

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The marine corps recruiting office is now permanently established in room No. 1 of the Palm block, formerly used as the recruiting headquarters of the navy and later by the marines, with Sergeant J. J. Hill in charge, where all men of military age are invited to call and obtain information as to enlistment. The marine corps now enlists men between the ages of 18 and 40. Young men under 21 years of age can now be enlisted without the written consent of their parents. The maximum age limit has just been increased from 36 to 40 years.

Furniture packing and crating. Douglas, 201 Riverside, phone 162-J.

Misses Lovada and Arletta Bullock left this morning for a visit with their brother, Arthur, at Oregon City.

Mattress making and furniture upholstering. Douglas, 201 S. Riverside. Phone 162-J.

Miss M. P. Walsh and Miss O. W. Crosby of New York City, are motor tourist guests at the Hotel Medford.

One and three-color stock pear labels for sale. Medford Printing Co.

John W. Cunningham of Portland, the consulting engineer who as representative of State Engineer Lewis is conducting an investigation into the proposed sources of supply for the Medford irrigation district, met with the district board this afternoon.

Dr. Heine, Garnett-Corey Bldg. Men, mules and machinery arrived at Gold Hill Saturday for the prosecution of the work of constructing the Foote's creek irrigation district. It is the purpose of the board to have the water available for every acre of the district for use on next year's crops.

For Exchange—For property of equal value in Medford, Ashland or vicinity, I will exchange my property in this city consisting 1 1/2 lots, a two-story six-room reinforced concrete residence with large sun porches, full basement and all modern improvements, built four years ago, total cost of residence and property \$4,000. Located in best part of city. Ely with six thousand population is the principal city of the Vermillion iron range, five large mines within the city limits, common labor \$4.50 to \$5.00, skilled miners 6 to 8 dollars per day, all eight hours work, mines short 600 hands at present. Reasons for desiring exchange is poor health and desire for moderate climate. Address Charles A. Nutter, City Engineer, Ely, Minn.

Glady's Miller and Alta Kubli are guests at the Hotel Medford from the Applegate district. Daily's Taxi. Phone 15. R. M. Hansford departed Monday night for a visit at Pasco, Wash. For the best insurance see Holmes, the Insurance Man. County Agricultural Agent C. C. Cate left last night for Corvallis, having been called to that place by telegraph for a conference. He will return Wednesday or Thursday. Mrs. Paul Hanson, local agent for Nubone corsets. Phone 585-H. 117

H. L. Percy, one of the proprietors and managers of the Rialto theater, is a business visitor in Portland and Seattle this week, where he went on business connected with the policy of the local picture house to present star features as rapidly as they may be procured. Mr. Percy will return early next week.

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Mrs. M. M. Cooksey, a pioneer resident of Central Point, who had been the guests of Mrs. W. W. Watson, returned to her home yesterday.

Butte Falls Lumber company want saw mill men and lumber piers. Pay standard wages. 116\*

The land owners of the Sardine creek valley are organizing an irrigation district to comprise about 7,000 acres of good agricultural land. It will be a pumping proposition, the supply of water to be used during the winter months for mining purposes on the placer ground in the district.

Young man or boy with motor-cycle wanted to carry papers to Ashland on Sunday morning. Phone 75 at once if interested. 115

A. W. Walker drove to Eugene and returned Monday with Mrs. Walker and the children who spent two months visiting relatives there. Mrs. Walker's mother, Mrs. W. J. Mulkey, and sister, Sadie Mulkey, returned with them.

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Sarah E. Case and Lura V. Parker of Portland, arrived at the Hotel Medford from Portland yesterday afternoon en route to Crater Lake, and left by the stage this morning for the lake.

Any one knowing the address of Wilford Gardner please notify Mrs. Dolly P. Love, Central Point, Ore. 117

Miss Mary Lewis of Waldron, Ind., who had been visiting her aunt, Mrs. E. D. Wilhite of Sams Valley, departed from this city this morning for home, intending to stop off for a short visit at Portland.

State Fair, Salem, Oregon, September 23-28. Splendid exhibits, excellent music, high-class entertainments and a superb racing card. For particulars write A. H. Lea, Salem, Oregon.

The Oregon Agricultural college has just issued a bulletin on evaporation of fruits and vegetables in the home, which may be consulted at the library, or taken out.

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Five or six silos are being erected in Sams valley by progressive farmers in that territory, averaging about 70 tons each. Many acres of corn will be converted into silage. The farmers of that valley are almost an unit, it is said, in the demand for an irrigation district covering an area of half the valley, at least.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Kaufman and Mrs. Dick Maloney of Yerington, Nev., are motor tourists who departed from the Hotel Holland this forenoon after a day's visit in the city for Crater Lake. Another tourist party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. L. Healy and Miss H. Harrol of Vancouver, B. C., arrived from Crater Lake last night and are guests at the same hotel.

