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Local and Personal

Ralph Dean transacted business here Monday.

Found—A knit shawl. Inquire at this office.

Mrs. W. J. Freeman is seriously ill with measles.

Will Owen is strictly up-to-date this week—measels.

See the fine line of watches and jewelry at the Central Point Pharmacy.

R. B. Porter shipped a car of stock to his Yoncalla farm Monday.

Latest styles in frames and trimmings, new hats made to order or old ones made over by Mrs. Jacquemin.

James Caldwell returned yesterday morning from a trip to Condon.

Geo. Ross and Charlie Jeffers won the beef at yesterday's shooting match.

Lincoln Savage, school superintendent of Josephine county, was here yesterday.

Arthur Beal and family, of Junction, are here visiting his mother. They are enroute to Pasadena to spend the Winter.

Dr. E. Davis, dentist, will be in his Central Point office January 13th to 18th inclusive. Make your appointments early. 37d38

Your skin should be clear and bright if your liver is in normal condition. Dades Little Liver Pills act on the liver; and headache, constipation and biliousness disappear. Price 25 cents. Sold by Mary A. Mee.

The basket ball craze has struck Central Point and a team of winners are now practicing daily on the second floor of the Geo. Ross building.

Christian Science services are held every Sunday morning in the lodge room on the second floor of the opera house. All are cordially invited to attend these services. Subject for next Sunday, "God."

COOK WANTED—At Buzzard mine, on Elk Creek. \$35 a month and steady work. Address Jesse Applegate, Manager, Ashland, Oregon. Care C. W. Evans. 23tf

Geo. Fox received a message yesterday advising him of the death of a brother in California. Mr. Fox is himself still confined to his room.

LOST—Last Monday afternoon, between the Pankey home, in the north part of town, and the school house, a large, single shawl. Finder please return to Mrs. H. C. Cook or leave at this office. Reward.

G. T. Parsley is here from Klamath river, California, where he is engaged in mining. He is visiting with friends here for a few days.

It is a well known fact that persons living in the pine forests do not suffer from kidney diseases. One dose of Pineules at night usually relieves backache. 30 days' treatment \$1.00. Your money refunded if not satisfied. Sold by Mary A. Mee.

Word has been received here of the death of the wife and daughter of Dr. Lee, at Oakland, California, from bubonic plague. Dr. Lee is a brother of Booth Lee, of this city and formerly practiced medicine here.

MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTIONS—Before subscribing for your next year's magazines, either singly or in combination, see Guy Tex at the post office. He will save you the price of your stamp and money order and the trouble of writing. 33tf

BORN—Friday, December 27, 1907, to the wife of R. E. Murray, of this city, a 10-pound boy. The parents are both reported to be getting along nicely, but grand-dad Sam Murray, the man of the red "roof," is in danger of a relapse; at least this is Dr. Rawhouser's report.

YELLOW FIR LUMBER—I am now receiving large consignments of northern fir lumber, which I am selling at reasonable prices. Now is the time to buy while prices are at a low figure. Let me figure on your orders.—J. H. Gay. 34d35

W. E. Alexander arrived from Savonburg, Kansas, last week to join his family, who preceded him here several weeks ago, he having remained to close up his business affairs in the Sunflower state. Mr. Alexander has been engaged in the implement business in Kansas but for climatic reasons he disposed of his business and came here.

It comes put up in a collapsible tube with a nozzle, easy to apply to the soreness and inflammation, for any form of Piles; it soothes and relieves pain, itching and burning. Man Zan File Remedy. Price 50 cents. Guaranteed. Sold by Mary A. Mee.

Gustav Zimke, a recent arrival from Hood River, has purchased a 15-acre tract on the Neidemier place through the agency of the Central Point Real Estate Company. The consideration was \$100 per acre. Mr. Zimke will improve the place and put it to fruit.

This makes five families that Mr. Sanderson has located on small holdings on the Neidemier tract within the last few months.

In New Quarters.

