

DRY SPEAKERS URGE SUPPORT LAW OFFICERS

Mrs. Jackson Silbaugh, national lecturer for the W. C. T. U. addressing an audience of about 60 Medford citizens at the Law Enforcement mass meeting at Presbyterian church Thursday night said, "Attorneys don't have to defend bootleggers, not even when appointed to do so by the court. Attorneys who make it their business to defend bootleggers are no better than bootleggers themselves."

"Abraham Lincoln never took a case that didn't look right to him and many people will do well to follow his example. Public sentiment can soon change the standing of the bootlegger until he will stand no higher in the public eye than the bootlegger himself."

Mrs. Silbaugh urged support and commendation on the part of the public to judges and prosecuting attorneys who give offenders the limit of the penalty provided by law in all cases of law violation. She deplored leniency of courts and quoted numerous cases where violent offenders had been fined but nominally. "Public sentiment can change these things," said Mrs. Silbaugh. "Don't be afraid to let it be known that you stand on the right side and for the enforcement of law."

"Support your officers. Don't believe tales that you hear about them being unfaithful and crooked. These tales are falsehoods in most cases and can always be traced to their origin with the wet forces. Don't be unkind in your criticism when officers have done their best and then have been thwarted by a wet jury or a lenient judge. Go to the court room and demonstrate your sentiment by your support. Public sentiment is the only remedy for the wet jury and the lenient judge."

Catch the big bootlegger and the problem of the little one is solved. Statistics show that 80 per cent of those arrested for liquor law violations are foreigners. The other 20 per cent are Americans, however, and they are the big bootleggers and the ones at the root of the evil.

"When a big bootlegger is caught the district attorney's office is bombarded and the dismissal of the case is demanded by the wet forces. Do the law enforcement elements in the community, the self-respecting people, bombard the district attorney's office and demand that prosecution take place."

Mrs. Silbaugh stated that moonshine will soon kill itself because of the filthy conditions under which it is made and the poison which it contains. Drinkers will cease to use it, but the bonded liquor imported from Canada and Mexico is the big problem. Canadian export houses have recently received a death blow, however, according to Mrs. Silbaugh.

Between thirty and forty organizations all over the world are fighting prohibition, according to Mrs. Silbaugh, and are trying to discredit it and cause a disrespect for law. This is the reason why the fight must be carried forward.

Mrs. Silbaugh was preceded by the state president of the W. C. T. U., Mrs. Mary Mallett who gave an able speech telling of the work of the W. C. T. U. It's part in continually securing better legislation against alcohol and narcotics, since its organization 50 years ago, and its determination to carry on the fight.

She deplored the use of cigarettes and narcotics among high school students and the non-enforcement of the Oregon anti-cigarette law. There are more than a million drug fiends in the U. S., according to Mrs. Mallett. "We have no hospitals for them and they are kept in jails," she said. "But soon we will have hospitals for them like the inebriate hospitals formerly maintained by state and county which have disappeared since prohibition."

Mrs. Mallett told of a story of a bootlegger who wished to buy two quarts of liquor from another man of the same profession. The seller had only one quart. "What's that other stuff over there," said the buyer. "Gimme a bottle of that."

"Why man, you don't think I'd sell you that stuff do you? That's only for the high school kids," said the brother bootlegger.

"The bootlegger is trying his best to develop a taste for strong drink in the high school students and the young people of our country in order to continue his trade," said Mrs. Mallett.

"The cigarette is ruining our young girls and I want to appeal to the young men of our country to discourage this sort of thing among girls in order to save the mothers of tomorrow."

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SECULAR CONCERT AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH APRIL 27

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Shearer, who so greatly pleased the large audience that filled the church one Sunday evening last fall, have been secured by the Presbyterian church to give a secular concert on Friday evening, April 27 at the church. They have been spending the winter in southern California and giving concerts during the week and on Sundays to crowded houses wherever they have gone. Return engagements have called out larger attendance than the first engagement and the appreciation of their music on pipe organ and solo work has been most enthusiastic. "Better than before—come again" has been the word they have received after second engagements. The Santa Barbara News said of their concert there: "The final organ number commanded thunderous applause," and Mr. Shearer's first number made every musician in the city "sit up and take notice."

