

Local and Personal

No bill has been or will be introduced in congress this year, providing for the inclusion of Diamond Lake in Crater Lake park, according to a wire received in Medford today from official sources in Washington, D. C. There had been a rumor heretofore that such a bill had been introduced by Congressman Sinnott.

New or used sewing machines for rent by the month. Over 20 bargains in used machines. The Singer Store, 10 South Fir street. 263*

Buy your screen doors at Wallace Woods' Lumber Yard, 711 E. Main. Phone 108. 263*

Friends of Rev. Charles Sheldon Medbury of Des Moines, Iowa, well known Christian church pastor, will be interested to learn that he was recently chosen at a mass meeting in Des Moines as the greatest benefactor of that city in 1923.

Don't fail to attend the dance at Oriental Gardens tonight. 262*

Buy your shingles and roofing at Wallace Woods' Lumber Yard, 711 E. Main street. Phone 108. 263*

Mrs. C. W. Fox arrived here from Salem last evening to join her husband who recently established headquarters here as district factory representative of the Chevrolet Motors corporation.

\$3.00 per month puts a new Singer in your home. The Singer Store now under new and honest management. 10 South Fir St. 263*

A tom cat 8 months old, playful and a splendid house cat, wants a good home. If you like a really nice cat, phone 886-X. 262

Following the average 30 miles an hour breeze which blew in the valley yesterday and last night, today was very spring-like with its balmy atmosphere and sunshine, but with streaks on the horizon. Most amateur weather prophets were badly fooled in assuming that a hard rain would start in last night, but the prediction is for rain tonight and Sunday. The highest temperature of yesterday was 60 and the coldest temperature of this morning was 40.

Dance at the Oriental Gardens Saturday night. 262*

1924 Diaries and date books, Medford Book Store. 262*

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Martin and E. A. Anderson are sojourners in the city from Seattle.

Weather Strip shuts out the cold from around doors and windows. Cheap and easily applied. Big Pine Lumber Co. 263*

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Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Whitehead and Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Keene of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. Hal Middleton of Calgary, Alberta, Canada, and W. C. Tittley, J. C. Hubbard and O. H. Beliger of New York city are among the temporary visitors in the city from out of the state.

You can get it at DeVoe's. 262*

Dance, Eagle Point, Sat. nite. 262*

Perry DeLap, manager of the Mason Ehrman Co. branch in Klamath Falls, drove into Medford Friday evening and will remain a few days. Duplicating sale books for sale at this office. 263*

The Lincoln club is desirous of securing pictures of all republican presidents, also large flags for use at the coming banquet, Feb. 12th, and will guarantee their return. See or phone C. G. Lemmon 172. 267

Peter Denhoff is among the Medford men in Grants Pass today.

Government stamped pure silk pongee 88c and 95c. Jap Art Store. 270*

Petite prunes, 20 lbs. \$1.00. Hutchison & Lumsden. 266*

Paul McKee of the California Oregon Power company returned from California Friday evening.

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Tuxedo tobacco, 10 cans \$1.00. Hutchison & Lumsden. 266*

It will be quite a feather in Medford's cap with that city headquarters and gateway to two of the world's greatest natural attractions—Crater Lake and the Oregon Caves—one on the east, the other on the west. When this road is paved from Medford to the Caves, connecting with the Crescent City highway, many thousands of tourists will travel this scenic route every summer.—Jacksonville Post.

Creme paper 5c roll. DeVoe's. 263*

Special, 20 lbs. choice dried prunes for \$1.00 at Warner, Wortman & Gorge. 263*

Ben Bowers and "Shy" Pierson of Ashland were in Medford last night and today.

Party motoring to Oakland, Calif., about Feb. 1st, would like two passengers. Phone 21, Central Point. 263*

Jap store sells creme 23c yard. 270*

Z. N. Appelstreet is leaving for Klamath Falls today.

Dance, Eagle Point, Sat. nite. 262*

Milk and cream at DeVoe's. 263*

A number of the Daughters of the Nile are driving to Ashland this afternoon to attend a meeting of the society which is being held in that city at the Masonic hall.

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Do You Know This Fact?

One loaf of Fluh-rer's Milk Bread contains as much food value as a DOZEN EGGS

At Any Grocer

Chas. Phelps, who has been the efficient janitor of the Elks club for the past two years, has resigned the position and leaves tonight for Weed, Calif., where he will enter the employ of the Weed Lumber Co. Mr. Phelps is a life member of the Elks and is well and favorably known to almost every member of the Medford lodge who regret his decision to leave the city.

