

PERSONAL ITEMS

L. R. Cardwell of Gold Hill was in Medford Thursday on a business visit.

Dr. Stephenson is a graduate optician. Over Allen & Reagan's, 195 S. W. McClendon was in Medford from Gold Hill Thursday.

Medford Collection Agency, 10 per cent charged. Over Hurlburt's new store.

F. E. Lake and family of South Dakota are here with the intention of locating.

Do you know that you can buy any amount, from a half acre up, in Oakdale Park addition on easy terms? Oakdale Land Investment Co., 214 Fruitgrowers' Bank bldg.

Jim Rafts, the Greek, who was victimized to the extent of \$150 by his absconding countryman, George Kezos, offers a reward of \$50 for his arrest, in which he is joined by the other Greeks on the job.

G. W. Barnum & Co., contractors and builders. Country work a specialty. Orders solicited. Inquire at The Toggery.

M. Sidley of Lake Creek, who for years hold the office of postmaster there in spite of changes of administration, "hell and high water," was in Medford Wednesday. The high-water proposition has lacked considerable of being a joke on numerous occasions "when the bytes had to climb the hillsides and swim the creeks to bring the mail from Brownsboro."

Fifty-three acres special, 10 acres coming into bearing orchard. Call on J. B. Wood, Condor Water & Power Co.'s office.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Van Camp of Yreka, Cal., are visiting in Medford.

F. J. Lowry will lay flooring or tile work in exchange for a bicycle.

R. A. McDonald of Eagle Point was in Medford Wednesday on a business visit.

For insurance, phone 3491. Huntley-Kremer Co. 191.

Misses Minnie and Hazel Williams of Grants Pass were Medford visitors Wednesday.

John H. Carkin, attorney-at-law, over Jackson County Bank.

W. C. Daley of Lake Creek was in Medford on business Wednesday.

The Presbyterian ladies will give a sociable in the church parlors Friday evening. All are invited. 183 George E. Lears of Willows, Cal., is in Medford looking over the valley with a view to locating.

Thomas Shaw of St. Paul, Minn., and W. T. Shaw of Pullman, Wash., are here investigating southern Oregon possibilities.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cook of Sedalia, Mo., are in Medford seeking a location.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Mitz, of Roseburg are here on a visit.

John Arnell of Seattle, one of the big operators in mines and growers of plants in that city, is here, looking after some investments he has in southern Oregon. Mr. Arnell is considering several mining propositions in this section.

B. F. Mulkey, district attorney, was at Ashland on business Thursday.

Claude E. Jones of Sams Valley, was in Medford Thursday on a business trip.

Mark Applegate of the Applegate mine in the Elkhorn mining district on Elk Creek is in Medford on a business trip of several days duration.

\$50 Reward.

The undersigned will pay a reward of \$50 for the arrest and return of George Kezos, who is accused of the crime of larceny by bailor in cashing checks belonging to various persons entrusted to him by them.

He is about 23 years old, looks younger, about 5 feet, six inches in height; weight about 135 pounds. Dark complexion. Distinguishing marks: Upper lip rolls up when he talks or laughs, knife mark on left side of face, above upper lip. Brown hair and eyes.

JIM RAFTS, 184

Los Molinos Co. Plat Big Tract

California Andrews, the resident agent of the Los Molinos Land company, has just returned from an eight days trip and reports having made several good sales. The company is now plating another subdivision of about 3,000 acres, the first subdivision of 3,500 acres having practically all been sold.

Among other improvements the company are now formulating a plan whereby people of moderate means will be assisted to purchase cows. On the payment of about one-fifth of the purchase price the company proposes to furnish cows and take the balance out of a portion of the cream checks each month.

A strong argument in favor of dairying is that it forms a most satisfactory basis for diversified farming. With the monthly cream checks as a foundation and the chickens and hogs to consume the by-products, everything is turned to best account.

Weeks & McGowan Co.

CO. UNDERTAKERS DAY PHONE 2271 Night 'Phones: F. W. Weeks, 2071 A. E. Orr, 3692. LADY ASSISTANT

ANCIENT YUCATAN.

Its Mysterious Ruins Once the Scene of Human Sacrifices.

It was Chichen-Itza, the magnificent, the Taj Mahal of Central America—and the building we were gazing on was the most wonderful of the ruined group.

As we looked upon it in the moonlight we could not help feeling how awe inspiring this colossal temple, rearing itself 120 feet into the air, must have been to the ancients. On the top of the pyramid still stand the crumbling ruins of a temple. It is reached by a stairway on each side of its four sides, having 120 steps apiece, and contains three rooms, the doorposts of which are carved with the figures of priests, except the one facing eastward, which has large pillars carved into the forms of serpents. The heads of these are turned so that they lie flat upon the top of the pyramid, their eye sockets still bearing traces of the rich green jade that once filled them.

As we sat we pictured to ourselves the strange and barbaric scenes that had here been enacted, for if legends are to be believed it was on these flattened serpents' heads that the tyrant priests of the Itzas, majestic in their jeweled and befeathered robes, tore out the palpitating hearts of their sacrificial victims after slicing open the breasts with a silex knife.

