

Local Happenings

Home From Convention.

Dr. George H. Merryman returned Sunday evening from Portland, where he attended the meeting of the state republican central committee. Chas. L. McNary of Salem, former supreme judge, was elected chairman and E. D. Baldwin secretary.

Corbett Infant Dies.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Corbett of Sprague River, passed away a few days ago.

Baby at Fort.

An 8 1/2-pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Grayham of Fort Klamath Sunday.

To Leave for Oakland.

Henry Tuber, piano tuner, is visiting at the home of M. G. Leslie on Commercial. He will leave in a few days for Oakland.

Miss Leonard Returns.

Miss Willa Leonard, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Leonard, has returned from an extended visit in California.

Here From Yonah Valley.

Charles Horton and wife are in Klamath Falls for a few days from the farmer's stock ranch in Yonah Valley.

Bonanza Residents Visit.

Ray P. Burke, principal of the Bonanza schools, and Dr. W. S. Johnson spent yesterday in the county seat on business.

Yalnax Merchant in Town.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wolford of Yalnax are spending a few days in town. Mr. Wolford conducts a general merchandise business at Yalnax.

To Live at Lake.

Mrs. E. K. Ogle left this morning for Crater Lake to spend the summer. Mr. Ogle is employed at park headquarters.

Auto to Grants Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vannice and Miss Blanche Morry, Mrs. Vannice's sister, left this morning for Grants Pass. They will be gone several days.

Here on a Visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi McDonald and daughter Joana are visiting friends in the county seat. They will return to their ranch home in Lower Langell Valley in a few days.

Visits With Sister.

Hadd Brigham of Portland is here for a visit with his sister, Mrs. R. H. Dunbar.

Guest to Medford.

Harry Eagle of Fort Klamath left this morning for Medford.

Vacationing on Coast.

O. L. Fitzpatrick, wife and daughter are in the Crescent City country on an auto tour. They left last week, and expect to return about next Friday.

To Visit in Sacramento.

Mrs. F. L. Hickman of Fort Klamath left this morning for Sacramento, where she will visit for some time with friends.

Charged With Defraud.

A deputy United States marshal left on the train this morning for Portland with M. H. Evans, wanted on a charge of using the mails to defraud. Evans is from Bend, but was arrested at Fort Klamath.

Visits From the Valley.

R. C. Short, a prominent farmer of the valley south of town, transacted business here yesterday.

Here From Idlerest.

R. C. Spink, proprietor of the Idlerest camp grounds on Spring Creek, returned today to his home after a short business visit in Klamath Falls.

Doak Foreman Returns.

Charles Terry, foreman of the Doak ranch in the Odessa country, returned last evening from San Francisco, where he has been for several days on business.

Dairy Rancher Gets Supplies.

James Drew, a stockman of Upper Yonah Valley, is in the county seat to get supplies.

Rusticate at Rocky Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jennings left this morning for Rocky Point for a few week's outing.

Lets Contract to Garrett.

The city council last evening accepted the bid of J. H. Garrett for improvement of the road to Shippington. The contract requires that the road must be improved for \$19,983.09.

Camp Meets Tonight.

Ewanha Encampment No. 46, I. O. O. F., meets tonight in regular session. There will be installation of officers, and Patriarchs are requested to turn out to assist in the ceremonies. Visiting Patriarchs invited.

To Bonanza on Business.

Mrs. Nate Otterbein made a business trip to Bonanza today.

Here From Bonanza.

Fred Bechholdt is a county seat visitor from Bonanza today.

To Visit With Father.

Miss Frances Bacon arrived last night from Medford, to visit with her father, G. F. Bacon, who is at present employed in this city.

Former Resident Visits.

Judge C. H. Bilyeu, wife and mother, arrived in the city last evening from Enterprise, Oregon, by auto on their way to Albany. Mr. Bilyeu is now county judge of Walla Walla county. About ten years ago he resided in Klamath Falls, and he is spending the day here looking up some of his old associates and friends. "I very nearly got lost," said Mr. Bilyeu. "I came down from Bend and just north of Klamath Falls crossed over and came down the river expecting that the town was still near the Lakeside Inn, but I soon discovered that things have changed since my time. You certainly have a beautiful city here now, and I was never so surprised in my life."

Vaudeville Tonight.

The Two Hoyts will appear in vaudeville at the Star theater tonight. Mr. Hoyt is a magician and his wife is a juggler and dancer.

Here From Logging Camp.

Miss Boyington was in Klamath Falls yesterday to get provisions for the Boyington brothers logging camp on Rock Creek.

MAINE MAN IS ELECTED POTENTATE OF SHRINERS

United Press Service
BUFFALO, July 11.—Members of 100 Shrine Temples today marched as an escort to J. Putnam Stevens of Portland, Maine, to the position of Imperial Potentate. The imperial council session opened at noon today in the Majestic theater. This is the forty-second annual meeting.



