SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Homer Davenport Friday night. 261

G. W. Albert of Butte Falls transacted business in Medford Thursday.

Watch the Book Store for Valentines. tf

H. C. Kentner has returned from Portland, where he went on business.

Have you a good eye? Take a look at THE TOGGERY windows.

Ed Clemens has moved from Medford to Talent.

Remember the Davenport lecture Friday night. 261

J. B. Rowley of Nelson, B. C., is in Medford, looking for a location.

King's for Lowney's, Aldon's and Gunther's chocolates. tf

William S. See of Bothgate, N. D., is a new arrival in Medford.

Feeling sort of run down? Only one thing to do—call at THE TOGGERY.

J. B. Throckmorton of Applegate was a Medford business caller Thursday.

Order your carnations now for McKinley day, January 29. Medford Greenhouse, Phone 606. 265

Misses Prue and Bernice Angle left Thursday for San Francisco, where they will visit for two weeks.

Pyrographic outfits, wood and hides, for burning, at the Art Studio, Hubbard building, near bridge. tf

Harvey Richardson, the prosperous farmer of Agate, spent Friday in Medford.

"The Romance and Mystery of the Great Arabian Desert" Friday night, January 24. 261

We will help you make money by saving you money—THE TOGGERY, of course.

Carl Narregan, from Eagle Point, transacted business in Medford Thursday.

Stenography and typewriting at reasonable rates. Charles Van Buskirk, Rogue River Electric Co. tf

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Newbury of Jacksonville were Medford visitors Thursday, as was Professor B. F. Mulkey.

"Hello, Tom; what's the rush?" "Don't stop me; I'm on my way to THE TOGGERY."

Miss Grace Whitehead has returned from Ashland, where she spent several days visiting friends.

Are you dissatisfied with your appearance? The remedy is obvious. Call at THE TOGGERY.

Editor S. A. Patterson and wife from Central Point were Medford visitors Thursday.

Public stenography and typewriting done evenings. Inquire of Van, Rogue River Electric Co., or Diamond Rooming house. tf

William Cunningham, from Edgewood, Or., has been in Medford several days looking for investments, and if suited will make this his permanent home.

The largest assortment of postals ever exhibited in Southern Oregon at the Art Studio, Hubbard building, near bridge. Also a nice line of albums. tf

Ed Walters of Dunsmuir, Cal., is in Medford, visiting at the home of his brother-in-law, John L. Demmer, in West Medford.

We have hides to sell; also wood for burning; get a pyrographic outfit and do your own burning; it is very interesting. Hull's Art Studio, Hubbard bldg., near bridge. 262

William Brown, from Vancouver, B. C., is visiting at Eagle Point with his brother, George W. BrBown, of the county commissioners.

A fine new line of Valentine Postals just arrived at Hull's Postal Shop; also a complete line of other cards. Post card Albums of all kinds. 317 Mian street. 262

Only a few of those frames left at the Art Studio. Call and see them. Come and make us an offer. Hull's Art Studio, 317 Main street. 262

Those from Grants Pass who visited in Medford Thursday and Friday are John H. Williams, Carl Williams, T. W. Williams, S. J. Williams and Attorney George H. Durham.

Hon. H. K. Hanna, circuit judge, has returned from Grants Pass, where he has been holding court. He will open court next Monday morning at Jacksonville.

Charles Conrad left Tuesday for Bonanza, Or., where he was called on account of the death of his sister, Henrietta Morine. He will return to Medford the first of next week.

The J. W. Perkins orchard has been surveyed and cut into several small tracts. Mr. Perkins will fence each tract, which will make it more convenient in the cultivation.

A. D. Hall, S. G. Simons and J. P. Roberts have formed a partnership and will engage in the real estate business at Albany, Or. They will leave for that place Monday.

Rapid progress is being made on the new telephone line being constructed from the Medford coal mine to Medford. This line reaches Medford from the mine by way of J. W. Perkins' orchard and is now complete as far as Mr. Perkins'.

