

Classified Advertisements

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

FOR SALE—Account ill health, fine transfer, storage and fuel business. Will sell all or part. J. Q. care Tidings. 4-1mo.

FOUND—Bicycle. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges. W. A. Turner, 165 North Main St.

FOR SALE—Last year's White Leghorn pullets, also Buff Orpingtons, full bloods. Call at Jno. Pearson's, on Boulevard, near Normal school. 4-4t*

FOR RENT—A good 5-room house, with good barn and all kinds of fruit. Will sell or rent on easy terms. Jno. Pearson, on Boulevard, near Normal school. 4-4t*

FOR SALE—A house of 9 rooms, with lot 65 feet front and 210 feet back. All kinds of fruit. A desirable location. Price \$3,000. Address J. O. care Tidings. 4-1mo.*

RUG WEAVING—J. B. Wolf of the Corning, Cal., Rug Factory is in Ashland taking orders for rug weaving. This factory has the reputation of making the best rugs on the Pacific coast of old carpets and carpet rags. Will be in town a short time. Write or phone. Hotel Park. Phone 163. 4-2t

CHILDREN'S DAY EXERCISES.

Congregational Church.

Children's Day was observed at the Congregational church yesterday, the church being filled at the special exercise held at the 11 o'clock service. The service was in charge of Miss Porter, superintendent of the Sunday school, and consisted of recitations, music, dialogues, etc., and was very much enjoyed by the many in attendance. Four pupils were graduated from the primary to the intermediate grades in the Sunday school and were presented with diplomas on this occasion.

Presbyterian Church.

The Children's Day exercises at the Presbyterian church yesterday were a great success. The church was beautifully decorated with red and white roses, while from different parts of the building poured forth the songs of birds. Long before the hour the church was filled. Promptly at 11 a. m. the Sunday school orchestra played a selection as the scholars marched from their rooms to the large platform. The exercises consisted of recitations, drills and various musical combinations from the solos to the combined choirs of a hundred voices with orchestra. A large offering was given to the cause of planting new Sunday schools in southwestern Oregon. An amusing incident occurred when the pastor was called on for his address. He asked the boys and girls what the church needed the most, and some boy of 7 years yelled out "Paint." And when it was explained that the church had a new rule to do no work that would involve any debt, and that there was no money for paint, another youngster arose and moved that we raise the money right now. Three others seconded the motion, and a vote was taken among the primary scholars, and the almost deafening vote was unanimous for doing away with the speech and immediately raising the money for the painting of the church. In just five minutes the amount was raised, and the painting will begin this week. The school was then told that the annual picnic would be held on Tuesday several miles southeast of the city, unless the weather prevented. Tickets for a free ride were given out, and the exercises concluded with a stirring song.

FOR POSTOFFICE CLERK.

Examination to Be Held in Ashland.

The U. S. Civil Service Commission announces that a clerk-carrier examination will be held at Ashland, Ore., on June 28, 1913, to fill a vacancy in the Ashland, Ore., postoffice. Age limits are from 18 to 45 years. The Postoffice Department has advised that after June 30, 1913, the entrance salary in the postoffice service in the first and second class offices will be \$800 per annum, and that employees in the \$600 grade will be advanced to the \$800 grade July 1, 1913. Applicants should apply at once to the Local Secretary, Board of Civil Service Examiners, at the Ashland, Ore., postoffice, or the Secretary, Eleventh Civil Service District, Seattle, Wash., for application blank and full information.

Town in Hands of Rebels.

Mexico City, June 6.—It is officially admitted that Topolobampo, the west part of the state of Sinaloa, has been in the hands of the rebels for two weeks. The town was taken without a fight.

Throughout Europe there are 106 residents to each square mile.

ELECTION NEXT MONDAY

ANNUAL MEETING OF ELECTORS OF ASHLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT.

GREGG TO RETIRE FROM BOARD

Thomas Simpson Suggested as Candidate to Succeed Him—Was Clerk for Several Years and is Well Acquainted With Work.

The annual meeting of the electors of the Ashland school district will be held next Monday as provided by law. Dr. Gregg's term as a member of the board will expire and Thomas Simpson has been suggested as a good candidate to succeed him. Mr. Simpson was clerk for several years and is well acquainted with the needs of the school and ought to make a good director.

The election is held in the city hall, and under the Oregon laws any adult male or female paying taxes or holding stock in a corporation which pays taxes is entitled to vote.

WAS IT A TORNADO?

California Storm Has Earmarks of Kansas Twister.

Redding, Cal., June 6.—An intense but purely local tornado snapped off a mile and a half of telegraph poles three miles south of here late yesterday, uprooted fruit trees, scattered haycocks, shattered window panes and unroofed many lightly built barns and sheds.

