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## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

(From Wednesday's Daily.)  
I. A. Robie of Grants Pass was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Elwood are visiting Ashland friends.

William Pfeister of Kempter, Wis., is visiting with L. F. Lozier.

Mrs. S. B. Whitney and daughter of Ashland were in Medford yesterday.

W. R. Ewbank and family will leave today for Newport for a two weeks' visit.

B. Klum and little daughter left yesterday for a week's stay at Coletia.

A. S. Johnson has been quite ill of erysipelas, but is now considerably improved.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Swigger of Portland are in Medford for a few days' stay.

Fred Blakely of Roseburg is in the city. He is connected with the Sterling mine.

Miss Mary Hevener of Ashland was in Medford yesterday, the guest of Miss May Phipps.

Manager Pankey of the Snowy Butte orchard, Central Point, was in the city yesterday.

H. N. Starr, representing the Marshall-Wellis Hardware company of Portland, is at the Nash.

R. L. Hale and family will leave this morning for San Francisco, where they expect to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Snyder and daughter occupy Herrord Corym's pretty new residence on Central avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Davis will return from Portland August 1, and

again make this city their home.

S. H. White and family of Napa, Wash., arrived in Medford Monday and are looking over the country with a view to locating.

Harry Shultz, Everett Corey and C. F. Martin, three students of the north school, left Central avenue today to enjoy a three weeks' mountain vacation at Crater lake.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Gleason are enjoying a week's outing on Battle creek. Mr. Gleason is head salesman in Toggery Bill's haberdashery.

W. M. Parker and wife of Oklahoma City are visiting in Medford. They are registered at the Nash.

R. H. Whitehead and Dr. B. F. Adkins returned Monday from an 18 days' outing on Dead Indian.

Miss Edith Van Dyke returned yesterday from Philadelphia, Pa., where she has been attending a medical college.

C. A. Brown, night clerk at the Hotel Nash, is taking a few days' layoff for repairs. Pleurisy is causing the trouble.

Mrs. Minnie Callahan returned to Portland last night, after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Charley.

J. E. Myers got back Monday night from the Chautauqua at Ashland. He reports it the most successful assembly ever held here.

W. J. Rodgers and Pat Walker of Antioch district tarried in the city Friday night, laying in supplies. They report a full crop of fruit in the foothill section between Antioch and Evans creek.

Messrs. Turner and Skertens of West Medford met at Owens Bros.' last Saturday on Central avenue and enjoyed the occasion with some of their choice instrumental music.

F. V. Medyurki came in from his homestead near Butte falls Monday. Mr. Medyurki is said to have one of the best improved and most valuable homesteads in that part of the country.

E. W. Tilden of Woodville has purchased 4,000 fruit trees of C. F. Cook of this city, and will set a good part of his land to trees next winter. Mr. Cook reports that he has booked a goodly number of orders for next winter delivery.

Delbert Terrill has sold his interest in the C street market to C. W. Huth

A notice of dissolution of partnership appears elsewhere in this paper. The firm name and style will be Huth Bros., and they will continue the business as before.

Miss Ora King, trained nurse, who has been employed in a hospital at Redding, Cal., arrived in Medford yesterday for a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. King. Miss King and the family will leave with a few days for a week's camping trip to Crater lake.

Mrs. N. J. Wiley and children and Miss Ida Wiley will leave today for their old home at Burnetts Creek, Ind., for a two or three months' visit. Mr. Wiley has supplied them generously with Rogue River valley literature, and it is not improbable that they will do a good bit of missionary work while away.

L. E. Van Vliete, who recently sold his orchard west of Central Point, has purchased a ranch of 137 acres near Goshen, in Lane county, this state. There are 100 acres of this land suitable for fruit raising. The price paid for the land was \$6,000 and included 12 head of cattle, four horses, hogs, chickens, turkeys and all farming implements.

There are many pleasant daily happenings along our pathway in life and many sad ones, among them this cheerful summer and morning is the sad death of Mrs. Rebecca Coffman, that occurred last night in North Medford, of complicated sickness. Mrs. Coffman was 35 years old and leaves to mourn her an affectionate husband and two little girls, eight and two years, respectively. Her remains will be shipped to Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gore returned a few days since from their visit to southern California. Mrs. Gore's health, for which the trip was taken, is very much improved; in fact, it is now better than it has been for years, and she considers she is now in perfect health. They made the entire trip from Los Angeles in their automobile. Mr. Gore's car is a Pope-Hartford, and the trip was made without any repairs, and at the rate of an average of 17 miles to a gallon of gasoline used.

