

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

E. C. Pomeroy, of the Meadows, was in Jacksonville Thursday on business before the county court. Mr. Pomeroy brought in a bob cat and a coyote skin, the animals having been captured by his sons, to claim the bounty thereon.

Wear Kidd's Shoes.
E. W. Carder, baggage man at the Southern Pacific depot, will leave next week for a visit to the middle western states, to be gone several weeks. The intention of Mr. Carder's visit is primarily to renew old associations and revisit old scenes, he intends incidentally to do some missionary work for the Rogue river valley.

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Deputy Sheriff Ulrich was at Jacksonville Thursday on official business.

Fred H. Hopkins was up from Central Point Thursday.

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There will be a banquet at the Odd Fellows' hall Saturday night following the installation of officers. Articles of incorporation have been filed for the Patterson Orchard Company with a capital stock of \$5,000; the object of the incorporation being to conduct a general orchard business. The principal business is at Ashland and the incorporators of record are J. Syd. McNair, Dexter E. Patterson and F. M. Calkins.

C. H. Gillette of Ashland is in Medford today on a business trip.

H. C. Maury was in from the Maury farm west of Medford on business Thursday.

J. C. Donovan of Albany, is in Medford.

Wear Kidd's Shoes.
A. Philbrick of Grants Pass was in Medford on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Robinson of Chicago are in Medford looking over the resources of this section.

E. C. Johnson and D. L. McKay of Portland are registered at the Nash.

Alfred O'Neal of Ashland is here on business.

Wear Kidd's Shoes.
J. M. Stephens and L. A. Barnick of Gold Hill are registered at the Moore.

R. C. Bortfeldt of Salem is a Medford visitor.

I. N. Hubbard of Salem is spending a few days in Medford on business.

James Weldin of Chico, Calif., is registered at the Moore and is looking over the country with a view to locating.

J. E. Enyart leaves tonight for a business trip to British Columbia. Henry Kubil of the Applegate was in Medford Wednesday on a short business trip.

W. H. Wilson left Thursday for a short business trip to San Francisco. He will be absent about a week.

K. L. Wetherbee of Hill (Cal.) was a recent Medford visitor.

"Yreka is unanimously in favor of the new state of Siskiyou," says Peter M. Kerohaw, who has just returned from a trip into that section. "I hear many favorable comments made regarding the Mail Tribune and its stand in regard to the matter."

J. D. Dawson is spending a few days in Portland on business.

M. G. Womack of Central Point was a recent visitor in Medford.

A. Brown has returned from a short business trip south.

J. S. Vestal of Eagle Point, the efficient road supervisor of that district, was at Jacksonville Thursday on business before the county court.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

WANTED—Good driving horse, as part payment on a piano. Van Walters. 253

WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages; small family. A. S. Bilton. 1/4

FOR RENT—Completely furnished 6-room house, one block from Main street; adults only; \$40. Aylor & Barnett.

FOR RENT—Two houses at \$10 and \$12. Aylor & Barnett.

WANTED—The best orchard tract that \$5000 cash and \$4000 modern house in Portland will buy. Address Investor, P. O. box 863.

WANTED—To borrow \$500 to \$1000 will pay 12 per cent interest. Address P. O. box 292.

GRAND UNION TEA CO.—For all grades of teas and coffees at right prices, call at or phone S. Kempthorne, 237 Riverside avenue. Phone No. 3871.

MORE LABORERS FOR CONSTRUCTION CAMP

Forty-five laborers left Thursday morning for the several camps of the Porter Bros., on the extension of the Pacific & Eastern.

Another bunch of 40 or more is expected to arrive this evening. Work is being pushed as rapidly as weather permits. And as soon as good weather comes in the spring there will be something doing every minute.

BUSINESS LOCALS

One-half h. p. motor, 1 20-qt. White Mountain freezer, a lot of packing cans, tubs, etc., for sale. Inquire Lewis' confectionery.

Van De Car & Jassmann have a very fine display of gems. One 1 3/4 blue crystal diamond at an exceptional low price per karat. Let us figure with you on a diamond. 248

A. H. Carson, state commissioner of horticulture, was in Medford Wednesday on his way to Jacksonville to appear before the county court on behalf of the fruitmen.

County Fruit Inspector Myers was in Medford Thursday on official business.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.
E. T. Howard and Etta E. Lacy. Elmer E. Wilson and Myrtle M. Riley.



SHOES
Of Equal Excellence

When you're out walking with that "one" girl, you naturally desire that your footwear should compare favorably with her's—for the shoe is one of the essential parts of a man's apparel that makes him well dressed. A pair of Packard Shoes will place you on an equal footing with the best dressed people, and also place you on a footing equal in comfort to the most easy pair of old shoes you have.

The Wardrobe
FARMERS & FRUITGROWERS BANK BUILDING

LOOK!

Tomorrow and Saturday

AT THE TWO BIG BARGAIN WINDOWS AT
HUSSEY'S

We are closing out several lines of goods at one-half and on some articles less than one-half our regular prices.

Fancy China 25 cents Each
Such as plates, bowls, chocolate plates, cups and saucers, etc. \$1.25 to \$2.50 values, closing out price **\$1.00 Each**

25 cents Each
for your choice of about 200 pieces of fancy potteryware, salt boxes, sugar cone, etc. sale price **25 cents Each**

100 Dozen Men's, Ladies' Misses' and Boy's Seamless Fast Black Hose, any size Sale Price 15c Each 2 Pair 25 cents

The largest and most complete line of post cards in Southern Oregon at your choice, 1c each.

UNLOADING SALE OPPORTUNITIES

Don't neglect your opportunities. If you do, you will pay more money for goods a little later. Anyone who knows will tell you that everything is going up, and our lines show the most marked advances.

