

ASHLAND AND VICINITY

In line with a recommendation from the board of health, the city authorities continue until further notice the embargo on public gatherings, whether schools, churches, theatres, lodges or other assemblages. The ban was applied on Tuesday morning. There are but few cases of influenza here, and these are sporadic ones. A few families anticipated the closing movement as a precautionary measure by keeping their children out of school before the official order was made. There is no evidence whatever of an epidemic here, the authorities simply wishing to lessen the danger of infection and guard against complications. Official notice of the closing epoch would have been made in the Tidings of Tuesday, if that paper had not gone to press on its weekly issue basis ahead of schedule.

In line with other fraternal organizations the ladies of the Macebees here are investing in Liberty bonds, this specific organization goes the others one better by making its purchases in the generous amount of \$500 or over.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Liberty loan campaign incident to the present fourth series, Monday evening, it developed that the sum of \$12,300 was lacking to complete the quota of \$181,000 for the Ashland district. No steps were taken to make the concluding days of the campaign otherwise than ones on the voluntary subscription basis. This plan was adopted at the start, devoid of hysterical features, and will be continued until the close of the campaign on Friday of this week, and this too without magnifying whatever as regards final results, inasmuch as the quota is all already practically assured. In the early days of the campaign, when the Macebees from Portland had wired local headquarters to "come over and help us," the retort courteous was a rejoinder, "We will be there when you need us!"

Rosetta McNeil, county health nurse, was here the first three days of the week in consultation with parents and children over health matters, with transient office room at the Hawthorne school building.

The reception in honor of Rev. C. A. Edwards and family, postponed from last week, will be held in the Methodist church parlors on Thursday evening, Oct. 17.

Three Ashland soldier boys received commissions as second lieutenants in the service, last Saturday, at the conclusion of the fifth training camp at Fort Monroe, Va., where the specific training is in that of coast artillery. The trio of new officers and their assignments include James Q. Adams, Port Stevens; Lynn D. Mowatt, point of embarkation, Holston, N. J.; Carroll M. Wagner, Fort Monroe.

W. B. Ayer, federal food administrator for Oregon, was in Ashland last Sunday, on the way to San Francisco to attend a conference of the allied food administrators east of the Rock mountains.

George Gianore after over a dozen years continuous service in the employ of the Ashland creamery, leaves this week for an indefinite stay in Portland, accompanied by his family. Their cozy home on Nob Hill street has been rented to P. L. Spencer, principal of Junior high school.

In contests for prizes connected with Liberty loan essays, as participated in by school children throughout the state, Ashland does not seem to have been represented. George Lounsbury, of Medford, and Frances Cope, Helen Norris, Esther Miller, and Irene Chandler, all of Phoenix, won prizes worthy of the effort. Over 150,000 school children in Oregon entered the competition, the topic suggested for the essay being, "My Liberty Bond and I."

Louis Lager, well known former resident here, and who for several years has been identified with his brother in mining pursuits in the district tributary to Tonopah, Nev., was recently in an automobile accident. He was removed home to South Dakota in a serious condition.

Ed Farlow visited with his son-in-law, Herman Anderson, of Coquille, between trains on Sunday, the latter being on his way home from a business trip to San Francisco.

A Christmas bureau has been added to the Red Cross salvage department, the idea being to induce every child to donate one gift to, and also purchase one from, these headquarters, the means derived from this voluntary giving and purchasing to form the nucleus of a Christmas fund in behalf of needy children overseas during the forthcoming holidays. The Shetland pony, a diminutive animal, even smaller than the usual specimen, which was lately presented to the salvage management, has arrived from the vicinity of Eagle Point, and in the exposure of admiring eyes not only from the little folks but also the older ones.

Miss Gladys Hammond, W. C. T. U. lecturer, will give an address at the Baptist church, Friday evening, Oct. 18, on "Our Part in a Great Democracy."

