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Local and Personal

D. W. Knutzen of Applegate is here visiting relatives.

Miss Myra Askew, of Sams valley, visited friends here last week.

Mr. Altimus returned Tuesday from a short business trip to Portland.

Central Point has been as wet as any town the past week or two in spite of prohibition.

Tom Kinney and Judge Prim, of Jacksonville were in town on business last Thursday.

When in Medford, go to the Emerick for your dinner. W. E. Johnson, proprietor.

W. H. Norcross' family have moved to town and are occupying the Merritt house on Front street.

T. M. Jones visited Jacksonville last Saturday evening, where he installed the officers of the Odd Fellows lodge.

Dr. E. Davis, the dentist, will be in his Central Point office from February 8th to 13th.

A special train bearing a big delegation of Walla Walla excursionists bound for Southern California passed through here Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. McDonough, of Ashland, died at her home in that city Friday evening of last week. The funeral was held Sunday.

Remember the dates for Dr. Davis, the dentist, Central Point, February 8 to 13th.

FOR SALE—Pure blood White Wyandott cockerels. Inquire of J. E. Hesselgrave, 1 mile north of Central Point.

L. C. Robnett, of this city, was one of the members of a large class of applicants who took the Scottish Rite degree in Masonry at Portland last week.

The flood blockade in California was broken Saturday, and Sunday afternoon four long passenger trains closely followed each other through here bound north.

C. S. Newhall took out a heating furnace for his new bungalow now in course of construction on the Jacksonville road, two miles south of town, the first of the week.

The latest member of the President's Annapolis club is named McHarg. He is credited with Chicago as his abiding place and Oregon as the latest mark for his political activities.

Jenkins Hains, recently acquitted of the charge of killing Annis, announces, since the acquittal, that he will write a book. Had the jury known this sooner the verdict might have been different.

The Presbyterian Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Kyle on Wednesday afternoon, January 27th. Both the December and January topics will be taken up.—Mrs. Elizabeth Tompkins, Secretary.

Geo. J. Weaver, of Canonsburg, Pa., is in the valley looking for a location and will probably bring his family here in the Spring. Mr. Weaver was in town Sunday and was highly pleased with the town and surroundings.

FOR SALE—Good cold apples all kinds, apple cider, cider vinegar, Winter Nellis pears. Delivered to all Central Point on order. Old Leever ranch, two miles west from Central Point.—A. J. Dunlap.

Thirty-five dollars for lots in manufacturing coast city of 2500 people and \$100,000 monthly pay roll, near beautiful bathing beach.—The Oregon Co., 305 Wells-Fargo Building, Portland, Oregon.

NOTICE—All persons wishing to have their eyes correctly attended to will please leave word at the Eagle Pharmacy, Medford, for Dr. E. J. Bonner who will call at their house and give them satisfactory attention.

George Obenchain, who lost a saddle on the road between his place and the Hanson farm and advertised the loss in the Herald, reports that he has recovered the same as a direct result of the ad. "It pays to advertise," quoth George.

FOR SALE—Our entire herd of fine Jersey dairy cows, nearly all to be fresh in about 30 days. Will sell one or more, to suit; also 5 yearlings, 10 calves and 8 sheats. Can be seen at the Hensley place, near Central Point. Call on or address Marshall & Sons, Central Point, Oregon.

The initial number of the Rogue River Fruit Grower, published by Charles Meserve, of Medford, has made its appearance. As the name implies, the publication is devoted to the fruit industry of the valley, and the first number gives promise of the paper being a most valuable addition to its class of journals now published in different sections of the country. Mr. Meserve is a newspaper man of many years' experience, and a deep interest in, and close study of, the fruit industry makes him particularly fitted to undertake the publication of such a journal.

WILL ADDRESS "AGRIC" STUDENTS

H. T. Pankey Will Instruct Young Ideas at the State School. General Orcharding His Topic. Central Point Instructs the State in Horticulture.

Football Team are Guests

One of the most pleasant social events of the winter was that at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Farra last Thursday evening, when the Central Point football team were the guests of honor at an oyster supper, of which Hon. J. W. Merritt and Tyson Beall were joint hosts with Mr. and Mrs. Farra.

