

LOCAL NEWS

Harry Helms came down from the Blue Ledge this week. The county court was in session for the transaction of county business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Cantrall of Ruch were recent visitors in this city. At Ashland's special election Monday the charter amendment carried by a vote of 82 to one.

The county registration list which closed March 31, shows the number registered in each party, as follows: Republican—5731; Democrat—3319; Progressive—34; Prohibition—225; Socialist—303; Miscellaneous—394, total—10,012. Of the total, 5708 were males and 4304 females.

Mrs. Jessie Beery who has been undergoing treatment at a Medford hospital is expected home soon. Dr. R. J. Conroy of Medford was a business visitor in this city Wednesday.

A letter received from Merritt Dews this week states that he is on the U. S. S. Jason, on the eastern coast and that he is feeling fine after a week in the hospital. His present address is U. S. S. Jason, care of Postmaster, N. Y.

T. W. Fulton of Medford helped our job department a couple of days this week. Miss Flora Thompson, candidate for county clerk, was a recent visitor at Ashland.

Gus Newbury of Medford was a recent business visitor in this city. All work done in 1913 spot cash at W. R. Sparks.

At the special election held Monday the charter amendment proposed by the council was adopted. Only a small number of votes were polled, but everyone was for the amendment. The election board were E. A. Langley, Robert Finney, Onie Beavenue, Joe Wetterer and Alice Hoefs.

Dan Bagshaw, Jr. of the navy, who was recently transferred from Bremerton to New York, wrote home under date of March 29, that he had been in the naval hospital for treatment of the throat, but was out and feeling fine. His present address is: U. S. S. Northern Pacific, care of Postmaster, New York.

Why borrow your neighbor's paper? You can get it yourself for \$1.50 per year. Nick Mitchell of Buncom has gone to Weed, Cal. where he has employment in the lumber camp.

W. E. Phipps of Medford was a recent business visitor in this city. Mrs. J. A. Wilson of Medford was a visitor in this city Friday.

Comply with the law and use Butter Wrappers with your name and address printed neatly. 100 for \$1.25; 200 for \$2.00, at Jacksonville Post.

Superintendent Ager announces a contest in the schools for four-minute speakers in support of the war savings drive. One boy or girl will be selected from the contestants in each school, the victor being awarded a certificate of enrollment as a junior four-minute speaker.

George W. Trefren of Ashland was a business visitor in this city Thursday. Sam Sandry of the Blue Ledge mining district was a recent visitor in this city.

Jacksonville Post, one year \$1.50. A number of persons from this city attended the dance and box social of the Little Applegate Junior Red Cross, at Ruch, Saturday night. Among those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Ries Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Finney, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dunnington, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Goldsby, Mrs. Minnie Kelly, G. Howard, Mrs. Anna Broad Ralph Jennings, Cora Goldsby, Harry Walsh, Bert Goldsby, John Broad, Joe McIntyre, Mary Bagshaw, Flo Thompson, Ora Goldsby, Edith Bailey and Paul Jennings.

In another column appears the ad of The Dow Hospital. Drs. Dow and Dow having moved this institution from Central Point to Medford, first of this month, on account of lack of room in their former quarters for the handling of the rapidly increasing business. Both of the Doctors reside at the hospital and give every case their personal attention and care. We cheerfully recommend the institution to our readers.

D. H. Cronemiller is driving a new Hupmobile, recently purchased. R. D. Hines has a new Vehe auto. This is the opening day of the campaign for sale of the Third Liberty Bonds and from present indications the loan will be largely over-subscribed. As we go to press Jacksonville has subscribed \$9,850, over 150 per cent of the quota and it is likely that the old town will reach 200 per cent. Lewis Ulrich, W. H. Johnson, G. A. Gardner, Emil Britt and A. H. Gammons are the committee.

The smoke from the smudging pots in the valley orchards was something fierce Wednesday forenoon.

Supt. Ager announces that the next county spelling contest will be held May 7th and will include lessons 121 to 190.

Miss Josephine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Swayne of Watkins, left Monday for St. Louis, where she will take treatment in a sanitarium for several months.

Luke Ryan of Medford was a recent visitor in this city.

Roy V. Frick of Medford, a private in the marine corps, died at the naval hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y. Monday, following an illness of three weeks duration. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Frick and had been in the service since the latter part of 1916. He was 24 years old.

Several hard frosts were in evidence here this week: Wednesday morning there was a regular freeze, the thermometer registering 22 degrees, just 1/2 degree above the lowest record for the winter. It is thought that most of the almonds and peaches were killed.

The house of John Ashpole at Eagle Point, together with the household goods, was destroyed by fire Monday night.

Mrs. Laura McGinnalon and Mrs. Mary C. Cook of Gold Hill transacted business in this city Monday.

One year ago today the U. S. government declared that a state of war existed between this country and Germany.

Mrs. T. Gallagher of Gold Hill visited friends in this city Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Bertha Eckleston was a recent visitor in Medford.

D. Saltmarsh of Buncom was a recent visitor in this city.

Mrs. Herbert Hanna and Mrs. Ries Chapman were visitor in Medford Thursday afternoon.

