

### POULTRY FANCIERS FORM ORGANIZATION TO PRODUCE SHOW

The meeting of poultry people at the public market Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock was well attended, notwithstanding the prevailing rain storm. Sincere interest was manifested in the purpose of the assemblage, everyone present realizing that the poultry interests of the valley are being seriously neglected and that the people of the county are sustaining heavy loss annually on that account.

H. B. Patterson was chosen temporary chairman of the meeting and, on calling for order, found occasion to address those assembled on the importance of the poultry industry generally and the peculiar adaptability of local conditions to that business. "Once the business is understood fundamentally," he said, "there is no doubt of the profit one may obtain in a careful pursuit of the poultry industry. It doesn't require a large expenditure of money. In fact, the average farm poultry plant is inexpensive; but it requires care and some knowledge of the nature of the chicken to succeed."

**Large Output Justified**  
T. J. Gardner, manager of the Medford Poultry and Egg company, also addressed the meeting, describing the shortage in the supply of poultry and poultry by-products of every kind in this valley; the insistence of the demand and the importance of the prevailing prices. "We ought to ship at least a carload of poultry every week to San Francisco," said Mr. Gardner, "and that shipment should be increased rapidly until Jackson county shall be putting out two or three hundred thousand dollars' worth of poultry every year."

The expressions were all to the effect that an organization should be at once affected that would encourage in every substantial way the development of the poultry industry in this valley, where every condition is favorable, and that a poultry show held at an early date would go far toward stimulating interest in that very important business.

**Organization Affected**  
By way of giving permanency to the organization, in order that progress might be at once made in the matter of holding the show, E. W. Hunter was elected permanent executive officer and Roy B. Peebles secretary.

The first thing to determine was whether or not a show might be held in a month or so in this city; and to that end a committee of five, consisting of T. J. Gardner, W. W. Watson, J. A. Bickerdike, George Alford and E. J. Runyard, was appointed and asked to make a careful survey of the field and report on Saturday next, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the public market, at which time the association will hold its second meeting.

This committee will name assistant members, one at each point of importance in the valley, and ask their co-operation in the matter of encouraging interest in the proposed show and soliciting encouragement among those concerned in the localities named.

It is believed that there will be no difficulty in organizing sufficient strength to hold a poultry show at an early date in February and that it can be done without costing the farmers a cent.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Ada Rehan, the actress, died in Roosevelt hospital Saturday after an operation for arterial affection. She had been ill for several months and entered the hospital eight days ago.

### MARGUERITE CLARK AT STAR TONIGHT ONLY



Marguerite Clark adds another triumph to her rapidly growing list of successes in "Seven Sisters," the five-part film adaptation of the celebrated international comedy, the latest production of the Paramount program.

"Seven Sisters" deals with the efforts of a widow a typical Hungarian town to marry off her seven daughters. Out of her struggles to find them husbands, according to their ages, to keep the younger ones out of sight until their elder sisters are properly disposed of, and assume the appearance of adequate youth in all of them, arises the fun of this exultantly humorous photoplay.

Marguerite Clark as the principal of the seven sisters is wholly captivating. The originality of the idea and the attractiveness of its characters and situations combine to make a very amusing photoplay.

### SONG OF HATE AT PAGE TONIGHT

"The Song of Hate," at the Page tonight, is based upon Sardou's celebrated modern dramatic work, "La Tosca," and one of Sarah Bernhardt's greatest successes, reveals a story singularly well adapted to the dramatic talents of Betty Nansen, the royal actress.

The story of "The Song of Hate" is one that strikes deep to the tie-ribs of the sexual relations between modern men and women. Written in Sardou's most trenchant style, it bites and searches like acid the frailties of our modern civilization.

Flora La Tosca is not, as some critics have described, a creature of impulse, driven by every passing wave or inclination. She is a true woman with the heart and instincts of her sex. But she is brave enough when a deep love possesses her soul to give herself over to it, regardless of what the world may say. She is a character in whom one may become deeply interested because of her humaneness.

**Notice of Sale of School Warrants**  
Notice is hereby given that the directors of School District No. 49 of Jackson County, Oregon, will offer for sale on Saturday, January 15th, 1916, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand paid, fifteen thousand dollars in refunding warrants, payable on or before ten years from date, with interest at five per cent per annum, interest to be paid semi-annually. Bids for subscriptions, will not be received for sums less than fifty dollars. The directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 4th day of January, 1916.

J. W. LAWTON,  
Chairman of Board.

H. S. STINE,  
Clerk.

### GOLD HILL CLUB PLANS BIG RALLY FOR SATURDAY

Deliberations of the Greater Gold Hill club at its last meeting resulted in the fixing of Saturday, January 15, as the date for a get-together banquet and session, to which will be invited representatives from the commercial clubs of other Southern Oregon cities. Committees have been appointed to supervise invitations, cuisine and decorative effect. The purpose of the gathering is by no means the mere pursuit of pleasure, but, incident to the convivial nature of the evening, to discuss and plan the improvement of conditions locally and throughout the entire valley. Financial ratings of the dancing pavilion, a club project, were sent soaring by the committee report of the Christmas eve dance. Despite the heavy expense and the wayward weather, the net receipts totalled \$32. Southern Oregon is manifestly enamored of the Gold Hill pavilion dances, and it is intended that another shall be given shortly.

