

# PERSONAL AND LOCAL

Henry Ahlf has returned to Seattle to resume his duties in the University of Washington naval unit. "Olivio" soap, Sablin has it. 35 Plant Dutch bulbs now; buy of Cramer Bros. 35 O. L. Ragan, formerly a merchant of this city, is here from Portland on business.

Ten telephones in good condition going at \$10 each. Grants Pass Hardware Co. 39 Plant Dutch bulbs now; buy of Cramer Bros. 35 George Seebach left Sunday night for Red Wing, Minn., to visit at his old home for a month or two.

Willard service is better than a fan—it cools the man who is hot under the collar, and often saves his battery's life. See Dr. Spark. 33 George French, extra third trick operator, goes to Gold Hill tonight, the regular operator, Ralph Dean, having reported for work.

Moore's peanuts are fresh roasted. Christmas greeting cards, post cards, Xmas cards, tags and seals at Clemens, the Rexall store. 39 J. E. Wilson, of Takilma, is in the city today to prove up on his homestead. He is accompanied by Don Cameron and John Valen as witnesses.

You fine yourself when you ill treat your battery. Better join the S. P. C. B. Get your card of Dr. Spark. 38 Carroll Cornell, serving in the motor transportation department is now stationed at Camp May, Atlantic City, N. Y., having been transferred from New Cumberland, Pa.

Henstitching and picoting at 10 cents a yard—All work guaranteed The Vanity Shop, Medford, Ore. 27tf Ben Jess, who has been at the Astoria shipyards for some months, is at home on account of ill health. He expects to return to Astoria early in January.

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**COMING EVENTS**  
Dec. 10, Tuesday—Young Women's club meets at 7:30 courthouse.  
Dec. 18-21, Wednesday-Saturday—Teachers' examinations.

**BORN**  
SMITH—To Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, of Jerome Prairie, Sunday December 8, a daughter. Mrs. Smith was formerly Miss Ethel Morgan of this city. Mr. Smith is at Camp Lewis.

The Medford business college, which has been closed for the past year, will be reopened the first of January under the personal supervision of F. Roy Davis, official court reporter. There will be classes of instruction in all subjects with special personal instruction in stenography. The dictaphone will also be in use for instruction purposes.

All kinds of Commercial Printing at the Courier Office.

**NEW TODAY**  
A FEW VERY choice stock farms for sale. Isaac Best. 36  
MEDFORD business College, now open. Stenography and related subjects; classes under personal supervision of F. Roy Davis, official court reporter. 60  
FOUND—Automobile crank. Owner can secure it at the Courier office. 36

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**James White Dies in Medford—**  
James White, southern Oregon superintendent for the Oregon Gas & Electric company, and formerly a resident of Grants Pass, died Sunday night at Medford, a victim of influenza.

**Pneumonia Victim—**  
Chas. C. Long died in this city last night at 10:30 of pneumonia, following influenza. Mr. Long is a miner, but the past season he has been fishing for salmon in the Rogue river. Funeral arrangements will be made this afternoon.

**Officials Meet at Portland—**  
County Judge Gillett, Commissioners McCabe and McFadden, and County Clerk E. L. Coburn leave tonight for Portland to attend a meeting of the Oregon county officials, in session there this week.

**Killed by Train—**  
Word comes from Roseburg that Dr. Joseph F. Herndon, an aged veteran from the Soldiers' Home was killed at that place by a train Friday evening. Mr. Herndon was admitted to the Soldiers' Home from Ashland in 1915.

**Signing of the Armistice—**  
Between the two doctors it is high time for us to make a noise. Come up and let us treat the battery flu, which is sure death to your battery. We will test it with a clean hydrometer. An early call may save your life. Dr. Spark. 35

**"Flu" at Medford—**  
Mayor Gates did not receive reports from all the doctors yesterday, but from those received, there were not as many new cases of influenza as the day before and the situation is much improved.—Saturday's Medford Tribune.

**Harry Harper Corporal—**  
In a letter to his parents Harry Harper states that he has been made a corporal. He is in Co. A, supply store, at Camp Hollabirch, Md., and he has no idea when he will be sent home. Roy Harper, now in France, writes that he expects to be sent home soon.

**Power Off—Paper Late—**  
The electric power was off again this afternoon for a considerable time, and as a consequence the Daily Courier is late. The power company is not always responsible for the paper being late but whenever the power is turned off for any length of time the Daily is sure to be late.

**Mrs. Drake Ill—**  
O. S. Blanchard this morning received a letter from Rev. Chas. R. Drake, from Eugene, stating that Mrs. Drake was ill in that city with the influenza. Rev. and Mrs. Drake had attended a conference of Christian ministers at Portland and Mrs. Drake was taken ill while on the train.

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**Directors Will Meet—**  
The regular meeting of the board of directors of the Josephine County Chapter of the American Red Cross will be held tomorrow noon in the dining room of the Masonic lodge. Please be present.

