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MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE, MEDFORD. OREGON, FRIDAY, JULY 16, 1915

financial standing of the backers.

to be raised or lowered by them.

CITY BATHING BEACH

election.



The northward drift of workers to the harvest fields of eastern Oregon and Washington continues, there being more idle men in the valley than at any time since last fall when the wanderers were hitting for California. One wanderer has been in town for a week begging enough money to take him to Umatilla where he has a job. The police ran him out of town last night upon the discovery that he was not using his aim harvest for travel, but thirst instead.

Of course you caw the Liberty Bell the Liberty Bell. Nothing of value and was pleased. Now try one of our was taken. This was the only crime Sunday dinners and you will be a reg- sported to the police last night. Two ular customer. The best of everythink on the market. Nash Cafeteria. 99*

John Demmer has accepted a post- man found in the residence district tion as lookout in the forestry service and has been assigned to the Fish himself. The Smiths had just left lake district.

The Medford hand will run its an- to neighbors, nual excursion to Butte Falls Sunday, July 18th, leaving Pacific & tice this morning to appear before Eastern depot 8 a. m., returning leave the police judge to answer to the Butte Falls 5 p. m. Band concert charge of running their autos withenu route and in Butte Falls park, out their tail lights burning. Base Ball game in afternoon. Good trout fishing. Fill your picnic baskets and enjoy a pleasant day's out- a few hours in Medford this afternoon ing. Tickets \$1 round trip. attending to business.

Mrs. Karl Knapp left Thursday for Hornbrook, Calif., to spend the next week visiting with friends and rela- week to ascertain how many landtives.

"Taxi-323" 15c anywhere in city. Formerly Alco Taxi. New office Nash is the first step to secure irrigation in the valley. Hotel, Phone 333.

Mr. and Mrs. William O'Hara will leave tomorrow on an auto trip to California via Crescent City. They Lake. Medford Book Store. will visit the exposition.

Dring Celro Kola "first for thirst" 5c at your favorite fountain. 99+ tending to business matters. Frank Bacon of Eugene is among

sonville Thursday night over the Barthe out of town visitors in the city today. Liberty Bell.

Velvet ice cream at De Voe's.

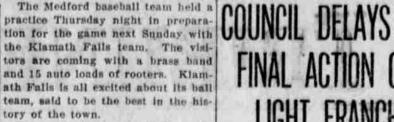
County Clerk Gardner was a busreturned to his home after spending tiness visitor in the city for a few a few days in the city. hours Thursday afternoon.

J. O. Gerking, the best all around See Dave Wood about that fire in-Bidg. W. E. Ryan of Grants Pass spent where, time or place. Studio 228

W. E. Ryan of Grants Pass spent Thursday in Medford attending to Main St. Phone 320-J. Ivan Frohman of Talent was severebusiness matters.

Ford sent covers and Hoods' cellu- ly burned on the forearms Thursday

Ford sent covers and Hoods' cellu-loid lights. Tent Factory. 104. The camping ground for tourists back of the natatorium is now ready for use. Men have been put to work putting the ground in shape. A water pipe will be put on the ground, and brick installed for fires. The Natabrick installed for fires. The Nata- tools is about \$500, uninsured. Get your butter, eggs, cream, milk torium has granted the use of the tollets and baths at reduced rates. dna butter milk at De Voe's. The case of Attorney George W. Next year it is planned to have a bigger and better place, and to this end Briggs, arrested on a statutory charge the Greater Medford club will be urg- called for a hearing in the justice



Have you tried one of those 5c milk shakes at DeVoe's?

S. I. Wilson and family of Talent spent Thursday evening in Medford to see the Liberty Bell.

council held Thursday night the or-Alco Taxi, 15c anywhere in city; dinance granting the Rogue River prompt calls, careful driver; phone Public Service corporation an elec-882-R.

trie light franchise, passed its first Burglars this morning entered the reading, further action being dehome of S. S. Smith on West Main ferred until the next regular meetstreet, and ransacked the house while ing of the city council. It was the the family was at the depot seeing

council has held in weeks. Councilman Sargent made the leading speech for the franchise seeking corporaextra policemen weer on duty, one on tion. horseback, the other on a motorcycle.

