

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

James Hersey, who left a short time ago for San Diego, Cal., writes that he is soaking in the sunshine in that tropical clime and watching Uncle Sam teach the boys that game called "How to Ketch the Kaiser." He states that they are doing their best to learn.

Levi L. Angle celebrated his 85th birthday at his home on Oak street Wednesday. Mr. Angle is hale and hearty despite his advanced age.

Mid-winter sale of everything at reduced prices while they last at Mrs. Simons'. 56-1f

A. Chisholm of San Francisco was in Ashland during the past week visiting with his son, A. Austin Chisholm of the Hotel Austin.

Mrs. A. L. Harvey has returned from a visit with a son and daughter in Klamath Falls.

M. McGrath left Tuesday for an extended tour through southern California, which will extend to San Diego, San Francisco and Stockton.

The ladies of the Christian church will give their annual bazaar and food sale at the Elks Temple next Saturday, December 15. Christmas goods on sale. 28-2t

A. S. V. Carpenter of Medford has been appointed manager of the Red Cross membership campaign in Jackson county which will start next Monday. Mr. Carpenter will be located in the Red Cross rooms in the Sparta building.

The ninth Red Cross auxiliary of Jackson county was started this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Bybee at Griffin Creek.

The records of the registrar of births and deaths of the Ashland district from January 1 to December 1, 1917, show 81 births and 100 deaths.

The Hen that Roosts on the Limb of an Old Apple Tree Produces Nothing

Moral:

Build a Hen House

Ashland Lumber Co.
Phone 20

Jay Terrill of Talent was in Ashland Saturday taking the rural route examination for openings as rural carrier out from the Medford and Gold Hill postoffices.

W. R. Davis of Montague was an Ashland business visitor the fore part of the week.

For plumbing or general repair work call George Carey, 462 Allison street. Phone 314-J. 48-12t*

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Morrison and daughter, Miss Myrtle, of Klamath Falls, arrived Monday for a few days' visit with Mrs. Morrison's sister, Mrs. M. W. Wheeler, of 131 North Main street.

Mrs. George Loosley of McDoel, Cal., arrived the first of the week to visit indefinitely with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Neil, of this city.

Gruen and other good makes of wrist watches. Only reliable grades offered. Price according to quality, \$13 to \$48. Whited. 58-2t

Mr. and Mrs. M. Kibler and daughter Mattie of Solomon, Kan., stopped over in Ashland several days this week on their way to Long Beach, Cal., to visit with family relatives, Mrs. A. M. Beaver, Mrs. J. C. Calhoun and Mrs. W. H. Hosler.

Solid mahogany clocks, good for a generation or two, just received by Whited. Prices a little higher than last year, but the elegant style and finish warrant it. 58-2t

Mrs. Cedric Myer, who has been visiting in this city for several months, left Wednesday morning for Klamath Falls.

Miss Grace Cunningham and brother Forrest, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. J. Arant, of this city, returned to Klamath Falls Wednesday morning.

Sewing bags and manicure sets with all the fixings—good—convenient—cheap—at Whited's. 58-2t

Leo Sander left with his family Tuesday for Tillamook, where they expect to make their home in the future.

William Rinehart has returned from Eureka, Cal., where he has been engaged in the restaurant business during the past summer, and will remain in Ashland with his family over the holidays.

J. S. MacMurray, teacher of singing. Address Hotel Austin. 45-1f

Mrs. O. C. Hinds and little daughter Marion left Wednesday for Berkeley, Cal., to spend the holidays with friends.

Joseph Durer of Tillamook returned home Sunday after visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Leo Sander, of this city.

Some new Jap boxes and trays—next year's patterns just came by express at Whited's. 58-2t

Mrs. Otto West of Hornbrook was a guest of Ashland friends over Sunday.

Rawles Moore, Esq., will have charge of the county prosecutor's office during the absence of District Attorney G. A. Roberts, who has gone to Cincinnati, Ohio. Mr. Moore was sworn in as deputy prosecutor and will serve until Mr. Roberts' return in January.

An old Philippine veteran says a pocket magnifier is an awful handy thing for a soldier. We have a good stock. Whited. 58-2t

Mrs. Lizzie Hartley and daughter Ada of this city have gone to Los Angeles to spend the winter. They are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mechem.

Kodak calendars, albums, film and kodaks. No better Christmas remembrance. Whited, kodaker and jeweler. 58-2t

Fruit and Farm

Persons keeping poultry on farms or under free range conditions have profited most during 1917. Their hens have acted as scavengers in picking up waste feed in the barnyards and fields, to say nothing of the insects and weed seeds they consume.

