OVER $100,000 OF ROAD WARRANTS NOW OUTSTANDING

According to the records of the county clerk's office, and which will be further shown in the annual report of E. M. Wilson, expert accountant, to be submitted about February 1st, $100,085.63 of Jackson county road warrants are now outstanding, subject to six per cent interest. Previously, the road warrants were cleared up, and the general fund warrants left outstanding. Last year the order was reversed.

The amounts outstanding against each of the twelve road districts of the county are as follows, the Butte Falls district being clear, and the Sams Valley district leading with $19,682.22.

Road District	
No. 1—Ashland	$ 4,527.64
No. 2—Talent	6,435.91
No. 3—Eagle Point	7,463.16
No. 4—Central Point	5,297.99
No. 5—Medford-J'ville	13,376.82
No. 6—Lake Creek	1,013.49
No. 7—Butte Falls	None
No 9—Agate	4,241.25
No. 9—Trail	14,316.38
No. 10—Applegate	2,707.98
No. 11—Rogue River	18,010.54
No. 12—Sams Valley	19,682.22
Ashland-Klamath Falls Rd.	4,052.22
Market road	8,960.25
Total	$100,085.63

NATIONAL THRIFT WEEK JANUARY 17 TO 23

January 17 to 23 is National Thrift week, being observed all over the United States by schools, churches, business houses, lodges, etc., to encourage thrift, not necessarily abnormal hoarding but wise spending and above all the idea of paying bills promptly. Some merchants as well as people, want their bills paid promptly but "forget" to pay their own bills on time.

In many cities the mayor issues a proclamation, the merchants association makes a united effort, the schools conduct regular exercises and the ministers preach thrift sermons. The Kiwanis and Rotary clubs and the chambers of commerce hold special programs and have speakers assigned for thrift talks. If this is to be done in Medford those in charge of the different club programs should arrange them at once for next week.

There are special days arranged, such as church, bank, budget, insurance, own your own home, share with others, make a will, and the last and most important, pay bills promptly day.

Observance of Thrift week has proven beneficial wherever tried and kept up.

What will Medford do? The merchants or chamber of commerce should lead out and act quickly. Thursday, January 17 is the first day.

County Court Here Complied With the Old Budget Law

In some counties of the state it is necessary to publish the budget committees' report again, owing to the decision declaring the tax conservation commission unconstitutional.

This is not necessary in Jackson county. The county court complied not only with the new law, had it been declared legal, by calling the budget committee to meet with them, adopted and published their proposed budget and the suggestions of the conservation commission. They also advertised that on a certain day all who had any complaints should meet with the county court and file the same, thereby complying with the old law, that is now in force. This makes the tax levy legal in this county.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S FAMILY REMEDIES
THE WELL-KNOWN MEDICINES OF THE FAMOUS RECEIPT BOOK AUTHOR
Ointment
A Time-tried Home Remedy for All Skin Irritations, Eczema, Pimples, Piles, Blackheads, Chilblains and Frostbite
The pure, healing, soothing ointment, remarkable for its control over all forms of itching skin diseases. Particularly beneficial in the treatment of eczema, that torturing ailment to which so many people are subject. Best for children—chapped hands and face, insect bites, sore feet. Not injurious to the most delicate, tender skin. Read below what Miss Lillian Durgan of 135 E. Miller St., Alpena, Michigan, says:
"I will say that Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment helped me wonderfully. It took the pimples and blackheads off my nose and made my skin clear. You may use my testimonial so that it may benefit others as it did me."
You can buy Dr. Chase's Ointment at all drug stores. To be sure of getting the genuine, see that portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D. are on each box—your protection against imitations.
Dr. A. W. CHASE MEDICINE CO. 257 Washington St., Buffalo, N. Y.

SANDEFER FORCE REDUCED TO 3 MEN BY COUNTY

The prohibition enforcement force for Jackson county, whose expenses running from $850 to $1500 per month, the past year, have been a thorn in the side of taxpayers, and the cause of widespread comment, has been reduced to three men—Sam B. Sandefer, chief of staff, his son-in-law, Victor L. Chappell, and one "under cover man," whose identity and doings are supposed to be veiled in mystery.

