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## Collection of Taxes is Now Being Pushed

The tax collection department of the sheriff's office is now accepting tax payments for 1934 and prior years without interest, with the understanding if the law passed by the special session of the legislature is declared invalid the interest and penalty payments will be made. Announcement to this effect was made by Sheriff Syd I. Brown.

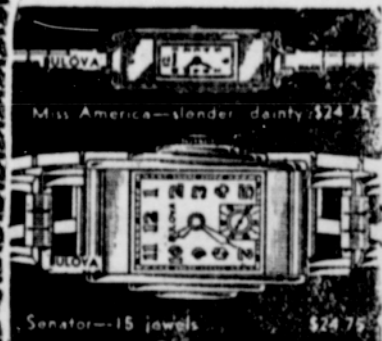
The law does not become effective until February 8 and in order for a taxpayer to avail himself of the interest and penalty deductions he must make the payments on or before April 15, or after that date, the law provides, current taxes for 1935-36 must be made in full to gain deductions. Under the plan adopted by Sheriff Brown, both the county and the taxpayers benefit.

The aggressive campaign of the sheriff's office for the collection of personal tax is producing results, the sheriff reports. A number of delinquents have remitted. Steps have been taken by the sheriff for the filing of liens on chattels for collection in several instances.

## Garden Club to Hear Pruning-Spraying Talk

A talk on pruning and winter spraying will be given at the regular meeting of the Gold Hill Garden club at the city hall, R. A. Miksche of the Monarch Seed and Feed company of Medford will talk on this subject, which is of timely interest. Ladies are urged to be on time so that business may be taken care of before the speaker arrives.

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## Second Pre-Christmas Dance Planned by I.O.O.F.

Saturday, December 14, has been set as the date for the second pre-Christmas dance sponsored by the Odd Fellows lodge.

Proceeds will go for the annual Christmas party the lodge gives for all children of the community.

Everybody is urged to attend the dance next week to help make the Christmas party this year bigger and better than ever.

There will be good music and a good time is assured.

## SAMS VALLEY NEWS

Walter Cota, who spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cota, returned Sunday to Merrill, Oregon, in Klamath county, where he is employed.

John Wilson returned Sunday to Sacramento to resume his studies at the Junior college there, after spending Thanksgiving vacation with home folks.

## Grange News

Installation of Grange officers for the year 1936 will take place at the Central Point grange hall Sunday, December 8, at 1:15. A basket dinner at noon. This will be joint installation with the officers of the 14 granges in the county attending. All newly elected officers are asked to be there promptly on time.

Saturday night, December 7, is regular meeting of the Sams Valley grange. There will be initiation in the third and fourth degrees. Several candidates from both the Gold Hill and Sams Valley granges will take the degrees. We hope to see a good crowd of Gold Hill patrons attending this meeting.

Word has been received from Gertrude Haak, Secretary of Jackson County Pamona grange, of a special meeting to be held at Eagle Point on the evening of December 14. All patrons are urged to attend, as special arrangements have been made for an enjoyable evening.

School re-opened Monday with practically a normal attendance and all pupils expressing a desire to get back to their regular school activities.

## Visitors Here in Accident

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Gerges and daughter, Paula June of Klamath Falls visited from Thursday until Sunday with Mrs. Gerges' sister, Mrs. John Cook. On the way over, they were in an accident which might have been very serious, their car skidding on icy pavement, turning completely around, and then flipping over. Luckily none was hurt, and they crawled out the broken window on Mr. Gerges' side, righted the car, and finding that it would still run, they came on to Gold Hill for their visit.

Mrs. L. F. Wathen of Manzanola, Colorado, arrived Wednesday evening for a visit through the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Robinson, and her sister, Mrs. Carl Routh, and family.

## Friends and Neighbors Gather At Family Table Thanksgiving Day

The time-honored custom of dining with friends and neighbors on Thanksgiving day was observed by Gold Hill families, who entertained or were entertained last Thursday as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lively spent the day with the Jacobs sisters at the Delta Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carter and son, Leroy, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Phillips in Grants Pass. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stephenson and son, Shirley Hall, were also guests of the Phillips. Mrs. Stephenson is Mrs. Moore's mother.

