

WITHYCOMBE SAYS ASHLAND NEEDS SET OF CHIMES

Dr. James Withycombe, at a reception tendered him by thirty-five ladies of Ashland Wednesday afternoon, said among other things:

"Oregon is a great state, a remarkable state, a wonderful state. Its giant trees point to the heavens, its silver streams run to the sea. The mountains are covered with valuable forests and are full of rich minerals. The rivers are teeming with fish.

"The fields of Oregon are most fertile. I know something of agriculture in our state, and I predict a remarkable future for the farmer. I hope to see the day when every farm house shall have hot and cold water.

"We have a great commonwealth here in Oregon and in a few years it shall contain greater numbers of fine people. We should get together and stand together for a Greater Oregon.

"I congratulate you on your splendid town and your magnificent army. What a never-ending source of pleasure it must be to live in such a beautiful place! You have a wonderful park and a most progressive people. Your public improvements are remarkable and indicate a most enterprising citizenship.

"One suggestion I would make to add to the poetic imagery and lend a fairy touch to the beauty of this delightful city, if I may be excused for making a suggestion to this splendid audience—I would suggest that a set of chimes be installed at public expense, so that their soft, silver melody will float out upon the circumambient air and over verdure clad hill and woody dell, romantically blending with the tinkling murmurs of your picturesque creek and musically mingling with the whisper of the zephyrs that softly blow under the sunny skies of our American Italy."

SPAIN RATIFIES PEACE TREATY WITH AMERICA

MADRID, via Paris, Oct. 15, 1:30 a. m.—The Council of Ministers has approved the ratification of the treaty of arbitration between Spain and the United States.

GERMAN ARMY MOVES WESTWARD DECLARES BERLIN

BERLIN, Oct. 15, via wireless to Sayville, L. I.—Information concerning the progress of the war was given in Berlin today as follows:

"German troops in Belgium are now marching in part toward Ostend and in part in a southwesterly direction toward the French frontier. The headquarters of Emperor William have been moved farther into France.

Russian Cruiser Torpedoed

"The Russian armored cruiser Pallada, of 8,000 tons, built in 1906, has been torpedoed by a German submarine at the entrance of the Gulf of Finland. The torpedo launched by the submarine caused an explosion on board the cruiser and the Russian vessel with her entire crew of six hundred men went straight to the bottom.

"There has been heavy fighting in France east of Soissons and the Argonne. The French official reports about successes in the Woevre district are untrue. The Germans nowhere have lost ground. Etain (12 miles east of Verdun) is in German hands. French attacks against our position near St. Mihiel have been repulsed.

"The war booty secured in Antwerp cannot yet be estimated. Twenty six thousand Belgians and two thousand Englishmen have been interned in Holland. In the harbor of Antwerp we found thirty two German steamers, the boilers of which apparently had been disabled.

Russians Defeated

"Russian forces have been defeated near Schirwindt (in East Prussia, nineteen miles to the east of Gumbinnen) with a loss of 1500 prisoners and twenty canon. German troops have repulsed the Russians south of Warsaw and hold Southern Poland as far as the Vistula river.

"Emperor William, acting on a petition handed him by Cardinal Hartmann of Cologne, has ordered that French Catholic priests among the prisoners in Germany who entered the French ranks as common soldiers, shall be treated in Germany in the same manner as are French officers.

"It is reported here from Stettin that German torpedo boat destroyers

ASK UNCLE SAM TO AID WEST AS WELL AS SOUTH

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Proposals of government aid for the cereal growers of the central states and the copper producers of the west were made today in the senate as an offset to the fight for cotton relief legislation in connection with the war revenue bill.

A \$500,000,000 appropriation to protect cereal farmers along the lines of the cotton amendment was proposed by Senator McCumber. His amendment would authorize the secretary of the treasury to buy cereals whenever wheat fell below \$1.10 a bushel, barley below 65 cents and oats below 50 cents.

Senator Smoot of Utah introduced an amendment providing that the government purchase copper when it falls below 19 cents per pound and issue \$50,000,000 in 4 per cent bonds for the purpose.

