

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

L. B. Warner, Jr., Ralph Woodford, C. I. Hutchinson and H. A. Lumsden spent Wednesday at Happy Camp fishing. Ralph tells a remarkable story about a 30-pound salmon. John W. Pernal of Applegate is making Medford a short business trip. All lawns, dillies and white fabrics at greatly reduced prices at the Golden Rule. Bert Anderson has left for a business trip to California. W. H. O'Gara is spending a few days in the Applegate country on business. Final cleanup sale of summer hats. Your choice of any hat to \$10, at \$1.98. Home Millinery, 1101, West 9th. Mrs. P. J. O'Gara spent Wednesday night at Central Point with friends. A. A. Aitkens of the Golden Rule has left for an eastern buying trip. One-third off on all parasols at the Golden Rule. W. K. Merrill of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company is in Medford on a short business trip. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robinson have returned from a short visit with relatives at Central Point. E. D. Weston, commercial photographer, negatives made any time or place by appointment. Phone M. 1471. W. W. Scott of Central Point spent Thursday in Medford on business. Mrs. and Miss Norwood of Central Point were recent visitors in Medford. Now is the time to get the latest things in parasols at a bargain at the Golden Rule. J. C. Hain has returned from a business trip to Eagle Point. Mrs. George Pankey of Central Point was a recent visitor in Medford. See R. A. Holmes, The Insurance Man, over Jackson County Bank. Mr. and Mrs. George Haker have returned from a business trip to Eagle Point. Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Reed of Dudley have returned from an extended eastern trip. Keep your boys cool by getting them a Buster Brown at the Golden Rule. Prices cut. P. H. Dalley of Eagle Point has moved to Medford where he will make his future home. Mrs. May Bond of Lakeview is visiting friends in the valley. Kodak finishing, the best at Weston's, opposite book store. Homer Rothermal, circulation manager of the Mail Tribune has left for a week's outing at Newport. Mrs. Rothermal has been there for some time. A. S. Rosenbaum local representative of the Southern Pacific company left Wednesday night for Portland to view the Elks parade that city today. Men's straw and Panama hats on special sale at the Golden Rule. Miss Bernice Cameron, manager of the local Postal Telegraph company, left Wednesday evening for a short visit at Portland. J. S. Howard spent Wednesday at Ashland on business. Carlin & Taylor (John H. Carlin, Glenn O. Taylor), attorneys-at-law, over Jackson County Bank Building, Medford. Carl Heilbronner has left for a two week's visit at Newport. A. B. Schuster, advertising manager of the Mail Tribune is confined to his home with a severe illness. A Snap at Berlin's Tailoring Parlors. Three fine men's suits, all wool, latest style, 26, 37 and 38 sizes, for \$10 each. See them now. Miss Alice Keeley of Portland is visiting Medford friends. R. C. Randall and wife of Gold Hill spent Wednesday in this city with friends. Our full line of fine woollens has arrived. Save \$10 by ordering now. We make fine ladies and mens suits. Berlin, Medford, 219 W. Main. Thomas C. Dills of Ashland is in Medford on business. John Twoby of Spokane is in Medford on a short business trip. S. A. Nowell, ladies' tailor, 4th floor M. F. & H. bldg. Mrs. C. E. Evans and Miss Atwood of Weed are spending a few days visiting in Medford. Harry Finley has returned from a trip to California and will visit several weeks with friends here. The Southern Pacific passenger station is the only place in Medford where tickets to points outside of Jackson county can be purchased. John R. Williamson of Elk Creek is in Medford on a short business trip.

H. E. Gale of Merlin spent Wednesday in Medford on business. In spite of the fact that the Medford Elks are having a busy time at Portland they are finding time to send postal cards by the score to local friends. "We are having a fine time," is the message to all. Moved to 31 N. Grape street. The Medford Conservatory for music and languages. G. Taillander, director. Open all summer. Arthur W. Chilson of Eugene is in Medford on a short business trip. Mrs. Clara Bartlett of Salem is in Medford for a visit with friends. She formerly resided here. We pay 25 cents in trade for fresh ranch eggs. Also groceries sold at right prices at C. L. Earsley's Cash Grocery, No. 2, West Jackson street. A service of praise will be given by the choir of the Baptist church next Sunday evening. This being the last Sunday before the choir is given a well earned vacation a special invitation is given the public to attend this service. Wanted to trade acreage in Oakdale Park addition for a small house and lot in Medford. W. H. Everhard, 1013 W. 9th, phone 6671. Charles D. Canaday of Los Angeles is in the city visiting his brother, E. W. Canaday of this city. He may decide to make his home here in the future. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. James have returned from a visit with friends at Grants Pass. John B. Angus has returned from a short business trip to Roseburg. He is a recent arrival from the east and states that he has decided to remain here permanently. A. S. French of Ashland spent Thursday at Medford on a short business trip. Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Johnson have returned from a short visit with friends at Seattle. D. C. Richards of Leland is in Medford for a short visit with friends. He is engaged in mining. William H. Lewis of Anderson creek is in Medford for a short business visit. Allen Clark and Floyd Blackburn of the Big Butte country are in Medford for a short visit. Mrs. H. F. Shipley of lower Applegate is visiting friends in Medford. Miss Ethel Osgoodby of Ashland is visiting friends in this city.

