

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. George Merriman plan to leave Saturday evening for a resort in the Cascade mountains in Washington, where it is hoped Mrs. Merriman's health will be improved. The regular monthly pupils' recital will take place at the Medford Conservatory of Music Saturday night at 8 o'clock. Admission is free and the public is cordially invited. Bob Crowder, the man who had the first meat stall in the public market, will open a meat market on West Main street, in the store recently vacated by the Thompsona Cigarette company. For sale, fine family driving or riding horse, buggy and harness. This is a good buy at \$200. If interested write Lethrop Perkins, 19 Ross Court, Medford. Delroy Getchell, president of the Farmers & Fruitgrowers bank, has been confined to his home the past few days with an acute attack of neuralgia. His condition was very serious Thursday, but he is somewhat improved today. Pag Isaacs, Court Hall and Ed Brown crowded the season Thursday and went fishing. They state the fishing was fine, but the fish scarce. Mrs. John C. Hyde writes from Seward, Alaska, that her husband, formerly a well-known plumber in Medford and Ashland, has "mashed" into Kinick, where he will work for a mining company until July. The Hydys left San Francisco last October for Kodiak Island and located at Uyak, where he worked for a mining company. The mining company ceased operations shortly afterward and the Hydys were left practically stranded and, owing to the infrequency with which boats reached the island, they were only recently able to get over to Seward on the mainland. Mrs. Hyde writes that the island experienced three hard earthquakes during their residence and that the last one, on January 3 of this year, blew the top and side from Mount Katima, which is 75 miles from Uyak. Orchard, hunting, fishing and Crater Lake scenes for sale at Gerking & Harmon's studio. Negatives made any place, kodak finishing, 128 East Main street. Phone 215 R. W. T. Smith who is Southern Pacific baggage master at Glendale, has been visiting relatives living in this section. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Carnahan have returned to the Blue Ledge after an extended visit in Medford and Eugene. R. H. McCurdy writes all kinds of insurance. 401 M. F. & H. bldg. Phone 349. Deputy United States Marshal Marvin was down from Portland this week, subpoenaing witnesses to appear before the United States grand jury, which meets May 5. Clinton Textor and William Ulrich were among them. Dr. and Mrs. Salade of Seven Oaks are entertaining Colonel J. W. Fuller of Pennsylvania. Tinting, painting and paper hanging, reasonable. Phone 907-J. 35 Robert W. Telfer has returned to Eugene after a short stay in Medford. W. P. Bakewell of Portland has been in the valley in the interest of the Provident Trust company. If you want your lawn mower sharpened or repaired phone 360-J. 55 O. Harbaugh, D. Cronemiller and Harry Luy were among the citizens of Jacksonville in Medford during the week. An organization known as the Josephine County Taxpayers' league has been formed with Mr. Crow of Merlin as president and J. P. Duncan as secretary. Its primary object is to prevent the construction of a bridge across Rogue river, in Galice district, the contract for which has been let to E. G. Farham, who has already put a portion of the material on the ground. Gerking & Harmon, studio portraits, home portraits, flash lights, kodak finishing, post card work and enlarging; 128 East Main street; telephone 215 R. E. A. Rose of Phoenix, who lost a leg by a sudden affection last year, is threatened with the loss of his remaining limb through the same cause. William Smith of Applegate and Charles Dungan of Gold Hill spent Thursday afternoon in Medford. Medford Choral Society concert, Presbyterian church Tues., May 13. * Holbrook Withington made a trip to Ashland Thursday afternoon.

