

SEE OUR LINE OF GARDEN TOOLS

Rakes - Hoes - Spading Forks - Spades & Shovels

We Guarantee Both Price and Quality

MEDFORD HARDWARE CO.

Social and Personal

Charles E. Toll was a recent Ashland visitor.

W. S. Crowell is back from a short business trip to Portland.

J. W. Hicks of Central Tule was a visitor in Medford Friday.

Mayor W. H. Dixon is back from a business trip to Salem.

A carload of linen just received in barrels, Medford Brick Company, 280.

Mrs. Melissa Taylor of Jacksonville is the guest of Mrs. Gray for a few days.

Please your orders for sweet cream or buttermilk to the creamery.

Miss Eliza Effert of Medford is helping in the sheriff's office during tax paying time.

Paul M. Smith of Sterling was looking after business matters in Medford Saturday.

Orders for sweet cream or buttermilk promptly filled, please the creamery.

Miss Agnes Bond of Jacksonville returned from a several weeks' visit with friends living in Portland.

Continuing performances, moving pictures at Medford Pharmacy. 280

C. H. Watson, the Ashland attorney, was attending to business at the post office on Thursday. He also spent some time in Medford.

Ask to see the moving pictures at Medford Pharmacy. 280

Mrs. Frank Phoenix accompanied E. A. Benson home from Portland and will spend a few weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. Keenan.

See the moving pictures at the Medford Pharmacy. 280

Also there arrived, who recently spent some months in Medford, is again visiting this city. He is not with Mrs. Smith's company of Portland.

A carload of linen just received in barrels, Medford Brick Company, 280

W. M. French returned Saturday from a trip to Salem in the interests of the Cedar Lake road bill.

C. L. Thomas is back from Salem, where he negotiated before the supreme court in the case of Mrs. Cox, which was argued and twice under all judgment.

Bibbert & Edwards, experts in repairing and rebuilding sewing machines, will remain a few days longer, affording an opportunity for good and accurate service. Phone 106, rooms at De Stephenson's, cor. W. Ninth and H streets.

The remains of the late York Hall will arrive in Medford Sunday morning at No. 15, Federal avenue, and will be held at the grave.

Word has just reached here that while helping to clear the snow off a roof at the Mitchell box factory, Fred Swenke was caught and flung off and landed beneath about a ton of snow. It took several men about five minutes to dig him out and then to pull him out after giving him first aid. His back and one hand was badly hurt, but not enough to lay him up. There is about four feet of snow on the roof at present and still coming.

The appearance of Captain H. H. Haxford to the side of "The Merchant of Venice" will be recalled with interest by every lover of the drama. Mr. Haxford has been fortunate in securing a leading part in the production of "The Merchant of Venice" at the Medford theatre. He is a well known actor and his performance in the part of Shylock will be one of the most successful of his career. He is a well known actor and his performance in the part of Shylock will be one of the most successful of his career.

AMUSEMENTS

Charles E. Haxford.

In the forthcoming production of "The Merchant of Venice" at the Medford theatre, Charles E. Haxford will be seen in a character quite distinct from the usually roles in which he has been appearing as most favorably and yet one to which his personality and previous experience especially adapt him. Mr. Haxford is one of the few distinguished actors of the Shakespearean drama now before the public. His performance in the part of Shylock is a masterpiece of acting and a study in the art of the actor. He is a well known actor and his performance in the part of Shylock will be one of the most successful of his career.

ALLEGED BUSTLER IN GRANT COUNTY'S JAIL

CANYON CITY, Feb. 12.—Alvin Strong and Jack Monroe, two young men arrested last week for the alleged bustling of a horse and mule, were yesterday taken before the grand jury in the case of their work. In default of bonds they were incarcerated in the county jail until the 15th inst. of the present month.

SCHOONER RUNS ASHORE WIRELESS ASKS HELP

NEW BRIDGE, Feb. 12.—Report of a schooner running ashore on the coast of England, about 100 miles from the entrance of the English Channel, was received by wireless here today.

The schooner was apparently in a dangerous position and being unable to raise any assistance, the wireless station at New Bridge was notified.

Methodist Episcopal Church, E. Street.

Methodist Episcopal Church, E. Street, will hold its regular service at 8 o'clock this evening. The subject of the evening will be "The Love of God." The pastor, Rev. J. H. Smith, will preach.

The Ideal Young Man From the Standpoint of Young Women

Young women of Medford will be interested in the fact that the ideal young man from the standpoint of young women is one who is clean, kind, and generous. He is one who is clean, kind, and generous.

Churchian Notices.

Evangelical Lutheran church will hold its regular service at 10 o'clock this evening. The subject of the evening will be "The Love of God." The pastor, Rev. J. H. Smith, will preach.

ATTENTION, K. OF P.

All members of the Knights of Pythias are hereby notified that the regular meeting of the lodge will be held at 8 o'clock this evening. The subject of the evening will be "The Love of God." The pastor, Rev. J. H. Smith, will preach.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the regular meeting of the lodge will be held at 8 o'clock this evening. The subject of the evening will be "The Love of God." The pastor, Rev. J. H. Smith, will preach.

