

It's a Tough Thing to Bump Into Grouch on Christmas

By "Bud" Fisher



COURT HOUSE NEWS

Real Estate Transfers. O. & C. Dev. Co. to Conrad Alban, land in Tp. 38, 1E. \$ 548. A. E. Heames to Benj. M. Collins, lots 7 and 8, blk. 2, Jacksonville. 10. O. & C. Dev. Co. to Richard Day, land in Tp. 38, 1E. 942.60. Samuel Jolly to A. E. Heames, 196 acres in Sec. 6, Tp. 37, 2W. 1. G. H. Carner to Carlos Megerle property in Woodville. 350. E. D. Colby to J. M. Winter, land in Tp. 36, 1E. 10. Martha M. Brown to E. D. Colby, land in Tp. 36, 1E. 5000. M. C. Danforth to Kent H. Dyng, land in Tp. 37, 2W. 2300. J. W. Richardson to Ira C. Childers, lot 3 blk. 7 Imperial add. Medford. 450. Ira C. Childers to W. A. Pointer, lot 3 blk. 7, Imperial add. Medford. 10. O. & C. Dev. Co. to Fannie Sullivan, land in Tp. 38 1E 426.60. O. & C. Dev. Co. to R. S. Sunnett, 5 acres in Tp. 38 1E. 300. O. & C. Dev. Co. to Louis H. Gallatin, land in Tp. 38, 1E. 892.80. O. & C. Dev. Co. to Gottlieb Mueller, land in Tp. 38 1E 626.40. O. & C. Dev. Co. to Ida M. Garner, 10 acres in Tp. 38 1E. 600. Geo. H. West to Rogue River Timber Co., 127.74 acres in Tp. 36, 3E. 10. August Puhl to Frederick Puhl, 10 acres in Tp. 32, 2W. 600. Wm. H. Stewart to Roe & Anderson Piano Co., property in Mary Place add. Medford. 1. J. L. Hooker to W. A. Pointer property in Kendall add. to Medford. 10. Joanna M. Jones to W. W. Morrison, land in Tp. 35 2W. 10. Annie D. Hall to Oliver B. Brown, 40 acres in Sec. 32, Tp. 35, 1E. 10. E. A. Hildreth to Edward A. Ashman, lots 5 and 6, blk. 21, North Bluff add Butte Falls. 550. W. Wright Von der Helton to Clara Stewart, lot 7, blk. 8, Central add. Eagle Point. 1.

New Cases. Haffie Helms vs. Edward Helms; divorce. C. B. Nathan, attorney for plaintiff.

Marriage Licenses. Guy Cobleigh and Bertha Dittsworth. Albert C. Liebans and Georgia Medina. J. L. Stevens and Mrs. Maggie Adams. C. Carl Clark and Beattie R. Herbert. Fred J. Fick and Nellie V. Williams.

KNIGHTS COLUMBUS NAME NEW OFFICERS

The Knights of Columbus local chapter has elected the following officers: Grand knight, Guy W. Connors; deputy, Leo Miksche; financial secretary, L. La Rouchie; treasurer, J. P. O'Brien; recording secretary, J. P. Murphy; advocate, Robert Telfer; warden, August Singler; chancellor, W. Herbert Stewart; inside guard, J. T. Williams; outside guard, Frank Schmette; lecturer and chaplain, Rev. J. M. O'Farrell; trustees, John Orth, F. I. Beck, M. Reddy. Meetings will be held the first and third Mondays of each month.

TO CURE A GOLD IN ONE DAY. Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c. Haskins for health.

MEDFORD MARKETS

Retail Prices.

Vegetables. Potatoes—1.75 per cwt.; 2c lb. Cabbage—2c. Parsnips—2c. Lettuce—5c head. Carrots—2c. Beets—2c. Onions—2c. Celery—50c @ \$1 doz. Cauliflower—10 @ 15c head. Turnips—2c. Radishes—5c bunch. Onions—Green, 5c bunch. Fruit. Cocoanuts—10c each. Apples—Dried, 10c lb. Lemons—25c dozen. Bananas—10c to 30c per dozen. Oranges—15c to 40c. Cranberries—15c quart. Butter Eggs and Poultry. Butter—Fresh ranch, per roll, 65c; creamy, 85c. Eggs—Fresh ranch, 35c; storage, 25c. Poultry—Hens, dressed, 15c; live, 12c; springs, dressed, 15c. Turkeys—20c to 25c, dressed.

Meats, Wholesale

Beef—Cows, 4 1-2c; steers, 5c. Pork—6 1/2c and 6c. Veal—Dressed, 7 1/2-10c. Mutton—5 @ 3 1-2c, live; lambs, 5c to 7 1/2c. Hay and Feed. Hay—Timothy, \$14; alfalfa, \$12; grass, \$12; grain hay, \$14. Grain—Wheat, 95c bushel; oats, \$35 ton; barley, \$35 ton.

