

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. F. H. Brown and daughter, who have been visiting in Albany for two weeks, have returned to their home. Just received at Ward's Cash Store, new ladies' dresses, coats and blouses. Frank Ande of Central Point was a business caller in Medford Monday. Southern Oregon sevens at Hall's Art Studio, near bridge. E. D. Foster of North Medford, who has reached the age of 91, is very ill at his home. No, we are not crazy. We are just saving you dollars on clothing. See our windows. Deuel & Koutner, 305. T. W. Hill of Wagner Creek was a Medford over-Sunday visitor. Buy your drugs at the Medford Pharmacy, removed from the Palm block to their new location next to P. O. 304. Mrs. R. O. Ward left for Ashland Monday morning. No, we are not crazy. We are just saving you dollars on clothing. See our windows. Deuel & Koutner, 305. George E. Osgood came in from his ranch near Jacksonville Monday. The Medford Pharmacy in their new store next to the P. O., is the best place in town to buy drugs. 304. William Jones and son William of Ashland visited in Medford Sunday. No, we are not crazy. We are just saving you dollars on clothing. See our windows. Deuel & Koutner, 305. H. J. Schutte and family spent Sunday in Ashland, returning Monday morning. Do you want a first-class business location on Medford's busiest street? Easy terms. If so, call on J. C. Brown, Palm Block. Jacob Wetzell, a mining man of Griffin Creek, was a Medford business caller Saturday. Pat—Hello there, Mike. Say, have you heard the news? Well it's the greatest out. The Medford Greenhouse is going to have green carnations, instead of green ribbon on St. Patrick's day. Phone 606. J. D. Hobson of Ashland transacted business in Medford Saturday. All of the latest styles in sewing machines at the lowest prices. White, 411; Singer, 410; Davis, 412; drophead, latest style, standard make, \$20; New Home, 415. The Standard Sewing Machine Man, G. H. Johnson, M. Elwood's store, 316. Mrs. Charles White, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Gay in West Medford, left Sunday for her home at Woodville. She is a cousin of Mr. Gay. The erection of a beautiful bungalow is about to be commenced on the Queen Anne addition and more will follow in a short time, which proves the popularity of the building restriction on those lots. Better not be a Spaniard and put off buying one of these lots until tomorrow. Francis Boddy and family, who have been visiting in Medford and Jackson county for the past two months, leave Monday morning for their old home in South, Wash. Deputy Prosecuting Attorney C. L. Reardon and wife returned Sunday evening from San Francisco, where Mr. Reardon has been for the past ten days. O. J. Minger and wife of Cascade Locks, Ore., who have been visiting relatives and acquaintances in Jackson county for the past few days, returned Sunday to their home. They were formerly residents of Medford. George P. Minnis of Central Point was an over-Sunday visitor in Medford. Mr. Minnis left for his home Monday morning. He has not yet 70 years of age. F. W. Leimnieder and family will move into their new cottage on South G street Tuesday. T. E. R. Hamilton and family leave Medford for Elmesth Falls Tuesday morning. The doctor will have charge of a hospital at the Falls. Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Nalley were Medford business callers Monday. John H. Housingson of Portland is a new arrival in Medford and may locate permanently. H. S. Remble, the transfer man, left Saturday for Astoria, Ore., where he was called by the serious illness of his aged mother. He will be absent for several weeks. Robert Kincaid of Central Point was a business caller in Medford Saturday. V. H. Daily, ex-county superintendent of Jackson county, is at The Dalles, Ore., in a sanatorium, where he is taking treatment. He has been materially benefited and will return to his home soon. John T. Anderson had the misfortune to crush his finger while operating a lathe on last Saturday. There was a road meeting held at the high school site of Hubbard Bros. Saturday afternoon. The intention is to make a road from Medford east over the mountains, but this meeting was only preliminary and as yet there is no particular route definitely outlined.

