

PEARS BRING FANCY PRICES

Here are others of the fruit orchards of the Rogue River valley making more fruit records. This time it is A. Hopson & Son, owners of the Touville orchards, south of Medford, who have made a record.

These gentlemen yesterday received returns from 108 half-boxes of Comice pears—and \$3.30 per half-box is the price they sold for on the New York market.

G. E. Marshall, who owns the De Hart orchard, has knocked out of shape all previous records for De Anjou pears. This variety of fruit shipped to New York brought \$4.10 per box.

POOL AND BILLIARD HALL.

Young & Hall's New Establishment Credit to City.

The work in connection with the new billiard parlor of Brown & Co. in the new Young & Hall block on D'Anjou street is not altogether finished, but sufficient has been done to show that when it is completed it will be without doubt the finest billiard and pool parlor in the state of Oregon, outside of Portland.

The parlor is 50x80 feet and it now contains five pool and four billiard tables, all of the Brunswick-Balke made, which are acknowledged to be the best on the market. In addition to that, three more tables will be put in before the first of the year. There will also be several palms placed between the arches and hot-house flowers in the front windows.

S. I. Brown, the senior partner in the concern, had a parlor on Seventh street near the Moore hotel for three years before he opened this one, and the patronage he received showed him that this city could support a much larger one conducted along the same lines. The business done since the new place opened shows that his judgment was right.

The lines on which Mr. Brown conducts the place are such that several of the business and professional men of the city often take their wives there, and there is no time that any lady could not visit the place, just the same as any store, so strict are the rules in force.

Mr. Brown wishes it to be understood that any one is cordially invited to visit his place at any time and see the place and the playing, even if they do not care to play themselves, and it will be well worth while for any one to do so.

NEW COMMISSION FIRM.

The Name Is McComb & True and Will Do Business in This City.

H. D. True, who came to Medford from Vancouver, B. C., a few weeks ago, has formed a partnership with C. E. McComb and they will engage in the commission and storage business in Medford, under the firm name and style of McComb & True. They have rented the Page & Son warehouse and will do a general commission business, such as buying and selling fruit, grain, hay and all kinds of country produce. These are both very fine gentlemen and they ought to do a good business. There is no institution of that nature in Medford at this time—and there has been need of one for several years. They will open for business the first of next week.

GOOD HUNTING HERE.

No Need of Going Far From Medford for Deer.

Here is another deer story. This time it is almost inside the city limits. Yesterday afternoon Howard Hill, a son of Dillon Hill, living just south of the city, discovered a fine, fat deer standing under a pear tree in his father's orchard. He went to the house and secured a rifle and upon returning fired two shots at the animal, the last one taking effect in the back of its head as it went hiking away through the orchard.

The Lost Is Found.

The man Herman Terrill, who was lost in the mountains of Upper Evans creek, mention of which was made in these columns on Sunday, has been found, after having been

out 48 hours in the cold, drizzling rain and without food. He was in a pitiable condition and scarcely able to speak, but recovered after having been provided with warm, dry clothing and something to eat.

COSS GETS SEVEN YEARS.

He Was Sentenced Yesterday, Application to Supreme Court.

H. M. Coss, who was found guilty a few weeks ago of a statutory crime upon the person of Carrie Stagg, was yesterday sentenced by Judge Hanna to serve seven years in the penitentiary, and he was at once committed to the county jail.

Coss' attorneys, W. M. Colvig and C. L. Reames, left last night for Salem, where they will apply to the Supreme court for a certificate of probable cause in the Coss matter, which appeal was denied them by Judge Hanna. Should the certificate be granted it will have the effect of releasing Coss upon his present bond until such time as the case on appeal may be heard by the Supreme court.

CHANGE IN LAW FIRM.

The Firms of Colvig & Durham and Reames & Reames Dissolved.

In addition to the dissolution of partnership of the law firm of Colvig & Reames, notice of which appeared in The Morning Mail a few days ago, the law firm of Reames & Reames has also been dissolved. A. E. Reames will continue the practice of law at Jacksonville and C. L. Reames has gone into partnership with William M. Colvig.

Mr. Durham, who was formerly associated with Mr. Colvig, will continue the practice of law in Grants Pass.

ALMOST 110 YEARS OLD.

Mrs. J. C. Jones Goes to California to Visit Aged Aunt.

Mrs. J. C. Jones left Medford yesterday for Orland, Cal., whither she goes to visit an aunt and cousin. The aunt, who is Mrs. W. Oliver, is 110 years of age, or will be on the 18th of this month, she having been born on October 18, 1798.

