

## ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE ROGUE RIVER VALLEY

### MAY-RAINS GOOD FOR RANCHERS IN REESE CREEK DIST.

RESE CREEK, May 21.—The rain Tuesday night and Wednesday was surely much appreciated by the farmers in this vicinity, when it does rain, it is much more satisfactory than to irrigate.

The program and box supper Saturday night, given for the benefit of the Parent-Teacher association, was quite well attended. The program consisted of a recitation by Evelyn Jacks, entitled "Watermelon," Carmelita Dimmie, recitation, "A Girl to Her Stomach," Aida Johnson, recitation, "It Doesn't Matter," A boxing contest, by the heavy-weight and lightweight, Celia Tabor and Edison Crandall. The play, "A Woman is a Woman," was quite well rendered. The boxes were auctioned off by C. E. Bellows. About \$70 was realized. The teachers worked hard. Miss Greb, one of the teachers, literally working herself sick. She was taken to Medford Friday night, and her ear lanced twice within a few days. They brought her home. She was some better, last reports.

School is out Friday. Mrs. Stanley has been keeping up both rooms this last week with the aid of a helper. The school closes this term with great appreciation for both teachers, Miss Greb and Mrs. Stanley. They have both worked hard and given good satisfaction.

Mrs. Brouse has been suffering with the rheumatism.

Mrs. Frank Johnson is recovering from an attack of the flu.

Mrs. W. E. Hummel has been quite sick this week, but is able to be up again.

Mrs. H. Watkins was on the sick list for a few days last week.

Frank Courtney and family, also Sam Courtney have gone to California for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Van Slyke of Medford visited at Jim McVitt's Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Davidson and family visited at Mr. Robertson's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Chamberlain, Mr. Edwin Chamberlain and Miss Beaver, Mr. Nelboid and family, all of Medford, visited at the Vestal home Sunday.

Roy Bilderback, wife and children of Butte Falls, visited at Mr. Humphreys.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Anderson and Mr. Bert Wright of Ashland visited at Mr. Elberg's Sunday.

Mrs. Pete Betz is visiting in Medford for a few days this week.

Sunday school next Sunday. Subject, "Saul begins his great career." Memory verse, "I determined not to know anything among you, save Jesus Christ, and Him crucified."

Sunday, May 31, Rev. A. L. Byers expects to preach at Reese creek school house at 2:30 p. m. Come for Sunday school and bring your dinner.

### RIVERSIDE RIPPLES

Mr. and Mrs. M. Bull of Moro, Ore., who were delegates to the grand lodge at Ashland, stopped to call on Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Elliott on Monday. Mrs. Bull is a cousin of Mr. Elliott.

Sunday school was held at the Foothills creek school house on Sunday, May 17. The time for Sunday school has been changed from 2:30 p. m. to 10:30 a. m. All are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boyd of Eagle Point were callers at the home of Mrs. Abbie J. Champlin on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Short of Foothills creek are the proud parents of a baby boy, born on May 18. Mother and baby doing nicely.

Mrs. Beatrice Jones, Mrs. Georgia Kettle and Elliott Butler attended the movies in Medford Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wahl of Riverie were visitors in Medford on Tuesday.

Johnnie Donegan of the El Ora ranch is the proud possessor of a new Chevrolet car.

Mrs. Maude Champlin had as dinner guests on Wednesday night, Mr. and Mrs. George Alden and Mr. and Mrs. John Butler of Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. Rayburn Hunt of Riverie were in Medford on Tuesday.

Adelbert Elliott who has been sick with rheumatism for the past six weeks, is slowly recovering.

### ANTELOPE ITEMS

Mrs. M. Simons spent the week end in Medford. Roger Von der Hellen and Mr. McKay were business callers in Medford Saturday afternoon.

George Holmes is running two tractors and a seeder now in an effort to get his crop in early.

Mr. Simons' son and family are visiting him on their way to Denver, Colorado. The section has had a so-called million dollar rain. It did a great deal of good to all the crops here.

The Antelope school gave a picnic which was held in the school house

on account of the rain. Refreshments were served at noon after which they played games.

Thinning has begun in the orchards of this section.

Mr. Creige visited Eagle Point Monday forenoon.

Miss Marie Prescott returned to Oakland with her mother and uncle Wednesday afternoon. She has the contract to teach here next year.