The Grand Millinery



Tuesday and Wednesday

March 17th and 18th

See the Fine Window Display

Tuesday morning we will open our Millinery Department for the first time. Not a lady in all Medford has seen the hats we will put on sale Tuesday. Suffice to say that we honestly feel that the styles are the swellest and the values the best that have ever been shown in Southern Oregon. The trimming has all been done by and under the direction of the most skilled operatives and the ready-to-wear hats which we show will represent the very latest ideas known to the high-class millinery establishments of Paris and New York. We invite you to come to our opening and inspect the new millinery. Our efforts to please you are genuine. NOW LISTEN—If we could stand face to face with every woman in Medford and could have some means whereby we could make her understand that these hats are really marked at the small profits at which they are marked—that we were selling millinery closer than it was ever known to be sold for—THE LOT WE OPEN WITH WOULDN'T LAST TWO DAYS.

A Chance to Possess a Green Carnation

Tuesday morning we will give a green carnation to each lady visiting this store. We have all the green carnations in Medford, so come and get something that will be a distinct novelty—something you can keep as a souvenir for a long time.

THE STORE THAT HAS FORCED THE PRICES DOWN

BAKER-HUTCHASON CO.

C STREET, JUST NORTH OF JACKSON COUNTY BANK



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STORE IS CREDIT TO LARGE CITY

Medford's New Ladies' Store Has to Engage to Handle the Business Brought by Advertising—Double Display Room and Beautiful Windows.

When Tom Richardson was here last week he spoke in glowing terms of some of Medford's new stores and how not even Portland or Seattle could equal some of them in modernness. Among these new stores, one of the best examples is that of the Baker-Hutchason company, on C street, back of the Jackson County bank, a store that has become noted as "Medford's popular ladies' store." The store has recently been enlarged and its stock doubled, to the satisfaction of all the ladies of Jackson county.

What did it? What forced a firm to double its store room in the first six months and to turn its entire stock over several times? Advertising—daily newspaper advertising—the writing of ads that conveyed a message every day to the purchaser; an ad so attractive that every woman in town read it; and a store so attractive that to see it caused a longing to enter, and once in, the bargains made you buy. Compare this store with some of those here longer—see the difference that modern methods make and then ask, "Does it pay?"

Interior of the Store.

In comparing the partition between two new store-rooms, a fine quality store was made, certainly the most commodious and best lighted in Southern Oregon. Green, the original color scheme, has been carefully followed out in every detail, making a store as well as a store-room. The furniture and fixtures are all of the modern style.

Everyday Bargains

Compare our prices with those of other stores in Medford. We are the only store that carries a complete line of goods.

the ladies, misses and children are disappointed and the displays would do credit to any city. Goods are shown on tables with neat sign cards explaining the special values, so that even a small child could select goods intelligently.

Originally One Room.

This firm started last October with but one room. Their trade was phenomenal from the start. Manager Hutchason states that he attributed this from the fact that their prices and values were unmatchable and the assortments and styles complete. He said that it was hard work to get enough goods to supply the demand, their plan being to order little at a time, but order often.

The Plate Glass Front.

The plate-glass front is 50 feet wide, along which are located the only modern plate-glass dry-goods show windows in Medford, and they reflect a beautiful array of dependable goods.

Medford's Appreciation.

The ladies of Medford appreciate having such a store. The store in appearance looks like a veritable bazaar—the aisles simply packed and the ladies buy the goods, too. If the rush is so great that a lady cannot get what she wants she visits or asks on the street by the door or transfer at will looking at goods on display.

A large fitting room and show room has been obtained off in the front of the store, where a lady can go and be fitted with a skirt, corset, waist or suit without being exposed to any one's view.

Advertising Done

Baker-Hutchason company believe in advertising and have their advertising done every day. The result is making us the best of our kind.

WHITSON GRILLS RUICK IN LAND FRAUD CASE

BOISE, Idaho, March 16.—United States District Judge Whitson of Spokane, who last fall sat in place of District Judge Dietrich in the proceedings in connection with the indictments against John L. Wells, Frank Martin and others, returned by the federal grand jury here, has rendered a decision sustaining the second of two pleas in abatement filed and argued before him by the defendants. This is the plea in which District Attorney Ruick was charged with misconduct before the grand jury that returned the indictments.

