

VALLEY CHARMS POULTRYMAN FROM DECATUR, ILLINOIS

P. Frank Wirthman, who has been in Rogue river valley for several weeks, looking about the country and taking a view of the Klamath region while he was about it, in a specific way obtained information for himself and a number of persons at his home place near Decatur, Illinois, who have grown weary of living so far away from the Pacific coast, left last night on his return to his native state.

CALL MEETING FOR POULTRY SHOW

A meeting of all those interested in the proposed poultry show to be held in this city in the near future is called for Saturday, January 8, 1916, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at the public market building, Riverside avenue, near Main street, for the purpose of discussing the proposed show, the revival of interest in the poultry business in this county, the organization of a permanent poultry association, and for the additional and more definite purpose of organizing for the proposed poultry show, fixing the date at which it shall be held and the conditions for its government.

REOPENS CEMENT BRICK FACTORY

H. A. Janson, proprietor of the Medford Cement Brick & Block Works, will be prepared to open his place of business again with the commencement of the new year. January 3 will find him at his place of business again, ready to handle orders of any size or type within his classes of work.

TEACHERS FAVOR REOPENING ASHLAND NORMAL SCHOOL

The following resolutions were adopted yesterday afternoon by the Oregon State Teachers' association: Whereas, we recognize the importance of properly trained teachers in improving education standards and conditions in the state and especially in the rural schools, and

Resolved that we appreciate the royal manner in which the city of Medford has entertained this association. That we extend our gratitude to musicians who have so delightfully entertained us, to Superintendent Hillis and the local teachers for providing in every way for our enjoyment and comfort, to the superintendents and principals club of Jackson and Josephine counties for the splendid entertainment in St. Marks hall, the district school board of Medford for use of the high school building, to the domestic science department of the Medford high school for the splendid luncheon provided.

BULGARS DISCUSS PAYMENT OF WAR

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The Bulgarian parliament at Wednesday's session discussed a war credit of 500,000,000 francs and second credit of 30,000,000 francs, which has been proposed for the relief of families of needy soldiers, according to the Sofia correspondent of Reuters' Telegram company. The correspondent continues: "The socialists expressed pacifist sentiments and opposition to all war, but consented to vote for the credit, while the reform socialists said they would abstain from voting. The radicals favored the credits. All the other parties enthusiastically pledged their support, declaring that the terms of peace will in every respect correspond to Bulgaria's sacrifices."

SIGMA NU HOLDS ANNUAL DINNER AT HOTEL MEDFORD

The annual dinner of the Sigma Nu fraternity, celebrated as usual during the Christmas holidays, was held at the Hotel Medford Wednesday night, seventeen members of this popular college society attending and nine different colleges being represented. Those who attended included M. O. Bennett, Leon Speck, Geo. Vilas, Walter Brown, Geary Garrett, Wm. Vawter, Tom Scantlin, R. C. Cowgill, Robert Hammond, E. A. Geary, Dan Herring, Geo. Gates, C. M. Thomas, Vernon Garrett, Ned Vilas, Robert Polonzo, Vernon Vawter.

STANDARDIZATION OF COMMERCIAL COURSES FAVORED

The commercial division of the Oregon State Teachers' association held several interesting sessions at the high school Tuesday and Wednesday. J. M. Gressley of the high school commercial department presided, and Mrs. B. I. Van Gilder of the Medford Commercial college acted as secretary. Several questions concerning commercial education were discussed. These discussions were participated in by the following teachers: Dean Bexell, Oregon Agricultural college; Dean Morton, University of Oregon; L. T. Hodge, Ashland high school; B. I. Van Gilder, Medford Commercial college; V. W. Flint, Gold Hill high school; Ina Akins, Medford high school; J. M. Gressley, Medford high school; Mrs. B. I. Van Gilder, Medford Commercial college, and E. B. Stanley, Central Point high school. It was unanimously decided to affiliate with the department of vocational education and to meet next year at Portland. It was also decided to invite all members of the National Commercial Teachers' federation who are teaching in Oregon to unite with this organization in advancing the cause of commercial education throughout the state. A resolution, offered by Mr. Gressley, was adopted as follows: That each county institute be asked to organize a commercial teachers' association, which would send a delegate to the state convention, and that private commercial schools be recognized. Mr. Van Gilder suggested that a southern Oregon commercial teachers' association be organized, which would affiliate with the state association. A discussion followed which showed that everyone was in favor of such an organization. The principal feature of the session was an animated discussion of the report of the committee on the standardization of courses in commerce in the high schools of Oregon. The leaders in the discussion were Dean Bexell of the Oregon Agricultural college and Dean Morton of the University of Oregon. Following the discussion, the report was unanimously adopted. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, C. D. Lazenby of the Jefferson high school, Portland; secretary, Mrs. Lawrence of Portland.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Reported by Jackson County Abstract Co., Sixth and Fir Sts. Anna L. Pierce vs. City of Medford, notice of appeal. S. F. Richert vs. Josephine Sooy-Smith, notice of cross appeal. Geo. F. Watson vs. Mrs. Anna H. Russell, return of summons. Nellie C. Skillman vs. E. R. Lawrence, return of summons. Hubbard Bros. vs. W. T. Dozier, writ of attachment; return of summons. Freeman Wiley & Co. vs. Minnie A. McKee, writ of attachment. R. H. Bradshaw vs. J. W. Kinney, writ of attachment.

Probate Estate of A. J. Randall, petition for confirmation.

Real Estate Transfers Herman Simpkins to Phrona Simpkins, int. in 28-36-2W \$10.00 John W. Mills et ux to W. M. Smith, land on Riverside ave Medford 10.00 Certified copies of probate matter from Buena Vista county, Ia., in the estate of Silas A. Beason, deceased.

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 29.—Oregon will be allowed ten delegates to the republican national convention at Chicago next June, four from the state at large and two from each congressional district. Information of this apportionment reached Secretary of State Olcott today in a letter from James B. Reynolds, of Washington, secretary of the republican national committee.

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