

Central Point Items

By C. L. GANT.

Taking everything into consideration, Central Point has made greater progress during the past year and a half than ever before in its entire existence.

The Christian Science people are preparing to enjoy a spiritual feast next Saturday night when Rev. William P. McKenzie, the noted lecturer of Boston, will deliver a discourse on Christian Science, at the local opera house.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Pattison were in Medford Saturday afternoon. J. H. Gardner, an old time resident of Central Point, who has been at Yoneda for several months, has returned and will spend the winter in Central Point.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will, on November 24, open a bazaar shop in Central Point, at which every article calculated to be useful in a Thanksgiving dinner may be purchased by the public.

The news published a few weeks ago that turkey for Thanksgiving would be cheap in Central Point must have sprung from the turkey trust. There are plenty of thronging dinner birds on foot, but the price is something fierce, to say nothing about the "stuffin' and the gravy."

Sam Baxter has just graduated Ward Hopkins' fine Ilhephenal pup from his canine seminary, which he is conducting during the winter months. Prof. Baxter is certainly there with bells when it comes to training young dogs. He draws the line at adults.

The report that Harry Murray was to return to Gold Hill and commence the publication of a second paper at that place, is entirely without foundation. There is no room at Gold Hill for two papers and besides there are towns much larger than Gold Hill which would be pleased to have a publication as good as the present paper published at that point.

Charles A. Broderick of Allerton, Iowa, was visiting in Central Point Sunday afternoon. Mr. Broderick has friends living near Butte Falls and left Sunday night for that point.

J. O. Smith was calling on old friends at Gold Hill Saturday night returning home Sunday.

Alva M. Tarrill, the jeweler, has moved into his new quarters in the Whiteside-Childers' building. His store presents a neat and up to date appearance and we bespeak success for the young man.

Clifford N. Gilbert of Bremerton, Wash., arrived in town late Saturday evening. Mr. Gilbert is an artist of scenic photography and is traveling in the interest of the "See America First" company.

There are lots of fresh ranch eggs coming to town—from Iowa and Iowa and other convenient points.

Eagle Point Eaglets

—By— A. C. Rowlett.

Our election passed off very quietly. There was but a very small vote polled and but very little interest manifested. A few of the straight-jacketed republicans voted the ticket straight, but most of the people voted for the man, regardless of party.

P. S. Wolter, our plumber, is kept busy all the time. He is just finishing up a job on the Sunnyside and has the work to do for Frank Nichols' new house, Von der Helgen's new home, Gus Nichols' home and, in fact, everybody is so busy that we can hardly stop to eat. I noticed when I am traveling that there are new houses going up all over the valley and old ones being repaired, and everything looks bright and prosperous.

The P. & E. Railroad company has a force of men building a depot; another building a large water tank;

another laying pipe to pump the water from Butte creek; another getting gravel from the creek bed to make concrete work, and thus our readers will see that Eagle Point has become quite a business center. The hotels are crowded and every day there are enquiries made for houses to rent.

Our daughter, Millie, Mrs. E. Hoyt, came in from Fort Klamath last Thursday on a visit to the old folks at home. She reports that things are lively out in that part of the country.

Mrs. Floyd Pierce of Forest Creek is out visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Tryer.

John Allen of Derby came out last Friday and brought two beaves—1150 pounds—of fine beef for the Sunnyside hotel, and that will last us about ten days.

Eden Precinct Items

S. S. Stephens of North Talent visited Medford Friday.

George Eifers of Phoenix was buying alfalfa hay of C. Carey Friday.

S. C. Shidelev and daughter, Miss Ora, of Talent left last Tuesday for southern California, to spend the winter.

A. S. Furry has bought quite a bunch of cattle of William Cottrell in the past two weeks.

Mr. Tucker, father of Mrs. Weldon Hartley, was in North Talent Saturday.

S. S. Stephens was buying corn last Friday. Looks as if there was a chance to see a fat hog or two later.

Enamett Bescon of Wagner Creek visited Medford Saturday.

C. Carey had a couple of good horses to Medford parties last week and still has a couple more good ones to let go.

Somewhat strangers were up on what is known as Graveyard Hill just south of Phoenix, taking post card views, Saturday.

