

Wedding Rings

Two "Rings" if you are lonely.

Letcher & Son
JEWELERS

1250 ACRES CHANGES HANDS AT WOLF CREEK

Wolf Creek, Ore., Feb. 18.—(Special.)—Rev. W. G. Smith has sold his Wolf Creek holdings, about 1,250 acres, to A. McL. Hawks, of Tacoma, a hydraulic engineer of 35 years experience, who decided upon the investment after a most thorough investigation which convinced him of the great possibilities here for fruits, nuts and general agriculture.

Because of the fact that Mr. Hawks has visited and reported upon over 100 fruit areas in the west as an expert hydraulic engineer, his opinion is well founded. He shares Mr. Smith's conviction that in this delightful little valley there are the most favorable and the fewest unfavorable conditions native of all this wonderful coast country and he contemplates the highest development as speedily as labor conditions warrant. Mr. Hawks has listed most of the tracts for sale in the vicinity and expects soon to have new people upon them; has taken over the Wolf Creek hotel and will seek to make it attractive to Pacific highway travelers as well as the railroad patrons, and may take over the store or open another. He is favorable to cooperative and profit-sharing methods and will see that all who become members of the new community have all the advantages in securing supplies and marketing products which the most patriotic and up-to-date communities enjoy.

With electric light and power and the favorable transportation facilities, and methods of preserving all products which cannot be marketed to advantage in the fresh state there is every reason to believe that Wolf Creek will become one of the most prosperous communities of the county.

Mr. Smith is to remain as superintendent and is promised all the help he needs, and R. A. Macnab and family are already on the ground, having come direct from the Kansas experiment station.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawks will occupy the Pinkerton house for the present.

AMERICAN SAILORS TAKE TURKISH "HAREMS"

New York, Feb. 18.—Eighteen of the 56 members of the crew of the United States gunboat Scorpion, interned at Constantinople from April 11, 1917, until last November, married Turkish women and have been left behind there.

Salad Jell

Lime Jiffy-Jell is flavored with lime-fruit essence in a vial. It makes a tart, green salad jell.

Jiffy-Jell desserts are flavored with fruit-juice essences, highly condensed, sealed in glass.

Each dessert tastes like a fresh-fruit dainty—and it is.

You will change from old-style gelatine dainties when you once try Jiffy-Jell. Millions have changed already.

Order from your grocer now

Jiffy-Jell

10 Flavors, at Your Grocer's 3 Packages for 25 Cents

PERSONAL AND LOCAL

Fritz Krauss came in from Selma today for a short stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Dailey, of Selma, are in the city today.

Mrs. Harvey Faubion and two children went to Roseburg this morning to visit relatives.

"Daggett & Ramdalls" cold cream. Sablin has it. 94

Charles Morrison and family returned today from Selma, where they spent the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Merrill returned this morning from Klamath Falls, where they have been for the past two months.

R. W. Kitterman, of Kerby, arrived this morning from Camp Lewis, where he was discharged from the 62nd Inftry. He was stationed for a time at Camp Lee, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bullack, of Goldendale, Wash., who are on their way home from southern California, stopped off here to visit Mrs. J. H. Bratton, an old school friend, left for their home this morning.

J. C. Gilbert, of Medford, is in the city for a few days. Mr. Gilbert conducted a bakery business here some years ago, but for the past five or six years has been located at Medford. Last week he sold his Medford business.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Smith and Miss Bertrand, grandparents and sister of G. E. Bertrand of this city, left this morning for their home at Sumas, Wash. They stopped off here on their way home from Los Angeles.

Famous Blarney Castle.

The ruins of old Blarney castle are a few miles outside of Cork, surrounded by pleasant Irish fields and gorgeous hawthorne hedges. The huge square tower stands as firm and true now as in the days when old Cormac McCarthy ruled over the land of Munster. The old chieftain built his castle to withstand English guns and English diplomacy and Blarney castle has kept the trust.

Pleasant Old Age.

What blessings are these—that the soul having served its time, so to speak, in the campaigns of desire and ambition, rivalry and hatred, and all the passions, should live in its own thoughts and, as the expression goes, should dwell apart. Indeed, if it has in store any of what I may call the food of study and philosophy, nothing can be pleasanter than an old age of leisure.—Exchange.

