

LOCAL NEWS

W. S. Raypholtz was at Medford Tuesday. Miss Stella Levy was a visitor at Medford Wednesday. E. D. Shook of Grants Pass was a recent business visitor in this city. Gottlieb Elksnat is building a small house on the lots recently purchased on Main street. Frank Casey of Barron, spent Tuesday afternoon in this city attending to business affairs. Get your stationery printed at this office. Our work is guaranteed and our prices are right. Hallowe'en was observed with the usual pranks Saturday night, but no damage was done to buildings or other property. Wesley R. Sparks is sending samples of the water from his new well on the heights to the State Board of Health for analysis. Better get your butter wrappers printed at this office and comply with the law governing the sale of butter products. Carl Beebe and Miss Dulcie Caton were married at the home of the bride's parents at Table Rock, Sunday evening, October 31. C. R. Leslie of Venice, Cal. who was formerly engaged in business at this place was in town this week looking over the valley with a view to locating. J. W. Simmons of Portland, State Deputy for the Modern Woodmen of America, has been in the valley this week looking after the interests of that order. Notice was received by police officers of the valley Thursday, to be on the lookout for three Ford autos stolen at Portland and supposed to be headed this way. Col. H. H. Sargent of Medford who purchased the Jerry Nunan property in Valley View addition to this city several months ago, will move into the property about November 15. A. H. Harris of Portland, special representative of the Daily Telegram was in town Tuesday looking for data for an article on the early history of Jacksonville and the Rogue River Valley. A systematic canvas of the farmers of the valley is being made in the interest of the proposed beet sugar factory. At this time the prospects are good for securing the required 5000 acres. A force of men are engaged in remodeling and repairing the Ryan building next door to Ulrich's store in order to have it ready for use as the postoffice which will be moved there first of the year. The County court held its regular monthly meeting for the transaction of county business Wednesday. Mostly routine work such as auditing and allowing bills, etc. occupied the attention of the Board. Mr. Mahoney advertises a ball to be given in Orth's hall on Thanksgiving Eve, November 24. The music will be furnished by the Jacksonville Orchestra of seven pieces and a pleasant evening is assured. Eighteen persons lost their lives in the wreck of the steamer Santa Clara, at the entrance to Coos Bay, Tuesday afternoon. Among those lost is given the name of J. Morris Bouge, of Gold Hill, aged 9 years. Miss Dorothy Connors who was a passenger on the ill-fated Lusitania, torpedoed by a German submarine in the English channel last spring, returned Wednesday and is now at the home of her mother near this city. John Wartenburg, Glenn Noble and Roy Nally, three Medford youths, were committed to the Reform School at Salem, by Judge Touwelle, Wednesday. The boys had been before the Juvenile court previous to this occasion. Medford newspapers are fighting tooth and nail against the passage of the so-called Medynski bonding plan, to be voted on next Tuesday. This is said by some to be a sure indication that the proposition will carry. "Go to it."

You can find a Notary Public at this office.

Carl Long of Hilt, Cal. was a recent visitor in town. Miss Edith Hoefs was a recent visitor at Medford. Mabel Reeves of Medford is visiting friends in this city. Charley Dunford of Watkins was in town this week. H. A. Canady of Medford was in town Thursday. H. K. Hanna, Esq. made a trip to Beagle, Tuesday. Mrs. John Dunnington was a visitor at Medford Friday. All work must be spot cash at W. R. Sparks in 1915. John Vincent made a trip to Table Rock Wednesday. Gertrude Dunnington was a visitor at Medford Friday. Mrs. S. E. Dunnington was a visitor at Medford Friday. Fred Olsen of the Applegate valley was in town Thursday. Fred Messner was a business visitor at Medford Thursday. Miles Cantral of Ruch was a visitor in this city Thursday. Lula Williams was a visitor at Medford Friday afternoon. A. C. Hou-h of Grants Pass was a recent visitor in town. Ersal Lewis of Central Point was a recent visitor in town. Tom Dunnington of Ashland visited friends in town Sunday. A. C. Bostwick of Buncom was a visitor in this city Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Hanna were visitors at Medford Friday. Mrs. S. Wilcox of Applegate was a recent visitor in this city. Only .50 of an inch of rain fell during the month of October. Charles Edwards of Hilt, Cal. visited friends in this city Tuesday. Leo Black of Buncom was a business visitor in this city recently. We print Trespass Notices and No Hunting, signs, at this office. Dean Willets of Watkins transacted business in this city Thursday. If you like this paper, drop in and subscribe. Only \$1.50 per year. Uncle Billy Cameron of Unlontown was a visitor in town Saturday. Julian Abbott of Hilt spent Sunday visiting his parents in this city. M. L. Boucher of Applegate transacted business in this city Wednesday. Luke Ryan of Medford was looking after business affairs in this city Thursday. Earl Bostwick and Torrence Judy of Medford were recent visitors in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kleinhammer of Buncom were recent visitors in this city. Roger Bennett of Medford was business visitor in this city Friday afternoon. P. C. Bigham of Medford was a business visitor in this city Friday forenoon. James E. Perkins left Wednesday for Laredo, Texas, where he expects to remain. Minnie Kelly and Mrs. Nettie Thompson were visitors at Medford Friday afternoon. Gertrude Dunnington and Mary Bagshaw were Saturday night visitors at Medford. Miss Amy Tuttle of the Sucker creek district visited friends in this city first of the week. The county court made a trip of inspection over that part of the Pacific Highway north of Central Point. M. K. Doolittle of Marshfield spent several days this week transacting business and visiting friends in the valley. Mrs. Fred J. Fick and daughter Virginia of this city are spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Malone of Ashland. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nunan left Thursday afternoon for a ten days visit at San Francisco and other California points. Medford high school football team defeated the Klumath Falls team at Medford Tuesday afternoon, by a score of 20 to 13. The city council met in an adjourned session last night for the purpose of levying a tax for the ensuing year. After some discussion the levy was fixed at 22 mills, being one mill less than stated in the budget as published. Miss Josephine Hoefs daughter of C. F. Hoefs of this city, and who resided here for several years was married to Walter Gemmel at Heppner, Oregon, last week. The Post joins with a host of friends in wishing them a long and happy married life. The Five-Hundred card club was entertained by Alfred Norris and Sidney Abbott at the Norris home Friday evening. About twenty young ladies and gentlemen were present and jolly evening passed very quickly. Delicious refreshments were served.

