

# LOCAL AND PERSONAL

A. B. Cornell, of Grants Pass, is a Medford visitor today. "A. B." as he is affectionately known in his home town, keeps in intimate touch with the great outside world by frequent trips here for observation and research. In the great offensive against vice, which generally is being waged in Grants Pass, Cornell proudly wears the baton of a field marshal for the uplifters. He is a genuine cosmopolitan, and the services of an usher would not be required, it is believed, to page him to the "amen corner" of the Page on the nights of the big musical shows, and no other patron of art, his acquaintances declare would sit so untroubled while a dashing company of a half-hundred ladies of the chorus, lances glistening, flounces undulating, spurred heels clicking, charged down the center of the stage.

Dr. Heine fits glasses correctly. The Southern Pacific has announced an important change in the operation of passenger train No. 16. Until further notice the first section due in this city at 6:25, will consist of mail, baggage and express and chair cars. The second section, due at 6:25 p. m., will consist of sleepers and observation cars only. Heretofore the makeup of the trains has been just the reverse.

Johnson for high-class watch repairing. Merl N. Merriman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Merriman, member of the medical corps of the Fourth United States army engineers, arrived home Tuesday from the Vancouver barracks on a six days' furlough to visit his parents. He is 16 years old and enlisted in the army last April. He likes the service and has been much developed physically by it.

Mets cars at Riverside Garage. Mrs. C. L. Ankeny of Eugene is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Orth. Highest price paid for barley, wheat, oats and hay. Monarch Seed & Feed Company. Opal Call, who has been visiting relatives at Hornbrook, has returned home.

Johnson for high-class watch repairing. Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Lockwood and daughter, Frances, have returned from a ten days' auto trip to Crescent City, Eureka, Redding and other northern California points. Call Taxi 303.

Miss Helen Rohrer left this morning for South Beach, Oregon, a summer resort across the bay from Newport, where she will teach school again this year. En route to South Beach she will stop at Roseburg for a several days' visit. For the best insurance, see Holmes, the Insurance Man. W. W. Williams of Baker, Oregon, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fick at Jacksonville, left for home today. He will enter the second officers reserve corps training camp at San Francisco, having recently been accepted for entrance. He is a brother of Mrs. Fick. Another brother of Mrs. Fick, W. W. Williams, and wife returned home to Grants Pass today after a visit with the Fick family.

See Dave Wood about that fire insurance policy. Office, Room 404, M. F. & H. Building. After having been closed for the past ten days in common with all the other marine recruiting offices of the country, the Medford marine corps recruiting office was reopened for business today by Sergeant James Brooks and enlistments are being sought.

Mets cars at Riverside Garage. Ethel M. Livermore and Mrs. Evile Patton of Pendleton, Oregon, are visitors in the city today and are guests at the Nash hotel. 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.

M. J. Moran of Grand Forks, North Dakota, arrived in the city this morning for a visit with his son, Harry, who is one of the owners and managers of the new Rialto moving picture theatre that will be opened for business September 1. Singer sewing machine shop. C. A. Chapman. Phone 903-R. 245 B. Central. 147 Mrs. Edna Isaacs is spending Wednesday at Ashland.

Dr. Frank Roberts, dentist, St. Mark's Building, Phone 223-Y. Martin L. Erickson, forest supervisor, returned today from the Elk Creek district and reports that all the forest fires in that region, both in the federal reserve and outside of it are now under control. Oregon Agricultural College Fruit & Vegetable Evaporator, built according to official specifications at Pacific Furn. & Fix. Factory. J. Baxter and L. Boyd of Fresno, California, were visitors in the city Tuesday and today. Hot cakes and coffee, 10c. Diamond Restaurant, 127 Sixth St. 140\*

Von Hindenburg, the dog mascot of C. company, has fully recovered from his recent mixup with an automobile near Central Point while accompanying the company on a hike, and has resumed his frolics with Nicotina, the company's pet cat. Kaiser Wilhelm, the coon mascot recently presented to the company is sojourning with the Wolf Creek-Leland guard detail of the company and is being taught tricks and table manners.

Dr. Chas. T. Sweeney, Physician and Surgeon, Phipps Bldg, Phone 36. C. H. Dickers left this morning for Salem, Oregon, to visit relatives. He will also visit at Silverton before returning home.

Rawles Moore, Attorney at Law, Office now located Rooms 7-9, Medford National Bank Bldg. Mrs. C. A. Sticker of Cincinnati, Iowa, who has been visiting H. E. and A. P. Conger and families near Jacksonville, left for home today. Mrs. W. G. Rees of Grants Pass, who has also been visiting the Conger families returned home today.

Call Taxi 303. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Michals and Mrs. W. D. Peckham motored into the city from the Little Applegate region on Tuesday. Dr. Heine, eye, ear, nose, throat. Frank Scofield who is conducting a restaurant of which he is the proprietor in Yreka, California, has returned home from a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peckham, at Applegate all last week.