The supper was planned as a fitting recognition of the prowess of the Central Point squad on the gridiron, with special reference to what they did to Ashland and Glendale as the occasion arose.

The evening was passed very pleasantly, and it fell to the lot of Clark and Pankey to eat a few dishes of oysters in remembrance of the missing links of the football team. Monk got away with five dishes, Tom with four. Monk was cautioned not to turn any flip-flops, as it might influence the oyster market, up or down. A most pleasant time was enjoyed by all. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Pankey, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hathaway, "Monk" Clark, "Toots" Ross, "Sandy" Sanderson, Harry Beal, Harry Caton, James Cornutt, Harley Welch, Homer Peart, Bill Ferguson, Bill Scott and Geo. Ford.

Steel Does Good Work

Will G. Steel, who is in Washington, D. C., in connection with the securing of an appropriation with which to construct the Crater lake road, has found time to urge upon the authorities the advisability of having Dr. Evermann of the bureau of fisheries visit the Rogue River valley next summer and spend some time locally to examine the different streams of this section with reference to their adaptability to fish life. He has taken the matter up with the different authorities as is shown by his letter, which in part reads:

"Today I have had matters up with Fulton and Dr. Evermann, and feel sure of getting the doctor assigned to the Rogue River valley about August. If we succeed in having the trip ordered, Dr. Evermann will take one assistant with him, and it will be necessary to provide supplies for two weeks, together with team, camp outfit and a man to drive and cook. To do this it will, of course, be necessary to raise funds by subscription, and you may count me in. I will also take entire care of him while in the Crater Lake national park. He will probably spend a month altogether in the work, but will only need the above outfit about half that time.

"It is important that the association take up the matter at once in a communication to Fulton, supporting my work. I think, too, it would be a good idea to send an invitation direct to Evermann, assuring him of our willingness to care for him and his assistant."

J. E. Enyart for the club has written to Senator Fulton and to Dr. Evermann as Mr. Steel suggested, so it is probable that Dr. Evermann will visit the Rogue this summer.

The Central Point Band.

Central Point has a well organized cornet band, every member of which is a talented musician. The boys have only been practicing a couple of weeks and those who have been present at their meetings are all of one opinion, viz: The Central Point band is O. K.

Herron.

Mrs. Eliza Jane Herron, recently from La Fayette, Ind., and who was visiting at the home of her son-in-law, O. O. Parker, southeast of this place, died Sunday, January 17, 1909, aged 60 years and nine days.

Deceased was born in Cincinnati, Ohio, but had resided for some time at La Fayette. Five children survive her. They are: Mrs. A. H. Grossman, of Hillyard, Wash.; Mrs. O. O. Parker, of Medford, Ore.; Mrs. A. J. Kalinowski, of Pueblo, Colo.; Mrs. Wm. Rope, of Indianapolis, Ind.; and Edward Herron, of Indianapolis. She was a member of the U. B. church, of La Fayette.

The funeral was held Tuesday, the services being conducted by Rev. K. H. Siekafoose, pastor of the First Christian church of this city, interment being in the Central Point cemetery.

The P. & E. R. R. has at last entered the class of real railroads. It had a real wreck last week and as a result the mail is being carried to Eagle Point by means of a real old horse and real, rickety wagon. The fact of the P. & E. being a railroad is real nice, but the benefit of the upper country mail service and passenger trade over the old-time, first-class stage line from Central Point is decidedly problematical.

H. T. Pankey, the capable superintendent of the Snowy Butte orchards, will leave today for Portland and other Willamette valley points, where he will remain for several days. During his trip north Mr. Pankey will visit the Oregon Agricultural College at Corvallis, where he has been invited to deliver an address tomorrow (Friday) evening before the short course class in horticulture in that institution. His subject on this occasion will be on general orchard topics, and it may be said that, because of his long experience in, and close study of, scientific fruit growing on a commercial basis, but few men in the state are so well qualified to discuss this important subject before a body of intelligent men who are studying the subject for practical purposes. On a previous occasion Mr. Pankey has been invited to give his views on horticulture before this class, but at that time the program provided only for short, impromptu talks following an introduction by one of the faculty. On this occasion, however, it is understood that Mr. Pankey will make the principal address of the evening in the college assembly hall.

