

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

THURSDAY'S NEWS

Mrs. J. H. Provost has gone to Berkeley to make a short visit, after which she will continue to Los Angeles to spend a couple of months. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Orres, daughter Edna, and Miss Rachel Hurst have just returned from an excursion to Crater lake. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Miner of Bend have been recent guests at the home of the latter's father, P. Provost on Oak street, and other relatives in Ashland. They left last night for Berkeley on a visit and will stay here again on their return. Staples Realty company reports this week the sale of the Doran residence on Morton street to Mrs. J. A. Lockhart of Washington, and the sale of the E. M. Holmes residence on Iowa and Gresham streets to P. R. Barnhouse of Antone, Oregon. P. S. Rose got in from Pelican Bay last night after spending several weeks looking after timber interests in that vicinity. Miss Laura Provost is in Ashland this week from Berkeley, spending her vacation with her father, brothers and sisters. Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Ferguson came home last evening from Klamath Falls. They were accompanied by Charles Ferguson, who left this morning for Marshfield, where he will spend some time for the benefit of his health. H. Eckstrom and wife, accompanied by the latter's mother, Mrs. Gray, who have been touring the country for some time, have settled in Ashland and will live here for some months. Mr. Eckstrom is at present working in Orres' tailor shop. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Richards and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mowat motored to Medford last night for the band concert by the Valley band in that city. A large number of Ashland automobilists autoed down the valley last night and heard the Valley band perform at Medford. The Ashland band boys report that the ladies of one of the Medford churches treated them to icecream last night. The next Ashland concert will be on Friday of next week. Rosa Brothers are planning to fit up the room adjoining their confectionery, recently vacated by Shell's barber shop, for a Victrola display room. It is their intention to repaper and repaint the interior and equip it with comfortable surroundings for the demonstration of their many musical instruments. P. S. Provost of Provost Brothers hardware store, is in Portland this week attending the Buyers' Week events taking place there. Charles Elias Moore, father of Mrs. P. J. Ahlstrom, died at the home of the latter yesterday afternoon at 2:30. Mr. Moore was a resident of Yreka and had come here about two weeks ago for the benefit of his health, which had been delicate for some time. The body will be shipped to Yreka tomorrow for burial. Theodore Kremmeling of San Diego has been a guest for the past two or three days of friends in Ashland. He was a former resident of the Bellevue district and came here to renew old-time acquaintances. Mr. Kremmeling left last night for his home. Dr. and Mrs. Bagley and children, of Duluth, Minn., are spending some time in this section. Dr. Bagley was a former well known business man of the valley and was former owner of the Bagley cannery factory at Talent. He is now a leading surgeon in Duluth. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Storm and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hughes camped over Sunday in the Beaver creek country. During their outing they were overtaken by the rain that fell throughout this section, which, while it was not so bad there as in this vicinity, rendered camping in the open distinctly unpleasant. They sought shelter in a deserted cabin, which was equipped with a stove, and were able to have a most comfortable and cozy shelter over night. They returned home Monday. Yesterday was the hottest day of the summer in Ashland. At the co-operative observer's station the thermometer registered 99 degrees. A good breeze made the weather more bearable, and today the sun is slightly obscured by smoke or haze which softens the glare of the sun's rays a trifle. Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Mills are expecting Mr. and Mrs. Austin DeCamp to arrive at their home this afternoon from Crater lake to make them a visit. Mr. and Mrs. DeCamp are from Portland, but are going to San Francisco to lo-