BALLINGER PREPARING TO TAKE UP DUTIES

Mr. Ballinger is preparing to take up his duties as the new attorney for the government in the case of the Oregon and California Railway.



CHARLES E. HAXFORD.

SOCIETY NOTES

Mrs. H. C. Keatner Entertains in Honor of Miss Prue Angle.

The chess shower given in honor of Miss Prue Angle at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. H. C. Keatner Tuesday afternoon was one of the most enjoyable social events of the season.

Mrs. W. T. York and Mrs. Jennings acted the hostess in receiving. One of the most charming features of the occasion was a charming progressive dinner served in six courses at small tables.

A profusion of red carnations and English ivy were used throughout the house and with the blinds drawn and lights shaded, presented a most charming scene.

After dinner the guests indicated a desire for small baskets containing candy boxes which were hidden about the rooms. Mrs. Butler succeeded in finding the greatest number, and Mrs. Angle, who found the least number, received a skin buster fish as a consolation prize.

After viewing the most beautiful pieces of china received by the bride, the guests at a late hour repaired to their homes.

Those present were as follows: Madeline Jennings, M. C. Keatner, Tracy Cook, R. N. Butler, H. N. Butler, Dora L. R. Haskins, Helen Haskins, Susanna Westman, Doris E. N. Warner, Alfred Keatner, Angie Gaddis, Janet Howard, Strong Street, Rosenham, Perry and Miss Prue Angle.

The ladies of St. Ann's society intend giving a dance on Thursday evening, February 18, at the Anglo opera house. The ladies give under the auspices of the society are always enjoyable and it seems needless to add that the excellent reputation of these ladies as charming hostesses will be further enhanced by their best effort at entertaining the public. Music will be furnished by the Medford orchestra and we are assured that the wants of the ladies will be well cared for.

The patronesses are: Mrs. Paul Thoms, Mrs. J. H. Hopkins, Mrs. John D. O'Connell, Mrs. Nicholas Cook, Mrs. C. Hart Lewis, Mrs. J. D. Havel, Mrs. George W. Mims, Mrs. J. S. Miller, Mrs. Mrs. John S. Hill, Mrs. Josephine Russell, Mrs. W. H. Staller, Mrs. A. A. Davis, Mrs. J. F. Bailey, Mrs. W. L. Van der, Mrs. Edgar Haber.

DOG AND DEER ARE ELECTROCUTED ON RAIL

COSTA MADERA, Feb. 12.—A fox was electrocuted yesterday afternoon on the third rail near the mouth of the railroad tunnel at Costa Madera.

A dog belonging to Charles Hanson, who was on the third rail, was electrocuted and killed. The dog was seen stretched on the rail.

Hanson's dog, which was a small black and white, was seen stretched on the rail.

FOUR INSANE CRIMINALS ESCAPE FROM PEN

WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 12.—Four insane criminals, two negroes and two whites, escaped from the state penitentiary at night from the side of their cells, escaped from the keepers at the penitentiary state hospital today. Ernest Greenway, with a number of warts, and Frank Star are still at large. New York Times says they are a lively chase.

SLACK HANDS MENACES FOE OF THE GRAFFERS

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—William Edwards, commissioner of street cleaning and street improvement, said today that a "slacker" known as "Big Ed" has been arrested for stealing from the street cleaning department. He is a "slacker" and a "graffer" and is a menace to the city.

RANK IS CLOSED AND RECEIVER APPOINTED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The receiver of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company, U. S. National Bank of Portland, has been appointed receiver of the company and that George C. Hall has been appointed receiver.

RENTON TO BE SOLD

RENTON, W. Va., Feb. 12.—The "Coal and Iron" mine, which was owned by the late John H. Renton, is to be sold. The mine is located in the town of Renton, W. Va.

ANNUAL TESTS OF UNCLE SAM'S COIN

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 12.—The assay commission appointed by the president to conduct the annual test and examination of the weight and fineness of the coins received at the several mints during the calendar year 1908 met the United States mint in this city today to begin its work. Specimens from all the different shipments of coins are to be examined, one in every thousand in the case of gold coins, and one in every 1000 in the case of silver coins having been reserved for the purpose. The tolerance, or limit of discrepancy allowed by law is one and a half grains for silver and half a grain for gold. It is one of the duties of the commission to see that these limits have not been exceeded. After the weight has been examined the commission will test the fineness of the gold and silver in the coins.

TWILL SOON BE ANOTHER 'MOVING DAY' AT WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—"Moving day" will be in its career at the White House Monday, although for that matter, every day has been moving day for the last two weeks. Many of the minor effects of the president have already been shipped to Oyster Bay, and the shipment of more important private belongings will commence next week and continue until the last of the month, when the executive mansion will be almost entirely stripped of the private property of Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt and the young Roosevelts.

