

## CENTRAL POINT NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. S. A. Pattison and children and Miss Frances Shields returned home from Ashland today at which place they had been enjoying camp life during the Chautauqua. Mrs. Pattison reports the meet as a whole as very successful and she and the children enjoyed the past two weeks very much.

The electric motor of the pumping station has been disabled and Central Point has indeed been a dry town.

Charles H. Guernsey, inventor and patentee of Guernsey's spray pump, was transacting business with the orchardists near here on Thursday afternoon.

Many newcomers were in Central Point today looking up acreage investments. It looks as though Central Point real estate is about to take another leap skyward.

George W. Overman of Broken Bow, Neb., is making a tour of inspection of the Rogue River valley in the interest of a Nebraska colony which will emigrate during another year.

J. W. Flach, who is at present holding down a claim in the unsurveyed, is preparing to build a neat cottage in Central Point and will move his family here from Portland.

J. W. Doyle, for many years a prominent business man of Georgetown, Wash., has located where he believes to be valuable quartz claims near Woodville.

Mrs. F. W. Hawk can truthfully boast of one of the finest rose gardens in Jackson county. She has demonstrated beyond any doubt that the finest of all varieties of roses can be successfully grown in the Rogue River valley.

Several Gold Hill boosters were in town last night advertising their carnival, which will take place July 28 to 31.

There will be a baseball game in Central Point Saturday afternoon, the game being between the Cubs and a

picked nine. Manager Nash expects to give the people the worth of their money at this game.

The report that O. B. Nash had sold his restaurant and confectionery store was erroneous. Mr. Nash has prospective buyers from California, but no deal has been consummated.

The cigarette habit among small boys in Central Point is fast reaching the danger stage, not only danger to the health of the lads, but danger of fire, as the matches and cigarette stubs are carelessly cast away into the dry grass. The lads congregated in remote places to "roll their pills." No one knows where they get "the makins." Today two fires were started in the grass below the old mill, but the lads put them out and sought more remote quarters. The practice is a dangerous one.

Mrs. E. C. Webb, living a short distance west of town, is quite seriously ill of typhoid fever.

Judge A. P. Gullett was able to return to his duties at the store today and is feeling greatly improved.

Henry Clay Miller, cousin of C. L. Gant of the Central Point Herald force, visited in town Thursday evening. Mr. Miller is a newspaper man from Fort Collins, Colorado, and dropped in from Grants Pass on the 3:16 train.

Charles H. Carter of Rollands, Cal. was in Central Point today inquiring for acreage property.

John H. McDermott of Custer Junction, Mont., who is on a deal for property near Agate, came in town today to meet Mrs. McDermott, who arrived on the afternoon train.

John Goodwin of Tolo was transacting business in Central Point today. Mr. Goodwin is a newcomer and is well pleased with the valley.

J. C. Shelby and Roy McGovern of Grants Pass was among the strangers within our gates today.

John Davison of Bellingham, Wash. is sojourning in Central Point. Mr. Davison is looking for a location for a restaurant business.

## LINDSAY SAYS OLD PARTIES WE KNEW HAVE PASSED AWAY

MADISON, July 22.—That the republican and democratic parties, as our fathers knew them, are no more is the opinion of Judge Ben B. Lindsay of the juvenile court in Denver. Judge Lindsay's opinion is expressed in an article appearing today in La Follette's magazine.

"We can no longer speak of the republican and democratic parties that our fathers knew," the article says. "There is no longer any such thing. If either party is to be restored to its normal functions of enabling people to express themselves in regard to the government, it must be reborn from the struggle hold of privilege. Only the insurgents are really qualified to represent the people in the struggle against privilege."

## AMENT CASE DRAGS ALONG

Refusal of C. W. Ament to Answer, and His Pleas of Sickness Greatly Retard the Progress of Hearing—Involves Many Interests.

An effort was made on the part of the plaintiffs in the Golden Drift Mining case to have it tried in open court, and as a result Judge Calkins convened court here last Monday morning, says the Observer of Grants Pass. After hearing some of the case Monday forenoon he decided that it would be a long drawn out trial and ordered that the taking of testimony continue before the referee.

