

ADVERTISE MEDFORD IN THE BUCKEYE STATE

Ohio Paper Comments Favorably Upon Tribune's Horticultural Number and Calls Medford 'A Western Paradise'—Issue Proves Good Advertiser.

Judge W. S. Crowell, president of the First National bank of Medford, has received a marked copy of the Ashtabula (O.) Reason-Record, containing a dispatch from Jefferson, O., which is headed, 'A Western Paradise—Medford, Or., Is Said to Have That Distinction.' The dispatch follows: 'Jefferson, Feb. 29.—Court Stenographer Kate Crowell Nearing has just received from her cousin, Judge William S. Crowell, an illustrated copy of the Horticultural edition of the Medford (Or.) Daily Tribune. Judge Crowell is now president of the First National bank of that city. He was formerly an officer in the Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Fifth infantry regiments of the Buckeye state, but has been many years 'way out west.'

The paper, with its glowing description and cuts of apples, pears and general fruit in the Rogue River valley region; its monster trout, fish, deer bear and other game and the other all-round attractions there puts it up in the red ribbon class and suggests an earthly paradise. An apple measuring nineteen inches in circumference is illustrated as among the ordinary fruit specimens in that fertile neck of the woods.

The paper would be a credit to any publishing office.

Judge Crowell, along with other progressive people of Medford, sent numerous copies of the horticultural edition of the Tribune to eastern friends. This issue is proving one of the best advertisements Medford has received and has attracted the attention of many people to this region. An unabated demand for it continues from prospective immigrants.

ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY MAY VISIT ROSE CARNIVAL

Admiral George Dewey may be a guest of Portland for a day or two during or near the time of the rose festival in June. The distinguished naval warrior has already accepted the invitation of the San Francisco public to be present when the Atlantic fleet is welcomed to the Bay City, and will be one of the guests of honor on that occasion, and will review the great armada.

Seattle has also invited Admiral Dewey to visit the Sound city at the time the fleet puts into Puget sound for a call at the Bremerton navy yard. It is expected that Dewey will also accept this invitation, for the reason that Secretary Metcalf of the navy department has issued orders that the whole fleet shall proceed to Seattle after its brief stay at the Golden gate.

In case Dewey accepts Seattle's invitation, he will of necessity pass through Portland, and if a part of the fleet, as is now expected, is detached and sent here during the rose festival, the festival management hopes to be able to have the 'hero of Manila bay' spend a day or two there during the June celebration.

BRISTOL TO RUSH CASES AGAINST LAND SWINDLERS

PORTLAND, March 5.—Weary of waiting for the Oregon delegation to select a successor who is acceptable to the president, the attorney general and the department of justice, and seeing government business accumulating to mountainous proportions, United States District Attorney W. C. Bristol appeared before federal Judge Wolvorton, announced his determination of actively entering on his duties and appointed Walter H. Evans and Robert Tucker as his assistants. Bristol will secure a grand jury, ask for special agents for investigation and has requested the court to hold night sessions until the work is cleared up.

Immediately after the appointment of his assistants, Bristol, Evans and Tucker repaired to the rooms set aside for the United States attorney in the federal building and began to make the dirt fly. It was the first time Bristol had entered the place since F. J. Heney came to Oregon in January, and filled the rooms with piles of documents in the land cases. A few minutes before Bristol entered his stenographers had signed their resignations to the department.

It is to be a whirlwind campaign of prosecution which Bristol inaugurated, and will be carried on until completed, unless a successor is appointed in the meantime. What effect Bristol's renewed activity will have on the selection of a successor is not known, but it is among things possible that when his commission expires he will receive another recess appointment from President Roosevelt. Bristol says he doesn't know and doesn't care, but that he is tired of waiting to be relieved, and the interests of the government demand attention.

St. Mark's (Episcopal) Church. Lent begins Ash Wednesday, with two services at St. Mark's church—litany and penitential office at 10 a. m., and evening prayer and address at 8 p. m. Tomorrow the service will be at 8 p. m., with address on Martin Luther, which will be illustrated with stereopticon slides, if they arrive in time.

CENTRAL POINT POINTERS.

The election on the new charter passed off very quietly, giving a nice majority for the charter, having passed about 10 to 1.