While no record has been made of the clipping of the dry strength, courthouse rumor says that W. H. Leggitt, "has been laid off for a month," and the same fate meted out to Clay Walker, Ray Ingling and two or three other specials called to service in emergencies and other occasions.

NOTED SPEAKER AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Dr. Ira Landreth, of Chicago, one of the noted speakers on the platform today, will address a meeting of all the young people's societies of the city and valley at the Christian church Wednesday evening, Jan. 16th at 7:30 p. m. to which all young people as well as the older folks who enjoy humor, oratory and wit are invited.

It will be a rare treat for all and his subject will be "Fiddling While the World Burns."

Read what others say:

Dr. Landrith is a master of wit and sarcasm, and he not only pleases and entertains, but he drives home his arguments in the most telling manner.—Kansas City (Kansas) Gazette.

The moment Dr. Landrith began to speak the audience responded and realized that a master of wit and oratory was addressing the crowd. He is one of the best speakers ever listened to by a Warren audience.—Warren (Ohio) Tribune.

Dr. Landrith is one of the most popular speakers in the United States. Striking in personal appearance, voice, manner of address and magnetism, he is one of the most unique platform speakers in America.—Seattle (Wash.) Sun.

Paul Brown, field secretary of the Christian Endeavor of the Pacific coast, will accompany Dr. Landrith and make a short talk.

Fuller & Co. Have Big Advertising Campaign in 1924

"Newspapers reaching a population of 3,500,000 people in nine western states will be used by W. P. Fuller & Co., pioneer paint manufacturers, in the company's 1924 advertising campaign," says K. L. Hamman, president of Johnston-Ayres Company Advertising agency.

"An appropriation providing for an intensive demand-creating and agent-helping advertising campaign has been approved by officials of W. P. Fuller & Co. The first newspaper advertisements will be published in the Medford Mail Tribune early this year and will continue throughout 1924

Sales promotion work in connection with the campaign will be assisted by E. L. Lomax, manager of the sales promotion department of Johnston-Ayres company.

"Officials of W. P. Fuller & company regard the newspaper advertising of paint and varnish specialties for the home as a real service not only to the prospective purchaser, but to every agent and dealer," according to Lomax.

"In order that the Fuller agents may profit to the greatest extent by such an advertising campaign, the name of every authorized Fuller agent will be carried as a definite part of every newspaper advertisement in the 1924 campaign. Special advertisements will also be published featuring the service of the Fuller agent in giving painting advice. The retailer will be the first consideration."

"Many of the merchants selling Fuller products have already signified their desire to advertise in their local newspapers, making known the fact that they carry a full line of Fuller products. Merchants have discovered their own advertisements, tying up with the manufacturer's advertising campaign, give them distinct individuality in their community," Lomax, explained.

"Direct distribution service from any one of the twenty-two Fuller branches on the Pacific coast will permit retailers to cash in on this intensive 1924 advertising campaign," according to Otis N. Johnson, manager of the sales promotion department of W. P. Fuller & Co. "Direct distribution is one of the exclusive features of service and will be emphasized in the 1924 campaign. Any Fuller agent or dealer can secure delivery on any Fuller product within 24 hours, thus materially increasing his profits in the paint department."

Enjoyed a Good Night's Sleep

"I wish to say that Foley Pills worked O. K. on me in a couple of hours and the pains left me at once. I took a couple of them in the afternoon, went to bed and had a good night's sleep and have slept good ever since," writes Con Thiel, 118 E. Columbia St., Fort Wayne, Indiana. Foley Pills are a diuretic stimulant for the kidneys and will increase their activity. Refuse substitutes. Sold everywhere. Adv.

"Vic" Murdock Resigns.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Victor Murdock of Kansas resigned today as a member of the federal trade commission. He will retire February 1, and will return to Wichita to resume active work on his newspaper, the Eagle.