The attorney for the plaintiffs complained that C. W. Ament would not answer questions and the court ordered him to answer questions and if he refused that his refusal would count against him when he reviewed the case.

The reviewing of the case by the court will take considerable time as it has been found necessary to examine Mr. Ament on a large number of contracts separately, he refusing to admit the conditions of the contracts as a whole. The result is that each contract has to be taken up separately and Mr. Ament examined as to their existence.

It seems that from the contracts that where a commission was allowed Mr. Ament paid the commission with personal stock and the actual money was transferred to his personal account.

There are very few who attend the hearing, yet part of the evidence is very interesting, and later when witnesses for the plaintiff take the stand it is said that the facts that will be divulged will be to some extent sensational and especially is this expected when Mr. Sorenson takes the stand. Mr. Sorenson has been making a thor-

ough examination of all the company's affairs and is said to be a very competent prober, he having formerly been a postoffice inspector. There are rumors that there are some features about the way the company's affairs have been conducted that will be very interesting and as stated somewhat sensational.

The transcript of the testimony now being taken by the referee will be a mammoth affair, and with the testimony will be volumes of papers and books of the company that have been submitted in evidence and it will take the court some time to review all the evidence and render a decision.

The taking of testimony has been very slow the past week on account of Mr. Ament having sick spells and yesterday morning had to stop on account of his being taken sick. The taking of testimony began on the 16th of June, but there was an adjournment of a couple of weeks on account of Mr. Ament refusing to answer certain questions, and it was necessary to wait until the court could decide whether he should answer them or not. So far he has been the only witness examined, and it is likely that it will be several days before he finishes. To nearly all the contracts brought into question Mr. Norton, the attorney for the Aments, takes exceptions, and the unraveling of the evidence after it is all taken will be a very large task.

## PIONEER WOMAN ANSWERS LAST CALL

Mrs. B. F. Newberry died at her home in Jacksonville Thursday afternoon, aged over 80 years. Mrs. Newberry had been in failing health for some time and the end was not unexpected by her relatives.

Mrs. Newberry had been a resident of Jacksonville for over 30 years, coming there as a widow with three small children, all of whom, by her industry and perseverance, she educated and made sterling men and women.

The three children, Mrs. Mary Peters of Jacksonville, Mrs. Charles Moore of Baker City and Gus Newberry of Medford, were present at the time of her death.

## EDEN PRECINCT ITEMS

A. P. Talent of Medford was in Talent on business last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Drake of North Phoenix were in Ashland last Tuesday.

Roy Coffman was in Medford last Tuesday with vegetables from the I. X. L. garden.

J. E. Roberts shipped several crates of berries to John Robbins at Glendale last Thursday.

Mrs. W. S. Stancliffe of North Talent was in Medford Wednesday.

Miss Clara Allen spent Sunday and Monday in Ashland attending Chautauqua.

S. S. Stephens was down to Medford with berries and vegetables on Tuesday.

Mrs. William Fern of Fern valley was up in North Talent to see her mother Tuesday and reports her husband much better, being able to walk about the place some now.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Hughes is still in the hos-

pital at Ashland and is not entirely out of danger.

Miss Josie Anderson and her aunt Callie Deviny of Phoenix, have both been sick for several days.

Walter Allen and Colver Furry have taken a contract to move a large stack of hay for Joe Rader.

A. S. Furry returned from his Dead Indian ranch Wednesday and brought in some fine veal which he took to Medford meat markets.

Our mailcarrier, Blin Coleman, is taking a layoff and John Robinson is delivering mail this week. North Talent is proud of this mail service.

Mrs. Bowman-Hartley of North Talent was quite sick Wednesday. It was feared that she had appendicitis, but proved to be a bad bilious attack.

The new cement bridge across Anderson race is well under way and is taking a great deal of excavation for the wing dams or breakwaters, as it is one that will require great skill to hold.

