

**LOCAL NEWS**

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

J. G. Barnum spent Sunday at Ashland.

Jos. Goldsby of Buncom drove into town Friday.

Bill Smith was at Medford and Eagle Pt. at this week.

J. M. Cantrall spent Saturday afternoon in Medford.

W. R. Coleman spent Friday of this week at Phoenix.

W. I. McIntyre was a passenger to Medford Tuesday.

Ed. Bostwick was the guest of Ruth friends Thursday.

Ora Young visited friends in Jacksonville this week.

S. P. DeRoosam spent Monday afternoon in Medford.

Blue Stone and Seed wheat and oats Taylor-Williams Co.

Ed. Saltmarsh of Squaw Lake was a city visitor this week.

Judge Chas. Prim was a recent business visitor at Medford.

Dr. J. W. Robinson made a business trip to Medford Tuesday.

Miss Louise Jones was the guest of Medford friends Sunday.

Mrs. F. R. Neil visited friends in Jacksonville this week.

O. L. Young of Ashland was a Jacksonville visitor Thursday.

Miss Eva Humphrey was in Medford for a few hours Wednesday.

Sheriff Aug. D. Singler was a passenger to Medford Thursday.

Ira Kime of Griffin creek was a Jacksonville visitor this week.

Cale Springer, deputy fish and game warden, was in Medford Monday.

Joe Johnson and Oren Coffman, were passengers to Medford Thursday.

County Recorder Fred L. Colvig and wife spent Wednesday in Medford.

Mr. Mullen of Medford visited his brother the local blacksmith Friday.

Sheriff Aug. D. Singler was at Rogue River this week on official business.

Attorney M. Purdin of Medford was at the court house Monday on business.

Mike Womack of Medford was in Jacksonville the beginning of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Colvig were the guests of Medford friends recently.

See Taylor-Williams Co. for your red clover, timothy and rye grass seeds.

Mr. and Mrs. Lin Rumley of Poorman's creek were in Jacksonville Friday.

Mrs. Chas. Nickell of Medford was visiting friends in Jacksonville Wednesday.

W. H. Venable of Applegate was in Jacksonville Wednesday on his way to Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ulrich autoed to Medford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Frye of Glendale visited relatives living near this city this week.

A social dance was given at the U. S. Hall Friday night, in honor of St. Valentine's day.

Mrs. Clarence Klippe left Wednesday evening for a few days visit with friends at Salem.

Henry Spalding of Murphy, Josephine county, visited Jacksonville friends this week.

Henry Haswell, the Medford commission man was in Jacksonville on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Helms of Grants Pass visited Jacksonville friends the middle of the week.

Chas. Pursel Jr., and Miss Ethel Dick, the popular teacher of Buncom, were among us Sunday.

Mrs. Della Conger returned to her home in California Monday, after visiting relatives in this city.

J. B. Murphy, who has been visiting friends at Portland returned to his home near this city this week.

Bob Baker, returned to Medford this week after a two month's trapping expedition in the Applegate country.

Paul Strand and wife left this week for the Applegate valley, where they will make their home for some time.

Rev. H. W. Rummell of the M. E. church was called to Los Angeles, Cal. last Saturday to visit his mother, who is seriously ill.

Fletcher Linn of Portland, who is interested in a thriving orchard west of town, made Jacksonville a business visit this week.

Mrs. W. E. Getchell left the beginning of the week for Coos Bay, where she will join her husband, who has been residing there for some time.

The last few warm days has brought out every young American of Jacksonville with his bat, ball and glove, and it is hoped that in the near future that there will be something doing along the national pastime line. Frank Coleman and a few of his last year's tigers are out quite frequently working out the kinks.

Roy Ulrich spent Tuesday afternoon in Medford.

R. B. Dow was a passenger to Medford Wednesday.

D. H. Cronemiller was a Medford visitor this week.

Antone Rose transacted business in Medford recently.

See Taylor-Williams Co. for Home grown alfalfa seed

Lewis and Roy Ulrich autoed to Medford Wednesday.

Ries Chapman made a business trip to Medford Tuesday.

Don't over lock those special sales at Taylor-Williams Co.

Henry Barneburg of Ashland was a visitor in town Sunday.

Mrs. D. L. Simmons was shopping in Medford Wednesday.

Walter Bostwick of Applegate journeyed to Ashland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. M. Collins drove to Medford Lincoln's birthday.

Mrs. Lewis Ulrich spent Saturday evening with Medford friends.

Miss Nellie Stevens of Ashland spent Wednesday at the county seat.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Taylor spent Thursday afternoon in Medford.

Mrs. J. A. Wilson of Medford visited in Jacksonville one day this week.

Miss Vera Bailey has accepted a position in the local express office.

A. W. Moon of Central Point was a recent business visitor in our city.

Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Brown of the U. S. Hotel were in Medford Tuesday.

Miss Lulu Williams, deputy postmistress, was in Medford Thursday.

