

PERSONAL AND LOCAL

Miss Dorris Russel went to Rogue River Sunday to remain some time. Anseo Speedex films. Sabin has it.

Emmet Lee returned last night from Dorris, where he spent the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Beach, of the Queen mine, near Leland, are in the city.

E. R. Price arrived this morning from San Francisco and left for Gasquet by stage.

Geo. P. Topping left this afternoon by automobile for his home at Bandon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bates, who spent a week here with Mrs. Bates' brother, F. L. Warren, left this morning, returning to Mountain View, Cal.

Wool sweaters in all colors. Mrs. E. Rehkopf.

Gay C. Kinney, who has been employed with W. R. Rannie in the plumbing at the new court house, left this morning for Portland.

Miss Edna Gruber arrived this morning from Salem and went out to the Vocational school on Jerome Prairie, where she has been employed to teach the primary.

New neckwear, high stocks and tuxedo collars. Mrs. E. Rehkopf.

Elmer Meissner returned to Klamath Falls this morning, accompanied by his daughter, Josephine, who spent a few weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Meissner.

Harrison Blake, of Portland, is spending a few days in the city. He came over yesterday from Crescent City, where he spent the past two months hunting and having a good time.

BORN

CALVERT—At Ashland Sunday, September 30, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald J. Calvert a 9 1/2 pound daughter, Elizabeth Nutting Calvert.

COMING EVENTS

Oct. 4, Thursday—Grants Pass Irrigation District bond election.

FRENCH REFUGEES ARE HELPED BY RED CROSS

Washington, Oct. 1.—A cablegram from Major Murphy, head of the Red Cross commission in France, states:

"In the various departments outside of the Seine there are some 850,000 refugees embracing all classes and ages except able bodied men. These refugees are in an unfortunate condition because of the complete loss of their possessions when driven out of the invaded territory.

"The Red Cross hopes to aid the authorities to help these people by supplying furniture to those who in this way could move into better quarters, by completing buildings already partly constructed, and even by furnishing portable houses of cheap construction, when necessary as a temporary makeshift.

"It is proposed to establish, in connection with the French authorities, health centers from which useful work can be done in such a way as fully to conserve the self respect and independence of those who accept it."

Original Meaning of "Garble."

The word "garble" originally meant "to select for a purpose." There used to be an officer called "the garbler of spics," and it was his duty to visit the stores, examine the spics and order those that did not come up to standard to be destroyed. In this way the garbled goods were those which had been sifted of all impurities. So a "garbled" report is one that is sifted down and bereft of some of its original contents. Nowadays anything "garbled" is misleading and chopped up so as to give a wrong impression.—London Opinion.

Joy Tonight

Alice Brady

in

'The Divorce Game'

5c

15c

Society of Arts and Crafts—There will be a meeting of the Society of Arts and Crafts at the home of Mrs. C. H. Demaray on Tuesday, October 2, at 2:30 o'clock.

Pass Folks Visit Coast

The following Grants Pass people last issue in Crescent City: Mrs. J. T. Fry, J. T. Fry, W. H. Butler, J. G. Riggs, and E. Weber. —Crescent City Courier.

Illness Postpones Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morrison, who started for Crescent City Saturday afternoon, went no farther than Seima, when they found Mrs. Morrison's mother, Mrs. Krauss, had been taken seriously ill. They returned here with Mrs. Krauss, who will be operated upon tomorrow.

Good Fruit Sales

Geo. H. Hamilton returned Sunday from the Willamette valley, where he spent the month past in the marketing of his peach crop, making daily shipments from here. He sold fruit in Eugene and Portland and points between. Mr. Hamilton says he had very satisfactory results.

Attended Convention at Ashland

Misses Clara Calhoun, Jeanette Cramer, Ruth Hathaway and Ethel Bocoock, and Messrs. Arthur Cramer and Robert Harris spent Sunday at Ashland attending the Christian Endeavor district convention. They went by automobile and on the return trip were delayed some hours at Rogue River on account of machine troubles.

Knapp Studio Removes

Beginning October 1st, the Knapp Studio for voice and piano will be located at 702 North Fourth street, Phone 205-L. Pupils desiring high school credits are urged to begin work not later than October 1st. Mrs. Knapp will conduct a class of musical appreciation and elementary harmony this winter and which will be interesting to all music lovers. 74

The Bywaters Return

Dr. and Mrs. Bywater returned Sunday night from a most enjoyable vacation trip, having traveled nearly 1,200 miles in the last two weeks, seen eastern and western Oregon and visited many friends. They went to Yreka, Klamath Falls, Lakeview, Silver Lake, Bend, The Dalles, down the Columbia highway, stopped at Monroe to call on Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Dunbar, and at Roseburg to visit relatives.