Miss Bessie D[illegible] of Crescent City, Cal., arrived in Medford Thursday afternoon and [illegible] at the home of D. T. Lawton [illegible] several weeks. Miss Davis is the [illegible] of Miss Grace Lawton.

Justin Elf[illegible] of Roseburg, Or., has arrived in Medford and will visit with his parents for several weeks. He is a fireman on the Southern Pacific road.

William Merriman, a brother of Geo. Merriman, has arrived in Medford from his home in Portland to visit with his brother. He has not been in Medford for several years and expresses surprise at its growth.

F. E. Taylor, state manager of the Order of Fraternal Brotherhood, visited the Medford lodge Wednesday night and participated in the good time given at the lodge rooms. There was a supper given by the ladies and short speeches by the gentlemen, and the evening was spent very enjoyably. Mr. Taylor came to Medford from Ashland and left Thursday morning for Eugene.

Tyson Bell of Central Point was a Medford visitor Friday.

A few enlarged photos of Southern Oregon scenery, left over from the Christmas trade, will be given free with frame to fit, on receipt of retail price of frame. A limited supply. The Art Studio, Hubbard bldg., near bridge. tf

Among the newcomers in Medford are O. Booth, Dunsmuir, Cal.; C. P. Weedon; H. A. Buell, Chippewa Falls, Wis.; R. H. Lee, Fond du Lac, Wis.; Lee Arthur, Walla Walla, Wash.; Walter Furbish, Chicago; W. J. Foster, Storm Lake, Ia.; T. F. Wait, Storm Lake, Ia.; E. P. Monahan, Baldwin, Kan.; W. D. Green, Blue Mound, Kan.

HUNT LEWIS' HOME LOOTED BY BURGLARS

Burglars are reaping a rich harvest in the residence districts of Portland, and the efforts of the police to put an end to the depredations of the thieves are without result. One of the recent crimes committed in this line was the looting of the dwelling of Hunt Lewis at 89 North Nineteenth street.

The burglary was committed Sunday evening between the hours of 9 and 10 o'clock, during the temporary absence of the family from the house. Although the neighborhood is thickly populated, the thieves forced an entrance to the house without attracting attention to their movements. Once inside they ransacked the rooms at their leisure, overhauling the contents of closets, bureaus an desks in their search for valuables.

In one of the sleeping apartments the thieves found two scarfpins. In another room was found a revolver belonging to a member of the household. These articles the thieves appropriated, they being of the total value of about $50.

The burglars left the house in the same manner they entered, and succeeded in eluding the eyes of any prson who might have been in the neighborhood at the time. As soon as the family returned and discovered the nature of the loss sustained a telephone message was sent to police headquarters asking that an officer be sent to the scene to make an investigation. Later detectives were detailed on the case, but as yet no one has been arrested in connection with the robbery.

WELL-KNOWN JORURNALIST VISITED IN MEDFORD

Arthur A. Greene, the well-known writer of the Oregonian, was in the city yesterday in the interests of Homer Davenport, America's most eminent cartoonist and most unique platform orator, who will appear at the opera house tonight in his newest lecture, "The Romance and Hystery of the Great American Desert."

Mr. Greene is well known as one of the ablest all round writers on the coast, is a humorist, paragraphist, dramatic critic and poet of more than state fame.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Helen O. Dillon to Charles H. Pierce, 396 acres in D. L. C. 63, township 37, range 1 W.; title bond	$30,000
H. L. Johnston to George Gilman, land in township 37, range 1 W.; title bond	4900
William E. Krippene to Weyerhaeuser Land Co., 318.30 acres in section 2, township 39, range 4 E.	1
William Reid to Weyerhaeuser Land Co., south half of N. W. quarter and lots 3 and 4, section 3, township 40, range 4 E.	1
Weyerhaeuser Timber Co. to Weyerhaeuser Land Co., 112.96 acres in township 39, range 4 E.; township 40, range 3 E.	1
Ethna L. Flook to Ira Dell Pittman, lots 4, 5 and 6, block F, R. R. Addition, Ashland	1200
Mina L. Frenna to Ira Dell Pittman, lots 7, 8 and 9, block F, R. R. Addition, Ashland	425
Otilla D. Caldwell to F. D. Yarbrough, lots 2 and 7, block 36, Coolidge Addition, Ashland	260
W. H. Bradshaw to Lula H. Kelly, lots 5 and 8, block 32, Medford	1
W. M. Jones et al. to Weyerhaeuser Land Co., 640 acres in section 36, township 38, range 4 E.	1

Qnartz Locations.