H. C. Gallup transacted business in Medford the beginning of the week.

Misses Amelia Britt and Stella Levy spent Sunday afternoon at Medford.

Mrs. John Bellinger was the guest of Mrs. A. K. Thompson this week.

Sheriff Aug. D. Singler was at Woodville on official business Monday.

Joe Heeman, of Gold Hill, was in Jacksonville Wednesday of this week.

Geo. A. Butz, an architect of Medford, was a recent county seat visitor.

Ed. Saltmarsh of Squaw Lake spent two or three days in Jacksonville this week.

The city council held a short meeting for the transaction of business Thursday.

W. J. Moore of Ashland was at the court house on business Wednesday of this week.

Porter J. Neff of Medford was at the court house on professional business Monday.

Attorney Gus Newbury of Medford was at the court house on professional business Friday.

H. H. Taylor and Frank Cameron of Applegate were in Jacksonville and Medford recently.

Mrs. Coleman, mother of W. R. Coleman of this city, is reported very ill at her home in Talent.

Wm. Meyer, proprietor of the Ashland Steam Laundry was at the county seat on business Friday.

Mr. John E. Roberts of Central Point spent Saturday and Sunday with friends living near this city.

Miss Marion Towne returned to Phoenix Saturday after spending a week with friends in this city.

FOUND—A gentleman's watch. Owner may have same by calling on H. W. Rummell and identifying it.

John Thompson of Klamath Falls, was called to Jacksonville this week by the death of his father, J. H. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Barneburg of Ashland visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Cantrall in this city recently.

Mr. McKay of Portland, who is interested in an orchard west of this city, spent a few days in Jacksonville this week.

Friday was St. Valentine's day and our citizens mailed and received the usual crop of remembrances—beautiful and otherwise.

Mrs. H. Elliott and daughter, Mrs. Carl Webb of Portland, who formerly made their home here, were recent visitors in Jacksonville.

Miss Curry of Medford was employed in the county recorder's office for a few days this week, in the interest of the Jackson County Abstract Co.

Fred Coppel and Leland Cantrall passed through town Friday with a drove of beef cattle, consigned to Nichol & Ashpole, the Medford butchers.

John J. Matrey of Applegate was in Jacksonville and Medford Monday. He has been quarantined for five weeks on account of scarlet fever in his family.

Lincoln's Birthday passed very quietly in Jacksonville. The court house, school and banks were closed all day and most of the business houses closed in the afternoon.

Charles Thompson and Milas Richardson, who have been visiting relatives and friends in Jacksonville and Medford, returned to Coos Bay the beginning of the week.

**MAYOR SHAW RESIGNS**

**Resignation to Take Effect Next Month.**

Dr. T. T. Shaw, who for several years has filled the office of mayor of Jacksonville, this week tendered his resignation, to go into effect at the next regular meeting of the city council, which will be held early in March. In explanation of his resignation, Mayor Shaw says, that when re-elected to office last March he stated that he would serve for only one year, and that time has almost elapsed, hence his resignation. At the city election mentioned he was elected mayor to serve for two years.

This step of Mayor Shaw's has created considerable excitement in the local political field and speculation as to who will be selected as his successor is rife. Under the provisions of our city charter a candidate for the office must hold property in Jacksonville and also establish a six month's residence in the city before he is eligible. These are doubtless good and wise provisions but they eliminate considerable promising timber and makes a suitable candidate increasingly hard to choose, especially as many of our available citizens refuse to have greatness thrust upon them.

**OBITUARY**

**J. H. Thompson, Old Resident of Valley Called by Death.**

J. H. Thompson, 69 years of age and a veteran of the Confederate army, died at his home north of this city Sunday at 5:30 P. M. Death was caused by a cancer, with which the deceased had suffered for a considerable time.

Mr. Thompson was born near the border line between Arkansas and Missouri. He served four years in the Confederate army, spending two years of such time in a federal prison. He emigrated to the Rogue River Valley 33 years ago, since when he has resided here continuously. Besides his wife, he leaves a son residing at Klamath Falls, a daughter at Medicine Hat, Canada, and another daughter at Seattle, to mourn his loss. Funeral services were held Monday. Interment in Jacksonville cemetery.

**REBELS CAPTURE MEXICO CITY**

**Feliz Diaz is Proclaimed as New President.**

Mexico City, Mex., Feb. 10.—Francisco I. Madero, president of Mexico was today denounced as an enemy of the republic by General Feliz Diaz, nephew of Porfirio Diaz, who has proclaimed himself provisional president of the republic. Madero and his family fled from the city early today.

Discontented troops released General Bernardo Reyes and Feliz Diaz from prison and they immediately led a revolution against Madero Sunday. General Reyes was killed in the skirmish in front of the palace. Two hundred are reported killed in Sunday's battle.

General Feliz Diaz is in complete control of the capital and his force is maintaining order.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Confirmation of General Feliz Diaz' release from prison and the subsequent capture of Mexico City by the revolutionists was received by the state department here today in an official dispatch from American Ambassador Wilson. It is said Diaz and his men practically are in control of the entire city.

