

Items of Interest From the Rogue River Valley

GENERAL MIX-UP OF FORDS, ET AL, IN EDEN PRECINCT

By Mary O. Carey, Phone 341-J-1

Miss Luelle Holdridge of Talent came home from Corvallis for a short vacation last week returning Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Catherine Alford accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Alvie Willis, came in from Klamath Falls this week. Mrs. Alford has been spending the latter part of the winter with her daughter.

J. S. Spitzer and J. N. Pace of Talent were both in Medford Monday of this week attending to business matters.

Mrs. Jack Allen went over to Buncum the first of the week and brought her sister home with her to visit for a while. Father Allen is badly under the weather the last few days, having taken an unusually bad cold.

This morning your correspondent happened to drop in on Mrs. J. M. Rader and found preparations going on for a dinner party. After asking for the names of her guests, she kindly gave me the following: Mrs. G. W. Milam, Mrs. Harry Von der Heiden, Mrs. H. H. Boyer, Mrs. M. F. Sheets, Mrs. Lester Fay, Mrs. Harry Young, Mrs. J. M. Rader, hostess.

By some oversight I did not mention that Mrs. Bob Hayes nee Inez Fisher returned to her home in California last week, after having spent a couple of months with her grandparents and other relatives in Phoenix.

Acie Job who lives in Ashland, was at the Chandler place Wednesday buying hay.

We are pleased to announce that Mrs. Otto Castor who was operated upon at the Community hospital in Medford some time ago is able to be out riding in the car.

Mose Alford came to Talent from his sojourn in California, and will remain with his mother for some little time, as Mrs. Alford is alone in her home since her husband's death.

Mrs. Twogood will remain at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed Foss indefinitely, having come to Talent for the purpose of burying her husband in the Stearns cemetery at that place some two weeks ago.

The telephone company put in a telephone for J. E. Fish at the I. X. L. Garden ranch last Wednesday. Mr. Fish having tired of the rural system where you have not got direct communication into town where most of the business calls are made.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Evans son-in-law and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff made a flying trip to Doris, Calif. last Sunday going out and returning the same day.

Pleasant callers at the home of your correspondent last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Ralston, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Shearer, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. High.

Bob Furry has rented the West place in North Talent, and has it all plowed and sown.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Barneburg of East Medford were Talent and Ashland visitors last Sunday. Mrs. Barneburg was visiting her mother, Mrs. T. J. Bell, in Talent.

Mrs. Hayman and her daughter Miss Bertha were trading in Phoenix last Tuesday forenoon.

Work of graveling the sides of the grade which has lately been graded, is

being done between Talent and Medford. Many of the residents are wanting their driveways which they have been compelled to tear up in order to tile, graveled, so they can get in and out, which is being done as rapidly as it can be done. Like all the work done thus far it is being well done.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Frazier Brown leave the valley Thursday for Los Angeles, Calif., for a several months vacation. Mr. Brown is very much improved in health since his operation which he underwent in Portland some time ago. Mr. Brown's sister, also his son from the east who have been in college will meet them there and the parties will spend several months pleasure seeking.

Mr. and Mrs. Christianson, daughter and son-in-law of Mrs. L. A. Reames, are in Phoenix visiting Mrs. Christianson's mother for a few days. The parties motored up from California.

Dan Frame, who is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frame of Phoenix, left the first of last week for Seattle, where he has taken a position. His wife will leave for that city as soon as her health will permit, she having been quite ill with la grippe the past week.

Last Saturday morning while C. C. Hartley was on his way to Phoenix in his Ford car, when just in front of the Lloyd Colver barn he dropped in behind a team driven by Walter Stanley, who was leading a cow behind the wagon, another car was coming toward Hartley so he could not pass the wagon. As Hartley slowed down another car jammed into his car from behind, then still another jammed into that one, throwing the three cars into what came near being a bad mixup.

C. Carey and Hartley were in the Hartley car, one man in the second car, and a man and his family, a wife and several children in the last one. Luckily no one was hurt. The cars were all minus head and tail light, and had jammed radiators, broken windshields, dented bodies and broken crumblers. A boy driving the hind car was the cause of all the trouble, and the father of the boy came forward and settled all damages done for both cars.

The other day a friend said to me, did you read the seeming farewell letter written to the public by our old correspondent A. C. Howlett? I told him I had read it. He remarked that he thought it a pity that Mr. Howlett was made to feel that his work had met so much criticism. Then he said if Mr. Howlett should die then everyone would be profuse in their praise for his many years faithful service. Why do people wait until the ears are forever closed to the sound of praise before the good words are spoken?

Likewise the flowers, why heap them upon the bier? I have heard many a person say they took the Mail Tribune just for the many letters written by country correspondents. Yet how many of these people have ever said to one of those who write, that they enjoy the letters? I for one say it will be a long time before the Mail Tribune will find another as faithful correspondent as A. C. Howlett has been, whether he is the most scholarly one or not.

