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Local News Notes

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For that tired feeling try Grape Purple—the new drink at the Bon Ton.

Henry Ruedel was in Grants Pass between trains Wednesday.

"Peacock" Walker was business visitor to Grants Pass Wednesday.

Mrs. Joe Beaman is the guest of friends at Portland the present week.

Mayor R. C. Kelsey was a business visitor in Grants Pass Thursday.

C. H. Froehner, of Sams Valley, was a visitor in this city Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Reed were at the Fell's Convention in Portland this week.

Gayette Eason, of Sams Valley, transacted business in Gold Hill Wednesday.

E. S. Smith, city editor of the Grants Pass Observer, was a visitor in Gold Hill Monday.

Miss Bessie Daniels departed on Sunday evening for Hugo, where she will visit friends for several weeks.

Lesley J. Jerns and Lloyd Gehle, of Medford, are guests at the home of their uncle, J. H. Miller, for the present.

Miss Ethel Smith, of Riverside ranch, spent several days the first part of this week as the guest of Miss Hattie Hodges.

Col. E. W. Cooper, of Sams Valley, was in town on business Wednesday. He is a candidate on the socialist ticket for county suveyor.

Applegate's Lumberjacks and Steinring's diamond lines have furnished comedy at the ball ground in several well-matched games this past week.

Mrs. Crowell and Mrs. Mills, who have been the guests of their sister, Mrs. C. H. Rice, for some time past, returned to their domestic Pasadena, California, on Friday of last week.

Riley Hammersly and wife were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hammersly last part of last week. Mr. Hammersly is a deputy game warden, stationed at the Trout creek district.

Prof. Howell Isaac, of Ashland, is conducting the organization of a music class in this city. Similar classes are already being conducted in practice under his direction at Sams Valley and Antioch.

At the Gold Hill Variety and Fun Show and ask Frank Burnett to show you the handsome New Royal calliope machine. It was a new piece both as to appearance and machine construction.

Try E. Beaville, of Central Point, was a visitor in this city between trains Wednesday. Mr. Beaville has disposed of his lumber business at the Point to the Big Lumber Company, the transfer being made on Saturday last.

W. Newton, who has been employed in a saw plant at Colgate, California, recently resigned his position, and returned to Gold Hill on Sunday last.

While on his home he visited with Carl Darline San Francisco for several days.

Mrs. Rippey, formerly a member of a local school faculty, but lately of Medford, passed through this city on Sunday evening enroute for Portland, where she will visit friends for a time.

At Portland she will be joined by her mother and at the conclusion of their visit it is planned to make a vacation tour of Aska.

Jack Brill's Locomobile was reduced to a pile of scrap metal at a Medford garage on Saturday. A leaky gasoline tank and a single electric spark were the causes of the conflagration which reduced a \$4,500 car to a mass of wreckage within a few moments. Fred Dodge has been commissioned to prepare the ruins for shipment to a factory, where it is believed the car can be rebuilt.

Wm. Stens is in deep mourning over the loss of three eight thoroughbred white Legh chicks, which were slain in some mysterious manner over a week ago, during the temporary absence of the family from ranch which is located in the west of town. Until the present the owner proprietor has kept quiet concerning his loss, hoping to gain some clue to the identity of the parties who perpetrated the outrage. The chicks were released from the coop wherein the owner happened them, and were evidently killed by blows upon their heads, possibly the work of mischievous youths with air guns. Mr. Stevens had but recently engaged in the poultry business, and the loss of so considerable a portion of his hatch is a serious setback to him for another season.

At last warm weather has set in and nearly everyone is in need of electric cooking apparatus. Maybe you need an iron, toaster, stove, coffee percolator or chafing dish. See John Kelsey, the agent for the HOT POINT line.

The Business Men's association of Gold Hill held a meeting on Monday evening, at which the name was changed to the Commercial Club of Gold Hill. The primary object of the meeting was to arrange for the payment of the debt incurred by the construction of the swinging foot bridge across Rogue river, amounting to \$212.00. A. E. Kellogg, who has been serving as temporary secretary for some time past, was elected permanent secretary of the organization.

Jack Morrill, Fred Dodge, Joe Beaman, Jack Jarvis, and Huck Finn Reed hustled via auto to the Rogue River wreck Monday morning just as soon as the news of the excitement reached Gold Hill. From the overturned diner they summoned forth many transitory souvenirs in the guise of food crabs, salads, brick ice cream, and other gastronomic et cetera, and conservatively calculate that the gang got on the outside of at least \$50.00 worth of edibles.

Thomas Dungey, the horticultural wizard of Pleasantview ranch, on Galls Creek, is marketing his second crop of strawberries. They are distinctly above the average in color, size, sweetness and flavor, and are of a new variety originated by his brother, Edward Dungey, who bestowed upon the new fruit the brief and distinctive title of "It." That the new strawberries fully justify their christening will be testified to by the many Gold Hill people who are enthusiastic converts to their superiority. Mr. Dungey has over an acre of his ranch in berries of various kinds, and is meeting with such success that he plans to materially enlarge it next season.

"Water, water everywhere, but not a drop to drink"—nor wash the grimy hands of toil, the family clothes, or even to irrigate the garden truck. With the mighty current of the Rogue racing past our very doors, Gold Hill has experienced a drought, a dearth, a disheartening shortage of water supply since Saturday last, when the reservoir was drained for cleaning. From that time all residences on the slope approaching the reservoir have been without water, and in the downtown and river district the supply has been very infrequent—so that the Applegate lumber mill, for instance, has been closed down for the greater part of the time, lacking a sufficient supply for its boilers. Unforeseen troubles with the pump at the company plant just up-river has contributed somewhat to the difficulty in hoisting an adequate supply up high above town, and the avidity with which the water is used for irrigating purposes practically exhausts it as fast as it can be supplied. Although the necessity of cleaning the reservoir at certain times is recognized, it would seem that patrons of the system should receive sufficient notice of the intention to enable them to draw off a supply sufficient to last for all ordinary purposes until the reservoir be again filled. Patrons of the system should, however, realize that at such a time will aid more than anything else in returning the system to its full capacity. The present situation is preposterous, whatever may be done to remedy it will be joyfully welcomed by the citizens of Gold Hill.

LATER—As we go to press it is learned that the city purchased a new Gould capacity of 200 gallons per minute, and Engineer announces that it will be in operation by Sunday. The cost is \$465.00, and the amount of water now in use. C. M. Dow, the Lower ran seriously injured and no hope is entertained. The after noon

who recently purchased a Sardinia creek, was red in a runaway yesterday, for his recovery is entered. The accident occurred shortly while Mr. Dow was hauling

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