They are filling engagements all along the way having dates through California, will be in Chico and Klamath Falls before reaching here. Save this date if you are a lover of good music—further notice will be given next week. A reasonable charge will be made for admission.

BAPTIST SERVICES IN HIGH SCHOOL

While the Baptists are erecting their new and commodious house of worship services will be held at the high school auditorium. Sunday school will meet there excepting the primary department which will convene at the usual place in cottage opposite the old church building. Intermediate B. Y. P. U. also meets in the cottage, while the senior society meets at the high school building. Centrally located the high school will no doubt prove a popular place for church services. Sunday being the opening day of these services a general invitation is extended to the public to be present.

LITTLE APPLAGATE

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Zeidler, William Pursel, Dean Saltmarsh and Cyrenus Combest left last Friday for Doris, California, where they expect to be employed during the summer.

Several stockmen are turning their cattle out on the low range. Considering the cold weather we have had all spring, the grass is fairly good.

Frank Cameron and family were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Cameron's mother, Mrs. L. J. Combest.

Mrs. A. D. Hall spent the week end at the Forest Creek mines, visiting with her husband and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dunford were visiting relatives and friends on the Little Applegate the first of the week.

Mrs. James Reynolds visited with her mother, Mrs. Kenyon of Medford, during Saturday and Sunday.

C. C. Pursel has been replacing his old board fence with new Page wire fencing. This not only adds to the attractiveness of the farm, but is an all purpose good fencing.

Mrs. D. M. Fitzgerald left the first of the week for Roseburg to be with her sister, who is ill at that place.

Harry and Mandie Helms and Jack Sharp of Jacksonville were visiting friends in this neighborhood last Sunday.

Hugh Combest and Hubert Mitchell have started for the Cinnabar Springs, where they intend to camp for the next two months.

Mrs. Frank Cameron was a pleasant visitor at the Uniontown school Wednesday afternoon.

C. C. Pursel and Charlie Dunford were transacting business in Medford the fore part of the week.

Mrs. E. A. Montgomery, who has been visiting with her daughter, Lottie Montgomery, for the past two months, left the last of the week for Monmouth, where she will visit with relatives before returning to her home in Central Oregon.

The pupils of the Uniontown school, who were neither absent nor tardy for the eighth month of school are: Ira Fitzgerald, Percy Paul, Willie and Lee Fisher, Virginia Cameron, Edna Hall, Mary and Lawrence Sellers and Louis Buckley.

The track meet at Uniontown on April 28 promises to be good. Come and bring your friends. Program begins at 10:30.

News of the Churches

St. Mark's Episcopal
Corner North Oakdale and Fifth Sts.
8 a. m. Holy communion.
10 a. m. Sunday school.
11 a. m. Morning service.
Wm. B. Hamilton, vicar.

Catholic Church
South Oakdale Ave.
First mass Sunday at 8 a. m.
Second mass at 10:30 a. m.
Benediction after second mass.
Rev. John Powers, pastor.

Evangelical Lutheran Church
Fourth St. and Oakdale Ave.
Rev. Dr. W. R. Moren-Oeser,
Synodical Supply.
Res. 518 West Fourth St.
Jubilant.
Divine service 11 a. m.

Main St. M. E. Church, South
Coy R. Sims, Pastor.
Bible school 9:45 a. m. Dr. Frank Roberts, supt.
Morning worship 11 a. m. The Rev. W. J. Fenton, former pastor of the church will preach at this hour.
Epworth League 6:30. A devotional service for the young people, led by Miss Annette Gray.
Evening service 7:30 p. m. The pastor will preach at this service.
The public is cordially invited to worship with us at all of these services.

Presbyterian Church
Corner Main and Holly.
Rev. E. P. Lawrence, Minister.
513 S. Newtown.

9:45 a. m. Bible school. We take care of all ages and all grades. Carl J. Brommer, superintendent.
11 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon subject, "God's Presence Today or the Mighty Divine Dynamic." Special music by the male quartet as follows: "The Good Shepherd" by Barri.
8 p. m. The first of a series of Bible studies. This one will be entitled "A Panoramic View of the Bible" or "From Genesis to Revelation," illustrated on the blackboard.

8 p. m. Wednesday night prayer meeting, the Spiritual Life.