Will G. Steel, superintendent of Crater National park, returned to Crater Lake today after a visit here since Sunday.

At the home of Mrs. W. S. Crank on Portland avenue, Miss Anne McCormick will give a food demonstration on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock to which all the residents of that section of the city are invited.

Corporal J. A. Huengerardt of Camp Lewis arrived in the city this morning and is a guest at the Nash hotel.

Forty-seven young men of the navy passed thru the city this morning en route from San Francisco to the Bremerton navy yard.

H. Hoxworth, E. Yokum and W. F. Yokum left today for Weed, Calif., where they will be employed in a lumber mill.

Judge Taylor was busy with Motor-cycle Cop McDonald this forenoon making out complaints against about twenty owners of cars in Medford and the valley for speeding and violation of the vehicle light law during the past ten days. These cases were all held back pending the arrival of Judge Taylor home from his vacation. All the alleged offenders will be given hearings within the next few days.

A home service section of the Red Cross will be organized at Gold Hill at a meeting to be held at Red Cross headquarters in that place next Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

The chief feature of interest in the regular city council meeting tonight lies in the fact that Mayor Gates will announce his appointment of a new chief of police to succeed former Chief Hittson who resigned to enter the automobile business. The mayor will appoint Night Policeman George Timothy to the position and there seems to be no doubt that the council will confirm the appointment. Mayor Gates will also appoint a policeman to the vacancy on the force created by Timothy's promotion.

A. H. Boyce and family of Los Angeles and R. H. Macaulay and family of Portland are motor tourists who arrived in the city from Crater Lake Tuesday evening and are guests at the Hotel Holland.

In the eastern auction markets Monday pears sold as follows: New York, 40 cars, \$3.71; Boston, \$2.90, and Chicago, \$3.60.

Six more laborers arrived from Portland this morning to work on the government contracts at Crater Lake. Eleven others arrived for the same purpose Sunday from Portland. This makes 49 laborers in all who were brought from the north within the past week for work on the government contracts.

F. K. Deuel, a prominent business man and capitalist of Medford, is named in quite a general report as the principal in a deal among business men of that city and of the northern end of the county for the establishment of a large general merchandise business house in Gold Hill. The report includes the suggestion that the store will contain a department for every line of trade required in the field. Prominent farmers, it is said, will be identified with the financial feature of the deal.—Gold Hill News.

Sheriff Ralph Jennings departed Monday night for Corvallis on a personal business mission, and expected to return home within a day or two.

The report in the Sunday Sun that the Pruitt-Hittson auto company has the agency for Buick cars and trucks is a mistake. The Power Auto company still has the agency for these popular cars and trucks.

Claude Miles and the handsome Case Six car which he is exhibiting and demonstrating over the state, arrived in the city last night from Portland. The demonstration car, which is painted a buff color, attracted much admiring attention in the city and valley wherever it was seen today. Mr. Miles will probably leave in the car Wednesday night for a trip thru central Oregon.

Isaac Himmelhoeh, one of the executors of the Rosenberg estate, which owns the Bear Creek orchard, and his daughter, Mrs. J. Levinson, whose husband is also an executor, of Seattle are here to spend a month or more. They are guests at the Hotel Medford. Mrs. Levinson has her young daughter with her.

Twenty-seven drafted men from Washington state passed thru Medford Tuesday morning en route to Camp Fremont, Calif.

Included among hotel guests in the city Tuesday were E. Harding of Boston, Mass., George Tonkin of Pendleton, R. L. Finlayson, W. Kahn and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Montgomery of San Francisco, F. H. Hampton of Hemet, Calif., H. P. Long of Hesperia, B. H. Hutchins of Dunsmuir, S. A. Danford of Roseburg, James F. Butler of Eagle Point, and R. H. Salinger, J. F. R. Webber and Walter E. Bliss of Portland.

#### MEATLESS WEEKS IN GERMANY PREDICTED

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 6.—Meatless weeks will be introduced in Germany as soon as the harvest permits the restoration of the normal rations of bread, potatoes and vegetables. If many more cattle are slaughtered for meat the Hun's milk and fats supply will suffer.

#### CHAMP CLARK RE-NOMINATED BY MISSOURI DEMOCRATS

MONTGOMERY, Mo., Aug. 5.—Speaker Champ Clark, for the thirteenth time, was re-nominated for congress in the democratic primary in this district today without opposition.