The friends of Mrs. James Shields will be pleased to learn that she is fastly recovering from her last illness. Central Point will certainly take its place with the other wideawake places of Southern Oregon with her new charter. She has been greatly hindered by the restrictions placed around her by the provisions of the old charter.

At the school meeting held at the town hall last Saturday the school board was instructed to build a schoolhouse on the same plans and the same size as the one burned, except the heating apparatus, which is to be steam.

The city election comes off the 9th inst. We expect the ablest business men of the city to be elected. Nominations for the respective offices were made at the city hall, Monday evening, as follows: Mayor, F. H. Hopkins, of the Snowy Butte orchard; recorder, T. M. Jones, of the Central Point furniture store; treasurer, T. M. Witten of Central Point State bank; councilmen, J. W. Jacobs of the Central Point Marble works, Robert Kyle, capitalist; S. A. Pattison of the Herald; L. Hatfield, merchant, and G. S. Moore, confectionery. These are all able men and among our best and most competent citizens, and men who are well able to fill the positions they have been nominated to.

The body of Mrs. Francis A. Swinaler, who died at her home, three and one-half miles east of Central Point, was shipped to Knoxville, Pa., her husband and son accompanying it to the place of destination.

The watchword for Central Point for the next year will be 'Advance,' and we believe we can explain with some of the larger cities, 'Watch us grow,' as is evidenced by the number of buildings that are most sure to be built this year. Some of the buildings mentioned are a two-story brick store by Freeman & Wiley, a large store building with a bedroom on the second floor by the Oddfellows, to be built either of cement or brick, and the eight-room schoolhouse.

JACKSONVILLE ITEMS.

W. W. Edgington of Sam's Valley and Charles Lindsay of Dead Indian were business visitors Wednesday.

John S. Orth came over from Medford Wednesday to interview the tax collector.

Attorney Gus Newberry is ill in Grants Pass, having gone there Monday to have a slight operation performed for catarrh.

R. E. Robison and A. Moore, two of Talent's prosperous farmers, were in town the first of the week.

James Owens came down from Welton Wednesday to file his declaration for the office of commissioner on the republican ticket.

W. H. Fulkerson of Roseburg is spending some time at the courthouse searching the records for the government.

The U. S. hotel closed its dining room Wednesday evening, thus making one less of a very much needed thing in our town.

Henry and Tom Williams, who give their home as Texas, were arrested in Grants Pass and brought to Medford to answer a charge of stealing a roll of blankets. Both pleaded guilty and were given 30 days in the county jail.

DIPHTHERIA BACILLI ALIVE MONTHS AFTER QUARANTINE

The diphtheria bacilli often exist in the mouths and throats of people who have had the disease two months after they have been released from quarantine, was the statement made to the Portland city board of health by City Health Officer Paul. She believes that in this manner diphtheria germs are widely distributed, and thinks greater care should be taken by physicians in liberating their patients from quarantine. In order to make certain that the patient is entirely free of diphtheria bacilli she recommended that a rule be adopted compelling at least two negative cultures to be made from the throat of the patient before a release from quarantine is granted. In this manner she said that there would be absolutely no danger of spreading the disease from the convalescent.

NEW PROBLEM FOR MATHEMATICIANS

A correspondent asks for a solution of the following problem: 'I buy a house and lot for \$2500, on which I make a cash payment of \$500 and agree to pay \$80 every three months until property is paid for, interest at 5 percent on deferred payments. The interest is also paid quarterly. How long will it take to finish paying the debt, how much will the interest be reduced annually and how much interest will accrue during the whole period?'

The real estate editor confesses that the problem is too much for him, and respectfully refers it to Medford mathematical experts.

Kill San Jose Scale.

From some localities come reports that there is much bug Jan. scale yet. This must not be permitted. The fruit industry is too important and men who at great labor and expense have destroyed pests and maintain clean orchards have a right to demand that county health inspectors do their full duty, without fear or favor and strictly enforce the law. Orchard not rendered pest-free must be destroyed.—Portland Journal.

SALT PROVIDED FOR STOCK ON RANGES

Cattle, Horses and Sheep Must Be Given Salt at Frequent Intervals to Protect Range and Conserve Forage Crop—Want of It Causes Restlessness.