Baths, 25c. Holland Hotel. Among the tourists and out of town visitors in the city today are Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Moore of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, B. K. Patterson of Pocatello, Idaho, J. L. Mullen of Seattle, T. M. Richardson of Tacoma, E. E. Morton of Eugene, E. W. Kemp of Roseburg, S. G. London and R. K. Patterson of San Francisco, and J. G. Townsend, F. D. Shafer, Jake Anderson, M. R. Long, S. L. Reuben, T. D. Stephenson, A. H. Ferguson, Samuel Moffet, W. A. Woodward, D. D. Moreland and H. G. Merritt of Portland.

Dr. Dow & Dow have returned from their vacation and resumed practice, having re-opened their former offices. Glenn O. Taylor and Attorney M. Purdin arrived home last night from their two weeks' vacations spent in California. They returned by auto, Mr. and Mrs. Purdin coming from Oakland, where they had been visiting relatives, and at Lodi picking up Judge Taylor, who had been visiting his parents there.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Whitney of Brookline, Massachusetts, are eastern tourists who are guests at the Medford today. Classes at St. Mary's Academy, Medford, Oregon, will reopen September 4th. Both boarders and day pupils are received. Full high school course. Individual attention in primary and grammar grades. Exceptional advantages in art, music, china painting and modern languages. For particulars address Sister Superior.

H. A. Freeman of Central Point is a visitor in the city today. C. A. Keizer left this morning for San Francisco where he will spend the major portion of his two weeks vacation. He will also visit other California points. George Upton left this morning for Wolf Creek, where he expects to permanently locate.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Harvey and family of Spokane are an auto party making their headquarters at the Hotel Holland while visiting in the valley and at Crater Lake. Huckleberries are now ripe at Huckleberry mountain. Wm. Simms will be there all the time to pack any one in. The W. C. T. U. will meet in the public library building Thursday afternoon at 2:30. All who are interested are asked to come. Bandages will be on hand. All who have Thanksgiving barrels are requested to bring them.

Army recruiting Sergeant Weston desires to call the attention of all the Jackson county men who were named in the last draft for war service that they can avoid being called into compulsory service by enlisting in the army now before the call comes. He points out that they are sure to be called to the colors when the second big army is formed, unless they have already enlisted in the army. Three escapees from the Oregon State hospital were returned yesterday. They were A. B. Griffith, committed from Aumsville; M. C. Nashwood, committed from Columbia county, and R. C. Messner, whose home is at Gold Hill. The latter was caught at Medford. Nashwood came down to the city and was picked up. Messner was working at the Cottage farm when he concluded to wander. -Salem Journal.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY FOR SALE—Unnumbered lot near Dakota and Laurel, \$50.00 cash. Address Lot, care Mail Tribune. 120\*

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## TALENT DISTRICT VOTES \$600,000 IRRIGATION BONDS

Irrigation bonds in the sum of \$600,000 were voted by the people of the Talent irrigation district yesterday, the vote standing 83 for and 60 against. Considerable opposition developed during the past few days, the result of sentiment in Ashland and the district south of that city, to the effect that the Hyatt Prairie source of water supply will prove to be inadequate. They designated it as an experiment for which they were unwilling to pay the sum required to install the system.

The district engineer, however, had made a survey of the situation and filed a report as a basis for the judgment of land owners in the district when it came time to accept or reject the Hyatt Prairie project plan. It appears from the vote of yesterday that a majority of those interested in the irrigation of the farms of the district were willing to rely on the engineer's report as to the adequacy of the supply.

The result of yesterday's vote must now be ratified by the state engineer, the state bank examiner and the attorney-general, after a careful investigation of the plans of the proposed Hyatt Prairie project, their report to be submitted to the secretary of state, if favorable, for his certification. Following this, the bonds voted will be placed on the market. The district board of directors will then sell the bonds and let the contracts for the work.

If the state committee's report be unfavorable, a revised plan will have to be submitted to the voters of the district for their adoption or rejection.

## VERDUN WANTS TO BE ADOPTED BY AMERICAN CITY

PARIS, Aug. 22.—A deputation from the municipal council of Verdun called upon William G. Sharp, the American ambassador, today to suggest the possibility of some American city adopting Verdun, as it were, to assist in the reconstruction of the city hall, waterworks, school and other ruined public properties.

Mr. Sharp in reply referred to the admiration of Americans for the heroic defense of Verdun and his intention to take into consideration the best means of bringing the request of the Verdun city authorities to the attention of the United States. It appeared during the conversation that only six civilians are now in Verdun as Frenchmen and police.

