

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF TALENT GAINS ADDITIONAL LAND

The regular meeting of the county court was held this morning, and was devoted chiefly to the signing of the vouchers for the monthly bills and salaries.

The Talent school district made application for the purchase of a piece of land adjoining the school, for \$100 and the delinquent taxes. The county court approved the deal.

A representative of a map making concern exhibited his wares, including a map showing Europe and the world, steamship lines, and the Polar regions on one side, and a map of the United States on the other side, showing all highways, railroads, county lines, and air mail lines. The court did not purchase one.

For the first time in a long while no delegations waited upon the court. Commissioner George Alford held that it was "too foggy to travel."

FORUM MEETING WILL BE LARGEST OF YEAR

One of the largest Copco forum meetings of the year is anticipated tomorrow noon when a special "Football Forum" will be held in honor of Medford's state championship football team. Coach Callison and the entire personnel of the Medford squad, nearly 30 in number, have been invited as guests of the Copco employees club and a big time is expected. It is planned to show the team moving pictures of some of their recent victories including the Portland game last Thursday.

This forum meeting will be through open to all local citizens who care to attend, the only requisite being that they make reservations with the Hotel Medford before 11:30 a. m. tomorrow.

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LOWER RATES FOR GIFT PACKAGES TO EAST DESTINATION

Of great importance to the producers and merchants of the Pacific coast is an announcement made today by O. J. Gould, agent of the American Railway Express Co., that beginning Nov. 15th express rates on shipments of fruits, nuts in shell and vegetables when packed with meats and (or) game fruit, would be reduced by the American Railway Express Co.

"The new express rates are outlined fully," said Mr. Gould, "in tariff designated as No. 3532 by the Interstate Commerce Commission and apply to all interstate traffic of these products.

"To many points," said Mr. Gould, "express rates are now lower than the government charges. It is possible to ship by express a mixed package of these commodities weighing 10 lbs., for \$1.95, or a 5-lb. package for 90c; to express offices in Illinois such shipment can be made for 90c and 50c respectively, with correspondingly low rates to all other sections of the country.

"One of the great industries of our state," continued Mr. Gould, "is packing the gift box. These boxes of native grown fruits and nuts are shipped across the continent by thousands, and it was to encourage this business that the American Railway Express company revised its transportation charges. Great numbers of tourists are now sending these packages eastward in place of the old-fashioned postcards, and instead of writing 'The cross marks the location of my room,' they are saying, 'This is what we eat out here.' December is the heaviest month for these shipments, according to the express company records, but in general the Pacific coast food-stuffs are eagerly sought after all the year around.

"It is probable that the best advertising the state can have comes through local merchants and others encouraging the wide distribution by visitors of the products which are best produced in our state."

SHRINE CLUB LUNCH POSTPONED FOR FRIDAY

Due to the Shrine ceremonial activities which will be held at Ashland, the Shrine Luncheon club of this city will postpone its regular noon gathering Friday. The announcement of the postponement was made today by Ralph Sweeney, secretary of the club. There will be no luncheon this month, according to Mr. Sweeney, and the next regular meeting of the Shrine Luncheon club will be held on Friday, January 4. The Medford Shrine club has become a very popular organization for Shriners of this city and its membership is constantly growing.

LIONS CLUB WILL BE SANTA CLAUS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

Playing Santa Claus to the poor children of Jackson county will be the role of the Lions' club from now until Christmas, according to plans discussed at today's meeting at Hotel Holland. Mr. and Mrs. Dickey, owners of the Dickey orchestra of Ashland and Medford, contributed a group of selections. Mr. Dickey playing the accordion and Mrs. Dickey the piano. Their numbers included "Just Once Again," "There's a Rainbow Around My Shoulder," "That's My Mammy" and "Lilac Time." President Richardson of the Klamath Falls chapter was a guest of the organization today and spoke a few words, as did John Carlin of the local chapter.

SCHOOLGIRLS ON PALMOLIVE PROGRAM RADIO TONIGHT

A radio musical event of unusual importance will take place on this Wednesday when the popular Palmolive four, broadcast from station WEAZ, of the National Broadcasting company in New York, will be relayed across the continent to every key station on the Pacific coast. After its premier tonight the Palmolive four will be a weekly feature on a total of 32 stations completely covering the radio audience of the United States.

In order that San Francisco, Medford and other Pacific coast cities, as well as every town and hamlet from Canada to the Gulf, may hear the Palmolive music, more than 50,000 miles of telephone and telegraph lines have been leased. It is estimated that at least 30,000,000 people will hear this music.

Ranked by radio and musical critics as the outstanding triumph of New York's weekly broadcasts, the Palmolive four brings to the coast a notable series of rare musical treats. Among the features are the famous ensemble of Palmolive Schoolgirls, comprising some of the country's finest choral artists. The Palmolive Symphony orchestra, under the leadership of Director Gustave Haenschen, is one of the most notable organizations on the air. The nationally known stars of the hour are Olive Palmer, coloratura soprano, Paul Oliver, tenor, and the charming contralto soloist, Elizabeth Lennox.

Equally popular are the Palmolive Revelers, just returned from a triumphal European tour. The addition of Pacific coast stations to the Palmolive hook-up marks the first anniversary of this hour on the air, and a gala program has been planned for its introduction to the west.

The concert will also include saxophone, steel guitar, and woodwind novelties. The selections which will be played range from symphonic masterpieces to current Broadway hits, with the addition of old-time favorites. The stations on the coast are KGO San Francisco, KFI Los Angeles, KGW Portland, KOMO Seattle, KHQ Spokane. Broadcast from New York at 9:30 p. m., the program will be heard from 6:30 to 7:30 coast time tonight.