Such clouds of flying sand and even sizable gravel followed the funnel-shaped cloud that the northbound Shasta Limited, which was lashed by the tail of the storm, had to slow down because the engineer's cab was filled with dust and he could not see ahead.

A heavy downpour of rain succeeded the wind, scouring the gulches until they were impassable for teams, yet at Redding itself there was not a drop of rain and scarcely a gust of wind. Telephone and telegraph poles on one side of the railroad were mowed down, while those on the other side were untouched.

"If the storm south of Redding last night was a true tornado," said Professor Alexander McAdie, of the weather bureau, when he was acquainted with the details, "it is the first one I have ever heard of in California.

"However, I shall want my own reports on the full phenomena before I am willing to admit that this was the first California tornado reported."

FEDERALS DRAFTING MEN.

General Ojeda Calls for Every Man Between Ages of 16 and 70.

Douglas, Ariz., June 4.—General Pedro Ojeda, acting military governor of Sonora and commanding the federal forces of Guaymas, today issued a decree calling for enlistment in arms of all men between the ages of 16 and 70 years. He also ordered the enforcement of the order that no persons shall be allowed to leave Guaymas without passports signed by him. The passport ruling applies to natives and foreigners alike.

Many Graduates at Columbia.

FAMIL KILLED IN DUEL.

Revolvers Found Beside Bodies of Husband and Wife.

Greeley, Colo., June 4.—An entire family was killed in a duel between Robert Stanley, a farmer living six miles northeast of here, and his wife, sometime yesterday, according to information telephoned to the coroner this afternoon.

The body of the young daughter was found lying beside that of her father, and revolvers were lying at the sides of husband and wife, according to the report.

Sleepwalker Falls Forty Feet.

Marshfield, Ore., June 4.—Elihu Fry, a Curry county rancher, while walking in his sleep at the hotel at Gold Beach, slipped from the third-story window and fell forty feet, striking on the ground before he woke up.

He was not injured in the least by the fall.

Snake River Receding.

Lewiston, Idaho, June 5.—The Snake and Clearwater rivers are steadily receding today and it is now thought that all danger from floods is past.

A motor tank boat is being built in Germany for the Standard Oil Company with a capacity of 15,000 tons.

A Naval Wedding. Philadelphia, Pa., June 4.—Six lieutenants of the United States army served as ushers at the wedding today of Miss Carlotta Damon La Lanne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. La Lanne, and Lieutenant Lindsay C. Nerckness, U. S. A.

New York, June 5.—Columbia University, which boasts of the largest enrollment of any educational institution in America, held its 159th commencement yesterday. Nearly 2,000 degrees were conferred upon the graduates of the several departments of the university.

NOTICE.

Please get your items for the Tidings in the day before date of publication, if possible. All matter must hereafter be in type by noon on publication day.

Mexico Protests.

Mexico City, June 6.—The minister of foreign affairs here has sent a note of protest to Washington against the anti-alien law which was recently passed in the state of Arizona.

Will Meet in Detroit.

San Francisco, Cal., June 5.—The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen convention adjourned tonight after selecting Detroit, Mich., as the 1916 convention city.

FIELD MICE IN FRANCE.

At Times They Overrun and Completely Devastate Whole Cantons.

The average loss inflicted annually by field mice upon the cultivators of France is estimated at 2,000,000 francs—about \$400,000. From time to time, however, there is an enormous increase in the number of these pests and in the extent of their ravages.

France has experienced about a dozen serious invasions by field mice since the beginning of the nineteenth century. The most disastrous was that which occurred from the summer of 1801 to the end of the autumn of 1802. On that occasion three departments were absolutely devastated. As an illustration of the prodigious numbers in which these animals appear it may be stated that, during the outbreak of 1822 in Alsace, within a single fortnight 1,570,000 were slaughtered in one canton—the French equivalent of a township—500,000 in another and 272,000 in another.

The sudden appearance of these animals in such numbers is not due to a rapid migration, but simply to the astonishing rapidity with which they multiply when the weather happens to be favorable to their preservation. Under such conditions a field containing 150 animals—the females are about twice as numerous as the males—at the end of winter would have more than 20,000 in September.

There are many ways of fighting the pests, including the use of various poisons, and asphyxiation of the animals in their burrows by means of noxious vapors, but the plan recommended by the French government is to spread a contagious disease among them by giving a bacterial preparation.

HORSES AND HARNESS.

A Plea For Lightness and Simplicity in the Trappings.

From many fragments of the architecture of the early ages and first allusions to the horse as a domesticated animal it is obvious that nothing superfluous in the way of saddlery and harness was employed, and on Grecian bas-reliefs and friezes horses are represented as being ridden without bit, bridle, saddle or stirrups, the animals being trained to obey the indications of the hand and leg, while the attachments for draft to the chariots used in war and sport were of the simplest character. As time went on, however, superfluous and injurious portions of harness were introduced, the weight of leather and metal furniture increased, and more attention was paid to appearance than utility.

