

# LOCAL AND PERSONAL

A committee meeting with representatives from each of the parent-teacher circles of the city was held at the library Monday afternoon, which resulted in the endorsement of B. J. Palmer, the piano dealer, as candidate for the directorship of the city schools, to be elected at the coming school election June 21st, 1915. Read notice of the city of Medford in issue of this date.

Haying is in full swing throughout the valley, and the farmers are rushing the work to avoid any damage from rain. While no clouds are in sight, the belief is strong in some quarters that June will be marked by much moisture. The haying season has caused a migration of work hunters from the street corners.

If you want your friends to see the valley get a cheap auto ride. Phone 822-J evenings. 66

A man came to town this morning and stretched a tight rope from which is suspended a trapeze, across Main street. It is his intention to perform therefrom, afterwards passing the hat. However, the police are of the opinion that unless something softer and more yielding than the pavement is provided, for the gentleman to light upon in case of a misstep, there will be no show.

Velvet ice cream at De Voe's. Judge Twoby of Spokane, who is City railroad has returned from a trip through the east. He will be in Grants Pass for the celebration of "Railroad Day" to be held in that city in the near future.

Pop corn Crispettes at De Voe's. Walter Harrington will leave Sunday morning for San Francisco. Mr. Harrington has been promoted to the San Francisco office of the Associated Press.

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J. R. Harvey of Grants Pass spent Monday in Medford attending to business matters.

See Dave Wood about that fire insurance policy. Office Mail Tribune Bldg.

Henry Wigman of Corvallis is spending a few days in the city attending to business matters.

Screen doors at Medford Lumber Co.

Sailor White, who battled and boxed with such pugilists as Gunbot Smith, Frank Moran, Champion Wilford and Jack Johnson, has taken the initial steps for the formation of a school of boxing in this city. The purpose of the school is to learn students how to handle their fists scientifically.

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The present itinerary of the Liberty Bell on the journey to the San Francisco fair, calls for its departure from Roseburg at 5 o'clock p. m. July 15, which will bring the treasured relic to this city in the early morning hours of July 16. Governor Withycombe will accompany the bell on its journey from Portland to Ashland, according to plans announced by the committee in charge.

Get filtered gasoline from the Red filter at Garnett-Cory's.

Wilson Waite and R. Curran left Monday night for Portland to attend the Rose show.

Siskiyou or Colostin mineral water, 10 cents per bottle at De Voe's.

Autoists are warned by the police that in driving into areas they are supposed to travel to the street intersection, instead of turning in, and driving in front of travel, a short turn being called for. Several near accidents have occurred on Main street between Front and Central avenues by this procedure.

Have your lawn mower sharpened by J. W. Mitchell, phone 250-J. If "Shine" Edwards was fined \$5 and costs in the police court Monday for disorderly conduct. Noah Lyons forfeited a similar amount in bail for failing to appear to answer to the same charge.

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There will be a meeting of the Water Users' League at the public library tomorrow afternoon when steps will be taken towards the securing of members to the organization and formal adoption of the by-laws and constitution.

Dr. M. C. Barber, Palm block, hours 8 to 4. Phone: Office 110; Home 11022.

Joe Beaman of Gold Hill was a business visitor in the city for a few hours Monday.

A big ice cold milk shake only five cents at De Voe's.

H. G. McWilliams of Ashland was a business visitor in the city for a few hours Monday afternoon.

Magazines and newspapers. Phone us your wants. We deliver by bicycle messenger. Medford Cigar Store, Phone 888.

Roads are reported to have made several raids the last week upon goats, sheep and cattle in the foothill districts.

De Voe carries the best line of five cent cigars in the city.

There have been no reports of forest fires reported to the forestry service office to date. There is much burning of slashings throughout the valley which accounts for the smoke. Jud Pernoll of Grants Pass, who pitched for Frisco and Detroit in his day, will play with the Grants Pass team this summer. Manager Roper of the Grants Pass team was in the city last week arranging a series of games with the local team. Pernoll was mustered out of service for the season by San Francisco, owing to a surplus of pitchers.

Kodak finishing the best, at Weston's Camera Shop, Opposite Book Store.

"The Oregon Voter," a weekly publication of Portland publishes the address of Benjamin C. Sheldon on "The Modern City Charter" in full in its last issue. Mr. Sheldon delivered the address before the commonwealth convention at Eugene ten days ago.

Chocolates, 20 cents lb. De Voe's. Grants Pass and Ashland have both taken steps through their city councils for the formation of a camping ground for tourists. Though the matter has been broached locally no definite action has been taken.

Kodak finishing and supplies at Weston's Camera Shop, Opposite Book Store.

Col. R. C. Washburn of Table Rock is in the city today attending to business matters.

The palatial home of Delroy Getchell on South Oakdale, is practically completed, the family occupying the same this week.

Five gallons gasoline 90c at M. F. & H. Co. street pump.

B. H. Holler and wife of Spokane spent the first of the week in Medford attending to business matters.

Maru, steward of the University club has gone to Portland to attend the Rose show and visit friends.