Dance at the Oriental Gardens Saturday night. 262*

Get soft paper school tablets at this office. 263*

John D. McKee, president, and Joseph D. Grant, chairman of the board of directors, of the California Oregon Power company, both of San Francisco, were in Medford today conferring with officials of the local company.

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Rev. Walter L. Van Nuy of Portland, Sunday school and young people efficiency expert for the Presbyterian church in Oregon will speak at the Presbyterian church Sunday night at 7:30. Mrs. H. E. Marsh will also play several numbers on the pipe organ at the opening of the service.

Mrs. James Collins recently from Dallas, Texas will sing a special number entitled, "The Lord Is My Shepherd" by David. Mrs. Collins is one of the recent additions to the musical circles of Medford, having traveled widely in Europe and studied under some of the best instructors in Italy.

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A surprise covered dish luncheon was given Mrs. Jack Stewart by her friends, at her home on West Tenth street, yesterday noon, in honor of her birthday.

All kinds of rough and dressed lumber, Wallace Woods, phone 108. 263*

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The district deputy grand exalted ruler of Oregon, recently paid the Legion a splendid tribute, and urged every Elk who was eligible to membership in the Legion to join a post and he also urged every Legionnaire not already a member of the Elks to become a member. Elksdom, which for the very principles that the Legion does, and the two organizations should be found working together at every opportunity.—Medford Legion.

Red Mexican beans, 20 lbs. \$1.00. Hutchison & Lumsden. 266*

Coal briquettes. Clean and economical. Exclusive dealers, Hansen Coal Co. Phone 239. 263*

There's a busy Business College in Medford. GWN

The Medford American Legion post team defeated the Applegate community team by a score of 14-11 when they played last night at the Applegate dance hall by the light of oil lamps. There is to be a return game soon.

Hemstitching 8c per yard at Stylecraft, opposite Rialto theatre. 263*

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W. O. Webster will drive to Marshfield Monday to be gone for a week.

Red Mexican beans, 20 lbs. \$1.00. Hutchison & Lumsden. 266*

We have good values in used cars. Patton & Johnson, Inc. 263*

Selling out new photographs and records all kinds half price. Gold Ray Realty Co. Open evenings.

James Cantrell has bought from his uncle, Andrew Cantrell, the old home place on East Main street in Jacksonville for \$800, according to the Jacksonville Post.

Get your magazines at DeVoe's. 263*

Petite prunes, 20 lbs. \$1.00. Hutchison & Lumsden. 266*

At Deuel's—Hemstitching 8c. 263*

The windows of Heath's drug store are full of bowls of gold fish to the great admiration of all the children and most of the grown ups in town. Tiny bowls of these fish are given away with certain purchases and people are seen coming away with carefully balanced bowls in their hands and a pleased look on their faces.

We fix any old thing. Liberty Repair Shop.

You can get Krammel Bros. famous Health Bread at DeVoe's.

Following the lead of cities which are taking a bow to the curfew law, a conference of all the police forces with the city council and juvenile officers, of Roseburg, Ore., was called by the mayor this week with the result that a warning has been issued to all minors and parents that the law will be strictly enforced. Enforcement accompanied by parents or guardians all children must be off the street by 9 o'clock and notes from parents will not be accepted by police officers. Proprietors of pool halls innocent of violations are informed that their establishments are under the law. To obviate this difficulty, a register will be kept in all pool halls.

Our only business in insurance, but we cover every known kind of risk. R. A. Holmes, "The Insurance Man." 263*

For sale cheap, one two-ton G. M. truck, in good running order, good tires. Will give terms and will accept Ford truck as part payment. Harrison Bros., Ashland, Ore., phone 50. 262*

Oregonians who are temporary visitors in the city include Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Tallman and family and E. C. Ackerman of Roseburg, W. Harney and H. J. Kalisky of Eugene, Chas. W. Driscoll and family and Perry O. DeLap of Klamath Falls, and the following from Portland: Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Ahern, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Burk, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bendelow, and N. S. Nelson, Tom Henry, H. S. Heineman, J. A. Davies, C. H. White, Roy E. Parker, F. G. Cate, C. G. Badley, J. J. Wilson and H. Y. Finley.