'THE GHOST TRAIN' AT NEW PLAYHOUSE TOMORROW NIGHT

Thrills, chills, and gales of laughter mingle and mix with one another in the melodrama, "The Ghost Train" which opens tomorrow night at the Playhouse, for a four nights run.

This play kept London on its toes for a solid year and was brought to this country under the A. H. Woods banner for a successful New York run. It also ran for seven months at Henry Duff's theatre, "The President," in San Francisco.

It shows a party of travelers marooned in the station on the night of the ghost train's passing, an din their curiosity become a party to the thrilling incidents which pile swiftly to a climax. Things spin along at a dizzy pace, punctuated freely with comedy, and ending in romance.

Radio Program KMED Mail Tribune-Virgin Station

- Thursday, Dec. 6
- 9:30 to 10—Medford Book Store
- 10 to 11—Economy Grocery
- 11 to 11:30—5th Bldg.
- "Fighting the Beet Trust"
- 11:30 to 12—Jarman & Woods
- Drugs
- 12 to 12:30—Music Box
- 12:30 to 1:30—Gold Seal Creamery
- 1:30 to 2:30—Medford Mall
- Telephone, news and markets
- 2 to 3—Farm Bureau Com.
- Exchange, presents
- a program of old time music.

LAKE CREEK ROAD TO BE MAIN WORK OF CONSTRUCTION

County road work at the present time consists solely of maintenance. Scrapers are operating in the Applegate, Gold Hill, Eagle Point, and districts north and south of this city.

According to County Engineer Rynning, the chief road construction for 1929, will be on the Lake Creek market road, special road construction in the Butte Falls and Prospect districts, and the Dead Indian road.

Construction work on the Lake Creek market road will start about March 1, with the forest service and county both participating. It is expected to have the road completed by the end of the next construction season. The road will furnish access to Lake of the Woods.

The Butte Falls district has voted a \$15,000 special road levy, and the Prospect district \$18,000 for road work for the coming season, and appropriations have been made for the Dead Indian road.

All of the above road construction will tap the summer recreational areas of Jackson county.

The Lake Creek market road will shorten the distance from this city to Lake of the Woods to 42 miles, and will eventually connect with a Klamath county market road, and form a circle route with the Ashland-Klamath Falls highway. The road will also provide a shorter outlet to this city to farmers and stockmen of eastern Jackson county.

THE MARKETS

Livestock. PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 5.—(AP) CATTLE AND CALVES—Steady; no receipts. HOGS—Steady; receipts 229, including 98 direct. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Steady; receipts 1095, killed through.

Produce. PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 5.—(AP) Wholesale prices: BUTTER—First down 5c, 47c. EGGS—Fresh standard first down one cent, 46c. Milk, poultry, onions, potatoes, wool, nuts, hay, cascara bark and hops, steady.

San Francisco Butterfat. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 5.—(AP) Butterfat 50c, San Francisco 45c.

Wall Street Report

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—(AP) Speculative uneasiness over the credit situation was reflected in the extremely erratic price movements in today's stock market. The general list appeared to be under pressure during a greater part of the session. Packard Motors led the rally by scoring 2 1/2 points to a new high record at 150, one block of 11,000 shares changing hands at that price. Foundation company ran up ten points to a new top at 27 1/2. The recovery in prices continued through the late afternoon dealings with several new leaders brought forward by pool operators. American Linseed ran up 12 points to a new high at 192. American Snuff ran up ten to a new top at 200 and A. M. Byers extended its gain to 5 points by touching a new top at 202 1/2. Chrysler Motors ran up 4 points in heavy trading. The closing was steady. Total sales, a p p estimated 4,000,000 shares.

Obituary

STIMPSON—Alfred T. Stimpson passed away at a local hospital Saturday afternoon, Dec. 1, aged 74 years. Mr. Stimpson was born at North Haven, Maine, June 10, 1854. He has resided in various places but has spent much time in the Klondike gold fields and was there during the gold rush of 1898. He leaves one daughter, Jessie Stevens of Oakland, Calif., one brother, Frederick G. Stimpson of Medford and two sisters, Effie M. Sly of Dorris, Calif., and Sarah A. Sly, Seaside, Ore. The remains are at the new Conger mortuary and arrangements await word from the daughter in Oakland.

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Suit Cases 95c
Men's Dress Shoes \$2.85
Men's Rubber Shoes \$3.00
Men's Dress Hats \$1.45
Ladies' Felt Slippers 45c
Men's \$35 Suits \$12.50

Wilson's Sale Prices at 32 N. Front

HUNDREDS OF BARGAINS NOT LISTED

WAR VETERAN GIVEN PRIZE FOR WRITING

PARIS, Dec. 5.—(AP) The much coveted Prix Goncourt has been awarded to Maurice Constantine Wever of France for his psychological novel "A Man Inclined

Towards His Past," dealing with the Irish and French in Canada.

Constantine Wever who was a resident of Manitoba for twelve years, hunted, farmed and traveled widely in North America. He returned to France at the outbreak of the war and was wounded 53 times in 1917. Later he hobbled back into the tank service, was wounded three times again and was in a hospital until 1920 when he returned to Canada and found

all his possessions gone, presumably stolen.

MAY ABOLISH DEATH SENTENCE IN ENGLAND

LONDON, Dec. 5.—(AP) The House of Commons by the narrowest margin

of commons by the narrowest of majorities, agreed late today to consider a bill for the abolition of capital punishment and the substitution of penal servitude for life.

ST. HELENS.—Building permits this year up to recent date exceed \$25,000.

OAKVILLE.—Karlens Creameries will locate in new quarters in Smith building.

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