Mrs. Luke Oswald passed away last Saturday night after a prolonged illness of several years, rheumatism having been her principal trouble. Funeral services were conducted in Per's Undertaking parlors on Tuesday afternoon and interment made in the Central Point cemetery.

Mrs. Fred Lay, Sr., returned from Medford on Sunday, after a three weeks' visit with friends there. She has with her now, Mrs. Ella Cook of Medford, who will stay for a visit of several days.

### SELECT PHOENIX SCHOOL TEACHERS FOR NEXT YEAR

PHOENIX, May 21.—The following teachers have been engaged for the Phoenix schools next year:

High school: Principal, Avard Whitman; English, Alma Gitchell; Morse; Latin, Grace E. Dickey.

Seventh and eighth grades, J. R. Tyrrell; 6th and 6th grades, Edith Fish; 3rd and 4th grades, Mona Ferns, at and 2nd grades, Ella Tyrrell.

Tuesday evening Mr. Raymond Furry was delightedly surprised by thirty

of his friends who came to help him celebrate his birthday. The evening was spent in games and dancing.

There is talk of a new tourist camp grounds on First street, near depot.

The Stancliffe brothers are planning to enlarge their packing house.

Mrs. Short and son of Ashland have moved into the home recently purchased from Mr. Roberts.

Next Sunday the theme of the morning sermon by Rev. R. W. Nelson will be "In Memoriam." The evening subject will be "The Eternal Conflict."

A demonstrator representing the Everwear aluminum kitchenware gave an interesting talk to the ladies of Phoenix at the home of Mrs. Walker Monday afternoon.

Mr. John W. Kerns has accepted the principalship at Applegate for next year.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Mont returned to Central Point, where they were entertained

at the Luther Stancliffe home. Mrs. Gertrude Furry took the seventh grade pupils to the Hot Springs to spend the afternoon Thursday, May 14.

Friday afternoon at the close of school the high school students chaperoned by Mrs. Dickey went to Wagner Creek for a picnic.

Miss Mary Luck spent Saturday in Jacksonville, assisting Miss Howard in mending the county school books.

The teachers will spend their vacation in various places.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyrrell and Mrs. Ferns plan to attend the normal at Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Fish expect to visit in Oakland and San Francisco. Mrs. Dickey will make a trip to Los Angeles to meet her sister, whom she will entertain at her home in Ashland.

Mrs. Morse left Saturday for Berkeley to do graduate study at the University of California.

### 20 MEMBERS OF AMERICAN YOEMEN INITIATED HERE

The Ashland and Medford Homesteads of the Brotherhood of American Yoemen initiated a class of 20 new members last evening.

The Eugene degree team of 22 drove over from Eugene, and exemplified the ritualistic work very creditably. In fact Eugene has one of the finest degree teams in the state.

Esell of Portland, were guests. State president Mr. Reens, formerly of North Bend, but now in Medford, was also a guest.

The ladies of the local homestead furnished a fine banquet to both homesteads and visitors in regular Yoemen style.

This occasion was made doubly joyous as the district deputy, John Moore, received official notice that he had won a trip to New York City and back.

Deputy Moore wrote over \$125,000 worth of insurance from last September to May 1st. Deputy Moore leaves June 1st, for New York City to attend the national conclave and to assist in trying to bring the next national conclave to Oregon.

Medford Homestead presented Mr. Moore with a token of their esteem. All visitors left declaring Southern Oregon royal entertainers, and wishing the homestead continual prosperity.

## RUSSELL'S

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### Saturday Shopping a Pleasure Here With Courteous Service and Ample Stocks

One of our chief desires is to give our customers at all times, whether on busy or dull days, the most courteous service. Our salespeople are trained with this one idea in mind: Service to the customer, means a steady customer. A part of this service is keeping our stocks as complete as it is possible so you are not inconvenienced by having to shop elsewhere after honoring us with the first request.