With the closing of the hunting season numerous local parties made forays into various districts hereabouts with varying success and some with no luck whatever. Dr. E. H. Johnson and boys went to Lake of the Woods and Pelican Bay, finding that Herman Stock had preceded them at the lake. Emerson Howell and Nym Long went to Mt. Wagner territory, returning empty-handed. Ed Phipps and Bill Mitchell hunted in the region of Mt. Wagner also, and the former got a deer. Conley Bates and George Kramer motored over to

Buck Lake, after ducks, getting several which got away. J. J. Cambers, owner of the Buck Lake ranch, came home with them for a brief visit before returning to his big ranch there of over 2000 acres to fix up everyting snug for the winter season. This ranch is all substantially fenced, the lake proper being a portion of the holdings, and several hundred head of cattle are pastured on this ideal grazing property. The lake has been mentioned as the fountain head of several irrigation projects.

EAGLE POINT EAGLETS

By A. C. Hewitt

Wednesday afternoon Miss Florence Loring, our intermediate teacher, gave an entertainment in her department, and invited in the matrons of the school. Master Nelsine Pierce presided. It consisted of vocal and instrumental music, recitations, readings, and wound up with a smiling match. There were nine of the pupils lined up. Dr. Holt, Mrs. L. K. Hank and A. C. Hewitt were selected as judges. There were over 200 words pronounced and but very few of them were misused. Mrs. Hank's little boy and John Robinson's eight daughter did not miss a word and they they stood up and smiled for the championship, and we began to think that we were in for an afternoon smiling contest, but after a good long time Miss Robinson missed a word and that closed that part of the program. During the entertainment Mrs. Royal, Mrs. Loring and Miss Loring sang a duet. The exercises were very good all the way through, and one thing that I noticed in particular was that all of the children spoke in good and clear, and little Miss Smith, a girl of about 12 or 13 years, read an article on the work of the Red Cross, and I think that she deserves special credit for the manner in which she rendered the reading. (The entire entertainment reflects credit on the teachers who have acted as instructors. Miss Loring announced at the close that she expected to have similar entertainments every month of six weeks. There was quite a number of the matrons of the school in attendance and everybody seemed to be well pleased.)

Mrs. Charles Pancer returned from Ashland Thursday, where she had been for medical and dental treatment. She tells me that she expects to start for Washington (state) to join her husband, who is working in the lumber industry, in a short time.

There has been some ugly looking holes in the bridge between the post-office and the depot and our mayor has taken it upon himself to tear up the old floor and replace it with new lumber, something that has been needed for some time.

Shorty Allen and his brother-in-law, Mr. Hensley, came in Thursday morning for breakfast. Mr. Allen had been up to the sawmill near the Free ferry; the day before after a load of lumber to be used in building on a tract of land he has purchased off of the Von der Hellen tract on Antelope creek, and Mr. Hensley is engaged in picking apples on the Tronson orchard and is taking his supper and breakfast here at the Sunnyside.

Friday Mr. E. A. Periv, business manager for Mrs. L. E. Arnes of the Interurban Truck company of Medford and his chauffeur were here looking over the fruit industry, taking dinner at the Sunnyside.

The sad news of the accidental shooting of Roy Willett came over the wire and appeared to be a complete shock to almost everyone who heard it. Mr. Willett was the mail contractor and carrier from Eagle Point to Perseus for four years and was one of our most highly respected citizens and leaves a number of warm friends to join in sympathy for the bereaved family. Word came Saturday that he passed away Friday night.

Mrs. Merle Wilson, daughter of

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ex-County Commissioner Riley, was doing business in our town Friday. Rev. J. F. Britton, his brother, T. E. Britton and V. E. Britton were doing business in our town Friday afternoon.

I understand that the people of the Apostolic faith, who have been holding services here on Wednesday evenings, will hold services next Wednesday, the 16th inst. They seem to be doing some good and are creating some considerable interest in this section of the country.

Miss Florence B. Watson of Trind came out on the S. H. Harshill Mail car and took passage on the E. P. Perseus car for her home Friday.

