

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Grace Wilson left this morning for San Francisco where she will visit friends for some time.

Dr. Heine, eye, ear, nose, throat.

R. M. Cross of Salt Lake City, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hill and family, left today for Los Angeles. He is a brother of Mrs. Hill.

O. E. Swayne of Alameda, California, who is on a purely pleasure trip in this section and who spent 10 days at Crater Lake and four days in Medford, went to Ashland today to remain there four days before returning home.

Johnson for high-class watch repairing.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Corum, who have been visiting in Portland for several weeks returned to Medford from that city on Monday, and yesterday Mr. Corum left for Montague, California, where they will engage in the restaurant business. Mrs. Corum and children left for Montague today. They have many friends in the city who wish them well in their new venture. Mr. and Mrs. Corum were formerly connected with the Optimo restaurant of this city.

Metz cars at Riverside Garage.

Mrs. F. W. Southard and son, who have been visiting friends in the valley for some time, left today for their home in Portland.

Highest price paid for barley, wheat, oats and hay. Monarch Seed & Feed company.

B. P. McCurdy went to Roseburg today to take charge of some engineering work. He will be there for several days.

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Mrs. C. L. Woodford, formerly a resident of this city, but who has been living in Berkeley, California, for the past year, arrived in the city this morning and will open up her home, 817 West Tenth street, for two weeks. She will then return to Berkeley. Her arrival today was unannounced and is a surprise to her friends.

Call Taxi 303.

N. A. Oolman, who has been visiting in Gazelle, California, for some time, arrived home this morning.

For the best insurance, see Holmes, the Insurance Man.

Mrs. Mollie Matley and daughter, Mrs. McLaughlin, who have been visiting in Medford and in the Applegate district, left for their home at Fort Jones, California this morning.

Baths, 35c. Holland Hotel.

Sprague Reogil, one of the designated men of Company Seven at the officers training camp at San Francisco, has received his commission as second lieutenant in the regular army and has been ordered to report for duty at Lake Washington.

Bring your wheat to the Central Point Mills. We handle it in bulk and save you the cost of bags. We are in the market for all kinds of grain.

J. A. Kazmarek, Associated Press operator of the Mail Tribune office, who has been spending part of his vacation near Derby, returned to the city today and left for Shasta Springs to spend the rest of the week.

See Dave Wood about that fire insurance policy. Office, Room 404, M. F. & H. building.

Miss Gay Webb of Toledo, who has been visiting friends in this city left for home this morning.

Hot cakes and coffee, 10c. Diamond Restaurant, 127 Sixth St. 140*

The many friends of Hugh C. Mitchell, of Clackamas, Oregon, government superintendent of fish culture, will sympathize with him in the death of his brother, who was an eminent surgeon with the British army in France. Mr. Mitchell has just received word of his brother's demise. Dr. Mitchell had returned home to England completely broken down from overwork and strain on the battlefields and in hospitals and failed to recover.

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Mrs. W. J. Cameron of Brownshoro is a visitor in the city today and is registered at the Hotel Holland.

Dr. Frank Roberts, dentist, St. Mark's building. Phone 323-Y.

Mrs. J. S. Lindley, who has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. A. R. Phipps, and other relatives here for the past two months, will depart for her home in Hellingham, Washington, Thursday.

Oregon Agricultural College Fruit & Vegetable Evaporator, built according to official specifications at Pacific Pulp & Box Factory.

The Soldiers' auxiliary has appointed a committee to secure phonograph records for the Seventh company. The chairman of the committee, Mrs. Gribble, has written to Captain Vance for a list of the records which the boys would prefer to have and this list will be published upon receipt. Any one desiring to make subscriptions for records or to donate records, is requested to communicate with Mrs. Gribble.

Dr. Helto fits glasses correctly.

Mrs. Rufus Edwards and Misses Ella and Belle Phipps returned Monday from a motor trip to Eugene, where they visited a sister of the Misses Phipps, Mrs. Arthur Henderson. The young ladies piloted the car on the northward journey, but the smoke from forest fires was so heavy on the return trip that Mr. Henderson brought the party back, in places the smoke was so dense it caused tears to flow and livestock was observed running wildly along fences looking for places to escape, or standing huddled on corners in terror.

Dr. Chas. T. Sweeney, Physician and Surgeon, Phipps Bldg. Phone 36.

The Home Guard company will hold its weekly drill this evening on the streets near the high school. The company will assemble at 7:45 p. m. Singer sewing machine shop. C. A. Chapman. Phone 963-R. 245 S. Central. 147

George Carstens, who has spent the past two months at Hornbrook in temporary charge of a hotel there, has returned to the city.

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Bernard Hogen of Applegate was a sojourner in the city Tuesday.