New Theater for Central Point

Central Point is to have a new electric theater, Bish & Larkin having secured a lease on the Albert building, adjoining the Central Point Pharmacy, and are now having the place remodeled and made ready for the new business. The building will be thoroughly renovated and will furnish seating capacity for about 150 persons. The show will be strictly up-to-date and will be the equal in merit of any similar shows in the larger towns of the country. The managers expect to have the new play house ready for opening within the next ten days.

G. A. R. Installation

Members of the local G. A. R. Post held a meeting last Saturday, when the following comrades were duly installed into office for the coming year: S. M. Nealon, Commander; John Wright, S. V.; M. Clark, J. V.; C. W. Vanderpool, Sergeant; J. W. Hicks, Adj.; W. P. Twomey, Chaplain; H. J. Gardner, Q. M.; G. H. Perkins, O. D.; J. D. Pankey, O. G.

On Jury List.

The following citizens of this precinct have been placed on the jury list for the present year:

Tyson Beal, farmer; T. J. O'Hara, farmer; Geo. Fox, farmer; F. M. Amy, farmer; Wm. Kahler, farmer; Isaac Merriman, farmer; L. Thompson, farmer; J. W. Jacobs, mechanic; M. P. Welch, farmer; James Shields, farmer; Henry H. Head, farmer.

HOMER DAVENPORT

IS THE best known (in a world wide sense) of any living native Oregonian. He is the greatest cartoonist of the age, and for pure and native humor his peer has not been known since the days of Artemus Ward. In the January number of HUMAN LIFE, the Brightest and Best Magazine About People now published, Mr. Davenport commences a series of articles about his own boyhood days at Silverton, Oregon, entitled "The Diary of a Country Boy," which will run through the entire year.

In these articles, which are illustrated by Mr. Davenport's own drawings, he tells the simple story of his early days on an Oregon farm, from the time the family left the farm and moved to Silverton and on to the time of his real triumph as a great cartoonist at San Francisco.

In addition to the Davenport articles HUMAN LIFE is replete with timely and interesting articles every month about people who are just then in the public eye.

By a special arrangement the Herald is enabled to make the extraordinary offer of supplying HUMAN LIFE for a full year to every paid-in-advance subscriber to the Herald absolutely free, \$1.50, the regular price of the Herald, giving you both papers for one year.

A supply of the January number of HUMAN LIFE will be available at the Herald office within a few days, which may be had free by all who would like to see the magazine before subscribing. —\$1.50 for the Herald and HUMAN LIFE for one year.

New Telephone Company Organizes

At a meeting of representatives of all the different telephone companies coming into this town from the rural districts held last Friday it was decided to consolidate the different interests and to install a mutual telephone service, with a central office and switchboard for all the companies. R. C. Washburn, of the Table Rock line, was chosen as president of the new organization and W. J. Freeman was elected secretary.

It was decided to install a new switchboard of 30-drop capacity and to repair and improve the lines as rapidly as possible. The plan is to levy assessments to meet the running expenses of the company, which will include the services of an operator in the central station and other current expenses.

I. F. Williams was employed as manager of the central office, he agreeing to furnish office room, fuel, lights and attendance for \$30 per month and to maintain a first-class, 14-hour-a-day service.

There are now some 50 phones connected with this exchange, and a new line just completed from Trail and one from Willow Springs, which will soon be completed, will add a large number of additional phones. The company expects to give first-class service to all patrons at the actual cost of operation.

W. R. C. Install Officers

W. H. Harrison, W. R. C., No. 27, held installation of officers for the ensuing year last Saturday, joint with the W. H. Harrison Post. The following officers were installed:

Mary A. Mee, President; Mrs. S. E. Beal, S. V. Pres.; Mrs. E. Rostel, J. V. Pres.; Mrs. Rebecca Hicks, Sec.; Mrs. Melissa Elliott, Treas.; Mrs. Melissa Purkeypile, Chaplain; Mrs. Jeanette Twomey, Guard; Mrs. Louisa Kelsey, Con.; Mrs. Anna Wright, Mrs. Ida Gillett, Mrs. Della Applegate and Mrs. Lula Terry, Color Bearers.