DEFENSE IS AFTER STAR WITNESS

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 11.—The defense in the Darrow trial unloaded another battery today in its attack upon the testimony given by prosecution witness Franklin. After Job Harriman and F. E. Wolfe a newspaper man had been called to refute Franklin's testimony to the effect that bribery money had been passed from Darrow to Franklin. November 28, 1911. I. A. Russell, Harriman's secretary, testified in corroboration of Harriman's statement regarding the withdrawal of \$500 from a Los Angeles bank and its subsequent deposit in another bank to meet a private check that Darrow wished to draw. Following closely upon Harriman's declarations, Russell testified that on November 28, Harriman gave him \$500 to deposit in the California Savings Bank. The money, Russell swore, had been obtained by Harriman from the German American Bank on that day, which was the time the prosecution alleged Harriman removed \$4,000 from the McNamara defense fund for the purpose of bribery. Russell also testified that Franklin and John R. Harrington of Chicago, formerly connected with the McNamara defense, held several private consultations during the McNamara trial. Both men have appeared as "star witnesses" for the prosecution.

RESIGNS AND ASSAULTS TREASURY HEAD



A. Platt Andrew, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, tendered his resignation in a spectacular manner in letters addressed to President Taft and to Mr. MacVeagh, Secretary of the Treasury. Mr. Andrew made a scathing attack on Mr. MacVeagh's ability and his conduct of office. A flood of Mr. Andrew's grievances against the head of his department broke in the correspondence which Mr. Andrew made public. At the White House it was explained that Mr. Andrew's resignation was voluntary, as had been assumed, but was asked for by the President. Mr. Andrew was appointed Assistant Secretary of the Treasury after he had shown ability as expert adviser and secretary to the Aldrich Monetary Commission. Before his appointment as Assistant Secretary he had been director of the United States Mint. Prior to his entrance to official life he was assistant professor of finance at Harvard.

ILLITERACY GREAT IN OLDEN DAYS

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Some of the experts of the bureau of education have been putting in the hot days this summer examining the signatures could write their own names. They found an astonishing amount of illiteracy among our best people—that is, astonishing to us in these days of compulsory education, but not so astounding considering the difficulties of getting an education 200 years ago. After counting nearly 100,000 signatures and marks, the experts found that the people of Massachusetts were best educated, and those of Virginia least. The New York Dutch and the Pennsylvania Germans were above the average in education. In Massachusetts 11 per cent of the men who attested legal papers made their marks instead of signing. In the middle of the seventeenth century 58 per cent of Massachusetts women could not write their own names. By the end of the century this percentage had fallen to 38. In Virginia of over 2000 men who signed jury lists in the seventeenth century 40 per cent made their marks and of over 12,000 who signed legal papers 40 per cent made their marks. An examination of legal papers filed by Pennsylvania Germans showed that 26 per cent of the men were illiterate. Among the Dutch of New York illiteracy declined from 40 per cent in 1675 to six per cent in 1738. In all the colonies women possessed the scantiest educations. In Virginia 76 per cent of the women were illiterate; in New York 60 per cent, in Massachusetts 58 per cent.

WILEY SEES VICTORY FOR WILSON AND MARSHALL

CHICAGO, July 11.—Dr. Harvey Wiley, former republican officeholder, believes Wilson and Marshall, democratic candidates, will sweep the country. Wiley made this assertion here this afternoon. "I think Wilson and Marshall will sweep the country with their kind of progressivism," said Wiley. "They are both progressives from principle and not from policy—as is one person I might mention. I think Roosevelt will run far ahead of Taft on a third party ticket."

Uncle Sam Has Many Mines.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Uncle Sam doesn't know how rich he is in lands and mineral resources. He has been trying to find out for three years with a board of experts, but the stock taking is still unfinished. The classification board has just made a preliminary report, showing that up to date it has classified as coal lands, acreage valued at \$721,856,656—16,174,200 acres in all. It has picked 52,000,000 acres as non-coal land, and tentatively withdrawn, as possible coal-bearing land, 68,926,497 acres. Oil lands have been withdrawn to the extent of 4,744,182 acres, phosphate lands over 3,000,000 acres, and power sites nearly 2,000,000.

Probing Panama Affair.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—An army investigation board submitted a preliminary report to the war department today charging Panama police with unnecessary violence in quelling a street brawl on July 4 last, by shooting down several American marines and soldiers. The board will not investigate the police end of the story and if the preliminary report is sustained the United States will take further action.