F. R. Olds, C. J. Ferguson, Perry DeLap and Clarence Underwood, business men of Klamath Falls, had a narrow escape Sunday, while on upper Klamath lake. The propeller of their launch was broken by striking a saw log when they were seven miles from shore. As they had no oars and a heavy wind was blowing they were in imminent peril. They had given up hope when they were rescued, nearly frozen, by parties in a larger launch. Born in Medford, April 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Swainson, a daughter. Insure and be sure. Right if we write it. R. A. Holmes, The Insurance Man. R. L. Wilson and S. Orton were among the horticulturists who spent Thursday night in Medford. W. J. Rodgers and W. J. Scott of Antioch transacted business in Medford the fore part of the week. Medford Choral Society concert, Presbyterian church Tues., May 13. * Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pendleton of Table Rock were among their Medford friends Thursday. Leonard Carpenter, who underwent an operation for appendicitis recently, is convalescent. Money to loan on real estate. See Carlin & Taylor, attorneys at law, Medford. The Gold Hill concert band will give its first annual ball Saturday night, music for which will be furnished by an orchestra of 10 pieces. J. B. Hammersly, H. D. Reed and Fred Riedel are managing the affair. S. Rosenberg of Seattle, owner of the Bear Creek orchard, arrived in Medford Thursday. C. E. Bellows was up from the Stratton orchard, located near Talent, Thursday evening. E. D. Weston, commercial photographer, negatives made any time or place by appointment. Phone M. 1471. R. F. Dean of Willow Springs and Will Houston of Long Branch were among the farmers who came to Medford this week. John Arnold, the Bear Creek farmer, transacted business in Medford Thursday. Vapor baths and scientific massage for men and women. Dr. R. J. Lockwood, chiropractor, 203 Garnett-Corey bldg. Phone 145. Miss A. E. Whitman of Klamath Falls, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. Gregory, left for the north during the week. D. J. Mathis and wife have located in Los Angeles. Sheriff Singler was over from Jacksonville Thursday evening. T. W. Miles of the Jackson County Abstract company was a business visitor in Ashland Thursday. J. W. Cotehett of Weed, Cal., who has been spending a few days in Medford, left for home yesterday. I. Householder and William Lewis of Kanab Creek were business visitors in Medford Thursday. The Juvenile dance for Monday night has been postponed indefinitely. Miss Hazel Tice, who has been visiting in southern California during the past two months, returned on Thursday evening. David F. Fox of Ashland was in Medford Thursday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Fuson. A. B. Cornell of Grants Pass has been transacting business in Medford. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rose and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Frazee have gone to Canada and will become homesteaders. S. C. Collins of Table Rock made a business trip to Medford Thursday. Y. H. Allen of Sterling was in Medford the fore part of the week. Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Andrews of Eugene were recent visitors in Medford. Fletcher Linn, who has been transacting business in Medford and Jacksonville during the past 10 days, left for Portland Thursday morning. G. H. Elridge of Albany is a late arrival in Medford. The West Side livery stable has been reopened by Edward Bostwick, lately employed at W. P. Bailey's stable in Jacksonville. Mrs. John Roach of Portland, who has been visiting relatives living in Medford, left for her home Thursday. Mrs. Roach is a daughter of the late R. U. Wrisley and was born in this valley. The Regina baseball team, which has been training at Albany, has broken camp and is on the way to western Canada to enter the pennant race that begins May 5. Manager Helen has engaged Al Baker and W. Weckler, who have been playing with Grants Pass as catcher and second baseman, and Ralph Burgess of Medford will probably be one of his pitchers. A. A. Parker of Baroda, India, has been visiting friends living in Medford. He has much to say in praise of the city and valley. Mrs. W. R. Coleman of Jacksonville made a trip to Medford and Phoenix during the week. James Brennock, who organized the first union of carpenters, at Albany, N. Y., in 1858, died recently at Chicago, aged 82.

REPRESENTATIVE GALLAGHER NOW AFTER BASEBALL TRUST



Thomas Gallagher, member of the house of representatives from Illinois, has locked horns with the baseball magnates. He has introduced in the house a resolution for an investigation of the baseball trust, as he calls it, and the friends of the members of the national commission have denounced him. Gallagher's action to some extent grows out of the case of Ty Cobb, who demanded \$15,000 a year salary from the Detroit club of the American league. Cobb will, of course, not be permitted to play in any other club, no matter how much it would pay him. Last year Gallagher introduced a similar resolution, which did not attract attention. Baseball men, when they speak frankly, of course, admit there is a combination which controls players. They also insist that without such a combination organized baseball could not continue.

TO GIVE GRANT LANDS TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS

WASHINGTON, May 2.—Representative Sinsott, of Oregon is today preparing a bill for introduction in congress which will have for its purpose the giving of 2,000,000 acres or more of forfeited Southern Pacific lands in Oregon to the public school fund. The lands in question were forfeited to the government by Federal Judge Wolverton at Portland last Tuesday.

TODAY'S BALL GAMES.

Table listing baseball games for National, American, and Boston leagues with scores and locations.

HAMMOND SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT

PORTLAND, Ore., May 2.—John Hammond, who shot and killed Isaac Bloom, a commission merchant March 12, in order to avenge supposed wrongs, was sentenced to life imprisonment today by Circuit Judge Davis. He pleaded guilty to second degree murder.

