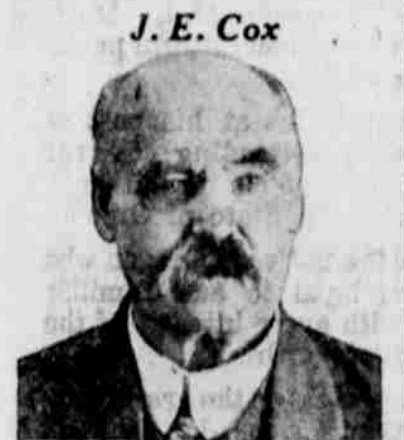


FOUR TRUE BILLS ARE RETURNED BY GRAND JURY

Four not true bills, and the same number of true bills were returned by the grand jury this morning. Ernest (Dud) Wolgamott was indicted for alleged possession of intoxicating liquor upon re-submission after a recent withdrawal by the district attorney of a charge of liquor selling. Lester Hixson was indicted for the alleged theft of "one brown colored horse." R. E. Johnson was indicted for non-support of wife and family. Jack Smith was indicted on a charge of advocating a felony. Not true bills were returned against Henry C. Young, a farmer charged with selling intoxicating liquor; Walter L. Smith for giving a check on a bank without sufficient funds; Henry Woolridge for unlawful possession of liquor; and J. H. Wheeler for sale of mortgaged property.

COAL MINERS REJECT OFFER OF OPERATORS

NEW YORK, May 18.—Representatives of the anthracite coal operators today proposed that the miners accept wage reductions averaging 21 per cent in settlement of the strike called last April 1. The offer was refused point blank by leaders of the miners' organization, headed by Philip Murray, vice president of the United Mine Workers of America.



J. E. Cox Three Score Years and Ten He Found a Tonic That Keeps Him Up

PORTLAND, Ore.—"I am a man over seventy years of age and work every day; am hale and hearty and can truthfully say that Dr. Pierce's remedies have proven a wonderful help to me. I take a bottle of the Discovery now and then for its toning up and tonic effect. I also tried various remedies for constipation and after finding the 'Discovery' so good, I thought I would also try the Pleasant Pellets and am glad to say that now I am enjoying excellent health."—J. E. Cox, 1278 Belmont street. Keep yourself in the pink of condition by obtaining Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery in liquid or tablets from your neighborhood druggist, or send 10c to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., for trial pkg. Adv.

JOHN PERL'S SON PASSES AWAY AT LOCAL HOSPITAL

The numerous friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Perl sympathize deeply with them in the loss of their twelve year old son Frederick Lewis Perl, who passed away yesterday afternoon at Sacred Heart hospital as the result of an attack of acute appendicitis. Funeral services will be held at the Perl residence Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The body will lie in state from the hours of 10 a. m. Saturday until 1 p. m. Saturday and friends who wish to view the remains will be given an opportunity at this time. J. Randolph Sarnett will conduct the services and will deliver a brief address. Interment will be in the Jacksonville cemetery and Rev. J. K. Howard of Jacksonville will deliver the prayer at the grave. Frederick Lewis Perl was born near Jennings, La., on August 4th, 1909. He was a student in the seventh A at the Washington school prior to his illness and was well liked by his teachers and fellow pupils, all of whom feel great regret as a result of his untimely death. Deceased is survived by his parents, by Mrs. Charles Six of Decatur, Ill., a sister, and by a brother, Frank Perl, all of whom are in Medford. During the funeral services, seats in the chapel will be reserved for his schoolmates and friends.

PRIMARY BALLOTS BURNED IN FIRE

The residence of E. D. Thompson at Wimer burned to the ground last night destroying all of the primary election ballots for the Wimer voting precinct. The Thompson residence was to have been the seat of the Wimer polls. The cause of the fire is unknown as it started while the family was asleep. No one in the house was injured, but everything was lost as there was no insurance on the property. Printing concerns who printed the ballots are busy today turning out an extra amount in a rush as a result of the destruction of the ballots one day prior to the election.

A PLAGUE OF LOCUSTS NOW MENACES RUSSIA

MOSCOW, May 18.—(By the Associated Press)—A plague of locusts, promising greater destruction than that of last year, has developed in the Caucasus, Baku, Kuban and the Crimea. It is a serious blow to south Russia's hopes for successful crops and the peasants have mobilized to fight the pest with gasoline. Airplanes have been used to drop poison bombs in the breeding areas.