J. J. Buchter and family leave today for Prospect, where they will be located for the next two weeks, the duration of Mr. Buchter's vacation.

Attorney and Mrs. A. Renner of Klamath Falls and their son, Max Renner and wife of San Francisco, who have just returned from a trip to Crater Lake, left this city today by motor for Klamath Hot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Guild and child of Los Angeles are tourists visiting in the city today.

Rawles Moore, Attorney at Law, Office now located Rooms 7-9, Medford National Bank Bldg.

The offices of the California-Oregon Power company in this city closed down yesterday afternoon while all the officers and employees attended the funeral of R. F. Sayle, the Ashland representative of the company, in that city. The company presented a big basket of flowers and the Medford employees, a beautiful floral wreath. Mr. Sayle was one of the most active members of the Ashland lodge of Elks and the funeral services which were held in the Elks hall, were conducted by the Ashland Elks as well as the services at the cemetery.

F. F. Loder and family left today for a week's trip to Crescent City.

H. L. Walther went to Grants Pass this morning on a business mission.

J. J. Skinner and family of the Griffin Creek district have returned from a week's outing at their summer home on Klamath Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Stancliffe left today for Crescent City, where they will visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ruhl and children have returned from their month's vacation at Newport, Oregon.

GRANT PETITION IRRIGATION DISTRICT; ELECTION SEPT. 15

At a special meeting of the county court Wednesday, attended by Judge Tom Velle and County Commissioner Madden, the application of E. B. Pielke and seventy-five others for the organization of an irrigation district was granted and the objections of E. B. Hanley and others overruled.

The name Medford irrigation district was given, the district divided into three parts and Saturday, September 15, set as the day for submission of the creation of the district to the land owners. The bond filed by the petitioners was approved.

The polling places are as follows: For district 1, W. H. Brown's residence on Crater Lake avenue. For district 2, D. R. Hill's residence on King's Highway; for district 3, Oak Grove school house on Jacksonville road. Legal notice of election will be printed for four weeks in the Weekly Mail Tribune.

The following are the objectors to the creation of the district: E. B. Hanley, Alice E. Hanley and Ella Hanley Bush, Mrs. G. Burroughs, Kate McAndrew, Thomas McAndrew, Mrs. A. R. Phipps, Mrs. E. L. Laurantz, H. E. Conger, D. Bodge, Aubrey Beall, George B. Ross, H. C. Maury, I. P. Maury, Mary Maury, Stella Levy, J. W. Rybee, L. Niedermeyer, Otto Niedermeyer, Mrs. J. Holden, Ora Niedermeyer, Emma Conger, E. H. Niedermeyer, Alice Harley, J. M. Hurley, G. Burroughs, R. P. Lofland, L. M. Lofland, Mrs. E. Raysholtz, Mary H. Regar, Mrs. T. P. Walters, Mrs. L. B. Minear, Nick Kime, Edward Judy, E. E. Morrison, George N. Fisk, Elizabeth Arnold, F. H. Minear, M. I. Minear, Polk Hall, Mrs. Ada Wolz, E. L. Wolz, A. R. Wolz, J. M. Lofland, D. B. Duff, W. G. Knips, W. W. Howard, George Wolff, Mrs. Mary J. Porter, Mrs. Elizabeth Wilcox, Z. Cameron, Mrs. C. P. Phipps, L. A. Finley, E. V. Cook and G. L. Schermerhorn.

SHIFTS CHANGE IN GUARDING TUNNELS OF THE SISKIYOU

In keeping with Medford being a garrison city, the Southern Pacific depot presented a military appearance this morning, due to the presence there of fifty-five C company soldiers in heavy marching order with guns stacked on the platform, and the arrival a few minutes later of forty officers of the engineer reserve corps of the army en route to France, who jumped off the train for exercise.

Today was change day with C company, when the seventy-seven members of the company on duty guarding the tunnels and bridges in the Siskiyou and in the Leland-Wolf Creek territories, are relieved from their two weeks' turn at this duty by a similar number of soldiers from the company camp here. The soldiers marched to the depot in two squads. The Siskiyou detail boarded the first section of southbound train 13 and the other detail northbound train 14. The latter was late and both trains reached the depot at the same time.

Change Day in Siskiyou. Because the first section of train 13 was filled with passengers, there was a delay in getting the Siskiyou detail on board, and fairly well accommodated, and in the meantime the second section pulled in, making three passenger trains at the depot at the same time.

On board the second section were the forty officers of the Engineer's reserve corps en route from the Vancouver barracks and Clackamas, Or., where they have been in training, for the Presidio in San Francisco. They will start on their journey eastward and for France on September 1. In France they will at once begin to assist in the work of rehabilitating the railroads and in building water systems.

All these officers have just been commissioned. When Captain Crossley of C company saw them a few weeks ago in the training camps they were all privates. Now they are commissioned captains and lieutenants.