ALBANY, Ore., March 22.—A burial ground of what is pronounced to be an ancient race of mound builders has been unearthed directly across the river from Albany by a farmer, Clyde Peacock. It became known yesterday. Peacock unearthed skulls, knives, skeletons, charcoal and mortars and pestles.

J. G. Crayford, local authority on prehistoric specimens, declared the skulls to be those of mound builders after closely comparing them with other specimens of mound builders and Indians that he has in his laboratory.

ENDERS GUARANTEE SALE OF PACK OF ASHLAND CANNERY

ASHLAND, March 22.—(Special)—

Indications on Thursday evening were that canvassers in behalf of instituting a new cannery here had more than gone over the top in securing the necessary \$20,000, that sum having been over-subscribed. The maximum subscription was \$2800 and the minimum \$100. Estimates on equipping the plant apportioned \$2000 for building improvements and \$5000 for new equipment. It is conceded that the dryer will have to be replaced. Work is to begin at once in placing the plant in shape for operations just as soon as the fruit and vegetable crops justify it. Enders, Sr., who "guarantees the sale of the pack," is connected exclusively with his wholesale establishment, having relinquished control of the big retail department store bearing his name.

"Enders guarantees a sale of the pack," is the chief incentive to purchasing stock in a new cannery project here, and of \$20,000 necessary, over \$10,000 has already been subscribed. The project implies not only canning but also evaporating such fruits as have their habitat in this notable horticultural and vegetable region, the varieties being numerous and the yield prolific. Enders is a chief backer of this cannery movement, and it is the logical thing for him to do, as he would handle the output in his wholesale grocery establishment, which promises to be a leading factor among the merchandising concerns of southern Oregon and northern California, in fact it corresponds in a wholesale way with his big retail department store, a model of its kind even in towns many times the size of Ashland. Stock subscriptions are being taken under auspices of the chamber of commerce, with a number of lively canvassers in the field, the campaign proper having started on Wednesday morning, following a Wednesday meeting at city hall the evening previous. The old cannery has been a checkered career under various managements, and has been closed for several seasons. Dr. Swedenburg owns the building, and M. C. Linniger the equipment. The new project implies taking over the old establishment, unearthing it and also equipping the premises with all the modern necessities. The day was when the Ashland brand was a premier one in the canning industry. Many will remember the familiar labels, especially as contents were just as fine as the labels were artistic. It is confidently anticipated that the season of 1923 will witness active operation on the "num" order insofar as the Ashland cannery is concerned, rehabilitated to an extent which will justify the handling of all products available.

Taxes can be paid at city hall up to the expiration of time limits. A. V. Winter is the deputy collector for this district, having served several seasons in this capacity, and for the next ten days will be doing a land office business on a cash basis.

The Rod and Gun club met Thursday evening, the matter of incorporation being a chief order of business. After discussing various phases of activities, both current and prospective, one of the members, a noted shot exclaimed, O. Helman, who was thereupon, as chairman of the committee on sites, called upon to report progress in selecting a location for rifle and trapshooting tournaments. Sportsmen are reminded that expert and amateur anglers are eligible to membership on a par with both mighty and indifferent hunters, the plan being to roundup all interested in either rod or gun practice on a sporting basis, and all such are cordially and urgently solicited to identify themselves with this organization of genial fellows well met.

Secretary Fuller, of the chamber of commerce, is reviewing the activities with which the organization has been identified during the past year. Details, which were too lengthy to be given in full at the recent annual gathering, are being reported at length and very interestingly in the local press. The first installment dealt with "Ashland, the Tourist Center"; second, the "Forum Program," which included in their order all the business-social engagements of the year 1922; third, "Business and Trade Extension"; fourth, "Scenic Trips Near Ashland"; fifth, "Conventions and Celebrations," with probably more of the articles to follow. When completed, here will be a compendium of information valuable for reference by way of comparison with events past and present, and furthermore by way of suggesting improvement as to future development along extension lines dealing with municipal development.

Without waiting to note whether March will depart either like a fierce lamb or frisky lion, April 27 has been arbitrarily fixed as Garden Week throughout the state, the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs seemingly having made garden activities during that period compulsory.

The late R. P. Cornelius of this city, held a life policy of \$3000 in the Western Mutual Life association of Los Angeles, a company which limits its membership to the Masonic fraternity, quite a few policy holders being residents of Ashland and vicinity. W. W.

Glasgow, of Medford, held a \$2000 policy in the same association.

A little local miss, upon first visiting an elevator, said that she "stepped into a small house and the upstairs came right down to her."

Martial law hereabouts has declared that hereafter military uniforms shall not be removed indiscriminately from storage in the armory, but retained in the individual lockers, all the equipment of this nature being checked up each morning after drill. Capt. Adams has gone to Salem to attend a council of war with the state military authorities.

Alice Armstrong is a new employee of the First National bank, succeeding Elwood Hedberg, who has struck oil with the Standard Co., and will become identified with service station activities.

A new mission study class, under Westminster Guild auspices, will initiate a season's program at the Presbyterian church, Sunday evening, March 25.