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Try our wet wash on your next wash day, 15 pounds for 75c. You can't do it at home for this amount. Medford Domestic Laundry. Personal Domestic Service. Phone 166. 263*

Unity literature teaches people how to be well, prosperous and efficient. Free distribution, 106 South Ivy. 263*

The Troup I dance sponsored by the Knights of Columbus last night was a great success. It was given in the small hall of the Natatorium and about one hundred and fifty people attended. The purpose was to raise money to equip Troup I with their outfits.

A recent arrival from Jackson county in Portland in E. G. Trowbridge Jr. of Medford.

Aberdeen Utah coal. Utah's best. Hansen Coal Co. Phone 239. 263*

Tuxedo tobacco, 10 cans \$1.00. Hutchison & Lumsden. 266*

Thos. H. Neas, former resident of this city and now the local manager at Roseburg of the California Oregon Power company is in the city for a few days, having arrived yesterday.

Hamburger sandwiches at DeVoe's. 263*

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South bound passenger train No. 13 due here daily at 10:25 a. m. did not reach the city until this noon owing to its engine having broken down at the west end of the switch at Central Point and having to wait until another engine arrived there from Grants Pass.

If you have a wreck, day or night, and want car brought to town, phone 57. Hutton Motors. 264*

We will loan you money to build or buy Holmes the Insurance Man.

The public market of today while light for a Saturday was good for this time of year, and with a liberal patronage.

Jap Art Store sells mah-jongg sets \$2.50. 270*

Genuine Bosch Magneto parts and repairs. Electric Shop, Elphinstone and Bartlett.

A cave-in of the shaft of the Sutherland-Oakland oil well has prevented further exploration of the oil stream until the earth and water are removed from the hole.

How do you build fires, without oil papers? Get them at 10c the bundle at this office. 263*

L. L. Patterson, manager of the Coolidge-for-president campaign in Oregon, and his wife who arrived here Friday, left early this morning by auto for Eugene where Mr. Patterson will seek to organize the republicans of that city in favor of the nomination of President Coolidge.

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All Redmen and Pocahontas invited to attend dance at hall Wednesday night, Jan. 30. 264*

Among the Californians visiting in the city are Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Pemberton, and J. L. Ord, L. Messner, J. W. Hinton, W. A. Kinsam and H. C. Noe of San Francisco, Chas. D. Wing of Palo Alto, Ralph M. Hobart of Yreka, and A. H. Phillips of Los Angeles.

"Racing Hearts" featuring Agnes Ayres and Richard Dix will be shown tonight and tomorrow at the F and E theatre of Central Point. The "Birth of a Nation" will appear at Central Point's theatre next week.

ENDS COPPER SEARCH AROUND THE WORLD

SEATTLE, Jan. 26.—Dr. Arthur L. Walker, professor of metallurgy in the school of mines, Columbia university, arrived in Seattle yesterday on the President Grant, nearing the end of a 45,000 mile trip around the world, following the "copper trail." Dr. Walker, specialist in copper metallurgy, found in the ancient city of Cuzco, Peru, brass implements showing that the Inca civilization esteemed copper as the equal or superior of the gold that led to their extermination by Spanish conquerors under Pizarro.

He left today for New York to resume charge of his department at Columbia.

ANTI-JAP ATTITUDE RESENTED BY COUNT

TOKIO, Jan. 26.—(By the Associated Press.) Anti-Japanese legislation in America drew a second vigorous attack at the session of the house of peers yesterday when Count Soyama, a former member, educated in England, and a member of the government, declared that the government proposed in the new American immigration bill was a national insult to Japan, especially as Japan, conscientiously had observed the "gentlemen's agreement."

"The Japanese nation," said Count Soyama, "finds it difficult to forget a national disgrace of this sort as it does to forget favors."

OBITUARY

RELLIS—Chauncey L. Bellis, 24 years old, employee of the Olds Lumber Co., died at the Sacred Heart hospital January 25 as a result of injuries received at Butte Falls, Ore., January 4 from a tree falling on him. Mr. Bellis had been a resident here for six months. Deceased was born at Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 12, 1900. He leaves his wife, Jane, of Medford, Ore., his parents, three sisters and two brothers, all but one sister living in Seattle, Washington.

The remains will be forwarded by the Pearl Funeral Home at Seattle, Washington for interment.