Mrs. William Campbell of Hutton, Utah county, is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. James Allen, and family of North Talent.

James McDonald of North Talent came down to Phoenix on election day. This is the first time James has been down for a long time.

Died—At his home west of Phoenix of paralytic stroke, Garrett Stephens, aged 65 years. He was buried in the Phoenix cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Someone is asking where that auditorium in Phoenix is that will seat 400 people, of which the Portland Journal of November 11 speaks. That is easy. Its floors are of terra firma. Its covering is of heavenly blue.

Kane's Creek Items

Mrs. Higginbotham spent Saturday and Sunday in Medford as guests of relatives and friends.

Mr. Lewis and wife transacted business in the hub city on Saturday.

George Higginbotham and wife were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nichols at Tolo over Sunday.

Mrs. Swinden of Medford, who spent the week here with friends, returned home on Saturday's train.

Katie Foley, who has spent the latter part of the week with Mrs. Lewis, has returned home.

Tom Dungey of Galls Creek was over this way one day recently on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens spent Sunday very pleasantly on the Rogue fishing, having had excellent luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Ritter of Gold Hill spent Sunday at Garden Rour, the guest of R. Parent.

We are sorry to say that Mr. Russell is very much indisposed at this writing, having a bad attack of asthma.

William Lewis has purchased a new grubbing machine and intends to do a great amount of clearing this winter.

Mr. Beno, former resident of this place but now of Medford, was here one day recently on business.

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Ashland Notes

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E. P. Hughes has gone to the Red Hills near Redding on a big mining deal.

C. S. Rugg of Kirby, Josephine county, is in Ashland visiting relatives.

T. H. Huntly of Madison, Wis., son of John Huntly of this place, arrived in Ashland Friday on a visit to his people.

James T. Greer, the pocket hunter of this place, has dug up a pocket over in the old Hungry Creek mining district that yielded in nuggets over \$2000, and with the proceeds has bought him a home on lower Laurel street.

George W. Canning, a former resident of Ashland, now residing at San Diego, Cal., and daughter are here visiting friends.

E. V. Carter and family have left on an extended trip to Europe. They will be gone six months.

Table Rock Items

A number of the young people from here attended the play, "Prince of Pilsen," in Medford Saturday night.

The school will give a literary entertainment at the schoolhouse Saturday night, November 19, to be followed by a box social, the proceeds of which will be for the purpose of buying a bell and supplies for the school. A fine program is being prepared. Everybody is invited.

Professor Reop has organized a singing school here, which promises to be a success. He also expects to organize one in some of the adjoining districts.

Will Lydiard of Medford spent Sunday with his parents here. Mr. and Mrs. B. Conner and Mrs. S. K. Adams, R. C. Washburn and W. R. Byrum were Medford visitors Saturday.

CITY NOTICES.

ORDINANCE NO. 402. An ordinance authorizing the issuance of \$14,250 of the improvement bonds of the city of Medford, Jackson county, Oregon, and directing the advertising of the same for sale in accordance with chapter V of Title XXVII of Ballinger & Cotton's Annotated Codes and Statutes of the State of Oregon.

The city of Medford doth ordain as follows: Section 1. Whereas, the city of Medford has heretofore duly caused certain streets of said city to be improved, and has duly assessed the cost thereof to the property benefited thereby in accordance with the charter of said city; and

Whereas, certain owners of sundry pieces of property each assessed for such improvements in a sum exceeding twenty-five dollars, has duly made and filed application to pay said several assessments in installments, in accordance with section 2727 of said Ballinger & Cotton's Annotated Codes and Statutes; and

Whereas, an assessment and bond lien docket has been duly made up in accordance with the provisions of said section and of section 2728 of said codes and statutes, and the total amount of unpaid assessments for such street improvements, and for which application to pay under the provisions of said sections above cited has been made and filed as aforesaid is the sum of \$14,250, as shown by said bond lien docket;

Now therefore, said city of Medford doth ordain as aforesaid that there is hereby authorized to be issued the bonds of said city in the total amount of \$14,250, in denominations of two hundred and fifty and five hundred dollars each, as may be convenient.

Section 2. Said bonds shall be made in the following form: CITY OF MEDFORD, Jackson County, State of Oregon.