The cotton states senators vigorously pressed their amendment to authorize a \$250,000,000 bond issue for the purchase of 5,000,000 bales of cotton at 10 cents a pound.

Senator Overman proposed an amendment which would authorize the secretary of the treasury to loan to the southern states the amounts collected by the government under the cotton tax imposed during and after the civil war. This would authorize a total loan of \$65,963,598.31.

Action on the bond proposals was deferred and consideration of items in the bill resumed. Without debate the committee amendment to strike out the proposed taxes on proprietary medicines was adopted, this action cutting out approximately \$2,000,000 of the estimated annual revenue.

ANOTHER SAWMILL TO BE BUILT AT KLAMATH

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Oct. 15.—Another sawmill for Klamath Falls is assured by the announcement that 26,000,000 feet of timber in the Crater national forest and near Upper Klamath lake, has been purchased by W. E. Lamm of Danville, Ill., who is now in Portland, arranging for machinery for his proposed plant. The mill is likely to be greeted without delay, for under his contract with the forest service he must cut the timber within four years' time.

STEAMER METAPAN SUNK IN COLLISION NEW YORK HARBOR

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—The steamer Metapan, entering Ambrose channel, collided this afternoon with the steamer Iowan. The Metapan began to send out "S. O. S." signals at once. Within a few minutes she reported that she was sinking.

Her boats were hastily lowered. Several steamers, among them the Monterey and the Camino, hurried toward the stricken vessel.

The Metapan is a United Fruit company steamer and sailed from Colon, October 8 for this port. She usually carried from seventy-five to one hundred passengers.

The Metapan was asked by wireless: "Are you badly damaged?" She replied: "Yes, we are badly damaged and in a sinking condition. Need help at once."

The Sandy Hook lifesavers left the

DISCOVERED SIX VESSELS OF NORWEGIAN SWEDISH AND DANISH NATIONALITY LOADED WITH GOODS AND PROVISIONS DESTINED FOR LONDON AND GRIMSBY AND ALSO FOR RUSSIA. ALL WERE TAKEN INTO SWINE-MUNDE.

A large crowd is attending the three days' opening at "Mann's greater Medford store," commemorating his fourth anniversary and store enlargement, necessitated by increased business. Souvenirs are provided, while Hazelrigg's orchestra discourses sweet music.

Just four years ago Mr. Mann purchased this store and stock. In these four years the business has quadrupled, in the face of hard times and general business depression. Every month has seen a steady increase in the volume of business and the number of satisfied customers. His old quarters were outgrown and he has secured the adjoining store room and remodeled the establishment, doubling its capacity.

How is it that Mr. Mann has been so prosperous, when so many have been complaining? The answer is easy—close attention to business and advertising. Mr. Mann is the largest newspaper advertiser in Medford—and is constantly increasing his space—that is why his store has grown into the "largest, brightest, most complete and busiest" store in Medford.

FIRE IN ARSENAL DESTROYS DREADNAUGHT

LONDON, Oct. 15, 3:30 p. m.—Fire in the government arsenal at Trieste, the principal seaport of Austria-Hungary on the Adriatic Sea, has virtually destroyed an Austrian dreadnaught under construction there, according to a Central News dispatch from Rome.

Do It Today

Resolve to smoke Gov. Johnson cigars, the best, and thereby patronize home industry.

QUICKEST, SUREST COUGH REMEDY IS HOME-MADE

Some people are constantly annoyed from one year's end to the other with a persistent bronchial cough, which is wholly unnecessary. Here is a home-made remedy that gets right at the cause and will make you wonder what became of it. (Get 2 1/2 ounces Pinex (50 cents worth) from any druggist, pour into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. Start taking it at once. Gradually but surely you will notice the phlegm thin out and then disappear altogether, thus ending a cough that you never thought would end. It also loosens the dry, hoarse or tight cough and heals the inflammation in a painful cough with remarkable rapidity. Ordinary coughs are conquered by it in 24 hours or less. Nothing better for bronchitis, winter coughs and bronchial asthma.