## FIVE NEGROES KILLED, TWO ARE MORTALLY WOUNDED BY OFFICER

ELLIOTT, Miss., July 22.—Five negroes are dead and two mortally wounded as a result of their determination to resist arrest on a minor charge. Deputy Sheriff Cawley, who had been instructed to make the arrests, went to the field where the ne-

groes were working. The negroes rushed the sheriff with their pitchforks. Cawley shot five to death and wounded two others so seriously that they cannot live. He had a revolver in each hand and says the battle was over in ten seconds.

## PACIFIC COAST IS DEFENSELESS

Man Who Wrote Californian's Speech Knew Far More of the Theory of Defense Than It Is in the Province of a Congressman to Know.

## WASHINGTON, D. C., July 22.—

"Who prepared the speech delivered at the last session of congress by Mr. McLachlan of California, on the unpreparedness of the country for war?" asked a prominent retired army officer who dropped into headquarters last week.

No one being able, seemingly, to tell him, he went on: "It certainly has the indorsement of the service, anyway. And I have heard that General Blank wrote it. I tell you, it is a document that covers the field thoroughly and I doubt if any man not thoroughly conversant with the inner workings of the army and navy general boards could have prepared that document. It is what army and navy men have known, in a general way, for a long time."

The speech by the California congressman, it is understood, was prepared upon data furnished by the publicity bureau of the army and navy. It tells how easily a foreign foe could occupy either the Atlantic or the Pacific coast of this country in very short time. The object of the speech was to get congress to ask for a long report, which the military authorities have ready to give, but which they could not present without being asked to do so. Of course, one object is to get bigger appropriations for the national defense. The public in general has a feeling that too much money is being spent on the army and navy now, and it is thought that a little education will be necessary to get congress to loosen up the purse strings and grant more money for men, officers, fortifications and modern guns.

## JACK JOHNSON IS NOT LIKED IN AUSTRALIA

MELBOURNE, Australia, July 22.—Jack Johnson, candidate for alderman in Chicago, and known also as heavyweight champion of the world, is not looked up to in Australia, and never was, in spite of the fact that he won his big title in the Antipodes. In fact, the black champion is so little liked that the Australian government compels him to put up a bond every time he enters this country, that he will leave it at a certain time after his business in the ring is completed. The parliamentary inquiry in the federal house yesterday disclosed the fact that Johnson was treated as an undesirable immigrant both times he entered Australia and he or his friends had to post a forfeit that he would leave the country within a certain time.

## M. W. A., Attention!

Our next business meeting will be held at Smith's hall Tuesday, July 26. Visiting neighbors welcome. Initiation. COMMITTEE.

## CONTRACTORS.

Am ready to contract immediately for building a packing house. Phone A. C. Allen, 7061 Farmers.

## \$30,000.00 GENERAL FUND BONDS OF THE CITY OF MEDFORD, OREGON

The City Council of the City of Medford, Oregon, will receive sealed proposals for \$30,000.00 5 per cent twenty-year General Fund Bonds of the said city; bids to be filed with the City Recorder of the City of Medford, Oregon, not later than 4:30 o'clock p. m., July 29th, 1910.

Bids to be accompanied by a certified check on some National or State Bank within the State of Oregon equal to five per cent of the amount bid for; check to be made payable to the City Treasurer.

The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

ROBT. W. TELFER, City Recorder.

Dated at Medford, Oregon, this 11th day of July, 1910.

H. B. Patterson, the Quarter Nursery man, has moved + his office to 116 East Main + street.

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## AUTOMOBILES

O. W. Murphy. O. M. Murphy.

## MURPHY BROS. AUTO LIVERY.

1910 Chalmers Detroit. Phone 1861, Valley Auto Company, Medford, Or.

Quick Service. Easy Riding. Prices Right.

## PARRY AUTO LIVERY

PHONE MAIN 3141. Agency for the Parry Cars. Rogue River Auto Co., Frank H. Hull, Prop., Medford, Or.

## GET YOUR WINTER WOOD

While it is cheap. Phone 1341. E. R. TEDRICK.

