

BEAR SLAYER STILL ON JOB

H. W. Jackson, Formerly of Medford. Maintains His Reputation in Northern Washington—Total Number of Bruins Slain Totals 360.

H. W. Jackson, who for many years was a resident of Jackson county and won fame as a bear hunter, is winning laurels along similar lines in Northport, Stevens county, Washington. A recent issue of one of the Northport papers contains the following account of his prowess:

The business men of Northport appreciating the presence of H. W. Jackson's eight famous bear dogs, last week paid their license into the city treasury. Mr. Jackson, the owner, who was so successful a bear hunter at Medford for 20 years, that citizens of that country called him "Bear Hunter Jackson," has maintained his reputation in this section, as he killed 27 bear last summer. He also killed two in Siskiyou county, California, during last summer, which gave him 29 bears altogether to his credit in 1910.

Mr. Jackson has kept a record of all the bear he has killed during his life, and the number is 360.

Mr. Jackson, who is a physical giant and athlete, has been here the past three years, engaged in locating and timber cruising, and he intends to remain here the balance of his life. "Why shouldn't I?" says he. "God's sun never shone on a finer country. I love all outdoor sports, and this section is the sportsman's paradise. There is the finest trout fishing in all the streams that empty into the noble Columbia river; hunting (and especially for bear) is excellent within a radius of 20 miles around Northport; we are only 130 miles from Spokane, 10 miles from British Columbia, on a railway (the G. N.), placing the town in easy reach from all points. The country is one of the wildest of the wild and woolly west, and while it just suits me in its present state, the latent resources are everywhere in evidence. The climate is almost perfect, the soil is good and water (the purest in the world) is everywhere, and the mineral showing is enough to convince me that great mines will be discovered here some day."

WEDDING BELLS RING FOR MISS HARRINGTON

A pretty wedding took place last night at the Free Methodist parsonage when Ethel May Harrington was united in marriage to George H. Crawford of Springfield, Rev. E. I. Harrington, father of the bride officiating. Roses were the principal flower used in the house decorations. After the ceremony an enjoyable repast was served in the dining room, about forty-five guests being present. The young couple were the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford leave for Row River where they expect to make their future home with the best wishes of their many friends in Medford.

KATHERINE ELKINS GOES TO WITNESS CORONATION

NEW YORK, May 26.—Miss Katherine Elkins and her mother today are in New York in company with the well known society man, "Billy" Hitt, who has been in almost constant attendance upon her since her father's death. They are en route to London to attend the coronation. Hitt denied that he had married Miss Elkins and also refused to discuss the Abruzzi affair.

KANSAS CITY BELLE TO WED CHINESE DOCTOR

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 26.—People throughout the state of Missouri were shocked today by the announcement that Miss Elizabeth Wood, daughter of a Kansas City contractor, is to marry Dr. Lee Chee, a Chinese graduate of the University Medical college. The couple will go to China, where the oriental bridegroom intends to practice his profession.

JOHN KENNETH TURNER RETIRES FROM WARFARE

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 26.—John Kenneth Turner, author of "Barbarous Mexico" and champion of theinsurrectos, announced here today that his share of the rebellion is over and that he intends to retire to a simple quiet life. He will make his home at Carmel, Cal. Turner says his object was accomplished last Saturday in the release at San Diego of more than 30 insurgents held prisoners by the American military authorities.

Haskins for Health.

Our Correspondents

CENTRAL POINT ITEMS.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church met at the residence of Mrs. Nancy Oberchain Wednesday afternoon. An enjoyable time was had and dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. Thomas Wright of Coquille is visiting here the guest of Mrs. M. M. Cooksey. Mrs. Wright, formerly resided in this vicinity and has many friends in Central Point who welcome her return.

Colonel George P. Mims of Seven Oaks, was calling upon his friends Wednesday morning.

Mr. Garvin of the Shasta Limited spent Wednesday morning with home folks.

Ben Pickett, Phoenix, is visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jeffers.

Mrs. J. B. Stevens of Tolo was shopping here Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler, and Eli Jones spent Wednesday morning in Medford.

Mrs. and Miss Hubbard, Mrs. T. W. Cingcade and son, Wayman Warner, John Mitchell, Mr. Merrill, and Nick Jerry were among the Central Pointers in Medford Wednesday afternoon.

Central Point was very merry Wednesday. The Cowboy and Girl company pitched their tent on Railroad avenue, and had a street parade with the small schoolboys following and enjoying the band as youngsters do.

Memorial Sunday will be observed in Central Point at the opera house, the churches to unite and have a union meeting. Rev. Chase of Woodville will deliver the address. Special music will be sung by a large choir and the opera house will be decorated by the ladies of the W. R. C. befitting the occasion.