Heavyweights Meet Tonight.

SUPELPA, Okla., July 11.—Carl Morris and Con Comskey, heavyweights, will meet in a ten-round bout here tonight with indications that the contest will be stopped by the state police if either man gets hurt. Adjutant General Candon arrived here today and stated that the match would have to be a "scientific boxing exhibition within the provisions of the law," or it would be stopped.

Jury Complete Morrow Case.

CHICAGO, July 11.—The jury which will try Mrs. Rene B. Morrow, society and club woman, for the murder of her inventor husband, Charles B. Morrow, was completed and accepted by attorneys for the defense and prosecution late today. It is composed largely of business men.

Taft Gives Autograph.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—William H. Taft was written today by the president on a baseball for umpire "Sik" O'Loughlin at the request of Representative Reilly of Connecticut. It was the same ball which Taft threw out in opening the season here.

"Fighting Sixth" is Back.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 11.—Bearing Colonel Lea Febiger and the sixth United States infantry, which for the past three years has been fighting the Moro tribes under his command, the transport Sherman arrived here today from the islands. By placing a cake of yeast in a cup of salt it will keep fresh a long time.

The Queer Elephant Shrew.

One kind of African mice we seldom see or read about is the little elephant shrew. It is barely four inches long, but the trunk and shortened tail combined gives it another four to five inches. The fur, though drab instead of gray, is otherwise like that of a chipmunk, as also are its large and delicate ears, while both in the formation and the manner of using its legs it reminds one of a new species of miniature kangaroo. Again, at times, when in a sitting posture, it looks not unlike a fluffy young chicken which is trying to put out of sight a worm that has proved almost too much for it. Indeed, at all times the elongated and highly sensitive nose or trunk is very much like a dark colored and uneasy worm—that organ, which during wakeful moments is always slightly on the wriggle. It has swift leaping powers. It will tuck up its appendages and, like a ball, roll over and over in a straight line, and, after a meal, which occurs at very short intervals and consists of several mouthfuls only, quite surprises one by standing stock still, apart only from a gentle quivering of the trunk.

A Certain Shot.

The aged, wrinkled gamekeeper whistled his dog and scratched his towed head before turning to the company. "Yes, sir," said he; "the rummest master I ever had were old Parson Sharpe. As blind as a bat, he were."

"And did he go shooting?"

"And did he go shooting?" exclaimed the audience in the village workmen's club. "Shooting?" replied the gamekeeper, with a snort of contempt at the question. "Ay, that he did. Yes, he shot regular. When he was in the woods and anything rose I'd cry, 'Birds, sir' and then I'd run behind the parson and the dogs 'd run behind me."

"And then?"

"Then the old gent'd blaze away with both barrels."

"And did he ever hit anything?"

"Oh, yes! Sometimes it wur a cow or a horse or a pig or a dog. Now and again it wur a man. But he always hit something. He were a certain shot, he were!"—London Answers.

Spiking the Guns.

The expression "spiking guns" is a survival from the day when all that was necessary to put a gun out of action (provided, of course, that you had access to it) was a large nail or spike and a hammer. You simply drove the nail into the touch-hole at the breech. If the nail was long enough to turn round at the end on the bottom of the bore so much the better. It is just as simple, perhaps simpler, to put a modern gun out of action. All you want is a hammer. The breech block of the modern gun is held closed by screw threads. After the breech block is shut on the shell a turn of two or three inches engages the threads. By knocking a bar on these threads you prevent them engaging. Any attempt to fire the gun without the breech block being perfectly closed would, of course, be of material assistance to the enemy.

Office Lawyers.

"Office practice is what the average lawyer seeks for now," remarked an attorney. "And that is the business that makes the largest returns for the least waste of tissue. More money is made nowadays by keeping clients out of litigation and free from the dangers of the law's delay than by defending them, even successfully, in court. It is safe to say that there are some 6,000 lawyers who are making a very good living in New York from law business that rarely or never takes them into court and that there are a large number of lawyers who from their counsel work and directing great enterprises and corporations, advising and guiding wealthy clients, take in each year princely—yes, even fabulous—amounts."—Lawyer's Diary.

Russia Conserves Forests. WASHINGTON, July 11.—An interesting story of the conservation of forests in Russia comes from Consul John H. Groat, stationed at Odessa. That the Russians, backward in many things, have long been foreseeing in the matter of timber supply is told by Groat, who says: "While the privately owned woodland of Russia is being annually reduced in area, the extensive state forests, are but gradually being brought into use, and for a long time to come they will continue to be an important reserve timber supply for the world. These forests cover 237,000,000 acres, a proportion of which is well stocked. The increasing utilization of state forests is shown by increasing receipts from the sale of timber, which have risen from \$9,486,300 in 1890 to \$42,525,610 in 1911."

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