The aged lady is enjoying excellent health and is able to move about her home and do her own cooking, and has splendid eyesight. Her daughter, who is herself well along in years, lives with her.

SCHOOL FIRE COMPANIES.

One Has Been Organized in Each of School Buildings of the City.

Among the many things which have been done since Professor U. G. Smith was made the superintendent of the Medford schools has been the organization of a fire company in each of the school buildings of the city.

The boys who have been chosen as members of these fire companies will be instructed in the handling of the hose and carts by the officers and members of the city fire department and the drills will begin at once.

TEACHER OF MUSIC.

J. T. D'Erville, a Finished Musician, May Locate Here.

J. T. D'Erville, a teacher of the violin, and recently from Chehalis, Wash., is in Medford and will locate here, provided he can secure a sufficient number of pupils to teach to justify it. He assisted the choir at the M. E. Church at the Sunday evening services, and also rendered two solos. He is unquestionably a finished musician and those who heard his music Sunday night are the ones who are most earnest and untiring in their efforts to secure pupils for him.

WILL START TODAY.

Rain or Shine, the Paving Work Will Start Today.

Had there not more rain fallen Sunday night work on the street excavation, preparatory to putting down pavement, would have been commenced yesterday. However, the work, we understand, will commence this morning, rain or shine.

Roads in Bad Condition.

A. E. Gurean and Wes Green returned yesterday from the Blue Ledge mines in their automobiles. Mr. Gurean went out last Friday with Dr. Reddy, Mr. Palmer and Mr. Sumner. They report the roads in a frightful condition for autos, and they must be, from the appearance of their machines when they arrived home—mud from top to bottom, inside and out. However, they came in from Joe Bar in good time, leaving there about 2 o'clock yesterday and reaching here by 5.

Ripe Old Age.

Mrs. D. A. Good, mother of Rev. W. E. Good, of this city, returned to her home at Salem yesterday after a very pleasant visit with her son and family. Mrs. Good is 85 years of age and there are five generations of her people now living. She is quite hale and hearty and made the trip alone.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

J. R. Wilson, the rancher from Griffin creek section, was in the city yesterday.

Henry Barneburg of Ashland was greeting his many friends on the streets yesterday.

Miss Edna Hoag, who has been visiting Medford friends, has returned to her home near Ashland.

Arthur Kleinhammer, one of the hustling stockmen from Buncom, was trading yesterday with Medford merchants.

Mrs. James Kelso and daughter, Mrs. Leon Evans, returned yesterday from a few days' visit with friends at Woodville.

D. T. Cox has closed up his affairs over in California and has rented J. W. Cox's place, south and west from Medford, for an indefinite period.

Rev. G. L. Hall gave his "Evening With Riley" at Central Point last Friday evening. It was held under the auspices of the Baptist church of that place.

J. W. Willeke came in from his farm on Trail creek yesterday. He and his partner have 400 acres of land in that locality, 300 of which, Mr. Willeke says, is first-class fruit and alfalfa land.

Mrs. G. G. Karnes, who has been confined to her bed for the past month with fever, is rapidly recovering under the excellent care of Dr. Seely and Sobrey Booker, trained nurse, is in attendance.

Three arrests were made yesterday forenoon by Chief Shearer for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. One forfeited his \$10 bond money, one paid a \$10 fine and the other will have a hearing before Judge Collins tomorrow.

Mrs. H. Humphrey, who has been visiting in Minneapolis, Minn., for the past several months, returned to her home in this city yesterday. She was accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. M. J. Coon, who will likely remain here all winter.

Mrs. H. E. Ankeny and daughter, Miss Gladys, of Eugene, who have been over in Klamath county for a few weeks, stopped off at Medford yesterday for a short visit with her daughters, Mrs. A. H. Miller and Mrs. J. S. Orth.

Mrs. Joe Moomaw of Eagle Point arrived yesterday from Ohio, where she has been visiting some two months. She says she has seen lots of country since leaving here, but nothing that looked as good to her as the Rogue River valley.

Frank Varrell, wife and family, six in all, arrived in our city yesterday from Minneapolis, Minn. They have come to stay among us. Mr. Varrell at once began search for a house to rent until his goods arrive, when he expects to buy property here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Centers were in from Sam's Valley yesterday. Mr. Centers purchased an 80-acre tract of land in that locality a couple of months ago. This is known as the Noah place, and Mr. Centers will put it all out to fruit and alfalfa. It can all be irrigated.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Ed Andrews went to Roseburg Sunday.