First Church of Christ, Scientist
Authorized Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.
Services are held every Sunday at 11 o'clock, church, edifice, 212 North Oakdale. Subject for Sunday, April 22: Doctrine of Atonement.
Sunday school at 9:45. Applicants under the age of twenty may be admitted.
Wednesday evening meetings, which include testimonies of Christian Science healings, at 7:45.

The Reading Room, which is in the Medford Bldg., is open daily from 1 to 5 except Sundays and holidays. All authorized Christian Science literature may be read, borrowed or purchased. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and visit the Reading Room.

Christian Church
D. J. Howe, Minister, 25 S. Orange.
Services every Lord's Day as follows:

9:45 a. m. Bible school. Frank Patterson, supt. Growth in every department and class, both in attendance and efficiency will be the constant aim. Be on time. Bring your Bible. Let's make it the biggest and best school we can. A class for everyone. The musical special for this Sunday is a vocal by Irene Farmer.

11 a. m. Worship. Communion and preaching. Sermon, "A Church Inspected."

7 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting. 8 p. m. Preaching. Sermon: "Hoy May Christ Save the World." Special music at each service.
We want to make May and June a time of large and regular attendance at all services. The mid-week prayer meeting will be changed to Wednesday evening 8 o'clock. Strangers will find a hearty welcome in this "home-like church." A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

First Methodist Episcopal Church
Fourth and Bartlett.
J. Randolph Sannett, pastor. Office 216 First National Bank Bldg. Residence 27 N. Orange St.
Bible school 9:45. Prof. N. H. Franklin, supt.
Morning worship 11 a. m. Sermon: "Jesus and Every-Day Life."
Epworth League 7 p. m. Junior League 6:15.
Evening service 8 p. m. Sermon: "In the Market for Truth."
Mid-week devotional meeting Wednesday evening 7:45.

There will be a very important meeting of the board of trustees at the office of O. C. Boggs, Tuesday evening 7:45.

Morning: Soprano and tenor duet, O Love that Will Not Let Me Go, (Farrah). Miss Den, Mr. MacDonald.
Evening: Contralto and tenor duet, He Loved His Own, (Gabriel). Mrs. Sannett, Mr. MacDonald.
Miss Mattie Vroman, pianist. Mr. Bernard Roberts, organist. Mrs. May Jordan-MacDonald, director.

First Baptist Church
(Services at High School)
Frederick R. Leach, pastor.
9:45 a. m. Bible school. Avard Whitman, supt. Class rooms assigned Sunday. Be present with a full class.
11 a. m. "The Signs of Discipleship" 6:30 p. m. Senior and Intermediate B. Y. P. U. Intermediate society meets at cottage and senior at high school.
7:30 p. m. "Satan's Counterfeit Religions." A timely message.
Music: Morning, violin solo, Mr. Root. Soprano solo, "Like as the

Heart Desires," Allitsen, Mrs. Scott. Evening: Instrumental trio consisting of Mr. Root, Mrs. Vinmont and Mrs. Scott will have two numbers and Mrs. Scott will sing "The Lord is Mindful of His Own" by Mendelssohn.
Tuesday 2:30 p. m. Woman's Auxiliary meets with Mrs. Dr. Carlow, 16 South Laurel street. Mesdames E. Daily, Hague and Platt will assist in entertaining. "The Religions of India" subject of meeting.
Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting at Carey Cottage.
Choir rehearsal with Miss Wilson, Thursday 7:30 p. m.
Non-churchgoers are invited to worship with us at the High school auditorium.

ANTIOCH ITEMS
Mr. McDermott of Tolo is back again on his homestead in Beagle district.
Mrs. Wm. Jones who has been living in San Francisco for several years, is now visiting her old home.
Mrs. Theo Glass of Central Point was visiting in Antioch this week and also attended the funeral of Mrs. Ragsdale.
Several young folks of this neighborhood and Sams Valley attended the show at Central Point Sunday night.
O. S. Blackford and daughters Lola and Vidal of Willow Springs spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lucius.
Claude Chapman and family spent Sunday with home folks at Beagle.
Wm. Jones and Mr. Pollard are losing lambs by their neighbors' dogs.
Miss Melk and Miss Norton closed their meetings at Antioch school Sunday night where they have been preaching for the past month or more.
Mr. Pendleton of Table Rock was up in this neighborhood Thursday.
Mr. Armstrong, the sheep inspector was around to Lucius Pollard's and Jones' Friday and gave them notice to dip their sheep.
Mrs. Frank and Mrs. Jasper Rodgers visited with Mrs. Lucius Friday.
Mr. Alfrod was through this neighborhood early Sunday morning looking for Mr. Dinkens' ranch but got lost and went out of his way.
Terrill Bros. of the Meadows took their mohair to market Monday.
Dell Morrison was up in the Beagle neighborhood Monday.

