

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Shortstop Harper of the Medford baseball team sustained a broken rib in one of the games at Grants Pass last week by being hit by a pitched ball.

See R. H. McCurdy for Aetna Fidelity and Surety Bonds.

Telegraphic reports tell of the sickness of Bud Anderson at his home in Vancouver, and that an operation for gallstones will probably be necessary.

J. O. Gerking, the best all around photographer in southern Oregon. Always reliable. Negatives made anywhere, time or place. Studio 228 Main St. Phone 324-J.

L. D. Mann of Sacramento, is visiting friends in the city for a few days.

Holmes insures homes.

R. W. Easton of Montague, Cal., is attending to business matters in this city and Jacksonville this week.

Kodak finishing and supplies at Weston's Camera Shop. Over Isis Theater.

A squad of Yreka, Cal. Chinamen arrived Tuesday afternoon to make their regular monthly visit with the inmates of the Wah Lee laundry.

Carlin & Taylor, lawyers. (John H. Carlin, Glenn O. Taylor), Haskins-Boyd Bldg., Main street.

Rosewell Coffin arrived this morning from Chicago to spend the summer visiting his parents, E. V. Coffin of this city. Mr. Coffin is employed in the auditor's department of the Illinois Central railway.

Try a "Spitz" cigar, best 5c cigar on the market.

Miss Ina Cochran has returned from a short visit with friends at Butte Falls.

Hay for sale. W. H. Everhard. A "King Spitz" cigar is home made. Try one, 5c.

The consensus of opinion among fight fans in this city was that Willie Ritchie should have been given a draw in his fight with Welsh Tuesday, and the result was a disappointment to many.

The F. W. Shapleigh Hardware company has the best and cheapest hose in town. Prices on everything reduced.

Lorenzo Hamilton, Freeborn Garrison, Parley Johnson, and Myrtle Garnett left this morning for Crescent City, traveling by tandem wheels. They will be gone two weeks, fishing and swimming in the old Pacific.

Only one kind of kodak finishing at Weston's Camera Shop, that's the best. Over Isis Theater.

Mrs. Fred Reed and little daughter, Wave, have returned from a visit with friends and relatives in Klamath Falls.

The finest equipment in Oregon for printing fruit labels. Medford Printing Co.

Miss Bess Clough of Portland is visiting her aunt, Mrs. L. E. Eneyart. She will sail July 18th from San Francisco for a visit to the Philippine Islands.

Get it at DeVoe's.

A light shower fell over the valley Tuesday afternoon, just enough to cool the air and lay the dust in the country.

The Bagley Canning company at Talent are paying 3 1/2 cents per pound for loganberries delivered in bulk, boxes and crates not required. Clean, fresh ripe berries wanted. 9c.

Manager R. E. Hoke of the cannery reports loganberries to be scarce this year. He has made trips to Gold Hill, Merila and other points in the valley to secure shipments and hopes to be able to put in a full day's canning by the first of next week.

Groceries at DeVoe's.

The St. Ann Altar society of the Catholic church will give a dance in the Natorium Friday night, July 10th, music by Harekrig, and admission 50 cents.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Vance and family, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Perl and family and Mr. and Mrs. Png Isaacs motored to Prospect last Sunday, returning by way of Sams Valley.

If you want a lithographed fruit label instead of a printed one, see us, we are agents for Schmitz Lithograph Co. Medford Printing Co.

Bea Calvert of Grants Pass is attending to business matters in the city today.

Dr. Myrtle Lockwood will limit her office hours during July and August to Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 8 to 4 p. m.

J. B. Rice of Roseburg spent Monday and Tuesday in Medford returning to his home this morning.

Call Mitchell for lawn mower troubles. Phone 26.

Weeks & McGowan Co. UNDERTAKERS. Lady Embalmer. Day Phone 337. Night P. W. Weeks 190-28. Phone A. E. Orr 970-35.

