

CROWDS INCREASE ENTHUSIASM GROWS REVIVAL MEETING

Even before the building was opened last evening the people began to gather on the sidewalk for the Matthis meeting at the Natorium. The largest week night crowd was present when Bernard Vessey announced the first number of the song service. The music is a strong feature of these meetings. When Vessey takes his cornet in hand you can hear the very words of the hymn—and when he climbs on top of the pulpit and urges the people to sing—they sing with hearty good will. A children's chorus has been organized and will furnish the music for the Saturday night gathering.



Director Bernard Vessey

placing in the line light the weak traits of the human heart as to inspire courage to turn from them and claim the help of the higher life. The evangelist evidently believes heartily in a personal devil, for he said, "The devil is a liar—always has been. This old world does not belong to him—can he not give it to a man, though he promises big things he can not make good." Some people don't believe in a personal devil—with some it is necessary only to look in a mirror. But there is hope—Jesus Christ is able today to cast out the devil from the human heart as of old. One statement the preacher made might well be hung up in every office and home—"get away from the pessimist—he is the work of the devil." There are some people who seem to think the more pessimistic they are the more religious they are.

That's not so. Pessimism is never religious. A deep impression is being made upon the large number of people who attend these services. Tonight the meeting will begin at 7 o'clock instead of 7:30, and will close in time for all who desire to attend the basket ball game. People who are neglecting to attend the great meetings—thinking there is yet plenty of time are warned that they may be mistaken. This is a supreme opportunity for the city—it is in the part of wisdom to improve it.

Thursday evening will be women's night. Everybody is invited but a special invitation is extended to all societies and clubs of women. Jacksonville people are planning to come in large numbers at that time. Better come early if you want a seat.

NOTICE Precincts Medford North Main and West Medford register now at the Mail Tribune office.

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News From Our Neighbors

WILLOW SPRINGS

R. W. Elden transacted business in Medford Friday. Willow Springs was well represented at the poultry show in Medford the past week. I. P. Williams was repairing line 15 in this district Monday. Grover Cook and family have moved to the property owned by C. M. Kidd of Medford. Sunday H. M. Porter and family enjoyed visiting with O. S. Blackford. W. Danlap was transacting business in this district Monday. D. W. Stone and wife are expected home Wednesday after an extended visit with their daughter in Lewiston, Idaho. S. S. Aiken of Prospect visited with friends in Willow Springs Thursday. George Davis is recovering from a very severe attack of la grippe. Albert Forgy attended drill practice in Medford Wednesday. Julius Barkholz and family were callers at the home of R. F. Dean Sunday. At the schoolhouse Friday evening the Grangers held a very successful business meeting. Medford visitors Saturday were R. F. Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stroube and Frank Thompkins. Miss Florence Cleveland returned to her home in Eugene after a very pleasant visit with Mrs. W. A. Thompson. Marion Young and family and Mrs. Hicks of Ashland will move to their property in this vicinity and make their permanent home here. Roy Nichols suffered the loss of a valuable dapple gray horse last week. Mrs. L. A. Salade, Miss K. A. Pickard, Mrs. R. L. Wilson, Miss F. McNasser, Miss Ethel Dean and Albert Forgy of Willow Springs attended the Edison program at the Page Friday afternoon. Leslie Davis has become an enthusiastic motor owner, having purchased a 1916 Ford car of Mr. Gates of Medford.

FLOUNCE ROCK FRILLS

Boyd Tucker and family returned to Skookum Gorge Wednesday after a stay of several weeks in Medford. James Embry made a trip down the power line last week. S. S. Aiken went to Medford Monday. Mrs. Chartran of Debe came over Wednesday to stay awhile with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hignbotham. Thursday was Uria Vaughn's birthday anniversary, so he and his father and brother spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Dittworth and consumed quantities of ice cream. Monday night there was a party at Mr. and Mrs. Carl Richardson's and Sunday night an ice cream party at Mr. Vaughn's. Frogs are loudly "singing" on Mr. Manning's ranch, endeavoring to convince folks that spring is here. Mr. and Mrs. Brophy returned last week from a visit in Medford. Mr. Peterson reports that a literary club was organized at Prospect recently. Our "social season" seems to be a bit late in starting this year. Mrs. Walker and daughter, Ora, came home Sunday from Chico, Cal. Mr. Walker met them at the station Saturday, but the train was so late they did not start home that day. Mr. Sholl of the power plant went to Medford Saturday. Margery Erskine spent from Friday to Sunday with home folks. One of the most enjoyable parties of the winter was given by Mesdames Dawson and Vinson Saturday night at the Dawson home. The house was lavishly decorated with valentine symbols and ferns. There was a large crowd present and several new games were introduced and prizes given. Pearl Peyton got the prize for collecting the most hearts. Hobart Dittworth and Miss Hanson were rewarded for "going to New York" in quickest time, and other prizes were divided among several winners. Delicious ham sandwiches, ice cream and cake were served. The subject for debate at Laurelhurst Literary society next Saturday night is: "Resolved, that the United States should annex Mexico."