JAMES L. FERRY, PIONEER HOTEL MAN IS DEAD

MARSHFIELD, May 2.—James L. Ferry, one of the oldest settlers of Marshfield, for years proprietor of the Blanco Hotel, died here today. He was one of the pioneer hotel men in Southern Oregon and very well known.

CHIHUAHUA FACES

(Continued from page 1.) 228 miles, has been put out of business by Zapata, as has also the Inter-oceanic railway from Mexico City to Vera Cruz, 294 miles. All of these railways, except the Southern Pacific of Mexico, are parts of the National Railways of Mexico system. Telegraph wires are down all over northern Mexico. It is still possible to reach Mexico City by cable to Vera Cruz. In the sections where Huerta's power is recognized the spirit of revolt is gaining headway and hands of brigands are in almost unrestrained operation.

MANN SAYS HE IS BEWHISKERED NOT BEWHISKEYED

WASHINGTON, May 2.—A red-hot verbal assault directed at Representative Mann of Illinois and Fordney of Michigan was voiced in the house during the tariff debate today by Representative Thomas of Kentucky. Fordney was characterized as the "hairless wonder from Michigan." Referring to Mann, Thomas said: "I just want to tell that bewhiskered gent from Illinois that these are doadays when we are shearing sheep and I would advise him to go out and get shaved. The gentleman from Illinois has taken up volumes of the Congressional Record with his mixed metaphors and vapid nothings. I will bet he has cost the government \$10,000,000 since he has been rattling around here." Mann, white with rage, was on his feet instantly. "The gentleman from Kentucky," he retorted, "addresses himself to the hair on my face. He says I am bewhiskered. I am, but I am not bewhiskeyed." The house which had been convulsed with laughter, was silenced by Mann's quip. Thomas again demanded to be heard but the chair rapped for order, and the incident was closed.

AVIATOR KILLED LAUNCHING AIRSHIP

OAKLAND, Cal., May 2.—While assisting in the launching of a new hydroplane on the Oakland Estuary at 1:30 this afternoon Herman C. Janssen, 30, an aviator of Los Angeles, was instantly killed when he was caught in the propeller of his machine. His head was crushed to a pulp by the whirling propeller. He was assisting Roy Francis.

Janssen and Francis prepared to launch the hydroplane at the foot of Adeline street. Francis took his seat in the machine and Janssen started to lift off the pontoons. As the engine was started Janssen stepped back and accidentally ran full into the propeller, which had reached its maximum speed just before the machine rose. The machine was stopped, but the aviator was dead when he was removed. Janssen had intended to try a number of experiments with hydroplanes coming here for the purpose of working over the bay instead of making his attempts over the ocean.

RAILROAD MANAGERS REFUSE TO ARBITRATE

NEW YORK, May 2.—Flat refusal of their offer to arbitrate their threatened strike under the Erdman Act was made to the conductors and trainmen of fifty-two eastern railroads by the managers of these lines in a conference here today. The statement in reply to the proposition of the employees recites the same objections to the Erdman Act as were advanced in the case of the firemen on the same lines who threatened to strike recently. The managers reiterated their refusal of an advance in wages, stating that conditions do not warrant such a move. The trainmen are considering their next step at a meeting this afternoon.

BULLS ENCOURAGED BY FOREIGN MARKETS

NEW YORK, May 2.—Canadian Pacific and Lehigh Valley, led the downward trend at the opening of the stock market today. Copper shares and Illinois Central made good gains. Later Southern Pacific, Can and Rubber were strong. Bull trading was encouraged by cables of an improvement in the foreign securities market. The market as a whole lacked yesterday's snap and closed dull. Bonds were irregular. TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY WANTED TO BUY—2 beds, table, 3 chairs, cooking stove, combination table, kitchen utensils, 2 lamps, clock, sawing frame, gasoline engine, 2 axes and other tools, gun and dog. Please state your prices. Box Roland, Tribune.