C. K. Logan, Tidings editor, is attending the state editorial association convention in Eugene, his place here being temporarily filled by John Anderson, senior in the school of journalism at the university. Bert Moses, the newspaper sage who syndicates the Sap and Salt bon mots, and who resides in Ashland, will address the editors at this annual gathering of the craft.

The W. M. Barber family, Granite street residents, have been receiving a visit from Miss A. M. Hancock, a near relative, previous to sailing for China in April, where she is engaged in missionary work.

Trinity Guild has reserved the date of Thursday, April 5, for holding a bazaar, the Parish Home to be the scene of this gay attraction.

Next week Friday, March 30, occurs the first of a series of dances given by the military company at the armory.

RIVERSIDE RIPPLES

Chas. P. Champlin and sisters, Mrs. Beatrice Jones and Mrs. Georgia Kettle were business visitors in Medford Saturday.

Harris Porter, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Porter, has been seriously ill the past two weeks with double pneumonia, but is slowly recovering.

Frederick Elsmann, Jr., entertained a number of his high school friends of Grants Pass, at his home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Engel who have resided on the G. B. Alden ranch for about four years, moved to Medford Monday. They will be missed very much by their many friends at Riverside. Mr. Alden has rented his ranch to Frank Greenwood of Applegate.

R. W. and L. W. Shaffer of Portland were calling on Riverside and Foothills Creek friends Saturday.

P. C. McQuit is on the sick list this week.

P. C. Elliott was a business visitor at Grants Pass Friday.

Mrs. Chas. P. Champlin has been confined to her home the past few days with the la grippe.

Mrs. Sarah E. Davis and daughter, Mrs. Wm. Milnes of Medford, spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mrs. Chas. Wahl.

Miss Muriel Mathews has missed several days of school on account of sickness.

Get the soft paper pencil tablets for school at this office.

GOPHER POISONING STARTS IN TABLE ROCK DISTRICT

TABLE ROCK, March 22.—The first round of poison was administered to the gophers in this district one day last week by a crew of our farmers, assisted by Mr. Swank of the government service.

The many friends of Charley Dunlap, who is confined in the Sacred Heart hospital with congestion of the lungs, will be pleased to learn that his condition is improving at this writing.

John Duggan reports a heavy clip of mohair from his goats, which he disposed of in Medford at a fair price.

E. C. Hamilton with a small crew of men is finishing up the ditch work for our local organization this week.

Mr. Webber and family have moved to their new home recently purchased and Mr. Davis and family of Agate are moving into the house vacated by them on the Dunlap ranch.

A flock of sixteen pheasants, consisting of fourteen hens and two roosters, going together like a band of turkeys are said to be doing considerable damage to grain fields and gardens in this section.

Byron Deford and family moved last week to the Sams valley district.

Mrs. Susanne Homes Carter, county school superintendent was a visitor at our school one day last week.

S. M. Tuttle is preparing land for the seeding of several acres of alfalfa. The officers of the Table Rock Ditch company for this year, include the following names: D. R. Wood, S. M. Tuttle and Mr. Johnson, directors; M. B. Chase, secretary treasurer and E. C. Hamilton, ditch manager.

Raymond Johnson has been appointed by the Parent Teacher club to arrange the fair exhibit for this district to be exhibited at the county fair next fall. As Mr. Johnson has an abundance of pep, enthusiasm and energy and this section can grow any product that can be sprouted in Oregon, from a Chaplin moustache to a flat top mushroom, we predict that other districts will meet up with a keen rival for the prize money.

E. W. Carlton, D. R. Wood and R. E. Nealon were at Jacksonville Wednesday to confer with the county court in regard to work on the Central Point-Sams Valley road. It was learned that the court are planning to spend between ten and twelve thousand dollars on the road between the Harper place and the Sams valley store, also the road between the Bear Creek bridge and the Central Point cemetery will be resurfaced.

At the last meeting of the Parent-Teachers' club the members and friends were charmingly entertained by Professor Reimer of the Talent experiment station.

The professor in his pleasing, droll manner told of his visits and trip through China and Japan relating many curious and amusing incidents. H. H. Clark is using his spray outfit at the Hanson and E. M. Palmer orchards. The lime and sulphur spray is nearly over in this district.

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The big orchard heaters are being brought out and put in readiness for their annual battle with jack frost at the Modoc orchard.

The big orchard is a busy place these days, as Foreman E. R. Hull is crowding things along to make up for their period of inactivity during the winter months when only a few men were employed.

The passing away of Mrs. Adeline Wilcox last Wednesday at the home of her son, L. Harry Wilcox cast a gloom over our little community where she was so well known and dearly loved.

Mrs. Wilcox was a devoted Christian and one who believed that religion could be worn with as much ease and seven days in the week. Mrs. Wilcox until lately when she became afflicted, took an active part in social work and work pertaining to the betterment of the neighborhood and the strengthening of its morals and religion. Her bright smile and cheerful disposition will be greatly missed by the people of the entire neighborhood and the children, L. Harry and Ethel A. Wilcox, who have lost a wonderful mother and to whom we extend our deepest sympathy.

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