

LOCAL NEWS

City printing at this office. J. S. Elliot of Seattle is in the valley this week. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Dunford were in town from their ranch, Friday. G. W. Daily of Lake Creek was a business visitor in this city Tuesday. Mrs. S. E. Dunnington is enjoying an outing at Squaw Lake this week.

Thomas Barr, aged 68 years died at Medford, Sunday. He was a native of Ohio.

Deer hunting season opens Aug. 15. State Editors meet at Medford, Aug. 4.

Attorney H. A. Canada of Medford was a business visitor in this city Tuesday.

Mr. J. M. Williams and Miss Issie McCully were at Medford Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Margaret Wooley of Butte Falls was a visitor in this city Monday afternoon.

Bob Finney is spending a few days with Chas. Dunford Jr., at his ranch near Huncom.

G. H. Smith a young man of Crescent City died of lockjaw at Medford hospital, Thursday.

Mrs. M. C. Taylor will open a boarding house in a suitable location, on or about August 5th.

Lou Baker attended the Birth of a Nation at the Page theatre in Medford Thursday evening.

Rev. Hutensin of the M. E. church who has been ill for several weeks is reported to be improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Storey and family of Wolf Creek visited at the home of Mrs. W. P. Bailey in this city Sunday.

The tall game at Medford Sunday between Medford and Klamath Falls teams was won easily by the latter. Score was 7 to 0.

Mrs. Robert Finney is camping at the Sulphur springs on Applegate with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. I. McIntyre this week.

The S. O. Traction Co. has a force of the men putting in new ties in the place of the old rotten ones in their line along C street this week.

D. W. Bagshaw has been appointed agent for the Pacific Fire Insurance Co. at this city and will be pleased to write your insurance. Office with Jacksonville Post.

Sherman Wooley of Eagle Point and Miss Nellie Smith of Butte Falls, were united in marriage at the Presbyterian Manso in this city Monday; Rev. A. H. Gammons officiated.

N. R. Moore of Corvallis, formerly one of the proprietors of the Gazette-Times of that place was a visitor here Thursday afternoon. Mr. Moore is working for the establishment of a State Normal school at Pendleton.

Mrs. M. C. Taylor will open a boarding house on or about August 5th. Location will be announced later. Mrs. Taylor conducted a boarding house and hotel in this city for more than 30 years and gave universal satisfaction to the public.

On another page of this paper appears an ad of the Associated Railways which sets out the wage controversy from the viewpoint of the railroads. The ad is paid for at regular rates and while we have not taken sides in the controversy we advise you to read it.

Mary and Albert Hackert visited the family of S. L. Johnson of Thompson creek, formerly of this city, over Sunday. They went over Friday and returned Monday. They report a very pleasant time. Albert says he got several bites (we suppose he means fish) while there.

Judge and Mrs. F. L. TodVelle accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Hanna made a trip to Crater Lake Sunday returning Monday. The road to the lake is in good condition the entire way excepting about one mile at the rim which is rather sloppy on account of the melting snow.

A report of the burning of Mrs. Deneff's residence published in the Medford Sun Thursday morning and reprinted from same slugs in Brower's Azgus, was in most respects a pure fabrication. At no time was the town in danger and the firemen and fire apparatus were at all stages fully able to take care of the situation.

C. W. Holt, a driver for the A. W. Walker Co. of Medford, was found dead under his overturned car alongside the Pacific Highway, 5 miles north of Yreka, Cal. Thursday morning. He was last seen in Yreka at 10:30 Wednesday night when he left for Medford. His watch was stopped with hands pointing to 10:55. Marks in the road indicate that he was speeding at the time and that the car skidded in making the sharp turn at the approach to the badge where the accident occurred.

Mrs. John Gray's is reported quite ill.

F. A. Elliott of Salem, was in town this week.

All work done in 1916 spot cash at W. R. Sparks.

For Fire Insurance that protects, call at this office.

A. L. Gall was a business visitor at Medford Tuesday.

Jasten Hartman was a business visitor in this city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fick were visitors at Medford Thursday evening.

Miss Alta Walsh who has been visiting friends in Medford this week returned home Friday.

A number of people from this city attended "The Birth of a Nation," at the Page theatre, this week.

Jno. W. Pernoll and Tom Herriot passed through town enroute from Medford to their homes at Applegate Monday.

The city water has been in bad condition this week, owing it is thought to sediment in the pipes which has been dislodged.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lewis and family returned Friday evening from Yreka, Cal., where they have been visiting for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Dave Duncan of Gold Hill was visiting friends in this city several days this week. Mrs. Duncan was formerly Miss Retta Johnston of this place.