ALBERS DISPLAYS IN MEDFORD STORES

The good old mining days when Jacksonville was in its prime, are recalled to many by the familiar sight of miners, flipping flapjacks, in the windows of Medford grocery stores. These window displays represent the efforts of Charles Stevens of the Albers Bros. Milling company and are part of the publicity campaign engineered by that company to "tell the



world" about Albers products. Even these miners, although mechanical, can appreciate the quality of Albers flour. Union hours are unknown to these miners who automatically flip their cakes, without a miss, all day long. Albers window displays may be seen this week at Hibbard's Grocery, Louies' Grocery, Marsh Grocery, Economy Groceries, West Side Groceries, Jones' Grocery and Whitaker's Cash and Carry Grocery. In these stores a sample of Albers Flapjack flour is given to any housewife who can flip a flapjack.

1000 HOMELESS IN CALIFORNIA FLOOD

LOS ANGELES, May 18.—Thirty thousand acres are flooded or cut off by the levee break of the Colorado river which inundated Ripley, Cal., and possibly a thousand people were made homeless, according to A. E. Warrington, president of the Ripley Improvement company here, owners of the townsite of Ripley in the Palo Verde valley, the eastern end of Riverside county. There was no danger to life, according to Warrington, the valley residents having ample warning not only to flee but to save their belongings and furniture. Flood waters in the town of Ripley are being rapidly drained off, according to Warrington, by dynamiting and cutting dykes and levees of drainage canals and irrigating ditches, which held the water, causing it to back through the town.

A. F. & A. M. Regular Communication Medford Lodge 103, Friday evening, May 19, 7:30 p. m. L. E. WILLIAMS, Secy. There will be a meeting of the Order of De Molay Thursday night at the Masonic hall. The purpose is to confer the Initiatory degree, 30°

ARMY SUN YAT SEN ADVANCES TOWARD PEKIN

HONG KONG, May 17.—(By the Associated Press)—Negotiations are in progress by the south China government at Canton and both the northern factions to prevent a northward expedition by the army of Sun Yat Sen, head of the Canton government. The southern government's main army is moving and concentrating on the border between Kwang Tung and Kiangsi provinces, near the town of Namyung. The recently reported break between Sun Yat Sen and General Chen Chiu Min, head of the south China forces, is not serious, it was declared in well informed quarters here. Indications point to a complete settlement between them in the near future.

TIEN TSIN, May 18.—(By the Associated Press)—Chihli troops belonging to the army of General Wu Pei-Fu are passing through Tien Tsin in large numbers on their way to the northern front to oppose the army of General Chang Tso Lin at Lun Chow. The allied military leaders have warned both sides against entrenching within two miles of the Mukden railway, but this warning probably will be ignored. The railway is in terrible confusion, General Wu's subordinates constantly interfering with the regular staff. Chang's forces took most of the locomotives and other rolling stock during their retreat after the defeat before Peking. Trains from the Pukowa, Su Wang, Hankow and other railways are being used to transport the Chihli soldiers.

Mrs. Blake's Favorite Recipe for Carnation Ice Cream. I have found this simple recipe makes a delicious and wholesome ice cream—economical, too. 1 cup water, 1 tsp. vanilla, 1/2 cup sugar, 2 cups Carnation Milk. Add the sugar to the milk and stir until the sugar is dissolved. Add the vanilla and freeze. Use three parts ice and one part salt in freezing. This recipe makes one quart. Mary Blake. If you haven't our illustrated booklet of 100 tested recipes, write for a copy to Carnation Milk Products Co., 503 Concord Bldg., Portland, Ore. Carnation Milk

What the Tri-L Club Has Done for Girls in Medford

The Tri-L Business and Professional Women's club has perhaps done as much as any one organization of the Y. W. C. A. to create interest and enthusiasm in the Medford association. The Tri-L club was organized in November, 1920, and since that time has been holding semi-monthly meetings devoted to the interests and good times of business girls, as well as sponsoring various classes of interest to the women of Medford. The club has given one club supper or banquet each month. At each of these meetings a prominent speaker has been present, either a national Y. W. C. A. secretary or interesting local speaker. As high as 75 business girls have attended these banquets. Whenever a national secretary has visited Medford the Tri-L girls have arranged a social evening in order that the business girls might have the opportunity of becoming better acquainted with her and learning something of what business girls in other places are doing. A number of jolly parties and can-

direction of Miss Ollie Stollenburg of the physical education department of the high school. The millinery class under the direction of Miss Gertrude Boothe of Mann's millinery department, is held every spring and fall and is of great assistance to many girls and women of Medford who are interested in learning the principles of millinery. The recent Trip Around the World was an example of what the Tri-L club can do. Both this year and last the girls scored a big success financially and otherwise. The artistic decorations and splendid program at each house made the trip an enjoyable affair to all who attended. Over \$100 was cleared by the club. The Tri-L club is a live wire organization and is doing a much needed work in Medford. No girl who remembers the motto of the club, "Love, Laugh and Lift," can fail to respond to its inspiration and find herself a better comrade and more efficient business woman in return. Please remember that classified ads, locals and small ads are cash in advance. Bring in your ads and do not use telephone. With Medford trade is Medford made

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