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Stated convocation of Siskiyou Chapter No. 21, R. A. M., Thursday evening, July 16. Meet at 7:15 sharp, on account of Chautauqua engagements.

C. W. ROOT, H. P. W. H. DAY, Sec'y.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Simons is selling all summer shapes, trimmed hats, flowers and ribbons at half price. 13-14

J. P. Wells, the county school superintendent, was in the city Tuesday on business.

John and Ed Martin and James Bailey returned Sunday from a fishing and outing trip up Elk creek, on the headwaters of Rogue river. They report fine fishing.

James Bailey reports much county work being done on the roads near Bybee bridge.

Milton F. Gray of the Cove ranch was in the city Saturday, procuring fencing for his property on the mountain. He is now starting a fine dairy ranch, as his place is ideally situated for such.

One trial will convince you, Enders' better service.

Henry Bailey has bought the J. F. Meikle place on Mountain avenue. The transaction was completed last week.

Rev. George Crawford of Lakeview was an Ashland visitor Monday.

Mrs. C. W. Ellsworth of Omaha, Neb., is spending a week or ten days in Ashland.

Mrs. J. B. Brown, interested in the Brown Musical Company of Los Angeles, and formerly of Church street, was in the city Tuesday.

You need a change. So do we. Summer underwear at Enders'.

Milton Fraley and Johnnie Finne- ran returned last week from a fishing trip to Keen creek. They report the fishing good this season.

Aldon Powell returns this week from a three months' absence in California.

E. L. Balcom, wife and daughter of Medford were in Ashland Tuesday.

Everybody buys at Enders'.

A. D. Smith of North Yakima, who has been on an extended tour of the southern states, stopped off in the city for a few days this week.

T. B. Howard of Eugene was in town Tuesday.

O. W. Long, a S. P. conductor, has returned to Ashland after an absence of more than a year in California.

Follow the crowd to Enders' big clearance sale.

Dana Frame and brother Howard of Talent, the former a member of the class of 1914, were visiting old friends in the city the first part of the week.

George Grinnell, traveling agent for the Independent Biscuit Company, was in Ashland last week and remained till Tuesday.

G. A. Scharze of Hilt was in the city Sunday.

Shoe sale at Enders'.

L. C. Merriam of Rogue River was a visitor in the city Saturday.

C. L. Miller of Siskiyou was in Ashland Saturday.

W. S. Van Dyke and son Fred were in town Tuesday to attend the funeral of W. M. Mathes.

Phoenix silk hose at Enders'.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Ray LaMar of Medford were in the city Sunday.

Mrs. M. M. Jordan of Rogue River spent Saturday in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Vogue of Dead Indian were in Ashland over Sunday.

Samuel Mathes of Rogue River was in Ashland Monday.

You'll be sorry if you pass it up—Enders' big clearance sale.

W. G. Gordon and son Howard expect to leave for the east in a short time.

Robert Goodyear, manager of a large cigar store in Berkeley, Cal., is spending a few weeks' vacation in Ashland with his mother.

Slaughter prices at Enders' sale.

While enjoying a swim in the Ashland Natatorium Rev. Schwimley had the bad fortune to injure the bone in his heel, and is at the present time walking with the aid of canes. The accident occurred when he was pushed off the edge and came down on the bottom of the tank very hard, causing the painful hurt in his heel.

L. N. Bushorr and family are now moving into the Harvey home on Oak street, formerly occupied by Frank Shinn.

James Hughes, a former Ashland boy and son of Johnnie Hughes, is again in Ashland.

Clif Payne makes counters.

William Hedges, formerly of Ashland, has returned to his old home. He says he has had enough of the stove lid Imperial Valley, where he has been living since he left the Gateway City.

Wizz Cress arrived from Dunsmuir, where he has been working this summer.

Mrs. Tom Laferty left town Monday on a visit. She will be away a month.

Suit sale at Enders'.

J. G. Gross and wife of Portland have taken apartments of the Irwin apartment house on North Main street and will remain in the city for some time. Mr. Gross is one of the firm which introduced the blue trading stamp into Ashland and he is here looking after the firm's interests.

The local telephone trouble shooter reports a startling increase in the number of telephones that are installed every month.

Chief Porter is now able to walk his beat on the city streets, as his sickness is now becoming a thing of the past. He is recovering his former robust condition very rapidly.