AGATE ITEMS
Mr. J. M. Samuels, who has been quite sick, is now getting better. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kelso are taking care of him.
Mr. Sherman has traded his Ford truck for a Ford roadster which he uses to deliver milk to Medford every morning.
Miss Evelyn Hamilton is recovering rapidly from the operation for appendicitis, and will be home soon.
Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Watt Beebe visited with their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Adkins and family at the Evergreen ranch on upper Rogue river.
Mr. and Mrs. L. C. McEay were Sunday visitors at the power plant near Prospect.
Miss Fay Beebe and her sister, Mrs. Eva Collins have a new Star touring car. They intend to teach the Applegate school the coming year. Mrs. Collins will teach the higher grades and Miss Fay the lower grades.
Alvin Hamilton is able to attend school again after a couple of weeks' layoff with a badly sprained ankle.

EVANS VALLEY
Mr. Honner was transacting business in Medford last Tuesday.
Several of the farmers in this locality are leveling land and seeding it to alfalfa this week, the scarcity of hay and the high prices which prevailed last year have proved quite a stimulus to the hay industry here.
Webb Neathamer was a Grants Pass visitor last Friday.
Among the Grants Pass visitors

from Evans Creek last Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Orr, Mr. Kleer, Mrs. George Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Caris and Jesse Neathamer.
Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Moore motored to Grants Pass last Saturday night.
Willard Cave was absent from school last Wednesday. He was working for Mr. Welde.
The stockholders in the Whalen and Williams Ditch company are cleaning ditch and getting ready for the irrigation season.
Vernon Bailey visited Mr. Caris Wednesday.
R. E. Richman and Frank Neathamer drove a small herd of cattle thru Rogue River last Sunday which they were taking to the Evans Creek range.
The meeting at the Grange hall Wednesday night was attended by a good-sized audience.
Mrs. D. E. Neathamer was a Grants Pass visitor Wednesday.

ROGUE RIVER
Cash Wood of Medford assisted the Ruch boys and girls in practice work in volley ball Friday afternoon. Mrs. Woods came with Mr. Woods.
The stock judging team of the eighth grade class, together with Mr. Moss visited the Preston stock ranch the first of last week.
Don't forget about the dance at the school house Saturday evening.
John Cantrall who has been on the sick list is much improved.
Song service was held at the school house Sunday afternoon.
Emmett Cantrall had the misfortune to get his right hand badly cut, while putting alfalfa through the hay cutter Saturday afternoon.
The local field meet is to be held at Uniontown Saturday, April 28. A picnic dinner is planned and all are cordially invited to attend. A short program will be given in the morning before the athletic sports begin. All the schools of Applegate valley are to take part.
Mr. and Mrs. John Matney were visitors in Medford Monday evening. There will be a magic lantern entertainment at the chapel Thursday evening beginning at 8 o'clock. The scenes are to be taken in Japan. The public is invited; no admission.

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Soup
Cream of Tomato or French Vegetable
Choice of
½ fried Spring Chicken (very delicious) with Corn Fritter
Baked Ham with Jelly
Roast Beef au Jus
Mashed or Julienne Potatoes
Fresh Asparagus
Lettuce and Roquefort Cheese
Dressing
Apple, Peach Custard Pie, Cream Puff
Chocolate or Vanilla Ice Cream and Cake
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Between 1912 and 1922, the Company's consumers grew from 6,561 to 14,723, an increase of 100%—and the development of the territory is still in its infancy. In the same ten years the physical properties behind the Company's Capital Stock have increased from \$4,189,125.76 to \$14,293,569.69, which includes seven hydro-electric plants in Southern Oregon and Northern California.

The accompanying chart shows the steadily increased earnings of this Company.

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