

# ASHLAND ADOPTS VOLUNTARY PLAN IN VICTORY CAMPAIGN

ASHLAND, April 18.—The Victory loan campaign begins here next Monday, April 21, on the basis of \$175,000 as the quota for this vicinity. Of the local committee, O. Winter is chairman, other bankers on the board being J. W. McCoy and V. O. N. Smith, reinforced by W. H. McNair, druggist, L. F. Ferguson, merchant, and P. J. Shinn, secretary of the Commercial club. Rev. G. F. Koehler, pastor of the Presbyterian church, is the clerical delegate on the committee, and has an assignment as supervisor of the four-minute men who will actively participate in the campaign. Rev. C. A. Edwards, Methodist pastor, and Homer Billings will assist Chairman Ferguson of the advertising committee. In the furtherance of the canvass the committee will adopt the voluntary subscription plan which was in vogue here during the fourth Liberty bond campaign, and it is expected that corresponding gratifying results will follow. Although May 6 will witness the end of the campaign epoch, it is hoped that pledges will come in early and not lag until perhaps a personal canvass will have to be resorted to. As compared to Ashland's quota of \$175,000 that of the county is \$527,000.

Birthday observances being in order hereabouts, especially recently, the anniversary of George Francis Barron, which occurred early in the week, was not allowed to pass unobserved. The scene was staged at Fred Wagner's, at whose hospitable home the sons, Paul, Laurence, and Clifford, school chums and playmates of George's, were the genial guests. George is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Barron, and lives with his uncle, G. S. Hulter, while attending the city schools.

Rev. Harry T. Chisholm, a former pastor of the local Presbyterian church, now presides over the church at Watsonville, Cal., having left Ashland.

Misses Amelia and Emma Furer, sisters of Mrs. E. E. Bagley, left this week for San Diego, Cal., to remain indefinitely. Their home is in New England.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Stoner, now residents of Siskiyou Valley, mourn the loss of their oldest daughter who recently died in Los Angeles.

The Auxiliary club meets next Monday night, April 21, with Mrs. Jack Dunn, Mrs. N. G. Bates and Mrs. Benton Bowers, Jr., as hostesses.

W. D. Hodgson is here from Gooding, Idaho, which is to be the family home hereafter, and they will move early next week to the new location. He has traded his fine residence property on Laurel street, formerly the Burdick home, to Mrs. Ada E. Clark for realty holdings in Grand Junction, Colorado. The daughters, Margaret and Marion are located at San Jose, Cal., and Lewiston, Idaho respectively, the former attending normal school, the latter being a teacher of domestic and kindred sciences at Lewiston. Mr. Hodgson retains a fine lot on North Main street, and expresses an opinion that within five years he may return to Ashland and make the family home here a permanent one. Nothing but pressing business engagements compel him to remove elsewhere, and a host of friends hope to welcome the family back again later on.

The wedding of an Ashland Jeweler and well known widow lady of this vicinity is an event to occur at an early date. Reports also indicate that a Southern Pacific engineer, whose headquarters for years has been located at this terminal, is about to follow the example of Ed White by becoming enmeshed in matrimonial toils.

J. Percy Wells, formerly school superintendent of Jackson county, has been elected principal of the Klamath of Miss Edna Wells, school superintendent of Klamath county. The family home of the parents remains in Ashland.

Among local residents elected to office in the home and foreign missionary branches of the Methodist church of the Klamath district, Mrs. G. F. Billings is corresponding secretary in the foreign classification, and Mrs. Homer Billings, superintendent of young people's work. In the home society Mrs. M. C. Reed is president, and Mrs. W. A. Patrick superintendent of young people's work.

Nelson J. Cochran, veteran of the Rogue River Indian war and pioneer Willamette valley settler, who came to Oregon in 1847, died lately at Brownsville, aged 88 years. He was a brother of W. T. Cochran of Ashland.

Miss Edna Stennett, employe of the Ashland Postal telegraph office, has gone to Grants Pass to take charge of the company's office there.

The H. E. Badger family, now residents of Oakland, contemplate returning to the city soon, having retained a home and other property interests here.