He bought it at Enders' sale.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hauf of Wheatland, Wyo., have a baby boy, born July 7, weighing nine pounds. Mrs. Hauf is well known in Ashland as Miss Ella Danford.

W. E. Newcombe, the delegate to the Denver convention for the Ashland B. P. O. E., left for Denver last Friday.

General Passenger Agent John M. Scott was a visitor in the city Thursday.

Dr. Julian P. Johnson and wife were in the city Thursday—Medford day. They have just returned from a trip to Crater Lake, Klamath Falls and other Klamath county points and report a fine trip. They say autos can go to the rim of the crater at present, a ten per cent grade having been built.

H. G. Balcom and family of Medford were in the city Thursday.

Edith Cole and Alice Poor returned from a jolly vacation in Medford Monday.

Ruth Scott, a graduate of the Polytechnic School, left Monday for the north.

Lester Calhoun of Grants Pass, who has been the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Dr. Parson, left Monday for home.

H. C. Hafner and son, J. M. Hafner, Roy E. Vincent and Elmer E. Dimity are a party from Santa Ana, Cal., visiting briefly the past week at the home of G. H. Yeo and Mrs. Gregory. Mr. Dimity is a cousin of Mrs. Yeo and of Mrs. John Harvey, formerly of Ashland but now of Los Angeles. The party was en route to Portland and will probably go on up into Canada.

GET IT AT POLEY'S

Bonds to Be Sold July 21

The bonds for the development of the Ashland mineral springs are to be sold July 21. Not until that time will all bids be made. They are to be presented at 8:30 a. m. and the bids will be awarded during the night of the 21st. There have been many inquiries, and Recorder Gillette has a stack of letters a foot high he has received from interested parties.

Los Angeles Selected By Elks

At the Elk convention held in Denver this week Raymond Benjamin of Napa, Cal., was elected Grand Exalted Ruler of the "Best People on Earth." Exalted Ruler Newcombe was the delegate from No. 944. Los Angeles will be the meeting place of the Elks in 1915, that city having made a hit with the "antlered host" three years ago.

Woodshed Catches Fire

This afternoon at 1:05 the woodshed of Harry Luskja, at the top of Church street, caught fire from burning grass. The alarm was quickly sounded and the truck, responding quickly, made the climb up Church street in record time. In the meantime, however, the fire had been stopped with garden hose. No damage was done.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mattern left Monday in an auto driven by F. L. Camps for Snowden, Cal. Upon arriving there they will go by rail to the Highland mine, where Jack and Bert are located.

Buy it now at Enders'.

Prof. W. A. Faught, principal of the Klamath county high school, and I. B. Mason of Klamath Falls arrived in the city Tuesday for a short stay. The trip was made by auto. From here they motor to Newport for a stay at the seashore. Both men had their families with them.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Mulkey is in town for a couple of days.

Medford people attending Chautauqua today are Leo L. Jacobs, R. T. Brown, H. S. Sped, F. M. Putney and wife, T. H. Tucker and wife.

Mrs. A. N. Flets of Portland, president Parent-Teacher Association, also Congress of Mothers, is in Ashland.

Mrs. Wynne Scott and daughter Ruth have returned to this city, where they will take charge of the Marble Studio.

Open Season for Deer Aug. 1 to Oct. 31

I have received a large shipment of Guns, Rifles and Ammunition. The new 1914 Guns and Rifles are the Winchester Hammerless Pump in 20-16 and 12 gauge, Remington 22 Special Rifle, and Remington Forearm Movement Carabines, all of which are now in stock at the Elkhorn Gun Store.

Speaking of Fishing Tackle, we have the kind that will catch 'em, maybe.

Elkhorn Gun Store B. M. SHOUDY

ARE YOU A MATHEMATICIAN?

Then Solve This Problem and Win a Prize of \$25,000.

The largest single prize offered for a scientific discovery is still going begging. The prize has been open to competition for many years. At first sight the problem for a solution of which the prize is offered looks no more difficult than those with which high school students are familiar, but many of the greatest mathematicians in the world have tried to solve the problem and given it up in despair.

It is known as Fermat's problem. Nearly 300 years ago Fermat, one of the greatest mathematicians who ever lived, stated that the equation $x^n + y^n = z^n$ could not be satisfied by whole numbers when n is an odd prime number different from unity. The problem may be stated in another way—viz, that $x^n + y^n = z^n$ cannot be satisfied when n is any integer greater than 2. The one follows as a logical conclusion from the other.

