

FEDERAL JURORS DRAWN TO SERVE MEDFORD TERM

Jurors drawn to report at Medford on October 6, 1914. For duty as jurors during the October, 1914, term of the United States district court for the district of Oregon: A. C. Abraham, Medford. Samuel Anderson, Leland. William Crow, Merlin. Frank Ditsworth, Prospect. Ira J. Dodge, Medford. H. G. Dox, Jacksonville. J. C. Dysert, Kerby. Harry E. Foster, Medford. Jos. Harper, Grants Pass. C. A. Heath, Grants Pass. W. D. John, Williams. J. E. Kerley, Grants Pass. G. H. Keesterson, Grants Pass. C. M. Kidd, Medford. J. H. Kincaid, Williams. E. A. Langley, Jacksonville. William Mackenzie, Hugo. Gus Nichols, Eagle Point. L. Niedermeyer, Jacksonville. H. N. Parker, Grants Pass. J. G. Parsons, Hugo. H. B. Patterson, Medford. Frederick Pelouse, Eagle Point. L. J. Perdue, Grants Pass. Joseph Pollock, Grants Pass. I. A. Proutt, Medford. W. P. Quinn, Grants Pass. J. F. Reddy, Medford. John M. Root, Medford. R. E. Ross, Grants Pass. A. B. Saling, Medford. F. M. Shapleigh, Medford. J. J. Skinner, Medford. Orie Smith, Kerby. Thomas Stanley, Lake Creek. J. T. Sullivan, Medford. John F. Sundell, Grants Pass. S. J. Taylor, Grants Pass. C. E. Terrill, Lake Creek. E. G. Trowbridge, Medford. W. W. Tucker, Grants Pass. W. G. Vanderbilt, Grants Pass. H. von der Hellen, Wellen. B. S. Watts, Murphy. Wilbur Williams, Grants Pass. A. L. Wimer, Talent. H. Wood, Grants Pass. C. E. Woolfolk, Grants Pass. J. F. Wortman, Phoenix.

PROSPECTOR'S BODY FOUND ON CREEK

ROSEBURG, Or., Sept. 17.—After being missing for nearly two years, the body of James Hwey, a mining prospector, was found on the banks of Starveout creek, in southern Douglas county, Monday. Coroner Jewett was summoned and will have the body interred near the spot where Hwey died. Hwey and a companion by the name of Horton had been prospecting for mineral on Starveout creek for a number of years, when Hwey suddenly disappeared. Searching parties were formed from time to time, but no trace of him was found until today, when hunters discovered his body lying near a trail some distance from his cabin. As accurately as can be determined he left his cabin on October 1, 1912, and probably died from exposure in a snowstorm.

DETECTIVES' DEMURRER OVERRULED BY CALKINS

Judge Calkins Wednesday at Grants Pass overruled the demurrer filed in the case of the state vs. Ernest Demmon, Charles Hass and F. Kirkwood, the three men whom Olin M. Jackson alleges attempted to extort money from him. Kirkwood, one of the detectives who participated in the arrest of Jackson, and who was indicted by the grand jury along with Hass and Demmon, is coming from the east to appear as a witness and to stand trial upon the indictment. The trial is delayed to await his arrival. County Attorney Miller will be assisted in the prosecution by A. E. Reames.

NORTH PHOENIX NOTES

L. P. Harrington, industrial field worker, and A. R. Chase, supervisor, visited our school one day last week. School closed Friday afternoon to give the pupils a chance to attend the county fair at Medford. George Yost and family spent the week end in the Applegate country, blackberrying. Miss Fay Carver of Phoenix spent Monday with E. E. Reames' family. Mr. and Mrs. Boyer, Mr. and Mrs. John Graffis, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. J. W. Miller and George Andrews Sunday with W. E. Anderson and family.