Jack Rete was a recent business visitor at Medford.

Mrs. Lee Jacobs of Medford was a visitor in this city Friday.

It is reported that a new manager will take charge of the Blue Ledge mine, May 1st, Mr. Carnahan retiring to take up mining work in another part of the country.

Oregon road bonds approved and permanent construction to amount of \$690,000 goes.

Myrtle Point to get a loganberry juice plant.

Pittsburg—St. Helens road contract let for \$15,000.

Correspondence.

Applegate

(Correspondence to the Post)

Professor Darduff and family were Medford visitors Saturday.

Olin Knox who has been seriously ill in a Portland hospital is slowly improving.

Mrs. Josephine Houston of Thompson creek visited relatives here last week and attended the Red Cross meeting.

Ben Thurston was a Medford and Jacksonville visitor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McDaniels and children visited relatives in Jacksonville last week.

Miss Bessie Bunch who is attending the Applegate school spent Easter at her home near Leland.

Ed Herriott moved his family to Medford where he has employment.

E. J. Brown was trading with Grants Pass merchants Friday.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Warren Mee, Saturday, March 30, 1918, a son.

Military Training To Be Started At Training School.

Chehalis, Wash., April 2—Thomas P. Horn, superintendent of the state training school, has named E. E. Pearson, of Tacoma, as assistant and to have charge of military training in the school. The inmates of the school received the announcement of the beginning of military training with much enthusiasm. George King, of Chehalis, has been named farmer for the school.

Streets With Hun Names Will Be Rechristened.

Portland, April 3—Streets with German names in this city are to be renamed after old pioneers of Portland or American patriots or statesmen, according to announcement today, by Commissioner Barbur, of the department of public works. A large number of streets in this city bear German names, especially in the Fuhrer addition in the Brooklyn district, and they are extremely offensive to patriotic Americans. This addition was platted years ago by a German and was largely settled by Germans and they brought to this city the names that were familiar to them in the land of the Huns. Among these streets are Karl, Bismark, Rhine Rhone, Frederick and Frankfurt. Patriotic Americans have appealed to Commissioner Barbur to have them changed and he will start proceedings before the council as soon as he has made a check on the streets of the city for a list of all German names.

Says Farm Labor In West Is Plentiful.

Washington, April 2—A. L. Barkman, chief of the farm service division of the department of labor, announced on returning from a ten-day trip through the west, that there is no foundation for reports of a serious shortage in farm labor there. "There is a good steady demand for farm labor," Mr. Barkman said, "but present calls are being met generally."

Electric Sparks

(From Off Our Wireless) The Chinese troops fought gallantly under "Chinese" Gordon, but they have not had a good leader since, and had not had one for centuries before.

"What is the difference between to see and to spy?"

Romania must have carried out her exact pledge very promptly to "speed the going guest." The Germans are reported as having reached Odessa, after traversing Rumania.

The Kaiser is a shrewd profitor. He planned the war, and then invested heavily for himself, with money properly belonging to the German people, in stock of the great Krupp gun works.

Better is it for Holland to give up its ships to the cause of humanity than keep them to help the cause of the junkies.

Siam will not be able to contribute her once-famous twins to the cause of the Allies, but she is sending along an army just as big.

The pigeon that took 24 hours to fly from Washington to New York may have had "red tape" around its wings.

Poland's love for her saviors doesn't prevent the latter from carrying a few machine guns along in case of an emergency.

Our boys fighting in France are fighting uselessly unless we stand behind them with plenty of ships in plenty of time.

American soldiers have taken their first bit of territory from the Germans—and the American flag never goes backward.

If it came to a choice between building an ugh ship on time or being defeated by Germany, which would we choose? Well, it has come to that choice.

The promised 30-cent cut in coal will set the true optimizer figuring on what he saved last December when he hadn't any.

The refusal of the young Duchess of Luxembourg to accept any of the Prussian princes as a husband may be poor diplomacy, but it shows that her heart is in the right place.

Congress votes itself enough mileage allowance to enable it to get somewhere occasionally with more speed than it does.

After this war we Americans shall either be free or we shall be slaves of Prussia's militarists, and it would be a lot better to die fighting than to submit to the Prussian slave yoke.

Blasphemer Bill of Potsdam loudly gives God credit, at least, once a day, for licking the Bolshevik. But how much credit goes for licking the Bolshevik?

The idea of putting off general elections this fall sounds good to the wobbly congressmen whose term is about to expire.

Hood River—\$35,914 contract let for bridge across Hood river.

SOME REASONS WHY WHEAT MUST BE SAVED

"A Man Cannot Think, Work or Fight When He Is Hungry"—We Must Feed Our Soldiers.

"We have the preservation of the world on our hands. Every single living human being in this republic, from ocean to ocean, should make it his or her special purpose to save food."

These are the words of E. F. Cullen, personal representative of Herbert C. Hoover, in a recent address.

"Men will resist any power but the power of starvation," said Mr. Cullen. "Hunger in the final analysis, is the only force that can weaken a nation and demoralize an army. Food is strength, and without a perpetual supply of strength, the world can stand in danger of tottering, weakening and falling into utter chaos. A man cannot think, work or fight if he is hungry."