ASHLAND AND VICINITY

The announced appearance of Master Mechanic Small in Southern Pacific yards Monday night led to about eight men being let off the night shift for "sleeping on the job." The "sleeping" charge is a literal one, several of the force having been caught enjoying an earlier morning nap than shop rules provide for. The names involved are: Charley Cane, general foreman; James Ferguson, engine inspector; Walter Keene, night foreman; George Culy, machinist; George McNabb, boilermaker; Sam Oslin, boilerwasher, and a helper named Ramsey. Some of the men expect reinstatement. Cane is at the head of the force, both day and night shifts. Ferguson is said to have been employed by the S. P. for over twenty years. Coached by Director Simpson, who coached them to high school territory, Tuesday morning in his new car, four other citizens visited that institution and enjoyed witnessing from personal observation the workings of Ashland's model educational establishment. Besides Director Simpson, the party included W. H. McNair, druggist; E. E. Phipps, realty; E. D. Wagner, legislator, and C. W. Banta, city councilman. The party repeated the same kind of a visit to the west school on Wednesday. The Eastern Star at its regular meeting Tuesday evening had some extra fine musical selections in addition to routine work and refreshments. An elaborate Victrola was a chief attraction provided by the Rose Bros., and Mrs. Howard Rose attended to the manipulation of the famous instrument. Two school lads, way back near last Christmas time, broke into a private garage and helped themselves to joyrides on a Ford while the proprietor was out of town. All this time evidence has been accumulating against them, with the result that arrest followed and they have been bound over to the grand jury in bonds, which are in no trifling sum. Both boys are respectably connected. Perhaps the lesson will be salutary. Tuesday morning three business houses woke up to the fact that they had been burglarized the night previous. The list includes Simpson's hardware, McNair Bros., drugs, and Perrine's notion store. Very little actual cash was taken and but few goods. McNair's have no safe, but the one at Simpson's experienced some rough usage, though no explosives were used. Instead, the burglars played free and easy with a lot of fine new tools in the way of saws

and picks, which Simpson handles in his business, some being practically ruined. They skipped a cigar store in which the proprietor sleeps. Perrine cannot estimate his loss until after invoicing. Funeral Director Stuck was called to Talent Tuesday afternoon to assist at services incident to the funeral of Sam Murphy, who died in that town recently at the age of 55. He was a miner and a native of Ohio. He leaves a wife and family. Interment was in Stearns' cemetery. Ed Ryan, the well-known Grants Pass commercial traveler, who underwent a major operation at Granite City hospital months ago, is in Illinois visiting his parents, having fully recovered. He will return to southern Oregon in due season and "take to the road" again, having filed application for a job as traveling salesman. Mrs. Clara Rhodes Engle and baby will remain here awhile with the former's mother, Mrs. A. L. Irwin, until the husband and father, L. F. Engle, who is a traveling man, decides on the family's new location. With \$845 raised and \$900 in sight, the outlook for local Congregationalists in raising an expense budget of an even \$1000 is most encouraging. The money will be used to meet current obligations. The society received a severe blow in the street improvement line, paying almost dual rates. The church is located at a point marking the intersection of the boulevard and East Main street. This section was originally macadamized, and when the paving era dawned, good, serviceable macadam was torn up to make way for the bitulithic dope. Extra expense, however, stands for "uniformity," which was the demand of the hour. Rev. H. H. Wikoff of San Francisco, field secretary of the Congregational Church Building society, was present when the appeals for pledges were made and coached the membership as to the merits of systematic giving, the responses being unusually generous. The original church edifice was built in 1887. It has a fine paragonage. Rev. R. W. Farquhar is pastor. On Sunday, February 27, the local Baptist church will enjoy the pleasure of having the De Moss Concert company assume the choir's prerogative at the regular church service. Order No. 22, issued to First company of the coast artillery, is an imperative command instead of a mere formal invitation to attend the Washington birthday observance at the armory, February 22. The annual military ball will cap the climax of the event. The second game at basketball, Monday at Roseburg, was lost by