Quality That Counts.

It is no great matter to associate with the good and gentle; for this is naturally pleasing to all, and every one willing enjoyeth peace, and loveth those best that agree with him. But to be able to live peaceably with hard and perverse persons, or with the disorderly, or with such as go contrary to us, is a great grace, and a most commendable and manly thing.—Thomas a Kempis.

Foul Play.

Lady (who has given a tramp a plate of scraps): "You must feel the humiliation of begging for food." Tramp: "It's not that so much mum. What hurts me is that I'm depriving the pore innercent fowls of a feed."

Young Women's Club.

The Young Women's club will meet tonight at 7:30 at the courthouse. This is the first meeting since the flu ban and it is desired that everyone be present.

Lieutenant Basler to Siberia.

First Lieutenant Vernon Basler was a passenger on this morning's southbound train en route for San Francisco to embark for Siberia with nearly a hundred officers and men of the 75th Inftry, 13th Division. Lieutenant Basler states that his father and sister are still in the service and at Bremerton. His brother, Loren, is now at Willamette university.

Electric Work.

Phone 90 Medford. Pauls Electric Store. 63st

Sneak Thieves Operating.

Petty thieving is being carried on to some extent, and the taking of articles from automobiles is causing annoyance. A few nights ago H. W. Webber lost a robe from his machine and last night a wind shield wiper was taken from the Voorles machine while standing on the street.

Joins Star in Washington.

The Washington (D. C.) Herald in a recent issue, prints the following: "Two hundred members of the Esther Chapter, Eastern Star, witnessed the initiation last night of three candidates, Mrs. Vina Elliott Opydke, Mrs. C. C. White and Miss Mildred Gore, with the complete Masonic ceremonial rites.

Phone 28.

Calls Howell's cleaning shop, 609 1/2 G street. 95

Auto Tourists in the City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Casler and son, R. M. Casler, and wife, are in the city today, guests at the Oxford. The party left Demming, N. M., February 2, for Portland, stopping over two days in Los Angeles, and but for the heavy roads from Redding to Dunsuir would have made the entire journey to Grants Pass in their car. They encountered many autos on the Siskiyou almost buried in the snow.

Moore's Rye Bread.

It is fine. 94

Local Board Closes.

James Martin, who has been in charge of the local board office since the departure of Representative C. A. Sidler for the legislature, states that the work here is finished and the records are ready to be forwarded to Portland. As a grand finale, the war department sent a questionnaire to the head of each local board. This contained 24 questions, some of which required several hours to answer. Red tape is as hard to untangle as barbed wire, but the work of the local board, apparently, is finished.

FORMER PRESIDENT TAFT SPEAKS HERE

Former President William Howard Taft addressed a big crowd of people from train No. 53 this afternoon, in this city. Only short notice was given that Mr. Taft would address the people here, therefore many were not apprised of the fact until too late to be present.

Mr. Taft talked for about 15 minutes, giving a brief outline of the aims of the proposed league of nations and naming some of the more salient features of the covenant drawn up and read at the peace conference by President Wilson. He stated that it was not a matter of politics and urged every one to support the league, the main object of which is to do away with future wars. He was repeatedly cheered and his speech was well received.

It was through the efforts of Dr. W. H. Flanagan of this city that Mr. Taft was persuaded to make a short speech here, and in a few well chosen words the doctor introduced the former president, who spoke from the band stand in Railroad park.

Mr. Taft will visit the principal cities of California before returning east.

BUTTE STRIKERS ARE GOING BACK TO WORK

Butte, Mont., Feb. 18.—Butte's strike of miners, which began February 7, has ended.

Unofficially it ended yesterday morning, when several thousand miners, who had remained away from work for nine days, presented themselves at the mines and asked for their old jobs.

"WILD WEST" DIVISION WILL SOON SAIL FOR HOME

Salem, Ore., Feb. 18.—The 91st, or "Wild West division," has been designated for return with the latest date for embarkation set as March 1, according to word conveyed in a letter to Governor Withycombe just received from Maj.-General William H. Johnston, in command of the division.

Paymaster for the Party.

