

LOCAL NEWS

George Harmish of Medford was in this city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Hanna were in Medford Monday.

All work must be spot cash at W. R. Sparks in 1915.

Deputy Sheriff Wilson was a visitor at Ashland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Burgan of Talent were recent visitors in town.

Mrs. S. E. unnington visited friends on the Little Applegate Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Prim is reported seriously ill at her home in this city.

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Harry Baker of Medford was a visitor in this city Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. Emmons of Medford made several professional visits to this city recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gaskin were at the Palmer creek celebration Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. McIntire attended the celebration at Palmer creek Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Thomas of Medford were visitors in town Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stansell autored to Palmer creek Saturday and took in the celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Swayne of Watkins were visitors in this city Tuesday and Wednesday.

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FOR RENT—The Norling house, on Oregon street. Apply to D. W. Bagshaw, this office.

The county court held its regular monthly session for the transaction of county business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bagshaw and daughter Mary, attended the celebration at Palmer creek Saturday.

H. Gudmanson who has been visiting his uncle, Wm. Facklam, of Willow Springs, left for Klamath Falls, Wednesday.

All forest rangers have been assigned to their stations and campers are urged to be careful about fires, on account of the dry season.

The Eagle Point Grays will cross bats with the Jacksonville Braves, on the local diamond tomorrow. Better come out and encourage the team.

Julian Abbott, Raymond Reter, Alfred Norris and Clint Dunnington left Tuesday evening for Hilt, Cal., where they expect to secure employment.

A. W. Silsby, one of Ashland's best known residents died suddenly at his home at Cove ranch, July 2. Besides his wife he leaves two daughters, both grownup and married.

Misses Etta and Margaret Morcom of Ashland visited friends in this city over the Fourth, returning home Wednesday evening. While here they attended the Palmer creek celebration.

Dr. J. W. Robinson and family left Thursday morning for San Francisco where they will spend several weeks attending the exposition and visiting friends.

Fred Collins, Toots Thompson, Jack Lewis and Norman Crommie and his father left Wednesday morning for Klamath Falls, where they expect to be employed for some time. They will make the trip in an auto.

Kenny Williams a Grants Pass boy, who formerly played ball in this valley but now playing with the Spokane team of the Northwest league has been sold to the Cincinnati Nationals. The purchase price was \$4,000.

Under a schedule of the postoffice department, based on the business of the last fiscal year, the salary of the postmaster at this place has been reduced from \$1300 to \$1200 and that of the postmaster at Gold Hill has been raised from \$1000 to \$1200 per year.

Will McIntire, one of Jacksonville's former baseball players, has accepted a position as second baseman on the Yreka team. At Yreka during the Fourth and Fifth he played in three games, getting seven hits, one of the hits being a home run when the bases were full.

FOR SALE—TIMBER LAND.—I have for sale at a bargain, four tracts of timber, totalling 600 acres, all in the same region, for sale at a bargain if taken at once. Land is located in Douglas county and is worth double the price asked. Apply to D. W. Bagshaw, Jacksonville, Oregon.

Misses Louise Ensele, Jewell Bailey, Pauline Greaves, Cora Thomas, Nellie McIntire, Marion Rowen; Messrs Sidney and Julian Abbott, Alfred Norris, Fred Collins, Lloyd Sparks, Harry Walsh, Bob Finney, Cliff and Tom Dunnington, Dan Bagshaw, Joe McIntire and Reuben Pitz were among those from this place who attended the celebration at Palmer creek, Saturday.

You can find a Notary Public at this office.

Ed Helms was a recent visitor at Medford.

Judge Prim was a recent visitor in Medford.

J. B. Rhinehart is visiting friends in Medford.

County Clerk Gardner was in Medford Monday.

S. S. Bullis of the Sterling mine was in town Friday.

Ashland's city council has voted to bid a new jail.

Emma Wendt is attending a teacher's school at Portland.

Roy Moore of Medford visited friends in this city Wednesday.

Walter Fox of Thompson creek was visitor in town this week.

Masons began the laying of stone on the new Federal building at Medford this week.

Herbert Yob of the Applegate valley was a business visitor in this city Tuesday.

Prof. F. C. Smith and family expect to visit the Panama Exposition next week.

The Jacksonville Brick & Tile Co. finished burning a kiln of brick Wednesday evening.

Gertrude Dunnington and Flo Thompson attended the celebration at Yreka the Fourth and Fifth.

Dick Gaskin who had been home for the Fourth, returned to his work at Weed, Cal. Wednesday.

The peach crop in this valley is reported to be the heaviest for years. It is likely the prices will be very low.

District Deputy, A. L. Gall of this city installed the officers of Ashland lodge, I. O. O. F. one night last week.

Al Learned, the Griffin creek thresher began operations Thursday morning. Both wheat and oats are yielding well.