John Wintonham, our mail contractor on the E. P. Perseus, some seems to have a great deal of trouble with his car on his route Friday morning. He had Mr. L. L. Love of Central Point take his mail and passengers over his route on account of J. B. Jackson and wife have returned from their trip to San Francisco, Los Angeles, Stockton etc. They have been gone for some weeks and report a splendid visit. They went to Los Angeles via the coast route and returned through San Joaquin valley, taking in the most of the valley part of the state. They brought their daughter, Mrs. William Chapples home with them. Mrs. Chapples' husband is in the service of Uncle Sam.

Frank Pettigrew, now of Los Angeles, came in a few days ago to look after his farming interests here, but expects to return in a short time.

J. M. Willey, one of our leading orchardists was a business caller Friday. He says that he has already shipped a car of apples and is getting along finely with his work. The weather is ideal and the fruit is good.

Wm. Terry and wife who left here two weeks ago last Sunday, September 24, returned Friday last. They have been visiting his mother, Mrs. F. M. Stewart, and two of his sisters, in Oakland. This is their first visit to the large city and he expressed his admiration of the wonderful sights. He saw his first rice growing, his first lemons and oranges, and unannounced California a wonderful country.

A gentleman came in Saturday morning on the train by the name of Luton, of Albany, Ore., inquiring for Mrs. Hessler, an aunt of his, who he has not seen since he was a small boy and I took him to be 55 or 60. He took passage on the E. P. L. C. stage to go to her home near Brownboro.

Joe Stockle of Gold Hill is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. Jake Jones.

W. E. Nyswander in the employ on the California-Oregon Electric Power company was here for dinner Saturday. He came out to bring a large transmitter to be used here by the company.

W. E. Walker, special agent for Standard Oil company, Medford, and Charles R. Roberts, credit manager Standard Oil company, Portland; J. Bauford, G. C. Dupala, H. Buett, Tacoma, Wash., and Mrs. C. W. Scott of Lake creek were here Saturday for dinner. The party from Tacoma is interested in the Lake Creek manganese mine, and are here looking over their interests. They had just returned from Crater Lake where they went Friday afternoon expecting to find accommodations but when they reached the lake found that everything was locked up so had to return to Prospect. Mrs. Scott has

been there three times before but thinks that the sight that night was the most beautiful she had ever witnessed. Mrs. Scott is the wife of the manager of the Tacoma Metal company's business at the Lake Creek mines.

The P. & E. company removed our agent from the depot Friday. Mr. Newport, the ticket agent of Medford came out Friday and checked up their belongings and Saturday morning when the train arrived there was no agent here, but the conductor, Charley Bacon, is on the job and will keep things straight, now all freight has to be paid in advance.

ROGUE RIVER SCHOOL

Lester Wilcox, a graduate of the '17 class, who has been stationed at Fort Columbia for the past seventeen months, is expected to be transferred to New York this week, from where he will probably soon be sent overseas.

Chapman in Rogue River, Oct. 21-25, Owens hall. They present an interesting program. These entertainments are educational as well as entertaining and the people of Rogue River and community are fortunate in securing this attraction. We hope they will improve this opportunity.

Mrs. Claude Burkhardt returned from Portland yesterday morning, to spend a few weeks with her parents here. She has spent the past two months with her husband in Portland, where he has been in training at the Benson Polytechnic school.

Frank Orr, who has been very ill at Camp Lewis, Wash., is reported very much improved and his mother is expected home soon.

David Martin, an old Rogue River high school student, has recently landed in France. He enlisted in Albany, Ore., with the 5th Co. Oregon Coast Artillery, while a student in Albany college, shortly after U. S. declared war. He was stationed at Fort Canby for several months, before being sent across.

The Galbreaths are sailing around in a new Ford this week—result of a trip to Medford Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Selmore paid a visit to Medford Friday. They expect to leave for San Diego next Wednesday. Their many friends here will regret their departure.