ORPHEUS THEATER

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

"Pirates of Finance,"
Tenth Episode of Craft
"The Best's Victory,"
Two Real Gold Seal Comedy
"The Dismal Expedition,"
One Real War Picture
"Seeking an Inspiration,"
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State Credit for Aid of Agriculture is New Bill

SALEM, July 11.—Three of the measures filed at Salem last week relate to taxation and the use of the state's credit in aid of agriculture. These are the rural credits constitutional amendment, the state wide tax limitation amendment and the people's land and loan law.

The rural credits constitutional amendment was initiated by the Oregon Referendum League as a federation of the grange, the farmers' union and the state federation of labor. It is vouched for by the committee appointed by the state credits conference at Salem, March 9 and 10, this committee being composed of the heads of the three organizations named.

The amendment provides for actual farmers' long time 5 per cent money to be used in ways that will enhance the productivity of their lands. A loan may be made in amount up to 50 per cent of the value of the land given as security.

To provide funds upon which to draw for these loans, 36-year 4 per cent state bonds are to be issued and sold in denominations of \$15, \$100, \$50 and \$1,000, and not in excess of 2 per cent of the state's assessed valuation. The 1 per cent difference in the interest rate on the bonds and the loans to farmers is to meet the cost of administration and to become part of a "rural credits reserve fund," to be loaned.

Loans are to be repaid in ten to thirty-six years on the amortization plan. The state land board is to issue the bonds and to administer the fund should the state legislature not provide other plan of administration.

One per cent of each loan is to be charged the applicant to cover the cost of appraisal and the examination of the title.

The proposed rural credits amendment is based upon rural credits systems in successful operation elsewhere adapted to Oregon conditions.

A state wide tax limitation amendment is intended to prevent an annual increase in city, county and state taxes severally of more than 6 per cent. That is to say, if an individual's tax this year were \$100, he would not have to pay more than \$106 next year. Exceptions are made in case payments on bonded debt have to be met or the people themselves vote for an increase, provided "that the amount of any increase in levy specifically authorized by the legal voters of the state, or of a county, municipality or other district."

Wilson To Stump Coast If Possible

United Press Service
NEW YORK, July 11.—It was learned today that President Wilson's friends have suggested the advisability of him stumping the Pacific Coast. Politicians predict that the president might consent if the war situation clears.

Are Visiting Sons

Captain and Mrs. J. D. Merryman of Portland are here for a visit with their sons, Dr. George H. Merryman and Harold C. Merryman. They arrived with Dr. Merryman when he returned Sunday evening from the state republican convention in Portland.

Experiments conducted at Marshfield show black sand rich in platinum and gold.

Publication of Summons in the Justice Court for the District of Linkville, Klamath County, Oregon. E. Barni Plaintiff.

George Massey, Defendant.

To George Massey, Defendant.
In the name of the state of Oregon. You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action on or before August 18, 1916, that being the expiration of six weeks' publication of this summons prescribed by the order of the court, and if you fail so to answer, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for \$35.00 and for the costs and disbursements of this action, and that a claim for \$36.07 against the Pelican Bay Lumber company, attached in this action as your property, be sold to satisfy such judgment.

This publication is made by order of the Honorable E. W. Gowen, justice of the above named court, duly made on July 7, 1916.

The date of first publication of this summons is July 7, 1916.

A. C. YADEN,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
7-14-41-33-4-11-12

shall be included in determining the amount of taxes which may be levied in any subsequent year."

The people's land and loan law petition was initiated by the State Federation of Labor and the Central Labor Council of Portland. It places all tax assessments on a "land rent" basis, meaning the "fair and just price per year, as appraised by public officials, that a renter should pay for the use of any lot, tract, parcel or quantity of land on a lease" of five years with perpetual right of renewal, to be appraised and readjusted every five years, but not to be increased because of improvements on the land, and no other tax is to be assessed.

A second provision is for loans not in excess of \$1,500 without interest for five years to families owning less than \$2,250. The fund for these loans is to be constituted from one-third of the "land rent."

STATE SECRETARY O. K.'S PETITION

COMMERCIAL CLUB IS ADVISED THAT FORM OF PETITION FOR BALLOT FOR CLUB LEVY IS ACCORDING TO LAW

The Klamath Commercial Club is in receipt of the following two letters relative to the initiative petition to place on the Klamath county ballot in November a measure providing for a tax levy of 25 cents on \$1,000 to support the club:

"Acknowledgement is made of the receipt of copy of an initiative petition for a proposed local law for Klamath county for a Klamath Commercial Club law, transmitted over your signature, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 359, General Laws of Oregon, 1915, the forms of initiative petition have been examined, and they, together with the kind and size of paper upon which such petitions are printed for circulation for signatures, approved as by law provided. Very respectfully,
"BEN W. OLCOTT,
"Secretary of State."