Misses Nellie and Agnes Dietrich of Gold Hill who had been visiting Mrs. Coslet last week have returned to their home.

Miss Nellie Collins left Thursday morning for a short visit with her sister, Mrs. C. C. Shaw at Gold Hill, and expected to leave for San Francisco, Friday.

In the ball game at Palmer creek Saturday, Ike Dunford was struck in the face with a pitched ball which cut his lip and loosened four teeth. He finished the game as if nothing had happened.

Misses Lula Williams, Mollie Ray, Kate Buckley, Eva Couch, Nellie Collins and Bessie Colvin, left Friday evening for a ten days visit at the Panama Exposition at San Francisco.

The I. O. O. F. lodges of this city and Medford held a joint installation of officers for the ensuing term, in the lodge room of the order in this city last night. We do not have a list of the names of officers but will give them in a later issue.

Officer Hartman and D. H. Cronmiller made a trip to the country with a warrant for the arrest of a young man named Woodridge, but when they arrived at their destination the man was gone. He was wanted on a charge of assault said to have been made upon Clint Cook.

The Fourth passed very quietly in this city. Saturday a number of our residents went to Palmer creek and others to Medford; on Sunday a few went to Yreka, Cal. and some went fishing. Monday the offices at the court house and bank was closed, but most of the business houses transacted business as usual.

The city council held its regular meeting Tuesday evening. Mostly routine work, such as auditing bills, etc., was transacted, except that an ordinance prohibiting the storing of more than ten pounds of dynamite at one time within the business part of the city was passed. The ordinance does not affect the keeping in stock of blasting or gunpowder in ordinary forms.

From the report of Treasurer Cylvig just filed, we learn that the total amount of taxes charged was \$789,316.81; total amount paid \$375,188.23; other deductions and charges \$12,419.34; unpaid \$399,935.23 or more than one-half. Jacksonville city taxes are over half paid, total charged \$4,848.53; paid \$2,690.78; unpaid \$2,157.75. In School District 1, the total charged is \$4,578.39 of which \$2,341.62 has been paid.

R. M. Collins of this city was the victim of a fireworks accident at Palmer creek late Saturday evening. Mr. Collins was sitting in his auto in front of the dancing pavillion conversing with friends while some boys near by were sending up rockets; suddenly one of the rockets instead of ascending, started off on a tangent, striking Mr. Collins in the face, the pointed end entering his left eye. The receptacle in the rocket carrying colored fire then exploded, setting fire to the upholstery of the auto which was extinguished with some difficulty. The injured man was placed in an auto and hurried to his home in this city where medical aid was at once secured. He is resting easily and hopes are entertained that the injured eye will be saved.

Harry Loy and family spent the Fourth on Thompson creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ulrich visited friends at Medford Monday.

Peter Jacobson of Applegate transacted business in this city Thursday.

B. R. McCabe of Medford was attending to business in this city Tuesday.

Thomas Raymond of Fish Lake was a business visitor in this city Wednesday.

Car Rolls Over Embankment

W. H. Gore, president of the Medford National Bank, was apparently the "goat" last Sunday. In the morning 150 tons of hay on his ranch north of Medford burned and in the afternoon his Packard touring car rolled over the embankment of the Siskiyou grade and suffered damages to the extent of several hundred dollars.

The Gore family motored to the Siskiyou Monday for an outing and left the auto standing with brakes set, while they walked up the road to eat their lunch. When about 100 yards from the car the brakes released and the car plunged down the road and off the embankment, falling about 100 ft.—Tivings

Spice of Life

"Pa?"  
"Yes, Willie."  
"Teachers say that we are here to help others."  
"Of course we are."  
"Well what are the others here for?"  
—Chestnut

The youth who was smoking a cigarette opposite the monkey's cage took another from his pocket. "Would it do any harm," he asked "if I offered him one of these things?" "Not a bit," responded the attendant, "he wouldn't touch it. A monkey isn't half as big a fool as he looks."—Orchard and Farm.

Took Advantage of It

Mr. Dixon—Why do you let your husband grow so much when you have company? Mrs. Vixon—That's the only time he gets to grumble.

Not a Bargain Hunter

The gallant captain was showing the fair maid over his ship. "This," he explained, "is called the quarterdeck."  
"Indeed," rejoined the sweet girl gradually, "and where is the 50-cent deck?"—Indianapolis Star

Preoccupation

"I hope there will never be any hard times," said Mrs. Cumrox. "That is a very unselfish wish." "Not entirely. When times are hard everybody is so busy working or worrying that no body has time to envy the way we spend our money."—Washington Star

Not a Taking Actress

First manager—I see you have a new leading woman. Did the other one take sick? Second manager—No, but she didn't take well.

Refused

He—They say after marriage the husband and wife grow to look like each other. She—then consider my refusal final.