Al Freeberg is now located at Chawehilla, Cal., near Fresno, in the jewelry business. His sister, Mrs. Irma Murchison, is in Los Angeles, having returned from a residence in New Mexico.

J. B. Saunders and his son Claude, the latter having returned from army service, have purchased the barber shop in the Endors block, an establishment first class in every particular.

Following in the footsteps of Mc-

## Seat Sale for "The Better Ole" Starts Saturday



On Saturday seats will be placed on sale at the box office for the engagement of "The Better Ole," to appear at the Page April 22. This comedy with music will be presented by Mr. and Mrs. Coburn, American producers, with a notable cast headed by Paul Gilmore. At last,

amusement seekers of this city will have an opportunity to really get acquainted with the famous characters created by Captain Bruce Bairnsfather in his "Fragments from France" which proved to be the greatest laugh producers of the age. Old Bill, Bert and Alf in person, with their quaint sayings and witticisms,

will undoubtedly win the hearts of their audiences in this city, as they have done in London and New York. The musical program consists of a dozen catchy numbers interpreted by an augmented orchestra and singing chorus. H. Radford Allen and Horace Sinclair will be seen as Bert and Alf.

Adoo, comes Mayor Hanson of Seattle, who passed thru here on Thursday, accompanied by his wife, on the way home, the mayor being scheduled to address the Press club in Portland on Friday evening, nominally on civic topics, but more particularly as a boost in behalf of the Victory loan.

Clarence Eubanks, son of John and nephew of George, had his portrait in last Sunday's Oregonian in connection with aviation matters, he being associated with the official personnel of a flying squadron. In a professional capacity he is a young attorney of Portland. Three generations of the family are well known here.

A series of meetings, which began at the Nazarene church on Wednesday evening this week, will close on next Sunday night. The hour is 8 o'clock. They are being conducted by Rev. J. M. Wines, pastor of the Northwestern Nazarene College church at Nampa, Idaho.

Mrs. Albert McCann, of Dunsmuir, has been visiting friends here this week, incident to an engagement with the Eastern Star chapter, the degrees having been conferred upon

her by the local organization on Tuesday evening in the presence of an overflow meeting of the membership, supplemented by a lot of visitors from Jacksonville.

Col. John Leader, apostle of military preparedness, who does not advocate war but nevertheless believes in being ready for any emergency, was here Wednesday addressing the schools and public in general in an advisory capacity as to military training. He would begin with school age, and war or no war, the mere discipline and physical exercise incident to participating in military tactics would prove advantageous. A mid-day luncheon at Hotel Austin on Wednesday afforded a number of citizens opportunity to meet Col. Leader in a social way.

## KLAMATH INDIANS WILL FIGHT COPCO LINK RIVER DAM

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., April 18.—The Indians of the Klamath reservation will oppose the construction of the proposed Link river dam by the California-Oregon Power company, on the ground that it threatens the overflow and will prevent the drainage of many of the lands around Modoc Point and Wood River valley, on which irrigation and drainage assessments have already been made, according to a report brought in today by Secretary Clayton Kirk, of the Klamath reservation council, following a meeting at the Klamath agency.

Secretary Kirk intimated that the proposed dam will be strenuously opposed by the Indians and that a delegation composed of Joe Ball, Charles Hood and himself will be sent to

Washington in a short time to take up the matter with the Indian department and congressmen.

The Indians will make a plea for a loan from the government for \$550,000, secured by their timber interests here, for "industrial support and uplift work." Of this amount \$50,000 is to be devoted to the construction of new highways on the

## CREW OF 18 DROWNED WHEN N. Y. TUG SINKS

NEW YORK, April 17.—Eighteen members of the crew of the tug Freehold are reported to have been drowned when the tug was sunk while docking the steamship Saxony at her pier today.

reservation. A new hospital is one of the innovations contemplated from funds already placed to the credit of the tribe.

The Indians of the reservation are most enthusiastic over the cooperation extended them by their new superintendent, W. G. West, who is working to secure needed improvements.

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(Signed) W. R. JOHNSON.  
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