NEWS FROM COUNTRY CORRESPONDENTS

RIVERSIDE RIPPLES

Miss Lyndall Jacobs who has been here since January with her brother on the ranch returned Wednesday to Council Bluffs. Her many friends are sorry to see her go but look forward to her return in a year or two. Mr. and Mrs. Stennett of Ashland are guests at the home of W. W. Hinkle. H. D. Jones who has been quite ill since his return from Portland, is somewhat improved and with cooler weather here expects to be about soon. Joe Baker launched a fine boat on Rogue River Sunday. It is his own manufacture and is very attractive in bright colors. It was christened "Violet," which shows up well on the side. F. E. Wahl was in Medford Fair week, an employe of the Jackson County Fair in the capacity of book-keeper. Mrs. Wahl is spending the present week in Medford at the Chieffellin grocery. Miss Bertha Woolverton is attending school in Gold Hill, a student in the commercial course. Mrs. W. A. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elliott were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Champlain. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Nye were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Alden, returning to Medford Sunday p. m. in their auto. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wahl and Mrs. Gay. Al Wolverson has been laid up with troubles that are real while they last and he did the proper amount of groaning. He had a felon and a carbuncle. Dr. Chisholm was called and both were lanced. Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Stead were dinner guests Saturday evening at the Lynn Sylth home in Gold Hill. Mrs. Sprague and Miss Harper motored to Medford Friday. Mrs. Gay returned with them from her first week's school duties at Phoenix. The Recreation club has resumed meetings and had a delightful meeting Thursday with Mrs. D. H. Stead as hostess. Riverside has the honor of taking first prize on pears at the Jackson County Fair. H. B. Nye was given first on a box of comice pears. The party given in the McDonald house on Riverside Saturday eve was without question the most enjoyable affair ever given there. It was given in honor of Miss Lyndall Jacobs who leaves this week for Council Bluffs, and was a complete surprise. A few friends went to her home and informed her of the gathering near by. Mr. Nye brought his Victrola and old and young enjoyed the dancing. No one was permitted to be a wall flower and few chose to be. Those present from away were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Nye of Medford, Mr. and Mrs. Stennett of Ashland, and Mr. Schmidt of Grants Pass. Others present were Messrs. and Mesdames W. W. Hittle, I. H. Porter, G. B. Alden, F. E. Wahl, L. J. Miller and P. Schaumburg, the Misses Lyndall Jacobs, Bertha Woolverton and Reta Robbins; Messrs. C. H. Alden, Wahl Sr., George Jacobs, Joe Baker, Al Wolverson and Mrs. Robbins. During the evening light refreshments were served consisting of cake, sandwiches and coffee.

COOKING SCHOOL OPENS HERE FRIDAY

The California-Oregon Power company is pleased to have secured the services of Mrs. Elinor Meacham Redington, who will give instructions in electric cooking in Medford beginning Sept. 18, at 2 p. m. Mrs. Redington is acknowledged to be the greatest expert in electric cooking in America, having been in the service of the Hughes Electric company for several years. Besides being well known as a lecturer on electric appliances Mrs. Redington is a graduate in scientific subjects and a most successful teacher of scientific cooking. Mrs. Redington is the youngest daughter of Hon. A. B. Meacham, well known in Oregon pioneer history and inherits her father's wonderful gift of public speaking. Her talks on home topics are exceedingly fascinating and her hearers never grow weary of her little talks on "Modern Home Making and Keeping," for Mrs. Redington says it is "one thing to make a home and another to keep it." The school of electric cooking which will open September 18, 2 p. m., will be in charge of Mrs. Elinor M. Redington, B. S., graduate teacher of scientific subjects. Mrs. Redington speaks to crowded houses, six hundred women being turned away on the first day of her "Home Manufacturers Cooking School" in Seattle. There is never a dull moment in the two hours Mrs. Redington talks, while she concocts the most appetizing and dainty dishes—dishes which are served to the audience at the close of the session.