(From Thursday's Daily.)

D. G. Karnes returned yesterday from Coletia.

County Clerk Coleman was in Ashland yesterday.

Constable Aug. Singler was in Ashland yesterday.

Ed Van Dyke was a visitor in Ashland yesterday.

Mrs. F. M. Carter visited Ashland friends yesterday.

E. G. Trowbridge was at Gold Hill yesterday on business.

Banker T. L. Davis of Jackson was in Medford Tuesday.

J. A. Siren of Seattle is one of the latest arrivals in Medford.

Attorney E. R. Reamer was among Medford friends Wednesday.

Banker J. L. Hammersley of Gold Hill was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Toft visited Grants Pass friends yesterday.

Rev. W. F. Shields made a brief visit to Central Point yesterday.

Sheriff Wilbur A. Jones was in California Friday on official business.

John Wilkenson has left for Klamath Falls for a two weeks' visit.

E. E. Hofer of Salem visited last week with Jesse Applegate in Jacksonville.

Lewis C. Smith of Sanes Valley was transacting business in Jacksonville today.

Z. Maxcy, bookkeeper at the Jackson County bank, was in Central Point yesterday.

W. W. Taylor of Eagle Point was attending to probate matters in Jacksonville Saturday.

D. F. Wilson is at Talent on a visit to his son, Ray, superintendent at Dr. Pap's big orchard.

Mrs. W. M. Colvig of this city was visiting her many Jacksonville friends the last of the week.

Mrs. C. G. Johnson and family left last night for Denver, Colo., when they expect to reside.

Mrs. J. W. Wiley left yesterday for Montague, Cal., for a few days' visit with her daughter.

Mrs. C. R. Ray, daughter and sons left last night for Newport, to be absent a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Lou Gay, nee Miss Mamie Linn, of Seattle is visiting her father, David Linn, in Jacksonville.

Messrs. Otis and Fort Hubbard of Medford were in Jacksonville Saturday, en route to Applegate.

Miss Anna Martin returned to Jacksonville Saturday from a several months' visit with friends in Portland.

Miss Gladys Shaw of Jacksonville is visiting relatives living in Salem and other points in the Willamette valley.

Attorney Peter Delsch of Arkansas, formerly of Jacksonville, is attending to business matters in this section.

Misses Lelah Prim, Maud Prim and Anna Wendt of Jacksonville will leave Friday for a month's outing at Coletia.

Dr. E. J. Bonner has received from the board of state examiners the blue ribbon diploma. His average was perfect.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Higinbotham, of Derby, Friday, July 17, an eight-pound son. Mother and child are doing nicely.

Mrs. H. M. George of Minneapolis Kan., arrived in Medford yesterday and will visit her son-in-law, A. F. Davis, and family.

A party composed of Harry Lay, Pat Donegan, Ray Sexton and Sam De Reboam spent Sunday fishing on the Little Applegate.

West Pool of Eagle Point was in Jacksonville Saturday on probate business connected with the estate of the late Arthur Pool.

Messrs. Joe Wetterer and Adolph S. Hultz have gone to Glades Fork, near the headwaters of the Applegate, to spend several weeks.

Mrs. H. Coleman of Wayne's Creek visited several days this week in Jacksonville, the guest of her son, County Clerk W. R. Coleman.

Wilson Boman, one of our good townsmen, left yesterday for San Jose, Cal. He will also go to Los Angeles, where he expects to reside.

Mrs. Robert Galloway, who has been in this city several months on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Sheel, left for Portland yesterday.

Colonel and Mrs. F. R. Ray left yesterday for Chicago. They have been stopping at Gold Hill most of the time during their stay in the valley.

John Devlin, who has been visiting his parents on Applegate returned to Portland Saturday. Mr. Devlin is engaged in the real estate business in Portland.

The chef and steward of the Emerick cafe spent a very pleasant day in Ashland Monday. The steward is sporting an elegant new watch. It is of the famous Ingersoll make.

Mr. and Mrs. Birde of San Francisco were in Jacksonville Monday. Mr. Birde is a prominent mining man and was formerly located at Grants Pass, where he had mining interests.