S. F. Hathaway has this week sold to Mr. Wilkinson, lately of Union county, the west ten acres of his fine ranch in the suburbs of this city. Consideration \$5000. H. F. Caton made the sale.

Mr. Wilkinson has bought this property for a home and will at once build a fine residence.

Ray Corum of Eugene is visiting relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Dr. Carlow made a professional call in our city Thursday.

William Ulrich of Medford made a business call here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kilburn have returned from Prospect.

John Grieve was down here after supplies this week and returned to Prospect Thursday morning.

J. H. McJimsey and wife spent Thursday in Ashland.

Miss Helen Price left for Ashland to remain for some time Thursday afternoon.

Frank De Ford is moving his household goods to Sams Valley and he and his family will reside there this summer.

Mrs. T. J. O'Hara, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. LoPonte and daughters spent Thursday in Grants Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Beckwith, G. E. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Cingcade, Mrs. Freeman, Miss Norwood, Miss Hoke, Mrs. Tex were Medford visitors from Central Point Thursday.

Commencement exercises of the Central Point high school graduating class will be held in the opera house this Friday evening. The class of 1911 has six members, being the largest class yet graduated from the local high school. Following is the program for Friday evening: Orchestra, selected; salutation, Hul Norcross; quartet, Misses Neal, Elliott, and Darby and Holmes; class prophecy, Paul Norcross; oration, Frank Hatfield; quartet, Messrs. Garvin Pearl, Cooper, Simpkins; class Will, Daniel Herring; valedictory, Ruth Ensley; solo, Miss Grace Garvin; address to class, Hon. B. F. Mulkey.

CITY TREASURER'S NOTICE

Office of the City Treasurer, Medford, Oregon, May 24th, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that there are funds on hand in the city treasury for the redemption of outstanding city warrants issued against the following funds:

Warrants No. 4, 5, and 6 on Jackson street sewer.

Warrant No. 2, on Lateral No. 1, District No. 2.

Warrant No. 1, on Lateral No. 6, District No. 6.

Warrant No. 1, on Lateral No. 7, District No. 11.

Warrants No. 1 and 2, on Lateral No. 1, District No. 4.

Warrant No. 1, on Lateral No. 3, District No. 8.

Warrant No. 2 and 3, on Lateral No. 6, District No. 11.

Warrants No. 2 and 3, on Lateral No. 10, District No. 6.

Interest on the same will cease after the above date.

L. L. JACOBS,
City Treasurer.

57 Haskins for Health.

CHANGES MADE MARRIAGE LAWS

Ceremonies May Be Solemnized by Any Minister or Priest Provided They Have Recorded With County Clerk Evidence of Authority to Act

The marriage law of the state of Oregon was amended by the last legislature and the amendment went into effect this week. It makes the following provisions:

Marrriages may be solemnized by any minister or priest of any church or congregation in the state anywhere within this state provided they have recorded with the county clerk in the county where the marriage is solemnized satisfactory evidence of their authority, said authority to be approved by the county clerk and recorded in a book by him called "Authority to Solemnize Marriage," for which he shall charge 10 cents per folio for recording and indexing, said charge to be not less than 25 cents. Marrriages may be also solemnized by any judicial officer of the state anywhere within his jurisdiction.

Any person solemnizing the marriage who shall refuse to record the same shall forfeit for such refusal or neglect a penalty of not less than ten dollars nor more than fifty dollars to be recovered by action for every five days of such neglect or refusal.

ground on his feet, but in such a way as to turn an ankle and struck a loose board so as to cause it to strike him in the face. He will be unable to work for several days.

F. J. Bell has concluded to extend his tower 20 feet higher. This will give him power enough to throw water over any building in Talent.

The bank building is being rapidly completed. The ceiling is being lath and plastered. When finished it will be one of the finest bank buildings in southern Oregon.

There was quite an excitement in Talent Wednesday evening when Marshal Marion Yount arrested a man by the name of Krebs for being drunk and disorderly. Mr. Krebs arrived on the 4 o'clock train in an intoxicated condition. He proceeded to take possession of the Bell house. Marshal Yount took him in and aimed him for the jail. At the jail door Krebs balked, made a lunge at the marshal, who landed on Krebs' head with his billy, breaking that weapon over his head. Help was called and Krebs was landed in the jail, where he has time to reflect on the ill or getting drunk. The trial will be held Thursday.

Tracy Spencer on Wednesday afternoon had a narrow escape from being seriously injured when he slipped and fell off the roof of E. E. Foss' barn. As it was, he sprained his ankle and bruised his face. While putting shingles on the roof Mr. Spencer slipped on the roof and fell 16 feet to the ground. He struck the

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