

LOCAL NEWS

Lou Stone was among his friends Tuesday.

Chas. Purcell Jr. was at the county seat Monday.

Earnest Porman spent Christmas in Jacksonville.

Don't forget the Firemen's Annual Ball, Dec. 31.

Joe Johnson was in Medford Tuesday afternoon.

R. A. Bunch was in Medford for a few hours Friday.

George Hogman is visiting James Frances this week.

D. H. Cronmiller was a Medford visitor Wednesday.

Charley Garrett of Applegate was in Jacksonville Friday.

Earnest Dorn of Watkins was in Jacksonville Monday.

Harry Wulf of Forest creek was in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Jennings were in Jacksonville Monday.

M. M. Taylor was a Friday morning passenger to Medford.

The Post wishes its readers a happy and prosperous New Year.

W. C. Deneff made a business trip to Medford Friday afternoon.

"Crooks" Collins of Watkins was a visitor in Jacksonville Monday.

Mrs. H. W. Rtmell is reported suffering a slight illness this week.

Miss Laura Neuber spent Christmas with Mrs. John Porter of Medford.

A. S. Kleinhammer of Little Applegate spent Monday in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Sarah Cantrall visited her daughter Mrs. R. B. Dow Monday.

Earl Bostwick of Applegate was in Jacksonville and Medford this week.

Paul and Louis Jenning of Applegate visited friends in Jacksonville Monday.

Money to loan on improved, revenue producing farms, by the Bank of Jacksonville.

Floyd and Paul Pierce of Forest creek were Jacksonville visitors Friday.

John Turnbough and wife of Phoenix spent Christmas with Jacksonville relatives.

Herman Offenbacher of Applegate was a business caller in Jacksonville Monday.

Miss Fleta Ulrich and Ries Chapman were at Applegate Thursday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McDaniel of Applegate were stopping in Jacksonville Monday.

Mrs. R. W. Miller and daughter, Miss Elsie, visited Jacksonville friends Christmas night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Dow spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Miles Cantrall at Ruch.

Circuit court which adjourned for the Christmas holidays will resume work January 2nd.

Glyde Shaw and Don Cameron of the railway survey crew, were in Jacksonville Christmas day.

Ries Chapman recently installed a fine new peanut and pop corn machine at his confectionery.

Remember the Firemen's Annual Ball at Orth's Hall, this city, Dec. 31. A big time promised.

Mrs. Martha Watkins and son, Tom, of Watkins were among the visitors in Jacksonville Monday.

Mrs. James Calvert of Rogue River is visiting friends in Jacksonville and the Applegate valley.

Mrs. Penny who has been visiting in Los Angeles for several weeks has returned to Jacksonville.

Miss Mabel Henry, who is visiting relatives at Phoenix, spent Christmas at her home in this city.

Wm. Henry of Rogue River spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Eppersan.

E. C. Hogsett and family of Medford were Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Whittington.

Miss Ethel Dick, who is teaching the Little Applegate school, visited her mother at Jacksonville Saturday and Sunday.

Prisoners at the county jail were treated to Christmas dinner with all the trimmings. The meal was appreciated and done through justice to.

Mr. Roark, who has been visiting Jacksonville friends, was called back to Portland recently by a telegram announcing the sudden illness of her husband.

Mrs. Nichols and daughter, Miss Nan, of Medford and Misses Ona and Eva Humphrey were Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ulrich.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith and daughter, Miss Ardene, of Medford, Prof. and Mrs. Main of Rogue River, Miss Mollie L. of Ruch and Misses Laura Couch and Beattie Colvin of the Applegate school were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. M. Collins Christmas day.

Jim Frances was in Medford Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Paul Strand was a Saturday visitor at Medford.

J. Sawyer of Medford spent Christmas in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Neuber spent Tuesday at Medford.

Tom Dunnington was in Medford for a few hours Saturday.

Bob Finney was a passenger to Medford Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Chris Keegan was in Medford for a short time Tuesday.

Mrs. Lewis Ulrich was a Monday evening visitor at Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Colvig spent Saturday night in Medford.

Mrs. H. Cameron of Medford visited Jacksonville friends recently.

Misses Vera and Jewel Bailey spent Saturday afternoon at Medford.

Dave Buckley of Applegate was a Tuesday visitor at the county seat.

William Broad spent the Christmas holidays with relatives in this city.

For the next sixty days, 25 per cent off on all wall paper. Fred J. Fick.

A. Throckmorton of Applegate was a recent business visitor at Medford.

Bob Ray of Ruch was a Jacksonville visitor the beginning of the week.

Dave Duncan is spending the holidays with friends at Vancouver, B. C.

Chester Wendt and Lou Baker were in Medford for a few hours Wednesday.

Roy Ulrich was one of the many Jacksonville people in Medford Monday.

Lloyd R. Miller of Glendale is visiting his grand-mother, Mrs. Jameson in this city.

