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MEN'S SHOE SALE IN THE BASEMENT

NEWS FROM THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE

WARRANTY DEEDS.

Neil M. Bain to Anna Riggs, July 29, 1916, lands in block 9 in city of Harrisburg, \$1.

Anna Riggs and husband to Neil M. Bain, July 3, 1916, lands in block 9 in city of Harrisburg, \$1.

John W. Watson to William A. Harrison, July 10, 1916, lands in township 13 south, range 3 west, \$175.

Sarah A. Swager to Wright-Blodgett Company, July 10, 1916, lands in Section 30, township 11 south, range 4 east, \$10.

L. H. Briggs and wife to Joseph McHargue and wife, June 10, 1916, lands in Alexander Kirk addition to Brownsville, \$10.

W. W. Paine and wife to Edward E. Paine, July 7, 1916, lands in Claim 40, township 11 south, range 1 east, \$3160.

Charles P. Ohling and wife to Geo. C. Richards, July 8, 1916, lands in block 80, Monteth's Southern addition, Albany, \$10.

Elmer L. Coyle and wife to James Powell, July 7, 1916, lands in township 12 south, range 1 west, \$200.

Edward Holland and wife to James Blevins, July 6, 1916, lands in Claim 37, township 14 south, range 3 west, \$10.

D. Hurley and wife to Dan Erb and wife, July 11, 1916, lands in Claim 51, township 11 south, range 3 west, \$1,000.

Santiam Fruit Colony, Inc., to Axel Ryberg, November, 1914, lands in Santiam Fruit Colony, \$3000.

Quit-Claim Deed.

C. H. Prochnow to Mary Prochnow, June 21, 1916, lands in block 60, in city of Albany, \$1.

KNOX BUTTE NEWS AND PERSONALS

Mrs. Harold Townes and son, Mrs. Percival and daughter, all of Portland are visiting this week with Mrs. Maria Miller.

F. L. Miller returned to Corvallis Wednesday.

Rev. Diven, of Grace Presbyterian church of Albany, preached at the Knox Butte school house on Sunday afternoon.

The Birthday Club was entertained at the home of Miss Margaret Geisenfelder on Wednesday afternoon. The ladies spent the time in social conversation, after which the hostess served

light refreshments. Those present were Mesdames William Lucht, J. Burkhardt, G. Ohrist, Valier, G. Reed, J. Landers, W. C. Jackson, G. Richards, J. Machugh, Carl Miller, William Carey, T. Dickson, Misses Landers, Agnes Dickson, Dora Dickson, Rachel Lines and Alta Smith.

Mrs. P. B. Marshall entertained the Sunshine Circle at her home on Thursday afternoon. A very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed, after which a delicious luncheon was served. Those present were Mesdames Burrell, Cox, Copeland, Martin, Mills, McBride, Carl Miller, Mose Miller, O. B. Marshall, Smith, Stewart, Wallace, Misses Ruth Marshall, Gladys Smith and Hazel Wallace.

Bruce Kellogg of Eugene visited over Sunday at the E. B. Wallace home.

Leo Stewart of Woodlawn, Washington, visited over the week end with his brother, Roy Stewart.

PERSONAL MENTION FROM VERDURE.

The Ladies Missionary Society of the Oakville church met at the home of Mrs. Victor Yates July 6. A very interesting meeting was held, led by Mrs. Wilson. In the business part of the meeting Mrs. Spaulding resigned as treasurer and Mrs. Stockton was elected to serve out her term of office. At the close dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. Additional guests were: Mrs. Harry Wilkins and family, of Albany, and Mrs. Swank and Miss Gertrude Swank, of Tallman.

A number of our young people are availing themselves of the opportunities offered by the summer schools in various towns. Mr. and Mrs. Gary Thompson are at O. A. C.; Edwin Brown at Monmouth; Clarence Eagy at Eugene, and Miss Erna Watchendorf at Portland.

The last of June Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of South Dakota, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham. Also Mr. and Mrs. Marfit and family, of Spokane, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Wilson.

The parent-teachers associations met at the school house July 11. Although the attendance was small a profitable meeting was held.