Fire Destroys Deneff Residence

Residents of our little city were roused from their slumbers at 1:15 Thursday morning by the fire bell and the loud cry of fire! fire! and upon gaining the outer air found the sky lit up by flames which were rapidly wrecking one of the city's most attractive residences, on South Oregon St.

The house was a two-story frame building with several fine porches, additions, etc., and with the contents was entirely destroyed within about 45 minutes from the sound of the first alarm.

Owing to the fact that most of the firemen were doubtless in bed at their homes when the alarm sounded, the fire had gained such headway by the time the water was turned on that no chance of saving the structure remained. Only the hard work of the firemen saved the Helms residence adjoining, from the flames.

The origin of the fire is unknown. Mrs. Deneff who lived alone in the house was absent during the afternoon, returning home late in the evening and was asleep in her room when the fire was discovered by the neighbors whose cries awakened her to find the house wrapped in seething flames and egress by the door shut off; hastily grabbing her clothes she escaped through a window of her bedroom. There had been no fire in the stove since noon Wednesday. Loss is estimated at about \$3500. It is reported that the building and contents were insured for \$2500.

At The Churches

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE Services held every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in I. O. O. F. Hall. Everybody welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN 10: A. M. Sabbath School, classes for all. 11: A. M. Morning Worship, Theme: "Faith and Works." 8: P. M. Evening Worship, Theme: "The Christians' Attitude toward Evil." For the prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock we will discuss, "Home Mission Work in the lumber and mining camps."

We welcome you to all of the services of the church.

Albert H. Gammons, Minister.

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Looking at Nature's Moving Pictures Sunday afternoon Mayor Britt and sister Miss Amalia, treated Mr. and Mrs. Bagshaw and Mr. Leon Hanna to an auto trip through the valley and surrounding country. The itinerary included Ross Lane, Willow Springs, Toho, The Narrows, Gold Hill, Sams Valley, Mohe Orchard, Bybee's Bridge, Central Point, etc. The day was fine for sightseeing, the atmosphere was clear so that landmarks such as Pilot peak and others were distinctly visible although miles away.

The route travelled was some fifty miles in length and not a dull or uninteresting minute in the entire time, the scene changing like a kaleidoscope and presenting a variety of pleasing views from pastoral scenes with fields of waving grain, herds of sleek looking cattle, broad acres of meadows, orchards with half a thousand acres in bearing fruit trees, etc. to the majestic works of nature such as the Table Rock, acres in extent with its flat top and perpendicular sides of dark colored rock, a fitting monument to the throes of Creation, the wonderful Rogue with its many rapids, Mts. Pitt and Ashland, snow capped and shining in the rays of the declining sun like diamonds on an azure background, forming a succession of views unsurpassed by those of any country.

This was only one of the many routes in our fair valley open to the lover of nature. Try a few trips and you will never complain that Southern Oregon is dull and uninteresting.

FOR OREGON ROADS

Washington, July 26.—Apportionment among the states of the first year's appropriation of \$5,000,000 carried by the new good roads act was announced today by the department of agriculture which has certified the figures to the treasury department and state officials.

To be entitled to its share, each state must provide an amount equal to that put up by the federal government.

Texas gets the largest share, \$291,927; New York second, \$250,720; Pennsylvania third, \$230,644, and Illinois fourth, \$220,644.

Oregon gets \$78,687 as its share.

Notice Of Sheriff's Sale

Lula Van Wagon Plaintiff vs. Adla C. Bish, and A. W. Bish, her husband and L. L. Crabb, Defendants.

By virtue of an Execution, and order of sale duly issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, in and for the County of Jackson, to me directed and dated the 23rd day of July, 1916, in a certain suit therein for the foreclosure of a Mortgage, in which Lula Van Wagon, as Plaintiff recovered a judgment against the defendant Adla C. Bish and A. W. Bish and each of them for the sum of Three Hundred Eighty Seven and 40/100 (\$387 40) Dollars, with interest thereon from said 24th day of July, 1916, at the rate of percent per annum, and the further sum of \$12.00 costs.

Public Notice Is Hereby Given, that in compliance with the commands of said execution and order of sale, I will on

Monday, August 28th, 1916 at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. at the front door of the Court House in Jacksonville, Oregon, offer for sale and will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, subject to redemption as by statute provided, all of the right, title and interest that the defendants above named had on the date of the mortgage herein foreclosed or have since acquired or now have in and to the following described real property, situated in the County of Jackson, State of Oregon, to-wit:

The North half of Lot Numbered 3 in Block No. 2 of the Cottage Addition to the City (formerly town) of Medford, as numbered and described on the recorded plat thereof.

Said premises will be sold at said time and place in the manner provided by law for the satisfaction of said judgment, costs and accruing costs of this sale.

Dated this 27th day of July, 1916. W. H. SINGLER, Sheriff By E. W. WILSON, Deputy.

