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Local News Notes

You read it—take it—The News.

Leave orders for wood at the News office.

Try a Hot Point stove, toaster, or an iron. John Kelsey, agent.

Quartz and placer location notices at The News office.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. March, of Eagle Point, registered at the hotel Monday.

S. T. Hodges and C. A. Peterson were in J'ville on business the first of the week.

Mrs. Cheshire, of Grants Pass, visited on Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mrs. J. V. Stickle.

Among Tuesday's guests at the hotel were registered Fred L. Strang and J. G. Johnson, of Medford.

C. W. Martin, of the California-Oregon company, was in this city for several days the first of the week.

Prof. Harry Day visited Central Point, Medford, and Eagle Point, in the interest of his piano agency Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller of Central Point are spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Young, of Medford, attended the funeral of Howard Betts in this city on Monday.

Mrs. R. H. Swank, of Tolo, visited in this city on Sunday last as guest of her former school-mate, Miss Hattie Hodges.

Mrs. M. D. Bowers and Miss Helen returned on Tuesday evening from Central Point, where they visited at the home of Grandpa T. J. O'Hara.

F. B. Willmarth and Bert Castle left on Wednesday for Galice, where they will renew development work on their mining claim in that district.

FOR SALE—A pen of thoroughbred R. I. Red pullets, now laying; also a cock that cost \$5.00; all for \$10.00. Apply to H. Slewin, Fools Creek, Oregon.

W. G. Myers departed on Wednesday for San Francisco, where he has business interests. He will remain through the spring and summer before returning.

Some special bargains in stock, grain and fruit ranches, both large and small, it will pay you well to see me before purchasing.—C. S. REDFIELD.

J. C. Burch, president of the Beaver Portland Cement company, was in the city the fore part of the week, attending to business matters in connection with the plant.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Moore joined the excursion train to Eugene on Wednesday evening, and will visit relatives and friends in that city for several days before returning.

MILLINERY:—L. M. Wittorff will have on display at Lance & Company's a swell line of Millinery, Coats and Suits, Tuesday, March 3rd, and the following Tuesday of each week.

J. R. Morrison, a pioneer of Oregon, died at his home at Sams Valley on Thursday night of cancer of the stomach. An obituary will appear in the next issue of The News.

H. D. Reed, F. W. Dodge, Sprague Reigel, and Dan E. Servey, were a local theater party who attended the Medford opera Thursday evening, when "The Ham Tree" held the boards.

Mrs. Fred Witt has been confined to her home by illness throughout the past week, but is now showing symptoms of improvement. Her mother arrived some time ago and is in attendance.

T. N. Anderson, assisted by Lester Lord, is erecting scaffolding for the new reservoir which will supply the Anderson garden truck with moisture in regular doses during the coming season.

The Rexall store, Bowers' Pharmacy, will give each patron of the Wego every Tuesday night one package of Rexall chewing gum. For every \$1.00 worth of goods purchased at his store Mr. Bowers will give his patrons one admittance ticket to the Wego.

Leave orders for wood at the News office.

A special bargain in the way of a good, well-built seven room dwelling, and large lot. Best of garden land, well located, must be sold. For particulars call upon —C. S. REDFIELD.

Mrs. L. M. Wittorff, the Grants Pass modiste, was in the city Wednesday, making arrangements for the weekly display of her millinery and ladies' coat and suit lines at Lance & Company's.

J. B. Denkins, of Beagle, drove to this city Tuesday, accompanied by his wife and daughter. The ladies took the train to Medford where they will visit, while Mr. Denkins returned that afternoon.

WOOD FOR SALE:—I have both chunk and stove-wood in any quantity desired, also can furnish good manzanita; delivered at your door. Leave orders at the News office. —W. L. VAN HOUTEN.

Ralph Hubbard, manual training instructor, was forced to cease his school duties this week by illness, and has been receiving treatment at the Gold Hill hospital. He is improving rapidly, and will soon be able to return to his work.

Harry Day, the piano dealer, has rented the Myers' building and will move his large line of pianos to the new quarters, where he will also carry a complete line of musical merchandise. A car load shipment of pianos is expected to arrive before March 15.

Art Earheart, of Rogueriver, was in Gold Hill Tuesday in the interest of his candidacy for the Republican nomination to the office of sheriff, securing many signers to his petition. He was accompanied by C. F. Carl, a prominent orchardist of Evans valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Hunt departed on Saturday last for Los Angeles, intending to remain for a fortnight upon business and pleasure. They were accompanied by C. M. Dugan, of Louisville, Ky., who had been their guest in this city for the week previous.

A competitive civil service examination, under the rules of the commission, will be held at Medford, Saturday, February 28th, for the position of rural mail carrier from the town of Rogueriver over the Evans valley route. Applicants must be residents of the county and district in which the office is located from whence the rural route is established.

L. P. Harrington, state field worker for industrial fairs, will be in Jackson county for two weeks following February 23, for the purpose of organizing Boys and Girls Industrial clubs. Mr. Harrington will be in this city Thursday, the 26th, at 3:00 p. m., speaking also at Rock Point, Dardanelles, and Galls Creek earlier on that day.