Fresh roasted peanuts at De Voe's. Word received from Saito, the well known laundry wagon driver, who is on a visit to his old home in Japan, conveys the information that he will return to Medford next month, bringing with him a bride.

J. O. Gerking, the best all around photographer in southern Oregon. Always reliable. Negatives made anywhere, time or place. Studio 228 Main St. Phone 220-J.

J. C. Stanley, a mining man of Grants Pass, is a business visitor in the city today.

You can get delicious cottage cheese and pasteurized butter milk at the Jackson County Creamery, Phone 51.

Mrs. E. Curry of Mountain Home, is among the out of town visitors in the city this week.

Get your butter, eggs, cream, milk and butter milk at De Voe's.

The Tolo ball team won from the Eagle Point team in a fast game on the Tolo grounds June 6th by a score of 7 to 3, this making twelve games in all played by Tolo this season, winning nine of them. The Tolo team is open for dates with any of the minor teams in the valley after June 13, when they cross bats with Jacksonville at the county seat. The manager is E. L. Davis.

Merchants' lunch, 25c. The Shasta.

A. E. Reames has returned from a visit to his Waldo mine.

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The Hoke Co-operative cannery has completed the installation of a new cooker, costing \$1000, and are building a new boiler and scalding table. Manager Hoke expects to begin the season's operations as soon as loganberries come into the market.

You can get delicious cottage cheese and pasteurized buttermilk at the Jackson County Creamery, Phone 51.

E. W. Roberts of Baneum spent Monday in Medford attending to business and visiting friends.

Stamped baby dress for embroidering, two to four years, at Handicraft Shop.

## BLUE LEDGE BRIDGE NOW COMPLETED

The bridge, built jointly by Siskiyou and Jackson counties and residents of the Blue Ledge district, has been completed and is now ready for traffic. The two counties gave \$500 apiece and the Blue Ledge citizens furnished the labor. The bridge is located at the junction of Elliot creek and the middle fork of the Applegate, and is the connecting link between the cities of the Rogue River valley and the Siskiyou and Klamath river valleys. Heretofore it was necessary to ford the streams. A government trail leads from the bridge to a rich agricultural and mining district that can easily be converted into a wagon road, this being kept in mind by the forest service in construction work.

FOR SALE—strain hay in field, \$8 and \$10 per ton. C. W. Isaacs, Phone 29122

# WAR SMASHES ALL CONVENTIONS OF CIVILIZATION

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ery being over, the professional moralists now try to bring the nation back to accustomed moorings by darning the story and vindicating the character of the volunteers. The accounts printed, they say, about the prospective unmarried mothers have been enormously exaggerated. One report said that in one street of a garrison city there were 400 such cases. Investigation showed that there were not 400. I think there were only 320. Consequently the whole agitation is "a wash of extravagance."

## Number War Babies Underestimated

Yet I am privately assured by an eminent publicist, who has been looking into this matter, that real conditions have been understated, not exaggerated. I will not repeat here the total of his estimates because it would seem sheer fantasy, but if he is right, enough illegitimate children will be born in Great Britain in the next few months to offset all the lives the country has lost so far at least on the battlefield.

If you will allow me a little frank speaking on this subject, I know a certain element of men not unconnected with public affairs that, in spite of the moralists and the iron-bound code, view this fact with boundless content, and good and respectable men at that. What they had hoped for from the hasty marriage, the hedge priests and the official playing of Sir Pandarus, has come about in another way. It is not conventional, it is shocking to the national ideal which is Mrs. Grundy; but the children will be born, nevertheless, and that is the great thing in the minds of these men.

For however revolting all these things may be, and however sordid and shameful, there is not a thinking statesman in Europe but is weighed down by the appalling prospect of depopulated and ruined countries that plainly open before us.

The question thrust with primitive bluntness upon these statesmen is whether, when this war madness shall subside, there may be left enough able-bodied men to carry on the business of the nations.

## Over Seven Hundred Thousand Dead

In the opinion of the best judges, the total losses in killed, wounded and missing, on all sides up to May 1, including all the fighting areas from South Africa to the Hebrides, was more than 4,000,000 men.

Of these, more than 700,000 had been killed. France alone mourns 300,000 of her sons slain on the battle line.

More than 700,000! This is at the rate of about 77,000 a month in killed.

If the war shall continue until the end of the year, as the cooler prophets generally agree it will, and the present rate of slaughter shall continue, the death lists by that time will amount to about 1,200,000.

Probably 1,000,000 others will have been so crippled or disabled they will henceforth have little or no part in productive industry.

It is not only mutilated limbs. Thousands will have been blinded and tens of thousands rendered insane.

We may believe then that in round numbers by January 1, 1916, 2,200,000 will have been blighted by death or disabled from the productive forces of Europe.

## No Soldier Will Be Same Again

And I take here no account of those who will escape with unmaimed bodies, but with wrecked and ruined nerves. This is another terrible toll that no one speaks of now, but scarcely a man comes back from the nightmare of these hellish trenches without the mark of them. The deafening din of thunders incessant, the horror, the shock of conflict, the hardships and the drag upon the nerves are more than human beings can endure. No man is the same afterward. It is all very well for the purpose of enlistment to talk about men that get used to these things. I know better. No one gets used to them. The coolest and the hardest man is never afterward the same.

