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URGE O'GARA'S RETENTION.

Professor O'Gara of the department of agriculture is by far the most valuable man to the Rogue River valley that has ever been sent by Washington authorities to assist and co-operate with local growers in the promotion of the fruit industry. He is an authority upon pests of all kinds that threaten orchards as well as an expert upon here in a district superbly fitted by nature for commercial orchards, where but little scientific work has been done to assist the grower, and where it is imperative that it be done if the industry is to continue in growth and prosperity.

Word comes from Washington that many requests have been filed by other fruitgrowers with the department for the pomological expert's services elsewhere and that unless the Rogue River valley can convince the authorities at once of the need of Professor O'Gara locally, he is likely to be transferred to some other place. It therefore, behooves every fruitgrower in the valley to write at once to the department at Washington and also to the Oregon delegation in congress, urging the retention of Professor O'Gara, whose pending experiments, public lectures and expert examination mean thousands of dollars to the industry in the valley and in Oregon.

The lectures already given by Professor O'Gara have had the largest attendance ever given such discourses. The Commercial club hall has proven too small to contain the fruitgrowers what at the last lecture filled the opera house. Interest in the work is growing.

Resolutions urging the professor's retention should be passed at once by every horticultural society, grange and commercial club in southern Oregon and these supplemented by personal appeals from those interested. Thus O'Gara's retention may be brought about.

TO ASK FRAUD ORDER.

Medford's Commercial club voiced the opinion of the Rogue River valley when it decided upon steps to stop the circulation of the pamphlet issued by a Eugene concern, which deliberately stole the data concerning fruit records of local orchards and credited them to the Willamette valley. The plagiarism did not stop with the printed matter, but practically all the photographs used were those from Medford—and they were labeled as from the Willamette valley. The proposition is to boom the sale of stock in a co-operative orchard near Eugene—and upon the misrepresentation that records made in the Rogue River valley were made in the Willamette valley.

Attention of the postal department will be called to the misrepresentation and a fraud order against the concern asked. Letters will be written all papers carrying ads with the misstatements and the Eugene Commercial club will be asked for an explanation.

WANT NO LICENSE.

PUT UPON FISHING.

HAPPY CAMP, Cal., Dec. 3.—The state ment that at the coming session of the legislature an effort will be made to enact a law licensing fishing, as hunting is now licensed, created something like consternation here.

Siskiyou county has much game and fish. A large proportion of the seekers after game and fish in the lower Klamath river country are not property owners, and they are becoming alarmed at the manner of piling up taxes on them. Many of them are Indians who have always hunted and fished with no restriction except their own innate sense of game preservation. They did not object seriously to the hunting license, and many of them paid it, the little aluminum disc being worn on all occasions with great pride.

A well known sportsman came pretty near expressing the sentiment of this vicinity when he said: "They are going to add another dollar, are they? Well, this might have been expected, but it must be combatted. When they put the hunting license on we didn't object much, as the money went for a good purpose. But it yielded such a beautiful stack of dollars and was such easy money, that it was a sure thing another tax would be handed us to get another dollar. Now, look at me. I am not a property owner, but I pay those sums per year: State poll tax, \$2; road tax, \$2; hospital tax, \$2; to the forester for my cabin site, \$2; hunting license, \$1; total, \$9. Now they would make it \$10 and ten would be a burden. We'll fight it, for it will not stop till fought to a standstill. Now if the legislature will first abolish the odious poll tax, we hunters will willingly pay another dollar a year for a fishing license and still another one for permission to kill snakes."

The general feeling appears to be that taxation under the guise of a license to do something is no less burdensome, and that for a man who is not fortunate enough to own any property, \$9 a year is quite enough to pay.

High-top shoes, all prices, at Van Dyke's.

JACKSONVILLE ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Lytle returned to Medford Tuesday after a visit with relatives living here.

Miss Daisy Wettler arrived from Portland one day last week and will spend the next few months with her mother, Mrs. William Healey.

Mrs. W. R. Stansell was a Medford visitor Tuesday.

Miss Lulu Garrison left for Eileen, Cal., Tuesday after a week's visit with Miss Mary Peter.

Warren Cameron was in from Union the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Blade of the Blade house left for Corvallis Tuesday, where they will reside in the future. Mr. Abbott of that place exchanged his farm for the hotel property situated there.

K. K. Kubli of Portland was visiting his mother, Mrs. E. J. Kubli, one day the first of the week.

George N. Lewis was a Medford visitor Tuesday as was also A. Lundgren.

Miss Frances Congdon arrived from Portland one day this week and is spending a few days in town.

J. P. Wells, county school superintendent, spent Tuesday at Phoenix visiting the school.

J. A. Harvey of the Jackson County Abstract company was at the county seat on business the first of the week.

The musicals given by the "B Sharp club" under the direction of Mrs. Louisa Coughthran in the Native Daughters' hall Monday is highly spoken of by everyone. The club is composed of children under the age of 12 years and the musicals were for the purpose of showing their work for the first quarter. Miss Gretchen Publ, Grace Wilson and Gertrude Gimet gave vocal solos, while a number of instrumental pieces were rendered.

