

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

King's for Lowery's, Alton's and Cauther's chocolates.
Miss Mayne Baggsdale, who has been a resident of Medford for some time past, leaves for her home in San Francisco this week.

James Renne, a prosperous farmer of Iowa, and his wife and daughter are in Medford visiting his brother, D. B. Renne, whom he had not seen for many years. They are on their way to south sea California to spend the winter.

Eaton Hurlbut's Christmas stationery, the best stationery on the market, Hall's Art Studio, 217 Seventh st. 226

Dr. T. W. Hester and James G. Catchett of Jacksonville were business visitors in Medford Tuesday.

W. H. Gore and his family were in from the Ish farm Tuesday afternoon.

A number of our merchants are dressing their windows in a handsome and appropriate manner in anticipation of the holidays. One of the most beautifully decorated establishments in the valley is that of Daniels, the clothier.

Miss Jeannette Butler, teacher of piano, theory and harmony. Residence in West Medford, Telephone 791.

T. N. Brown, one of the prominent citizens of Josephine county, who has been engaged in the grocery business at Grants Pass, was recently declared a bankrupt. His assets are considerably larger than his liabilities.

A \$25 gold watch to be given away as a New Year's present at Hall's Art Studio, 217 Seventh street.

J. L. Wilson of Phoenix precinct is furnishing this market with fuel.

A. H. Simpson, the miner, is down from Idaho. He is now looking after his interests in Josephine county.

C. W. Conklin and his family, who have been living at Jacksonville during the past several years, removed to Medford this week. They will retain their business interests at the county seat.

Just arrived, 30 tons of wood fiber. Leave orders with Postal Telegraph office or L. J. Reinhard.

Henry Holt of Sans Valley was in Medford Tuesday, accompanied by his son John. He will plant 30 acres in apples and pears in the near future.

J. S. Tucker, the expert trader, has been in Medford several times lately. He is again located in Trail precinct.

Mrs. A. Elmer of Jacksonville visited friends living in Medford Tuesday.

A. H. Miller, who has been spending the past few months at LePorte, Ind., his former home, returned during the past week.

Mrs. J. P. Cranford of Asplagate was a visitor in Medford and Jacksonville on Tuesday.

Miss Mulkey's annual clearance of millinery begins Saturday, December 7, and will continue for two weeks. Prices cut below cost. Come early and secure your pile of latest designs of all kinds of headwear.

W. T. Brivee, operator in government land, was down from Prospect the first of the week.

R. H. Bradshaw, one of Upper Butte creek's energetic farmers, spent Tuesday in Medford. He has already completed plowing his farm.

W. C. Bryan and P. M. Favore of Indianapolis, who are connected with the Gold Hill Canal company, spent Tuesday in Medford. They speak highly of our valley and city.

John P. Bell was among those who did business in Medford Tuesday.

Coal for Sale.
We are now prepared to furnish hand picked coal at the mine, five miles east of town, in any amount desired, \$7.50 per ton.

PACIFIC COAL CO.

SIX QUARTZ CLAIMS LEFT BY LABORER

Killed by the caving of a sewer in Brooklyn November 6, Mike Hanseth, a laborer, left six quartz claims in a Grants Pass bank. Hanseth is survived by a father, two sisters and a brother in Sweden, among whom the estate will be divided. The mining claims are considered of value, but they will not be appraised until the father of the deceased gives his power of attorney. A brother of Hanseth is said to have worked with him on the claims, but this relative has not been located. Hanseth was buried in Multnomah cemetery by miners from Grants Pass, who came to Portland to give last honors to their fellow-worker.

GRANTS PASS VOTES TO ASSIST MINERS

The Grants Pass Commercial club at a meeting held last night passed a resolution asking the Oregon delegations in congress to support the bill introduced in the house by Bartlett of Nevada relieving mine owners on public lands from performing assessment work for the year 1907. Because of the financial stringency. Other commercial bodies will be asked by the club to take similar action and wire members of our delegation.

DEMOCRATS TO DECIDE ON CONVENTION CITY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Every thing is in readiness for the meeting of the democratic national committee tomorrow. The principal work is the selection of a convention city. Denver is the most active. It is expected that Louisville and Cleveland will be candidates, and possibly Chicago will extend an invitation. Kansas City has decided not to ask for the convention, and the same is believed to be true of St. Louis.

FATHER AND THREE SONS ALL FACE INDICTMENTS

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—John G. Jenkins, formerly president of the National bank of Brooklyn, and his three sons have been indicted by the Kings county grand jury on charges of conspiracy and perjury. The first indictment is against the elder Jenkins. His sons were previously indicted on other charges. The sons are John C. Jenkins, Jr., former president of the Jenkins Trust company; Frank Jenkins, former president of the Williamsburg Trust company; Frederick Jenkins, a director in those institutions, which closed several weeks ago. All are out on bail.

Buy Tickets by Wire.

"Something which is of considerable interest to the public generally and which is perhaps not generally known is the system of prepaid orders now in effect between stations of the Southern Pacific company and all points in the United States. By means of this system tickets may be purchased at Medford from any place in the United States and mailed or telegraphed direct to the party wishing to come here. Sleeper accommodations and small amounts of cash in connection with these tickets may also be furnished at the same time."

D. Brady, who lives in Talent precinct, did business in Medford Tuesday.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

United States to F. Riebel, 150 acres in section 10, township 35, range 3 W 725
A. D. Helms to Frank Wilson, lots 8 and 9, block E, Helms addition to Medford 170
C. I. Hutchison to John S. Stephens, property in Park addition to Medford 175
Richard J. Edwards to George Thymack, property in Ashland 400
William S. Crowell to A. P. Talent, property in Medford 1100
A. P. Talent to A. W. Sturgis, lot 11 and part of lot 10, block 32, Medford 800

JACKSONVILLE ITEMS.