Simon Shafer, Dividend claim in Applegate mining district.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Marrion Kennedy and Carrie Dosier.

HYBRID VARIETY OF WHEAT IS SUCCESSFULLY GROWN

In 1903 an experiment was begun at Washington State college to combine hybridized Turkey red wheat and bluestem to grow a winter wheat which would lack the beards of the Turkey red and possess an attractive quality as a winter variety. Bluestem is valuable as a winter wheat, but is not well adapted for fall sowing. The State college experiment station now believes it has succeeded and that this hybrid variety will be a winner. The straw grown favors the bluestem, while the leaf formation is like the Turkey red. No definite results are obtainable until the second year's growth after the cross has been made. Since the first cross was made in 1903 [illegible] but [illegible] the [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] were obtained, but [illegible] [illegible] were grown.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Mascot.

Over 100 people were turned away from the opera house Wednesday night, unable to obtain seats. Last night it was presented at Central Point to a crowded house. Tonight Ashland people will have their eyes opened and tomorrow (Saturday) night the last performance will be given in the Medford house.

The coming of Gorton's Minstrels to the Medford opera house Monday, January 27, insures to its patrons a fine entertainment, with some of the best special attractions ever seen on the minstrel stage. The program has been arranged to meet the approval of all who appreciate a bright, breezy performance, with something worth while doing all the time. The singers, comedians and expert specialists engaged with this company are l aders in their various lines and the best that can be procured. If one may judge by hearsay, the entire performance is just about the best that ever happened, and Gorton's company has come to be known as the show that "always makes good." Don't miss the fine street parade and concert at noon.

Davenport Tonight.

The announcement that Oregon's distinguished son, Homer Davenport, recognized as the foremost American cartoonist, will lecture at Medford Friday night, January 24, under the auspices of the High school has been received most gratefully by the people of this city. Mr. Davenport, in addition to his genius as an artist in black and white, is one of the most entertaining lecturers in the country. His charm as a raconteur is simply spellbinding and his inimitable way of treating subjects of intimate human interest marks him as a man of power and influence in national affairs. His views of life are absolutely wholesome and helpful. He is a living protest against the influences that are at work to undermine our Americanism. In the 15 years he has been prominently in the public eye he has enjoyed a personal acquaintance with the foremost men and women not only of this country but of Europe as well.

Recently Mr. Davenport has devoted much attention to moulding sentiment in favor of the humane movement and no more effective champion in favor of the prevention of cruelty to animals has ever wielded his pen in this country. His articles and pictures protesting against the slaughter of wild animals and the inhuman treatment of domestic animals have interested the whole nation.

He has recently returned from a most adventurous journey into the heart of the Arabian desert for the purpose of securing pure-blooded Arabian horses to bring to this country for breeding purposes, and much of his lecture will be devoted to recounting his experiences in this little known region of the world. He made his expedition by special permission of the sultan of Turkey, who authorized the exportation of the war horses of the desert, the first time such an unusual deference was ever shown an American.

Red Men's Entertainment.

The concert by Gloria Dare and her Florodora girls, who will appear at the Medford opera house Monday evening, February 3, for the benefit of Weatonka tribe, Improved Order of Red Men, promises to be the musical treat of the season. Special tickets have been printed for the entertainment and will be put on sale at prominent stores, which can be exchanged at Haskins' for a reserved seat without extra charge. From reports of the record-breaking houses Miss Dare has had since arriving on the coast, we would advise that reserved seats be secured early. The reserved seat sale will open the early part of next week. Following are some of the press criticisms:

"Gloria Dare, who appeared here in recital last night to a crowded house, is a young artist who will be heard of one of these days. She has the ability, the face, the figure, at the same time possessing a winning way, that would captivate a metropolitan audience as easily as it captivated those in attendance last night. She has one of the neatest singing turns ever seen here and is an artist to her finger tips. Miss Dare possesses a mezzo-soprano voice of rare culture and knows how to use it to advantage. Her songs are well chosen and suit her voice admirably."—Vancouver Herald.