At The Churches

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE Services held every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in I. O. O. F. Hall. Everybody welcome. METHODIST Sunday School every Sunday at 10 o'clock. W. G. Caudill Superintendent. Owing to the pastor's engagement at Griffin Creek School there will be no sermon on Sunday morning. Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Leader Anna Neidermeyer. Preaching Service at 7:30 p. m. Subject: "God's Dividend." Give your wishbone a holiday, and put your backbone in operation and try our welcome on Sunday evening. R. A. Hutchinson Pastor. PRESBYTERIAN Morning worship with sermon at 11 o'clock. Subject: "The Durable Element in Life." Every one has a deep seated desire to possess that which endures; in human life it is left to the individual to make his choice. In the morning theme we will determine what the durable element in life is, and how it may be attained. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6:45 p. m. Mabel Reeves leader. Evening worship with sermon at 7:00 o'clock. Subject: "The modern Samaritan." In this sermon it will be our purpose to point out how even with shifting conditions in modern social life, the spirit of the Ancient Samaritan may still be retained and made effective.

Notice to Creditors.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY. In the matter of the estate of George K. Wait, deceased. Notice is hereby given that by an order duly made and entered by the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of George K. Wait, deceased, and has duly qualified as such administrator. All persons having claims against said decedent or said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same properly verified, to the undersigned administrator at the office of his attorney, J. R. Neil, in Jacksonville, Oregon, on or before six months from and after the date of the first publication of this notice. The date of this notice and the first publication thereof is November 6, 1915. JOHN WAIT, Administrator of the estate of George K. Wait, deceased.

Notice of Final Settlement.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY. In the matter of the estate of Jennie G. Jones, deceased. Notice is hereby given all parties interested in the above matter, that in pursuance of an order made by the County Court in said matter the hearing upon the Final Account filed therein will be had at the County Court Room in Jacksonville, Oregon, on the 6th day of December, 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, when and where anyone may appear and show cause why said account should not be allowed and the administrator discharged from the further administration of said estate. G. C. McALLISTER, Administrator.

Spice of Life

Jones—That seedy-looking individual is Professor Riggar. He is working on a scheme that will make him rich if he can perfect it. Smith—What is the scheme? Jones—A plan to enable outsiders to make money in Wall street.—Puck. Not an Authority Jones—"Is your wife fond of the society of gentlemen?" Brown—"I asked her that question once and she said that without experience she could not say.—Smart Set. The Reason "One half of the world does not know how the other half lives." "Well it is gratifying to think that one-half of the world attends to its own business."—Puck. Timid Youth—What do I have to pay for a marriage license? Facetious Clerk—Well, you get it on the installment plan. Timid Youth—How much? Facetious Clerk—Twenty dollars. Timid Youth—That's a lot of money. Facetious Clerk—No, it's not. It's the rest of your life.—Kansas City Star.