SPECIAL TRAIN.

The demand for accommodations for the Los Angeles excursion has been so great the Southern Pacific company will run a special train for this party, leaving Medford at 3:30 p. m., December 29th. This train will have baggage car, standard sleepers, diner and observation car for the use of the excursionists. Tickets are now on sale at the local ticket office. Make your reservations early so additional sleepers can be secured.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the city council of the city of Medford, Oregon, at its next regular meeting on January 2, 1912, for a license to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in quantities less than a gallon at its place of business on lots 5, 6, 7, 8, block 20, in said city, for a period of six months.

HOTEL NASH CO.

Dated Dec. 14, 1911.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the U. S. Chop House has dissolved partnership. A. Learned having sold his interest to R. B. Sberald. All bills due and payable to above firm will be paid and collected by Pfeiffer & Sberald. 241

CITY NOTICES.

RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Medford, Oregon: That it is the intention of the council to lay a 4-inch water main on Florence avenue from East Main street to Scott street and to assess the cost thereof upon the property fronting on said portion of said street in proportion to the frontage of said property.

The council will meet at the council chamber in the city hall in said city on the 2nd day of January, 1912, at 7:30 p. m., at which time all protests against the laying of said water main on said portion of said street and the assessment of the cost thereof upon the property fronting thereon will be heard.

The foregoing resolution was passed by the city council of the City of Medford on the 19th day of December, 1911, by the following vote: Morrill, aye; Watt, aye; Wortman, aye; Emerick, aye; Elfert, aye, and Millar, aye.

Approved December 20th, 1911.

W. H. CANON, Mayor.

Attest: ROBT. W. TELFER, City Recorder.

MILK ROUTE EXTENDED.

The Medford Dairy, J. W. Snider, proprietor, has decided to extend its milk route to cover all of that portion of the city of Medford lying east of Bear creek bridge, and hereafter Mr. Snider will serve customers in any part of that territory, as well as other parts of Medford. Mr. Snider guarantees the milk from his dairy to be pure, sanitary and fresh. The milk furnished is highly recommended as an excellent baby food. Phone Pacific 291 P J 3; or Home 285-M.

XMAS AND NEW YEARS HOLIDAY RATES.

Sale dates December 22, 24, 25, 26 and 31st, 1911, Jan. 1st, 1912. Return limit Jan. 2d, 1912. Rate fare and third. Rate applies between all points in Oregon and California where regular fare is less than \$15.

(Paid Advertisements.)

FOR CITY TREASURER.

Inasmuch as Lee L. Jacobs has declined to again run for city treasurer I hereby offer myself as a candidate for that office at the city election to be held in January.

GUS SAMUELS.

FOR COUNCILMAN FROM THE THIRD WARD

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for councilman from the Third ward at the coming city election.

J. T. SUMMERVILLE.

CANDIDATE FOR COUNCILMAN FROM SECOND WARD

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for councilman from Second ward at the coming election to be held January 9th, 1912, in the city of Medford.

P. E. WYNKOOP.

CANDIDATE FOR COUNCILMAN FROM THE SECOND WARD

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for councilman from the First ward at the coming election to be held January 9th, 1912, in the city of Medford, Oregon.

L. G. PORTER.

FOR COUNCILMAN FROM THE FIRST WARD

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for councilman from the First ward at the coming city election.

J. W. MITCHELL.

CANDIDATE FOR COUNCILMAN FROM FIRST WARD

Whereas Councilman Wortman of the Second ward has decided to retire I hereby announce myself as a candidate to succeed Mr. Wortman in the city council of the city of Medford, Ore., at the coming election to be held in said city on January 9th, 1912.

EDWARD C. IRELAND.

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FOR RENT—A suite of two or four nicely furnished housekeeping rooms; plumbing, lighted, lower floor, 729 W. 11th st, Main 6693.

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FOR RENT—HOUSES

FOR RENT—Modern 10 room house 3 blocks from Jackson County bank. See Allen Grocery Co. 243

FOR RENT—Two room house, 810 E. Jackson st. Inquire next door east. Phone 5232. 243

FOR RENT—Six room furnished house three blocks from P. O. Inquire at 310 N. Bartlett. 246*

FOR RENT—OFFICES

FOR RENT—Over the postoffice, with heat and light. See A. A. Davis.

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR LEASE—Fully equipped plaster and quartz mine. Gold Ray Realty Co.

FOR RENT—Large and small ranches. Gold Ray Realty Co.