Returned From East—

Mrs. W. H. Holman returned yesterday noon from her eastern trip, after an absence of several months.

FERTILE TASMANIA.

Nicknames Applied to the One Time Convict Settlement.

"Tasmania is perhaps the most interesting of the states of our commonwealth," remarked the Australian. "It is a large triangular island lying to the south of Melbourne and was once a convict settlement."

"The climate is delightful and the soil remarkably fertile. The island is practically one large orchard. As fruit trees do not require much tending, leisure is a notable characteristic of the inhabitants, and Tasmania is known throughout the antipodes as 'the land of lots of time' or 'the land of sleep a lot.' It is also called 'the jam country' and its natives familiarly termed 'jam eaters.' This is on account of the presence of an enormous cannery on the island, where some of the orchard products are converted into jams, jellies and preserved fruits."

"But this by no means ends the list of Tasmanian nicknames. Two Dutch explorers, Tasman and Van Dieman, had to do with the discovery of the island, and although the name Tasmania is now used, it is often referred to in old schoolbooks as Van Dieman's Land. We find it amusing to twist the latter name a bit and call the Tasmanians 'demons,' which is a shame, as they are the mildest and best fellows in the world. They speak of themselves as 'Tasloes,' and that may be accepted as their unofficial designation."

THE HOUSE A BIRD BUILDS.

A Hammerhead's Nest Has Three Rooms, All Big and Strong. No single room apartment satisfies the hammerhead. When he builds his nest he divides it into three rooms—a reception hall, a drawing room and a bedroom.

The entire structure is built of sticks, dome shape, and sometimes six feet in diameter. The bird is so good a carpenter and engineer that the nest will bear the weight of a man.

In appearance the bird looks always as if he needed a haircut. His long locks, hanging down his neck, have given him his name, hammerhead.

The entrance to this domelike nest is small and on the concealed side. The first room is the hall, where the hammerhead lives when he fears attack. Behind this is the drawing room, the home of the young birds when they outgrow the bedroom.

The bedroom is higher than the rest and safe from floods. Here the female bird deposits eggs on a nest of leaves, and both parents take turns at keeping them warm.

The hammerhead lives in Africa, usually builds his nest near a stream and eats fish, frogs, lizards and small snakes. —Philadelphia North American.

The Word "Chap."

"Chap" is simply an abbreviation of chapman, the merchant of former days, and is derived from the Anglo-Saxon "cheap," a bargain. The word almost brings before us the loud voiced "cheap Jack" as he cries his wares in the cheapening or market. Chap seems to have come into common use at the end of the sixteenth century and is rarely mentioned in books before 1700. Johnson does not recognize it, though Steele uses it in 1712 in the Spectator ("If you want to sell, here is your chap"), and it is found in Bailey's Dictionary, 1781. Its original meaning of a buyer or seller still lingers in the dialects of many counties. Coupled with the adjectives old, young, little, poor, it was and is used in familiar language, as in its relative, a queer "customer." Todd, 1818, affirms that a good chap meant one to whom credit might be given, whereas not qualified by good it was a term of contempt. —London Standard.

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CITY NEWS

Newspaper Man—

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Ash, who are packing their belongings, are preparing to move to Pendleton, where Mr. Ash is buying an interest in the Pendleton Tribune, an influential eastern Oregon daily newspaper. Mr. Ash is buying the paper in partnership with three other newspaper men and they expect to take hold of the plant within the next two weeks. The Pendleton country offers a good field for a live newspaper and the Tribune has a well-established clientele. Mr. and Mrs. Ash expect to leave within the next week. —Marshfield Record. Mr. Ash is a former reporter on the Democrat.

Baltimore Paper—

The Democrat appreciates copies of the Baltimore American, sent by W. M. Parker, of this city, who is in Baltimore attending the supreme lodge of Elks. Full accounts of the convention appear, also numerous things on the arrival of the Deutschland.

Finnerties—

Prof. G. E. Finnerty, principal of the Junior high school, left yesterday for Cottage Grove, where he will spend a few days, when he will be joined by Mrs. Finnerty and they will go to Grants Pass to spend the remainder of the vacation season, at the home of Mrs. Finnerty's folks, picking peaches, etc.