Judge Dunn and Dr. R. T. Barnett drove over to Medford to meet Dr. Barnett's sister Tuesday morning. Messrs. Tugate, Wilson and Catchett spent a few hours in Medford Tuesday.

William Mendenhall was up from Gold Hill Tuesday on business at the court house.

Dr. Hester was in Medford Tuesday for a few hours.
Miss Ocie Saltmarsh went up to Ashland Tuesday morning on a visit with relatives.
C. W. Conklin and family moved their household goods to Medford this week, where they will reside in the future.
Charles Numan and sister Miss Frances Numan were in Medford a short time Monday morning.

**Coat Hangers Free
Get One Friday or Saturday Sure**

Here is a chance to secure a present for yourself or some friend. Don't miss it. While they last (and we have a goodly number) we will give a 10c wire coat-hanger with every purchase of ribbon amounting to 25c or over. We think we are selling the best plain and fancy ribbon on the market today, and simply want you to try us on ribbons. If you are going to buy ribbon, might as well buy here and get a coat-hanger FREE.



Kid Gloves AS GIFTS.

Our new lines of cape and undressed Kid Gloves will surely please you. MEN, a pair of gloves will be accepted for a gift; you needn't take the gloves; we will sell you an order and the recipient can get any size or style she wishes later on.

SHORT GLOVES ARE \$1.50 and \$1.75

LONG GLOVES FROM \$3.25 to \$3.75

Dainty Laces

Have you been hunting Laces? We have an extra large assortment of the daintiest laces you ever saw. They are suitable for putting on handkerchiefs, aprons and various and sundry articles of fancy work.

Neckwear

Go into the average town the size of Medford and collect all the different styles of ladies' neckwear you can find, then compare with our assortment; we have the assortment and every collar and turban is new, having come to us less than 30 days ago. Prices low.

10c and along to \$1.25

New Umbrellas

BUY HER A GOOD UMBRELLA.

Just received, a line of Umbrellas, bought especially to accommodate our Xmas trade. The designs in handles are new and very neat. The best paragon frames, with steel rods and the new cup runners. The covers will wear or we stand the loss. See them soon.

\$1.00 and to \$7.00

The Suit Sale

MEN, we can sell you a suit for your wife. If she doesn't like it we will trade the money or something else for it.

LADIES, you are missing the best opportunity to save money on the newest style suits ever offered in Medford. Don't take our word for it, but come and investigate. Sale prices.

\$7.50 and up to 37.50

MEDFORD'S HOLIDAY STORE FOR LADIES.
BAKER-HUTCHASON CO.
FIRST ROOM NORTH OF JACKSON COUNTY BANK.

CATALOG HOUSES ARE NOT MERCHANT TAILORS

They drain the towns of money and neither give the fit, style nor distinction to your clothes that your own city tailor can.

PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY

The clothes I make are the kind that "carry distinction," that bespeak the man, that keeps your money at home and are superior in every detail to the "sweatshop" goods of catalogue houses.

KEEP YOUR MONEY AT HOME **EIFERT** FRENCH DRY CLEANING AND REPAIRING NEATLY DONE
The City Tailor Medford



THE FEELING OF PERFECT CONTENTMENT

which comes after dining at the Nash Cafe is proof positive that our patrons are not only well served and fed, but have had the very best that the markets afford. Our menu contains every luxury of the season.

THE NASH



Medford Steam Bakery

HOT ROLLS FOR BREAKFAST or dainty little dinner rolls that will tempt the appetite of the most fastidious, is the kind we serve every day when ordered. Breadstuffs, light, white and delicious, is our specialty, as well as the richest, finest cakes, pastry and pies. When you want to enjoy your meals, order your bakestuffs from us.

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Colonial Porch Work, Grill and Lath Work, Patterns, Etc. :: ::
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Leading Rooming House of the City
Over the Postoffice Medford, Oregon

GREAT CHRISTMAS SALE

At MEEKER'S Great Dry Goods Store

From Now Until Christmas We Will Give Special Values in Every Department.

GREAT HOLIDAY SALE OF BEAUTIFUL FURS
Brown, Sable, Coney, elaborately trimmed;
\$6.50 values \$4.50
All others in proportion. Large assortment of children's sets.
15 dozen Ladies' Silk Hand-Made Collars; just the article for Xmas; come in boxes 50c to \$1.50
Also a complete stock of Lace Collars and Sets.

Men's Raincoats and Overcoats
AT GREAT REDUCTIONS.
\$22.50 Black Waterproof Coats \$18.50
\$15.00 Gray Waterproof Coats \$12.50
\$15.00 Wool Overcoats \$8.50
An Overcoat is just the thing for husband, brother or sweetheart.

BURNT WORK PILLOW TOPS AND MATS.
\$10.00 Tops \$7.50
\$7.50 Mats \$5.00
25 dozen fancy Tops 20c, 25c and 35c
These are extreme values. You should secure some for your Christmas gifts.

LADIES' KID GLOVES
In all lengths at special prices. We have Glove Bonds; a quick way to solve the Christmas gift problem. You should select the gloves you want. We fill in the bond, you present the bond at Christmas and your friend can come at any time and be fitted at our glove counters.

TWO HUNDRED DOZEN HANDKERCHIEFS JUST RECEIVED.
THREE HUNDRED PAIRS HOUSE SLIPPERS, BLACK, RED BROWN, \$1.00 TO \$2.50
Saturday will be the greatest Sale Day our store has ever had. Our bargains will interest you. Come and see our Christmas display. Remember, Meeker makes the prices. We have everything you want. THE STORE FOR EVERYBODY.

W. H. MEEKER & CO.