### WEDDING BELLS

A very pretty wedding was solemnized by Rev. Frederick W. Carstens, pastor of the First Baptist church, at his residence on West Fourth street, at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

The short but impressive ring ceremony was used in uniting Roland David Flaherty and Miss Florence May Kincaid, both of Agate, Or., in the bonds of matrimony.

The groom's mother, Mrs. Ethel Ziesan, of Centralia, Wash., Miss M. Josephine Kincaid, a sister to the bride, Mrs. Kincaid, the bride's mother, and a brother of the bride witnessed the happy event.

Mr. Flaherty is engaged in farming near Agate, where the happy couple will reside. Miss Kincaid was formerly a popular teacher in the Central Point schools. The young people are both well and favorably known. A wide circle of friends doubtless join with the Sun in wishing them a long and happy life.

PARIS, Aug. 22.—Julian Biddle of the La Fayette aerial squadron was killed in the service two days ago. It is now learned definitely that Corporal Harold Willis of Boston, who has been missing for several days, was brought down inside the German lines by a German machine.

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## COUNCIL PLANS TO SUPPLY WOOD AT LOW PRICES

The city council last night took the first step towards preventing the public from being fleeced by the combination of wood dealers of the city and vicinity, and also the efforts of the ranchers to force up the price of wood, when it was decided that the council should act as a committee of the whole and at once begin an investigation with a view to the city itself going into the wood business and furnishing wood to the people at actual cost.

While credit for starting the action should be given to Dr. Keene, yet he is no more anxious or enthusiastic than Mayor Gates or any other councilman to prevent the public being held up by the wood dealers and forced to pay prices for wood this fall and winter higher than the people can afford to pay.

**To Prevent Gouging.**  
The mayor and councilmen are unanimous in their determination to prevent this gouging of the public, and the chances are that the wood dealers and ranchers who are now charging exorbitant prices for wood will have a lot of wood left on their hands later on at a big loss.

The council unanimously denounces the action of the wood men and present prices as an outrage. It is probable that a special meeting will be called soon to take action. There seems to be no doubt in the minds of the councilmen, most of whom have already privately delved into the wood situation, that plenty of good wood can be gotten by the city at reasonable prices and turned over to consumers at cost.

Dr. Hargrave announced last night that he knew where the city could get plenty of good body fir and have it shipped to Medford, delivered to consumers and sawed at an actual cost of \$0.60 a cord to the consumers.

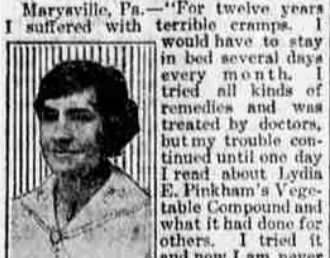
Other councilmen think that this price can be beaten by a dollar a cord. **Grass and Weeds.**  
The council last night also devoted much time to the grass and weed situation in the city, and it was decided to have written notices served on offending property owners, and then if they fail to cut down the grass and weeds along the sidewalks and on their parkings, to have the chief of police and fire chief enforce the ordinance governing grass and weeds to the letter.

This ordinance provides for a fine of from \$5 to \$10 and a jail sentence of from one to ten days, or in the case of absentee property owners, provides that the city itself shall do the work and have the cost of the same apply as a lien against the property.

Councilman Hargrave took the

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stand that it was foolish of the council to take any special action or to give the property-owners written notice before enforcing the ordinance, and contended that it was the duty of the proper officials to enforce this and all other ordinances at all times. He said if the individual councilmen would keep from butting in and telling a city officer to let this or that offending citizen alone, the laws of the city would be enforced by the officers whose duty it is to enforce them.

All that was necessary, he said, was for the council to stand back of these officers unanimously and encourage them to do their full duty instead of individual councilmen asking the officials to let this or that offender alone.

**Permit for Lumber Shed.**  
The council acted favorably on the application of Joe Ganyaw to be per-

mitted to erect at once a wood and lumber shed 250 by 100 feet on Fir street and the Southern Pacific right of way south of the former Union Meat company building.

In connection with this subject, the council discussed the advisability of establishing a warehouse district exempt from the present fire limits and instructed the fire and building committee to take up the matter with the city attorney, and have this warehouse territory include the territory south of Eighth street, between Fir street and the Southern Pacific tracks and north of Sixth street between Fir and the Southern Pacific tracks.

The council also disposed of many routine matters.

R. A. Lindsey of Chicago and A. L. Howard of San Francisco are business visitors in the city today.

## MARK ARIE WINS TRAP CHAMPIONSHIP

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Mark Arie of Thomasboro, Illinois, won the National Amateur Trap Shooting championship in the grand American handicap tournament today after three shoot-offs, breaking seventy-five targets in a row.

Clarence B. Platt of Bridgeton, N. J., who won the national amateur championship in doubles by smashing ninety-six of fifty pairs of targets, equaled the world's record for the event made by William Ridley of Whatchee, Iowa, at Danver, Colorado, several years ago.

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