Realizing that once in so often the discriminating home public demands a return to the simplicity of local talent theatricals, the club has determined to meet the yearning with an old-fashioned minstrel show featuring the brightest of new-fashioned japes and jokes. We regret that we cannot quiet at this time the anxiety to learn the date of this peerless presentation of top talent—but it will occur within the next month or so.

At the conclusion of regular business the annual election was held, the choices in each instance being unanimously confirmed without other nominations. H. D. Reed was elected president; J. H. Beeman, vice-president; F. W. Dodge, secretary; M. D. Bowers, treasurer; George Iverson, director for three-year term.

### TRY "CASCARETS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS IF SICK OR BILIOUS

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Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never know the misery caused by a lazy liver, clogged bowels, or an upset stomach.

Don't put in another day of distress. Let Cascarets cleanse your stomach; remove the sour, fermenting food; take the excess bile from your liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels. Then you will feel great.

A Cascaret tonight straightens you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from any drug store means a clear head, sweet stomach and clean, healthy liver and bowel action for months. Children love Cascarets because they never gripe or sicken.—Adv.

# January Clearance Sale

## Continues All This Week

Practically nothing reserved in winter merchandise. Ready to-wear at a big sacrifice.

### BAGS, BELTS AND JEWELRY REDUCED

New style Leather Bags, medium size, some fancy lined, others plain, sold regular 75c to \$8.50.  
Jewelry in neat pin sets, two and three on a card, all the remaining stock from the holiday season—**ONE-FOURTH LESS**

### SWEATERS AND KNIT GOODS REDUCED

Ladies' Sweaters, in the most worn colors and all-wool quality; also a few silk and wool; also Children's Sweaters in all wool or wool and cotton mixed—at **ONE-FOURTH LESS**

### BIG LOT COLLARS, 19c AND 35c

Dozens of Neat Organdie Collars, some in sets, some with colored edges, others plain, to be worn with separate waists, sold regular 35c to 65c.

### \$1.50 CREPE DE CHINES, 98c

All the most wanted plain colors, such as navy, black, white, brown, green and gray, 38 inches wide, a few poplins included.

### ALL FURS AT ONE-HALF PRICE

**PARISIAN IVORY PICTURE FRAMES, Etc.**  
A final clean-up before invoicing, including mirrors, brushes, separate manicuring pieces and baby sets; also picture frames, oval and square—**ALL REDUCED**

### BIG COTTON BATT 79c

A great big batt of good quality cotton, put up in neat package ready for use, enough for comfort in the one roll regular \$1.00.

### ALL REMNANTS ONE-HALF

All kinds, all colors, all lengths, most any material you could think of in the lot—all at one-half regular price.



### LACES AND CHIFFONS 98c

Silk Laces, double width, that formerly sold up to \$1.35 yard. Chiffons, both figured or plain, sold regular \$1.25 and \$1.50.

### SILK PETTICOATS REDUCED

A big range of Taffetas in such colors as navy, green, blue and black, also changeable effects and colored flounces, a few satins and soft finish silks, sold regular \$2.95 to \$6.50—**AT ONE-FIFTH LESS**

### BASKETS ONE-THIRD LESS

Sweet Grass Baskets in a variety of shapes and sizes, some especially good for sewing baskets, with the small sizes to match, priced regular 19c to \$2.00.

### ONE LOT RIBBONS 29c

Fancy brocades, mostly in pink blue and white, either taffeta or satin, in the wide width, sold regular up to 50c yard.

### ALL DRESS SKIRTS ONE-FOURTH LESS

Make your selection from any skirt in stock, plain serges, mixtures or plaids, in the new wide width, for street wear, they range in price \$3.50 to \$8.50 regular—all reduced. (Reasonable charge for alterations)



### ALL DRESSES INCLUDED IN THIS JANUARY SALE

Neat Afternoon Dresses in all silk or silk and wool, some have chiffon or Georgette crepe sleeves; also quite a few Velvet Dresses combined with satin in black and brown only—**ALL AT ONE-FOURTH LESS**

The **May Co.**

**To the Voters of Medford**  
For the second time I am a candidate for the office of City Recorder. Since I cannot leave the office to make a personal canvass I take this means of asking your support next Tuesday.

My only plea is efficiency. Investigate my record. Ask the experts who have audited the accounts of the recorder's office. It's just a business proposition.

E. T. FOSS,  
Present City Recorder.

**TIME CARD**  
**INTERURBAN AUTO CAR CO.**  
Leave Medford daily except Sunday for Ashland, Talent and Phoenix at 8 a. m., 11:50 a. m., 1:15, 2:30, 3:45 and 5:15 p. m. Also on Saturday at 11:15 p. m. Sundays leave at 10 a. m., 4 p. m. and 9:30 p. m.  
Leave Ashland for Medford daily except Sunday at 9 a. m., 12:50, 2:30, 3:30, 4:45 and 6:15 p. m. Sunday leave Ashland at 9 a. m., 1:00, 5:00 and 10:30 p. m.

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