

A Want Ad Will Get You Offers From Sellers of the Things You Want to Buy

GRANTS PASS IS EXCITED BY TRIP OF P. G. O'BRIEN

Officials of Southern Pacific Leave Pass for Crescent City and Again Grants Pass is Stirred by Railroad and Rumors of Railroads.

GRANTS PASS, April 7.—Every so often there is something comes about that stirs up all kinds of rumors in regard to the building of railroads in this vicinity, and this week things have been at a high tension on account of General Superintendent J. P. O'Brien and party in their private cars. Messrs. O'Brien and Fields and parties arrived in this city last Monday in their two private cars and little notice was given to it at first, as it is nothing uncommon for them to stop off here for a part of a day. But when it was found that J. P. O'Brien and R. B. Miller, the general freight agent of the Southern Pacific, has taken an automobile for the Illinois valley it was thought that there might be something doing.

To Head Hill Off?
It has been the policy of the Southern Pacific, and in fact all the Harriman lines, to make no move towards extensions until someone else has shown an inclination to build a railroad, then they immediately get busy. That Mr. Allen is progressing with the extension of the Pacific & Eastern and that he is getting locomotives from the Northern Pacific is a well-known fact, and of course is known by the Southern Pacific people, and it is rumored that it is feared that Mr. Allen, for the Northern Pacific, has designs on a road from this city to Crescent City. In fact, these rumors have got so strong that it is said that the line will be constructed from Crescent City to Grants Pass, the construction work beginning on the coast so that the Allen interests could get their construction material by water, as it costs \$17 a ton for rails from Portland to this city, and they can get them by water for pretty nearly that price.

To Crescent City.
When Mr. O'Brien left this city his destination was understood to be the Illinois valley, but last evening word was received that he was going on a Crescent City, and Mr. Fields left in his car last evening for the north, leaving Mr. O'Brien's car here. In connection with this trip the rumor is that the Southern Pacific is going to work with the Draper-Gunn people in building to the coast in order to block any other road that might want to build. The Draper-Gunn people own the right of way as far as Waldo, but it has been surmised for some time that the Southern Pacific was interested in the right of way. It has been found that even four or five years ago, when the right of way was being surveyed, that the Southern Pacific was then interested in the matter.

And in connection with this it is known that Mr. O'Brien wanted to, while here, make a trip to the Blue Lead, but it was found that the trip could not be made at this time of year.

DOUBLE YOLKED EGGS PROVED HATCHABLE

NEW YORK, April 7.—The mooted question as to whether double yolked eggs are hatchable seems set by Robert T. Buckland, an electrical contractor of College Point, Long Island. The hen sat upon 14 eggs and hatched 15 chicks.

"Looky here, Biddy," said Buckland, after counting the hatched brood and figuring a bit on a piece of paper, "you have exceeded 100 per cent. I set you upon 14 eggs and you have produced 15 chicks, a record of 107 1-7 per cent."

Special Train Sunday.

A special train on the Rogue River Valley railroad will leave Medford at 1:15 p. m. for Jacksonville for the accommodation of those wishing to attend the Medford-Jacksonville ball game.

Haskins for Health.

COMET SHOULD BE VISIBLE ON FRIDAY

Astronomers in Speculations on Future It Will Present Differ Widely—To Seek It, Look Toward the East, Just a Little North.

By Friday morning, weather permitting, Halley's comet will be visible to the naked eye. That is, it will be visible according to the astronomers and to those who have pretty good eyesight. With all the big telescopes of the world sweeping the eastern sky before daybreak, not one professional sky-sharp has yet picked up the tramp of the heavens. The astronomers know, to a minute, just where the comet is, but it will not be visible until Friday morning, although there is a probability of the largest glasses, such as Yerkes and the Lick, finding the wanderer tomorrow morning.

Halley's comet was 152,000,000 miles from the earth Monday morning, and Friday morning it will be 144,000,000 miles away. In four days it will have reduced the space between itself and the world some 8,000,000 miles, for it is swinging along now at the terrific speed of more than 2,000,000 miles every 24 hours. Friday the comet rises one hour and four minutes before sunrise. It will be in the right ascension 2 minutes, north declination 7 degrees 38 minutes.