"This is to advise you that under date of July 3, 1916, the initiative petition for a proposed local law for Klamath county for a Klamath Commercial Club law, to be submitted to the legal voters of the county of Klamath, state of Oregon, for their approval or rejection at the regular general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1916, was filed in the office of the secretary of state of the state of Oregon, and on same date a communication, a copy of which and enclosed, addressed to the attorney general of the state of Oregon, requesting that a ballot title therefor be provided by him and returned to the office of the secretary of state, as by law directed. Yours very truly,
"BEN W. OLCOTT,
"Secretary of State."

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"Selig Tribune,"
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"Mary" Edison Drama

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Come in Fancy Velvets, Printed Batiste and Foulards. All light colors.

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Middy and Norfolk Styles, mostly light colors, prices

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Made from best grade Amoskeeg Gingham and fine Percales. Light and dark colors. Prices

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New Norfolk styles, made from genuine Palm Beach cloth; just the suit for hot weather. Price each \$10.00

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Fancy Plaid and Stripes. Special,

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Ladies' Porous Knit Union Suits, nice and cool, at

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Odds and Ends to close out. Values up to \$1.50.

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Economy Stockings for children—best made, for only 15c.

SPRING LAKE DRIPPINGS

The roads in this section are being improved. The work is expected to be completed this week.

Miss Neva McReynolds, a graduate of Klamath County High School, has returned from San Jose, Calif., where she is attending the California state normal school.

Miss Lucille Stewart entertained Saturday evening in honor of her sixteenth birthday. Fourteen guests attended. Whist was played and the first prize was won by Frank Payne. Refreshments were served.

The ladies aid of the Mt. Laki church has purchased a new stove for the church.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FARM LOANS—Money to loan on farm security. Rates reasonable. Terms good. For particulars, call or write, E. L. Elliott, attorney, Willits building, Klamath Falls, Ore. 11-4

In reconstructing the penitentiary buildings at Salem, all Oregon building material will be used.

Five hundred sawmill men are idle at Marshfield owing to the longshoremen strike.

One cow's record at Coquille is 67.3 pounds of butter fat.

Notice of Final Settlement

In the Matter of the Estate of Harriet Roberts, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as administrator of the estate of Harriet Roberts, deceased, has filed in the county court of the state of Oregon, for Klamath county, the final account of his administration of said estate, and that the court has fixed Saturday, the 23d day of July, 1916, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon as the time and the Klamath county court room as the place for the hearing of objections to said account, if any, and the settlement thereof.

Dated June 22, 1916.

CHAS. I. ROBERTS,
Administrator of the Estate of Harriet Roberts, Deceased.

22-29-4-12-20

Assessment Notice

California-Oregon Power Company.
Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California.
Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the directors, held on Tuesday, June 20, 1916, an assessment (No. 5) of one dollar (\$1.00) per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately to the secretary at the office of the corporation, No. 131 Leidesdorff street, San Francisco, California. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on TUESDAY, July 25, 1916, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on TUESDAY, August 15, 1916, at the hour of 12m, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with the costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

Dated June 20, 1916.

J. C. THOMPSON,
Secretary of California-Oregon Power Company.
Office No. 131 Leidesdorff street, San Francisco, California. 24-5-10-17

Ninety-Seventh Half Yearly Report of

The German Savings and Loan Society

SAVINGS

(THE GERMAN BANK)

COMMERCIAL

526 CALIFORNIA STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

JUNE 30, 1916

ASSETS—

United States, State, Municipal and Other Bonds (market value \$18,370,500.00), standing on books at	\$17,124,363.14
Loans on Real Estate, secured by first mortgages	41,000,828.52
Loans on Bonds and Stocks	615,931.72
Bank Buildings and Lots, main and branch offices (value \$800,000), standing on books at	1.00
Other Real Estate (value \$195,000.00), standing on books at	1.00
Employees' Pension Fund (value \$222,728.43) standing on books at	1.00
CASH	5,010,082.41
Total	\$63,511,228.81

LIABILITIES—

Due Depositors	\$60,727,194.93
Capital Stock actually paid in	1,000,000.00
Reserve and Contingent Funds	2,084,033.88
Total	\$63,511,228.81

N. OHLANDT, President

GEO. TOURNY, Manager

Selected and sworn to before me this 30th day of June, 1916.
(SEAL) CHAS. F. DUSENBERG, Notary Public

For the six months ending June 30, 1916, a dividend of 4% per annum was declared.