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That Sams Valley, the really truly garden spot of the fertile Rogue River valley, can grow corn—not alone to fatten a half dozen carloads of prime porkers for Portland shipments, but a surplus to export, as well—is attested by the carload of fine corn shipped from this city the present week by ranchers of that locality. Will Kinney also loaded another car with alfalfa hay, for export to less favored localities.

Two more deer, does of two and three years respectively, were received by Earl Fisher the first of the week, and placed with the yearling already here. The vacant lot between the hotel cafe and post-office has been enclosed with wire, and will be the future domicile of the dainty pets. The last pair were purchased at Yoncolla, where they were reared from fawnhood. All three are very tame and friendly and their presence in the impromptu little park on front street attracts much attention from both towns people and strangers.

Two sows, purchased in 1909, and placed upon a Rogue River valley ranch, were the nucleus of pork sales which have aided largely in making the prosperity of that ranch. The second year the two sows investment realized \$150. Up to date in the present year alone the farm ledger shows sales of \$542 worth of pork, while 100 pigs are still hunting acorns on the home place. The original investment was \$24.

Wm. Burr, former superintendent of the Braden mine, has returned to Jacksonville from a month's sojourn in the east and at San Francisco, and will actively renew the operation of the famous Opp mine, to which Mr. Burr and his principals now hold a lease. He is also reported to be contemplating the installation of a plant for the manufacture of staves and other articles from native woods.

Because the Southern Pacific company failed to install an overhead girder at the trestle above the highway south of the bridge, but placed instead a girder of the underslung type, the company has been put to much trouble and expense in rectifying the errors occasioned by this slight neglect. After installing the trestle it was found that the required clearance above the roadway was not given, and a tapering excavation of 24 feet in solid rock became necessary. When completed this would have formed a perfect basin for the higher surroundings, and it was decided to blast out a ditch to remedy the condition. An interesting feature of the work was the discovery this week of what appears to be a considerable body of lead ore, in drilling for shots. Assays made of specimens shows the rock to contain a high percentage of lead.

How the hotel hyacinth came into bloom contrary to all the laws of nature, furnished a subject for controversy in the lobby one day this week. The plant, struggling along in a pot several sizes too small, gave evidence of not feeling well by the scrawnyness of its foliage and apparent unwillingness to put forth flowers. Finally, doubtless in the faint hope that mortals would understand something was wrong, it began sending roots upwards through the soil. With the appearance of these, it was decided to report the hyacinth—and the floricultural marvel was discovered. Bunched closely in the solid earth, almost at the bottom of the flower-pot, and pointed for China, were two lavender sprays of bloom, accompanied by new plant shoots. The topsy-turvy prodigy was righted and is now occupying roomy quarters, with its blossoms 'top side', and doing bravely in the sunlight.

Two Home Women Talked About Hair

Two women met in our store the other day, when one of them said:

"My, how pretty your hair looks! What have you been doing to it?"

"Why, I have been using Harmony Hair Beautifier for the past two weeks," was the reply.

"Why, indeed!" replied the first woman, "that is just what I am using. Isn't it great, and don't you think my hair shows a lot of improvement?"

Harmony Hair Beautifier is becoming all the rage among both men and women who are particular in the care of their hair. It is just what it is named—a hair beautifier. It seems to polish and burnish the hair, making it glossy, silky-soft, and more easy to put up in graceful, wavy folds that "stay put." Contains no oil, and will not change color of hair nor darken it. Simply sprinkle a little on your hair each time before brushing it. To keep your hair and scalp dandruff-

free and clean, use Harmony Shampoo. This liquid shampoo gives an instantaneous rich, foaming lather that immediately penetrates to every part of the hair and scalp, insuring a quick and thorough cleansing. It is washed off just as quickly, the entire operation taking only a few moments. Harmony Hair Beautifier, \$1. Harmony Shampoo, 50c. Both guaranteed to satisfy you in every way, or your money back. Sold only at the more than 7,000 Rexall Stores, and in this town only by us. M. D. Bowers, Gold Hill, Or.

BRIEF NEWS OF OREGON

Erection of a cannery at Junction City is planned by the Junction City grange.

Oregon has 84 national banks and 73 applications to join the federal reserve association have been received. Saturday will be the final day for filing applications.

Oregon's building at the San Francisco exposition is to be equipped with furniture made by the manual training classes in the Oregon public schools, according to announcement of Assistant State Superintendent E. F. Carlton.

County Judge Frank L. Tou Velle has gone to Chicago, where he will turn over to the bond buyers the \$500,000 road bonds voted last fall by Jackson county for the improvement of the Pacific highway from the California border to the Josephine county line.

Senator Chamberlain has introduced a bill to allow the longevity pay claim that was due Lieutenant George J. Campbell of Portland. The amount of the claim is \$5,192.84. Dr. William Campbell, of Portland, is a son of the deceased claimant.

The parent-teacher forces of Pendleton are leading a fight for the annihilation of the cigarette in Pendleton. The city council is expected to act on an ordinance prohibiting use of tobacco in any form by boys less than 18 years old.

The little town of Holdman, Umatilla county, and the vicinity is in rigid quarantine, established by Dr. E. J. McPaul, county health officer, in an endeavor to stop the spread of small-pox, an epidemic of which has reached alarming proportions.

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