ALONG ROGUE RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Howard will spend the winter on the Graham place. Mr. and Mrs. Graham will leave for the east in a few days to spend the winter. Mrs. Jettie Clarno entertained Mesdames Mathews, Dick Johnson and Eugene Bellows Thursday. Mrs. Daw was a Medford visitor the last of the week. Edwin Piel returned from Klamath county Wednesday. Among those who attended the fair in Medford were Mr. and Mrs. Gaines, J. C. Hannah, Joe and Miss Mia and Ellen Rainey. Schuyler Hammond was down from Elk creek a few days ago. Mr. Backus of Portland was the guest of Henry French Saturday night. The frost did quite a bit of damage to gardens. John Walker made a trip with fruit to the lake a few days ago. Will Houston began making sorghum Monday. Monday was a busy and interesting day for a number of the children, as several schools opened that day. John Nealon began in the Central; Miss Rose Nealon in the Reece Creek, Miss Ida Houston in the Long Branch and Miss Florence Kincaid in the DeBinger Gap. Mr. Price and family of Medford autored out to Wallace Coffeen's Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Morgan and Mrs. Murray have just returned from Crater Lake. Mrs. Murray visited her son while there. John Robertson and family are visiting his parents. Mrs. Henry French called on Mrs. Pettigrew Sunday. Eugene Bellows took a load of fine logs to Eagle Point Tuesday. Fred Pettigrew has built a nice addition to his house.

ASHLAND NEWS

During the past few days really transfers have been lively. O. Winter has sold two residences, one on Allison street and another on Union, both to local parties. Frank Tehige of Nebraska has purchased the Jas. Lowe ranch of 160 acres, east of town. Mesdames Jack and Ferguson, sisters, have purchased the Whittey residence on Woolen street and will make Ashland their permanent home. Louis Hiltv has sold his home on Union street to V. A. Stewart, from Arizona, who has also purchased the eastern store on the boulevard. J. G. Cozort of Roseburg has secured the Cole residence property on B street and will remove here. Mrs. Marie Christian Watkins has come into possession of Hillsdale ranch, up the canyon, including a house and twenty-one acres, purchased of Mrs. W. E. Stone, and rumors are that this property will be converted to sanitarium purposes. J. W. Haskins, a prominent rancher of the Klamath section, has purchased of C. D. Fager two and one-half acres at the junction of Iowa and Garfield streets, and will adapt himself to the life of a "retired farmer." H. H. Voss, Southern Pacific employe, has purchased of Harry Mathes the house and lot corner of Fifth and C streets. There are other transfers, but these are sufficient as an index of something doing along these lines in this vicinity. Added to these local transfers is a \$25,000 deal brewing for the exchange of a section of wheat land in Umatilla county for various properties, a portion of which is represented by an extensive ranch in territory tributary to Ashland. Polytechnic school matters take on additional complications. Early in the week several levies were made upon the physical equipment stored here by parties dissatisfied over scholarship matters. A wire from President Gibson at Oakland, Cal., states that he will make every effort to reopen the school by October 1, and urges citizens to co-operate with him in having Professor Hardy, who was formerly here, return and take charge of the institution. The president thinks that concerted action will win out. From the climatic extreme as between Calixico, on the Mexican border, and Yellowstone park, will be the experience of the first United States cavalry, a detachment of which passed through northbound Monday, under the command of Lieutenant Picard. On Monday, George W. Dunn, accompanied by Ed Hugues and the Eliason brothers, Ross and Lars, made a flying trip in Judge Dunn's car to inspect a ranch property in Josephine county, near Holland. They left Ashland at 7:45 in the morning, arriving home at 10:45 in the evening, covering a distance of 165 miles. The time included an hour's stop at Grants Pass and four hours inspecting the property, which is a ranch of 320 acres, involving a purchase price of \$12,000. The auto is a modest Ford, which has been in use three years. Its staying qualities were put

