

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

Mrs. Thomas Bundy, of Weed, visited friends in the city last week.

Harry Morgan was operated upon Tuesday at the Granite City hospital.

Frank Porter and wife have recently been visiting Mrs. Porter's folks in Portland.

Mrs. Jennie Brady of Allison street is enjoying a visit from a friend, Mrs. Julia Erwin, of Portland.

A few uncalled for ladies' spring coats will go at a bargain at Orres' Tailor Shop.

Mrs. F. L. Coates went to Grants Pass last Saturday for a few days' visit with Mrs. E. E. Cargil.

W. L. Mellinger, who has been absent a couple of weeks, will be home next Sunday to fill his pulpit.

The ladies of the Christian church expect to have an Easter market day the Saturday before Easter.

Mrs. Horace Mitchell's father, Mr. Chapman, is quite indisposed at his home, seven miles east of Ashland.

The Nazarene revival meetings closed Sunday night, the weather being bad for a longer series at present.

The Baptist ladies will hold a cooked food sale at Holmes' store March 3.

Traveling Passenger Agent W. A. Jenkins of the Southern Pacific company was a visitor in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Mabel Clark of Central Point visited at the home of A. L. Stannard on the Boulevard the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton and Alta and Oliver Morton were guests at the J. W. Haskins' home on Garfield street Sunday.

Mrs. G. Edlund of Portland is visiting relatives in town at present. She expects soon to go south for an indefinite stay.

Roman meal bread will be demonstrated and served free at the Ashland Trading Company Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Crowson of Eighth street is expecting a visit from her brother, Emil Laack, of North Dakota soon.

C. F. Swander, who filled the pulpit at Ashland Christian church Sunday morning and evening, went to Talent and preached Sunday afternoon.

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Fred Moore, former Ashlander, is now located in Salt Lake from which place he conducts a theatrical booking agency covering a large territory in the mountain region.

W. A. Brown, a well known rail-roader who until recently was the agent at Bray, passed away at the company hospital at San Francisco. Mr. Brown had a number of friends in this city.

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Mr. and Mrs. Percy Stratton of East Main street have been spending the winter on the coast at North Bend where Mr. Stratton has been working in a mill. Mrs. Stratton is expected home soon.

E. M. Olmstead, who conducted a printing office here a number of years ago, and has been editing the Stayton Mail for several years past, is moving to Arizona for his wife's health. He sold his paper to E. D. Alexander, postmaster at Stayton.

Troy Phipps, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Phipps of this city and who was formerly employed by the Citizens bank, is now teaching school at Dufur, Wasco county. John Anderson, another Ashland high school boy, is teaching in the vicinity of The Dalles.

Don't howl if you get it in the neck occasionally. You should be thankful that you are not a giraffe. You never get it in the neck if you have a fit at Orres' Tailor Shop.

Seventy inches of snow was reported from the Lindsey ranch in Dead Indian last Sunday. Stockmen who had anticipated an early grazing season for cattle but the snows of the last week will mean a postponement of the herds to the high mountains.

Ashland delinquent taxes aggregated in the neighborhood of only \$6200 as published in the delinquent tax lists. The maximum delinquency was \$206 and the minimum item \$1.24. Only nine delinquents went over \$100. One hundred and seventy properties were listed altogether. Many of them are being redeemed.

Hats cleaned and blocked at Orres' Tailor Shop, phone 64.

Messrs. M. E. Briggs and O. Crowley, of Ashland, were in Montague this week, looking for a prospective location for an exclusive shoe store. Mr. Briggs was for years engaged in that line of business at Ashland and only recently sold out his business. They also made a trip to Yreka from here.—Montague Messenger.

D. A. R. Calle-MacNeill, British consul at Colma, Mexico, who has spent the past two summers fishing on Rogue river, has purchased a tract on Rogue river, on the north side of the stream just above the lake formed by the Anent dam, and will erect a commodious fishing lodge, with all latest conveniences where he will hereafter spend the summer.

Beautiful spring woolens at Orres'.

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**Poley's Drug Store**  
Poley & Elhart, Druggists

Miss Vearl McFarland returned from Hornbrook recently and is visiting her father, A. C. McFarland, on B street.

The annual election of the city of Jacksonville will be held Tuesday, March 6. Two councilmen, a recorder and a treasurer will be elected.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Barnhill are expected home from Newport Saturday evening. Mrs. Barnhill was making a great success of her work as music supervisor of the Newport schools, but on account of her health was forced to give it up.

Howard Fox, who is at Stockton, Cal., wishes his Ashland friends to know that he is still in the land of the living. He is presuming that all his Ashland girls are married, and, if they are not, perhaps it would be well to let him know about it.

Orres cleans clothes cleaner than any cleaner that cleans clothes clean.

Mrs. Emma Richison came over from Hornbrook Tuesday. She has enjoyed a visit with her daughter at Hornbrook during February. Mrs. Richison lives east of Ashland, near Pilot Rock, and returned to her home on Wednesday.

When a new law goes into effect in May, it will be a misdemeanor in Oregon for a person with insufficient funds in the bank to cash a check, providing he does it with intent to defraud. Heretofore it only has been possible to prosecute for passing worthless checks by charging that money was obtained by false pretenses.

Sylvan Provost returned Friday from San Francisco, where he and his wife were called several weeks ago on account of the death of her sister, Mrs. F. F. Carius. She will remain with her folks for a month yet. Her brother, Bud Storm, has come to Ashland and will work in the meat business with A. R. Brown. His wife accompanied him.

