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THIRD YEAR

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May Your Happiness and Prosperity extend without ceasing through every month of the New Year

BIG PINES LUMBER COMPANY

Social and Personal

F. C. Kellogg is visiting in Berkeley, Cal. J. P. O'Hara of Central Point was recently in Medford. Try the Clam Bouillon at the M. & B. Candy Kitchen at 5 cents. 206

AMUSEMENTS

War Ha! War Ho! Something good coming soon. Wentonka tribe, No. 39, Improved Order of Redmen of Medford, have secured the well known minstrel promoter, J. H. Heard, and his 1100 pounds of wardrobe to direct and drill a local minstrel show, which will be produced at the I. O. E. M. opera house January 22-23. Mr. Heard has been highly recommended by the Elks of Roseburg, where he has recently directed a large jubilee minstrel. As a director, his rehearsals always bring good results. This is what Medford needs—a real good old time minstrel. Nothing is better than to see the high class comers of Medford in a real good stunt, and now the opportunity has presented itself for the boys of Medford to show what they can do. The first rehearsal is called for Thursday, January 8.



LORA LIEB Soprano with the comic opera, 'The Alaskan,' at the Medford Theater, Saturday, January 2.

MORRIS BROTHERS PURCHASED ASHLAND ELECTRIC BONDS

The city administration announces that Morris Bros. of Portland has purchased the \$77,500 four and one-half per cent serial bonds for the electric power and light plant, says the Valley Record. Morris Bros. bid approximately \$73,500 for the \$77,500 issue of the bonds in question, which are 4 1/2 per cents, to be retired in rotation beginning in 1910, and agreed to deliver money upon them to the city as it is needed, paying to the city in addition the interest accruing on the bonds from the date of issue, September 1, to date of delivery. This was regarded a fair bargain on both sides, and about as good as could be hoped for, so the council voted to accept it subject to the approval of the regularity of the proceedings by the bond firm's attorneys, the city's attorneys having already passed upon the regularity of the procedure. The law firm to whom the matter was referred by the buyers of the bonds found what they claimed to be a technical irregularity in the publication of the call for the special election to vote the bonds in question, and asked as a consideration of their making good on their bid that another special election be called in the matter. The council had received other proposals for the bonds, without conceding the point of irregularity raised by Morris Bros. decided that it would expedite matters and be best all round to take the procedure prescribed by the latter, which could be done in a short time, and the earlier make available the cash.

NEWSBOY STRUCK BY AUTO; PARTIES UNKNOWN

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 1.—Irving Ruvit, a 14-year-old newsboy, was struck by an auto filled with a merry New Year's party today and died two hours later. The identity of the party is unknown to the police.

BLOODHOUNDS LOSE ALL TRACK OF M'UTCHEON

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 1.—All efforts of a posse and bloodhounds to find James McCutcheon, who disappeared from his home Saturday, failed after a two day's search. He left a note saying they would probably find him in some an asylum or hospital. The hounds picked up the trail at the box where the letter was mailed and followed it miles near Mt. Rainier until the trail was obliterated by travel.

CHICAGO NEW YEAR REVELERS SPEND MILLION

CHICAGO, Jan. 1.—It is estimated that revelers throughout the city last night spent in the neighborhood of \$1,000,000. Hundreds remained in the cafes until 5 o'clock this morning.

GOVERNOR HUGHES AGAIN TAKES OATH OF OFFICE

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 1.—Governor Hughes today was inaugurated as the chief executive of New York for a second two-year term in the assembly chamber of the capitol in the presence of a big crowd.

LILLIAN RUSSELL HAS TWO VOLUMES OF LOVE LETTERS

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—Lillian Russell, the actress, announced today that she would shortly publish two volumes of love letters received in a long stage career.

For health and happiness—DeWitt's Little Early Risers—pleasant little liver pills, the best made. Sold by Eagle Pharmacy.

"Pangwangling."

A little dubious as to the exact shade of significance, but certainly alluring to the ear, is "pangwangle." It expresses well, what does it express?—a cheeriness under minor disappointments, a humorous optimism under small misfortunes, though indeed these seem dignified definitions for so informal a word. "I just pangwangled home in the rain," says a friend of mine, and I know he got there drenched, but good tempered. "We went pangwangling off to the theater last night," says my nearest neighbor, and I feel pretty certain they had been blue over something and felt the need of some small grays. It would do us all good if we pangwangled a bit more, I think.

Don't Take the Risk.

When you have a bad cough or cold do not let it drag along until it becomes chronic bronchitis, or develops into an attack of pneumonia, but give it the attention it deserves and get rid of it. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and you are sure of prompt relief. From a small beginning the sale and use of this preparation has extended to all parts of the United States and to many foreign countries. Its many remarkable cures of coughs and colds have won for it this wide reputation and extensive use. Sold by Haskins' drug store.