Sultriness marked today on account of the high humidity, and this afternoon at 1:00 o'clock the mercury registered 94 degrees. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hopkins of the Snowy Butte orchard near Central Point are visitors in the city today. Screen doors at Medford Lbr. Co. Fred Lewis and wife of Wellen are visitors in the city for a few hours today. Mrs. Jones has another big lard sale Saturday, booth 3, public market. Col. R. C. Washburn of Table Rock spent Tuesday afternoon in the city attending the meeting of the directors of the Rogue River Fruit association. Three or four color fruit labels, your own design as ordered. Medford Printing Co. The Seventh company will hold a practice shoot on their range near this city with the Ashland company rifle team next Sunday. Order your fruit labels of the Medford Printing Co. and keep the money at home. Police Judge Gay left Tuesday night for Salem on official business and as a consequence all police court business has been postponed until tomorrow morning. Fruit labels artistically printed in any and all colors. Medford Printing Co. George Simmons of the Palmer creek country is spending a few days in the city attending to business matters. Wait till Saturday to buy your lard, big sale on at booth 3, public market. Attorney Gus Newbury was a professional visitor in Jacksonville this morning. Until July 15 we will receive orders for special three color apple and pear stationery at cut prices—reduced from \$3.50 to \$4.00 with your business card thereon. Medford Printing Co. S. B. Holmes of Eagle Point is in the city today attending to business matters. We have a \$3500 press, recently installed especially for printing fruit labels. Medford Printing Co. Miss Helen Dahl has returned from a fortnight's visit with friends and relatives at Riddle, Oregon. Medford Conservatory reduced prices for music lessons begin July 1st. Advanced students will be taken at the same low price as beginners. Open all summer. 31 Grape street. W. G. Knighton of Eagle Point, left Wednesday on a visit to Hill, Cal. Arthur W. Clark of the Clark-Henry company, accompanied by Engineer Done, arrived in Medford Wednesday to bid on Pacific highway work. Lance Brothers Tuesday made the record steelhead catch of the year, bringing in 18 from 3 to 9 pounds in weight, caught below Bybee bridge. Clairvoyant, Mme. Dreyfus leaves the 18th inst. Those desiring valuable advice, should consult her at once. Advice by mail \$1.00. Colonial Flats, apartment 2. County Commissioner C. L. Barlow of Josephine county, has tendered his resignation as a member of the board, and the court will take action upon it at the regular meeting in August. Mr. Barlow leaves for Bellingham, Washington, where he will engage in business.

Support from both the old parties and be elected. "I haven't got anything to say about the governorship or anything else concerning politics," said the colonel when he came out of the room. "If I have anything to say later to alter my previous statement you will know about it." Somebody handed to the colonel a newspaper despatch quoting Henry Savage Landor, of England, as renewing his attack on Roosevelt's claim to the discovery of a river in South America. "Landor," the colonel exclaimed, "is perfectly preposterous absurdity. No serious scientist dreams of accepting him as anything more than a buffoon as an explorer." Colonel Roosevelt agreed today to make his speech in Boston originally set for July 24, on August 17.

NOTICE FOR SEWER BIDS. Notice is hereby given that the city council will receive sealed bids for the construction of an eight (8) inch lateral sewer on Dakota avenue, from Peach street to Newtown street. All bids must be filed with the undersigned at the recorder's office not later than 5:00 p. m. Tuesday, July 21st, 1914, and must be accompanied by a certified check for five per cent (5%) of the bid. Plans and specifications governing the construction of this sewer may be seen at the city engineer's office. Dated July 8th, 1914. ELMER T. FOSS, Recorder of the City of Medford, Ore.

Patronize Home By smoking Mt. Pitt, the best 5c cigar on the market.

FIRST FOREST FIRE OF YEAR POORMAN CREEK

The first forest fire of the season in this section occurred Monday on Poorman creek, near Jacksonville, when forty-three and one-third cords of wood belonging to Pierce Bros. was burned. The fire started when brush burning got beyond control. Forest rangers from the Applegate co-operating with the Jackson County Patrol association, battled the flames. Fifteen acres were burned over. Another brush fire is raging at Rogue River today, which is outside of forest service jurisdiction, and is being controlled by the patrol association and state fire fighters. These two fires cause the smoky sky. Telephone lines built by the forest service this spring are now in operation, covering twenty-two miles, as follows: Fifteen miles on Elk creek to the Umqua divide, two and one-half miles from Butte Falls to Santiam lookout, and four miles from Wagner's Butte to Long's cabin. Rangers for lookout stations were sent out the first of this month. Forest Supervisor Erickson will leave the first of the week for a ten days' trip of inspection over the Butte Falls district.

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WASHINGTON, July 8.—Half a million dollars to pay expenses of the national government exhibit at the San Francisco exposition was today voted in the sundry civil bill by the senate. It provides for a building and allows not more than \$50,000 for the use of the secretary of war in entertaining foreign guests. Senator Vandaman of Mississippi made a fight on the appropriation, objecting particularly to the entertainment fund. "The world has gone mad on the question of society," he said. "I wish we could go back to the dignified simplicity of the days when Thomas Jefferson occupied the white house."