To see the comet from and after April 8 until early in May, look in the east, a little north of east. Just what the comet will look like when it is first sighted is something the astronomers themselves have not agreed on. It will very probably appear as a small star, which will increase in size and brightness with each succeeding day. Whether the tail will be visible this week is a matter for speculation, but anyway, the tail will grow in size and volume as the head of the comet enlarges.

Of course, while advertised as a naked-eye object, Friday before daylight, the comet may not come up to expectations. The mathematicians have calculated to a nicety the exact spot where the comet will be and the speed it has attained, but they may have miscalculated its visibility for this week, as they did in the magazine articles. If the comet is picked up by Medford star-gazers the day after tomorrow, the local enthusiasts will be scoring a scoop on the chaps who have their eyes glued to the telescopes.

How bright the comet will be is another question in dispute. The tail is composed of matter thrown off from the head. Everything that goes into the tail is lost to the head forever, and as this drain is constantly going on, it stands to reason that eventually the comet will be burned down to almost nothing. However, notwithstanding that Halley's comet has not been conserving its resources for ages, there is no reason to suppose that it has diminished so greatly in the past 72 years as to be much dimmed. A period of 72 years to a comet is like a passing minute to a man.

Big Sale of Pictures.

NEW YORK, April 7.—Thousands of dollars changed hands today following the second sale of the pictures of the Yerkes collection here last night. It was the biggest sale of pictures which ever took place in the United States.

Seven hundred thousand and sixty nine dollars was realized from the sale of 43 pictures. "Rockets and Blue Lights," by Turner, brought \$129,000. Dwyer Bros. were the purchasers. Another record-breaking price was given for Corot's "Fisherman," which went to the same buyers for \$80,000. Previous to the sale last night the biggest price brought on a single evening's sale was \$400,000, which was given at the Mary J. Morgan sale in 1886.

PETERSON CHAMPION OF COAST ROLLER SKATERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 7.—George Peterson, the best long-distance roller skater on the coast, last night won the six-night endurance race held at the Dreamland rink in this city. He covered 36 miles. Wilfred Stoutenberg, who won many endurance races throughout the country, came second. He covered 34 miles.

George Richardson, the Pacific coast one-mile champion, was third. He won 33 miles.

Little Journeys Made in Answering Want Ads

Are often the beginnings of personal prosperity. Not every journey will prove profitable—directly and immediately. But if you make them frequently enough one of these days one will lead you straight to GOOD FORTUNE.

One Cent a Word

PARIS STARTS WORK ON A HUGE AERODROME

PARIS, April 8.—Workmen today began the construction of a hundred sheds for aeroplanes on the new aerodrome, three miles north of Paris. The aerodrome covers 600 acres. The main course which surveyors have just laid out, will be three miles in circumference. A smaller trial course will be inside this.

A pilot school, drug store, model ship, laboratory, several restaurants, etc., are to be installed likewise.

FOR SALE. REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—83 acres 3 miles from Medford. 6 acres pears, 20 acres Newtowns and Spitz; 6 acres apricots. Price \$14,500. Siskiyou Realty Co., 22 Jackson County Bank Bldg.

FOR SALE—Twenty acres 3 miles from Medford at \$150 per acre. Siskiyou Realty Co., 22 Jackson County Bank.

FOR SALE—Homestead relinquishment, mountain farms and timber. Address P. O. Box 213. 24

FOR SALE—\$8 1-2 acres 2 1-2 miles from Medford; 30 acres 5-year-old pears; 20 acres 1-year-old pears. Good house and barn. Under ditch. Price \$22,000. Siskiyou Realty Co., 22 Jackson County Bank.

FOR SALE—460 acres 3 1-2 miles from Medford at \$100 per acre. Will sell all or part. Siskiyou Realty Co., 22 Jackson County Bank.

FOR SALE—\$2200, 5-room strictly modern house, furnished; \$1200 will handle this. Box 607, city.

FOR SALE—Seven room house, new; lot 50x132, close to Main street; bath, electric lighted, screened porch, wood shed; price \$2500; terms. Siskiyou Realty Co., 22 Jackson County Bank.