KNOW ALL MEN by these presents, that the city of Medford, in the county of Jackson, state of Oregon, for value received, hereby agrees and promises to pay the bearer the sum of dollars in gold coin of the United States of America, on the presentation and surrender of this obligation on the day of in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and and, without grace, with interest thereon from the date hereof until redeemed, or until the time of the semi-annual interest payment next ensuing the publication of notice by the city of Medford that this bond will be taken up and cancelled and the interest thereon will cease at the interest period next following such publication, at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, in like gold coin, on the day of and year, on the presentation and surrender of the proper coupons thereto annexed, principal and interest payable at the office of the treasurer of the city of Medford.

This bond is one of a series authorized by an act of the legislative assembly of the state of Oregon, entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of bonds for the improvements of streets and the laying of sewers in incorporated cities and for the payment of the cost of such improvements and laying of sewers by installments," filed in the office of the secretary of state February 22d, 1892, as amended by an act entitled "An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the issuance of bonds for the improvement of streets and laying of sewers in incorporated cities, and for the payment of the cost of such improvements and laying of sewers by installments,' filed in the office of the secretary of state February 22d, 1892," approved February 25th, 1891, and is an obligation of the city of Medford, aforesaid, and is not to be deemed or taken to be within or any part of the limitation by law as to the indebtedness of said city, and it is further certified that all requirements of law have been fully complied with by the proper officers in the issuing of this bond, and that the total amount of this issue does not exceed the limit prescribed by said act.

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Notice of said treasurer at the option of the city of Medford upon the payment of the face value thereof, with accrued interest to the date of payment at any semi-annual coupon period at - after one year from the date hereof, as provided in said act.

For the fulfillment of the conditions of this obligation the faith and credit of the city of Medford are hereby pledged.

In witness whereof, this bond has been signed by the mayor and attested by the recorder of said city of Medford and the corporate seal of the city of Medford hereto affixed this day of A. D. 1910.

Attest: Recorder of the City of Medford. Section 3. Each of said bonds shall have attached thereto twenty coupons, each of which shall be in the following form: CITY OF MEDFORD, State of Oregon. Will pay to the bearer dollars in gold coin of the United States of America at the office of the treasurer of said city, on the day of being six months' interest on improvement bond No. unless such bond is sooner redeemed as therein provided, which redemption will render this coupon void.

Attest: Recorder of the City of Medford. Said coupons shall be numbered from one to twenty respectively.

Section 4. The mayor of said city is hereby authorized and directed to sign said bonds and the city recorder to countersign the same by attaching thereto the seal of said city, all on behalf of said city.

Section 5. The recorder of the city is hereby directed to register said bonds and number the same on the blank provided therefor in the foregoing form, in accordance with section 2730 of said codes and statutes of the state of Oregon.

Section 6. The recorder of the city of Medford is hereby directed to advertise said bonds for sale and that the same will be sold for the highest price obtainable, not less than par and accrued interest, and in said advertisement he shall announce that he will receive sealed proposals for the purchase of said bonds or any portion thereof at his office at any time before 4:30 p. m. on the 15th day of November, 1910. He shall publish said advertisement three times in a daily newspaper published and printed in said city, and shall submit the sealed proposals received in accordance with said advertisement to the council at its next meeting thereafter.

The foregoing ordinance was passed by the city council of the city of Medford, Oregon, on the 2d day of November, 1910, by the following vote: Welch aye, Merrick aye, Emerick absent, Wortman aye, Eifert absent, and Demmer aye.

Approved November 3d, 1910.

Attest: W. H. CANON, Mayor. ROBT. W. TELFER, City Recorder.

NOTICE OF SALE OF \$14,250 IMPROVEMENT BONDS OF THE CITY OF MEDFORD.

Notice is hereby given that the city council of the city of Medford, Oregon, will receive sealed proposals for \$14,250, six per cent, ten-year, improvement bonds. Bids to be filed with the city recorder of the city of Medford, Oregon, on or before 4:30 o'clock p. m. November 15th, 1910, and to be accompanied by a certified check equal to five per cent of the amount bid for; check to be made payable to the city treasurer of said city. The council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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