CHINESE GIRL DEFIES ANCIENT CUSTOM OF BETROTHAL

PEKING, Jan.—Miss Chiang Ching-shin, a high school girl of 18 years, has rebelled against an ages-old Chinese custom. By means of an advertisement in certain Chinese newspapers she recently notified all concerned that she refused to recognize a betrothal agreement made by her parents with the father of a young man, Hsiao Tung-pao-chi.

Miss Chiang, in her unprecedented announcement, declares that since the matrimonial agreement was made during her infancy she never will endorse it, but will consider it of no effect. Her defiance of parental authority is regarded as an indication of the development of a new spirit in Chinese women, which eventually may result in modification of the present custom of infant betrothal.

STRONG WIND IN VALLEY BUT NO DAMAGE IS DONE

The strong wind that blew yesterday afternoon and last night, at an average speed of 30 miles an hour, made walking and motor riding rather unpleasant, blew light portable things promiscuously about the city, put out electric lights, cleaned the yards and streets of refuse, and caused much apprehension lest a fire should break out.

At that there were two alarms in the city to which the fire department was summoned, but happily they were of minor importance and caused little damage and were easily extinguished.

The first fire alarm called the department in the afternoon to the home of Mrs. Elsie Bashaw, 211 1/2 West Jackson street, where the roof was on fire. The damage was slight.

The second alarm came last evening because the fire at the home of H. H. Noel, 714 West Eleventh street, was fiercely burning. This was the hottest blue fire that the fire department had had to contend with this year, but no damage was done.

Among the pranks of the wind were the blowing of the news stand from the Cozy Corner opposite the Pace theatre to the middle of the street; the chimney of the Medford Service Station going down, and the fall of a service pole by the John Owen residence on the east side, breaking the electric wires and plunging that side of the city into darkness for a short time.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 26.—(By the Associated Press.) "Are you still with the Sinclair company or did you resign," asked Senator Walsh, of Secretary Wahlberg in the oil probe this afternoon.

"I resigned as I said I would," said Wahlberg.

The witness said he had no recollection of Zevely having given him the address of the El Paso bank to which the bonds were sent for Fall. Zevely testified yesterday that he had given the address to Wahlberg.

Cross-examined by Stanford, Wahlberg said he had two checks on his desk at the time he talked with Archie Roosevelt about Teapot Dome investigation.

"They were drawn to C. F. Hildreth, manager of Mr. Sinclair's stables, I said the checks brought to my mind the situation between our respective positions. I said, 'now here are salary checks for \$68,000 for the manager of the horse farm,' or the 'horse stock farm.' I don't recall which. Evidently Mr. Roosevelt misunderstood me and thought I said they were to the manager of Mr. Fall's farm."

Wahlberg identified the checks which Stanford handed to him. They totaled \$68,240 and were dated January 14, 1924, at New York.

Wahlberg said the situation with respect to the checks had been recalled to his mind by reviewing in detail the conversation.

"What were these checks for?" asked Senator Stuart.

"One, for \$25,000, was for salary," said the witness. "The other, for \$43,000 odd, was a percentage on purses won during the year."

Wahlberg said that in his talk with Roosevelt he had said Sinclair was not satisfied with the accommodations on the steamer for Europe and that he was sorry because that might reflect on Roosevelt, who had secured the tickets.

"He (Roosevelt) told me to tell him (Sinclair) to go to hell," said the witness.

"I told him I couldn't do that. He said Sinclair was an upstart anyhow."

"Then he asked me why I thought Sinclair had gone to Europe. I said it probably was on account the turn this investigation had taken. Roosevelt then said something about Sinclair running away. I said I believed he was going to Russia because he had a contract pending there."

"Mr. Roosevelt said if he does go to Russia and gets a contract he will only turn it over to the Sinclair corporation as he had the stock of the Mammoth Oil company."

COLOGNE, Germany, Jan. 26.—Former Councillor Schlicht, the separatist leader, was assassinated yesterday while on his way to Niederrhein after attending a propagandist meeting at Andernach in the Eifel district. Schlicht was armed but evidently had no chance of returning the fire of his two assailants who put eight bullets into his body.