These sacrifices were probably performed in view of thousands of worshippers of the sun deity congregated on the plains below, the heart after it was torn from the membranes being burned as an offering in the inner holy of holies, while the body of the victim rolled down the stone steps to be sacramentally eaten by the people.—World Wide Magazine.

THE HURRY HABIT.

It is Charged With Being a Breeder of Bad Manners.

"My attention was recently called to an article," observed the retired professor, "in which the writer rebuked us, individually and as a nation, for our lack of manners due to the hurry habit. He classed this habit among the bad, senseless, inexcusable habits, and I fully agree with him. Watch a crowd anywhere, pitching off trains and boats or surging on to them, fighting for first places going up stairs or down, squirming and elbowing to get through a gateway or an open door, and if you were to inquire not one man Jack or woman Marie could tell you why he or she was on the dead jump.

"The average male being will consult his watch, bound across the lawn, run like mad for a car, hire a cab to break the speed law driving to a ferry, dash into his office as if he had done 100 yards in ten seconds, remove his hat and overcoat, open his desk, pull out a slide, cock his feet on it, light a cigar and wonder what he's going to do next.

"The average female being will bore through a fringe of shoppers nine deep to force to a bargain counter, and after she's arrived she'll calmly put down her purse and parcel, finger the goods for fifteen minutes, ask questions concerning the prices—past, present and future—and move off leisurely without buying so much as a spool of thread."—Providence Journal.

The Father of Tobacco Smoking.

It is quite hopeless to trace out the fathers of smoking in general and tobacco smoking in particular. Who first drew in smoke of any kind through a pipe in England and who first of our countrymen took to tobacco will always remain disputable. It is equally uncertain which western tribe made the sublime discovery. There is even dispute as to whether tobacco takes its name from the island of Tobago, from the Yucatan province of Tobacco, from Tabasco in Florida or from a y-shaped pipe which the people of Hispaniola smoked with their noses. Only one name is definitely associated with the great institution, that of Jean Nicot, the French ambassador to Portugal, who spread the fame of the herb through Europe. And of all who are familiar with nicotine today how many associate it with Nicot or have even heard of him!—London Chronicle.

A Misplaced Title.

Among obvious misnomers one London theater is to be found. Drury Lane theater is not in Drury lane, and no reason can be assigned for giving it the name of that thoroughfare. The first theater built on the present site was at one time frequently referred to as the theater in Covent Garden. On Feb. 6, 1663, Pepys notes: "I walked up and down and looked upon the outside of the new theater building in Covent Garden, which will be very fine." In those days no theater existed in Covent Garden, the predecessor of the present opera house having been opened in 1732.—London Chronicle.

A Feminine Impulse.

To straighten their hats is the first impulse of feminine humanity after an accident. If a woman could be raised from the dead she would straighten her hat before doing anything else.—Marion Crawford.

Just the Opposite.

"Whenever you lie to your wife does she find you out?" "Just the opposite. Whenever she finds me out I lie to her—when I come in."—Houston Post.

Fortune has often been blamed for blindness, but fortune is not so blind as men are.—Samuel Smiles.

NOTHING BUT AN ARMY DR. FOR HIM

Dr. Porter Gets Case From Duns-muir, as Victim of Accident Has Faith Only in One of Uncle Sam's Army Physicians.

Showing the intense regard held by the rank and file of Uncle Sam's soldier boys for army physicians, J. S. Miller of Dunsmuir this past week put up with the pain from a fractured arm until he could reach this city and have Dr. E. H. Porter "fix it up." In the meantime he scorned the assistance of doctors in his own town, stating that "an army man or none" would treat the injury.

Mr. Miller is an ex-soldier and had seen active service on the plains during the Indian wars. On his body he bears the scars of eleven bullets, all of which were received at the battle of Wounded Knee. Since his discharge he has been engaged in mining in northern California.

Recently he learned that Dr. Porter, after "twelve years' service in the army, had opened offices in Medford. So when he recently sustained a fracture of the arm he refused medical assistance until he could reach this city. Dr. Porter fixed him up.

Dr. Porter came to Medford about six months ago and has just succeeded in getting into his offices in St. Mark's block. He entered the army at the outbreak of the Spanish-American war and served in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines.

NOTICE.

All those holding reserved seat tickets for the Debs lecture may have same checked at the Natatorium, 183 LAUGHS FOURTEEN HOURS BEFORE STOPPING.

Mrs. A. K. Thoughtwell, an old lady 65 years old, living in East Medford, nearly laughed herself to death last night. But for the timely assistance of Dr. Pleasure might have resulted seriously. Mrs. Thoughtwell says "she had heard a great deal about the Nat Theater, and thought she would attend the performance last evening. She got to laughing over a picture entitled 'The Fool's Head in the Lions' Cage,' and became hysterical. Dr. Pleasure was called in and had Mrs. Thoughtwell removed to her home, and succeeded in getting the laughing spell broken at 11 a. m. today. While 'The Fool's Head in the Lions' Cage' is probably one of the greatest pictures ever shown in Medford, the Nat Theater will not be responsible for any accidents that occur in laughing over it.

Tonight and tomorrow night. Admission 10c.