The Pure Food Law.

Secretary Wilson says: "One of the objects of the law is to inform the consumer of the presence of certain harmful drugs in medicines." The law requires that the amount of chloroform, opium, morphine and other habit forming drugs be stated on the label of each bottle. The manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have always claimed that their remedy did not contain any of these drugs, and the truth of this claim is now fully proven, as no mention of them is made on the label. This remedy is not only one of the safest, but one of the best in use for coughs and colds. Its value has been proven beyond question during the many years it has been in general use. For sale by Haskins' drug store.

HOUSE COMMITTEE READY TO SAIL FOR PANAMA

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Members of the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce gathered in Washington today, preparatory to leaving for Panama, where they will make a thorough inspection of the construction work on the canal and the management of the canal zone. They are expected to be back in Washington on January 13.

PLEASANT EVENING SPENT AT LOUVRE'S WATCH PARTY

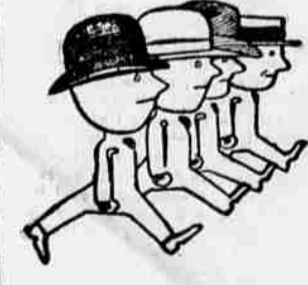
Many townspeople took advantage of the watch party given by the Louvre Cafe last evening and were well repaid to their trouble. The program arranged by the management and rendered by the Hazebrieg orchestra was greatly enjoyed. It was with regret that the many in the cafe saw the new year come, for it meant an end to the evening. The party was unique in this city and it is to be hoped that the custom will grow as it has in other cities.

Classified Advertisements

- WANTED.—Young man from 16 to 21 years of age to learn granite cutters' trade. Apply to Oregon Granite Co., Sixth street. 246
WANTED.—Furnished house, 5 or 6 rooms, by desirable parties; no children. Address H, care of Tribune. 247
WANTED.—Horses to board by the month. Plenty of good, clean hay, good warm barn; terms \$6 per month. No horses taken for less than one month. Walter Moore, Phoenix. 250
WANTED.—I desire family washing to do. I go to the house and wash by the day. Prices reasonable; satisfaction guaranteed. Mrs. M. F. Schaenfele, Medford, Or. Box 2A, route No. 1 250
FOR SALE.—FOR SALE.—Two choice corner lots in Page's addition; a bargain for cash. E. B. Sawyer, No. 207 S. C. St. 247
FOR SALE.—A good small business in the center of Medford. Address Box 125, Medford, Or. 266
FOR SALE.—Houses, lots and land in Phoenix, or in tracts to suit from one acre to 640 acres. Matt Calhoun, Phoenix, Or.
FOR SALE.—Cheap, one-half block close in, good residence locality; will sell two or four lots; buy direct; save agent's commission. Address P. O. Box 83. 247
FOR SALE.—A gasolene sewing machine and a horse cheap. For particulars inquire at the Iron Foundry on B street, or address M. M. Maine, Medford, Or. 249
FOR SALE.—Five and ten-acre tracts within and adjoining city limits, at a bargain on long time. Address P. O. Box 418, Medford, Or. 248
FOR SALE.—A good small business on Seventh street. Reasons for selling. Address, P. O. box 512 or call at this office. 247
FOR SALE.—Extra dry hardwood, fir and pine, tier wood, oak, fir and pine. F. Gansbrugg, Stuebker Bros. Co. warehouses. Telephone 361. 262

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Saturday will be the day that we'll give a baby away. That will happen at the Grand. If your bachelor friend should get it, wouldn't it beat the band. 245
DIED.
BULLOCK—Alma Bullock, wife of W. R. Bullock of this city, January 1, 1909, aged 39 years, 11 months and 2 days. Funeral services will be held from late residence on Riverside avenue at 1:30 p. m. Saturday. Rev. Hall officiating. Interment in I. O. O. F. cemetery.
BIGGINS—In Ashland, December 31, William Biggins. He was well known in this city, having been interested in southern Oregon mines for many years. His wife survives him. The funeral will be held Saturday morning from his late residence in Queen Anne addition at 10 o'clock. Rev. Hoxie officiating. Interment in I. O. O. F. cemetery.
LEESTON SMITH—In Portland on December 26, Mrs. Ruby Leeston Smith, aged 49 years, 4 months and 29 days. Deceased leaves a husband, E. A. Leeston-Smith, and four children, Ernest, Fred and Mary and Mrs. H. S. Mason. The family formerly resided in Ashland.
SIMPSON—At Berkeley, Cal., December 23, Philip L. Simpkins of Central Point, Or., aged 45 years.