The requirement that all cattle, horses and sheep grazing under permit on the national forests be given salt at frequent intervals is a regulation which has been found to go a long way in protecting the range and conserving the forage crop.

Experience has shown that the want of salt makes stock restless. If cattle and horses are not supplied as they need it, they roam and wander, haunting old salting grounds used in previous seasons, trampling the forage plants instead of eating them, pawing the ground and in other ways injuring the range. But if their cravings are supplied, they scatter peacefully over the pasture grounds and feed at their leisure.

Salt is so necessary to the easy and profitable handling of sheep on the range that no flockmaster would think of getting along without it. If sheep do not receive their usual supply it is only with great difficulty that they can be held in bands or kept in camp at night. So far as sheep are concerned, no regulation by law is really necessary, because the owners, for their own convenience, will salt their flocks. But cattle are not herded, and the owners might neglect to salt them, if the regulations were not strictly enforced.

Stock on different ranges require varying quantities of salt. Sheep need less on dry range than on green. An average quantity for 1000 head of sheep would be from 1000 to 1500 pounds each year. For a like number of cattle, from 5000 to 10,000 pounds a year is required. Horses need less than cattle.

Old hunters, in the days of the pioneers, knew that deer and buffalo traveled long distances to lick salt in saline springs. The blue licks on Licking river, in Kentucky, and a similar mineral spring on Elk river, in West Virginia, were famous for the herds of deer, buffalo and elk which frequented them. The adjacent ground was so deeply tramped that the marks were to be seen many years after the places ceased to be visited by these animals.

SCARLET FEVER CURED BY HYPERDERMIC INJECTIONS

NEW YORK, March 5.—Hyperdermic injections of a serum similar to that used in the treatment of diphtheria are being successfully employed in scarlet fever cases in this city, according to doctors in hospitals on the east side, where the disease is unusually prevalent now. The last report of the board of health showing 789 cases, more than six times as many as on December 1, and the great majority of them in the populous section which includes most of the foreign settlements. Dr. Henry Robinson of the Post-Graduate hospital, said, in commenting on the tests of this treatment, that although little used in this country, it is not new by any means, having been employed with gratifying results in both Germany and France. Experiments with it here are stated to have been almost uniformly successful.

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Afternoon Session.....2:00 to 5:00 Evening Session.....7:30 to 10:30

The management will endeavor to conduct this rink to secure the patronage of the best people; where they may go for recreation and healthful exercise. People patronizing it must at all times conduct themselves as ladies and gentlemen. Music will be provided and special features added from time to time. All skaters pay 25 cents for use of surface. Admission free, except on special nights, which will be announced through the press.

SPECIAL MUSIC. Society Night Wednesday. ADMISSION10 CENTS SKATES25 CENTS

Good Coffee Values



I was reading about a fellow who was asked what he had had for lunch, and he said: 'A piece of baconine, some almost eggs, a cup of near coffee and some not quite pie.' Well, you won't find any 'near coffee' around this shop; that is, if we sell it to you for coffee. It's easy for a grocer to give you a good run for your coffee money if he isn't too stingy. Coffee is lower than ever before and qualities better. It all depends upon how much a grocer is willing to pay for his coffee. You can buy the real old Govt. Java or you can buy Java which comes from Brazil, but whatever we sell you, whether it be Java, Mocha and Java or Costa Rica, you may know it is the best grade that can be sold for the money. We have a big coffee trade, and that helps us to give you fresh roasted coffee any old day you want it, and not the tasteless kind which has lost most of its strength. I expect a lot of ladies in the store today to buy our 25c coffee.

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SPREAD THE NEWS Colonists' Rates. Colonist Rates from all points East to Oregon from March 1 to April 30, 1908. The Southern Pacific Railroad. Announces that rates in effect March 1, 1908, will be \$38 from Chicago \$25.50 from St. Louis, Mo.; from Missouri River common points, Council Bluffs to Kansas City, Mo., including also St. Paul, Minneapolis, \$50; from Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo, \$30. For further information call on or address A. S. BOBBAUM, Agent, Medford, Or.