THREE ISSUES

NOTICE OF SALE OF \$34,500 IMPROVEMENT BONDS OF THE CITY OF MEDFORD, OREGON.

The city council of the city of Medford, Oregon, will receive sealed proposals for \$34,500.00 six per cent, ten year, improvement bonds, at a meeting to be held on the 25th day of October, 1910. Bids to be filed with the city recorder of said city on or before 4:30 o'clock p. m., October 25, 1910, and to be accompanied by a certified check equal to five per cent of the amount bid, said check to be made payable to the city treasurer of said city. Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

ROBT. W. TELFER, City Recorder.

Advised this 20th day of October, 1910.

Hotel Arrivals.

At the Moore—Jack Fraig, Brown, F. A. Harris, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Williams, city; Ellen B. Yaw, New York; M. Barnhart, Portland; M. W. Allen, Chicago; H. Barnhart, J. S. Winter, Portland; J. A. Suiger and wife, Peoria; F. W. Cunningham, Portland; Serby Miller, city; C. C. Baker, Los Angeles; H. B. Eason, Portland; F. Goodell, California; O. P. Clinch and wife, Portland; Mr. Jones, wife and son, Goldendale; W. E. Hawley, Salem; M. G. Wetherby, Portland; William Selman, Woodville; W. W. Dill, Portland; C. C. Weidman, Portland; S. W. Coos, Los Angeles; D. R. Swan, Tacoma; R. Dale, Portland; M. McDonald, Seattle; T. Mansey, Ashland; A. C. Johnson, Portland; J. Romea, San Francisco.

At the Nash—E. G. Ford, L. H. F. Allfing, Seattle; C. H. Turrett, Eugene; E. M. Lamb, Bowling Green; J. D. Guiss, Portland; George Dick-ey, San Francisco; Charles Reed, Grants Pass; G. W. Whitson, Chicago; J. R. Harvey, C. C. Guiss, Grants Pass; R. J. Baker, Chicago; Charles Bennington, New York; Elmer Halbin, Chicago; P. B. Martin, San Francisco; D. J. Summers, Clarkston; Mrs. S. M. Walt, Dayton; W. W. Allingham, A. P. Donahue, Portland; George McKee, Puyallup; George Addison, Tacoma; C. E. Bade, Portland; H. J. Roberts, Grants Pass; R. Chesapeake, Portland; M. S. Shook, Hubbard; W. W. Howard, Roth; E. E. Peter-bugh and wife, Crater Lake.

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AUDIENCE FADES AWAY AT ROSEBURG

Bowerman and Hawley Not Only Lose Votes, but Half of Audience as Well, and That at a Rapid Rate.

ROSEBURG, Ore., Oct. 20.—Jay Bowerman, assembly candidate for governor, and Congressman Hawley addressed an audience that dwindled rapidly in size as the speaking went on at the court house in this city Tuesday night. The speakers were introduced by Senator Albert Abraham, who pretended to be an uncompromising foe of the assembly candidates when he ran for governor in the recent primaries.

The candidates delivered themselves of a stereotyped attack on Senator Bourne, which might have been prepared for them in advance in the editorial rooms of the Oregonian. That paper's last issue reeked with false representation as to the impression made by the candidates here. The article contains such campaign buncombe as "Made Strong Impression," "Only Candidate for governor in Minds of Voters," "Assured Two to One Vote," etc.

Fully 50 per cent of the original audience left before the meeting closed.

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ango apple shows, providing the owner consented.

Send Spokane Car.

J. D. Otwell made an offer on behalf of S. V. Beckwith to send a carload of fancy Newtowns from the Beckwith orchard (formerly the Norcross) to Spokane, providing the club would agree to stand the extra expense at Spokane, estimated at not to exceed \$300. Mr. Beckwith offered to divide with the club any money received from the sale of the apples above \$1.50 a box. The offer was accepted, so that the Medford district will be represented by two carloads of fancy fruit at Spokane and Chicago, and by one carload at Vancouver.

E. B. Waterman reported arrangements under way for a district display to be made at Spokane and Chicago, and requests all growers having any fancy fruit to inform the club at once. It was reported that J. A. Pery has prepared an adequate fruit display for the National Land show at Chicago, given under the auspices of the Chicago Tribune.

Contribution Refused.

The report of Chairman J. A. Westerlund of the soliciting committee raising publicity funds stated that the Jackson County Bank had

Advertisement for LaVogue coats and suits. Features a woman in a stylish dress and the text: 'So Well Made So Stylish COATS LaVogue SUITS SATISFY THE WOMEN WHO WEAR THEM'.

Advertisement for Martin J. Reddy watch repairer. Text: 'I HAVE SECURED Our Line of Clocks... WATCH REPAIRING... MARTIN J. REDDY The Jeweler—Near Postoffice.'

Advertisement for Palmolive Cream. Text: 'Well Spiced FREE This 50c Jar of Palmolive Cream... MEDFORD PHARMACY Main 101, Near Postoffice.'

Advertisement for Medford Printing Co. Text: 'Fine Printing... Medford Printing Co. W. I. STALEY, Principal. SALEM, OREGON.'