The Cheapest Paper.

London used to possess the cheapest journal ever published. It was called the Six-penny; or, Penny-a-Week Town and Country Daily Newspaper, and subscribers of 1 penny weekly had the paper delivered to them every day, while single copies were a farthing.

On the Safe Side.

Traveler—Waiter, get me a lamb chop, quick. My train goes in eighteen minutes. Waiter—Yes, sir. Fifty cents. Traveler—What! Do you expect me to pay in advance? Waiter—If you please, sir. You may be gone before it's ready.—Boston Transcript.

Foul Blow.

Albee—Trust her! You surely don't think she could keep a secret? Marie—Well, I've trusted her with other things, and she kept them.—Boston Transcript.

Gallipoli.

Gallipoli is the door through which in 1358 the Turks first entered into their European possessions. And the entrance came about in a surprising manner. In that year an earthquake shattered all the cities of Thrace and overthrew the walls of Gallipoli. The inhabitants fled, while the Turks, for whom earthquakes had no terror, crossed the Hellespont and marched upon the deserted city. Emperor Constantine protested, but Sultan Orkhan calmly replied that "Providence had opened a way to his troops, and he could not disregard so clear an indication of divine interposition." Thus was taken the first plunge that kept the near east bathed in blood for centuries.—London Standard.

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The Darkness Before Dawn.

It is proverbial that "the darkest hour precedes the dawn." W. F. Dunnington, the English authority on neuters, has recently called attention to the literal accuracy of this proverb, as established by his own observations on thousands of nights. He says:

"Before dawn a greater darkness seems to drop down like a mantle upon the immediate surroundings. Objects which were plainly observable during the previous hours of the night are blotted out, and a nervous feeling is sometimes induced by the dense opacity of the air."

He claims to have noticed this phenomenon when the subject was far from his thoughts, so that it could not have been purely subjective. He is unable to state the exact interval before sunrise when the remarkable darkness comes on nor whether it is common to each season and sky conditions.

Wellington's Wounded.

It is difficult to realize the callousness toward the sick and wounded, against which Wellington struggled in the peninsula. One evening at dinner he heard that at a post several miles away a large number of sick soldiers were lying in the open, exposed to the weather. He rode promptly to the place, found the sick in the plight described, while the healthy officers were in comfortable houses, and was told by the commanding officer that there was no accommodation for the sick. He instantly arranged in detail for the billeting of the sick in those houses, but, suspecting what might follow, paid a surprise visit the next night and found that the invalids had again been turned out into the open. Wellington immediately reinstated them, arrested the officers and had them tried and dismissed for disobedience.

A Little Problem.

If the telephone company charges 15 cents to carry your voice across the Hudson river, and if the telegraph company charges 25 cents to carry ten words across, and if the ferryboat charges 3 cents to carry your body across, and if the tunnels charge 7 cents for carrying your body under the Hudson river, and if the express companies charge 28 cents for carrying a 35 pound parcel across, and if the government charges 15 cents for carrying a 25 pound parcel across, compute the amount of logic in a square inch of modern civilization.—Life.

Weather Report.

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

| Date | Maximum | Minimum | Precipitation |
|------|---------|---------|---------------|
| 1    | 70      | 49      |               |
| 2    | 70      | 41      |               |
| 3    | 76      | 40      |               |
| 4    | 84      | 43      |               |
| 5    | 89      | 49      |               |
| 6    | 91      | 54      |               |
| 7    | 81      | 54      |               |
| 8    | 77      | 49      |               |
| 9    | 70      | 46      |               |
| 10   | 63      | 40      | .03           |
| 11   | 61      | 40      |               |
| 12   | 72      | 44      |               |
| 13   | 89      | 40      |               |
| 14   | 83      | 50      |               |
| 15   | 82      | 52      |               |
| 16   | 78      | 48      |               |
| 17   | 80      | 47      |               |
| 18   | 70      | 58      |               |
| 19   | 72      | 42      |               |
| 20   | 82      | 42      |               |
| 21   | 84      | 43      |               |
| 22   | 88      | 50      |               |
| 23   | 90      | 48      |               |
| 24   | 68      | 44      |               |
| 25   | 69      | 47      |               |
| 26   | 73      | 47      |               |
| 27   | 81      | 44      |               |
| 28   | 91      | 49      |               |
| 29   | 94      | 55      |               |
| 30   | 99      | 56      |               |
| 31   |         |         |               |

Temperature—mean max. 79.01; mean min. 46.96; mean 63.06. Max. 99 on 30, Minimum, 40, on 3. Greatest daily range, 42. Total precipitation .03 inches. Greatest in 24 hours, 0.03 in., on 10. Number of days with .01 inch or more precipitation, 1, clear, 19; partly cloudy, 9; cloudy, 2.

Precipitation for season, Precipitation for last season

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