

COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY FORMED, ELECT DIRECTORS

A very enthusiastic meeting was held last evening at the Public Library under the direction of Mrs. F. W. Swanson, general manager of the Oregon Humane society, for the purpose of organizing a Jackson County Humane society. The meeting was called to order and the following officers were elected: President, Dr. E. H. French, vice president, Rev. William B. Hamilton, secretary, Mrs. Glenn Patrick, treasurer, Miss Ruth Manning. Board of directors: John A. Waterford, Medford; Charles Palm, Medford; W. J. Drumhull, Medford; C. C. Dale, Medford; Mrs. W. E. Cross, Medford; Col. Voorhes, Voorhes; C. D. Thompson, Medford; John M. Reed, Medford; Mrs. Rose Schlerette, Medford; C. H. Thomas, Medford; James Wolf, Medford; James G. Gray, Medford; C. W. Martin, Co. 5 Hill; Alice Hanley, Jacksonville; Ed Staples, Ashland; Mrs. Roy Stanley, Eagle Point; H. W. A. van der Helten, Weston; H. W. Lingham, Medford; Slater Johnson, Antelope; Geo. A. Mansfield, Prospect; Miles Central, Appleton; Mrs. R. Eason, Central Point; Royal Brown, Eagle Point; Mike Hunter, Lake Creek; A. C. Joy, Ashland and Mr. Correll, Evans Creek.

A meeting will be held January 7 at 1:30 at the Public Library at which all the directors and any one else interested in the movement will be present.

A former remarked, "I'll give \$25 to have a good county fair," but upon investigation found it would only cost him \$5 under the present method of raising the money, his farm being assessed \$500, and the tax for one year only being \$1 on \$1000 assessed value.

POLLING PLACES SPECIAL ELECTION DEC. 14 NAMED

The polling places for the special election tomorrow are as follows:

Ashland—Delevard—Not named.
Ashland E. Central—City Hall.
Ashland W. Central—McCarthy Bldg., 407 Main and Franklin street.
Ashland C. S.—The Star Bldg.
North Ashland—4th St. Lumber Room.
S. E. Ashland—114 Palm Ave.
S. W. Ashland—Not named.
Ashland West—Not named.
Astoria—Aetich school house.
Applegate—A. E. Rose hall.
Bazan—2nd Creek school.
Bellevue—Bellevue school.
Boite-Eale—E. A. Hildreth's store.
N. Central Point—Bowen Bldg.
E. Central Point—City hall.
Chinook—Kerwood Ranch house.
Larley—School house.
Eagle Point—Town hall.
Felicity—Lock—Princess school.
Fossil Creek—Riverside store.
Gold Hill—1409 1/2 Ind.
Hirsh Creek—Giffin Creek school.
North Jacksonville—Gump house.
North Jacksonville—City hall.
Lake Creek—Lake Creek school.
Medford—Meadow school.
Medford N. Main—Smith's, 7th and 223 N. Grape St.
Medford K. Main—Geo. Kunenmark store.
Medford N. Central—City hall.
Medford S. Central—Felt's store.
Medford N. Riverside—Lincoln school.
Medford Okadale—Okadale Grocery.
Medford Newtown—Washington school.
East Medford—P. & depot.
S. E. Medford—Dewey school.
S. W. Medford—1241 W. 4th St.
W. Medford—1st Park St.
S. W. Medford—Latham school.
Almond—Almond school.
Orchard Home—D. W. Lake's home.
Perryville—Elyz. Lawrence house.
East Phoenix—City Hall (English side).
West Phoenix—Woodman's hall.
Rock Point—Rock Point school.
Regis River—Regis Mill's store bldg.
Rocky Ann—Broadway house.
Burns Valley—Cooper's hall.
Stirling—Lambert school.
East Talent—City hall.
West Talent—High school.
Talent—E. E. Aker's hall.
Wagon—Tuck hall.
Waldman—Peoples hall, Palmer Creek.
Willow Springs—Willow Springs school.
Winnem—Smallwood's store.

FLOODS ON THE DECLINE
(Continued from page one)
Two miles beyond, the highway is about six feet under water.

ELLENBURG, Wash., Dec. 12.—The Yakima river here, ordinarily 120 yards wide, was nearly two miles wide today and the water had reached its highest stage in years. The municipal light plant was flooded and the municipal water works threatened. Scores of families moved to higher land during the night.

All roads leading from Ellensburg to the river were flooded and an attempt to get a crew of freemen to the light plant failed when horses refused to enter the stream. The water here at ten o'clock this morning was two feet higher than the record stage of 1918 when damage of nearly \$1,000,000 was done to railway lines and farms. No trains were operating west of

TAX ON RAILWAY TICKETS OFF JAN. 1

Welcome news to Medford people who contemplate making train trips after the first of the year, and to the traveling public generally, is that on January 1st the government war tax on passenger tickets, Pullman berths and freight will no longer be required. The above information has just been received by Agent Montgomery from the Southern Pacific railroad headquarters.