Corporal Neil Malarkey and First Class Private Dan Malarkey of C company also boarded train 14 today en route for Clackamas, they having been detailed for special duty at the Third regiment headquarters there.

The C company soldiers who arrived in the city today, on being relieved from guard duty, will get their first view of Medford, as when the company arrived here during the night two weeks ago on a special military train some were dropped off at Wolf creek and Leland to relieve the I company detail on duty there and the Siskiyou detail was taken on the train direct up into the mountains to relieve the I company detail there.

Chosen for Officers. With the outgoing force to the Siskiyou this morning went Lieutenant Mulkey, who will relieve Lieutenant Alexander, who has been in command there for two weeks.

First Duty Sergeant William E. O'Brien and First Class Private Harry E. Hubbard have been chosen by Captain Crossley as the company's two entries to the second officers' reserve corps training camp in San Francisco, which opens on August 25.

First Sergeant Harry Hansen and Duty Sergeant Joe G. Reddick of C company, who were in attendance at the first officers' reserve corps training camp, were not successful in obtaining commissions and will rejoin the company from San Francisco this week.

BRITISH LOSS IN TWO WEEKS 21,722 MEN

LONDON, Aug. 15.—Reports of British casualties issued during the first two weeks of August total 21,722 officers and men. They are divided as follows:

Killed and died of wounds: Officers, 223; privates and non-commissioned officers, 4,424. Wounded or missing: Officers, 1,821; Men, 15,254. Total, 21,722.

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HARMONY RULES SCHOOL BOARD IN INITIAL MEETING

If the first full meeting of the new school board with every member and Superintendent Hillis present, and with the new clerk, Frank E. Redden, on duty, held last night at the high school building, can be accepted as a criterion, the relations between the members of the board and officers will be characterized by complete harmony and co-operation.

Clerk's Salary Fixed. Clerk Redden called the attention of the board to the fact that at its meeting two weeks ago the minutes, as written by the former clerk, Mr. Stein, merely stated that he was elected clerk, but did not state for how long and at what salary. It seems that the board in the excitement of electing Mr. Stein and electing Mr. Redden forgot all about these little matters.

The situation was quickly remedied and Redden was elected to the office for a year and his salary was fixed at \$250.

When Superintendent Hillis was re-elected a year ago for a period of four years at \$2250 a year, his contract contained the stipulated salary, but that little matter was inadvertently left out of the minutes of the minutes of the meeting, and because of this each year in August the board must take special action voting the salary. Inasmuch as no action had been taken yet on the matter, Clerk Redden, in order to protect himself from possible trouble, was held back from drawing the July salary voucher for Superintendent Hillis. This situation was also remedied.

Sanitation in Schools.

Dr. Porter brought up the subject of sanitation and ventilation in the schools. All members of the board were agreed that something should be done as soon as possible to make the school rooms of the city more healthy for the pupils, and as it is too late to install ventilating systems in the buildings this year, the board did the next best thing and ordered a barrel of powerful disinfectant for use in the rooms and about the halls and offices. A committee on sanitation was also appointed to investigate in-

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AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT

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TOMORROW

W. M. Russell in "The Man Who Would Not Die"

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to the situation and decide on measures to partially remedy the evil.

It developed during the discussion that there was not a modern school building in the city, and that all rooms were ventilated only by the opening of windows and doors, which method is prolific of drafts and has helped along the spread of contagious diseases which has resulted annually in the closing of one or more buildings for short periods.

No Closing of Schools.

The board was unanimous in its resolve to have no closing down of any school this year on account of contagious disease. They will require that whenever a pupil appears ill in school the teacher must send the child home, and the child cannot return to school until a medical examination shows that he or she is free from a contagious disease or symptoms.

The matter of purchasing the winter supply of fuel for heating the schools was discussed at length. The board would much prefer the use of wood to coal, even tho the latter is cheaper, as coal is dirtier and more unsanitary. Wood dealers are backward about bidding, and it was finally decided to appoint Mr. Phipps as a special committee to visit various timber sections in this part of the state and endeavor to make arrangements for a wood supply at reasonable figures.

The board allowed the payment of a number of bills and took action relating to repairs and painting of the various buildings. The purchase of supplies needed for the school year was also authorized.

WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS GUESTS OF COMPANY C

C Company entertained the members of the Women's Relief Corps and the G. A. R. at supper in its camp last night and following the meal Captain Crossley had the company give a special drill in honor of the visitors. The guests numbered thirty-four, and the occasion was greatly enjoyed by them and by the soldiers.

The Women's Relief Corps has been very busy since the company's

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arrival in the city in the way of furnishing the soldiers with pies and enjoy a dinner and evening with the other dainties, hence the invitation company.

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