SENATE APPROPRIATES \$500,000 EXPOSITION

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Complying with a resolution passed by the County School Superintendents at their convention here last week, State Superintendent of Public Instruction Churchill has announced that he will prepare in the near future a uniform card record for the pupils of the grades and high schools in districts of the second and third class. The teacher, in addition to recording on these cards the standing of the pupil in each subject, will also record an estimate of the pupil's application to his work, a note of the subjects in which he excels, a physical record, and the lines of work in which he is especially interested. When the child enters high school this record, it is believed, will be valuable to the teacher and to the parent in planning the pupil's high school course. The record, in short, will be a vocational guide, and will be of aid to the teacher in assisting the boy or girl in ascertaining what kind of work they are best fitted for.

BERLIN, July 8.—The German Lawn Tennis association today made an official announcement stating that Germany would not participate in the international tournament for the Davis cup, thus contradicting the report current here yesterday that a team was to be sent to the United States to meet the Australians.

DAVIS CUP DOUBLES WON BY ENGLAND

FOLKESTONE, England, July 8.—England won today the doubles match against Belgium in the first preliminary round of the competition for the Dwight F. Davis international lawn tennis trophy, and this with their two successes in the singles matches yesterday gave them the victory in the round.

MURDER MYSTERY SOLVED

Daughter Contradicts Elizabeth Carman, 12-year-old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Carman, testified that directly after the shot was fired she ran upstairs and saw her mother, her aunt and her grandmother there. Her mother, she said, was in a kimono. Ellsworth Barden, a new witness, testified just before the hearing closed, that he had seen a woman he was unable to identify running away from the doctor's office shortly after the shot which killed Mrs. Bailey was fired. She wore a dark skirt and white shirtwaist. Witnesses testifying at previous sessions of the inquest swore that Mrs. Carman was thus garbed on the night of the murder. She has maintained, however, that she was dressed in a kimono and in her bedroom at the time of the shooting. In this contention Mrs. Carman was borne out on the stand today by her young daughter, Elizabeth. The district attorney informed the coroner after the inquest that he believed a woman should be immediately arrested and held for the murder. The coroner answered that he would review the testimony taken at today's inquest and might order an arrest before night.

SUFFRAGETTES TRY TO SEE ROYALTY

DUMBARTON, Scotland, July 8.—Militant suffragettes made desperate efforts today to attract the attention of King George and Queen Mary who are making a tour through Scotland. At Balloch Bridge at the foot of Loch Lomond the women cut down all the decorations, and at Dalnair, ten miles from Glasgow, they managed to break out a huge banner tearing the words, "Your Majesty, stop—the terrible feeding of and torturing of women," across the route as the procession arrived. At the same time one woman armed with a megaphone, howled denunciations of forcible feeding. Neither the king nor the queen paid the slightest attention, but the crowd displayed such a hostile attitude that the militant suffragettes beat a hasty retreat.

RAILS COST MORE THAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 8.—The child born out of wedlock is not ordinarily a defective nor is it necessarily bad, according to Dr. M. E. Grossmann of the National Association for the Study and Education of Exceptional Children, who spoke today before the department of special education at the convention of the National Educational association. A close study of thousands of cases, he said, had disclosed the startling fact that less than 10 per cent of the children born to women leading irregular lives were below normal. Dr. Grossmann further declared there was no such thing as an average child. "Every child is an exceptional child, a different child," he said. "There is no standard by which to judge them as 'average'."

UNIFORM CARD FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL PUPILS

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FREIGHT HANDLERS TO VOTE ON STRIKE

CHICAGO, July 8.—Representatives of freight handlers, clerks, baggagemen, warehousemen and trimmen of sixty-seven railroad lines west of Chicago were occupied today in preparing an ultimatum to be sent to the board of managers of the roads. The executive committee of the employees voted yesterday to take a referendum strike vote in their organizations. A strike vote by the engineers and firemen of the roads, it is in progress. At the meeting yesterday it was decided that all the railroad employees would net together in the matter of their demands.

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FOR SALE—Pigs with sow

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RECORD BREAKING CROP FORECASTS SHOW PROSPERITY

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Thirty million bushels of wheat were added to the prospects of the crop during June by the excellent weather conditions, making the forecast of the crop, as announced today by the department of agriculture 93,000,000 bushels, a new record. The acreage planted to corn this year, was only slightly less than that of last year, while the condition of that crop was one per cent better than the ten year July average, making the prospects good for a crop estimated by the department of agriculture at 2,868,000,000 bushels. That would be better than for the last five years. Forecasts of the total production of the nation's principal crops, interpreted from reports of the crops on July 1 were announced by the department of agriculture as follows: Winter wheat, 655,000,000 bushels; spring wheat, 275,000,000 bushels; total wheat crop, 930,000,000 bushels; corn, 2,868,000,000 bushels; oats, 1,201,000,000 bushels; barley, 211,000,000 bushels; white potatoes, 356,000,000 bushels; sweet potatoes, 50,000,000 bushels; tobacco, 733,000,000 pounds; flax, 18,000,000 bushels; rice, 23,000,000 bushels.