Ashland. Score, 28 to 13. The team will not go further north, but must return in time for the initial game with Franklin high of Portland, Thursday evening, February 17. It needs the short time intervening in order to get in some good practice play. John Corbett left Tuesday on the return trip to his Cassadaga mining property in Siskiyou county, ten miles from Hill. At that town he will secure the services of a helper and they will pack in grubstake supplies sufficient for the balance of the winter. Furniture and fixtures for the new Hotel Oregon are daily being unloaded. The "fall of the bustle" is figuratively represented every day in the busy work now going on there. Out of chaos is coming order, and one may begin to note the scope of what a \$15,000 improvement really contemplates. At a regular meeting of the Business Men's association Monday evening, D. D. Norris was elected to the dual positions of secretary of both the Commercial club and the Business Men's organization. Mrs. James Mattingly left for Salem on Tuesday morning to be with her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Harris, during a critical surgical operation which the daughter is about to undergo. The Harris family formerly resided here, and now live on a R. F. D. route three miles out of Salem. Mrs. J. K. Choate left on Monday for an extended visit with her parents at San Francisco. Frank M. Roberts, traveling out of Chicago as inspector for the Charles H. Scott Co., was here early in the week interviewing merchants and railway officials. Oregon at large is his chosen boasting ground, and he never tires of praising the beauties of this southern section in the most optimistic colors. The local armory may stage an amateur boxing bout next week on or about Thursday, February 24. "B. B." said to stand for Barney Burnett, a local expert, has been prevailed upon to meet Joe Yashbinder, in whom the sporting element of Gold Hill think they have found a match for Ashland's Cardiff giant. The battle will be in conformity to pure food and prohibition enactment. Publicity Manager Duryea has received from the Great Northern railway a unique inkwell, being a replica of the "big potato," which baked to a turn has made the dining car service of that system famous. Joe Rader, former sheriff of this county, and now a leading stockman on ranch property between Talent and Phoenix, motored to Ashland on Tuesday. His wife accompanied him.

Dr. Ciser on Tuberculosis

As without order, one of the foremost of living medical men, formerly of Johns Hopkins, Baltimore, and now Eugene, Professor of Medicine at Oregon, writes in his "Practice of Medicine" (1902), on page 239: "The healing of pulmonary tuberculosis is shown clinically by the recovery of patients in whose sputa elastic tissue and bacilli have been found. In the granulations, products and associated pneumonia a similar course occurs. However, in pneumonia with time shifts. To such conditions alone should the term 'healing' be applied." Many eminent medical authorities have testified to the efficacy of time salts in the treatment of tuberculosis, and the success of Eckman's Alternative in this and allied throat and bronchial affections may be due partly to the fact that it contains a time salt so combined with other valuable ingredients as to be easily assimilated. Widespread use of this remedy in numerous cases of tuberculosis—many of which appear to have yielded completely to its action—has led to the belief that it is worth a trial, unless some other treatment already in successful use promises to give more than a reputable physician gives promise with their prescriptions. But in the many cases in which it HAS HELPED. Your druggist has it or can get it, or you may order it from Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

DISTRICT ATTORNEY I hereby announce that I have filed my declaration of intention to become a candidate for the republican nomination for the office of District Attorney for Jackson county, Oregon, subject to the decision of the republican party, at the primary election to be held May 19, 1916. Adv. G. M. ROBERTS.

I am a candidate for re-election to the office of district attorney. Adv. E. E. KELLY.

I hereby announce that I have filed my declaration of intentions, and that I am a candidate for the democratic nomination for the office of district attorney, subject to the May primaries. If I am nominated and elected to this office, I promise not to forget the fact that I am a public servant, and that I will to the best of my ability administer the affairs of the office impartially, honestly, and without fear or favor. Adv. NEWTON W. BORDEN.

COUNTY TREASURER Deputy County Treasurer Myrtle W. Blakeley announces her candidacy for the office of county treasurer.

I hereby announce my candidacy on the republican ticket for the office of county treasurer, to be voted on at the coming primaries. I have held the position as deputy in this office for the past year and am confident that I can fulfill the duties connected therewith. I served two years as deputy county recorder before taking the position as deputy county treasurer; I have also had experience as accountant for several corporations, such as the Medford Concrete Construction company and Medford Ice and Storage company, before taking up county work and will say that my past record is open for inspection to the voters of Jackson county. If nominated and elected I will run the office without the expense of a deputy and continue to serve the public just as efficient in the future as I have in the past. Adv. MYRTLE W. BLAKELEY.

I hereby announce that I have filed my declaration of intention to become a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of county treasurer, to be voted on in the coming primaries. If I am nominated and elected will conduct the office in an efficient and businesslike manner. Adv. ROY L. MAULE.

COUNTY CLERK I hereby announce that I have filed my declaration of intention to become a candidate for the republican nomination for the office of county clerk for Jackson county, Oregon, subject to the decision of the republican party, at the primary election to be held May 19, 1916. Adv. (Little) JOE H. WILSON.

SHERIFF I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination for sheriff on the republican ticket, to be voted upon at the coming primaries, May 19th, 1916.

I have held the position of deputy sheriff for the past four years and am thoroughly familiar with the duties connected with the office, both clerical and outside work. I feel that I am competent to hold the position, and if nominated and elected, will give the people of Jackson county an efficient and economical administration. I also agree if elected to enforce all laws. Adv. E. W. (Curley) WILSON.

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT I hereby announce my candidacy on the republican ticket for the office of County School Superintendent for Jackson county, Oregon, subject to the will of the republican party at the primary election May 19, 1916. I stand for practical school efficiency, personal supervision of the schools and elimination of county school supervisors. Adv. FRANCIS C. SMITH.



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