They Read the Ads

A short time ago H. H. McClung, of Wonder, advertised in the Daily Courier for woodcutters. The advertisement was answered by a man in Kingston, Wash., who came here and has been working for the past two weeks. Another man from Everett is now corresponding with Mr. McClung, and it is probable he will also come. Mr. McClung is again advertising for woodcutters, hoping to secure several.

SOME COUNTIES WANT MORE O.-C. TAX MONEY

Portland, Oct. 1.—Several of the 18 Oregon counties which will receive approximately \$1,500,000 this month from the government in back taxes on Oregon and California grant lands may soon take steps to obtain, in addition, the interest on the taxes since June, 1916.

According to Oswald West, Portland, former governor of Oregon, who represented the government in the tax case, the \$1,500,000 includes the interest and the penalties on the taxes only up to June, 1916, when the title of the lands reverted to the government from the railroad company.

World's Oldest Bird

The oldest bird known is called the archaeopteryx. This is a Greek word, which really means "ancient wing." It was an extraordinary bird. It had a long tail, not all feathers as a bird's tail is now, but like a lizard's tail, long and thick, with bones and flesh and with feathers growing from it. It had two legs with which it could walk or perch in the trees, but it had two other limbs like hands, which it probably used to climb about the trees instead of flying from bough to bough, as birds now do. It had a curious eye fitted with a sort of armor shield, as the reptiles have, and its beak was armed with great strong teeth. There is no such bird as this now.

NO ASSESSMENT WORK ON MINERAL CLAIMS

There is some confusion in the minds of local mining men regarding the measure recently passed by congress suspending the requirements for yearly assessment work of \$100 on each mining claim. This does not apply to properties owned by soldiers only. It applies to all mining claims on federal lands and is for the years 1917 and 1918.

The measure was urged at this time because of the scarcity of labor and the belief that such labor as was available would be used at better advantage in mines producing war necessities.

SHELLY CREEK DISTRICT

A. E. McPherson spent several days last week in Grants Pass.

Wm. Combs and wife, of Fairfax, Mo., are visiting with Mrs. McPherson at Monumental. Mr. and Mrs. Combs are relatives of Mrs. McPherson, and are touring the northwest. They spent several days at Central Point, visiting Mrs. E. C. Hamilton, Mr. Combs' sister.

Fred Ehrman, of Chico, Cal., spent last week in this district. Mr. Ehrman is interested in the Diamond creek cinnabar mine; and reports satisfactory progress.

O. H. Drorbaugh and Grover Montgomery are hauling the stage company's winter hay from Waters creek, delivering it at Monumental and Patricks creek and are hauling chrome from this district back to Waters Creek.

B. C. Eudert, Richer Pliner and L. M. DeMartin, of Crescent City, passed through here a few days ago en route to American Lake, having been called by the selective draft.

The traveling public greatly appreciates the excellent work being done on the roads in this district by Otto Anderson, who has full charge of the up-keep of the road from the state line to Patricks creek.

Austin Raymond and younger brother, who have spent their vacation with their father at Patricks creek station, have gone to Medford to enter school.

Ed. Henderson has been spending several days working at the Old Crow copper mine.

Thursday afternoon an elderly couple from Central Point in some way lost control of the car they were driving and went off the bank near Monumental, but both escaped without injuries. Mr. Johnson, of Waldo, was called to get the car onto the road, it being greatly damaged. W. C. Hendricks and wife, of Oakland, were in this district the first of the week. They are interested in the Chevrolet Car company.

Jack Neff and wife and Miss Lipontz, of Crescent City, passed through here Monday en route to Los Angeles.

To equip a British sailor takes nearly eight times as many workmen as are required to provide a soldier with all he needs in the way of munitions.

One year after the telephone was invented the phonograph was produced; in 1876 the human voice was transmitted, and in 1877 it was recorded and reproduced.

New York produces more apples than any other state. The five leading varieties in the state are Baldwin, Greening, Northern Spy, Ben Davis and Tompkins King.

"Words are inadequate to express my love."
"I know they are, Ferd," said the dear girl. "Try candy and violets."
—Louisville Courier-Journal.

"The birthstone is supposed to control our destinies. Now, what is your birthstone?"

"Judging from my life experience I am inclined to believe it is a brickbat."
—Exchange.

The first book plate for the library of Columbia college was made in 1795. It was designed and etched on copper by Alexander Anderson, the first American wood engraver, while he was a medical student.

St. Torquatus, the apostle of Cadiz, lived in the first Christian century and planted an olive tree before the church dedicated to him in Cadiz. This tree is always in full bloom on the fete day of Torquatus, May 15.