FIVE CHIEFS AND MANY WARRIORS KILLED IN ISLANDS

MANILA, P. I., Dec. 3.—Reports from Mindanao today say that five native chiefs and many warriors have been killed in clashes with the constabulary. The "campaign of pacification" is on in earnest and the troops are endeavoring to force the natives into orderly behavior.

NEW CAFE IS BEAUTY SPOT

Opening Well Attended by Local People Who Were Charmed by Surroundings

Medford is a more pleasant place in which to reside today. For on Wednesday evening there was thrown open to the public a place where the aesthetic sense and material need of man can be feasted to satiety—Medford is more pleasant because of the Louvre cafe.

The city has long known the need of such a place as the Louvre. Here, he of moderate means may partake of a meal surrounded by beauty, by comfort, by harmony—here he can forget, if he will, the cares of outside world; and feast on those things which provide not only for the inner man, but for his love of beauty.

The Louvre was a surprise to those who attended its opening, and it will prove a surprise to those who go there in the future—unprepared. The harmonious color scheme of the whole, the myriad of tiny electric lights, hidden among a mass of foliage, which runs riotously over lattice work, the softly shaded electric globes, the great attention to detail, which even led the management to go as far as to provide hand painted chinaware, are but a few of the many things which lend beauty and comfort to the whole.

The stranger in Medford may be led to visit the Louvre, and he will come away with a sense of pleasure which, lingering, will lead him to tell others—and Medford will benefit, for he can only say that Medford has the finest cafe between San Francisco and Portland.

The formal opening of the Louvre was held Wednesday evening. The place was crowded by the leaders of Medford's social set. The management was the recipient of many congratulations in the part of guests, charmed by their surroundings.

D. B. Lockhart and M. S. Johnson are the men who made the Louvre what it is. Mr. Lockhart has long been noted as a caterer, having held positions in many of the largest hotels in the country. In Honolulu today, among the social set, his name is still remembered as the most original table decorator ever in the islands—which means much, for the sugar baron cares little for expense, but wants results. Mr. Johnson is well known in this city and on the coast as a chef. Under the direction of the two, something worth while has been created.

AGAIN.

Grand holiday excursion. Round trip tickets \$16, good for 15 days, baggage checked, return allowed any time within limit. Ashland to San Francisco, leaving Saturday, December 26, 1908, on regular overland train at 11:35 a. m. Sixty or more excursionists will make the fare \$15.

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We're going to move some of our furniture about the first of the year. We move to the room now occupied by Deuel & Kintner. Until that time you will be given special prices on a good many pieces of furniture, carpets, etc., and 25 per cent discount on any piece placed in our show windows. You don't have to buy. Medford Furniture Co. 222

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NOTICE TO RED MEN.

A full attendance is requested at the next regular meeting of the tribe, Wednesday Sleep, December 2, as election of officers for the ensuing term and other important business will come up. L. L. JACOBS, Chief of Records.

Medford Time Table

SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY.		
Northbound		
No. 16 Oregon Express	.....	5:24 p. m.
No. 14 Portland Express	.....	9:49 a. m.
Southbound		
No. 15 California Express	.....	10:35 a. m.
No. 13 San Francisco Exp.	.....	3:20 p. m.
No. 225 From Grants Pass	.....	9:15 p. m.
No. 225 For Ashland	.....	10:15 p. m.
PACIFIC & EASTERN RAILWAY		
No. 1 Leaves Medford	.....	8:10 a. m.
No. 3 Leaves Medford	.....	2:50 p. m.
No. 2 Arrives Medford	.....	10:28 a. m.
No. 4 Arrives Medford	.....	5:08 p. m.
ROGUE RIVER VALLEY RAILWAY		
No. 2 Leaves Medford	.....	10:45 a. m.
No. 4 Leaves Medford	.....	5:35 p. m.
Motor Leaves Medford	.....	2:00 p. m.
Motor Leaves Medford	.....	9:00 p. m.
No. 1 Leaves Jacksonville	.....	9:00 a. m.
No. 3 Leaves Jacksonville	.....	1:30 p. m.
Motor Leaves Jacksonville	.....	1:30 p. m.
Motor Leaves Jacksonville	.....	7:30 p. m.
MAIL CLOSURES		
Northbound	.....	A. M. P. M.
Southbound	.....	9:19 4:54
Eagle Point	.....	10:05 2:50
Jacksonville	.....	7:20 2:00
Jacksonville	.....	10:20 5:20

Christmas Presents

That are Useful as well as Appropriate

Silk Handkerchiefs, Linen Handkerchiefs, Neckties, Hats, Shirts, Slippers, Mufflers, Fancy Collars, Silk Waist Patterns, Kid Gloves, Purses, Silk Scarfs, Belts, Fancy Back Combs, Cushion Tops, Fancy Vests, Hose, Silk Gloves, Belt Pins, Silk Mittens, Suspenders, Spats, Ruchings, Fancy Ribbons, Etc.

SEE WINDOW DISPLAYS.

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