Through the efforts of Conneil-man Hargreaves, the clause in the GOLD HILL OPENS Through the efforts of Conneil-They had instructions to bring in any proposed ordinance fixing the wholeand unable to give an account of sale rates was stricken out. This leaves the city free to buy power of when the burgiar entered, according whomever it pleases in case the pitht

is bought under the provisions of the Six auto owners were served noordinance. The Rogue River Public Service corporation by virtue of the ordinance agrees to sell after one cilman Hargreaves also proposed cated this Sunday, with swimming year to the city, if desirable, Coun-Fresh roasted peanuts at De Voe's. that the bond of the Public Service that the bond of the Public Service corporation be fixed at \$10,000. This was voted down, \$5000 being fixed as a suitable bond. The corporation County Assessor W. T. Grieve spent

FINAL ACTION ON

At a special meeting of the city

FRANCHISE

a suitable bond. The corporation strong winners have already signi-offered to farnish any bond from tied. If intention of competing. The Water Users' association will begin an advertising campaign next Councilman Sargent in a lengthy

owners of the valley are willing to address maintained that the city, use irrigation, and how much. This would be better off as far as rates are concerned with two competing utility companies, and cited the case

Saturday Evening Post for this of the two telephone companies in week contains an article on Crater this city as a fair example. Colonel 99* Sargent declared that he "had no

E. T. Staples of Ashland spent boss but Uncle Sam, and the only re-Thursday afternoon in Medford at striction he put on him was not to talk about the war." A special train was run from Jack-

Attorney Porter J. Neff argued that two heavy investments in public | num line to allow the seeing of the utility operations did not necessarly mean a reduction in rates as the James Farley of Whiskey Peak has

evening 8 p. m. Business of importance. Everybody urged to attend. A. N. HILDEBRAND, Sec.

but hard to keep them.

True

Rubble-It's easy to make friends

Stubble-Oh, I don't know. I've

Attention A. F. & A. M.



decision in the pending suit, and the railroad commission fixed the rate. "I am annazed that such a highway The power to fix rates rests entirely could be built through the Siskiyon with the state railway commission, mountains. It is the final word in whatever action a city council may take. Thus if the council passed an road building-the clinax of Oreordinance fixing the rates, it is liable gon's highway efforts." said S. Benson, of Portland, Oregon's most use-The council is looking for jokers ful citizen, chairman of the state adin the proposed franchise, and it is most argumentative meeting the likely they will put the tinal settle. visory highway commission Thursment up to the people at a special day evening after a trip over Jackson county's mountain boulevard.

"It beats the Columbia highway, A more difficult problem is most satisfactorily solved. In vista and seenic grandeur and perfect roadway, the Siskiyon highway surpasses anything have seen in highways," said J. H.

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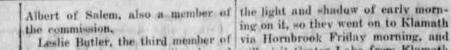
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the commission was equally pleased will visit Crater Lake from Klamath with the highway. "I never dreamed Falls. that you had anything like this," he TOO LATE TO CLASSIFT.

said. "We have been boasting of our Columbia highway, but this roadway is full as equal and in some ways FOR EXCHANGE-Large mule team superior."

Mail Tribune. So appreciative of the highway were the commissioners that they refused to go to Crater Lake, over the WANTED-Competent woman to do Crater Lakehighwa-y in order to see

cooking and laundry work. - Telephone 59 Jacksonville, the Siskiyon grade again and catent



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ed to use its influence.

keep perfect time. I have every fa- torneys. cility for doing fine watch repairing. Johnson the Jeweler.

Special trains bearing Elks from the voncention at Los Angeles and Shriners from the grand lodge at Seattle passed through the city today north and southbound.

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

E. A. Hildroth of Butte Falls spent Thursday in Medford attending to business matters,

Fred Lewis and wife and family as out of town visitors to see the Liberty Bell.

Johnson, at the Book Store, an expert watch repairer.

Dave Wood of this city has received a letter from an old friend in England, telling of the war situation The epistle confirms the reports that England feels by keeping the sea free of German ships she has done her share. The writer says that public, opinion does not approve of sending great armies to Europe to fight the battles of the allies. It is also claimed that England is supplying all her allies with munitions and, money. The British opinion stated in the letter is that Turkey will be divided upon the Balkans in the long run.