FOR SALE OR RENT

FOR RENT OR SALE—Modern eight room house, garage and large lot, 418 S. Oakdale. Inquire at 426 S. Oakdale. 240

FOR SALE—LOTS

FOR SALE—Would you like to own the very best residence lot in town. I acquired this lot in exchange. I can't use it. Best offer takes. B. F. Benson, Palms rooms. 239*

FOR SALE—Two east fronting lots with new two room house, \$25 down and \$15 per month. M. B. Glover, Palms rooming house, 241

FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE OR RENT—6 room house and 2 lots on paved street, Medford, a bargain; terms. D. H. Sturtevant, Central Point, Ore. 255*

FOR SALE—5 room strictly modern bungalow, best residence district, south facing, on Dakota just off Oakdale, \$3000, terms \$1000 down balance as you say. B. F. Benson, Palms rooms. 239*

FOR SALE—Five room house \$1800. Will take ransack as part payment. Phone 7432 Bell. 239

FOR SALE—ACREAGE

FOR SALE—Garden chicken ranch located in Fall River valley. For further information apply to Mrs. F. A. Houston, Glenburn, Cal. 240

FOR SALE—1 1/2 acres with new 4-room house, ideal chicken ranch; \$550 if taken within ten days. Address H. E. B., care Mail Tribune, or call Home pk. 255-L

FOR SALE—Twenty acres partly improved fruit land; no stores; price \$1750. Address H. care Mail Tribune.

FOR SALE—Six acres; small house; nearly all in fruit; all cleared; price \$1,600; terms. Address Owner, care Mail Tribune.

FOR SALE—Your opportunity to buy an ideal ten or fifteen acre orchard home site, less than one-half mile city limits Medford. Address owner, P. O. box 110, Medford. 240

FOR SALE—LAND

FOR SALE—20 acres of hillside fruit land, deep black soil, none better in the valley, \$200 cash, balance on long easy terms to suit. Also 10 acres bottom land under ditch good for all kinds of truck or alfalfa. \$150 cash, balance long easy terms to suit. Oliver B. Brown, 1427 E. Main st. 244

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FOR SALE—LAND

FOR SALE—Acre and five acre tracts adjoining Medford on long time, easy payments, or might exchange. Gold Ray Realty Co., 101 Electric bldg.

FOR SALE—120 acres side hill fruit land, deep soil, house, barn, chicken house, \$2200, \$700 handles. B. F. Benson, Palms Rooms. 247

FOR SALE OR TRADE

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Cheap, one 24 h. p. 2-cylinder auto. Call Valley Auto, 246*

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Two fine milch cows. Home phone 11-L. 240

FOR SALE—One first class carriage, horse, price reasonable. Address P. O. box 693.

FOR SALE—Potato culms. E. W. Carlton, Upper Table Rock, Telephone "114 Fat" Central Point.

FOR SALE—Cordwood, oak and hardwood, \$5 per cord in carload lots. Gold Ray Realty Co., 218 West Main. Phone 1873.

FOR SALE—Hotel business, good opportunity. Best of reasons for selling. Inquire Hotel Dunlap, Central Point, Ore.

FOR SALE—A four year old mule, well broke and gentle, cheap for the next few days. Inquire 414 S. Riverside.

FOR SALE—30 Barred Plymouth Rocks, pure bred stock, egg laying strain. For quick sale \$1 each, 1201 W. 2nd st. or box 794. 240

FOR SALE—Incubators. I have secured the agency for "Old Trusty," best made. Eighteen hundred in use in country where manufactured. Have known M. M. Johnson, the inventor, twenty years. If interested in an incubator address me at Medford, Ore., or phone Bell 539-J-6. C. W. Potter. 263

FOR EXCHANGE

FOR EXCHANGE—Will exchange splendid Oakdale avenue residence property for cheaper property. B. F. Benson, Palms Rooms. 242

EXCHANGE—160 acres pine timber side hill near Pelton; alfalfa ranch about 25 acres suitable for fruit when cleared. Will trade for lots. Offer, B. F. Benson, owner, Palms Rooms. 240

FOR EXCHANGE—City property, lots, acre tracts and ranches to exchange for other property Gold Ray Realty Co., 161 Electric bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—160 acres pine timber side hill near Pelton's alfalfa ranch in Sams valley; about 25 acres suitable for fruit when cleared. Will trade for city property. Offer, B. F. Benson, owner, Palms Rooms.

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Salesman to aid us supply the brisk demand for our goods; some vacant territory yet in every state west of the Mississippi. Capital City Nursery Co., Salem, Oregon. 261*

WANTED—Salesmen for exclusive territory; big opportunities; no experience necessary; complete line Yakima Valley grown fruit, shade and ornamental stock; cash weekly; outfit free. Toppensh Nursery Co., Toppensh, Wash.

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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To buy a good young Jersey cow. F. M. Corliss, R. F. D. No. 2, box 41, Central Point, Ore. 239

WANTED—You can't help but make money selling our guaranteed-to-give-satisfaction stock; free outfit; cash weekly; exclusive territory. Yakima Valley Nursery Co., Toppensh, Washington.

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