T. H. B. Taylor was here Sunday from his home near Woodville.

Will Daly of Portland will spend a few days in the city visiting friends.

Mrs. G. L. Schermerhorn and Mrs. E. G. Trowbridge visited Ashland friends yesterday.

Roy Ashpole, one of Eagle Point's stockmen, shipped a carload of fine fat cattle to Portland markets last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Norton were in Medford over Sunday on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Butler, parents of Mrs. Norton.

Mrs. Julia B. Russell and daughter, Miss Margaret, of San Diego, Cal., are in Medford on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Nye.

G. F. King and family arrived Sunday to attend to some business matters and will visit for a time with relatives and friends here.

Messrs. Warner, Wortman & Gore shipped a carload each of fat cattle and hogs to Portland yesterday. They were accompanied by H. G. Wortman.

Mrs. J. N. Webb, who has been visiting with the family of Joe Parker and other relatives in this city for some months, returned to her home in Portland Sunday.

Ray Eckart of Salina, Kan., arrived Sunday for a visit with his uncle, T. B. Ellison. This is Mr. Eckart's first visit to this coast and he is greatly pleased with the appearance of the Rogue River valley.

George King, Sr., of Sebastopol, Cal., arrived Sunday from a visit with his son, Charles, and other relatives. This is Mr. King's first visit in Medford for about three years. He is greatly surprised at the many changes which have taken place since he left here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Roberts, parents of Mrs. J. M. Bothwell and Mrs. Ruby Fowler of this city, arrived in Medford a few days since from Sa-

betha, Kan., and will spend the winter here. They were accompanied here by their granddaughter, Miss Estella Fowler.

TALK POLITICS, THEN FIGHT.

Fistic Encounter Between a Socialist and a Democrat.

The city coffer will undoubtedly be enriched to some extent Monday because of the fact that E. J. Lewis, state organizer for the Socialist party, and Attorney E. E. Kelly engaged in a fistic encounter on the Hotel Nash corner last night.

Mr. Lewis was speaking from a box on the street corner and, as we are told, during his talk asked if there was an attorney in the crowd, to which Mr. Kelly made answer that he was one, whereupon Mr. Lewis hurled some caustic remarks in his direction, to which Mr. Kelly, who is a Democrat, took exceptions. After an exchange of compliments (?) Mr. Lewis intimated that Mr. Kelly get on the box—and that is what Mr. Kelly proceeded to do. It was then that Mr. Kelly hurled a few full-strength caustic remarks in the direction of Mr. Lewis—and about this time the gentlemen commenced a mix-up.

Both were arrested by Officer Cole and they gave bonds in the sum of \$20 each for their appearance before Judge Collins tomorrow morning.

E. J. Lewis, who was arrested Saturday evening while addressing an audience in front of the Hotel Nash by Officer Cole, was given a hearing yesterday before Recorder Collins.

The complaint filed in the case charged him with a violation of section 1 of ordinance No. 73, by "willfully and unlawfully using violent and abusive and threatening language publicly and that he did abuse certain citizens with the intent to create a disturbance, contrary to said ordinance and against the peace and dignity of the state of Oregon," to which complaint he entered a plea of not guilty.

A number of witnesses were examined and brief arguments followed by defendant and E. E. Kelly, acting city attorney. Recorder Collins took until 4:30 p. m. to render his judgment, at which time a fine of \$10 was entered against the defendant.

The case against E. E. Kelly, growing out of the same difficulty, was continued for hearing at some future time.

SUNDAY SCHOOL GROWING.

Presbyterian School Room Soon Will Have to Be Enlarged.

The services at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning were of more than usual interest, showing, as they did, the activity in the various branches of the organized work. The Sunday school, under the superintendency of J. F. Hutchason, is growing rapidly and promises to exceed the accommodations in the near future. The primary department is very full. Next Sunday is rally day, and besides a special program being given, promotions will take place in the primary and intermediate departments.

Ten persons were received into the membership of the church, and the pastor, Rev. W. F. Shields, preached an inspiring sermon on "Foreign Missions," a large and generous offering being taken for the foreign work. Special music by the recently reorganized chorus choir added to the pleasure of all the services.

"THE WARDROBE."

That Will Be the Name of a New Store Here.

