

LOCAL NEWS

W. R. Bailey, is reported... C. C. Buck of Ruch was in town this week. John A. Perf of Medford was in town Saturday. S. H. Harnish of Eagle Point was in town Saturday. Regular session of the County court next Wednesday. Frank L. Ditsworth, Jr. was a recent visitor in this city. Mrs. Fred Luy of Antelope is visiting friends in this city. Miss Louise Jones was a visitor at Medford Sunday afternoon. Henry Callahan of the Blue Ledge mines was in town Tuesday. D. Cameron, a miner of Wimer, was a visitor in this city Monday. Mr. and Mrs. James Eaton were visitors at Medford Monday. C. C. Simmons of the Blue Ledge mines was a recent visitor in this city. Judge J. R. Neil attended the Pioneers' Re-union at Ashland Thursday. Benj. M. Collins and John W. Opp made a business visit to Medford Monday. Pater Ensele, of Jackson creek, was transacting business in Medford Monday. Mrs. M. Buckley of Ruch attended the Pioneers' Re-union at Ashland Thursday. A. E. Reames, Esq. of Medford was transacting business at the court house Wednesday. H. Von der Hellen of Eagle Point transacted business in this city Saturday afternoon. Fred W. Mears, of Medford was transacting business at the court house Monday forenoon. Miss Josephine Hoefs of this city is visiting Dr. T. W. Hester and family, of Newburg. Miss Flora Thompson and Mrs. Gertrude Norton spent a few hours in Medford, Tuesday evening. Mrs. Ralph Jennings and children of Buncom left for a short visit with friends at Ashland, Tuesday. Miss Cora Basye, who has been visiting her father, C. H. Basye of this city, left for Portland Sunday. Miss Catherine Buckley and Mrs. Ralph Jennings of Ruch attended the Re-union at Ashland Thursday. Miles Cantrall of Ruch was in this city Monday forenoon. He went to Grants Pass in the afternoon. Henry C. Dox Esq. took advantage of the excursion and visited the historic scenes around Butte Falls Sunday. Piano tuning—A first class tuner can be had by phoning the Art Store, Medford. Phone 907.—C. M. Richards. T. E. Thomasson of Portland, representing Mitchell, Lewis & Stayer Co. was calling on his patrons this week. F. P. Cronmiller, a former resident of this city but now residing at Lakeview, was a recent visitor in this city. Dr. T. W. Hester of Newburg, a former resident of this city, has been quite ill with pneumonia but is now improving. Mrs. C. M. Ruch who had been making an extended visit to friends in Iowa, has returned home. Mr. Ruch met her at Medford. Watermelons and cantaloupes are plentiful in the local markets. The former retail at 10 to 25 cents each and the latter at from 3 to 5 cents. Roscoe Thomas, formerly superintendent of the Opp mine in this city, but now residing at Jefferson, made this city a business visit this week. The registration books closed Saturday evening. It is stated that not more than 4,500 voters registered out of some 12,000 voters residing in the county. The Re-union of Southern Oregon Pioneers held at Ashland Thursday was one of the most pleasant and successful meetings of the association ever held. Mrs. Frederick Schneider, a former resident of this city, died at Medford, Saturday evening aged 55 years. Mrs. Schneider was a native of Pennsylvania and had been a resident of Oregon for about thirty years. Mrs. Kate Huffman, Mrs. Mary Miller, Mrs. M. E. Day, Mrs. E. J. Kubli, Mrs. J. M. Cronmiller, Mrs. W. R. Coleman, Misses Isie McCully and Amalia Britt, J. W. Bybee, and Enos, Conger attended the Pioneers' Re-union at Ashland Thursday. Willis York who has a hopfield in the Applegate valley was in town Tuesday trying to engage pickers but did not secure many. He reports that hops will bring 20 cents or more per pound, this year and he expects to realize some \$7,000. from an eighteen acre field. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Beckman, Miss Carrie Beckman, Mrs. M. L. Nelson, Mrs. Ella Cook, and A. L. Gall, Mr. J. M. Chris Ulrich Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Trim and Charles Trim, Jr. were among those from this city who attended the Pioneers' Re-union at Ashland, Wednesday.