W. R. Slansell is finishing the work of assessing the city of Medford, which work was commenced by Robert Dow, and was resigned that position to accept a deputyship under Sheriff Jones.

Mrs. Luanna Denton has sold her fine Riverside residence property of five acres to L. D. Ackley, recently from Tillamook county, this state. The purchase price is not given out. Possession is to be given in 30 days, and the sale was made by A. Beltinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hafer left last evening for Portland. Mrs. Hafer will go east to Council Bluffs and will remain for an indefinite period. Mr. Hafer will visit Seattle before returning to Medford. He expects to join Mrs. Hafer in Council Bluffs about September 1.

Attorney M. Purdin returned Tuesday from a four days' outing at Fish Lake. The judge went out with Fish Lake, who is superintendent of all that Fish Lake country, and the water ditch which leads to it—or from it—and he had the way and set a merr y pace for Mr. Purdin over the entire tract, as is positively stated by Dr. Purdin.

Doctor J. A. Renter, Miss Pauline Renter and Dorothy Renter of The Dalles are visiting their mother, Mrs. C. Renter of Jacksonville. The trip from Portland was made in an automobile, and Dr. Renter thinks he made good time, as he started from Portland Saturday morning and reached Jacksonville Monday noon, in a 30-horsepower motor.

Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Forbes of Talent are moving to Medford, where they will store their household effects, and after a few weeks they will leave for the east, where they will remain for a year or more, during which time the doctor will take a post graduate course in some medical institute. They will then return to Oregon, where Mr. Forbes will resume his practice at Talent. During their stay in Talent, of about a year, these people have made many good friends, who will extend them a warm welcome on their return.

### PEACH IN SHIRTSLEEVES.

SPOKANE, July 21.—Meek parishioners of North Yakima parsons were shaken to their modest foundations when ministers appeared in their pulpits last evening in their shirtsleeves and delivered the word of God from a hot-weather pulpit in apparent comfort.

With the mercury standing at 103 degrees in the shade, enterprising preachers premeditated the affair and mutually agreed to doff the conventional black coat for the cooler method. It is feared that a combination of the devoutest of the devout will be formed and a formal protest made against the seeming disrespect to the holy places.

Male portions of the congregations immediately followed the pastors' lead, doffed their uncomfortable coats and sermons were delivered to cool men listeners and shocked women members.

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### TAKES OVER WATER SYSTEM.

EUGENE, Or., July 22.—The city of Eugene purchased today of the Willamette Valley company, the water system that is used in supplying the city. Negotiations have been pending for some time and last evening A. Welch came in to go over the situation with the council and make the transfer, which was completed this afternoon. The price paid was \$140,000.

This move on the part of the council will be unanimously approved by the citizens of Eugene, because it means municipal ownership of the water system, for which the people here have been striving for several years. The gain to the city in this deal is expressed in the fact that it eliminates at once the element of competition, and secures a plant which will bring in revenues from the day it is taken over. Furthermore the transfer of the system includes some property, including Skinner's (bottle), which is a valuable asset, and which will eventually make a beautiful park in the heart of the city.

At the next meeting of the council the second step will be taken toward the completion of the gravity system, when an ordinance will be passed calling for an election to pass upon a charter amendment, which will authorize the council to issue water bonds to the amount of \$500,000, or so much of this amount as is necessary to complete the big gravity system upon which permanent surveys are now being made.

The people of Eugene, last fall, passed an amendment authorizing the issue of \$300,000 of water bonds. At that time the estimates that were given for the construction of the gravity system contemplated a 12-inch wooden pipe, for a distance of 22 miles. This estimate was made about two years ago, but now it is considered wise to have a 24-inch pipe, which increases the expenditure some \$88,000. The council will ask the voters to pass on the amendment at once so that there will be no delay in pushing the world on the gravity system.

By the terms of the sale, the bonds will bear interest from July 1, and the city will collect all the revenues from that date. The present managers of the local water plant will continue in office until August 1, when a water commission from the citizens will be appointed to take charge.

In connection with the transfer, a contract was made with the Willamette Valley company to furnish electricity for the pumps used in connection with the system for 1 3/4 cents per kilowatt. The company agrees to furnish all the power the city can use at this rate.