#### Praise Service at Crater Lake.

There will be a preaching service next Sunday, Aug. 11, at 8 p. m. at Crater Lake, conducted by Rev. John W. Hoyt of Ashland, Sunday school missionary of the Presbytery of Southern Oregon. The meeting will be held in the hotel at the rim of the crater. The meeting will be patriotic in character and it is desired that all who find it possible, to be present, co-operate in making this meeting a success. The praise service will be an important part of the meeting and a choir of 20 voices is desired. Volunteer your help if you can be there. Mr. Hoyt will be on the ground early in the afternoon arriving from Klamath county.

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## SHELDON FIRES GRASS AND NEARLY BURNS UP BARN

There were queer doings in Medford this noon. First, Ben Sheldon in looking over his estate, the Amereromble place on Kings highway, where the Sheldons have resided for several months, decided to burn off the grass in the vicinity of his hay stack and burn and do away with a possible fire menace which might destroy them. But in burning the grass the flames got away from him and for a time threatened to communicate to both the barn and hay stack.

It was a time of extreme emergency with Ben and forsaking his polished speakership seeking and Ashland normal school vice getting managers, he raced for the house hollering fire all the way, grabbed the telephone and excitedly but effectively summoned the fire department with the added injunction to not bluster on the way.

Evidently Ben's excitement got the fire department boys all twisted, for after an exceptionally fast run the chemical apparatus arrived on the scene, the firemen hastily jumped down, seized the chemical cylinders and rushed to save Ben's barn and haystack.

The valves were opened but no fire extinguishing fluid came from either cylinder. The firemen began running around in circles until they discovered they had overlooked having filled the tanks with chemicals at the engine house.

Neighbors, firemen and passersby succeeded in putting out the grass fire.

## SEWAGE PLANTS AT CAMPS ENLARGED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Enlargement and improvement of sewage plants at camps and cantonments, to safeguard the health of troops as their numbers increase will be undertaken at once by the army. It was announced today that the project would cost about \$40,000 for each camp.

#### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

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## G. A. R. VETERANS HAVE HONOR AT RIALTO

Of the many touching incidents in Madge Kennedy's newest Goldwyn picture, "The Service Star," none stands out more prominently than the scene depicting a group of G. A. R. veterans watching the boys in khaki leaving the village for camp just as the veterans themselves did more than half a century ago.

The incident is a reproduction of an actual happening in a small Long Island town adjoining a village where several scenes in "The Service Star" were taken. Learning that a farewell was planned for the boys of the draft leaving for camp, the Goldwyn director decided to add a touch of realism to the play and brought the company to the town on the day of the festivities. The presence of the veterans at the depot was a source of agreeable surprise to the players, particularly Madge Kennedy, who had a delightful hour's chat with them.

The old warriors regaled her with stories of their association with Grant, Meade and McClellan. It isn't often that a girl gets the opportunity she thought, to talk to a group of the nation's old defenders, so work on "The Service Star" had to be suspended for an hour or more to give Miss Kennedy time to enjoy her unusual and pleasant experience.

This scene in "The Service Star" which comes to the Rialto theater beginning tomorrow, is certain to thrill all who see it, just as it did Miss Kennedy.

#### ONE ENGLISH FAMILY EARNS \$350 A WEEK

LONDON, Aug. 5.—One family all of whose members are employed in war industries has a total income of \$350 a week, due to the increase in wages in all industries.

## UNCLE SAM WANTS CHROME DEPOSITS

Forrest B. Caldwell, mining engineer and head of the California state bureau of mines, arrived in the city Tuesday as the representative of the United States bureau of mines to examine the chrome deposits in Jackson county. His headquarters are at the Hotel Medford and any one having chrome deposits or knowing of the same is requested to get in touch with him. Mr. Caldwell has just returned from an examination of the chrome deposits in Siskiyou county. The government is anxious to get as large a supply of chrome as possible.

#### WEDDING BELLS

Married, at the home of the officiating minister, J. E. Walbeck, Saturday evening, Aug. 3, Mr. Frank C. Port of Sacramento, Cal., and Cora Boutwell of Wisconsin, but who had been visiting friends near Jacksonville, Ore. Accompanied by Mr. Port's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell of Sacramento, they were en route to Crater Lake, thence by Grants Pass, Crescent City and return to California where they will make their future home.

#### Racine Bridge Expands.

RACINE, Wis., Aug. 6.—As a result of the intense heat at mid-day the steel in the main bridge expanded to such a degree that the bridge could not be closed after it had swung open to allow the passage of an outgoing steamer. The bridge, which is a 200 foot structure, remained open for some time while the fire department played streams of cold water upon the metal in order to cause a contraction sufficient to allow its closing. The temperature in Racine today ranged from 98 to 100 degrees.

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