**Three Naturalized—**  
Before Judge Calkins today three aliens were naturalized. They were: Carl Herbert Peterson, a Swede; Karl F. Wollerman, a German, and Philip H. Fraimney, an Englishman.

**"Flu" in the East—**  
H. H. Allyn has just received a letter from his old home in Michigan, bringing the news that influenza is breaking out worse than ever in that state. The letter states that stores and meat shops are closed and all orders must be telephoned in.

**Two Divorces—**  
Today, before Judge Calkins, Minnie Young was granted a divorce from W. J. Young, and Martha Hirt a divorce from Jacob Hirt. The Hirt divorce case was tried on November 11, but after the testimony was taken Judge Calkins was notified that the governor had proclaimed the day a legal holiday, therefore the testimony had to be retaken.

U. S. CASUALTY LIST

The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American expeditionary forces for publication Sunday:

Killed in action	498
Died of wounds	173
Died of accident	10
Died of disease	260
Wounded severely	1,918
Wounded, degree undetermined	227
Wounded slightly	556
Missing in action	285
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,835</b>

Oregon

Killed in action—Lee G. Ray, Myrtle Point.  
Wounded, degree undetermined—Robert C. Lindman, Rufus.  
Missing in action—James F. Harding, Cottage Grove.  
Died of wounds—Paul E. Bucknum, Baker.  
Wounded slightly—Corporal Howard Bellinger, Lebanon; Corporal Raymond H. Turner, Ione; Private Clifton H. Thomas, Newport.  
Wounded severely—Lieutenant Arthur T. Lee, Roseburg; Lieutenant Ray T. Williams, Forest Grove; Lieutenant Benjamin F. Dorris, Eugene; Lieutenant Charles A. Robertson, Portland; Corporal Roy Scott, Heppner; Privates James M. Beery, Jacksonville; Phillip L. Frost, Oswego; Emile C. Gourdeau, Portland; John J. Conlon, Cascade Locks; Odolph Grano, Portland; Niels P. Nielson, Portland; Harry J. Weller, Baker.

Marine Corps

Killed in action	8
Died of wounds	9
Died of disease	6
Wounded severely	58
Wounded, degree undetermined	2
Wounded slightly	4
Missing in action	2
Prisoners	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>80</b>

The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American expeditionary forces for publication Monday:

Killed in action	336
Died of wounds	97
Died of accident	23
Died of disease	79
Wounded severely	1,063
Wounded degree undetermined	1,129
Wounded slightly	165
Missing in action	376
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,047</b>

Oregon

Wounded, degree undetermined—Sergeant James R. Widener, Oregon City; Bernard Levinson, Portland; John Brant, Jr., North Powder; Henry C. Clark, Dufur.  
Wounded severely—Sergeant Herzer E. Koons, Lakeview; Joseph Green (horseshoer) Klamath Falls; Leslie H. Stockmann, Springbrook; Guy H. McFerrin, Heppner.

Total number of casualties reported to date, not including the above:

Killed in action, including:	
396 at sea,	23,431
Died of wounds	9,091
Died of accident	1,888
Died of disease	12,993
Wounded in action	56,764
Missing in action, including prisoners	12,656
<b>Total</b>	<b>117,823</b>

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# Groceries

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Wednesday Morning

# Books for Gifts

—A well chosen book is a direct means of making others happy. The "best sellers" in the new fiction are "The Winds of Chance," "A Daughter of the Land," "Dere Mable," "The Valley of the Giants."

—In popular copyrights at 75c the copy are "Cappy Bicks," "Son of Tarzan," "Just David," "The First Hundred Thousand," and many others for sale at

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Stanton Rowell, Proprietor

## OBITUARY

### Victor Woodbury

Victor Woodbury, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Woodbury of this city, died in Portland, Friday, December 6, from influenza, aged 19 years. The young man, who has been a resident of Josephine county for the past ten years, spent the summer hauling chrome for the California Chrome Co., and with his brother Bert, who was recently discharged from Camp Fremont, went to Portland less than two weeks ago. The first word received by his parents was the announcement of the boy's death. He is survived by his parents and five brothers and sisters, Bert, Jim, Nellie, Forest and Steven. The brother Jim is now serving in France in the 347th field artillery. The funeral service was held Saturday, with interment in the Multnomah Park cemetery, Portland.

### Court in Session—

Circuit Judge Calkins is holding court here today to finish up some holdover cases. There are also a number of naturalizations to be completed. Special Naturalization Examiner Tomlinson of Seattle is examining applicants.

### "Flu" Signs—

By order of the city health officer influenza signs have been printed and will be placed on homes where the disease has made its appearance. These signs must be kept up until permission from the attending physician to take them down has been obtained.

The American Red Cross sent 3,000 tons of condensed milk to the children of prisoners in Archangel, Siberia, and 2,000 pounds of powdered milk to the children of France.

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