both stations having been dismantled pending war's developments. The local equipment was operated by Darrel Minkler, young and ardent student in physics, who takes delight and exhibits rare skill in experimentation along these lines. Even such terms as "Przemysl," instead of being forwarded at receiver's risk, were handled by the local system with impunity.

Incident to housecleaning measures in the business section, the interiors of Mitchell & Whittle's clothing emporium and Jim Yeo's barber shop shone resplendently with fresh calcimine in appropriate decorative effects. The exterior of the big Enders block is also being touched up in a most attractive manner.

Rev. E. C. Richards and wife of Klamath Falls are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Milner, parents of Mrs. Richards, who reside near the Normal. Mr. Richards has just been re-appointed to the Klamath Falls pastorate by the recent M. E. conference.

Rev. J. E. Holley, who hails from Nebraska and who has been giving a series of lectures at the Christian church, illustrated by moving films, was haled into the recorder's court Friday for exhibiting moving pictures without a license. Upon a showing that such entertainment was given without a regular charge for admission, in lieu of which the hat was passed for a free-will offering, the case was quashed on the spot.

C. A. Brown, at present on the J. B. Hunter place, southeast of the city, has leased the Swigart ranch of eighteen acres near his present location, and in addition to fruit-raising will engage in diversified farming. He will take possession November 1.

Alfred Beaver, son of A. M. Beaver, who has been in the automobile business in Portland for some time past, has sold out and is here visiting his parents pending future developments.

Word has just been received by the Congregational trustees that Rev. K. S. Tontz, of Camas, S. D., will be here by October 25 to look over the field previous to accepting the pastorate. In the meantime Rev. William Johnson of this city will occupy the pulpit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hobart of Grants Pass motored over from Josephine County Thursday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Simpson until Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Monroe, residing on Sixth street, left Friday for an extended visit in the central west, particularly in the vicinity of La Crosse, Wis. Mr. Monroe is in the employ of the Southern Pacific at the local yards.

James Kershaw of the Antelope district, known as the "goat king" of Jackson County, arrived here Friday, seeking medical advice at Granite City hospital regarding a chronic trouble, which upon investigation proved to be absence of the liver, with dangerous complications. Under the circumstances, a major operation was deemed out of the question.

Phil Rose, well-known Ashland boy and former high school grad, is now instructor of shorthand in the schools of Ripon, Cal., near Modesto. He is receiving a first-class salary, and to stenographic duties is added those of physical director of all the leading outdoor sports.

The score or two of local Elks who motored to Medford Thursday night speak in the highest terms of the hospitality extended at the smoker given by the fraternity at the metropole. By the way, Ashland Lodge resumes its regular schedule of meetings for the winter season on Saturday October 11.

With Medford trade is Medford made

spent Wednesday in town in the interests of the William Hanley campaign.

Mrs. H. F. French, a representative from the Oregon Agriculture College at Corvallis, will give a lecture in the school auditorium Thursday evening, of next week, October 8. The lecture will be given under the auspices of the Civic club. There will be a short musical program. Mrs. French's topic will be "The Community Center," which is a timely subject and Mrs. French should be accorded a full house. Let everyone ask his or her neighbor to be present and enjoy the evening.

J. Morton was called to North Yamhill last Monday evening.

Dr. T. T. Shaw went to Salem last week to attend the state fair.

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A delicious dinner followed, served by the Native Daughters, the hall being beautifully decorated for the occasion. Mr. O'Hara who presided at the head of the table had the distinction of being the oldest man at Jacksonville.

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PHOENIX PARAGRAPHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Vance, last Monday morning, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Garrett, of Ashland spent the first of the week with the latter's mother, Mrs. Anderson of this place.

Miss Marian B. Towne spent part of last week in Rogue River where she attended the Harvest Festival and furthered the interests of the personal campaign that she has inaugurated for her candidacy on the democratic ticket for the legislature.

It was decided at the last meeting of the W. T. C. U. to discuss at the next meeting the glaring misrepresentation of facts placed on billboards by the liquor interests in this vicinity. The kansas members were deeply incensed at the brazen way the truth was distorted about their state.

Work is progressing rapidly on the Pacific highway in this city. The crew coming south from Medford has the work in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Rader, Miss Marian B. Towne, Mrs. F. E. Furry and Mrs. Hearn were among those from this place who attended the Pioneer re-union in Jacksonville Thursday.

Mrs. Luther Stanclift made a trip to Ashland on Thursday.

J. F. Wortman attended the farewell reception given Dr. and Mrs. MacCullough in Medford Monday evening.

Mr. Townsend of Medford, has charge of the painting and papering of the new high school building.