Mrs. Mary Chisholm and Fred Lewis were Thanksgiving day guests of John and Janet Chisholm.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Miller and family were Thanksgiving day guests of Mrs. Millie Walker and daughter, Sybil.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Phillips and family, with other CCC officers, were entertained at the Applegate CCC camp on Thanksgiving day. Mr. Phillips is chaplain for his area under Captain Preston.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Newnham entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Snyder, Evagene and Bill Wyatt of Sams Valley, Effie Patton and Ray Wyatt Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roberts of Eureka, California, spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. R. Kies.

Mrs. Lola Reed of Medford visited her mother, Mrs. Susie Coy, and other relatives here.

Robert Watkins was a Thanksgiving dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Livingston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clement and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Routh and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Robinson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Routh enjoyed the day at the P. E. Holderness home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Blankenburg, daughter Lana Kay, and G. W. Hannon drove to the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Sheets near Phoenix for Thanksgiving day. The Sheets and Hannon families observed Thanksgiving day at the Hannon home in Yale, Iowa, thirty years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thompson, Mrs. Minnie Byerly and Mr. and Mrs. Ari Gorham spent Thanksgiving week end in Portland with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Merriman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Hammersly at Sawyers Bar.

Mrs. Tiny Altherr and Mrs. Rose Haymond from here spent Thanksgiving with their sisters, Mrs. Matilda Coe and Mrs. Maggie McAdams, of Grants Pass at the home of Mrs. McAdams.

## Health Unit Pleased With Hot Lunch Report

A fine report on the serving of the hot lunches to the school children here was given by Mrs. Sam Routh at the meeting of the Gold Hill Health unit at the home of Mrs. Cleo Gilchrist Tuesday of this week.

Only a small deficit was recorded after the necessary supplies had been purchased and the salary of \$1 a day paid to Mrs. Routh, who is superintending the work again this year.

Considerable foodstuff was donated when the work began the second week in November, but as many items have been used up, any contributions will be gladly accepted. They can be taken to the school house, to Mrs. Routh's home or to Mrs. Millie Walker's.

Members attending Tuesday's meeting were Mrs. W. F. Boye and Mrs. Jean Boye, Mrs. Mary Hutchins, Mrs. Clay Biles, Mrs. W. G. Howes, Miss Lyndall Jacobs, Miss Paris, county health nurse, Mrs. J. M. Lively and the hostess.

The next meeting will be at the Jacobs ranch in Riverside colony.

## Student Body News (Frieda Young, Reporter)

The report cards for this six weeks are going out today. Those on the honor roll are as follows:

Maxine Hollifield, Violabelle Morrow, Virginia Duncan, Phyllis Miller, Frieda Young, Champlin Garrison, Pat Becker, Doris Johnson, Mildred Smith, Rosa Desimini and Frances Reames.

The girls physical education class played hockey one period last week. Most of the girls enjoyed it although the game is a little rough.

We are having a basketball game here Friday night with Sams Valley. This is our first game of the season and we wish the boys lots of luck.

## METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Members and friends of the Methodist church will have a get-together meeting and basket dinner at the church next Sunday, December 8, following the morning service. All interested in the work of the church are cordially invited and urged to be present. Bring your well filled baskets sufficient for the family. The Ladies Aid will furnish hot coffee. There will be an official board meeting and plans for the current year's activities of the church are to be completed.

At seven in the evening there will be a Junior League Candle Light Installation service which all are invited to attend, and urged to remain for the evening church service.

Chas. Linebarger has announced that he will give a free dance at the Gold Hill Hotel building Saturday evening, Dec. 14. The Linebargers have done considerable improving at the hotel.

## Coach McGuire Announces High Cage Schedule

The basketball schedule as it has been worked out by Coach Dennis McGuire, is announced this week. A few open dates are shown in the line-up, arrangements not having been completed for games on those dates.

Friday of this week the season opens with a game with Sams Valley on the local floor.