Holmes Here—

Mark Holmes, a prominent Oregon Democratic politician and good fellow, now of Portland, formerly of Polk county, was in the city Saturday afternoon.

Union Services—

Beginning next Sunday evening the churches of the city will unite for a month in union services, holding them in the city park, at Fifth and Broad-albin street, when the weather permits, at other times in the different churches. M. E. Kees will be the first speaker. Dr. Geselbracht will preach Sunday evening in the Evangelical church.

On Vacation—

Rev. James Moore and family left today for Greenburg, near Portland, where they will spend their vacation. Rev. Sherwood, of Salem, will preach mornings during Rev. Moore's absence.

FAMOUS STORY OF VIRGINIA.

"The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," in which Charlotte Walker is to appear in her famous role of "June" at the Globe tonight is one of the most recent and best Lasky productions and is staged under the personal direction of Cecil B. de Mille, director-general, who has maintained throughout the picture the wonderful atmosphere of the Cumberland mountains and the peculiar characteristics of the mountaineers of that remote region.

The story has to do with the love between the beautiful daughter of the leader of the illegal whiskey makers and a young revenue officer who has been sent to the mountains to secure the arrest of the father.

In the cast supporting Miss Walker are Theodore Roberts, Thomas Meighan, Earl Fox, Park Jones and other members of the Lasky all-star company.

TRAMPS THE BANE OF CITIES IN SOUTH

Campaign Is Begun to Prevent
"Passing On" Hoboes.

MAYORS SEEK TO END EVIL

Scheme Is Evolved Providing For Free Transportation For Transient Poor by Municipalities Provided the Poor Have Relatives, a Job or Other Definite Means of Support.

How the south is planning to prevent the "passing on" of tramps from one city to another, as has been done now for many years, is told in an article sent out by the Survey press service. It is explained that because of this "passing on" policy conditions in a number of cities and towns were becoming unendurable, and at the same time no relief was being given for the evil.

A long step forward in the handling of charitable transportation of tramps and other nonresident poor in seven southeastern states was taken at a convention in Jacksonville, Fla., called by Mayor J. E. T. Bowden of that city. More than 100 mayors and another hundred delegates, representing nearly 150 cities in Florida, Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi, Louisiana, North Carolina and South Carolina, discussed the "passing on" evil and adopted a model ordinance to solve the problem. Each delegate was pledged to do all in his power to secure the passing of the ordinance in his home city. The complete proceedings of the convention, with a copy of the ordinance, will be sent to more than 500 cities.

Passing It On.

The "passing on" evil has for many years been a problem of particular significance in the south. The mild climate has been partially responsible for the presence of many wandering tramps and "tramp families," and their increase has been encouraged by slipshod methods of issuing free transportation. A few charitable organizations with modern methods have worked under the transportation rules as drawn up by the national conference of charities and correction in 1903. The city of Atlanta, Ga., signed these rules by ordinance in 1909.

But most of the municipalities and smaller relief organizations continued to get rid of their visiting poor by buying them tickets to the next town or the nearest large city—the old familiar method of "passing on." And so the dismal round continued, growing ever worse. Towns and cities became burdened with an increasing number of wandering dependents, who suffered increasing hardship and pauperism from the system. In some communities, due to their geographical position, the conditions became unendurable. Jacksonville, so situated as to be the gateway of Florida, was one of these. Nearly a year ago Barry C. Smith, then secretary of the associated charities in that city, determined that some local action must be taken, and perhaps the co-operation of the entire south be obtained.

As an initial step an ordinance was drawn up and laid before the mayor and city council. No action was taken, but Mayor Bowden showed an earnest interest.

Tramps Trooped In.