cate. They are making the trip by automobile and are visiting the various scenic points along the way. Maude Hoover arrived yesterday in Ashland from Kansas City and will be a guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. Newton Harrison, for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hargadine and daughter Mary Virginia, left Thursday for Santa Monica, where they expect to spend several months. They are making the journey by motor. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Weris this week at a Medford hospital. The mother of the new arrival was formerly Miss Mabel Hanson, a well known student of the Ashland high school. Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Billings and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Billings are away this week to Crater lake and other scenic points east of the Cascades. Mrs. C. C. Crowson and daughter Clara returned last evening from Montague, where they had been visiting for several weeks. Dr. Idleman, wife and daughter, and Mrs. Carl Stamey of Pendleton are guests at the home of Mrs. Pernie Johnson on North Main street this week. Dr. Idleman is a prominent dentist of Pendleton and left a short time ago on a vacation. The last work he did before leaving his office was for the late Sheriff T. Taylor, who met a tragic death at the hands of escaping convicts at the Pendleton jail. Mrs. Idleman and Mrs. Stamey are cousins of Mrs. Johnson. E. K. Hall spent a few days at Crater Lake recently. Mr. Hall who had never before viewed the wonders and beauty of this great natural wonder was greatly impressed and awed. Hall has lived in the Rogus River valley for over 20 years and had never before had a desire to visit one of the wonders of the world. Earl Smith, ticket clerk at Medford, recently purchased the Scherman bungalow on Palm Olive avenue. W. A. Shuey and wife are guests of friends in Grants Pass while the former is engaged in work for the telephone company between that city and Medford. Miss Alleen Walker of the First National Bank is taking a two weeks' vacation, which will be spent at Klamath Falls and other points in that vicinity. Pear picking is in full blast down the valley, although considerable trouble exists in getting help, it is stated. Additional work in preparing the fruit has been created by the order to wipe off all trace of spray before packing and shipping pears for the east. The park is shown an unusually fine display of mid-summer flowers which are well worth journeying to see. Gorgeous beds of hollyhocks have been blooming on the hill above Lithia drive, while on the hill are huge beds of stocks, dahlias, asters and many others of the old-fashioned flowers. While "there ain't no style about them," they are full of sweet memories to many which tend to endure them forever in the hearts of flower lovers. B. M. Potter of the vulcanizing department of the Eastern Supply company, is taking a few days' vacation this week, which is being passed at Crater lake. He expects to return Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Proctor of Napa Valley, Calif. are camping in the auto park. They were former residents of Ashland when the city had little of which to boast, but a 20 years' absence had not worn off all the glamor of this country from their memory, so, finding they had 23 days for a vacation, they determined to spend a portion of it in Ashland. Mr. Proctor is much pleased and impressed with the present day Ashland, which has grown out of all recognition since his residence here 20 years ago. Mrs. Mildred Brachen, niece of Mrs. D. Hall, passed through Ashland this afternoon on her way from Spokane, Wash., to her home in Los Angeles. Mrs. Brachen is a former movie actress. Mr. and Mrs. Bond and daughter, Myral, a family from Portland, are spending the week in the Ashland auto camp. James McCook, vice president of the American National Bank of Pendleton, and Dr. Lloyd Idleman, a dentist of Pendleton, with their families, are in this vicinity on a vacation tour. They recently arrived in Ashland from Crater lake and are guests of Dr. and Mrs. George Kinz. The visitors have much impressed with Ashland. SATURDAY'S NEWS Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Briggs, with their guests, Mrs. and Miss Brown, of Louisville, Ky., started this

morning by motor for an outing of a week or two to be spent at Crescent City and other points on the coast. R. E. Strow and wife have arrived in Ashland and will make this city their home. Mr. Strow is employed at the Ashland laundry. Mrs. G. F. McConnell, who has been quite ill for the past week or so, is able to be about again. Charles Lamkin, son of Mayor and Mrs. C. B. Lamkin, has enlisted in the marine corps at Vallejo, Calif. He has been stationed at Los Angeles. Conductor C. O. Porter and family returned home to Ashland from San Francisco on train No. 51 last evening. Their son, James Porter, who has been attending army training school at Baltimore, Md., and Miss Bonnie Mitchell, their niece, of Reno, Nevada, came with them for a short visit. Misses Mildred Erickson and Alice Ruger are in Redding this week, guests of Mrs. E. H. Hunter. Fire, presumably starting from a spark from the tractor, consumed the threshing machine belonging to Grant Davis yesterday afternoon while in operation at the J. H. Morse ranch in the Valley Vie district. Mr. Morse sustained practically the loss of 450 bushels of wheat, 200 bushels of barley, about 12 apple trees and considerable fencing. Mr. Davis separator was a total loss, but the tractor was saved. Mr. Morse carried insurance on his grain. The world-renowned Odvia, who has performed with her school of lions before the crowned heads of Europe, stopped off here last week, with her friends, Mrs. F. Squires. She gave two exhibitions of her skill at the Natorium and is so delighted with our mineral waters and climate that she thinks of buying a home here. FRIDAY'S NEWS Southern Pacific Fireman Head and family of Hornbrook have moved to Ashland, where they will make their future home. They have rented their house in Hornbrook to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barker, former Ashland residents, who moved to the California city several weeks ago. Geo. H. Paul, brother of our W. H. Paul, stopped over night here last night on his way to the Philippines. He is in the government hospital service and has been stationed at Atlanta, Ga. He also visited his mother at Eugene as he passed through there yesterday. Ivan O'Donohue, who is employed at Weed, is spending a month's vacation in Ashland and other nearby points. Miss Helen Carlton was in Ashland, Wednesday, from Central Point. Miss Carlton's home is in Elizabeth, N. J., but she usually spends every summer at the home of her brother in Jackson county. She was instrumental in organizing the girls' conference which has held two successful annual meetings in the park here, and is supervisor of the event. Riding the Pacific on horseback is a particular form of amusement at Long Beach, E. T. Merrill, who is spending several weeks in Ashland looking after business affairs, remarked. He stated that Mrs. Merrill, who is a well known equestrienne, has had her horse sent to her, and every day joins a party who are getting great sport by riding out to the Pacific ocean. Mr. Merrill states his wife's riding horse now takes as kindly to the water as it did to the mountain roads with which it was so familiar in Ashland. Miss Lillian Kaiser, who has been attending summer school at the University of California, is spending a few weeks at her home on Alida street preparatory to going to Oakland, where she will be an instructor in the city schools the coming year. Wednesday the Tidings stated that Mr. Kaegi had purchased the Ray Minkler property on the Boulevard. Mrs. Minkler states that was an error. The Minkler home is not on the market. Mrs. S. L. Allen sold her property yesterday on North Main street to Fred Deardorf, who will take possession soon. John H. Dill had two fine Jersey cows which he wanted to sell, and Tuesday put a classified ad in the Tidings. Thursday these