F. S. Brandon and his sister-in-law, Miss Rose Whitney, recently from Merrill, Klamath county, are having rooms fitted up on West Seventh street, near the Hotel Moore, and will soon open a store therein. They will call their place "The Wardrobe," and they will carry shoes, gents' furnishings and ladies' ready-to-wear garments. Their store will be conducted upon a strictly cash basis.

For Chronic Diarrhoea.

"While in the army in 1863 I was taken with chronic diarrhoea," says George M. Felton, of South Gibson, Pa. "I have since tried many remedies but without any permanent relief, until Mr. A. W. Miles, of this place, persuaded me to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, one bottle of which stopped it at once." For sale by Chas. Strang.

Fatally Shot Himself.

SAN RAFAEL, Cal., Oct. 19.—O. M. Hartsel of Pittsburg, said to be connected with the Carnegie Steel company interests in that city, shot and fatally wounded himself here today at the Hotel Rafael. He is now at the county hospital. The bullet penetrated the brain, no cause has been assigned for the act, but it is supposed he was jealous of his wife who died recently. Hartsel has been here some months and according to the hotel authorities has been busy straightening out his affairs.

Lame Back.

This ailment is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles of the small of the back, and is quickly cured by applying Chamberlain's Liniment two or three times a day and massaging the parts at each application. For sale by Chas. Strang.

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A LITTLE OF EVERYTHING

Bulgaria blows as if she had plenty of cyclone in reserve.

Sometimes a Wall street scare is caused by the lambs getting away.

Peace conferences are excellent—so long as nobody wants to fight.

Signs of reform in Nevada. You can't get a divorce by mail any more.

The campaign speakers are contributing their part to "The Conquest of the Air."

And now it is the "walking tour" for army officers. The jaded horses were kicking.

Europe is busy trying to find the fellows who are hiding behind the warcloud.

In a national campaign mud is not only cheaper than ink, but it has no indelible qualities.

All candidates in favor of deep water, and some of them have no trouble getting into it.

The janitors in Carnegie's Temples of Peace might illuminate the present cloudy war situation.

"Castro is ill again." It is always an ill wind that blows the attention of the world to that man.

Many candidates hope to "go down in history," but some of them will go down before history hears of them.

Every man in Texas who contributed a dollar to the campaign fund will expect a postoffice.—Chattanooga Times.

Senator Crane is making himself popular around campaign headquarters by his evident willingness to give Taft a lift.

It is hardly likely that Lord Wiloughby de Broke confines his speeches in the house of lords to financial questions.

The speeches Editor Watterson makes on the stump also read well in editorial type. So he doesn't lose any time by being away from the office.

A New York paper says John D. Rockefeller "always had a literary turn." But he didn't indulge it earlier in life. He had to economize on the "midnight oil."

Harpers Weekly says "the sole burning question is one of kerosene oil."

Well, Harper's has been clamoring for light, and more light.

The last time Servia went to war George Bernard Shaw wrote a play about it.—Kansas City News.

But this time he has done nothing to make her fighting mad.

The Philadelphia Ledger reports that, inspired by cocaine, a "fiend" in that town stabbed an inoffensive citizen. Which is to be regretted in these days, when inoffensive citizens seem to be getting scarce.

GOULD'S INCOME DWINDLES.

Suit for Alimony Shows It Dropped From \$600,000 to \$400,000.

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—That Howard Gould's income formerly was \$600,000 a year, but since the depression of business of last year has been reduced to \$400,000 and that he has lost \$300,000 this year, was stated by his counsel in an argument before Justice Bischoff today. These figures were given in opposing an application by Mrs. Katherine Clemmons Gould, who is suing Mr. Gould for divorce, for an increase in her alimony from \$25,000 a year to \$120,000. To support her application Mrs. Gould asserted that her husband's income was \$600,000 a year. Delancy Nichol, counsel for Mr. Gould, made the assertion that Mrs. Gould's course for many years has been one of unbridled extravagance and last year she received from her husband \$220,000. Counsel for Mr. Gould declared that in 1906 Mr. Gould told his wife he would separate from her unless she abandoned her habits, but that Mrs. Gould declined to do so.

Clarence J. Shearn, counsel for Mrs. Gould, said that Mr. Gould had tried to "starve" his wife out in Castle Gould and had filled the house with spies, who watched her every movement, compelling her to remove to a hotel.

Mr. Nichol retorted that in seven years from 1899 to 1906, Mr. Gould gave his wife \$766,500 and that Mrs. Gould had saved \$200,000 of it.

Decision on the increase of alimony was reserved.

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