Clyde Shaw was a visitor at Medford Thursday. W. C. Loeffer of Central Point was in town Tuesday. Mrs. M. M. Taylor visited friends at Medford Saturday. R. C. Chappell was a business visitor at Medford, Monday. Sheriff Singler made an official visit to Medford, Tuesday. Miss Nellie McIntyre was a visitor at Medford Saturday. Fletcher Stout and sister, Ora, were visitors at Medford Sunday. Christ Natwick of Eagle Point was a visitor in this city Saturday. F. R. Neil of Derby, was transacting business in this city Tuesday. Jno. G. Dunnington and L. Rumley were visitors at Medford Monday. Edward H. Helms and Jasten Hartman were recent visitors at Medford. Mrs. Gordon Stout of Medford was transacting business in this city Thursday. Miss Ethel Dick of this city visited Mrs. Major Wilson at Medford Saturday. Martin Zanor, of Central Point, transacted business in this city Tuesday morning. Miss Adarel Elmer and the Misses Martin were visitors at Medford Wednesday. Mrs. C. D. Stout of Fifth street who has been quite ill for several days is reported better. Several strangers were in town this week inquiring about land suitable for stock ranches. Mrs. Geo. E. Neuber and daughter Miss Laura, visited friends at Medford Monday afternoon. Julian Abbott left Thursday morning for San Francisco where he expects to obtain employment. D. S. Smith, a prominent resident of Albany, was a visitor in this city Tuesday and Wednesday. Peter N. Fick, an aged resident of this city is reported seriously ill at his home on Fifth street. P. P. Wright, a merchant of McMinnville, visited his niece, Mrs. W. P. Bailey, Wednesday evening. Mrs. Ellison of Portland who had been visiting friends in this city returned home Thursday morning. Adam Schmidt who had been at the Dalles attending the convention of the Red Men, returned home Monday. Dr. John Reuter, of the Dalles, arrived Monday and is visiting his mother, Mrs. Christina Reuter of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ulrich accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Hanna autoed to Medford Thursday evening. Mr. Young of Sumner, Washington, a former newspaper man of this city, visited friends in this vicinity this week. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Harbough were among those from this city who attended the pioneers' Re-union at Ashland, Thursday. W. E. Farrier and family of Salt Lake, were recent visitors in this city. Mr. Farrier spent part of his early life in this valley. Geo. W. Walker of Portland, state manager of the Tribe of Ben-Hur, spent Tuesday night with his boyhood friend, Benj. M. Collins. The American Bonding Co. of Baltimore will go on your bond and write burglary insurance. D. W. BAGSHAW, Agent. Schools in this city are scheduled to open Monday, Sept. 8. How about the construction of the sanitary closets ordered by vote of the people at the recent school meeting? W. I. McIntire, with a force of men and boys has been busy several days picking his crop of Bartlett pear. He is now beginning to pick peaches which are very fine this year. T. B. Kent, Esq. lately of Hood River, called on the editor Friday afternoon and entertained us with reminiscences of early days when he was prosecuting attorney for this district. Mr. Kent, although well along in years seems full of vitality and is a pleasant and entertaining talker. Elsewhere in this paper appears the advertisement of twenty-one tracts of land for sale for unpaid assessments levied on account of the water mains laid last summer. These properties are those on which the assessments have not been paid nor the property bonded and are mostly owned by non-residents. The sale is made by the marshal, under the provisions of the city charter and will be held September 29. It is stated that the parties who were proposing the installation of a dredge on Jackson creek have encountered difficulty in securing leases on the land, owners in some instances refusing to bond unless at exorbitant prices. This is all wrong, most of the land in question is almost useless for any other purpose and the installation of a dredge would mean the expenditure of large sums of money in this city for the necessary labor, supplies, etc., which would help considerably at this time.

Notice of City Marshal's Sale of Property for Delinquent Special Benefit Assessments.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of and pursuant to the command of that certain warrant of date August 22nd, A. D. 1913, issued by the City Recorder of the City of Jacksonville, Jackson County, State of Oregon under his official signature and under the seal of the City of Jacksonville aforesaid and which warrant was issued pursuant to the order of the City Council of aforesaid City at a regular session of said council held on the 1st day of July, A. D. 1913, and wherein I am commanded to forthwith levy upon each lot or part thereof or parcel of land therein and hereinafter described upon which the assessment levied by Ordinance No. 177 of said City is unpaid and delinquent and has not been bonded as provided by law, and sell the same in the manner provided by law for the satisfaction of said respective assessments, with interest and costs to date of sale, including cost of advertising due upon each lot or part of lot or parcel of land, I, the undersigned City Marshal of the City of Jacksonville aforesaid, as such officer and for the purpose of executing the aforesaid warrant have levied upon the aforesaid property and on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1913, at the front door of the City Hall in the aforesaid City, same being the building in which the Council holds its sessions, at 9 o'clock A. M. of said day, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described lot or parts of lots or parcels of land situated in the City of Jacksonville, Jackson County, State of Oregon, to-wit: Assessment No. 3, District No. 5, Page 113, Volume 1, City Lien Docket. Clarence Reeve, owner or reputed owner. South 100 feet of tract fronting 322 1/2 feet on the north side of California street, described in Volume 90, Page 61, of the Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount \$21.78, interest \$1.00, costs \$6.30, total \$29.08. Assessment No. 7, District No. 5, Page 114, Volume 1, City Lien Docket. C. C. Beckman, owner or reputed owner. North 100 feet of tract fronting 30.82 feet on the south side of California street, described in Volume 5, Page 228, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount \$21.96, interest \$1.59, costs \$8.30, total \$29.25. Herein above and set opposite to the description of each respective lot or part of lot or parcel of land is the name of the owner or reputed owner of said respective property, or the words "Owner Unknown" as the same appears on the Docket of City Liens, the amount of assessment unpaid thereon, the interest and costs to date of sale, including cost of advertising due upon each respective property. Each of said respective lots or parts of lots or parcels of land will be sold separately to satisfy the assessment, interest and costs due upon each. Dated at Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, this 25th day of August, A. D. 1913. (Signed) M. D. JONES, City Marshal of the City of Jacksonville, Oregon.