The Willison family have moved into the Carpenter cottage on Pacific highway.

The Christian church has secured lots on First street near the depot and work has begun on the new church building.

A number of ladies from Medford and women classes want you, other

classes for the younger set, time 9:45 a.m.

Church service at 10:45 a.m. Special music.

Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p.m. Come.

Preaching service at 7:30 p.m. Special music. Subject, "Christ's Ambassadors." All are cordially invited and especially strangers in the city.

Nursery in basement for the babies, come mothers, come! Harry E. Tucker, minister.

Methodist

Medford Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Bartlett and Fourth streets, services Sunday as follows:

Preaching 11 a.m. by Rev. E. Olin Eldridge, the retiring pastor. Subject of discourse "International Peace."

Sunday school 9:45 a.m. Epworth League 6:15 p.m.

Evening service 7:30 p.m. Address by R. P. Hutton, assistant state superintendent of Anti-Saloon League.

Special music including solo by Mrs. W. M. Van Scyoc and anthem by the chorus choir. Everybody welcome.

Presbyterian

Mr. Hutton of the Anti-Saloon League of Oregon will speak at 11 a.m. Mr. Hutton is a most eloquent speaker. Now is the time when the great decision is to be made. All come. Solo, "Beyond the Dawn," by Fred Weatherby, Mrs. Etta Lunt. A violin solo.

At 7:30 p.m. a service in the interest of peace as our president, Mr. Woodrow Wilson, has requested. Many will take part in the service. Mr. A. J. Vance will preside. Mr. George Andrews will sing. Mr. Carlton Jones will give a violin solo. Chorus by the choir. "Where shall we build for national greatness? On the sword or on the principle of love?" All are invited.

Sunday school at 10 a.m. Keep up the rally.

Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p.m.

Woman's Missionary society meets Tuesday at 2:30 in the chapel, hostess Mrs. W. H. Gore.

JACKSONVILLE ITEMS

Phil Metchan and wife and Mrs. K. K. Kubli motored from Portland last week to attend the Shriners' conclave, returning by way of Crater Lake. While here they were the guests of Mrs. E. J. Kubli and Mrs. Mary Miller.

Fletcher Linn of Portland is spending a few weeks in this vicinity looking after his apple orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ulrich were the dinner guests of Mrs. Blaine Klim last Monday evening.

J. Morton was called to North Yamhill on business two weeks ago.

COKER BUTTE CROAKS

Mrs. A. J. Case left on Monday for Michigan, where she will remain during the winter.

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At the Churches

The Men's Bible Class

Of the First Baptist church meet every Sunday morning at 9:45. The subject for discussion tomorrow is a very important one, which will be lead by the teacher, Attorney Mearns. Strangers and all the old members are requested to be present.

St. Mark's Episcopal

Holy communion, 8 a.m.

Sunday school 10 a.m.

Holy communion and sermon with intercessions for those engaged in war, 11 a.m. Wm. B. Hamilton, vicar.

Oakdale Avenue Methodist

Sunday school at 10 a.m.

Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sacrament of the Lord's supper will follow the morning sermon.

The evening service will be brief and strictly evangelical.

Prayer meeting Thursday evening.

Come and worship with us. Strangers are welcome. H. M. Branham, pastor.

First Church of Christ, Scientist

Sunday service at 11 o'clock. Subject "Unreality."

Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 7:30.

All are cordially invited.

Sunday school at 10 o'clock. All under the age of 20 are welcome.

Reading room in church edifice, 212 North Oakdale, open from 1:30 to 4:30 daily, except Sundays and holidays.

Jacksonville Presbyterian

Morning worship with prayer for World Peace, followed by Holy Communion, at 11 o'clock.

Evening worship with sermon at 7:30 o'clock. Subject: "Punishment and Lesson of the War." At this service two letters will be read, one from English pastors and one from German pastors. These letters are quite remarkable.

Wednesday evening worship and discussion at 7:30 o'clock.

Baptist

Rev. H. E. Wilson, formerly of Toronto, Canada, who has recently come to Oregon, will fill the pulpit at the First Baptist church Sunday, October 4.

Subject for morning sermon, "The Love of God." Subject for evening sermon, "Man's Need of a Refuge."

Bible school 9:45 a.m.

H. Y. P. U. 6:30 p.m.

The Rally Day program has been postponed one week and will take the morning service, Sunday, October 11.

Every one cordially invited to our services. Special music both morning and evening.

Christian

Corner of Ninth and South Oakdale will be pleased to have you attend all services Sunday.

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and women classes want you, other

classes for the younger set, time 9:45 a.m.

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