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PROGRESSIVE MEN NEEDED.

The popular demand for up-to-date men and methods in the county court house is well voiced in the following from the Central Point Herald: "The Rogue River valley is no longer a backwoods community, but is rapidly becoming one of the best known and most rapidly developing sections of the state. People with money and brains and progressive ideas are coming here to make homes and the rapid advance in realty values indicates that the spirit of progress is at hand. In view of these things, it is absolutely necessary that progressive men—men of modern methods and who will pursue progressive policies—should be placed in charge of county affairs in the court house at Jacksonville, in order that Jacksonville county may keep pace with the Rogue River valley.

"As a matter of fact, the present county officials, or at least that portion of them who have to do with the assessment of property, the levying and collection of taxes and the expenditure of public money, are failures when measured by the square of modern business methods or when the rule of giving all taxpayers a square deal is applied. Their methods are antiquated and now-cast and they assume that the methods of 30 years ago are good enough for the present day. Their best friends do not pretend to claim that the assessment of property during the past few years has been anything more than a farce or that the assessment has been equitable or just.

"The county court a few months ago made a flat raise of 60 per cent on the tax levy and then solemnly published to the people that it was only a 40 per cent raise and stayed with that story until some outsider made the discovery and 'called the bluff.' It is evident that the board either did not know that the raise was 60 per cent or they were dishonest in telling the people that it was only 40 per cent. In either case the people should nominate and elect men who can compute a tax levy intelligently and give the information concerning such levy to the people of the county truthfully.

"The people also need a new deal on the county road question and need it badly. Progressive states and counties have the matter of road building down to a system and they have good roads and are constantly improving them. In Jackson county road-making seems to be 'up to the system' and we have abominable roads and they are getting worse every year.

"To err is human' is an axiom accepted by practically everybody except Jackson county officials regarding their own work. These gentlemen turn a deaf ear to appeals from the taxpayers to have the county books examined by some competent expert accountant and a report made to the people as to the real financial condition of the county. Such a thing has not been done in Jackson county for 40 or 50 years, therefore our county judges and commissioners seem to think that it is not necessary (or perhaps not expedient) now.

"Yes; Jackson county needs a bunch of progressive men in the courthouse—men who know how; men who will do things in a modern, methodical, systematic manner and who will spend the people's money wisely and judiciously and give them something in the way of possible roads and safe bridges in return for the taxes they pay. The only way to get such men is to nominate them at the primaries and then elect them on the first day of June. Partisanship or loyalty should not figure in county affairs. Elect men who are pledged to good roads and modern, progressive methods in county affairs and who are willing to render an accounting of their stewardship at the close of their term of office."

THE WATER COMMITTEE

The water committee of the city council, composed of Councilmen Merriam, Eifert and Westman, desires the thanks of all people of Medford for tireless and conscientious work for the benefit of the city.

The office of commission is at least a thankless task. There is no salary connected with the office, nothing but hard work, sacrifice of time and money with but faint hope for often the sad reward from a thankless people.

Fortunate indeed is the city that has men public spirited enough to sacrifice themselves for the common good of Medford. This is the spirit that makes cities, and this is the spirit that is making Medford the metropolis of Southern Oregon.

Everything is ready to launch on the delinquent. Watch for the opening.

SEEKING APPROPRIATION FOR PUBLIC BUILDINGS

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Representative Ellis has requested the committee on public buildings to frame the omnibus building bill to make appropriations of \$75,000 each for buildings at Pendleton and La Grande. Representative Hawley has asked for an increase of \$75,000 for the Eugene public buildings and has also requested \$10,000 for Albany and \$125,000 for Houlberg.