"The allies today are practically wholly dependent upon the United States for food. Upon this nation rests the responsibility of preserving the world from Prussianism. This is the task of the people of this nation—to produce and save food enough to keep a steady stream of essential supplies moving towards the front so long as it shall be necessary to wage this war. If at any time we fall in this, we must inevitably go down, with the allies, to defeat. This is no exaggeration, but a serious fact. It is the purpose of the United States Food Administration to bring the realization of this fact home to every American man, woman and child, and to enlist the individual aid of our hundred million people in producing and saving food. The Food Administration is not asking you to eat less; it only urges that you substitute one nutritious food for another equally nutritious food, thus saving the vital staples needed by our armies and the armies and peoples of the allies. We must, during the next three months, save wheat especially. Our surplus has already been shipped abroad, and a hundred million bushels more are needed. When you eat a slice of bread, omit the crackers with your soup, or otherwise conserve on wheat products, you are contributing towards the hundred million bushels needed over there by our fighting men and the exhausted people of Belgium, France and England who have for more than three years been bearing the brunt of this war, which is our war. Keep this in mind, and bring it before the minds of your thoughtless friends and neighbors."

FOOD ADMINISTRATION FACTS

One ounce less of meat each day for everyone means a saving of 4,400,000 meat animals a year. Save your ounce. The sacrifice is small, but the result for your country is large.

1,185,000 tons of sugar will be saved the first year if each of us uses one ounce less each day. This will keep sugar plentiful and cheap.

The Allies are all in the same boat, a long way from shore and on limited rations—and Uncle Sam is running the relief ship. It's up to us to save the cargo.

Reduction, Production—the 1918 watchwords.

Food will win the war. Save it. Produce it.

If you run your household on three pounds of sugar a month per person, when fall comes the grocer won't have to hang up the sign "No Sugar."

At The Churches

PRESBYTERIAN

Albert H. Gammons, Minister Sunday Services regularly as follows: 10:30 A. M. Sabbath School Classes for all ages.

11:50 A. M. Morning worship, with sermon.

6:45 P. M. Christian Endeavor Prayer meeting.

7:30 P. M. Evening worship, with sermon.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Everyone welcome to these meetings. "I was glad when they said unto me let us go into the house of the Lord." Ps. 122:1.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

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



Dr. S. A. LOCKWOOD

Physician and Surgeon

JACKSONVILLE HOURS

Monday and Thursdays 10-12 A. M.

Fridays 2-4 P. M.

Other Days by Appointment

Phones JACKSONVILLE 143 MEDFORD 814

Weather Report.

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

Table with 4 columns: Date, Maximum, Minimum, Precipitation. Shows daily weather data for March.

Temperature—mean max. 57.06; mean min. 34.45; mean 45.75; Max 79. on 29. Minimum, 19. on 6. Greatest daily range, 39. Total precipitation 2.39 inches. Greatest in 24 hours, .55 in., on 18-23. Number of days with .01 inch or more precipitation, 10, clear, 10; partly cloudy, 6; cloudy, 15.

Total snowfall 1 1/2 inches. Precipitation for season, 19.06. Precipitation for last season 17.80. Seasonal average

E. BRITT, Cooperative Observer.

Southern Oregon Traction Company Time Table No. 5.

Effective August 23d, 1917

Leave Jacksonville. 7:30 a. m. daily except Sunday. 7:50 a. m. Sunday only. 8:30 a. m. daily except Sunday. 9:00 a. m. Sunday only. 10:30 a. m. daily except Sunday. 11:30 a. m. daily except Sunday. 2:00 p. m. daily. 3:00 p. m. daily. 4:30 p. m. daily. 5:00 p. m. daily (Note 1). 7:15 p. m. daily (Note 2).

Leave Medford. 8:00 a. m. daily except Sunday. 8:30 a. m. Sunday only. 9:00 a. m. daily except Sunday. 11:00 a. m. daily. 12:00 Noon-daily except Sunday. 2:30 p. m. daily. 3:30 p. m. daily. 4:30 p. m. daily. 6:00 p. m. daily.

From Riverside Avenue. 10:30 p. m. daily except Sat & Sun. 11:00 p. m. Saturday & Sunday only.

(Note 1) Runs to Medford depot and waits until 5:50 p. m. before going to East end of Pnc.

(Note 2) Runs to Medford depot only unless carrying passengers for beyond.

R. S. BULLIS, Gen. Freight & Passenger Agent.

Advertisement for The Dow Hospital, Sixth Year Established in Jackson County. Personally conducted by Doctors Dow and Dow. Fully equipped for all surgical and obstetrical cases.

Large advertisement for Liberty Bonds. Help the boys 'over there' to whip the Kaiser. Buy Liberty Bonds To-day. This Space Donated by Fred J. Fick, Jacksonville, Oregon.

Advertisement for Liberty Bonds. Buy Liberty Bonds and help protect our boys at the front who are giving their lives to-day for Freedom's Cause. Help them to win the war. Space Donated by The City Drug Store.