SATURDAY ALSO BRINGS MANY SPECIALS TO YOU

### New Lunch Cloths Many New Designs

65c

Patterns we have not had before in gold, green, brown, red and blue, in these "quick cleaning" oil cloth, lunch cloths. Just the thing for your mountain cabin. A damp cloth, a little soap and a clean lunch cloth in a minute..... 65c

### Beautiful New Dresses Arrive for Saturday Selling Priced \$11

Printed Crepes, plain Crepes, plain Broadcloths and candy stripe and Roman stripe Broadcloths, sent in by New York's best manufacturers of popular priced dresses. Without the tremendous volume these manufacturers do and without the volume of business we give them on this class of goods, it would never be possible to sell them under \$17.50. The quality is good, the styles are correct, the size range is from 16 to 46, and the colors are the season's best. Nothing could be nicer than these stripe broadcloths for summer, as they wash just as perfectly as if they were plain white muslin, so as there will be only 100 dresses it's our advice to be here early, as last Saturday we sold 50 similar dresses at..... \$11

### Stripe Backgrounds in Flock Dot Voiles—the newest

Beautiful colorings, two tone effects in these wide stripe, flock dot Voiles that are fashion's newest wash creation. We hope you will see this new 40-inch material Saturday..... 75c

### Sport Satins in all high colors much in demand now for slips

There are many qualities of this cloth from Baronett to the cheap, flimsy cloths that slip when washed, but you will find this an excellent quality, priced, yard..... \$1.95

### English Broadcloth in Candy Stripe is having much demand now

Just in, a big range of 20 patterns and colors of a high quality English Broadcloth in pretty candy stripes, both light and dark, that is priced specially at..... 75c



### "Over the Garden Wall" BEAUTIFUL DRESSES

A new creation designed especially for one scene in this popular New York show, and they are taking the country by storm as one of the season's smartest creations. Of wonderful crepe prints and gorgeous designs in excellent quality georgette. Be sure to see them as "the something new is appealing."

PRICED REASONABLY \$17.50 and \$25



### Men's \$1.00 Athletic Unions of Checked Nainsook at 75c

Saturday, men, you can save 25c on every one of these good quality checked nainsook athletic Union Suits. These are exceptional values and we are only sacrificing our profit to get acquainted with you. There must be a limit of 4 suits to a customer, as we want this 25 dozen to go around to all our friends. Sizes range from 34 to 46 and they are cut good and roomy, too. Regular \$1 Union Suits at..... 75c

Manhattan Underwear for Men is best because it's hand cut and hand finished

We are exclusive Medford agents for "Manhattan Underwear," and it's a very high grade line that is not high priced. We would like to show the line to you while it's complete.

### WOMEN'S SWEATERS --- PRICED JUST HALF!

#### Guaranteed Silk Hose ONE DOLLAR

This excellent hose in the newest colors has just enough fibre silk in it to give you extra wear. If you are not satisfied in every way with this hose we give you a new pair.

#### New colors in "Wayne Knit"

"Wayne Knit" full fashioned hose is one of the best selling lines and we have 45 colors in "Wayne" to show you, and 25 colors in their famous stocking \$1.50

#### Children's Summer Sox of the "Ironclad" Make

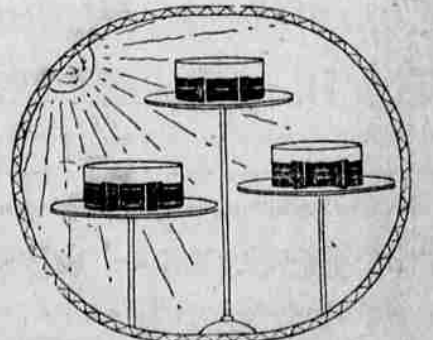
Three-quarters, seven-eighths shoe rolls and short sox in dozens of pretty colors and plain, all priced very reasonably.

### SUN'S OUT—AIN'T GOIN' RAIN NO MO'—ON STRAW HATS

Straws have been hid away till now, but from now on you'll need one of Russell's new straws. Smart new styles in new weaves and there is one especially designed for comfort with a cushion band of "air" for the one who has always hated to wear a straw because they could not find a comfortable one. PRICES FROM

\$1.75 to \$5.00

P. S.—If it rains this ad is sure the bunk.



### "KIRSHBAUM" CLOTHES FOR MEN

100% all virgin wool clothes that wear, fit and are reasonably priced. Particular care is given to the shrinking of all "Kirshbaum" fabrics before they are made up; this helps them to retain their perfect fit. The prices \$25 to \$40