

### REV. BOOZER SAYS HUN AIDES BACK BEER-WINE PLEA

"President Wilson's action in asking the repeal of the war time prohibition law in so far as it has to do with beer and wine is a blunder so great and so vital as to remove it entirely above and outside of partisanship. A critic of this act is in good company for the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in session at St. Louis called a resolution of censure to the president direct, the Baptist convention in Denver passed similar resolutions and good people everywhere are shocked and grieved," said Rev. Boozer of the Presbyterian church in his sermon Sunday entitled "President Wilson's Colossal Blunder."

"The president has blundered in estimating the temper of the public mind. A vast majority of the population approved war time prohibition and only a noisy minority asked repeal. When the law was passed 89.5 percent of the area of the United States was under no-license and 64.6 per cent of the population were in the dry area. The law will not be repealed for the population of the United States has the lock on the old spigot in the barrel and will not take it off."

"It is a calamity in that it tends to alienate the moral efficiency of an entire nation, a moral efficiency that had reached a very high degree of moral outlook and stability. For war purposes we drew a great zone of purity and sobriety around the mobilization camps, denied ourselves many pleasures and luxuries and all for the highest ideals. Has the time come for the slackening of the moral bonds of a nation? Are we to judge that, the great peril past or seemingly so, we are at liberty to resume practices that border on the evil and a whole nation to be encouraged to recede from the high plane of noble living that the crisis gave birth to? Is a little beer and wine to be the type of living that is to exalt America and give health to her soul?"

"Here is a request that is open to such construction, by the enemies of sobriety, as to apparently maintain a position not borne out by facts. The alcohol in beer and wine is no different from that in whisky, except in quantity. It is poison just the same. Drunk on whisky and on beer differ only in point of time consumed in acquiring the jag. Two glasses of 2.75 per cent (by weight) beer will carry into the blood as much alcohol as an ounce drink of whisky. It is a blunder that puts into the hands of the anti-prohibition forces just the club they have been trying to wield for a long time. The president's attitude is indefensible from every standpoint and misleading. No explanation that can be made can be flattering to him."

"A most serious blunder in the face of the great problems of reconstruction. The highest efficiency of our citizenship is a demand in a day of such vast import. Clear minds, steady nerves and invulnerable moral vision and conviction are the only means of salvation for the great world today. Beer befuddled brains will muddle the whole business of reconstruction, add, daily to the recruits of the ranks of violence and disorder. Why do the authorities close every saloon at the first sign of a mob? Why does the president advise tanning the closed barrel when signs of disorder are growing in every industrial center."

"Are we going to lose sight of the sinister foe that has been, is today America's real enemy? The German American Alliance, Germany's instrument of traitors to America and the National Association of Commerce and Labor, the great opponent of prohibition, were the organized brewing interests of America, financed and managed by the great German brewing interests of America. Call the roll of the breweries and every name is Hun, its dividends are reverting to Germany as soon as peace is signed. The jubilant whistles of San Francisco were pulled by German hands. No we will not repeal the law for America is for Americans and every man who takes the oath of allegiance from now on renounces in heart and in fact loyalty to every other flag and becomes American entire, or he goes back to his beloved land where he can have without betrayal of our land the kultur he longs for. We whipped Germany in the field of battle and we will whip her in the field of sobriety and decency and there will be no beer and wine in America after July 1st."

A record crowd attended, and unusual interest was manifested, as shown by frequent applause.

**Stockholders Notice**  
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Home Telephone & Telegraph company, of Southern Oregon, will be held at the office of the company, 218 West Sixth street, Medford, Oregon, at 3 o'clock p. m., June 3, 1919.  
W. H. GORE,  
President.

**Notice**  
It is earnestly requested that all soldiers of the late war assemble in uniform at 9:30 a. m. in the Medford park, Decoration Day, to do honor to the fallen heroes of the United States of America.  
MAJOR R. J. CLANCY.

### SWAT THE BOLSHEVIKI!



### PORTLAND FIRM WINS POINT IN INSURANCE CASE

SAN FRANCISCO, May 26.—Demurrer sustained by the federal district court at Portland to a suit by Lipman Wolfe and company, merchants of Portland, to recover \$5,117 insurance money from the Phoenix Insurance company, was overruled today by the United States circuit court of appeals, and trial of the case ordered. Following a fire March 3, 1903, the firm was paid the insurance, and alleged it was later forced under duress and by threats to return the money to the insurance company. It was charged that a committee representing 40 insurance companies forced the merchants to refund the money and threatened cancellation of large amounts of additional insurance.

### CENTRAL POINT

Mrs. Goode and young son of Eugene, Ore., are visiting the home of the former's sister, Mrs. John May, and family, this week. Mrs. Goode was a former resident of Central Point, having spent the greater part of her childhood here and will be best remembered as Victoria Van Vleet.

Miss Mariena Neal, former resident and high school student here, but now a member of the faculty of the Ashland high school, spent the week end among her numerous friends here.

Miss Bertha Welch, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Welch of this city and Merrill Betts of Gold Hill were united in marriage at Jacksonville Thursday, May 22, 1919. The young couple are well known in the valley and have many friends who wish them great happiness. They will make their home in the valley for the present.