In a vague way we can guess what all this will mean by reflecting on the records of other wars.

In two generations Europe had not recovered from the Napoleonic wars, and they have already been surpassed here. A century was required to recover from the thirty years' war, and it seems like a skirmish compared with this.

After the thirty years' war central Europe was obliged to suspend its laws against illegitimacy that the populations might be replenished. After the Napoleonic wars almost the only men left in France were immature or senile, the growth of population was checked and to this day has never recovered. The situation

# FAMOUS MEN VISIT VALLEY

Distinguished men from the Orient and Washington, D. C., will visit through Medford and the Rogue River valley the last of the month. The Honorary Commercial Commissioners and officials of the Chinese republic will be here Tuesday, June 29th, south bound, on train 15. The party is on a tour of the country to study trade conditions, and its personnel includes some of the leading figures in the political and financial life of the Flowery Kingdom.

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This afternoon a special party of 20 from New York, and Thursday a party of 20 in the private car "Ideal" will pass through.

# LICHTENSTEIN TO REMAIN NEUTRAL

ZURICH, Switzerland, June 8.—The principality of Lichtenstein, nominally a sovereign state, but in reality connected by treaties, a customs union and telegraphic and postal communication with Austria-Hungary, has declared its neutrality in the war. Consequently the Swiss government, with the consent of France, is allowing the transit for Lichtenstein of wheat entering French ports.

## Here Is Good News for Stomach Victims

Some very remarkable results are being obtained by treating stomach, liver and intestinal troubles with pure vegetable oils, which exert a cleansing, soothing and purifying action upon the lower bowels, removing the obstructions of poisonous fecal matter and gases and preventing their absorption by the blood. This done, the food is allowed free passage from the stomach, fermentation ceases and stomach troubles quickly disappear.

George H. Mayr, for twenty years a leading Chicago druggist, cured himself and many of his friends of stomach, liver and intestinal troubles of years' standing by this treatment, and so successful was the remedy he devised that it has since been placed in the hands of druggists all over the country, who have sold thousands of bottles.

Though absolutely harmless, the effect of the medicine is sufficient to convince any one of its remarkable effectiveness, and within twenty-four hours the sufferer feels like a new person. Mayr's Wonderful Remedy is sold by leading druggists everywhere with the positive understanding that your money will be refunded without question or quibble if ONE bottle fails to give you absolute satisfaction.—Adv.

## THE PAGE

Medford's Leading Theater  
Cool, Comfortable, Well Ventilated.  
A most enjoyable place to spend the afternoon or evening.  
TODAY  
Lubin Three-Act Feature  
**The Gray Horror**  
A Fascinating Drama With  
**LILLIE LESLIE and JOSEPH SMILEY**  
Vignette Comedy-Drama  
**Playing the Game**  
With William Walker and Others  
Two Parts  
Biograph  
**Masked Fate**  
Added Attraction  
**MISS JUNE HINMAN**  
in Popular Songs  
Coming Wednesday and Thursday  
**The Middle Man**  
With Albert Chevalier.  
5, 10 AND 15 CENTS

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The principality is located between Austria and Switzerland. It has an area of 65 square miles and a population of about 11,000 persons, almost all devoted to agriculture. Austria-Hungary has notified Switzerland that Lichtenstein is under its censorship, telegraphic and postal, and that it is within the Austro-Hungarian theater of war.

# FOLGER'S TEA SALE

**GOLDEN GATE TEA**



**ONE WEEK ONLY AT GROCERS JUNE 7th to 12th, 1915**

	Regular retail price	Special sale price
1 LB. TINS	.40	.25
1/2 "	.40	.25
5 "	3.75	2.50

CEYLON-INDIA ENGLISH BREAKFAST OOLONG JAPAN GUNPOWDER BLACK & GREEN

For one week at these prices to convince you that the tea is worth the regular price. A pound of this tea makes 300 cups. At 80c a pound, the cost is one cent for about four cups. You can afford to drink good tea.

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Second door east of First Nat. Bank. Phone 252

# Notice to Water Users

Commencing Thursday, June 10th Irrigation Hours will be as Follows:

**5 A. M. TO 11 P. M.**

Monday, Wednesday and Friday on the east side of the streets running north and south, and the north side of all streets running east and west.

Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday on the west side of all streets running north and south and on the south side of all streets running east and west.

Sunday forenoon on the east side of all streets running north and south and the north side of all streets running east and west.

Sunday afternoon on the west side of all streets running north and south and the south side of all streets running east and west.

**Wasteful use of water or using an open end hose for irrigating will not be permitted.**

Corner property will be governed by the street on which the house is numbered.

Water must be shut off immediately in case of a fire alarm.

Do not use a nozzle larger than one-quarter inch in diameter.

Do not set sprinkler so that it will interfere with traffic or sidewalk.

Do not allow water to run to waste down the gutter of streets or alleys.

Violations of above rules are punishable by fines, as provided for by Ordinance No. 669 and by its amendments and will be rigidly enforced.

**O. ARNSPIGER, Water Supt.**