Corranza will have to admit that there is not a great deal of manana in Uncle Sam's present demeanor. Something else to be thankful for is that fact that no American ships have been torpedoed recently.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale

W. H. SINGLER, Sheriff By E. W. WILSON, Deputy.

North half of the Southwest quarter of Section 15 Township 37 South of Range 1 West of the Willamette Meridian in Jackson County, Oregon, excepting therefrom the north half of the Northeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of said section, township and range; also the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter and lots 1, 2 and 3 in section 21, in said township and range, all being situated in Jackson County, Oregon.

All of the above described real property will be sold at said time and place in the manner provided by law for the sale of real property under execution to satisfy the judgment, costs, attorney's fee and accruing costs of this sale. Dated this 12th day of July 1916.

W. H. SINGLER, Sheriff By E. W. WILSON, Deputy.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale

Mary A. Kincaid Plaintiff vs. Charles H. Pierce and Anna L. H. Pierce, husband and wife, Defendants.

By virtue of an execution and order of sale duly issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon in and for the County of Jackson, to me directed, dated the 15th day of July, 1916, in a certain suit therein for the foreclosure of a Mortgage in which the Plaintiff Mary A. Kincaid, recovered a decree and judgment against the defendants Charles H. Pierce and Anna L. H. Pierce, for the sum of Five Hundred Eighty-five (\$585.00) Dollars with interest thereon from said 1st day of January, 1916, at the rate of 8 per cent per annum and a further sum of \$28.04 with int. thereon at the rate of 12% per annum from January, 1st 1916, and the further sum of Twenty (20.00) Dollars, costs, which judgment was enrolled and docketed in the Clerk's office of said Court on the 18th day of May, 1916, and is of record in Volume 24 of the Circuit Court Journal at pages 325 and 326 thereof.

Public Notice Is Hereby Given, that in compliance with the commands of said execution and order of sale I will on

Monday August 14th 1916 at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. at the front door of the Court House in Jacksonville, Jackson County Oregon, offer for sale and will sell all of the right, title and interest that the defendants had on the date of the mortgage herein foreclosed or have since acquired or now have in and to the following described real property situated lying and being in Jackson County, Oregon, to-wit:

Lot number one and the North (N 1/2) and the Southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of lot number three, and the Southwest quarter of Lot number, two in Block number five in the Pierce sub division, Township 37 South of Range 1 West of the Willamette Meridian.

All of the above described real property will be sold at said time and place in the manner provided by law for the sale of real property under execution to satisfy the judgment, costs, and accruing costs of sale.

Dated this 25th day of July, 1916. W. H. SINGLER Sheriff By E. W. WILSON Deputy.

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.

Table with columns: Date, Maximum, Minimum, Precipitation. Rows 1-31 showing daily weather data.

Temperature—mean max. 78.23; mean min. 47.33; mean 62.78. Max. 100 on 16. Minimum, 35, on 21. Greatest daily range, 47. Total precipitation 0.59 inches. Greatest in 24 hours, 0.16 in. on 1. Number of days with .01 inch or more precipitation, 6. Clear, 15; partly cloudy, 7; cloudy, 8.

Precipitation for season, 20.66. Precipitation for last season, 20.66. E. BRITT, U. S. V. C. O. Cooperative Observer.

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Chew the rich and mellow tobacco that has been the favorite for a third of a century—that's Spear Head. In 10c cuts, wrapped in wax paper.

The Portland Market.

CATTLE The market opened yesterday with a light offering of about 800 head. The demand was very limited. The prices on prime steers were a quarter lower. Tops sold at \$9.00 for one load, and others at \$7.90 which would have realized 25c more last week. There were but a few loads of cows here but they found very slow outlet at about the same loss as did steers. Very good cows sold at \$5.50 with the bulk selling \$5.00 to \$5.25. Bulls sold at \$4.25 for the best, calves were unchanged at a \$7.50.

HOGS Hog prices were advanced another 10c over last week with quite a liberal offering. Tops sold at \$9.10 which was also the bulk price. Quality was very good. Pigs were scarce with a \$7.50 top.

SHEEP Sheep prices still remain unchanged. The receipts have been only moderate but enough to supply the demand. Choice lambs continue to sell at \$8.75 with culls bringing \$5.50 and \$6.00 with ewes at \$6.50.

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Pleasant Valley—Grant rock quarry was opened with crew of 7 men to furnish rock for new Baker high school.

Advertisement for NEW PERFECTION OIL COOK-STOVE. Includes image of the stove and text describing its features: 'At the touch of a match', 'All the conveniences of gas—better cooking and a cleaner kitchen', 'Bakes, broils, roasts, toasts. More efficient than your wood or coal stove, and costs less to operate. Your cooking is better, too, because you have heat-control like a gas stove.'

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