Sunday morning a large number of our townspeople entered the beautifully decorated church in which the non devotional services are held and helped in the national observance of Memorial Day. Special music by the ladies quartet, Mesdames Cowley, Strohmeier, Davison and Belknap, and a very impressive sermon by the pastor, Reverend Belknap.

On Sunday evening at Central hall Rev. L. Myron Boozer delivered the annual sermon to the graduating class of the Central Point high school.

W. J. Freeman returned Sunday from Chicago.

Larence Nichols has returned to Yreka and will resume the position he occupied when he went into the service of the U. S. A.

Mr. Lewis of Sacramento is here visiting his cousin, I. D. Lewis and family.

Decoration Day will be observed in Central Point with a program by the ladies of the W. R. C. and address by Rev. Milard. Services to be held at Central Point opera house.

Harry Lewis of Grants Pass was a Sunday visitor here.

Thirty-five years ago the Salvation Army started its work for prisoners in Hartford, Conn.

### RETIRE TO VERSTS ON PSKOV LINE

LONDON, May 26.—As a result of the Estonian surprise attack late last week, when the Bolshevik positions along the Pskov front were broken through, and the threat to the line of communication between Petrograd and Pskov at Gatchina, the Bolsheviks are retiring from their positions on the northwestern front, according to a Russian wireless message today. The message also says that the Bolsheviks have retired to new positions ten versts (six and three-quarter miles) east of Riga.

### HUNS APPROVE OF PLAN TO DISARM

BERLIN, Sunday, May 25.—Information has been received from an unimpeachable source that the counter-proposals to be made by Germany to the peace conference will declare in favor of military disarmament, saying that Germany is ready to reduce her forces to 250,000 within two months after the conclusion of peace and by the expiration of another year to cut the size of the army down to 200,000 men.

It will be declared that in spite of internal disorders and the necessity for defending her frontiers, Germany thus agrees to disarm ahead of all other powers.

In Norfolk, Va., the Salvation Army has opened the Naval and Military club for sailors and soldiers.

### SALVATION ARMY VETERAN SPEAKS IN MEDFORD JUNE 11

Dr. Charles T. Wheeler, special envoy of the Salvation Army who was recently returned from active service in the battle area of France, will speak in Medford, Wednesday, June 11th, 8 p. m., in the interest of the home service campaign of the Salvation Army in Oregon, June 22 to 30.

Dr. Wheeler, while in France was along the battle front in Cantigny, Chateau Thierry, St. Mihiel, the Toul and Baccarat sectors. He spoke night after night to thousands of doughboys with accompaniment of thundering cannons and exploding shells. Dr. Wheeler is a noted orator and his appearance in this city will be welcomed by all who have had the opportunity of hearing him on his former platform tours in this country.

In Baker where he opened his speaking campaign for the state, all the ministers of the city, irrespective of creed, united in arranging the details of the meeting which was held in the Baker Elks Temple.

MARSHFIELD, Ore., May 26.—Tobacco almost disrupted the annual high school track meet here, according to reports emanating from the various schools which, since an agreement of last fall, have adopted the policy of not permitting students who use tobacco a place in the trials.

### MEMORIAL DAY EXERCISES AT BAPTIST CHURCH

The Memorial day exercises at the Baptist church Sunday morning were fairly well attended and greatly enjoyed by all. The church was appropriately decorated with the stars and stripes, mingled with a profusion of beautiful flowers. Excellent music was rendered, the Hillis girls quartette and Mr. McReynolds and Miss Reynolds instrumental duet being special features.

The members of the Grand Army of the Republic, 14 in number, attended in a body, as did the ladies of the W. R. C., 35 in number. A disappointing feature was the absence of the soldiers of the recent war, only two being present, which brought forth remarks of regret by W. T. S. Striggs in opening his Memorial address, which was one of the best ever delivered in Medford. Mr. Striggs, having visited many of the southern battlefields was enabled to better review the battles of the civil war. He also reviewed briefly the history of the revolutionary, Spanish-American and the recent world war and the achievements of the Americans and said that God played an important part in all of them, always being on the side of humanity, justice and righteousness.

The speaker stated the American people do not observe Memorial and Decoration days as they should, thereby paying homage to those who died as well as those who fought and yet live that this nation might be preserved, and devote too much time to parties, games, etc., making them a holiday instead of a sacred memorial day, and said "A people who pay so much attention to stunts are liable to be stunted."

Gen. Bramwell Booth says that calls have come for Salvation Army work from Mesopotamia, Japan, Russia, Korea, India, and other parts of the world.

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Medford, Oregon, Jan 13, 1917

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(Signed) W. R. JOHNSON,

Witnesses:  
M. A. Anderson, Medford  
S. B. Holmes, Eagle Point  
Wm. Lewis, Eagle Point  
W. L. Childreth, Eagle Point  
C. E. Moore, Eagle Point  
J. V. McIntyre, Eagle Point  
Geo. B. Von der Hellen, Eagle Point  
Thos. E. Nichols, Eagle Point.

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