Food for allies is ammunition for the first line of defense.

Rules for Saving Eggs.

Poultry raisers are urged to follow these simple rules, which cost nothing but time and thought and add dollars to the poultry yard returns:

1. Keep the nests clean; provide one nest for every four hens.
2. Gather the eggs twice daily.
3. Keep the eggs in a cool, dry room or cellar.
4. Market the eggs at least twice a week.
5. Sell, kill or confine all male birds as soon as the hatching season is over.

Meat Needed to Win War.

To win the war we need more meat. To get an increased meat supply quickly hog breeding must be increased materially throughout the country, and in certain states an increase of from 25 to 50 per cent in the number of hogs is recommended by the United States Department of Agriculture.

The situation is of great importance. We must have plenty of meat for our allies in the field, and sufficient meat for our civilian population and the civilian population of the allies at home.

To have this meat, breeding animals must reproduce themselves so the offspring will be available for slaughter in the future.

Hogs can be increased quicker than any other kind of live stock. Therefore a larger number of sows must be bred now than in recent years.

Don't let rats in your corner eat holes in our national defense.

Remedy for Worms.

Give the chickens no food or water for 24 hours before treating; then feed them half the usual amount of ground feed in which has been mixed finely chopped tobacco stems soaked for two hours in all the water they will absorb. One pound of tobacco stems (weighed before soaking) is sufficient for 100 birds. Two hours after the chickens have eaten the medicated mash, give them one-fourth of the usual ration of ground feed mixed with water in which Epsom salt has been dissolved, using 11 ounces of Epsom salt for 100 birds.

To reduce the chances of further infestation all manure and loose dirt should be removed from the chicken yard and the pens and roosts thoroughly scalded and cleansed with hot water.

Winter Care of Colts.

Colts can be housed satisfactorily either in the stable or in an open shed. The main requirements, says Farmers' Bulletin 803, recently issued by the United States Department of Agriculture, are that the quarters be dry, sanitary and provide fairly warm protection from winds. Several foals may run together if the weaker ones are not driven away from their feed by the stronger. The quarters should be kept clean and well bedded and occasionally should be disinfected. Lice are to be suspected when the animals get to rubbing and loose patches of hair appear. Thorough washing with the proper solutions of coal-tar disinfectants will kill lice. It costs money to feed lice, consequently efforts should be made to keep them down. The foals should be out in the open every day that is not stormy; it is harmful, however, for them to remain out in a cold rain. The foal should be taught to lead and to stand tied during the first winter.

Fumigation of Stored Grains.

Stored grains of all kinds are attacked by numerous insect pests, and just at this time when it is imperative to conserve to the utmost the reserve food supply of the nation, it is especially important to prevent the work of these pests.

Fumigation with carbon bisulphide is the most important treatment of grains, according to F. H. Lathrop, assistant entomologist. To be effective, the bin must be as nearly airtight as it is possible. The carbon bisulphide may be obtained in liquid form from the local druggist, and should be applied at the rate of four pounds to every 1,000 cubic feet of space to be fumigated. The material should be placed in shallow pans on top of the grain, and the bin immediately closed. The liquid will evaporate, forming a gas heavier than air, which will pass downward through the grain. The bin should be allowed to remain closed for at least twenty-four hours. The effect of the gas varies with the temperature, and at a temperature of 60 degrees or less the treatment is ineffective and should not be attempted.

Carbon bisulphide is highly inflammable and lights and flame of all kinds must be kept away from it. This treatment is effective for dried fruits as well as for seed of all kinds. It does not affect the germination of seeds or the food value of the products fumigated.

More detailed information regard-

ing these pests and their control may be obtained from the Department of Entomology, Oregon Agricultural College.

Last Week Men May Volunteer in Army

Portland, Ore., Dec. 10.—Up to December 15, but no later, any man registered under the draft who is not already in the military service or needed to fill a vacancy in the first draft quota may enlist as a volunteer in the army, navy or marine corps. After December 15 no man of draft age will be accepted as a volunteer in any branch of the army service.

While voluntary enlistments in the navy and marine corps will still be permitted after December 15, they can be made only if a man is able to produce a certificate from his local board showing him to be so far down the list that he would not be taken on the current draft.