cows were disposed of, and the Dill household was worn out answering them any calls concerning the cows that came over the phone. The cows were unusually fine specimens. Dr. W. E. Blake and family started yesterday on a vacation trip by automobile. Their destination will be Willamette valley points. Mrs. Jennie Jones and daughter Viola, were Ashland visitors yesterday from Talent. The Thomas Hill family are planning on a trip to Lake of the Woods, Sunday, for the day. E. V. Carter, who came in from his summer home at the Lake of the Woods, early in the week, has returned to that delightfully cool resort. Joseph S. Warren of Terno, Calif., has come to Ashland to take possession of his recently acquired property. Mr. Warren purchased the Ritchie ranch near Ashland a month or so ago. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Mackey and little son, and Mrs. William McDonald and daughter Lois, returned last evening from a trip to Crater lake which they enjoyed during the week. The funeral of Delta Reed, the young girl whose tragic death occurred yesterday, will be held tomorrow forenoon at 10 o'clock. The burial will be made in Mount View cemetery, at which place services will be held. Lester Heer, Raymond Ruger and Dick Campbell came in from Hilt last evening, where they have been employed this summer at one of the lumber camps. These young men were rendered homeless by their tent taking fire during their absence at their work. When they arrived at the camp two tents and their contents had come up in smoke. The boys lost some rifles, bedding and clothing in the fire. Mrs. Jud Miller and daughter Evelyn have gone to Klamath Falls to visit with relatives for a couple of weeks. Harlan Holmes has concluded his research work which he had been making this summer in connection with Herbert Prescott in the interests of the zoological department of the University of Oregon. The young men secured a large number of birds, eggs, nests and small mammals around the Mt. McLoughlin country which Mr. Holmes has taken to Eugene. He will remain at the latter city until college starts. Miss Leona Noe, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Bargas, left today for her home in Berkeley. Mrs. V. O. N. Smith entertained at dinner last evening Dr. Hinson and his assistant, Mr. Cash, both of Portland, who are among the speakers at the Bible conference. The many admirers of Dr. Hinson will be pleased to learn he has decided to remain in Ashland over Sunday and will preach in the Baptist church in the morning. Travel-stained and weary, but rejoicing in the completion of a delightful automobile trip half way across the continent, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Freeburg arrived home last evening from Wisconsin and other points east, where they had

been spending several months this summer. The trip was one of unalloyed joy, they stated, with practically no car trouble nor accidents to mar their pleasure. Most of the way they had good roads and good weather, only a few times were they held up an account of showers. They will have many interesting tales to tell of their experiences. Incidentally, Mr. and Mrs. Freeburg carried propaganda of Southern Oregon's attractions with them, by having a picture of Crater lake painted on one side of their car, and a scene on Ashland creek on the other. More cheer, Ashlanders. Though the thermometer here is hovering perilously near the 100 mark, it could be worse. When it registered 103 here, Medford observed the mercury to be up around 104, Roseburg 103, Fresno 108, Her Bluff 114. But, on the other hand, seven inches of snow fell on Pike's Peak. Miss Lane, who has been giving addresses in this section on child welfare, will speak at the city hall in Talent tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All mothers are especially invited to attend. Miss Lane will be accompanied by Miss Poole, county home agent. Claude Millett, who has for the past year made his home in Ashland, left today for Fossil, Oregon, for an indefinite stay. Mr. Millett has interests in Fossil. Mrs. Millett and children are visiting in Portland at the home of Mrs. Millett's mother. TOO SOON, TOO SOON! COVE, Ore.—Orchardist of the Cove district, who in 1917 gleefully signed three year contracts to market cherries at \$89 a ton are now seeing Royal Annes sell in a ready market at \$200 a ton. Blugs at \$175 and other varieties at \$150. THE LARGEST STOCK OF Paints Oils Glass and Wall Paper IN SOUTHERN OREGON. Best Goods and Best Prices. Get Our Prices. WM. O. DICKERSON THE PAINT MAN THE THOROUGHNESS Of our service makes it a source of satisfaction to transact your banking business with The Citizens Bank of Ashland. We will be glad to show you our facilities and receive your Cheeking Account. THE CITIZENS BANK OF ASHLAND THE THOROUGHNESS

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