The taking off of this war tax will result in lowering the cost of living and traveling and means that Uncle Sam's income from this source from Medford alone will be approximately \$2500 less a month after January 1st, as the Southern Pacific has been collecting that sum every 30 days in tax on tickets, berths and freight. After the first of the year it will cost \$1.25 less for a one-way fare to Portland from Medford, or \$2.50 less on the round trip, as the tax on a ticket is 95 cents, and on a berth 25 cents, each way.

PRUNING TALKS TO START MONDAY

The week beginning December 13 will be known as pruning week in Jackson county. The work will start off with a public meeting at the library in Medford on Monday afternoon at 7 o'clock. Here a discussion on the latest methods of pruning will be presented by Clayton Long of the U. S. C. and a demonstration by C. C. Gato on the application of the system.

Pruning demonstrations will be held at various parts of the county as follows:

Tuesday, 10:00 a. m.—Glasgow orchard, Talent.
Tuesday, 2:00 p. m.—E. J. Wiggins Ashland.
Wednesday, 10:00 a. m.—Roy Nichols Central Point.
Wednesday, 2:00 p. m.—Eddie Carlson's Table Rock.
Thursday, 10:00 a. m.—Champlin Orchard, Rogue River.
Thursday, 2:00 p. m.—VanHovenberg orchard, Seaside Valley.
Friday, 10:00 a. m.—Alb. Viola orchard, Eagle Point.
Friday, 2:00 p. m.—Vilas orchard, East Medford.
Saturday, 10:00 a. m.—Chester Hill, South Medford.

50 CANDIDATES FOR W. O. W. INITIATION

Chas. E. Wilson, district manager of the Woodmen of the World, has moved to Medford and will make this city his headquarters, working with all the W. O. W. camps in the valley. He spent Sunday in Kerby, where he assisted the Grants Pass camp to put in a class of 25.

Wednesday night he will assist Medford camp in putting in a large class of 50 candidates. The Medford lodge will then have 400 members in this vicinity. A big time is planned, followed by an oyster supper.

FOUR-PARTY TREATY SIGNED

Wood Johnson, former Ambassador to Italy, it will be recalled by his countrymen in the American Academy of Arts and Letters in New York.

After the signing Senator Lodge went to the White House for a conference with President Harding presumably regarding the president's transmission of the treaty to the senate. Any action before January was regarded as impractical.

It is the opinion of American diplomats that the treaty has settled the long pending and the War League two more points probably would come out of the conference, one to deal with the armistice relating to China and the other an armistice limitation.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—(By Associated Press.) The new quadripartite treaty to preserve peace in the Pacific was formally signed today by the plenipotentiaries of the United States, Great Britain, France and Japan.

The American official copy of the document now goes to the White House for transmission by President Harding to the senate. The new pact, it was generally believed today, would be forwarded to the senate within a very short time.


The signatures were affixed in the parlor of the office of the secretary of state. There was no formal ceremony and no one was present except the plenipotentiaries, their secretaries and advisers.

The American delegates, the first to sign under an alphabetical arrangement of the powers, put their names to

TURKEY SHOOT

TURKEYS CHICKENS DUCKS VEAL
SUNDAY, DEC. 18
Three-quarters Mile North Ruch.
HOLZGANG RANCH
WOOD
Good Dry Wood of all kinds, from \$3.00 per tier and up. Phone 144.
W. F. LONGWILL CO.

SOUSA and His BAND



AT THE PAGE THEATRE
MATINEE AND NIGHT
Wednesday, December 21st
In two brand-new programs, with some eminent soloists

PIECES
Night, Lower Floor.....\$2.50
Balcony, First 5 Rows.....\$2.00
Balcony, Last 5 Rows.....\$1.50
Matinee, Lower Floor.....\$2.00
Balcony.....\$1.50 and \$1.00
Plus 10 Per Cent Tax
Mail Orders, Now to
Page Theatre, Medford, Ore.
Tickets mailed only in stamped self-addressed envelopes.
SEAT SALE OPENS MONDAY, DECEMBER 13TH

LOCAL QUESTIONS AT FORUM TOMORROW

The members of the Medford Chamber of Commerce will have an opportunity to discuss local problems at their regular luncheon given at the Medford hotel. A number of resolutions on the forum list, that some would appear to be presented so that an open forum will be held.

The forum tomorrow will be the 47th. This is a record that is maintained in the state can exist in that these forums were in 27 weeks. The one hundredth forum, which comes on the first day of March, should be made a special occasion and suggestions of the members of the chamber for this event are solicited.

Cut This Out—It Is Worth Money
Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c and mail it to Foley & Co., 2825 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds and croup; Foley's Kidney Pills for pains in sides and back; rheumatism, backache, kidney and bladder ailments; and Foley's Cathartic Tablets, a wholesome and thoroughly effective cathartic for constipation, biliousness, headaches, and sluggish bowels. Sold everywhere. A.B.F.