Tramp family after tramp family drifted into the city, and the Associated Charities kept the mayor constantly in touch with these concrete instances. Photographs were taken of some of the worst types, reports were secured from other cities and definite proofs of the sending of such dependents to Jacksonville by other cities were secured. Mayor Bowden became convinced that what was true of Jacksonville must be true of other cities and that the remedy lay in the co-operative action of the entire south. Obviously each city on this plan received about as many poor as it sent elsewhere, and there was a great waste of money in shipping folks aimlessly back and forth. The call for the convention followed. The ordinance follows:

"A bill to be entitled an ordinance for the regulation of the transportation of the indigent poor. Be it ordained by the mayor and city council of the city of — that the mayor is hereby directed and authorized to sign for and in the name of the city of — the rules concerning free transportation and charity rates, which have been published by the committee on charitable transportation appointed by the national conference of charities and correction, which said rules are as follows:

Then follows the transportation rules, which provide, chiefly, (1) that free or charity rate transportation be issued only on satisfactory proof that the applicant has at the point of destination (a) legal residence or (b) employment or other definite means of support, or (c) friends or relatives who will agree to provide for him; (2) that such transportation shall be clear through to point of destination, thus prohibiting "passing on" entirely, and (3) that each signer shall co-operate with each other to prevent the aimless sending of dependents about the country.

Mexican Mules In Europe.

Mexican mules brought to England for transport work stood all the rigors of military wear until the frost came, but now "they shiver like lap dogs."

IRVIN R. SCHULTZ, CANDI- DATE FOR LEGISLATURE



I AM A BUSINESS MAN. IF YOU WANT A POLITICIAN, DON'T VOTE FOR ME.

In presenting my name as a candidate for the legislature before the voters of Linn county, I do so as a plain, every-day business man. What Oregon needs is a business administration, which can only be administered by a legislature composed of sound business men. In the past we have had far too many professional politicians. "As they sow, so shall we reap." We are now reaping high taxes and fool laws.

From all sides we hear the cry, "High Taxes, High Taxes." The solution of this great problem is simply to elect to your legislature business men—men who are successful in their own line of business. Until then, and not till then, will Oregon have a legislature that we all can be proud of.

In the coming campaign the Democratic party has as candidates for the legislature, three successful business men. Do you want a business administration, or do you not?

If elected to the legislature, I will not only uphold all laws that have been enacted by the votes of the people, but also all laws that are voted upon favorably at the coming election.

If elected to the legislature, I will endorse a bill to prohibit the sale of alcohol in drug stores.

My slogan is and shall be "do away with graft in the legislature or do away with the legislature."

Yours for a business administration, IRVIN R. SCHULTZ.

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PYTHIAN CONVENTION.

Portland, July 17.—The first Pythian special train bearing delegates to the meeting of the Supreme Lodge of the order will arrive in Portland on Sunday, July 30. The first convention of the Supreme Lodge will open Tuesday, August 1. It will finally adjourn August 10.

The train bearing Pythian Sisters from their national headquarters at Indianapolis will reach Portland on the same days. The convention of the Supreme Temple also opens on Tuesday. Between the arrival of the train and the falling of the gavel in the hands of Cora M. Davis, of Union, Oregon, Supreme Chief, a great many social events are scheduled.

Hotel reservations and correspondence warrant the assertion that a tremendous crowd will attend the meeting of the Supreme Lodge and the Supreme Temple.

It is expected that every city in the state will send big delegations of Pythians to participate in the program for the ten days of their stay.

The parade will occur on the afternoon of Tuesday, August 1.

WILFUL GRAZING.

Barney Parks, of Harney, Oregon, indicted for wilful grazing trespass upon the Malheur national forest, pleaded guilty and was fined \$50 by the United States court. Parks paid his fine and the case is closed.

Parks was in charge of sheep going to their allotted range, and instead of following the regularly established driveway, trailed them across the allotted cattle range of other stock owners, consuming four or five days in crossing and using about \$100 worth of forage on the cattlemen's allotment. Instead of holding the sheepowner, who had no part in the action, responsible for the wilful feature of the case, the government brought trespass charges against the campmaster with the result mentioned above. This is the second case in which an employe has been held responsible for a trespass of this sort in Oregon.

To Detroit—

Roy W. Nutting left this morning for Detroit, where he will spend his two weeks' vacation season, fishing and camping.

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