FOR SALE—Swell home in very choicest part of Medford. See Abrams, at O'Neil's Office. 15

Acreage.
FOR SALE—80 acres in a pleasant valley, 12 miles from Grants Pass, 5 1-2 mile north of Merlin, half mile north of free ferry, 1 mile from school, on R. F. D. No. 2 route, county road, and telephone line, good neighborhood, good title; on this 80 acres are 1200 apple and peach trees, set last spring, and 800 peach trees set this spring. A good water proposition for irrigating upon the place. Price \$4400. P. O. Box 301. 1/2

FOR SALE—New house, barn and 5 acres close in; for \$4200; will make 23 good lots; adjoining Kennwood addition, where lots sold for \$250 to \$300; 36 feet above Medford; good place for chickens, truck garden, etc; half in berries and fruit; all under private irrigating system; if this ad does not read like a bargain, spend a half hour and look at the place. Owner, Geo. Clausning, 334 W. 6th st. 17

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FOR SALE—No. 106—Lot 50x100, Narrigan St., \$400. Siskiyou Realty Co., 22 Jackson County Bank. *

FOR SALE—Ideal building lot on West Main; price \$1050. Call phone 3311 or room 22 Jackson County Bank. *

FOR SALE—Two lots on Hamilton street, 56x100, price \$300 each. Siskiyou Realty Co., 22 Jackson County Bank. *

Farms or Orchards.
FOR SALE—Ninety acres, 30 in one year old apple and pear trees, 100 inches of water, 2 1-2 miles from railroad station. For terms write "Owner," care Mail Tribune. 261 *

FOR SALE—69 acres, sweet building site in the alley, including 30 acres good fruit land; cheap and terms right. H. C. Malby, Palm Bldg., Main and Front. *

FOR SALE—About 80 acres of good orchard land 1 1-2 miles east of Phoenix. One-half in orchard. Telephone, Medford, 1199, or address C. T. Payne, Phoenix, Ore. *

FOR SALE—One of the best orchards in Jackson county, two miles from Ashland. For particulars, address F. G. McWilliams & Son, Ashland, Or. *

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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Offices over postoffice on April 1st; will be steam heated and have hot and cold water by next winter. Apply to A. A. Davis. *

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms at 604 West 10th or 124 King street. *

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. No. 10 North Grape street. *

Miscellaneous.
FOR RENT—20 acres good ground to be put into corn; also want man and team for plowing. F. N. Whitney, R. F. D. No. 1. 16

FOR RENT—First-class pasture; also seed corn for sale. C. W. Isaacs, 115 N. Oakdale. *

FOR RENT—Only hotel in town of 1900 population. Call at Condon Water and Power Co., 209 West Main street. *

FOR RENT—Pasture land on Price Ranch, Tolo; irrigated land, next to McDonough ranch, Tolo. Condon Water & Power Co. 50 *

FOR RENT—Garden land on Bear creek, one acre and upwards with water for irrigation; owner will furnish team, plow and seed for part of crop. See Kofeldt, Condon Water & Power Co. 50 *

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WANTED.
Help Wanted—Female.
WANTED—Responsible woman or girl to take charge of two little girls, Saturday nights. Address Box 386, Medford, Or. 16

WANTED—Chambermaid at the Nash Hotel. *

WANTED—Two waitresses at Franco-American hotel; fare prepaid. Morrison & Lash, Yreka, Cal. 20

WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages. Call Main 2813. 15 *

WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages. Apply Mrs. Kelly, Queen Anne avenue. 15 *

WANTED—Girl for general housework; must be good cook; wages \$30. 326 South Oakdale ave. *

WANTED—A competent woman for housework and cooking; good wages, also farm hand knowing young orchard work. Address L. care Mail Tribune office. 47

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Help Wanted.
WANTED—Man and wife, man for gardening and wife for general housework. Apply Condon Water & Power Co. *

WANTED—Five farm teams, 10 farm hands, 10 men for planting trees. Condon Water & Power Co. *

Miscellaneous.
WANTED—Partner in med' restau- rant; best location in Medford. Apply to Wills, Employment Office. 15

WANTED—160-acre relinquishment or hill land, with water. Address C. Burns, Arleta, Or. 20

WANTED—Furnished house, five rooms and bath, in Medford or vicinity. X3, Mail Tribune. 16

WANTED—In desirable neighborhood, May 1st, to rent, complete furnished house of 5 or 6 rooms; family of four adults. Address with full particulars, 99 Esther st., Pasadena, Cal. 19

WANTED—You to know that I do all kinds of building, contracting, time and material, all kinds of job work, etc. Satisfaction guaranteed in every particular. Location, with the Southern Oregon Electric Co., 27 South Central ave. Phone No. 3461. N. G. Holmes. 15

WANTED—A good alfalfa, stock and dairy ranch, with some irrigation; give full description, price and terms Address Dairyman, Box 863, Medford. *

FOR RENT.
Furnished Rooms.
FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms, 125 South Oakdale. 17

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for rent, North Front street, No. 216. Phone 3731. *

WANTED.