Others games are as follows:  
Dec. 6—Sams Valley here.  
Dec. 10—Glendale here.  
Dec. 13—Glendale there  
Dec. 14—Open  
Dec. 17—Eagle Point here  
Dec. 19—Open  
Jan. 3—Open

Conference play begins January 10, the team traveling to Central Point for their first real battle.

Jan. 17—Talent here  
Jan. 24—Phoenix there  
Jan. 31—Open  
Feb. 4—Jville here  
Feb. 7—Central Point here  
Feb. 14—Talent there  
Feb. 18—Phoenix there  
Feb. 21—Open  
Feb. 28—Jville there

## Rebekahs Elect Officers; Birthday Party for Dec.

At their regular meeting on Wednesday, November 27, Amethyst Rebekah Lodge elected officers for the ensuing term as follows:  
Noble Grand, Nettie Stone.  
Vice Grand, Delia Kell.  
Secretary, Ethel Martin.  
Treasurer, Lucy Mee.

At this week's meeting, the December birthday party was held after the regular business session. The drill team practiced and refreshments were served, honored guests being Mrs. Alta Clement, a new member, Mrs. Dora Hammersly and Mrs. Pauline Thompson of Sawyers Bar.

## Townsend Club Social Thursday, December 12

At the Townsend club room down stairs in the Odd Fellows building, Ernest Rhoads of Grants Pass will be guest speaker of the club Thursday, December 12, at eight o'clock. After the speaking, the Townsend quilt will be awarded.

A "Feet Social" will follow. Ladies will bring lunch for two and instead of selling the lunches, the men will bid on the ladies' feet, and choose their partners in that way. There will also be a dance after the social. Tickets 20c each.

## W. R. C. TO ELECT OFFICERS

The W. R. C. will hold an all day meeting December 11. Every one is urged to be present as there will be election of officers. Lunch will be served at noon.

## Local and Personal Items

Captain Preston, head chaplain for the Applegate CCC area, was a business visitor in this city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook were Tuesday visitors at their ranch in Sams Valley.

Merritt Hittle and Mrs. Jewel Blount of Medford were visitors last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kesterson and family of Klamath Falls spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. Kesterson's mother, Mrs. Wm. Puhl.

A flu first at the J. D. Hedgepeth residence this evening (Thursday) caused several uneasy moments and the fire truck was summoned which kept the blaze was catching on the roof.

A group of friends helped H. D. Force celebrate his birthday anniversary Tuesday evening at the Force home. Mrs. Curtis Parker and Paul Thompson won prizes at bridge.

December copies of "Jimmy Allen Club News" are now at the Richfield station at the Gold Hill Auto park, R. L. Darling, manager, announces. The paper is now being issued once a month, and the next issue will be out the first week in January. The new edition has been changed to a four-page paper, carrying many interesting articles. It is put out by the Richfield Oil company, free to all children.

Joe Pankey went to Roseburg Monday where he entered the Veterans hospital for observation.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church met this Thursday at the home of Mrs. J. D. Hedgepeth.

XMAS PHOTOS—Holiday specials now! PEASLEYS opposite Holly theatre, Medford. D5-12

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hedgepeth of Medford were visitors Monday with Mr. Hedgepeth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hedgepeth.

Among those confined to their home with measles are Leonard Kell, Lavell Eddington, Virginia, Marcia, Donna and JoAnn Centers.

The Bryan Ward family is moving into the Gus Erickson house recently vacated by the Jack Frost family.

Miss Roberta Mayfield, who has been working in Medford, has returned to this city and is staying in the J. W. Bryan home.

## Leaguers to Grants Pass Sun.

The young people of the Methodist Epworth League of Gold Hill were guests of the Grants Pass young people at a rally day meeting Sunday, December 1. Those from here attending were Mr. Garland, G. W. Hannon, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Phillips, Jake Cook, Vernice and Evalyn Martin, Sybil Walker, Virginia Shoemaker, Phyllis Miller, Robert Mullin and Kenneth Ward.

## Christmas Gifts from Santa's Pack



- 20-inch Mama Doll 98c
- 17-Inch Teddy Bear with Voice 98c
- BOXED GIFTS FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY 10c up
- Lacquered Tray, set of two 75c
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