Eric Anderson has returned to the Blue Ledge district after spending a few days in this city on business.

A. A. Flynn of Gold Hill spent Thursday in Medford attending to business matters,

Chocolates, 30 cents 1b. De Voo's. district is sponding a few days in the city attending to business matters.

Jeweler, you will receive unusually good service

Wick Fox and wife have returned from a ton days fishing and vacation trip to Butte Falls.

Home-made pastry at the Shasta.* Charles F. Young and wife have returned from a three days' auto trip. to Crater Lake.

Safety and service. We give both, fored one could hardly know unless one had the same disease. I was Holmes, the Insuarance Man.

Henry Callaghan has returned from life in my condition and trying to a short trip to the flue Ledge dis-live. Now to my friends that care to triet.

Morchants' Lunch, 25c. The Shasta. Biskiyou or Colestin water, 10c per Very truly yours, MRS. M. L. KOLE. bottle at De Voe's.

I take pride in making your watch until Monday upon motion of the at-FRANCHISE VALIDIT ADMITTED BY CITY The collapse of the city's case

ourt this afternoon, was postponed

against the California-Oregon Power, Co, through the admission of ethe of Wellen spent Thursday in Medford city's attorneys of the validity of the franchise, during the argument of the case in the federal court at Portland this week, is forecasted by Attorney A. E. Reames, who returned Thursday from the heating where he repre-

> sented the Power company. The change in ground by the city's attornoys came as a surprise to the company and leaves the terms of the franchise itself as the only question to be adjudicated.

In preliminary briefs, the city held the franchise was void as illegal, but in his argument to the court. Attorney Newbury admitted the validity of the franchise, but claimed a violation of its terms when the company refused to pay the \$20,000 on demand, and tried to withhold the amount owed by the city for street. ights, alleging that the five per cent gross earnings clause was therefore. in full affect. A douision is expeeted within a mouth.

Gim Chung China Herb Store

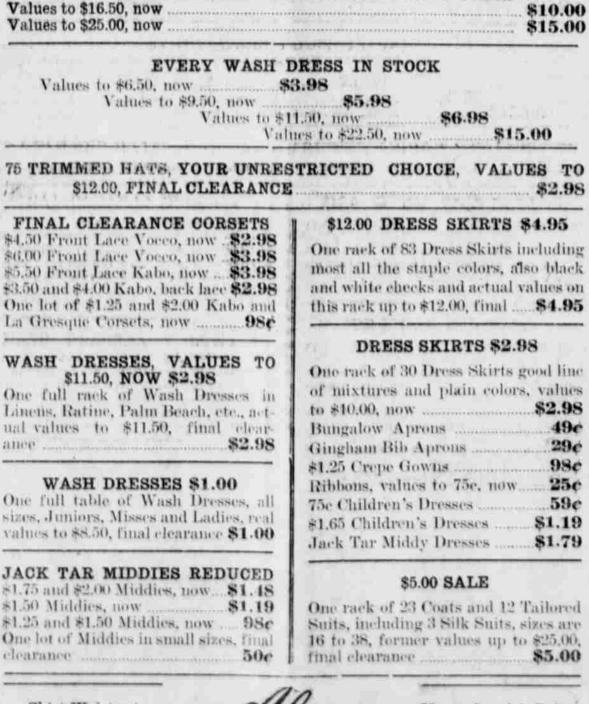
Andrew Jeldness of the Blue Ledge batrief is spending a few days in the ty attending to business matters. Take your watch to Johnson, the Coughs, Poor Circulation, Car-buncles, Tumors, Caked Breast, Cures all kinds of Goitres-NO OPERATION.

To Whom it May Concern: I am free from rheumatism. You can be the same by taking treatments from

Gim Chung, the herb doctor. My thoumatiam was so had taht it made me so weak I could scarcely get up when I was down and the pain I suf-

ruly dissuitation and disgusted with be cured and would like to be free try the herb doctor. He can cer-

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75c Children's Dresses	
\$1.65 Children's Dresses	\$1.19
Jack Tar Middy Dresses	\$1.79

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