Positions.
WANTED—Position as chauffeur by an eastern young man. Address Y 9, care of this office. 16

WANTED—Position as salesman by an eastern young man. Address X 8, this office. 16

Miscellaneous.
WANTED—When in need of help, ring up Wills' employment office. Phone Main 1562, at 17 S. Front street. 15

WANTED—Clearing done. Address E. S. Palmer, Central Point, Ore. *

Help Wanted—Male.
WANTED—Ten miners and laborers. Apply Condon Water & Power Co. *

WANTED—First-class gardener. Apply Condon Water & Power Co. *

WANTED—Experienced stone cutter and quarry man. Call at Condon Water and Power Co.'s office. *

WANTED—A man experienced in the handling of incubators and turkey raising. Apply at office of Condon Water & Power Co. 283 *

WANTED TO BUY.
Miscellaneous.
WANTED—At once, for a home, 5 to 10-acre orchard in bearing or nearly so, with or without buildings. Give full description, price and terms. Address Dairyman, Box 863, Medford. *

LOST.
LOST—A black silk scarf, lace edging. Return to Mrs. Godlove, 228 North Holly. 17

FOUND.
FOUND—A lap robe. Call at 235 South C street. Describe the robe and pay for this ad. *

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.
Bootblacks.
"HINE"—Get your shoes shined, oiled or dyed at the Palace bootblack stand in Smokehouse. First-class work is our specialty. Shoes called for in any part of city and delivered. 212 West Main street. Phone Main 121. Eddie, the Bootblack.

Landscape Gardeners.
J. T. BROADLEY, landscape gardener; a long experience in laying out and care of private grounds. P. O. Box 521, Medford, Or.

Attorneys.
WINTINGTON & KELLY—Lawyers. Palm building.

PORTER J. NEFF, WM. P. MEALEY—Attorneys-at-law. No. 9 D street, ground floor.

COLVIG & REAMES—W. M. Colvig, C. L. Reames. Lawyers. Office Medford National Bank building, second floor.

B. F. MULKEY—Attorney-at-law. Offices room 30, Jackson County Bank building, Medford.

Undertakers.
MEDFORD FURNITURE CO.—Undertakers. Day phone 351. Night phones: C. W. Conklin 3601, J. H. Butler 3571.

Bricklayers.
BRICKLAYERS—K. Kuzin, at Smokehouse, first-class bricklayer, stoneworker, cement stepping, stucco and moulding, fireplaces and tile work a specialty, European plan; day or contract.

Medicines.
CHOW YOUNG'S CHINESE MEDICINES—Will cure rheumatism, asthma, paralysis, sores and private diseases. These remedies may be procured at the Sing Lee laundry, 123 S. Riverside avenue, Medford, Or., where they will be sold by the proprietor.

Dr. Chow Young has treated several severe cases with his remedies since coming to Medford and has for reference some of the best-known and most intelligent citizens in Southern Oregon. Call on him.

Real Estate.
BENSON INVESTMENT CO.—Real Estate, Loans and Fire Insurance. Office, suite 205-206, over Fruit-growers' bank. Phone 541.

AS A MATTER OF BUSINESS, we would suggest that you call at our office in search of real estate bargains. We refuse to list any property for which owner asks more than we think it is worth. We do not care to make sales at extravagant and unreasonable prices. You will not find us tagging you on the street or annoying you at the hotel, hence this invitation to call at our office, No. 128 E. Main st. Pierce, Shepherd & Co.

Bill Posters.
VERNE T. CANON—Bill Poster and Distributor. All orders promptly filled. Room 29, Jackson County Bank building, Medford, Or.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Hospitals.
SOUTHERN OREGON HOSPITAL—344 South C st., Medford, Or. E. W. Hisey, Matron. Official hospital P. & E. R. E.

Real Estate.
SEE WM. E. STACEY & CO. for some of the choicest bargains in real estate in this valley. Also British Columbia and Alberta, B. C., and other parts. Call on him at Bitner's office, Plippe building, or at the Medford Auto company's garage, where we start out our agents for the Aladdin