This Pinex and Sugar Syrup mixture makes a full pint—enough to last a family a long time—at a cost of only 54 cents. Keeps perfectly and tastes pleasant. Easily prepared. Full directions with Pinex.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, rich in quinine, and is famous the world over for its ease, certainty and promptness in overcoming bad coughs, chest and throat colds.

Get the genuine. Ask your druggist for "2 1/2 ounces Pinex," and do not accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

GIRLS! GIRLS! YOU MUST TRY THIS! DOUBLES BEAUTY OF YOUR HAIR

Immediate?—Yes! Certain?—That's the joy of it. Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a Danderine hair cleanse. Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or excessive oil, and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair. A delightful surprise awaits those whose hair has been neglected or is scraggy, faded, dry, brittle or thin. Besides beautifying the hair, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair, but what will please you most will be after a few week's use, when you see new hair—fine and downy at first—you get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and just try it.

MY AIM

IS TO BUILD A BUSINESS IN MEDFORD

I am depending upon quality, low prices, and the merits of my workmanship to accomplish this. When your watch or clock goes wrong, try Johnson at the Book Store. The results will please you.

Johnson The Jeweler

MEDFORD BOOK STORE

My Guarantee Is Good. All New Stock.

Dr. Lyman Abbott, Eminent Pastor, Uses Bible to Rap Prohibition

"It was not the method of Jesus. He lived in an age of total abstinence societies and DID NOT JOIN THEM. He emphasized the distinction between His methods and those of John the Baptist, that John came neither eating nor drinking; the Son of Man came eating and DRINKING. He condemned drunkenness, but NEVER in a single instance lifted up His voice in CONDEMNATION OF DRINKING. On the contrary, He commended His public ministry by MAKING WINE in considerable quantity, and of fine quality, and this apparently only to add to the JOYOUS FESTIVITIES OF A WEDDING."

REV. LYMAN ABBOTT, New York.

(Paid Advertisement, Taxpayers & Wage Earners' League of Oregon, Portland, Oregon.)

SWEATERS, UNDERWEAR AND OTHER KNIT GOODS

HERE ARE COMPREHENSIVE ASSORTMENTS OF SWEATERS, UNDERWEAR AND EVERY OTHER SORT OF KNIT GOODS FOR FALL AND WINTER. THE BEST STYLES ARE INCLUDED, IN COLORS AND PATTERNS MOST IN DEMAND. THESE KNIT GOODS ARE MADE OF THE VERY BEST YARNS AND WILL GIVE EXCELLENT SERVICE. THEY ARE KNIT OVER PROPERLY SIZED MODELS, SO THAT PERFECT FIT IS ASSURED. YOU ARE SAFE IN BUYING ANY OF THEM—SAFE AS TO QUALITY AND PRICE.

New Sweaters for Fall



An extremely large stock, bought while the prices were at their lowest. All sizes and styles for women & children

Infants' Knit Sacques and Sweaters

Warm Knit Garments That Will Help Keep the Baby Cozy and Comfortable through the Cold Days.

"Forest Mill" Knit Underwear for Men Women and For The Children.

The same good kinds of underwear you are accustomed to buying at this store, at prices that have not so far been affected by the European war. A complete line of "Forest Mills" Underwear is here in every wanted style and size for men, women and children.



The Blankets and Comforts You Will Need this Winter.

A good stock of Bed Blankets and Comforts, containing qualities and offering all the wanted sizes and patterns. Reasonably priced, too.



Flannelette Gowns for Cold Nights

These are the famous "Brighton Brand" Flannelette Nightgowns for women and children. Every gown is well made and correctly sized; the materials are all of good qualities and will give splendid service. Wisdom suggests that you buy a supply of these gowns now in preparation for the cold weather. Prices 59¢ to \$2.00.

Every Wanted Kind of Flannelette Is Here

One of the most important features of this stock is the dependability of every yard of flannelettes it presents. Another important feature is the moderateness of prices. The stock includes plain and colored outing flannels, heavy fleeced robing cloth for bath robes, all-wool heavy outing flannels, etc.

Eiderdowns at 50c

We offer a stock of Wool Eiderdowns, in all colors, at Special Price, 50c

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