

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Walter Valentine and Miss Pearl Peart were married in Medford Thursday at the M. E. church...

Sanitary French Dry Cleaning Works. A. J. Krekeler, who has been secretary and treasurer for the Cuthbert company in Medford...

Ladies, have your suit made by the Berlin Ladies' Tailoring Co., at Central Point, Or. 173\*

Buy your winter's wood cheap now. \$4.50 per cord. Gold Ray Realty Co. \* Mrs. C. C. Hull and Mrs. F. Rothnek of Central Point were Medford visitors yesterday.

At the Sign of Ye Nifty. Levi Angle of Ashland was visiting Medford relatives and friends yesterday. Mr. Angle in an early day owned nearly all the land which now comprises practically all of the northwest part of Medford...

Chinese Sacred Lilies and Japanese air plants at Broadley's. Phone 5181. Elmer Coleman was down from Phoenix Thursday.

Buy your winter's wood cheap now. \$4.50 per cord. Gold Ray Realty Co. \* M. A. Wells and family arrived in Medford yesterday from Syracuse, N. Y. They expect to remain here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Elliott left this morning for a few days automobile pleasure trip to Klamath Falls.

Buy your winter's wood cheap now. \$4.50 per cord. Gold Ray Realty Co. \* Miss Grace Houck, of Los Angeles, who has been in Medford visiting her brother, Jesse Houck, and family, left this morning for Ashland.

See H. A. Holmes, The Insurance Man, over Jackson County Bank. \* Mrs. F. E. Blackburn and Mrs. J. S. Norwood were in Medford yesterday from their orchard ranch near Central Point.

Buy your winter's wood cheap now. \$4.50 per cord. Gold Ray Realty Co. \* Mrs. H. O. Brown and children left this morning for Petaluma, Calif., in which place Mr. Brown has engaged in business.

Several of the numbers on Grace Josephine Brown's program this evening will have the added feature of cello obbligato by Prof. W. A. Eames. One of these, "Mother O' Mine," a beautifully strong song by Frank E. Tours, with words by Rudyard Kipling, is especially enhanced by the rich vibrating tones of the cello.

S. A. Nowell, ladies' tailor. Room 15, P. O. Building. 174\* S. L. Leonard left this morning for Klamath Falls.

Sanitary French Dry Cleaning Works. Miss Macre, a trained nurse of San Francisco, who has been attending the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Allen, returned to her home this morning.

W. M. (Tennessee) Smith will leave for Portland this afternoon to visit his son. Mr. Smith is an extensive farm property owner in Jackson county, and while he will not be here tomorrow to vote for good roads he stated before leaving that he hoped the bond issue would carry.

We are now buying Winter Nells pears. See us before selling. Producers' Fruit Co.

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Mrs. Frank Rose of Talent was in the city this morning. Buy your winter's wood cheap now. \$4.50 per cord. Gold Ray Realty Co. \* Jack Morris of Ashland is in Medford today on business.

The Mutual Life Insurance Co. pays the largest dividends. See J. F. Hutehason. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hansdall returned today to their home at Brawley, Calif.

Twelve acres fruit and alfalfa land for sale. Call on C. Carey, Talent, Oregon. Mrs. John Deward and daughter returned a few days ago from an extended visit to her old home in California.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Durfee returned last night from San Francisco where Mr. Durfee has been in a hospital for five or six months. He is one of the persons injured in a motor accident near Medford last spring. His leg was broken in the accident. The wound made has not properly healed and he is able to move about only with the help of crutches.

At the Sign of Ye Nifty. T. F. McCable of Eagle Point is in Medford today on business. Buy your winter's wood cheap now. \$4.50 per cord. Gold Ray Realty Co. \* Mrs. E. P. Worden returned to Medford yesterday from Ashland where she has been in a hospital for several weeks.

J. C. Schmidt has both phones installed in the old Davis warehouse and will be glad to quote you prices on all kinds of feed and poultry supplies. Mrs. Arylee Grun and son, who have been visiting J. J. Fryer and family at Eagle Point, left last night for Seattle where her son will remain. Mrs. Grun continuing her trip to New York and from there to Europe.

Carkin & Taylor (John H. Carkin, Glenn O. Taylor), attorney-at-law, over Jackson County Bank Building, Medford. O. J. Johnson came down from Butte Falls last night and left on No. 16 for Glendale.