The plant and office of the Central Point Herald has been removed from the old location opposite the post office to the new Ross building, next door to the Central Point Hotel. If an unusual number of shortcomings appear in this issue our readers are requested to attribute them to the general mixup of moving time instead of blaming it on the "devil" as is usually the case. While it will be a week or more before we are settled in the new shop, all our friends are advised that the latching is always out as before and you will be made most welcome when you call. Come in and see us. Now is the time to subscribe or to renew your subscription.

Mothers with little children need no longer fear croup, colds or whooping cough. Bees Laxative Cough Syrup tastes good. It works off the cold through the bowels, cuts the phlegm, clears the head. For young and old. Guaranteed. Secure a bottle at once. Sold by Mary A. Mee.

Dr. E. Davis, Dentist.

will be in his Central Point office on the following dates:

From Monday morning, January 13, 1908, to Saturday evening, Jan. 18th.

From Monday morning, February 10, to Saturday evening, February 15.

Watch for further announcements of later dates in these columns. 37tf

Don't worry about your kidneys when you can obtain 30 days' treatment of Pineules for \$1.00. These little globules bring relief in the first dose. Backache, Lumbago and Rheumatism yield quickly. If not satisfied your money refunded. This is a fair offer you can't lose. Sold by Mary A. Mee.

Notice to School Patrons.

Notice is hereby given that the public school of Central Point district will reopen January 6, 1908.

No pupil or pupils from a family in which any case of contagious disease exists will be allowed to attend school until the school board and the board of health are satisfied that no further danger of contagion exists or a certificate to that effect is furnished by the attending physician.

By order of the board,
W. E. PRICE,
Chairman.
Central Point, Ore., January 2, 1908.

To cure a cold first move the bowels. Bees Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently on the bowels, drives out the cold, clears the head. It's pleasant to take and mothers highly recommend it for colds, croup and whooping cough. Guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Equally good for young and old. Sold by Mary A. Mee.

Ashland Normal School.

The Southern Oregon State Normal School, at Ashland, offers especial opportunities for teachers to review for the teachers' examinations in February and August, and to take work in Pedagogy and in Special Methods of teaching in the various grades of the training school. Since the public schools of Oregon are calling for teachers who can teach Normal Training, many are taking advantage of the industrial work lately installed in the school. Expenses of board, lodging and tuition nominal.

The State Normal School at Ashland is enjoying the largest appropriation of state funds ever granted a Normal School in the history of Oregon.

Catalogues sent on application to the President. 37d41

The Price of Peace.

The terrible itching and smarting, incident to certain skin diseases, is almost instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Salve. Price, 25 cents. For sale by Mary A. Mee.

School Meeting.

At the annual school meeting held last Saturday for the purpose of voting a tax for school purposes there was a fair attendance of taxpayers. A six-mill tax was voted, it being shown that this amount will pay the running expenses of the school, pay an outstanding warrant of \$750 and redeem one of the \$1000 school house bonds. There are twelve of the school house bonds of \$1000 each drawing 5 per cent interest redeemable in 12 years or at the option of the district at any time within that period. If the people of the district so desire they can levy a tax at any time and redeem the entire series of bonds and stop the interest.

It was shown at the meeting Saturday that a levy of 18 mills at this time would wipe out the entire indebtedness of the district and pay all current expenses.

Date of Election Changed.

Because of the recent decision of Judge Cleland, in the State Circuit Court for Multnomah County regarding the validity of certain amendments to the city charter of Portland, the date of the charter election in Central Point has been changed from the 4th day of February to the 25th day of the same month.

Judge Cleland's decision was regarding the constitutionality of the law passed by the last legislature giving city councils and town boards of trustees the right to propose amendments to the charter of their city or town "with or without an initiative petition." His decision was that the law is unconstitutional. The case has been appealed to the supreme court for final settlement.

The proposed amendments to the charter of Central Point were proposed by the town board, without an initiative petition, and upon learning of Judge Cleland's decision the Board decided not to take any chances on the supreme court reversing him and at once called a meeting and by resolutions revoked the former action in submitting the charter and calling an election. The charter was then turned over to citizens, who prepared the proper initiative petition and secured the necessary signatures. A meeting of the Board was then called for last Thursday evening, when the charter proposition was again submitted and the date of election was fixed on the 25th day of February, 1908.