Manager F. W. Carnahan of the Blue Ledge mine announced Monday night that the road to the Blue Ledge had been opened after being tied up for a week, on account of storm conditions. A load of ore reached Jacksonville Monday afternoon from the mine. The opening of the road will allow a number of miners in Medford,



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—New Pongee Sport Silks, 36-in. with plain or figured dots, at 75c.  
—All kinds of new Silks, plain or fancy.  
—Wool Jersey in rose or purple, 54-ins. wide, at \$3.75 yd.  
—White Goods and Embroideries are on display this month and are being bought freely. This is a good time to do your spring sewing.  
—New fancy Wash Goods, Gingham, Devonshire, Curtain Goods are here.

**NEW BLOUSES**

**Crepe de Chine and Georgette Crepe**  
\$3.50 to \$6.50

It is a touch here and a slight "difference" there, however slight, that lends exclusiveness and distinction to these smart new blouses just unpacked. To describe them is quite impossible—you must see them with your own eyes to understand exactly why we call them as above, "New Blouses of Great Distinction."



**GEORGETTE CREPE WAISTS**  
The most reasonably priced line we have yet shown and splendid styles at \$5.00-\$5.50-\$6.00-\$6.50  
**CREPE DE CHINE WAISTS**  
The most exceptional values in this new line will surely please you.  
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**THE NEWEST AND BEST IN GARMENTS**

You will not find better garments or better styles at equal prices anywhere. If you have not seen our showing of spring garments you have a pleasant surprise in store. Come soon.

—Finest of Suits \$25 to \$35  
—Newest of Coats \$7.50 to \$30  
—New Voile Waists \$1 to \$3.50  
—New Crepe Waists \$3.50 to \$8.50  
—KORRECT SKIRTS, new ones sent to us each month.  
—Why not have your Coat, Suit or Dress ready for the first spring day and get the full season's wear out of it?

**Petticoats In the Glowing Silks of Spring Are Here; Advance Style New "Fitrites"!**



THE woman who likes to buy her Spring Suit early will enjoy the advance Style-Show exhibit of exquisite Silk Petticoats now ready.

The trend toward bright colors in this early showing foretells the gorgeous shades in outer apparel in vogue for Spring, though there are plenty of blues, greens and changeables, too, in most unusual effects, some so truly metallic appearing you really must touch them to believe they're taffeta.

Silk Taffeta, yes, that's THE material—dependable in quality—permanent in color and always shape-retaining. And shows off, in the prettiest ways, the novelty shirtings, scalloped flounces, fine pleatings and crimpings that mark this display as UNUSUAL.

"Fitrite" Petticoats, with the patented inbuilt adjustment feature, have no binding elastic, hooks and eyes, nor visible strings. They are BEST to BUY!

Prices \$3.00 to \$6.50

**Gossard Corsets**  
Front Lace  
\$2.50 to \$8.50



**American Lady Corsets**  
Front or Back  
Lace \$1.25 Up

Jacksonville and Grants Pass to go to the mine to begin work, also the shipping of supplies.

Local Fraternal Brotherhood circles are interested in complications affecting the supreme control of the order. Mrs. Emma Neidig of Los Angeles has resigned as supreme president and Charles Dempster has been ousted from the office of supreme secretary. The latter attempted to put into effect the merit system as recommended by insurance depart-

ments of various states. Northern California has organized the offshoot from the Brotherhood, known as the Membership Square Deal League, with C. S. Hardy elected to succeed President Neidig.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Edwards shipped their car and left by train Monday for California, where they will spend the remaining weeks of the winter and early spring enjoying an automobile trip. They may visit Hawaii before returning. The car

was shipped to Red Bluff, roads from that point south being reported in fair condition. W. A. Freeburg recently drove his car as far north as Hornbrook on his way back to Ashland before giving up the ghost and taking a train on in.

Miss Myra Gunter, teacher of the Pankey school in Sams valley, is spending a week with her parents in Ashland, having had to suspend her work on account of the heavy snow-fall in the valley.

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- \$4.00 Nemo Corsets **\$3.50**; \$4.50 Corsets **\$4.00**. At this time it means big corset values.
- \$15.00 Dress Forms, special ..... \$9.98**

**DON'T** forget our shoe department offers the very latest and best styles and qualities; you get unequalled values here.

- Men's Dress Shirts—One lot of men's dress shirts, as displayed in our show window; sizes 14 to 18. Formerly \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Special to clean up, at ..... **75c**
- Men's 25c black and tan Lisle House, special at, pair ..... **19c**
- Men's and Boys' Heavy Two-Piece Underwear in wool and heavy cotton ribbed; also Boys' Wright's Health Underwear, at ..... **1/4 off**
- Ladies' fine Maco Cotton Hose in tan our regular 25c quality, at ..... **19c**

- Men's Silk Hose in gray, black, tan, wine, olive, purple, navy blue, and mixed plaids, our regular 50c quality, special; pair ..... **35c**
- One lot of Children's and Misses' Rubbers up to size 2, special, pair ..... **40c**
- Ladies' dark Bungalow House Aprons, a good quality, at ..... **69c**
- A splendid showing of Ladies' Undermuslins at prices that mean better quality for the price.
- Ladies' Low Shoes—We offer hundreds of pairs of ladies' Oxfords and Comfy low shoes at from \$1.00 to \$1.50 less than former prices.
- A splendid value in Ladies' Black Hose at ..... **18c**
- A splendid value in Men's Black Hose at ..... **15c**
- See us for your spring wants in White Goods

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