Mrs. M. E. Abbott and daughter, Lucile, were Medford visitors Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Brown were shopping in Medford the fore part of the week.

Mrs. G. F. Schemerhorn of Medford was in Jacksonville for a few hours Saturday.

"Toots" Thompson and Harry Lewis attended the dance at Gold Hill Christmas night.

Merton Coffman, returned recently from Marfield, where he had been for some time.

Miss Jessie Blackford of Roseburg spent Christmas holidays with friends near this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stansell spent Christmas with relatives and friends at Applegate.

Money to loan on improved, revenue producing farms, by the Bank of Jacksonville.

Mrs. W. H. Barnum returned recently from a visit to Portland and other northern points.

K. K. Kubli, who has been in Jacksonville for a few days, returned to Portland Monday.

Attorney M. Purdin of Medford was at the county seat on professional business Tuesday.

Mrs. Gertude L. Norton and Miss Flo Thompson were in Medford for a few hours Monday.

The Firemen will hold their Annual Ball at Orth's Hall, Jacksonville, Dec. 31. Don't miss it.

A. S. Kleinhammer and Frank Crump of Applegate were Tuesday visitors at Medford.

Guy Harper who has been employed at Weed, Cal., returned to Jacksonville the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Bunch of Medford spent Christmas at the home of their son, R. A. Bunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hoek left Monday for Eagle Point, to spend Christmas holidays with relatives.

Miss Fleta Ulrich and Ries Chapman were among the Jacksonville people in Medford Monday evening.

Benj. M. Collins, cashier of the Bank of Jacksonville was at Medford on business Monday evening.

S. C. Whittington of the Rogue River Valley Abstract-Title Co., was a business visitor at Medford Monday evening.

Wm. McIntyre who has employment on the Bear creek bridge in Medford, spent Christmas at the home of his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stout and Mrs. M. Bauten spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Stout, in this city.

Mike Broad, one of the Jacksonville boys employed at Weed, Cal., spent Christmas week with relatives and friends in this city.

Mrs. Gertrude L. Norton, who was employed on a newspaper at Yreka, Cal., resigned her position and returned to this city, Sunday.

Fit His Case Exactly.

"When father was sick about six years ago he read an advertisement of Chamberlain's Tablets in the papers that fit his case exactly," writes Miss Margaret Campbell of Ft. Smith, Ark. "He purchased a box of them and he has not been sick since. My sister had stomach trouble and was also benefited by them." For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement.

G. E. Neuber spent Monday evening in Medford.

J. C. F. Harrington was in Medford Monday evening.

Miss Emma Wendt was shopping in Medford Monday evening.

Worden Ennis was a business visitor at Medford Monday evening.

Deputy Sheriff R. B. Dow was in Medford Monday on business.

County Judge J. R. Neil was a Medford visitor Saturday evening.

George Schump of the Braden mine was in Jacksonville this week.

County clerk-elect G. A. Gardner was a Tuesday visitor at Medford.

Miss Agnes Broad visited Jacksonville relatives and friends this week.

Z. Cameron of Medford transacted business at the county seat Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Lance of Medford were recent county seat visitors.

Mesdames O. Harbaugh, M. Vogt and J. Gillette were recent visitors at Medford.

Harry and Fred Lewis were among the Jacksonville people in Medford Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Kasshafer left for San Francisco the beginning of the week to visit her daughters. Mr. Kasshafer accompanied her as far as Medford.

Alfred Norris, who has been working at Weed, Cal., for some time, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Norris, during Christmas week.

Sidney and Julian Abbot, who are employed in a mill at Weed, Cal., are spending the Christmas holidays at the home of their parents in this city.

Presbyterian Church.

Morning worship with sermon at eleven o'clock. Special evening services at 7:30 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "The Expectant Life." The opening number will be the Christmas Hymn, "Joy to the World," by the chorus choir and congregation. The first special number is a Christmas Anthem by the choir. Miss Lulu Williams will recite Tennyson's "Christmas Bells" and the other number by the full chorus choir is "The Christmas Night." Mrs. Margaret Taylor and Mr. Hal Harrington will sing a duet, and Mrs. J. Percy Wells will sing a solo. All members of the choir are urged to be present, so that no part of the music of this special service will be weakened. A most cordial invitation is extended to all in the community who have not regular places of worship. Our desire, is to make all our services full of good will and good fellowship. After services are over, do not rush from the church, but shake hands and have a few social words with those near you.

Christmas Philosophy.

The feller that tries to balance up his Christmas accounts ain't the sort of feller that reckons the goodwill of a goin' concern at any considerable figure.

When a feller comes to me with a long face and tells me that he's come out behind on Christmas, I generally figure it out that thet's about where he belongs.

They say nobody loves a fat man, but ez fer me Santa Claus allers looks pretty good, spite o' the equator o' his'n.

It's one o' the wise pervisions o' nature, my son, that they hain't never yet been a stockin' small it wouldn't hold a nice fat Christmas check, provided some one had a mind to put one into it.