RESOLUTE WINNER ON TIME ALLOWANCE

NEWPORT, R. I., July 8.—The Tri-City Sloop Defiance developed trouble with her peak halyard blocks and was forced to leave today's cup yacht race to her two rivals. A fine heavy weather test of the yachts was promised when the Resolute and the Vanitie reached the starting line, four miles southeast of Brenton's Reef lightship. A snappy 15-mile southwest sweep across the course and the sea was covered with whitecaps. The course for today's race was a 15-mile thrash to windward and return. Vanitie crossed the line first in today's race but Resolute won the contest on time allowance. The yachts crossed the finish line as follows: Vanitie, 3:43:26; Resolute, 3:44:01.

NOT ENEMY TO BUSINESS

The new lines which are now clearly indicated for the future. The president said today he earnestly hoped Mr. Warburg would reconsider his decision not to accept the nomination and that he was urging him to do so. He expressed confidence that Mr. Jones would be confirmed. The senate banking committee had no meeting today, but an opportunity will be afforded tomorrow for a formal motion to withdraw the invitation that Mr. Warburg appear to be questioned. It was said today by members the majority probably would oppose it. Acting Chairman Hitchcock said no suggestion had reached him from administration officials for withdrawal of the invitation. The nomination of Thomas D. Jones of Chicago also will be taken up tomorrow. It was not certain today that Mr. Jones would be approved by a majority. It became known today that several

NEW HAVEN SHARES FEATURE OF MARKET

CLEVELAND, O., July 8.—The estate, said to amount to millions, left by Thomas H. White, founder of a sewing machine company, who died June 22, will ultimately be used for Clevelanders in educational and charitable work, scientific research, care of needy, sick and aged, and to improve living conditions of the poor, according to announcement made tonight by F. H. Goff, president of a trust company which will have charge of the carrying out of the provisions of the will. The estate is left to the five children of the deceased and at their death is to be used in philanthropic work. The amount of the estate was not made known.

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NEW YORK, July 8.—New Haven shares were the feature of today's early market, by reason of the announcement that the government purposes carrying out its dissolution suit against the road. The stock fell a fraction over a point. Should securities were again subjected to pressure, with pronounced weakness in Missouri Pacific to be weakly sold at 4 1/2, a loss of 2 1/2 points, while Denver Improvement rises 10 1/2 points. You Get the Best There is when you smoke Gov. Johnson cigars and patronize home industries.

What About that Vacation for Your Feet? A pair of our low-heeled, easy comforts will give the required rest. Bekling's "Good Fit" Shoes Store.

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Hotel Holland This cozy hotel is now open again and you will be at home the moment you enter. This hotel is particularly noted for its homelike surroundings, and its artistic furnishings. Hot and cold running water and steam heat in all rooms. Rates per day: Room without bath, 75c and \$1.00. Room with private shower bath, \$1.25. Room with private bath, \$1.50 and up. Three rooms left at \$10.00 per month. First come, first served. Come quick. SPECIAL LOW RATES BY WEEK OR MONTH

Hotel Moore Clean rooms, clean beds and everything sanitary. Rates per day 50c and 75c. I respectfully beg to announce that the above hotels are all operated under my sole ownership and management, and I wish to thank you for your kind patronage in the past and I hope to deserve success in the future. Your obedient servant, EMIL MOHR Be you Plutocrat, Autocrat, Aristocrat or Democrat makes no difference to us. You are welcome.

DELIGHTFUL NEWPORT "Tried and True" is this old reliable outing resort, with a wealth of natural scenery, healthful drives, a splendid beach and numerous near-by points of interest: Lighthouse, Devil's Punchbowl, Seal Rocks, etc. Special Low Round-Trip Season Fares Week-End Fares to All Points and Sunday Excursion Fares from Albany and Corvallis via the SOUTHERN PACIFIC The Exposition Line 1915 DOUBLE DAILY TRAINS Leave Albany, daily 7:30 A. M. Leave Albany, daily except Sunday 1:00 P. M. Leave Corvallis, daily 8:00 A. M. Leave Corvallis, daily except Sunday 1:40 P. M. Connections made at Albany and Corvallis with S. P. trains. Special Excursion Train will leave Newport every Sunday evening at 6:00 p. m., arrive Corvallis 10:15 p. m., Albany 10:45 p. m. Good Fishing Streams Along the C. & E. At Elk City, Morrison, Toledo and along the Vanuina river, also on the Breitenbush and Santiam rivers, on the East End. For folders describing Newport as an outing place call on our near Agent. John M. Scott, General Passenger Agent, Portland, Oregon.