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Notice.

To school children, Jackson County, Oregon: School children desiring to make exhibits of their products at the State Fair to be held at Salem this fall, will be supplied with entry blanks on applying to anyone of the following persons: Supt. U. S. Collins, Medford. A. K. Mickey, Central Point. G. W. Ager, Talent. H. W. Ager, Phoenix. George A. Briseoe, Ashland. J. A. Bish, Neal Creek. L. A. Wright, Butte Falls. Mrs. Mary Middlebush, Trail. W. E. Buchanan, Eagle Point. Mrs. Judge Gilmore, Rogue River. Burt A. Adams, Gold Hill. J. Percy Wells, Jacksonville. J. Percy Wells, County School Supt.

Mark Twain's Retort.

At a hotel in Jericho was an American who had accompanied Mark Twain on his camping trip through the Holy Land. "No, sir," said he in the course of the evening's conversation. "I cannot recall a single instance when the humorist was caught napping. Once we thought we had him sure. Mr. Twain came late to the dinner table, when we had sat down, and before he appeared we had invented a clever trap. He was still several courses behind when the rest of us were ready for said, but every one stopped eating until Mr. Twain caught up. He had started intently on a crisp leaf of lettuce before he noticed that no one else was eating. He paused questioningly. That was our opportunity. "Now, Mr. Twain," some one asked, "why are you like Nebuchadnezzar?" expecting that the answer would imply that it was because he was eating grass like an ox. Instead, and without an instant's hesitation, came the retort: "Because I am feeding with the brutes!"—Pearson's Weekly.

Ice Glazed Salmon.

Ice jackets have been found to be the best protection for frozen salmon on their long journeys from the Pacific coast to all parts of the world. Thousands of tons of salmon are now frozen in the great factories of the coast for export, because the combination of the ice jackets and the frozen meat has been found to keep the fish from becoming tainted. After the salmon are bled they are kept at a temperature of zero, or near there, for forty-eight hours and are frozen hard. If they were shipped this way, however, the air would get to the fish to some extent and tainting would result, so they are dipped in tanks of water and given another freezing. This puts a thin jacket of ice all over each fish, or glazes him, as it is called. After two coats of glazing the salmon are wrapped in paper, packed in paper lined boxes and started to the export markets.—Saturday Evening Post.

Lucky Lightning Strikes.

To be struck by lightning is still a most lucky thing for the Greek peasant—if he is not killed. "Such a man," says J. C. Lawson, "may indulge a taste for idleness for the rest of his life—his neighbors will support him and enjoy at the same time the reputation of being something more than human." This is an inheritance from ancient days. Artemidorus, an authority on occult matters who flourished in the times of Marcus Aurelius, commented on the fact that while a place struck by lightning had an altar erected upon it and was thenceforth both honored and avoided, "no one who has been struck by lightning is excluded from citizenship; indeed, such a one is honored even as a god." The election of Quintus Julius Eburnus to the consulship in 116 B. C. is attributed to his having been favored thus by the gods.—London Spectator.

1st, 2d and 4th.

"Do the letters 'st,' 'd' and 'th' have to be followed by a period when used thus: 1st, 2d, 4th? What is this combination—an abbreviation, contraction, or merely a sign?" In the forms 1st, 2d, 4th, etc., we have ordinal numerals in which an Arabic figure is substituted for the spelled-out name of the cardinal number from which the ordinal is derived. The letters added to the Arabic numeral form the specific inflection which changes the cardinal to an ordinal numeral. The forms in question, then, are neither abbreviations nor contractions, nor yet mere signs. They are like a humorist's bit for before, only they are not whimsical, as they would be if no one had seen them before and some one should suddenly use them.—Literary Digest.

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