When a feller's goin' through this life with a grouch on everythin' in sight his Christmas absence is a derred sight more desirable than his Christmas presence.

When I see a nice gal with rosy cheeks and smilin' lips and a sort of a wink in her eye standin' under a sprig o' mistletoe, it beats me now anybody can say he don't believe in Christmas.

I don't believe in a man's ever deceivin' his wife, but I guess we'll hafter forgive the feller that pretends to be surprised with the ear-taps she's been makin' fer his Christmas all fall, when he's known all along what she was goin' to give him.

The feller that sets out to destroy a child's belief in Santa Claus had oughter be derred sure beforehand that he's goin' to be able to step in and take the old boy's place himself.

Allers be kind to the postman at Christmas, Hirsman. They ain't never no tellin' but what when New Year comes mebbe he'll throw away some o' them bills thet'll be comin' your way thet's fust o' the month.

Santa Claus is a pretty human sort of a feller, but all the same he's the only feller I ever heard on thet didn't care to be seen givin' things away.

The toughest luck I ever had in my life, Jedediah, was some years ago when I seed the prettiest girl in town standin' under a sprig o' mistletoe and me with a cracked lip.—Harper's Weekly.

Why Chinamen Are Poor Soldiers.

The Chinaman is a poor soldier. Not that he is lacking in courage, for on occasions he cheerfully sells himself as substitute and goes willingly to the executioner's ax in order to provide his parents with the small sum necessary to support them through life. The strength of an army is in team work, and here is where he fails on account of his aversion to being ordered. This is found in his domestic and industrial work. A general line of policy or desired results can be laid down, and he will faithfully work in accordance therewith, but he dislikes to be followed up through the details of the work with frequent orders. He will produce excellent results, but they must be accomplished in his own way; hence the essence of good militarism—prompt and unquestioned obedience—comes in direct conflict with his nature and makes him a poor soldier. However, this trait is not entirely wanting in other nationalities, as every business man knows to his sorrow, and the difficulty of getting employees to do a thing in the prescribed way is one of the constant anxieties.—H. H. Windsor in Popular Mechanics Magazine.

A Doubtful Introduction.

In Rubinstein's "Reminiscences" we read how the illustrious pianist went from Berlin to settle in Vienna, fortified by letters of introduction to various celebrities given to him by the Russian ambassador at the Prussian court. He presented several of them without any beneficial result, and it then occurred to him to tear open those which remained and read them. They all ran, he says, as follows:

"Dear Countess—Our position as ambassador and ambassadress imposes upon us the tiresome duty of patronizing and introducing all kinds of compatriots, who are often most impudent in their solicitations. I therefore now venture to introduce to you a certain Rubinstein, the bearer of this communication."

After that experience Rubinstein threw all his letters of introduction into the fire, and he got on a great deal better without them.

An Actor's Qualification.

Among the London Lyceum company of Irving's day was Evergreen Howe, a Quaker, of whom this story is told in the "Life of Martin Harvey."

"Howe went to see Kean at Richmond and explained his desires. Kean listened more or less patiently, and Howe used to deliver his verdict, imitating his manner.

"Why, Cockle, you are a Quaker, eh? Kean said.

"Yes," admitted Howe.

"And you want to go on the stage, do you, eh?"

"Howe admitted the accuracy of the estimate. Kean turned to him in his inimitable way and asked:

"Well, Cully, can you starve?"

"Not an encouraging suggestion," Howe used to add. "But Kean knew something of starvation as a passport to the stage," he used to conclude grimly."

When Harmonies Are Exhausted.

Once during a conversation on music, when James Hinton, the English physician and philosophical writer, was among the company, some one suggested that "owing to the unlimited number of musical compositions a time would come when all music would only be a repetition of exhausted harmonies. Hinton remarked that then would come a man so inspired by a new spirit that his feeling would be not that all music has been written, but that no music has yet been written." Mr. Havelock Ellis cites the saying in "The Task of Social Hygiene," applying it to the domain of love.

Through the Earth.

If there was a tunnel through the center of the earth and an iron ball was dropped into it where would the ball come to rest? Unless it was retarded by the resistance of the air the ball would go through to the other side and then fall back to its starting point, repeating this operation forever. If retarded by the resistance of the air it would ultimately come to rest at the center of the earth.

How to Bankrupt the Doctors.

A prominent New York physician says: "If it were not for the thin stockings and thin soled shoes worn by women the doctors would probably be bankrupt." When you contract a cold do not wait for it to develop into pneumonia but treat it at once. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is intended especially for coughs and colds, and has won a wide reputation by its cures of these diseases. It is most effectual and a pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement.

In the world's collection at the British Museum in London the most ancient specimen of pure glass the date of which can be approximately fixed is a small flou's head, bearing the name of an Egyptian king of the eleventh dynasty. That is to say, at a period which may be moderately placed at more than 2,000 years B. C. glass was made with a skill which shows that the art was far from new.

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