Home-made sorghum molasses, \$1 a gallon. Hutchison & Lumsden, 165\* The Medford Electrical Shop is located at 16 North Front street. \* Mrs. A. V. H. Pierson left last night for a visit to relatives in Rockford, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Tucker left Thursday night for northeastern Oregon. Mrs. Tucker has been an invalid for sometime and the move is made in the hope that her health may be benefited. These are pioneer people here and all their friends are hoping the change will prove beneficial.

Miss Amy McKel left last night for Spokane where she will take a three years course in a class for trained nurses. Arthur Weeks returned to Oakland last night after a week's visit here with relatives.

Look! look! the largest catch of than ever before in Medford. All this week Halibut, black cod and ling cod 10c per lb.; sea smelt, 12 1-2c lb.; red salmon, 15c lb.; sturgeon cat fish, 18c lb.; spring chickens, 20c; fresh creamery butter, 30c; fine steel cut coffee, 30c lb. Fresh shipment of flin-baddy just arrived. Also fresh fish at the Fish Market just arrived clams and oysters. Messler & Kentworthy.

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 29.—Charging that the laths of twenty-four infants between September 1 and 20 were due to impure milk. City Chemist E. C. Calloway filed a report with the city health officers, recommending more stringent inspection of dairies supplying Portland with milk.

According to a Cliflow thousands of gallons of "dirty, impure milk" is being disposed of in the city each day, because he said, the city does not employ enough inspectors.

DIED. TOU VELLE—Thursday, September 29, 1911, Susan M. Tou Velle, aged 6 years, 9 months and 11 days. She was born at Celina, Ohio, and was a widow. Funeral Saturday afternoon at Weeks & McGowan's chapel in this city, Rev. Lucas officiating.

NOTICE. There will be preaching at the Christian church, corner of Sixth and Ivy streets, both morning and evening, October 1, by Evangelist W. T. Adams of Eugene, Oregon.

NOTICE. The W. C. T. U. will meet at Mrs. P. L. Leonard, 14 East Main and Cottage streets Thursday afternoon.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—Small boarding house, with good reputation. You may have the business if you buy the furniture. Cheap if taken at once. Party leaving on account of sickness. Address box 371, Medford, Ore.

MOUNT EINA STILL ACTIVE—CHOLERA EPIDEMIC ADDS TO TERROR



SENTRIES WATCHING ADVANCING LAVA

According to late cable advices the lava streams from Etna continue to advance, but so slowly that no building will be in danger for the next few days. Government outriders report that a couple of thousand people, mainly women, attempted to remove relatives from a cholera hospital four miles outside Francavilla, being frightened by the idea that the building was threatened with destruction by lava. There were about one hundred patients and several suspected cases under treatment in the hospital. People are arriving at Taormina in great numbers to view the eruption, and two winter hotels are filled.

HEARST WILL SUPPORT CLARK

Publisher Says He Considers Champ Clark Able and Representative Democrat and that He Will Aid His Cause.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—William Randolph Hearst returned from abroad today on the Mauretania and when interviewed concerning the outlook of the democratic possibilities for nomination at the coming national convention, he said: "I consider Champ Clark an able and representative democrat and a sincere advocate of democratic principles and I have long supported him."

"I have always been a democrat when the party supported democratic principles and was nominated by genuine democrats. I am disposed to support Clark for the presidency and I do not consider the fact that he is a Southerner, an argument against his nomination as sectionalism is long since dead."

"I do not think the South has received sufficient consideration at the hands of democratic conventions in the past."

When he was asked about his own candidacy Mr. Hearst replied: "I have said that I favor Clark. I cannot be for Clark and myself also."

Every Italian Subject.

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 29.—"Every Italian who has served in the Italian army is subject to the call to arms by his native land, no matter if he is a naturalized citizen of the United States," said Attorney Albert Ferrera, leader of the Italian colony here and editor of the Italian Tribune today.

Ferrera said that the great mass of Italians oppose war with Turkey. Several thousand Italians who have served in the army, reside in Portland.

Sugar. Our word "sugar" is said to be derived from the Arabic "sukkar," the article itself having got into Europe through the Arabian Mohammedans, who overran a great part of the world in the seventh, eighth and ninth centuries. According to Dr. Van Lippman, a Dutch writer, as a result of the Arab invasion of Persia sugar found its way into Arabia, whence again its culture was carried to Cyprus, Rhodes, Sicily and Egypt. In the last named country the preparation of sugar was greatly improved, and the Egyptian product became widely famous. From Egypt the industry spread along the northern coasts of Africa and so entered Spain, where, about the year 1150, some fourteen refineries were in operation. Columbus introduced sugar cane into the new world.—Argonaut.