"Myrtle, can you cook?"
"No, Lionel. Can you afford to keep an auto?"
"No, dear."
So they did not marry, and they lived happily ever afterward.

Eprenay, France, is underlined with miles of vaults hewn out of the solid chalk, on which the city is built. These vaults are used chiefly for the storage of wine. One wine house has vaults covering an area of 45,000 acres.

FAIR WEATHER FOR WEEK IS PREDICTED

Washington, Oct. 1.—The weather bureau today issued the following forecast for next week:

Pacific states—Fair weather is indicated during the week, except there will be occasional rains on the north coast. There will be an early return to normal temperatures over central and southern California.

FOOD SAVING MOVE REACHES HONOLULU

Honolulu, T. H., Oct. 1.—In line with the food conservation program of the government, the College of Hawaii has this fall added a new course to its curriculum, that of food economics which will embrace food preparation and dietetics, covering all phases of the food problem. For the purpose the college has brought to Honolulu an expert in household science, Miss Elizabeth Matthews, who holds a bachelor's degree from the Ohio State university and a master's degree from Columbia.

The instructions will range all the way from the fundamentals of cooking to the scientific planning of dietaries.

THE PICTURE MILL IS NOW OPEN FOR BUSINESS

The Picture Mill located on block west of the First National bank in this city is now open for business. The proprietor of this new business venture has spared no labor or expense to make this new photo studio the most attractive and best mechanically equipped studio between Portland and San Francisco to the end that its patrons may secure the best work that expert labor and numerous new mechanical devices can procure. The Picture Mill will be open for business daily (except Sundays) from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. Special appointments for sittings for other hours and Sundays made by phone. Call The Picture Mill, 283-R or residence, 140-J. The Picture Mill will specialize upon high grade portraiture and will do a general photographic business. Call and inspect the new studio and convince yourself that Grants Pass has at last secured an attractive, convenient and modernly equipped Picture Mill. 72

Decline of the Bath.

One strange feature in the advance of civilization has been the decline of the bath. Washing in the golden age of Greece and Rome was a fine art, and baths were built with as much care as temples. There has been a revival in this century of public baths, but from an aesthetic point of view they cannot compare with those of a bygone age.

NEW TODAY

(CLASSIFIED AD RATES.—25 words, two issues, 25c; six issues, 50c; one month, \$1.50, when paid in advance. When not paid in advance, 5c per line per issue.)

FOR RENT—"Hull" house in Tokay Heights, also five room house on North Tenth street. Cheap. Both have good wells. H. H. Allyn, city hall. 70

PEARS for canning, butter and preserves. 731 South Eighth street, phone 251-J. 71

TOKAY and Blue grapes; table grapes three cents; jelly and juice grapes, two cents. 725 South Fifth street. 71

FOR RENT—Furnished five-room cottage. Inquire of G. P. Jester at Grants Pass Banking Co., or phone 168-R. 71

FOR SALE—One 25-35 Winchester rifle and one Remington 22. Phone 314-J or call 259 West G street. 71

WANTED—An oak, flat-topped desk. State price. Address No. 1891 care Courier. 71

FOR RENT—Large house, close in. \$15. O. S. Blanchard. 71

FOR SALE—One Chevrolet touring car. Inquire at Olding's garage. 72

WOODCUTTERS WANTED—\$2.25 per cord. Inquire of H. H. McClung, Wonder, Ore. 75

FOR SALE—Large three-burner oil cook stove with oven. Used only one month. Cost \$18.50, will sell for half. Inquire Fred Costain, 306 West J street. 71

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of Applegate, Ore., and by M. Clemens of Grants Pass, Ore.

NINE WERE KILLED IN GULF HURRICANE

New Orleans, Oct. 1.—So far as reported 14 persons lost their lives in the hurricane which swept the east gulf coast Friday.

Nine fishermen were drowned in Sister lake, near Houma, La., and five persons were killed at Creswell, Fla.

That the government wireless plant at Pensacola was not demolished was evident when the naval radio station here got into communication with Pensacola. As the

storm swept inland over southern Alabama and Florida, it did considerable damage to crops.

DROUTHS IN TEXAS HARD ON CATTLEMEN

El Paso, Tex., Oct. 1.—Railroads are co-operating with cattlemen in saving their herds in the drouth districts of Texas. Rains have been plentiful in the vicinity of El Paso, but in the Pecos, Colorado City and Odessa country rains have been scarce. Trains are rushed to these dry sections where cattle are dying, they are loaded and brought to the rainy districts where they are fed before shipping east.

Job work at the Courier.

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