When the charter was first submitted the boundary lines were left as they now are and included a large area of farm and orchard lands on the south and west of town which, as a matter of right and justice to the owners, should not be within the incorporation, and before the charter was resubmitted by initiative petition certain changes in the boundaries were made which not only cut out the orchards and alfalfa farms, but also eliminate from the city streets something like two miles of county roads and three bridges which are now more or less of a burden on the town to keep in repair. It is estimated that the amount of tax received from the property which is eliminated by the change does not amount to the cost of keeping up the roads and bridges which are thus set outside of the incorporation.

It is claimed that indigestion is the National disease. That's why the demand for Rings Dyspepsia Tablets keeps increasing because they do the work. Stomach trouble, dyspepsia, indigestion, bloating, etc., yield quickly. Two days' treatment free. Ask your druggist about them. Sold by Mary A. Mee.

Clubbed and Robbed in Medford.

J. W. Lawton, a well known citizen of Medford, was knocked down and robbed in his own dooryard last Sunday evening, the footpad securing \$25 and a gold watch for his pains. Lawton was returning from the business part of town and, to avoid the mud in the principal streets, took the alley route to his back gate. As he was entering the yard he was struck down with a club and robbed. A hobo was arrested later and though he had nothing on his person belonging to Mr. Lawton he had mud on his shoes corresponding with the mud in Lawton's alley and he was held for further examination.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS—The finest and most complete line of watches and jewelry ever brought to Central Point is now on display at the Central Point Pharmacy. The line includes rings, charms, pins, bracelets and many other beautiful articles and is just what you should see in making your choice of Christmas presents.

Table Rockets

Miss Alice French is spending the holidays with relatives in Ashland, our school having taken a vacation of two weeks.

Mrs. E. O. Bissell's Sunday school class presented her with a nice Christmas present as a token of their regards.

We had no public Christmas tree this year, but Santa Claus came to see us all the same and remembered the good youngsters as usual.

Rogue River went on its annual Winter tear twice recently and cut us off from going to town.

Messrs. Sturgis and Mayfield, of the Meadows, made a short visit here last Saturday.

Ben Little, not having a boat, was unable to bring our mail last Monday.

Judge Hanna's decision in the case of the Irrigation Ditch Co. vs. J. G. Morrison was in favor of the plaintiff, but as it is reported that an appeal will be taken it seems the end is not yet, which is good news for the lawyers.

Death of W. C. Caldwell.

A telegram was received here last Thursday from Condon announcing the death of William C. Caldwell, of that city, which occurred on Christmas morning. The message was sent Wednesday but for some reason was delayed in transmission 24 hours. James and Stephen Caldwell, of this place, brothers of the deceased, left immediately for Condon, but from word received from them they did not arrive in time for the funeral, which was held Thursday afternoon. A particularly sad feature of the death to his aged mother, sister and brothers, who reside here, is that they expected him to arrive here on Christmas day to make them a visit and had prepared a Christmas dinner in his honor. Instead of the son and brother a letter came from his wife telling of his sudden illness, and next day came the message announcing his death. Besides his mother, sister and three brothers, who reside here, deceased leaves a widow and several children to mourn his loss. He was a respected citizen of Condon and was one of the charter members of the Knights of Pythias lodge of that city. The funeral services were conducted by the local members of that order.

Methodist Church Services.

Preaching services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and every other Sunday evening at 7:30.

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10:00.

Epworth League at 6:45 every Sunday evening.

Junior Epworth League at 3 p. m. every Sunday.

Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7:30.

Do you know that Pinesalve Carbolicized acts like a poultice in drawing out inflammation and poison? It is anti-septic. For cuts, burns, eczema, cracked hands it is immediate relief. 25 cts. Sold by Mary A. Mee.

Livestock Insurance.

The National Livestock Insurance Association of Portland, Oregon, insuring livestock against death from any cause. Our rates are right. Investigate us. We make no promises we cannot fulfill. For further particulars, inquire of G. L. Neale, agent, Central Point, Oregon. 20tf

Bad Stomach Trouble Cured.