Ambassador Wilson's report to the state department said:

"The revolt started early Sunday. General Diaz and Reyes were released from prison. General Reyes was killed in the fight about the palace square. Two hundred persons are reported killed. It seems impossible to secure accurate details."

Washington, Feb. 11.—Four American warships will be sent to Mexican ports to exercise "moral force" for the protection of American lives and property should the Diaz revolution spread throughout the republic. This was the decision of the state department this afternoon.

Two of the warships, it is decided will be sent to Vera Cruz, one to Tampico and the cruiser Denver, which now is at Acapulco, will be ordered to remain there indefinitely.

The vessels available for immediate dispatch to Mexico are the gunboat Wheeling and the cruiser Des Moines.

It is rumored that Central Point will meet Medford at the later town Sunday. It is possible that Central Point will call upon some of the stars from the county seat to assist them.

**Petition for LeMaster's Release.**

A petition asking Governor West to pardon T. A. LeMasters, serving a 200 days' sentence in the county jail on a conviction for bigamy, is being circulated by friends in Medford and will be forwarded to Salem this week. Confinement in the county jail is supposed to have aggravated a slight touch of consumption, from which LeMasters is now suffering. Unless freedom comes his condition is apt to be serious before the expiration of his sentence, and a speedy release is the only chance he has for life.

**Bills Concerning Jackson County**

Salem, Feb. 8.—The following measures have been introduced of interest to Jackson County:

S. B. 315, by Smith—To protect fishing in Rogue river.

H. B. 539, by Jackson county delegation—Fixing salaries of Jackson county officials.

H. B. 540, by Carkin—Providing for commissioner in juvenile courts.

H. B. 540, by Carkin—Creating state board of bar examiners.

H. B. 542, by Carkin—Providing method for laying out and altering roads.

H. B. 543, by Carkin—Creating commission to recommend changes in judicial system.

H. B. 565, by Pierce—Regulating fishing in Sixes and Elk rivers.

H. B. 566, by Pierce—Regulating fishing in Rogue river.

H. B. 580, by Reames—Relating to time in which appeal may be taken.

H. B. 581, by Reames—Relating to registration of voters.

H. B. 582, by Reames—Providing for election of judges.

H. B. 598, by Massey—To abolish normal school at Ashland.

**Looks Favorable for Normal.**

Salem, Ore., Feb. 10.—That the old normal school fight is developing with rapidity is indicated. A bill was introduced in the house by Massey of Washington to abolish the Ashland normal and another was introduced in the senate by Barrett of Umatilla to revive the Weston normal.

The first move involving the old normal school situation was made a day or two ago when the Jackson county delegation in the house introduced a bill providing for a millage tax for the support and maintenance of the old Ashland normal, which along with the Weston normal had the breath of life struck from it when the legislature refused to make an appropriation for them.

It is evident the bill came as a surprise to the Umatilla county delegation because members in the house said they did not care to revive the fight, but intended to introduce a bill providing for transferring the Weston normal property to the Weston school district.

The Jackson county members assert they have seventeen senators pledged to their bill, so they feel sure of getting it through the upper house. The plan is to pass the bill through the senate first and thus give it that much better standing in the house, where the fight will concentrate.

Wm. Gerig of Medford, general manager of the P. & E. R. R. transacted business at the court house Friday.

J. W. Copeland, of Dayton, Ohio, purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for his boy who had a cold, and before the bottle was used the boy's cold was gone. Is that not better than to pay a five dollar doctor's bill? Sold by all dealers.

**Weather Report.**

Following is the report of U. S. Volunteer Cooperative Observer, E. Britt; Jacksonville, for month of January, Latitude 42 deg. 18. min. north; longitude 123 deg. 5 min. west.

DATE	MAX. MUM.	MIN. MUM.	PRECIP. TATN.	H. OF DAY
1	39	28		
2	44	30		
3	42	31		
4	35	27		
5	29	12		
6	27	9		
7	33	24	.09	part cloudy
8	41	27		part cloudy
9	34	25		cloudy
10	33	23		
11	38	19		
12	40	32	.35	
13	37	33		
14	37	31		
15	40	30		
16	35	28		
17	44	30		
18	36	26	trace	
19	35	23	.46	
20	34	25	.06	
21	35	26	.01	
22	35	19	.36	
23	41	31		
24	41	33	.08	
25	36	31		
26	36	25		
27	35	25		
28	35	26		
29	36	24		
30	36	24		

Temperature—mean max. 36.74; mean min. 26.16; mean 31.45 Max. 44 on 2, 17 and 18, min. 9 on 6. Greatest daily range 19. Total precipitation, 5.25 inches. Greatest in 24 hours, 1.26; date, 18. Total fall of snow, 21 inches Number of clear days, 1; part cloudy, 9; cloudy 21.

Precipitation for season 13.60 in. Precipitation last season 9.97 in.

Bill McIntyre spent Tuesday in Medford.

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