ASHLAND WOODMEN HOLD INSTALLATION WITH R. NEIGHBORS

ASHLAND, Jan. 15.—The Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors held a joint installation Monday evening at the Moose hall. Neighbor Jennie Clapp acted as installing officer for the R. N. A., with Eunice Clapp as ceremonial marshal. Neighbor John Beck was installing officer for the M. W. A. After the installation many songs of the R. N. A. were sung, after which a banquet was served the M. W. District Deputy Neighbor Welsh gave an inspiring talk on the work in the other camps in the different districts. The evening was greatly enjoyed by all present. Officers for the year are as follows: Jennie Clapp, oracle; Nellie Madden, vice oracle; Nellie Sherard, post oracle; Anna Hodkinson, chancellor; Abbie Hood, recorder; Lyla Beck, receiver; Elizabeth Reid, inner sentinel; Aucelia Peabody, outer sentinel; Eunice Clapp, marshal; Arthur Madden, manager; graces: Blanche Daugherty, faith; Alice Turner, unselfishness; Margaret McNabb, modesty; Pearl Hodkinson, endurance; Fern Handles, courage.

The Civic club will hold a very interesting meeting Tuesday of next week. Mrs. V. A. C. Ahlf, L.L.D., of Grants Pass will be the principal speaker of the afternoon and will use as her topic the subject, "Speaking of Wills." Mrs. Ahlf is a very capable lawyers of Grants Pass and is very well suited to treat of the subject. Everyone that is interested in this subject is urged to be at the club house Tuesday.

The formal opening of the J. P. Dodge and Sons new funeral chapel was held Saturday afternoon. This building is one of the best of its kind in the state and is a beautiful structure. The outside is finished in gray cement with a red tiled roof. Beautiful wicked chairs and velvet and gold lace draperies add quite a bit to the cream of the walls. The funeral work of this firm will be done in the new building from now on.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dodge will leave in a few days for Los Angeles and Long Beach, Calif., where they will spend the next few months enjoying the sunshine and flowers of southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Arnspiger of Medford, spent Sunday visiting with different friends and relatives in Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilton returned recently from Wilton, Calif., where they have been for the past few weeks on account of the death of Mrs. Wilton's mother.

John Galey, editor of the Rogue News and the High School Annual, returned Sunday from a trip to Eugene, where he has been attending the annual convention of student body presidents, secretaries and editors. He will report on the convention at school Monday. He stayed with Dale Leslie while in Eugene.

According to the report of the cashier of the Citizens Bank of Ashland, the past year has been a very profitable one, and the coming year a very hopeful one, as money has been put away as a reserve in case of emergency, and the institution in general has been bettered. This bank held their annual meeting at the Citizen's bank building last Thursday. The policy of the bank has always been to loan money where it will be the most beneficial to the community, and they have always endeavored to work with the people of the community in that way. The report givien by the cashier shows that the bank is becoming quite an influence. The deposits have grown considerably in volume showing that the bank is satisfactory in every way. The increase in the banking done is also indicative of an increase in the population and wealth of the town and community. The cashier also reported on financial conditions of the city in general and the prospects for this coming year. Election of officers was held immediately following the report of the cashier, and resulted in the re-election of all of the officers and directors, as follows: J. P. Dodge, president; C. B. Lamkin, vice president; V. O. N. Smith, cashier and secretary; F. S. Engle, assistant cashier; S. A. Peters, Jr., assistant cashier. Directors: W. M. Poley, C. B. Lamkin, Sylvester Patterson, W. F. Loomis, J. P. Lodge, V. O. N. Smith and J. W. Millner.

Mr. and Mrs. Whil Wolcott, accompanied by the Misses Clara Will and Irma Bess, journeyed to Medford Saturday evening to do shopping there.

H. R. Greer, editor of the Ashland Tidings, left Friday evening for Burbank, Calif., where he will attend to some business interests for the next few months.