to the test on the recent Shiner outing in Marshfield. Ten gallons of gasoline were used on the round trip. Edward Bailey, a former county judge of Curry county, and present resident of First avenue, in this city, has been seriously ill for some time past. W. H. Bennett, who summers in Ashland and winters in Red Bluff, Cal., a fixed habit which he has followed for the past seven years, left for the southern town Tuesday. C. W. De Carlow, caretaker of Pinehurst (which, being translated into the classic vernacular, means the shake of old-time memories) was in town early in the week laying in supplies. Incidentally, he brought in a load of southern California tourists as ballast, they having been camped in that locality. Mrs. De Carlow conducts the hotel at Pinehurst, and Miss Lulu De Carlow is postmistress. Railroad men who perambulate about these division headquarters intermittently as well as at stated intervals, have been for the past two days, Superintendent Barkhalter and party, southbound in the private car Siskiyou; George V. Gillette, trainmaster; O. Thomas of Dunsmuir, and P. J. Kinkelof of San Francisco, agent and chief respectively, of the Southern Pacific detective bureau. Some of the finest specimens of amateur photography, the handiwork of members of the local Siskiyou Camera club, are being exhibited by Crestor Stevenson, an art in which he excels. He has already won a \$175 camera from the Graflex, official publication of the Eastman company, and liberal cash prizes from the Ladies' Home Journal. School authorities of the city district have bought apparatus to be used in teaching organized play. At each school there will be a play hour under the direction of the teachers. For the larger pupils there will be such games as volley ball, corner ball, playground ball, outdoor basketball and tennis. For the little folks running games will be directed by the teachers. On each ground such apparatus as teeters, swings and giant strides will be installed. The play manual published by the state department will be followed. At the regular session of the city council held Tuesday night several matters came up of local import, in addition to routine affairs. The hobo problem during the coming months was discussed. The installation of a rock pile was frowned upon. One tender-hearted councilman suggested instead that the soup be thickened up a trifle, while other officials were of the opinion that the soup ought to be thinned to the accompaniment of hard labor. The most important action taken was in regard to the Pacific highway work, especially that portion on the western outskirts of the city. A committee of three was appointed, including Mayor Johnson, and Councilmen Ware and Beaver, to meet with the highway commission and county court in the furtherance of some equitable solution of the controversy. Such a conference would imply the elimination of the contention over the Billings property, allowing the highway to run practically where it now is, reducing the grades of Farnham hill to from 3 to 5 per cent in that locality by slight deviations in the right of way. The railroad crossing would remain at grade and be protected by an electric gong alarm. It is taken for granted that

the Southern Pacific and the highway commission are willing to compromise on such a plan, and without speaking for the other two members of the committee, Mayor Johnson certainly favors it, to the end that the uncompleted link in that locality may be finished up without further delay. D. M. Lowe is busy collecting exhibits from the several fairs, including the county one at Medford, for a big display at the state fair at Salem. The various school industrial fairs throughout the county will also assist in making up the exhibit, which will be a cartload one from Jackson county. With the arrival of the fall months an impetus is being given to the social element, notably, fraternal gatherings. Alpha Chapter, No. 1, O. E. S., has entered into the spirit of the season. At the refreshment hour on Tuesday evening it dedicated a new set of china, consisting of 1500 individual pieces, the most important adjunct to table equipment ever secured for Masonic hall. The chapter now has a membership of 250.

The fourth quarterly conference of the local M. E. church was held on Tuesday evening, Rev. H. J. Van Fossen, district superintendent, presiding. Various officials were elected. Strong resolutions were adopted commending the work of the present pastor, Rev. W. J. Douglass, and requesting that he be continued in this field. Among lay delegates selected to attend the Oregon general conference at Portland next week were A. W. Beaver, Mrs. H. J. Van Fossen, Mrs. W. J. Douglass, G. F. Billings and Dr. G. W. Gregg.

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