As an inducement to Cecil, aged four, to attend Sunday school for the first time, she was allowed to carry the pennies to be put into the collection envelope. When the class monitor came around the teacher and the rest of the class were very much amused to hear her say in her most dignified tones, "Here, girls, I will pay the fares."

Best Material for Splints.

Galvanized wire netting is claimed to be much superior to wood as a material for surgical splints. It is strong, light in weight, non-absorbent and easily sterilized, and, unlike wood and plaster, gives free ventilation. The new splints are woven from wire so tempered that it can easily be pressed into shape to be bound closely upon the injured limb.

If you have anything to sell try a classified ad.

Envelopes at the Courier Office.

Nice Warm Underwear

To keep out March and April cold winds

MRS. E. REHKOPF

The Wardrobe Cleaners

We have equipment to give you first-class cleaning and pressing



This is a picture of our pressing machine

We Call For and Deliver

The Once Over. Life is a book. Read it carefully, for you can only read it once.—Boston Transcript.

COMING EVENTS

Feb. 26, 27, 28, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday—State examinations at the courthouse.

Mar. 1, Saturday—Meeting of Pomona Grange with Rogue River Valley Grange.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that from this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by any person without a written order from me. H. B. CALHOUN. February 12, 1919. 94

Ringworm—Scalp Sores

If you want speedy help try the D. D. D. Prescription. So easy to apply, not greasy or messy. It washes into the scalp and the relief is instant. Try it today on our guarantee.

D. D. D.

The Liquid Wash
M. Clemens, Druggist

AT THE MOVIES

John Barrymore at the Joy

John Barrymore, who will be remembered for his work in "The Man From Mexico," "Are You a Mason," and more recently "Raffles," will be the star at the Joy Theater Wednesday and Thursday in "On the Quiet."

You wouldn't believe slap-stick comedy was in John Barrymore's line, but he can fall into a bathtub and sleep in ash cans with all the slap-tick knowledge of a Charlie Chaplin or a Mack Sennett star. "On the Quiet" is not a slap-stick comedy, but there are bits of this comedy brand brought to light and in all justice to Jack, these bits are emphasized and registered with artistry. With the few exceptions of slap-stick, the screen version of Augustus Thomas' stage success in which Willie Collier starred, is straight-from-the-shoulder comedy-drama of the cleanest and most enjoyable type.

John Barrymore, the star, is a positive riot; he has an inimitable style all his own that makes every move funny. Director Whitney was on his job every minute, the supporting cast is exceptionally good; the result is one of the very best comedies of recent date.

NEW TODAY

WILL TRADE—Land slightly improved in Baker county for house and lot 4n Grants Pass. Phone 375-R. Write 317 E street, Grants Pass, Ore. 95

FOR RENT—Furnished house. Inquire Red Front barn or 802 M street. Mrs. Peter Gravlin. 95

VULCANIZING—Unlimited guarantee. If you are not satisfied, your money returned. Auto Service Co., phone 324-J., opposite Oxford hotel. 19

ANGEL CAKES 75c. Phone 190-J. 94tt

JOY THEATRE

TONIGHT

PAULINE FREDRICK

"The Eternal City"

Hall Calais greatest novel. Millions saw the picture when it was first released a few years ago. "The Eternal City" is back, re-edited, re-entitled, better than ever.

TOMORROW AND THURSDAY

JOHN BARRYMORE

"On The Quiet"

A positive riot of fun—A sure cure for the blues.

A Bray Pictograph

BACK LIKE A BOARD? IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

There's no use suffering from the awful agony of lame back. Don't wait till it "passes off." It only comes back. Find the cause and stop it. Diseased conditions of kidneys are usually indicated by stiff lame backs and other wrenching pains, which are nature's signals for help!

Here's the remedy. When you feel the first twinges of pain or experience any of these symptoms, get busy at once. Go to your druggist and get a box of the pure, original GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules, imported fresh every month from the laboratories in Haarlem, Holland. Pleasant and easy to take, they instantly attack the poisonous germs clogging your system and bring quick relief.

For over two hundred years they have been helping the sick. Why not try them? Sold everywhere by reliable druggists in sealed packages. Three sizes. Money back if they do not help you. Ask for "GOLD MEDAL" and be sure the name "GOLD MEDAL" is on the box.