The other pleas filed by specific defendants, one claiming that the statute of limitations barred prosecution and the other that immunity was procured because of testimony given by defendants before the grand jury, are overruled. The effect of the ruling is to throw all of the cases resulting from the grand jury investigation of March, 1907, relative to alleged timber frauds, out of court.

Benjamin D. Evans arrived here from Phoenix, Ariz., last week, having been called on account of the serious illness and death of his father. Mr. Evans says they like their new home exceptionally well and that the family would not be induced to return to South Dakota.—Delmont (S. D.) Newspaper.

POLITICAL CARDS.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

The undersigned respectfully announces himself as a candidate for the democratic nomination for county judge of Jackson county, Oregon. J. B. Nye. To be held at Medford, Ore., March 16, 1908.

Mr. Johnson of Woodville has been visiting his brother, G. W. Macleay, of Medford.

James Helms of Talent transacted business in Medford Saturday afternoon. Mr. Helms is one of the pioneers of Jackson county, having resided on his ranch near Talent for more than 40 years.

Emos Canger of Philomath was in the city today; also A. K. Weidner of Tal-ent.

Mrs. Grace Whitehead and her guest, Miss Frankie Foster, left Sunday for Ashland.

John Blackley, the popular representative of the cigar house, spent Sunday in Medford.

J. E. Dolge, the Ashland, furniture dealer, was a Medford caller Saturday.

The John Norling orchestra returned this morning from Gold Hill, where they played for the dances given there last night.

C. H. Pitzer has sold 20 acres of his land east of Medford to R. V. Cram from Riverdale, Ia. The purchaser will improve the land at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Carnahan returned Saturday morning from a business trip in Northern California.

Wm. Darling, who has been at San Francisco for several months, has returned to Gold Hill.

Mrs. Abe Astell of Vancouver, Wash., and her daughter, Mrs. Stella McPherson of Salem, Ore., have been visiting at Grand Pass.

Rob. Britton Brown passed through Medford Saturday enroute for Gold Hill.

Joe Ruick and Al Helms, from the east side, were business callers in Medford Saturday.

Mrs. C. W. Biglum and her mother came in from Coquille, Ore., Saturday. They will locate on a ranch that they purchased near the Dead Indian springs. Mr. Biglum will arrive later. He is shipping livestock and household goods.

PIONEER BOAT BUILDER OF COAST PASSES AWAY

SAN FRANCISCO, March 16.—Captain R. R. Thompson, founder of the Oregon Steam Navigation company, and one of the prominent capitalists in the city, is dead at the age of 88 years.

R. R. Thompson was one of the pioneer steamboatmen of the upper Columbia river. Associated with E. F. Cox, he accumulated a fortune in 1859 and the few succeeding years by operating a line of steamers on the middle and upper reaches of the Columbia. Embarking in business with four other men, the owners soon built up a fleet, which was later acquired by the Oregon Steam Navigation company, the most powerful corporation of the sort then in existence in the west. It was later absorbed by the Oregon Railroad & Navigation company.

JUDGE DUNNE DENOUNCES RABBIS AND HIGHER COURT

SAN FRANCISCO, March 16.—Judge Dunne's indignation at the attempt to prove that he had procured the Ruff immunity from punishment and at the higher courts for saving Scheidt and incidentally Ruff from the penitentiary, has got the better of his judicial dignity. He has denounced as false the affidavit of Rabbis Niemi and Kaplan, and was on the point of sentencing Ruff on one of the indictments to which the boss had pleaded guilty when Ruff's attorney interposed a motion to arrest judgment. "There is handed out in the name of the court of appeals and apparently authorized court, nothing to do with a motion to arrest judgment, but a motion to set aside the verdict and allow the defendant to go free." "Does it pay?"

The Old Line Bankers Life OF LINCOLN, NEB. Charges from \$5 to \$10 per \$1000 for its insurance, and pays \$5 to \$10 per \$1000 more at maturity than any company in the state. All policies guaranteed by the State of Nebraska. Mitchell & Stalker Jackson County Bank Building, STATE BANKERS' ROOMS 17-18-19. We serve the entire county and state. If you have property for sale let it with us. We can sell it.