"Miss Gloria Dare, assisted by her local Florodora girls, gave an unusually attractive entertainment at the M. E. church last night. Miss Dare possesses rare ability as an entertainer, while as a director, she is unequaled and unsurpassed."—La Crosse (Wis.) Leader.

JOHN SHARP WILLIAMS ON CHAUTAUQUA CIRCUIT

In point of interest, the coming session of the Southern Oregon Chautauqua assembly, which will be held at Ashland next July, promises to be far ahead of previous sessions. The engagement of John Sharp Williams, Democratic leader in the house of representatives, is regarded as a master stroke on the part of the board of managers of the four Pacific Coast Chautauqua associations at Gladstone Park, Ashland, Long Beach, Cal., and Pacific Grove, Cal.

Alfred Montgomery, the farmer painter; Dr. Robert McIntyre of Los Angeles; Dr. Ira Landreth of Belmont college, Nashville, Tenn., and Dr. Edwin Southers are among the men who will lecture at Chautauqua, and others in prospect are Leonora M. Lake, the noted Catholic woman lecturer, whose talks appeal to the laboring class, and Rev. Maurice [illegible] Sikes of Franklin, Pa., who will be in Portland next summer for several weeks to occupy the pulpit of the White Temple during the absence of Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher.

SETS 175 ACRES TO ENGLISH WALNUTS

J. B. Stump, one of the leading farmers residing in Polk county, has planted 175 acres of his large farm near Monmouth to English walnuts, and will make his walnut grove a commercial proposition. The trees are planted with a space of 60 feet between rows one way and of 40 feet the other way. In the space between the rows of walnut trees Royal Anne cherries are planted, and as these latter will bear quickly the land set to walnuts will soon be made profitable while awaiting the first crop from the walnut trees. Experiments made here in past years with walnuts have been so satisfactory that Mr. Stump's venture is not looked upon as an experiment, but as an investment that is sure to bring rich reward. Others are planning to set out large tracts in walnuts in this section within the next few years, as the land is said to be especially adapted for walnut culture.

LOS ANGELES CHOSEN FOR LIVESTOCK MEETING

DENVER, Jan. 15.—A resolution has been adopted asking congress to establish a minimum rate of 20 miles an hour for stock trains, except where physical condition prevents. Los Angeles was selected for the next convention city.

FIFTY-SIX HOMICIDES RECORD OF A YEAR

Oregon's criminal blotter for the year 1907 shows the commission of 56 homicides. For these crimes not one conviction of murder in the first degree has been secured. Only two of the homicides were convicted of murder in the second degree, and are serving sentences in the state penitentiary. One other was convicted of manslaughter, but he is out on bail pending an appeal to the supreme court. Fourteen were acquitted for different causes, 10 committed suicide, 11 have not been apprehended and 13 cases are pending in the courts. Of the 13 defendants awaiting trial, 9 will plead self-defense or justification, 3 went free because of lack of evidence, 2 were acquitted as insane and 1 successfully pleaded the "unwritten law."

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There are three things the average investor wants, if he buys country property in this valley. First and foremost, he wants a home where he and his family can enjoy good health and the fruits of this section. Usually he wants to get located where he is within easy reach of the leading commercial centers and close to local markets. And he always wants property which will bring in a good income and is sure to advance in value as the valley develops.

Will he be apt to find this combination in the hands of the street-corner broker or the average "butter-in" who persecutes the homeseeker about the hotel offices? When one considers that the situation is not urging many men with good holdings to sacrifice their property here, it is up to the homeseeker to apply to the regular dealer for what he wants. If he wants the

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