BARREL APPLE PEOPLE LIKE AUCTION PLAN

The barrel apple growers of New York who have been patronizing the auction sales that have been held by one of the auction companies under the auspices of the State Department of markets are enthusiastic over the results of sales made thus far. John J. Dillon, commissioner of the Department of Markets, who has put through his auction plan against the united opposition of the large established jobbing houses was much pleased with the boost that the open market gave to the prices of barrel apples. Fifty to sixty-five cents a barrel was put into the pockets of each grower by the rise in prices during the first three days of the auction sales at Red Hook and Gardiner, New York. The large firms of jobbers have been staying away from the sales, but it is predicted that they will soon be among the buyers at the public sales as they cannot afford to have their rivals get supplies that they need. In his letter to the growers of New York State asking for steady supplies to the auction, Commissioner Dillon said: "The consumption of New York State apples is restricted in the early winter by high retail prices. This causes a sluggish market and keeps the wholesale prices low. In the meantime dealers get out and buy at low quotations from producers. Prices begin to stiffen as soon as the bulk of the fruit is out of the hands of producers. To overcome these conditions you need an open market from one end of the season to the other to establish a price. There will be protests and attempts at manipulations for a short time, but ultimately all apples in the New York market will be sold at auction and you will get more money for them."

Northwest Apples to Sell at Auction in England

Since the record he made in England last winter, when he sold over \$500,000 worth of Northwest apples at auction, H. Moomaw has become much sought after by the shipping organizations. He has now left for England to make plans for the coming season. Mr. H. F. Davidson and other shippers were much pleased with the prices received at auction in England last fall and approve of the system of selling as it is used in Liverpool and London. In large population centers the auction, when systematically used, gives wider and quicker distribution at less cost than other methods, according to Horace W. Day, of New York; F. E. Fletcher of Boston; D. B. Miller of Cleveland, and many other authorities.

KANSAS CITY AUCTION GOING FULL BLAST

The Kansas City Fruit Auction Company which was broken up for a while because certain jobbers felt that it interfered with their business is now going full blast again. Kansas City is the smallest city where fruit auction system is operated successfully. There is an immense territory tributary to Kansas City. The merchants in Kansas City supply the trade in less than carload shipments in the territory covered by Western Missouri, Northwestern Arkansas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Eastern and Southern Nebraska, and Southern Iowa. The freight rates are very favorable to Kansas City.

PHILADELPHIA IS GREAT FLORIDA MARKET

Philadelphia is a great market for Florida oranges and grape fruit. Nearly 3000 cars of Florida citrus fruits were sold through the auction at Philadelphia during 1914. Through systematic selling at auction, the Florida business has about doubled in five years. In 1915, fifteen hundred and forty-eight cars were sold by the Philadelphia Auction Company. Only about five hundred cars of box apples are sold annually in Philadelphia. The box apples are sold at private sale through the large jobbers' stores, about 15 per cent which are placed upon the auction as a last resort. The apple shippers do not use the auction systematically as do the Florida shippers.

Weather Report.

Table with columns: Date, Maximum, Minimum, Precipitation. Includes text: Following is the report of U. S. Volunteer Cooperative Observer, E. Britt; Jacksonville, for month of Oct. Latitude 42 deg. 18. min. north; longitude 123 deg. 5 min. west.

BUSINESS CARDS

Business cards for GUS NEWBURY (Attorney-at-Law), D. W. BAGSHAW (Attorney at Law), H. K. HANNA (Lawyer), DR. T. T. SHAW (Dentist), and PETTY & COMPANY.

Lights Go Out at the

Panama-Pacific Exposition ON Saturday, December 4. Are you interested in Mining Agriculture Horticulture Art Science Manufacturing. Low Fares for exposition travel are in effect until November 31 via the Shasta Route.

Southern Pacific

John M. Scott, General Passenger Agent, Portland, Ore.

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

Through the Press Service of Agriculture and Commerce, the master minds of this nation will be invited to the public forum and asked to deliver a message to civilization. Men who achieve seldom talk, and men who talk seldom achieve. There is no such thing as a noisy thinker, and brevity is always a close companion to truth. It will be a great privilege to stand by the side of men who can roll in place the cornerstones of industry; to associate with men who can look at the world and see to the bottom of it; to commune with men who can hear the roar of civilization a few centuries away. Too often we listen to the rabble element of our day that cries out against every man who achieves, "Crucify him." Mankind never has and probably never will produce a generation that appreciates the genius of its day. There never will be a crown without a cross, progress without sacrifice or an achievement without a challenge. This is an age of service, and that man is greatest who serves the largest number. The present generation has done more to improve the condition of mankind than any civilization since human motives began their upward flight. The Greeks gave human life inspiration, but while her orators were speaking with the tongues of angels, her farmers were plowing with forked sticks; while her philosophers were emancipating human thought from bondage, her traffic