Having been sick for the past two years with a bad stomach trouble, a friend gave me a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They did me so much good that I bought a bottle of them and have used twelve bottles in all. Today I am well of a bad stomach trouble.—MRS. JOHN LOWE, Cooper, Maine. These tablets are for sale by Mary A. Mee.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

I have in my pasture, taken up about August 24, 1907, one two-year-old light red bull, showing underbit and swallow-fork on the left ear. The owner should come forward, pay charges and take animal away or it will be advertised and sold according to law.

A. CALEY,
Call on Edmund March at the Cooksey arm, Central Point, Oregon. 33d37

Confessions of a Poacher.

It's grand sport, mister, the method of bringing "grass" to hand, but in my humble opinion it pales to the utmost insignificance when compared with ferreting rabbits with pocket nets over their holes on a moonlit night. The quiet, stealthy advance of the ferret, the rumble of the rabbits underground sounding like distant thunder, their silent dash for liberty, with terror writ large in their bulging eyes, add of a nighttime a weirdness to the sport of which a man with the slightest touch of romance in his nature never tires of sipping.—Fry's Magazine.

Looking, but Not Seeing.

This might make a good evening's game. Describe the conductor who examined your tickets on the train; describe the parlor maid who served the coffee around. You will find in the answers a dozen conductors and more parlor maids that can be obtained in a London square. They tried it once in France. A man arrayed in extraordinary dress and made up for the part passed through the school of detectives. The candidates were asked to give his description. And every one of them differed from every other.—London Chronicle.

What is Defilement in India.

In every native house in India there is a shrine in which the household gods are placed, like the icon in a Russian house. The very shadow of a European or native of a different caste passing over these or the culinary utensils of the family is a defilement, in the belief of the people, an outrageous desecration, calculated to call down on the family the wrath of the gods and only to be atoned by rigid pnyascht (penance) and the administration of the panch gavya, a foul pill composed of the five products of the cow.

Business Pointers.

When you are in Medford drop in at "Weary's" for good liquors, cool beer and a good lunch. 21tf

See Findlay's pictures at the post office before you buy your Christmas presents. 32d36

I have on hand a car load of first-class blacksmith coal and am prepared to supply the trade in that line.—W. E. Price, Central Point. 21tf

Wood is the same as money this year so you had better see W. C. Leever about a Cole's Airtight Heater. Save their cost in one season. 24tf

A full line of the new school books will be found at the Central Point Pharmacy, where the old books are taken in exchange at the prescribed exchange prices.

Laundry Work—Leave your package at W. C. Leever's hardware store for Peil's new laundry at Medford. Satisfaction guaranteed. We expect to put a wagon on the Central Point route within a few weeks. 10tf

"Better than Shingles or Tin"—Rex Flintkote roofing is better than either shingles or tin. In fact, it is the best house covering made. If you are building be sure and investigate "Flintkote" before contracting for your roofing. For sale by W. C. Leever. 50tf

CENTRAL POINT

is the center of one of the best

ORCHARD DISTRICTS

in the Rogue River Valley and realizing the importance of being in close touch with the situation the

ROGUE RIVER LAND COMPANY

has installed a branch office at Central Point, in the Herald office, with Mr. W. E. Kahler, a native-born citizen of the valley, and a gentleman who has given much thought and study to the orchards of the valley, in charge.

Call on him for reliable information regarding the merits of any lands in the valley and especially of the orchard lands near Central Point and you will get the best lands in the valley if you invest.

THE NEW YEAR 1908

Finds us still doing business at the Old Stand.

Altho' our stock shows the effect of the Holiday rush, we are not "closing out at less than cost," but we are still giving our customers rattling good everyday bargains.

OUR PLAN.

No occasional "cut rate" sales with inflated prices the rest of the year, but just common, every day BARGAINS.

That's why our business and crowd of customers continues to grow.

Cranfill & Robnett.

Central Point State Bank

Central Point, Ore.

TRANSACTS A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS

DIRECTORS—J. W. Merritt, President; W. C. Leever, Vice-President; T. M. Witten, Cashier; I. C. Robnett, W. J. Freeman.

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