—Automobile for sale for \$300.—Runabout that cost \$850 for sale; thoroughly equipped with adometer, top, acetylene lights, etc. A. C. Allen, Medford. 10-4f

### BRIGHT PROSPECTS.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, EUGENE, Ore., July 21.—The freshman class entering the University of Oregon this fall will be by far the largest in its history. Every indication points to a freshman registration of 250, and a total enrollment of 600 students, not including the departments of law and medicine. Last year one-fourth of all high school graduates of Oregon entered the University of Oregon, and there is every reason to believe that an even greater percentage will enter this fall, though the number of graduates is nearly a half larger than last year. Another source that will help swell the number very materially is the large number of eastern people coming into the state. The registrar's office receives many letters each week asking credits from eastern high schools will be accepted. The demand for catalogues has been unprecedented, and unless all signs fail, next year's enrollment will be a record breaker.

### PREMIUM FOR PORTLAND BONDS

PORTLAND, July 21.—Portland municipal bonds are very desirable investments and appear to be growing more popular as such all the time, for when the council committee on ways and means opened bids for an issue of \$79,662 of improvement bonds yesterday afternoon, there were nine bids and the majority of them offered excellent premiums. These bonds bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent.

The bonds were sold as follows: To A. H. Maegly, \$10,000 worth at par, accrued interest and 2 3/4 per cent premium; to Frank T. Dilger, for the city water department, \$9,000 worth at par, accrued interest and 3 per cent premium; to R. L. Durham, for the grand lodge, A. O. U. W., \$15,000 worth at par, accrued interest and 2 6/10 per cent premium; to J. D. Kelly, \$5,000 worth at par, accrued interest, and 2 6/10 per cent premium; to Harry Lane, mayor, for the fire and police relief association, \$1,000 worth at par, accrued interest and 5 per cent premium.

These were the best bids we have had for the improvement bonds," said City Auditor Harbour after the sale. "The bonds are becoming more popular all the time."

### ATTORNEY WITHDRAWS.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 22.—J. W. Scott, who has been acting attorney for John Claudianes, held for alleged complicity in the Gallagher dynamiting case, withdrew from the case today, with the reason given that his client failed to obey his instructions to refrain from talking for publication. Scott said he did not believe Claudianes knew much about the outrage, and most of his confessions are of the romance order.

### BRYAN SURPRISED.

FAIRVIEW FARM, Neb., July 22.—Not in some time has news of such importance reached here as that contained in the announcement that the \$28,000,000 fine against the Standard Oil company had been set aside by the Appellate court. Bryan, when apprised, seemed astonished, and was eager to know the grounds on which it was based. He did not, however, permit himself to be drawn into a discussion of the case.

It is now reasonably certain that the notification of Bryan will be held on the state capital grounds, in view of the large crowds expected, it was concluded that the single car out to Fairview was inadequate to meet the situation. Bryan is beginning to outline his notification speech. He volunteered a statement today that his speech will not necessarily be devoted to the platform entirely, or that it will be incumbent on him to enlarge upon that instrument.

### "SOMETHING AWFUL."

DENVER, July 21.—By a unanimous vote this afternoon the Western Federation of Miners instructed its executive board to use its influence for securing the appointment of a federal commission to investigate into the conditions in the "treadwell mines." This action follows a report on that district, the delegates declaring the conditions were "something awful." They claimed hundreds of miners were killed annually by reason of poor timbering; that when a man was killed the companies report him as having quit work, and that all efforts of friends or relatives to trace him afterwards are fruitless. They charged that the governor of Alaska always lobbied against any investigation. Their report was borne out by that of the executive committee, which was practically to the same effect. W. D. Hayward, former secretary-treasurer, addressed the convention, advising closer relations with the United Mine Workers, and thanking the members for the support given him during his trial in Idaho.

### SUFFER ACCIDENT.

C. W. Davis and Merchant Hibbard were compelled to cut their trip a few days short because of an accident which befell them. Their pack horse got himself mixed up with a hornet's nest on a mountain side, and in its efforts to get away from their stings, jumped down a steep mountain. In its rolling and tumbling it completely put their provisions out of commission. The animal landed up against a tree at the foot of the mountain and was so badly injured that in all probability it will have to be shot. The animal belonged to Constable Singler of this city. The boys had started out for a several days' hunt in the Applegate country.

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