Corner 11th and Laurel streets. Yard at 417 South Oakdale Avenue.

## A. L. VROMAN

PLUMBING & HEATING CONTRACTOR

No job too small, none too large. Twenty-five years' practical experience.

Office 113 South Front Street. Phone 2751.

## Siskiyou Heights Addition No. 1

Graded streets, sidewalks; water and building restrictions that guarantee pretty homes. Streets parked and set with trees. The price is low, considering location. The terms are easy. The time to buy is now. WHY?

A FEW GOOD REASONS: Finest view. Only ten minutes' walk to the city. Lots all large, 65x70 feet by 150. One-half down, balance as you like it.

## Oregon Orchards Syndicate 116 East Main Medford.



RESOLVED The best resolution for you to make is to come to us for your next suit, if you want something out of the ordinary. We do the best work and charge the lowest prices. W. W. EIFERT THE PROGRESSIVE TAILOR

## THE LADIES' FAVORITE.

Wherever Parisian Sage Is Known It Has the Call.

Parisian Sage, that most efficient of all hair restorers, is a very delightful and refreshing hair dressing. Besides possessing these qualities it will positively make any woman's hair soft, luxuriant and attractive. Chas. Strong sells it for 50 cents a large bottle and will return your money if

it does not cure dandruff, falling hair and itching scalp in two weeks.

"I had given up hopes of ever being cured of dandruff, when I purchased a bottle of Parisian Sage. It has entirely removed the dandruff and has started a growth of new hair, and all this after I have been troubled 15 years. I cheerfully recommend Parisian Sage."—Mrs. Elizabeth Anderson, Mercantileburg, Pa.

I wish to announce that I have purchased the **Union Livery Stables** and will conduct a general feed and boarding establishment. Horses boarded by the day, week or month. I guarantee a square deal to all. **R. GUANYAW** UNION LIVERY BARN. RIVERSIDE AVENUE.

**Packers Wanted!** To register with the association for this season's pack. Packing schools for pears and apples in August and September. Pack changed on apples. Everybody must learn it. R. R. FRUIT & PRODUCE ASS'N. **FOR SALE BY ALL GROCERS.**

**Medford Iron Works** E. G. Trowbridge, Prop. **FOUNDRY AND MACHINIST** All kinds of Engines, Spraying Outfits, Pumps, Boilers and Machinery. Agents in So. Oregon for **FAIRBANKS, MORSE & CO.**

**- - For Sale - -** 428 ACRES—Rogue River bottom land, suitable for fruit and general farming purposes. 300 ACRES—Alfalfa land, covered with irrigation ditch and perpetual water right. Has coal outcropping. At a bargain on long time, easy payments. **Gold Ray Realty Comp'y.** 209 WEST MAIN ST.

**Double Your Business--- Let In The Sunlight** Suppose you knew a man who kept his shades drawn tight all day and burned kerosene instead of letting in the sunlight. Suppose you knew a man toiling along a dusty road who would not accept a lift—when there was plenty of room in the wagon; Suppose you knew a miller—with his mill built beside a swift-running stream—who insisted on turning the machinery by hand. All foolish, you say? And yet look around you—how few retailers take advantage of the great advertising campaigns run by food, textile, cloth and every other manufacturing line that you can name. Think a moment! What was the last advertisement you read and wondered just which store in town would be progressive enough to have the goods in stock so you could see them—and purchase them? More goods are sold under the evening lamp at home than you dream of. Practically every live retailer advertises in his local papers. But how. Put up your lightning-rod! Let your customers know that you can deliver to them the goods which great advertising, paid for by manufacturers, has interested them in. They will get the habit—and you will get the business. Practically every manufacturer stands ready to help you help yourself. Ask them for electrotypes suitable to run in your own advertising. Hook their trade mark to your store. Consumer demand for advertised goods is now divided broadcast among all the stores in town. Use your advertising in local papers to focus this demand upon your store—And don't forget to send for those helpful electrotypes. Read this again, for it means money to you.