Mrs. W. E. Newcomb and Mrs. Riddle of Grants Pass, drove to Ashland Saturday afternoon to attend the meeting of the Daughters of the Nile that was held here at that time. After attending this meeting Mr. Newcomb and Mr. Riddle joined the ladies in Medford and there the party attended the performance of Pavlowa, which was held at the Armory Saturday evening. Mrs. Newcomb left Monday for San Francisco, where she will visit with her sister, Mrs. Francis McDermott, who will leave for Manila, Philippines, shortly. Owing to the transferring of Mr. McDermott to Manila, he and his wife are compelled to leave soon for that place and will be gone for at least five years, for which reason Mrs. Newcomb is making the trip to San Francisco.

TABLE ROCK TABLETS

With the coming in of the new year, there was ushered into our district an epidemic of severe colds, which in some cases has been classed as grippe or flu, owing to its severity.

A great many of our people have become victims of this unpleasant disease and as a result the school attendance for the past two weeks has fallen off nearly fifty per cent.

The Christmas entertainment at the school house on the night before Christmas was well attended with an unusually good program, which began on time and was carried out in an excellent manner, showing much training ability on the parts of Miss Franks, our school teacher, and Miss Maude Tuttle, who had charge of the musical part of the program.

The various committees, as usual, functioned properly, insuring the good time always looked for at the yearly Christmas celebration in this district.

The Smith-Powers stock buyer who recently bought several cars of fat cattle and hogs in this vicinity, will return in a few days to try and round up another shipment.

Miss Irene Franks attended a meeting of the state teachers' association in Portland during the holidays.

The Misses Katherine and Eva Nealon returned last week to their respective places of learning at Monmouth and Eugene, after spending the holidays with relatives at home.

The share holders of the Table Rock Telephone Co. held their annual meeting last Saturday afternoon at the home of E. W. Carlton, the secretary. The meeting lasted for the better part of the afternoon, there being a large amount of business transacted, which brought forth much discussion, particularly some amendments which were passed and made part of the company's by-laws.

The election of officers for the ensuing year completed the business. E. C. Hamilton was elected president; S. M. Tuttle vice-president and E. W. Carlton, secretary-treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Olson have moved into the house on the Byrum place, which they have leased for a number of years.

W. E. Morris and family have returned from a month's visit with relatives in Southern California.

C. McCarthy has moved to the Fraley place where he will engage in the gardening business during the summer.

Mrs. Amos Willits whose husband met with a tragic death at the Page theatre fire, was well known here, having had charge of our school for several terms, during which time she made many warm friends whose heart-felt sympathy goes out to her during this sad time of her life.

F. M. Seabream has a crew of men cutting wood on some land he recently bought adjoining his ranch and expects to be in the wood business on an extensive scale in the near future.

Many hay buyers have been seen in this section since the cold snap and farmers report the sale of quite a bunch of hay.

S. M. Tuttle has a crew of men at work pulling out apple trees which will be replaced with pear trees or seeded to alfalfa.

Apple growers in this section do not report a very prosperous year during 1923.

Mrs. H. W. Davisson, superintendent of the Table Rock Sunday school, reports a very good attendance, despite the inclement weather and the epidemic of bad colds.

Phil Gorden of Bakersfield, Cal., spent the holidays here with his sister, Mrs. S. M. Tuttle.

Empty shot gun shells, quail feathers and flecks of blood on the snow found in this section a few days ago, give evidence of the slaughter of the farmers' best friends among the game birds by law violators who in shooting down hungry birds in the search of food show not a sign of real sportsmanship but rather a most cruel and greedy nature. The guilty parties were not alone violating the game laws, but were hunting without permission on private property which in itself is a violation of the law and has a good stiff penalty attached. It is high time some of these offenders were apprehended and brought before the court, the example would undoubtedly be of benefit to others.

MEXICAN REBELS BLOCKADE TAMPICO

EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 15.—Rebel forces in a combined army and naval movement have blockaded the port of Tampico, wireless dispatches received in El Paso today stated. According to the dispatches virtually all the "navy" commanded by officers who joined the De La Huerta revolt were outside the port and ships had been prohibited from either entering or leaving the harbor.