His Bad Dream. Truly oriental was the defense put forward by a prisoner at Alpbore. Charged with stealing a Hindu idol with its ornaments, he stated that the goddess told him in a dream the night before that, as she was not properly worshipped by the Hindu priest, she would be better taken care of by him, a Mohammedan, and that unless he took charge of her worship she would in her wrath destroy his whole family. The magistrate, however, was not satisfied with the story and sentenced the accused to two months' rigorous imprisonment and to pay a fine.—Bombay Gazette.

Still in Danger. "Is your son out of danger yet?" "No; the doctor is going to make three or four more visits."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

MOOSE MINSTRELS TO BE ONE FEATURE OF FAIR

Every one enjoys a home talent minstrel show. Why? Because it comprehends in its make-up nothing but pure unadulterated fun, combined with melody. When the personnel of the cast is drawn from among those whom we know in the everyday walks of life, and when they use their vantage point of make-up and character on the stage to crack good-natured jokes at their friends in the audience everybody has a good time. No one more so than those on whom the gazes are sprung. That the minstrel show has a permanent place in the hearts of the American people is amply attested by the fact that there is scarcely a city of any size in the United States that does not have at the least one minstrel show during the theatrical season produced by local talent, to say nothing of the traveling shows like Dockstader's and Primrose's.

The slave-trader when he brought the negro to this country little thought that he was providing a character and a means of affording untold amusement to succeeding generations. The fun-loving Americans were quick to seize on the eccentricities of the character and the music claims the peculiarities of the negro melodies and rhythm, and now we have a vast volume of fun-making literature and music from which to draw for minstrel and other entertainments.

The minstrel performance to be given by Crater Lake lodge No. 676, Loyal Order of Moose, at Medford opera house October 3rd and 4th, opens with a snappy opening medley in which comedy makeups are constant by crossing the stage and the end-men have plenty of business. Then the fun follows fast and furious with good ballads interspersed until the curtain falls on the grand finale of the first part. The end-men are the balladists.

The olio will be furnished by John Norling in a musical specialty, Mrs. J. T. Wilson in a child dialect, reading "Over the Balluster," Messrs H. J. Whetsel, E. E. Gore, George Andrews and Ed Andrews in Dudley Buck's "Annie Laurie," and other selections. W. H. Borchers in a dialect ketch and "Dad" Lozier, champion one-player of the U. S. in a specialty.

The show will close with the most laughable operetta ever written for a quartet of voices, entitled, "Our Family Doctor." Director Wilson will be he doctor, E. C. Montgomery the jasso and father of the heroine, Glenn J. Conwell, the contralto and mother of the heroine, and Ed Wild the heroine.

Tickets may be secured of any loose and exchanged for reserved seats at Haskins' drug store after 9 p. m. Monday, October 2, when the sale opens.

Shell Kills Many. SPARTA, Wis., Sept. 29.—Efforts to ascertain the names of dead and injured resulting from the explosion of a high power shell for a three-inch gun on the army range near here today, have been repulsed by the officers at the reservation. It is authoritatively announced that two were killed outright, two more fatally injured and several members of an Ohio battery seriously hurt.

The Wrong Butt. The last time President Taft was traveling in Texas he was invited to a dinner of bacon and boiled cabbage. The invitation was telegraphed from the citizens of a small town to the president's private car and was received by Captain Archibald W. Butt, the president's aid. After consulting with the president the captain telegraphed this reply:

The president accepts your invitation with pleasure. BUTT. This is the way the message read when the prospective hosts received it: The president accepts your invitation with pleasure, but—

—Popular Magazine.

A Condensing Nebula. It has long been suspected that many of the nebulae are in process of condensation into stars, and the famous "white nebula" in Andromeda has been thought by some to be actually a star cluster rather than a mass of gaseous matter. Recent spectroscopic study by Mr. Fath with the sixty inch reflector of the Mount Wilson Solar observatory indicates that this nebula gives spectra of the solar type and that it has really condensed, at least partially, into stars. Mr. Fath finds evidence of progressive change in the spectra of nebulae with change of form, and this progression indicates star clusters as the final product.

Leather Roads. Birmingham, England, has a road made of leather waste, which is judged to be a complete success. There had been no use for the waste leather until somebody conceived the idea of roadmaking with it. It was first shredded into fine bits and then treated with bitumen and tar. The road has been in existence for a year and shows but few signs of wear. Moreover, it makes a comfortable footing for horses.—New Orleans Picayune.

Haskins for Health.

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