PRUNING TALKS TO START MONDAY

The week beginning December 13 will be known as pruning week in Jackson county. The work will start off with a public meeting at the library in Medford on Monday afternoon at 7 o'clock. Here a discussion on the latest methods of pruning will be presented by Clayton Long of the U. S. C. and a demonstration by C. C. Gato on the application of the system.

Pruning demonstrations will be held at various parts of the county as follows:

Tuesday, 10:00 a. m.—Glasgow orchard, Talent.
Tuesday, 2:00 p. m.—E. J. Wiggins Ashland.
Wednesday, 10:00 a. m.—Roy Nichols Central Point.
Wednesday, 2:00 p. m.—Eddie Carlson's Table Rock.
Thursday, 10:00 a. m.—Champlin Orchard, Rogue River.
Thursday, 2:00 p. m.—VanHovenberg orchard, Seaside Valley.
Friday, 10:00 a. m.—Alb. Viola orchard, Eagle Point.
Friday, 2:00 p. m.—Vilas orchard, East Medford.
Saturday, 10:00 a. m.—Chester Hill, South Medford.

50 CANDIDATES FOR W. O. W. INITIATION

Chas. E. Wilson, district manager of the Woodmen of the World, has moved to Medford and will make this city his headquarters, working with all the W. O. W. camps in the valley. He spent Sunday in Kerby, where he assisted the Grants Pass camp to put in a class of 25.

Wednesday night he will assist Medford camp in putting in a large class of 50 candidates. The Medford lodge will then have 400 members in this vicinity. A big time is planned, followed by an oyster supper.

FOUR-PARTY TREATY SIGNED
(Continued from page one)

Wood Johnson, former Ambassador to Italy, it will be recalled by his countrymen in the American Academy of Arts and Letters in New York.

After the signing Senator Lodge went to the White House for a conference with President Harding presumably regarding the president's transmission of the treaty to the senate. Any action before January was regarded as impractical.

It is the opinion of American diplomats that the treaty has settled the long pending and the War League two more points probably would come out of the conference, one to deal with the armistice relating to China and the other an armistice limitation.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—(By Associated Press.) The new quadripartite treaty to preserve peace in the Pacific was formally signed today by the plenipotentiaries of the United States, Great Britain, France and Japan.

The American official copy of the document now goes to the White House for transmission by President Harding to the senate. The new pact, it was generally believed today, would be forwarded to the senate within a very short time.

The signatures were affixed in the parlor of the office of the secretary of state. There was no formal ceremony and no one was present except the plenipotentiaries, their secretaries and advisers.

The American delegates, the first to sign under an alphabetical arrangement of the powers, put their names to

PAGE

NOW HERE UNTIL FRIDAY NIGHT ONLY—THEN GONE

THE SENSATION OF "THE MIRACLE MAN" AND "THE PENALTY"—AND NOW ONE OF THE FOREMOST CHARACTER ACTORS OF THE SCREEN.

LON CHANEY

—in—**LERROY SCOTT'S**

The NIGHT ROSE

With an All Star Cast, Including—
CULLEN LANDIS
LEATRICE JOY
JOHN POWERS
BETTY SUBADI
MARY WARREN
AND MANY OTHERS.

Added Attractions
"BROWNE" the Wonder Dog, in a comedy, "ALFALFA LOVE"
PATHE NEWS WEEKLY.
"BETTY" at the Mighty Wurlitzer, always.
SATURDAY "THE BARRICADE"

A STIRRING PRODUCTION THAT IS A 100% LON CHANEY—TELLING IN A FAST GRIPPING MANNER THE FIGHT OF TWO BEAUTIFUL WOMEN AGAINST THE CITY'S KING OF EVIL.

BIG SALE OF JEWELRY

WE NEED THE MONEY

We Are Putting Our Entire Stock of DIAMONDS, WATCHES, JEWELRY, CUT GLASS, SILVERWARE, CLOCKS, IVORY, Etc., on the Market

AT WHOLESALE PRICES

WE MUST TURN OUR STOCK. This will be a clean cut sale. We offer a good clean stock of merchandise at prices that will save you dollars. It will be a chance to make your dollars do almost double duty. We guarantee each article sold. We have no shoddy or shop worn stock. This sale you must not overlook, call and let us show you. You will be pleased, we are sure. Do not delay, as things will move fast at the pices that we will offer.

SALE STARTS WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14th

\$16.00 and \$17.00 ruby rings at \$8.75. Sterling Silver Thimbles, 20c. Seth Thomas Alarm Clocks, \$2.65. Set Rings at almost half price. A good Waltham Watch for \$9.25. Guaranteed. One \$150.00 Phonograph for \$110.00. Phonograph Records, 35c each.

OPEN EVENINGS

FAY E. DIAMOND, Jeweler

115 E. Main, Medford