ALL MEXICO TO HONOR MEXICAN HERO

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 12.—All parts of Mexico will tomorrow observe the anniversary of the death of the public's early president and patriot, General Vicente Guerrero, on the 17th anniversary of his assassination. Guerrero was one of the heroes of the Mexican war for independence and ranks in Mexican history with Hidalgo and Morelos.

General Guerrero died in the year 1830, but his death was not until 1831, and his body was buried in the mountains in that section of the republic which is now the state of Guerrero.

NATURE TELLS YOU.

As Many Medford Readers Know Too Well.

Watch the kidneys too, with Nature's help. The urine is nature's calendar. Inconstant or too frequent action. Any urinary trouble tells of kidney trouble.

Dean's Kidney Pills were all I needed.

Medford people testify to this.

A. W. Christman, corner F and Tenth streets, Medford, Ore., says: "I had kidney trouble for a long time, and it caused a great deal of suffering. I was very irritable and discouraged. The kidney medicine was very irregular and annoyed the people. I obtained Dean's Kidney Pills and used them for a few days and I was cured. I was very irritable and discouraged. The kidney medicine was very irregular and annoyed the people. I obtained Dean's Kidney Pills and used them for a few days and I was cured. I was very irritable and discouraged. The kidney medicine was very irregular and annoyed the people. I obtained Dean's Kidney Pills and used them for a few days and I was cured."

For sale by all dealers. Price 25 cents. Foster-McClellan Co., Buffalo, N. Y., and 42 1/2 St. N. Y. City.

Remember the name—Dean's—and take no other.

Great Bed Spread Special

THE BEST VALUES offered in Medford for many days in plain and fringed edge Bed Quilts. Prices as they last, as follows:

Plain edge Bed Spreads that sell regularly for \$1.50, at \$1.19 each.

Plain edge, good, heavy Bed Spreads, guaranteed in size, that sell for \$2.00, at \$1.60 each. Extra good value. Same priced spread with fringes and cut edges.

Fringed Bed Spreads with cut edges, extra wide and full: a regular \$2.25 value, at \$1.85 each.

Plain edge Marseilles fine finished extra large Spread, regular \$3.00 value, at \$2.45.

See the Window Display Van Dyke's

FOR SALE—Or trade, the best rooming house in Medford, clearing \$100 per month. Address C. rate of this office.

FOR SALE—Wood for sale, 200 cords of dry fir wood. Inquire at the end of A and Pine street. Alex. Duff, 281.

FOR SALE—Grape vineyard, Tokay, Milaga and Malvaca. Write or call on W. M. French, Central Point, Ore. 283.

FOR SALE—Four diamond rings left weighing three-quarters carat, at a great bargain. Medford Loan Office, 282.

FOR SALE—Broad new safe, weight 5000 pounds, at very low figure, on installment. Inquire Tribune office, 281.

FOR SALE—Grain hay, baled. Inquire of Phone 181.

FOR SALE—Two acres, just west of Medford, near new station of Lumber Co. E. E. V. R. R. price \$500 for the two acres. This acreage is certain to advance in value soon. Address P. O. Box 171, Medford, Ore. 290.

FOR SALE—Belongment claim, 120 acres, 3 miles Medford, 40 acres farm, 12 acres cleared, 5 acres 5-year-old commercial fruit, cabin. For price call on W. M. French, room 7, Jackson County Bank Bldg.

FOR SALE—Belongment claim, 80 acres, 4 miles east Medford, 50 practically level, balance easy grade and covered with good fuel timber, 2 springs, very cheap. W. M. French, room 7, Jackson County Bank Bldg.

FOR SALE—Good residence lots, close in. \$400 good 5-acre parcel. Deal with owner, with commission. Address J. J. French, Tribune office.

FOR SALE—Houses, lots and land in Phoenix, at 10 tracts to suit from one acre to 940 acres. Matt Calhoun, Phoenix, Ariz.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms on North 11 street for rent. Ad Jones Y. rate of Tribune office, 288.

FOR SALE.

If you are looking for some good land cheap, I have it, for \$10 and \$20 per acre, near good railroad town. W. M. FRENCH, Room 7, Jackson Bank Bldg.

You Are Going to Build

Let us figure with you. No contract is made until you are satisfied. Satisfaction guaranteed.

L. E. BEAN

CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER.

Medford, Oregon.



WANTED—To rent a 2 or 3 room house. Inquire of Mrs. J. J. French, Tribune office, 283.

WANTED—Private boarders. Inquire at 212 S. Second street. 284.

WANTED—Fifty boxes of Newmarket and Spangenberg apples. Apply of M. French, at the Nash.

WANTED—Small house, good location, good water for building. Address P. O. Box 412. 285.

WANTED—A fine good grade horse. Address 7 east Tribune. 286.

FOR SALE—One 5-year-old horse, 1000 lbs. weight, single or double price, \$50. Inquire at Nash Inn. 287.

Prepaid Railroad Orders.

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 ride here. Sleeping accommodations and small amounts of cash in connection with these tickets may also be forwarded at the same time.