Mrs. Frank Clark and sister Miss Lilla Martin, a graduate in last year's class, returned from Portland last Tuesday night to spend the winter here.

Misses Lottie and Edith Owens left for Portland Wednesday night, where they expect to spend the winter.

Miss Myrtle Magerle visited at the home of Miss Evelyn Young, out from Phoenix from Wednesday to Saturday.

Miss Hurd, a prominent high school teacher here, went to her home in Medford for over the weekend.

Junior Red Cross work in the school is coming right along, under the splendid supervision of Miss Hurd. The sale of the eggs collected by Miss Hurd is amounting into dollars and we expect to have enough money to buy necessary materials to begin work soon.

Mrs. Arthur Myers has been on the sick list, but is now convalescent. The school children of the lower grades are busy these days gathering

acorns to sell at \$1 per hundred lbs., the money to be used for Junior Red Cross.

Mrs. Sundry and Gladys with Mrs. Judge Gilmore and Miss Scott, motored to Grants Pass Wednesday evening to see the war play "The Greater Love."

Mr. Horton is purchasing all the acorns that the school children gather in the interest of the Junior Red Cross.

Miss Scott will spend the week end with Mrs. Minthorn at the ranch, Thorncroft.

Prof. Briscoe, of Ashland, spoke at the Grants hall at Wimer, Oct. 12th, on the normal school question.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gilmore have just received notice of the death of their son-in-law, Lester McDonald, who died at Danamuir of Spanish grippe. Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore left on the first train for Danamuir. The community extends heartfelt sympathy.

Our efficient road supervisor is improving our roads this week. The Parent Teacher club will meet Friday night in the school assembly hall.

Miss Rosetta McGrill will address the meeting, and a musical and picture program will be given. It is desired that all parents be present.

Sophomore Days Of all the years of high school The sophomore is the best. We keep the school going And never take a rest. We pep it to the freshman And to the juniors we give full score. We will be sophomores In our minds for evermore.

What it, R. H. S. Consists Of There's a whole row of sophomores who think they're mighty smart. And half a row of juniors who think they're smarter yet. There's one whole seat of seniors and they ought to be smart. But oh! those three large freshmen Are the smartest coming yet.

I went upon the mountain, Looked across the plain, Saw a bunch of dry stuff; I thought it must be grass, And, to, upon your honor It was the sophomore class.

ANTIOCH ITEMS

Mr. Cooper and family who has been living at Beagle the past year are moving to Phoenix.

Henry Morgan of Beagle, motored to town Tuesday.

Mr. Jess Glass moved Mrs. Hauscome and children to Medford this week.

The Red Cross club workers of Antioch sent in 24 girls' serge dresses for the Belgians last month.

George Stacey is making preparations to travel the road this week. Miss Ora Vincent returned home this week and is reported quite sick. Deway Vincent who is working at the foothill orchard returned home Wednesday for a week's vacation.

Howard Mayfield of the Meadows passed thru the valley with a bunch of cattle.

Elmer Drake of the Meadows hauled grain to market this week. Gyp Vincent and family who are living with his brother Jim Vincent will move to Tolo this week. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moore will move to Medford this week. Mr. and Mrs. Southwell and Mr.

CLOSED ON SUNDAY

Beginning Sunday, October 20

The Oregon State Council of Defense has requested no delivery of petroleum products be made on Sunday.

The Standard Oil Co. is glad to comply with this request, and beginning Sunday, October 20, and thereafter until further notice, all of our distribution stations in the State of Oregon, including our automobile service stations, will be closed on Sunday. No sale or delivery of any kind will be made on Sunday.

As in the case of our previous announcement regarding the sale of gasoline and engine distillate only between the hours of 6 a. m. and 6 p. m. (new week days only), this request is made for the purpose of conserving man power and we know that our patrons will patriotically co-operate in making this important war measure effective.

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and Mrs. Snyder of Central Point visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moore of were out Saturday and Sunday to Antioch.

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