The Academy of Sciences of Goettingen, Germany, offers a prize of 100,000 marks (about \$25,000) for proof of this assertion. This is the prize that is going begging.

Dr. Joseph Boyden, professor of mathematics, Adelphi college, Brooklyn, asked by the Scientific American to state the precise conditions for winning the prize, writes that the Academy of Sciences will not consider any manuscripts sent in, but only proposed solutions printed and offered for sale as monographs, in books on mathematics or in mathematical periodicals. The award will not be made until two years after the publication of the memoir in order that mathematicians may have ample opportunity to test and criticize the solution.

The object of these restrictions is to save the academy from being flooded with undigested manuscripts. It will only consider solutions that have stood the test of some competent editor or publisher in the first place.

FRANCE IN SOUTH AMERICA.

Its Influence in the Melting Pot of the Latin Races.

South America is the melting pot of the Latin races, and the French influence now seems to predominate over that of Spain. Italy is well represented, especially in strong Argentina. Brazil seems to be the most polyglot of them all, for here the native Portuguese is mingled not only with the Spanish and French and English, but a great deal of German. In the south of Brazil 90 per cent of the people speak German, and Portuguese is not always enforced as the language even of the public schools.

The large German colonies here do not affiliate with these people as they do with the Anglo-Saxon brothers of the north. They live to themselves, they retain their own language and customs. In Chile, where there are many English, too, the Germans direct the education of the country. Buenos Aires is close to this Germanic group in southern Brazil and feels its influence, though Argentina seems the most unified and progressive of the republics in point of literary expression and culture.

French influence also is felt in Brazil. Rio de Janeiro itself was founded as a refuge for French Huguenots though they were afterward driven back. In Paris today one hears that a youth is to emigrate to America, but probably it is to Rio that he is going. There are many French immigrants, and French is required in most of the schools and is next to the native tongue in importance in northern Brazil. Formerly in Brazil Spanish or German always came next to French, but it is said that some of the states now require English as the third language and that Brazilians are proud of their English.—Christian Science Monitor.

Suspicious.

Ernest Vizetelly, who has published a record of his experiences during the Franco-Prussian war, tells a story to illustrate the popular mania for discovering "treason" that prevailed in Paris.

He says that one day a soldier remarked to a comrade:

"I am sure that the captain is a traitor."

"How's that?" was the rejoinder.

"Well," said the suspicious soldier, "have you not noticed that every time he orders us to march forward we invariably encounter the enemy?"

Executions in Europe.

Methods of putting criminals to death vary. In Europe the guillotine is the mode of execution most generally employed. Austria, Holland and Portugal are the only other countries besides Great Britain where criminals are hanged. In Oldenburg they are shot. In Brunswick they are beheaded, and in Spain they are garroted.—London Telegraph.

Diplomacy.

"You persuaded your husband to join a glee club?"

"Yes," answered Mrs. Higgins; "when he starts to sing at home I can now advise him not to tire his voice, and when he sings in the club I can't hear him."—Washington Star.

Needed Airing.

"What's the matter with you?" demanded Brown body. "I've got a right to air my opinions, haven't I?"

"Oh, of course," replied Brightly. "They're so stale and musty they certainly need something of that sort." Philadelphia Press.

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| Grants Pass motor (main line depot) | | 9:30 a.m. |
| Grants Pass motor (city depot) | | 9:40 a.m. |
| Grants Pass motor (main line depot) | | 3:40 p.m. |
| Grants Pass motor (city depot) | | 3:50 p.m. |
| No. 16 | | 4:30 p.m. |
| Southbound. | | Arrive. |
| Grants Pass motor (city depot) | | 9:20 a.m. |
| Grants Pass motor (main line depot) | | 9:30 a.m. |
| No. 13 | | 11:35 a.m. |
| Grants Pass motor (city depot) | | 3:10 p.m. |
| Grants Pass motor (main line depot) | | 3:20 p.m. |
| No. 15 | | 4:50 p.m. |

A purse containing less than \$10 was lost somewhere on Main street and the Boulevard. Finder will please report to this office for information and suitable reward.

Congregational Church Services.

Regular service next Sunday morning. The pastor will preach and the music will be under the direction of Mrs. Marie Christian Watkins. No evening service on account of the union service.

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