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Baseball Sunday. Medford vs. Phoenix. Medford grounds, Sunday, April 5. Admission, 25 cents.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Mary A. Brown to Luther K. Hawk, land in township 35, range 1 W. \$13,000
R. C. Messner to J. E. Crews, 31.10 acres in section 16, township 36, range 3 W. 100
P. H. Daily to Louis Eaton, lots 1 and 2, block 60, Jacksonville. 750
Rhet Cary to North Coast Co-operative Lumber Co., north east 1/4 section 12, township 38, range 4 E. 1
United States to Edward N. Bulivant, 102.63 acres in section 9, township 32, range 2 E. Patent
United States to Edgar S. Hafer, 169 acres in section 34, township 35, range 3 E. Patent
W. D. Carey to Mary E. O'Neil, 20 acres in section 4, township 38, range 2 W. 1
Hans P. Anderson to Iowa Lumber Co., 135.57 acres in section 2, township 35, range 3 E. 10
Solomon Anderson to Gustave Edlund, lots 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 11, 12, 15, 16, 19, block 2, Oreka and Home tract. 3600
Garric P. Counts to Thomas Gill, 40 acres in township 36, range 2 W. 300
Lennis Hanson, guardian, to I. J. Hanson, 10 acres in township 36, range 2 W. 1200
Gustave Edlund to Solomon Anderson, property in Oak Grove tract. 5400
J. A. Perry, trustee, to Sarah J. Morley, lot 1, block 18, Butte Falls. 1
United States to William M. Kankaska, 160 acres in section 6, township 34, range 3 W. Patent
J. A. Lyon et al. to Eva Roberts, lot 3, block 3, Prunella Addition, Medford. 1
W. H. Coop to W. C. Kinyon, lot 10, block 3, Palm's Addition, Medford. 150
Alex. Halbrook to H. J. Gardner, lot 6, block 69, Central Point. 200
S. A. Pattison to John Terrill, lots 3 and 4, block 60, Central Point. 125
Fred Merritt to Wm. H. Scott, assignment of land for deed to A. M. Harrison to Ernest Richard McKnight, land in section 16 and 21, township 26, range 3 W. 500
William Ross to J. D. Fleming, lots 10 and 11, block 3, West Medford. 250
C. G. Shirley to Mabel Whitney Halson, 50 acres in D. L. C. 45, township 37, range 2 W. 14,000
J. E. Watt to H. T. Hall, 20 acres in D. L. C. 43, township 37, range 1 W. 28,000
G. H. Miller to Sarah J. Buchanan, land in D. L. C. 42, township 37, range 1 W. 1500
John Reinowaker to Mrs. M. O. Greenwood, 575 acres in D. L. C. 38, township 39, range 1 E. 10
Margaret A. Walker to Millie Inlow, 4 acres in section 5, township 39, range 1 E. 15
Lulu McGinnis to J. H. Will, lots 19, 17 and 18, block 1, B. R. Addition, Ashland. 800
Hargadine Cemetery Association to John H. Will, lot 122 1/2, Hargadine Cemetery Association, Ashland. 1
Julia Ann Bailey to Mrs. C. J. Robison, lot 1, block 35, Coal-Edge Addition, Ashland. 10
E. C. Welch to Polk Hull, lot 5, block 37, lots 7 and 8, block 33, Central Point. 600
Oliver C. Sheldon to Uriah S. Sheldon, 1/2 of S. W. 1/4 of N. W. 1/4 of section 5, township 29, range 1 W. 5
Elmer G. Coleman to P. W. Standiford, water lots 29, 29, 31, 32 and 33, Phoenix. 200
D. T. Lawton to J. A. Lyon, lot 12 and S. 1/2 lot 11, block 4, Medford. 250
J. C. Emerick to H. B. Ashew, lots 8 and 9, block 2, Palm's Addition, Medford. 200
United States to Frank W. Chase, 160 acres in section 18, township 36, range 3 E. Patent
Dane Rogstad to W. D. Davis, 40 acres in section 19, township 35, range 2 W. 400
United States to Jos. C. Smith, 160 acres in section 8, township 41, range 4 W. Patent
Aaron Andrews to W. F. Maier, 120 acres in section 21, township 38, range 2 W. 3800
W. Baylows to R. C. Stone, lots 2 and 3, block 2, Amy & Harbough's Addition to Central Point. 825
John P. White to Ezra W. Monroe, 200 acres in section 30, township 35, range 2 W. 2000
Ezra W. Monroe to G. Miller, 200 acres in section 30, township 35, range 2 W. 3000
United States to Monroe Baldwin, 40 acres in section 12, township 35, range 1 E. Patent
Edward L. Kendall to J. L. Bosker, lots 8, 9 and 10, block 4, Kendall's Addition, Medford. 205
United States to Dasha A. Hadon, southeast 1/4 of section 22, township 32, range 1 E. Patent
D. & C. R. R. to R. Bieberstedt, east 1/2 of southeast 1/4 of section 23, township 36, range 2 E. 200
United States to Rudolph Bieberstedt, 100 acres in section 24, township 36, range 2 E. Patent
Franklin Shibley to Adlai P. Gill, 100 acres in D. L. C. 55, township 37, range 2 W. 482
James Shibley to Franklin Shibley, land in D. L. C. 55, township 37, range 2 W. 482
George Land to J. D. Evans, 100 acres in township 38, range 1 W. 5160

Quartz Locations

H. W. Diemann, Prospectors' Hope claim, in section 12, township 36, range 3 west.

Made earnestly, sold honestly. "The No Name" hat. At Bill's place. \$3, \$4, \$5.