DARING BANDIT HOLDS UP TRAIN SHOOTING VICTIM

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 2.—Boarding a Kansas City Southern railroad train here early today, a lone bandit lined up and robbed the passengers of \$1,500 in cash and jewelry, and probably fatally wounded Jesse Short, a mine owner, in a revolver duel. The bandit also was injured but escaped, leaving behind a trail of blood. The train had proceeded about three miles from Joplin when the robber entered the chair car and ordered the passengers to throw up their hands. The command was instantly obeyed. After robbing the chair car passengers, the bandit ordered a negro porter to lead him through the train. Coming to the berth occupied by Short, the outlaw boldly ordered him to give up his valuables. Short dropped \$1,000 in money, a gold watch and two diamonds into the robber's hands and then reached for his automatic revolver. As the bandit turned toward the next berth Short fired. The robber wheeled and emptied his revolver into Short's berth. One bullet penetrated Short's head, another struck him in the shoulder and a third lodged in his knee. Jumping from the train, which had come to a stop, the robber disappeared. He left a pool of blood on the car platform and trainmen believe his dead body will be found in the bushes. A posse followed the bandit's bloody trail to the Blue River, where it is now believed, he escaped in a boat.

17-YEAR-OLD GIRL ELOPES WITH NEGRO

TACOMA, Wash., May 2.—Helen Baker, a 17-year-old Tacoma girl, and Frank Basley, a colored teamster connected with a circus showing here, were taken into custody this afternoon by Detective Brown after the pair had eloped to this city from Olympia last evening. The girl is a stepdaughter of W. J. Laton, a rancher near Olympia.

BOOST EFFORTS.

(Continued from page 1.) Market Basket Passes. Schedule G, known as the "market basket" schedule, covering food products, passed the house practically without change. The only changes were a few minor corrections. The cotton schedule was next taken up. Senator Simmons of North Carolina, chairman of the senate finance committee, estimates that his committee will devote two weeks to consideration of the tariff and that the senate will devote about five weeks to debate.

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ORCHARD HEATING SAVES CROPS OF LARGER GROVES

A trip through the orchard district today by Professor O'Gara reveals that little or no damage was done by the frost last night in those orchards that smudged. As practically all the large orchards smudged extensively, a good crop is assured. Examination shows a much better condition than at first imagined. Inspection revealed that the foothill orchards, like Hillcrest, practically escaped damage. It showed practically no injury on the Hopkins, Plera, Allen, Gore, Bear Creek, Harroll, Hill, Potter and Gould and other groves where orchard heating was practiced. The value of orchard heating is demonstrated by the comparison of adjacent groves. Practically all the fruit at Hollywood is unharmed, while that in the young orchard across the road is damaged.

DOCTOR ACQUITTED IN SLINGSBY CASE

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 2.—By throwing the case out of court in sustaining the demurrer of the defense that no public offense was committed, Superior Judge Dunne brought to an abrupt close here today the trial of Dr. W. W. Fraser, a Weaverville, Cal., physician, who was accused of effecting the substitution of a living baby for the stillborn child of Lieutenant Charles H. Slingsby, the heir to vast English estates. District Attorney Fickert announced that he would take an appeal of the case. The court's order gives Dr. Fraser his freedom. In his decision Judge Dunne quoted authorities to show that a birth certificate is not a public instrument, contrary to the opinion of several prominent lawyers here. It was claimed that Dr. Fraser substituted the dead baby for the child of Lillian Anderson, a wronged Weaverville high school girl. The demand of the Winstper painters for an increase of wages to 50 cents per hour has been refused by the employers, who are relying on the large number of non-union men in the city and the annual influx of job-seeking men to stave off the increase.

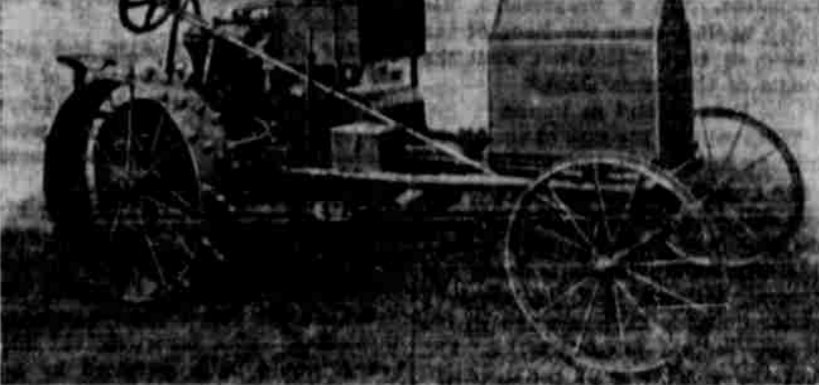
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