Rogue River Apples 10 Cents Each

W. H. French has received a letter from C. L. Leavitt, of Boston, who is planning a trip here, in which he says that D'Anjou pears from the Rogue River valley retailed at 5 cents each in Boston and that he had been paying 10 cents each for Spitzenburgh and Newtown apples from here. "They come high, but the people want them," states Mr. Leavitt.—Medford Tribune.

Trespass notices, printed on cloth, for sale at this office. 50 cents per dozen.

CHAMBERLAIN IS SENATOR

Elected on First Ballot. Opposition Went to Pieces Early in Game and the Statement Oners Have Things Their Own Way

SALEM, Or., Jan. 19.—George E. Chamberlain is now United States senator from Oregon. Each house voted separately. On total, Chamberlain had 53, Cate 17, R. S. Bean (Rep.) 1. The senate gave Chamberlain 19, Cate 3, Fulton 7, Bean 1. The house gave Chamberlain 34, Cate 14, Fulton 12. Bean voted for Scott, publisher of the Portland Oregonian, but changed his vote to Fulton.

In both houses Chamberlain had a majority of eight, or seven more than the needed 46 necessary to elect. The only hope for the opposition now rests in a remonstrance to be filed by Senators Fulton, Ormsby, McHare and others with the credentials committee of the United States senate. This will declare that the members voted under protest. All Statement No. 1 men lived up to their promises in the balloting. Senator Kay of Marion county, Representative Muncy, unpledged, cast votes for Chamberlain. A number of Statement men in the house entered a protest with the vote. One of these was Barrett of Umatilla.

Brady was another. In a long speech Davis explained his vote. Mahon charged fraud in registration, but said that he worked for the primary law and would cast a vote for Chamberlain. Muncy said that he voted for Chamberlain because his constituents instructed him.

Every bit of available space was occupied by visitors. In some instances prominent men were seated with legislators. Each vote cast for Chamberlain was received with cheers.

Fulton was applauded once, while Representative McCue was speaking.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 19.—Governor George E. Chamberlain was at high noon today elected to the United States senate on the first ballot. His full strength was cast for him—53 votes. Tomorrow in joint assembly the two houses will formally confirm his election.

Thus ended the bitter fight waged by the Fulton men against the people's will, who in last June, elected to represent them a majority of men pledged to cast their votes for the man receiving the largest number of votes in popular election. George E. Chamberlain as senator stands as the answer to a national query: "What is the value of a politician's promise to his constituents?"

Many Congratulations Received. Throughout the morning Governor Chamberlain was the recipient of messages of congratulation, although the vote was not taken until noon. All opposition vanished early as the anti-Statement No. 1 men lacked eight votes to win, with no chance of obtaining them. Chamberlain's office was thronged with callers, all greeting the governor as "senator."

The opponents to Chamberlain practically acknowledged defeat early this morning. Ormsby McHarg of Chicago, Clyde Fulton, Senator Fulton's brother, and National Committeeman Williams were conferring until 2 o'clock this morning, devising and planning for the defeat of Chamberlain, but finally gave up in despair.

Chamberlain will assume his new duties as senator on March 4, 1909, when Senator Fulton's term expires.

Jones in Washington.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 19.—Wesley L. Jones was today elected United States senator from Washington on the first ballot. At a joint session tomorrow the legislature will confirm the election.

Other States.

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 19.—Overman has been re-elected United States senator from this state.

DENVER, Col., Jan. 19.—The two houses of the legislature today separately cast a majority of votes for Charles G. Hughes, Jr., of Denver to succeed Senator Teller. Tomorrow in joint assembly this election will be confirmed.

ALBANY, Jan. 19.—The legislature today gave Elihu Root the necessary majority for his election to the senate to succeed Tom Platt. He will be formally elected tomorrow.

Old newspapers for sale at the Herald office. Bundle of twenty-five for 5 cents.

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