Revolutionary forces are massed in front of the town on the land side and a general attack is imminent, it is said in radio dispatches.

MOTHER!
Child's Best Laxative is "California Fig Syrup"

Hurry Mother! A teaspoonful of "California Fig Syrup" now will thoroughly clean the little bowels and in a few hours you have a well, playful child again. Even if cross, feverish, bilious, constipated or full of cold, children love its pleasant taste.
Tell your druggist you want only the genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother, you must say "California." Refuse any imitation.

PENDING STRIKE CAUSES A FURORE LONDON POLITICS

LONDON, Jan. 15.—(By the Associated Press)—The crisis which has arisen through the threatened strike of the locomotive engineers and firemen just as the laborites may be assuming the reins of government, has stirred the labor movement from end to end.

A meeting of the central council of the trades union congress called today to consider the situation, adjourned pending developments and appointed an emergency committee to act when it is considered desirable.

The public gleaned some hope from the fact that Margaret Bondenfield, newly elected member of parliament, is presiding over the general council. She wields great influence in labor circles and hitherto has always taken the side of moderation and reason.

No one denies that a labor government's position would be extremely difficult should the strike occur.

Reports that the liberals might refuse to help labor turn Premier Baldwin out of office as a result of the threatened strike brought denials from authoritative liberal circles.

IF STOMACH IS TROUBLING YOU
Instantly! End Indigestion or Stomach Misery with "Pape's Diapepsin"
As soon as you eat a tablet or two of "Pape's Diapepsin" your indigestion is gone! Heavy pain, heartburn, flatulence, gases, palpitation, or any misery from a sour, acid stomach ends. Correct your stomach and digestion for a few cents. Each package guaranteed by druggist.

Hair that Thrills
with its beauty and softness
Charming Southern women, whose hair gives them alluring loveliness, keep their tresses in perfect condition with Caro-Co Cocoanut Oil Shampoo.
Makes a quick, luxurious lather, which can be rinsed free instantly. Leaves the hair soft and fluffy and the scalp clean and healthy (but not dry). Harmless in every way.
CARO-CO is "America's Shampoo from the Carolinas"—the Sunny South's creation for all women who want glorious hair. Give yourself a refreshing shampoo. (Be certain to get genuine CARO-CO.)
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Um-m-m-m! WAFFLES and SCULLY'S SKOOKUM "INDIAN FOR BULLY" PURE CANE AND MAPLE SYRUP
Get ready for a big surprise. You may think you have tasted good syrup—but wait until you try Scully's Skookum—the kind that everyone says is "Bully." Pure cane and maple sugar does it.
Try it—you'll say Okay for morning, noon and night.
In air tight, double sealed screw top cans—your protection.
D. B. SCULLY SYRUP CO. CHICAGO

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—bank account
—at this home bank
The Medford National
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—a "worry eliminator"

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MOVING ABOUT JANUARY 15 TO NEW LOCATION
will have modern Radio Store and will maintain a broadcasting station.
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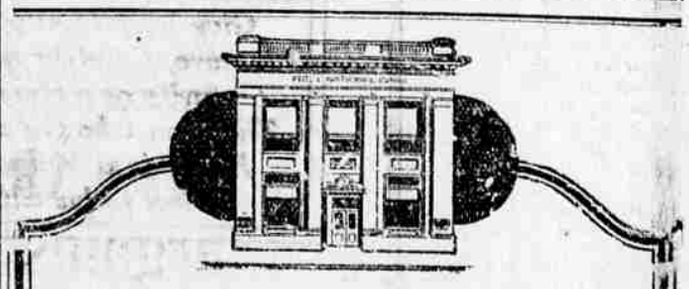
Must See Ahead
If there is a sharp curve in the road, you go slow. You want to see what's ahead. After dark you will not drive without lights for the same reason.
Being able to see ahead is what insures safety and success, no matter what the undertaking. In financial as well as other affairs, the only way to look into the future is by the light of the past. Successful men have worked, planned and SAVED. Why not follow the light they have given and do likewise? Our bank will help you.
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