This has continued down to the present times, and, in spite of the protests of those who have made the welfare of the horse a specialty and the example of a few enlightened owners who have realized the advantage of lightness and simplicity in harness, there still persists the idea that certain portions, such as the bearing and hame rein and the winker bridle, even if unnecessary and useless, give the horse a more furnished appearance and, when dispensed with, a naked look. In other terms, fashion or custom outweighs consideration for the comfort, well being and effective working of the horse.—Animal's Friend.

Why He Was Popular.

The man with a natural aptitude for mechanics received so many invitations to take automobile trips with friends who acted as their own chauffeur that he came to be envied by his less popular acquaintances. One day the popular guest condescended to enlighten them on his true status.

"You fellows needn't get green eyed," he said. "I haven't got such a snap as you think I have. What they want me to go along for is to blow up the tires and make repairs in case of accident. I wouldn't be such a hot favorite if I wasn't so proficient in that line. The knowledge that I wouldn't be somewhat galling, but as I enjoy the trips I swallow my pride and accept the invitations."—New York Times.

NOTICE OF SALE OF "FIRE PROTECTION BONDS."

Recorder's Office, Ashland, Ore., June 9, 1913.

Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned up to 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the 15th day of July (and no later), and the same will be opened and considered by the Common Council of the City of Ashland, Oregon, on same day and date at 8 o'clock in the evening of the 15th day of July, A. D. 1913, for the purchase of the following bonds of the City of Ashland, Oregon, issued in the matter of purchasing an Auto Fire Truck and apparatus for fire protection in accordance with Sections 3242 to 3245 inclusive of Lord's Oregon Laws, to-wit:

Twelve bonds dated January 1, A. D. 1913, bearing interest at the rate of 6% per annum, interest payable semi-annually at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Ashland, Oregon, numbered from 744 to 755, both inclusive. All of these bonds are of the denomination of \$500.00 each. These bonds mature in ten years from date of issue, but are redeemable at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Ashland, Oregon, upon the payment of the face value thereof together with accrued interest to date of payment or call thereof, at any semi-annual interest coupon paying period, on or after one year from date of issue of said bonds. These bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder but for not less than par value and accrued interest from date of issue (January 1, 1913) to date of delivery of such bonds as required by law.

Bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the City of Ashland, for an amount equal to 5% of the face value of bonds bid for, which, in case the successful bidder fails or refuses to take and pay for said bonds as proposed in bid, shall be forfeited to said city as liquidated damages for such refusal or failure. Bids may be submitted for any part of the issue, the numbers of bonds bid for being specified in the bid. The Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

All bids must be addressed to "City Recorder, Ashland, Oregon," marked "Proposals for purchase of Fire Protection Bonds."

C. H. GILLETTE, Recorder, City of Ashland, Ore. Date of first publication, June 9, 1913. 4-3t-Mon.

Phone news items to the Tidings.

We Shoe the Family

LADIES' OXFORDS

Tan, 5-button oxford, welt sole \$3.50
Tan, 5-button oxford, champagne top, welt sole \$3.50
Black, 5-button suede oxford, welt sole \$3.50
Champagne vici kid, 6-button oxford, welt sole \$4.00
Champagne vici kid, 5-button oxford, turn sole \$3.25

LADIES' PUMPS

Tan buck pump, no strap \$3.50
Black suede pump, no strap \$3.50
Black velvety pump, no strap \$3.00
White buck pump, one strap \$2.50
White buck pump, turn sole, white heel \$3.00

LADIES' SHOES

White nubuck button boots, guaranteed genuine nubuck \$4.00
Tan and gray, same leather \$4.50
Champagne vici kid, finest quality \$4.50
Patents, all styles and toes \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00

MEN'S SHOES

New semi-English last, tan (a great seller) \$4.50
New English last, black or tan \$4.50 and \$5.00
Tan and black, hi toes, button \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00
Elk shoes, black, tan and green \$1.75, \$2.50 and \$3.00
Tan and black work shoes \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00

BOYS' AND GIRLS' SHOES

Absolutely all solid leather, all styles and prices which cannot be equaled.

INFANTS' AND CHILDREN'S SHOES

in turn soles, sizes 2 to 8. We have the largest assortment of styles and leathers in town.
Flat soles, without heels, 2 to 5 \$1.00
Flat soles, with wedge heels, 4 to 8 \$1.25
White nubuck and extra high tops \$1.25 and \$1.50
It will pay you to look in our window.

H. G. Enders & Son "Where You Do Better"

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We have just added a rubber stamp department and are now prepared to furnish every kind of stamp.



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And everything in the stamp and die line. Mail orders solicited.

The Tidings, Ashland, Ore.