MUSICAN PROGRAM BY GIRLS OF THREE CITIES

A piano recital will be given tonight by the pupils of Miss Ethel Caroline Palmer of Grants Pass, Mrs. Susie Neil of Ashland and Mrs. E. E. Gore of Medford, at the Presbyterian church, of this city at 8 o'clock. Admission is free and every one is invited. The following is the program:

- "Song to the Evening Star" (Wagner Liszt), Miss Ivy Boeck, Medford; "Le Cavalier Fantastique" (Godard), Miss Leilah Caldwell, Grants Pass; gavotte (Chabuka), Miss Mamie Deuel, Medford; "Valse Brillant" (Egging), Miss Ruth Woodford, Medford; "Staccato Caprice" (Vogrich), Miss Ruth Shouly, Ashland; "La Gazelle" (Wolffhaupt), Miss Elba Baker, Medford; "Valse in D Flat" (Wieniawski), Miss La Costa Magnus, Grants Pass; "Valse Arabesque" (Lack), Miss Helen Cox, Medford; "Little Girl's Dance" (Williams), "Peter Pan's Shadow Dance" (Dellafield), Miss Lucile Garber, Grants Pass; "O'er Blooming Meadows" (Riv-King), Miss Flora Gray, Medford; "Polka de la Reine" (Raff), Miss Flavia Hackett, Grants Pass; "Polonaise Brillante" (Decevee), Miss Nell Reuter, Medford; "Concert Waltz" (Wieniawski), Miss Marion Neil, Ashland; "Twelfth Rhapsodie" (Liszt), Miss Alma Wolke, Grants Pass.

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H. M. CAKE'S FATHER DEAD IN PORTLAND

Dr. William M. Cake, the aged father of H. M. Cake, republican candidate for the nomination for United States senator, and of W. M. Cake, Jr., ex-Multnomah county judge, died Wednesday night at his Portland residence. Dr. Cake was a retired physician and while he had not practiced medicine since he came to Portland, he was well known in Grand Army circles and in church work. Dr. Cake's death was due to a fall which he received last January and from the effects of which he never fully recovered. All the members of his family, with the exceptions of H. M. Cake, and one son, who resides in Philadelphia, were at the bedside. H. M. Cake, who was touring Eastern Oregon, was at Pendleton, but was notified of the death of his father by telegraph and at once started for Portland. Dr. Cake at the time of his death was 82 years old.

Home-made bread and pastry will be a specialty at the Delicatessen.

ABE ATTELL FIGHTS NELSON TO A DRAW

With a disadvantage of at least eight pounds against him, Abo Attell, champion featherweight of America, fought Battling Nelson of Chicago to a 15 round draw at 8:30 p.m. Francisco Tuesday night. The fight was most spectacular and there was not one round that the great crowd present was not on its feet shouting for one man or the other. At the end of the contest both men were fairly deluged with blood, Nelson's face in particular presented a gory sight. Attell had the advantage of all the earlier rounds. He matched his superior skill, agility, cleverness and fleetness of foot against the rugged and sturdy man, and by outgeneraling his opponent in this manner bade fair to earn a clear-cut decision.

Who sells the "No Name" hat?

O. R. & N. ORDERED TO CUT EASTERN RATES

The Oregon railroad commission has rendered its decision in the O. R. & N. distributive rate case, ordering a reduction in rates between Portland and points east of The Dalles. The reduction amounts to 3 cents a hundred on first-class freight to Biggs, 7 cents to Arlington, 12 cents to Pendleton, 18 cents to La Grande and Baker City, and 10 cents to Huntington, with proportionate reductions to other points, and on other classes of freight. Rates to The Dalles are already low enough, owing to water competition. All the commissioners concurred in the decision.

A clear hot bracing drink of a delicate aroma, "Golden Gate High Grade Coffee," sold by Allen & Reagan, the grocery on the corner.

SENATE PASSES SURVEY ORDER FOR WOOD RIVER

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The senate has passed the Fulton resolution, directing the secretary of war to make a survey and estimate for the improvement of Wood River, from Klamath Lake to the head of navigation, and to report to congress.

"No Name"

WHAT IS TO BECOME OF THE HOP INDUSTRY

What is to become of the hop industry of Oregon and in fact the entire Pacific coast states? Will the growers of this section gradually go out of the business as they have done in various localities because of financial reverses or will they continue to hold on—their noses to the grindstone as long as there is any nose to grind? At the present time there are about 20,000 acres devoted to hopgrowing in the state of Oregon. At least 10,000 of these acres should be cut up—15,000 would be better. Up to this time there have been practically few plowups and within a few weeks it will be too late to utilize the ground for anything else. The situation is very desperate at this time for all concerned and all are looking for a plan of escape. During the past week 1900 hops were sold at \$1.50 a bale, Julius Wolf of Silverton taking in several lots at this price. Herman Kluber purchased 15 bales during the week of old hops at \$15—just \$1 a

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The sale of the famous A. K. Marshall orchard in the Hood River valley is reported. This orchard comprises 31 acres of full-bearing apple trees of standard commercial variety and is considered one of the prize properties of that district, having a record for cup-winning fruit crops and being located just a short distance out of the city limits. The purchasers of this orchard property were Roland W. Stebbins, H. Morton Holbrook and the firm of MacRae & Angus. The consideration was approximately \$1000 per acre. This figure is considered low in view of the

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