But up to December 15 any registrant may volunteer. A special ruling to this effect has just been made by the provost marshal general. This ruling includes even men who have been called up for physical examination by their local boards, but have not yet been inducted into the army. In order to keep the state's quota filled on the first draft, a good many more men were called up for physical examination than were actually required. Now they can volunteer up to December 15.

Each such man must obtain from his local board a certificate that he will not be needed to fill any deferred percentage of the first draft quota of that board. This certificate must be presented to the recruiting officer. Of course men of draft age who have not yet been called up for physical examination by their boards will not need such a certificate. They can volunteer—up to December 15—without it.

As the Kaiser Sees Himself

In a public speech March 22, 1905, Emperor William, the German kaiser, said:

"God would never have taken such great pains with our German Fatherland and its people if He had not been preparing us for something still greater. We are the salt of the earth."

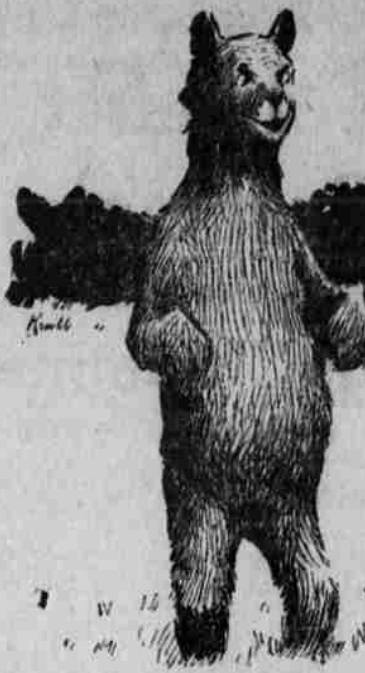
In 1914 he issued a proclamation to the army of the east in which he said:

"Remember that you are the chosen people! The Spirit of the Lord has descended upon me because I am the emperor of the Germans! I am the instrument of the Almighty. I am His sword, His agent. Woe and death to all those who shall oppose my will! Woe and death to those who do not believe in my mission! Woe and death to the cowards! Let them perish, all the enemies of the German people! God demands their destruction—God who, by my mouth, bids you to do His will!"

What the world thinks:
He is the most brutal, bloodthirsty and destructive monarch that ever lived, and the curse of his people. The most hated man alive, and he and his followers must be crushed to save the world from destruction.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brown and Mrs. Hissick came over Saturday from Klamath Hot Springs. Saturday night Mr. Brown was introduced into the mysteries of Elkdom and Sunday morning the Hot Springs party and Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Butler were entertained at a 10 o'clock dinner by Mrs. Perozzi. They left for their home yesterday afternoon.

Phone job orders to the Tidings.



I ALWAYS TAKE MY HAT OFF TO A BEAR! HE LIKES GOOD THINGS TO CHEW-BUT HE CAN'T READ THAT BILLBOARD SUPPOSE HE PICKS ON ME!

LOOK FOR THE PROTECTION SEAL-IT IS NOT REAL GRAVELY WITHOUT THIS SEAL



D. A. R. Society Adopt French Town

The Daughters of the American Revolution have "adopted" a French town. The members of this organization, who have already given more than \$2,500,000 for war work, are raising money to build houses and buy furniture, live stock and farming implements for the village of Tilloloy, on the Aisne, which has suffered heavily during the war.

Roy Sanford, who has been employed at Yreka for the past five months, is in Ashland visiting his sister, Mrs. Donald Whitney. After a sojourn here of ten days Roy will leave for San Diego, Cal., where he will enter the aviation corps.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONSTRUCT SEWER.

To All Persons Interested in the Ownership of Any Parcel of Land Within the Following Described Boundaries, to-wit:

Beginning on Garfield street at its intersection with Iowa street, thence north on Garfield street to its intersection with East Main street, and affecting all frontage on both sides of Garfield.

Said sewer to be known as Garfield Street Sewer.

Are hereby summoned and required to appear before the Common Council of the City of Ashland, Oregon, at the City Hall, Ashland, Oregon, on the 19th day of December, 1917, at 7:30 p. m., then and there to offer any suggestions and objections thereto, the expenses incident thereto and the cost of the construction of such sewer to be hereafter assessed, in case of the construction thereof, as special benefits against the real estate within said district benefited thereby.

Dated this 4th day of December, 1917.
(Signed) C. B. LAMKIN, Mayor.
Attest: JOHN B. WIMER, Recorder.

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Sale dates to California points December 21st to 23rd and 25th to 28th, inclusive. Return limit January 15th.

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