During the recent separatist regime in Eifel Schlicht constituted himself the governor of the district and issued seven trillion marks in worthless currency called "Schlichtgeld," which he forced the peasants to accept.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR RENT—Large front room. Ladies preferred. 301 S. Central. 262

WANTED—Cream separator. Phone 411-R-1. 264

ESTRAYED—Lewellyn setter dog, two black ears, and two black spots on rump; new collar, Duke on plate. Phone W. H. Watt, 468-R-2. 263

Notice

Every residence adjacent to a sewer must be connected up for the disposal of all sewage within thirty days from this date. This notice will only appear once, so don't forget it.

E. B. PICKEL

City Health Officer.

BANK DOOR SETS OFF LOCAL BURGLAR ALARM

The burglar alarm of the first National bank commenced ringing about midnight last night and summoned the police force and quite a crowd of people.

However the alarm was the result of a short current caused by a cable that was pinched when the vault doors were closed, and not by a burglar. The cashier of the bank, Oris Crawford, was summoned and the matter remedied.

M'NARY BILL IS SUPPORTED BY U. S. SECY. AGRICULTURE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Enactment of the McNary-Haugen farm export corporation bill as a means of stabilizing prices on farm products, was urged before the senate agricultural committee today by Secretary Wallace.

"If we can find some way to bring about a fair relationship between the price of agricultural products and other things, the government would be justified in adopting that plan," said Mr. Wallace.

"This plan is directed to an effort to establish a fair relationship between what the farmer sells and what he has to buy."

Outlining the bill in general terms, Mr. Wallace said it provided for a \$200,000,000 corporation to buy and sell farm products so as to maintain prices at levels, to be determined by the secretaries of labor and commerce from index prices over five pre-war years. There would be an agricultural commission which would have general direction over the operation of the scheme.

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 26.—A woman bandit and two male companions early this morning held up J. J. Johnson of Siebert, Colo., took \$1070 in cash from his pocket, jumped into an automobile and escaped. Johnson, accompanied by his son, was returning from the stock show when the holdup occurred. He told police he was walking along in the downtown section when an automobile drove up to the curb. Two men got out, he said, and while one covered him with a revolver, the other went through his pockets. His son could not summon help, Johnson said, because of the threatening revolver.

Johnson reported to the police that a woman was at the wheel of the automobile, that she kept the motor running while the robbery was taking place and once called to her companions to "hurry."

Johnson, a wealthy ranch man, had expected to buy some farm machinery here today.

NEW YORK STAR IS WINNER, OLYMPIC ICE SKATING RACE

CHAMONIX, France, Jan. 26.—(By Associated Press.) The United States drew first blood in the 1924 Olympic games today when Charles Jewtraw of Lake Placid, N. Y., won the 500 meter speed skating race. Jewtraw defeated Gorman of Canada in the fifteenth heat. His time of 44 seconds flat was the best of any heat skated and under the rules made him the winner of the event.

Joe Moore of New York defeated Irek Blomgren of Sweden in the first heat winning by 20 yards in 45 3-5 seconds. Harry Kaseky of Chicago, beat Marcel Moens of Belgium, winning the sixth heat in 47 seconds.

William Steinmetz of Chicago lost to Oscar Olsen of Norway in the 12th heat in 44 1-5 seconds. Steinmetz' time was 47 1-5 seconds.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Henry Ford will be requested to appear early next week before the house military committee to discuss his offer for Muscle Shoals.

The committee at an executive session today instructed Chairman Kahn to telegraph Mr. Ford that his presence here was desired Monday or Tuesday and that if he was unable to appear the committee wants to question one of his representatives as to his proposal.

VICTORY HIGHWAY ACROSS CONTINENT NEARS COMPLETION

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan.—The Victory highway, an unbroken route between New York and San Francisco will be completed some time this year, according to an announcement by the California State Automobile association.

The principal barrier, a detour that balked many tourists, was in western Utah, and the Utah highway commission has just signed contracts for the removal of this by the construction of the last link in the Wendover cut-off, which will be ready by the opening of the 1924 tourist season. The Utah-Nevada-California Highway association arranged the financing of the Wendover cut-off, in co-operation with the California Automobile association.

The cut-off is about 49 miles long, and 6.17 miles of it is a difficult piece of construction through a salt marsh. Grading of the marsh in preparation for the highway virtually is completed.

The organizations interested raised \$50,000 to assist the state of Utah, which also was able to procure substantial aid from the federal government. The California Automobile association previously had jogged the Victory highway as far east as Kansas City with its yellow-diamond markers.

ANOTHER GERMAN REBEL MURDERED

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