AT THE PRICES NOW OFFERED YOU CAN SAVE A LOT OF MONEY BY PURCHASING NOW.

Don't You Want to SEE THESE?	Don't You Want to SEE THESE?
40c Dress Goods for.....23c	15c Hosiery for.....11c
86c Dress Goods for.....43c	35c Hosiery for.....23c
\$1.00 Dress Goods for.....59c	50c Hosiery for.....33c
\$1.75 Dress Goods for.....98c	
AND THESE?	AND THESE?
35c Table Damask for.....23c	40c Fancy Ribbon for.....19c
50c Table Damask for.....33c	15c Fancy Ribbon for.....27c
85c Table Damask for.....47c	\$1.00 Fancy Ribbon for.....59c
\$1.25 Table Damask for.....79c	\$7.00 Bags for.....\$3.89
AND THESE?	All 5c Notions.....3c
50c Neckwear for.....19c	All 10c Notions.....6c
75c Neckwear for.....33c	AND THESE?
\$1.00 Neckwear for.....59c	\$35.00 Suits for.....\$18.89
\$2.75 Wool Batts.....\$1.89	\$60.00 Suits for.....\$27.89
\$1.00 Cotton Batts.....80c	\$10.00 Coats and Skirts.....\$5.89
35c Cotton Batts.....23c	\$30.00 Dresses for.....\$14.89
\$15.00 Coats and Skirts.....\$8.29	\$4.00 Waists for.....\$1.19
	\$22.50 Dresses.....\$11.29

THE HUTCHASON CO.
Formerly Baker-Hutchason

Savoy Theatre TONIGHT

THE BEST MAN WINS (A Western Comedy.)
THE SLEEPER (A Novelty.)

CONVENIENT LAMP POST
(A Laugh Every Second.)
ONE DIME.

MEDFORD, THE WONDER CITY

Medford's population, 7500, gateway to Crater Lake, commercial metropolis of southern Oregon, is the fastest growing, most progressive, most metropolitan city in the northwest, surrounded by more natural resources than any place on earth. In 1909 it made a gain of 2500 in population, of 35 per cent in postal receipts, of 50 per cent in bank deposits, spent \$750,000, or \$100 per capita, in public improvements, which include a \$300,000 water system, 20 miles of cast iron distributing system, three miles of paved streets, 15 miles of sewer, and its building operations totaled \$2,500,000. In the coming year five miles of additional streets will be paved, many miles of water mains and sewer laid and building operations far exceed those of 1908. Medford is the best theater town in the northwest, leads the world in number of automobiles per capita (one to every 30 persons), and also in number of telephones, cash registers and typewriters per capita.

Timber and Mining Center

TIMBER AND MINING CENTER.
The Pacific & Eastern taps the largest of the sugar pine belts of the world, containing eight billion feet of the merchantable timber. Seven saw mills will begin operations in the summer, and factories will follow. Other timber belts bring the available timber up to thirty-two billion feet. Medford will be the manufacturing and distributing point of this immense lumber industry.

Thirty miles from Medford is the Blue Ledge copper district, where a \$1,500,000 spent in development shows a mountain of copper. The construction of a big smelter will follow the railroad.

Over \$25,000,000 in gold has been taken from the placer mines within a few miles of Medford and quartz mining is still in its infancy. Within sight of the city stretches the largest coal field in Oregon, and development work shows a large vein of good bituminous coal.



Medford, A Railroad Center

Medford is located on the main line of the Southern Pacific and in 1909 did the greatest railroad business of any city in Oregon outside Portland, receiving and shipping a greater variety of carload commodities than any other place. The business at Medford exceeds that of Oregon cities twice as large.

Medford is the western terminal of the Pacific & Eastern, on which 1600 men are now rushing construction to the Cascades and beyond to a junction with the new Central Oregon lines.

Franchises have been granted and work will commence in the spring on an interurban electric line to run from Medford to Ashland and to Grants Pass, connecting all the cities of the Rogue river valley.

A railroad to the Blue Ledge copper mine has been projected and will probably be constructed the coming season.

ROGUE RIVER VALLEY APPLE, KING OF THE WORLD

Sixty-five thousand acres of choice commercial orchard, whose products bring the highest prices in the world's markets are planted in the Medford district. These orchards captured the sweepstakes prize at the Spokane Apple Show, the gold medals for carloads of Spitzenberg and Newtown Pippins, and for the best three box display from any section. Pears from the Rogue river valley captured all prizes at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition, and Rogue river peaches have for years captured all prizes at international expositions.

PEACH RECORDS FOR 1909.

G. E. Marshall from thirty-five 18-year-old D'Anjou pear trees harvested a carload that sold in New York for \$2750 gross or \$5.46 per box average. His Bartlett's yielded \$1300 per acre.

John G. Gore shipped twelve cars of Bartlett's from 7 1/2 acres which netted him \$9335, or \$1244 per acre.

C. E. Whisler sold 600 boxes per acre from four acres Bartlett's which netted him \$2 a box or \$1080 an acre. His D'Anjou yielded 250 boxes per acre, selling at \$5.12 a box in New York.

The Burrell orchard shipped forty cars of pears from 48 acres, netting \$2 a box or \$40,000 for the crop. Bartlett's sold as high as \$4.25 in New York. Four cars of Howells sold at \$2.65 a box, Medford.

Sixteen and a half acres of Winter Nells pears on Snowy Butte orchard yield 435 boxes to the acre, which sold for \$2.12 a box at the orchard or over \$900 an acre.

NO. 1757 SPOKANE, WASH. Nov. 22, 1909

W. D. VINCENT, Treasurer

Pay to the Order of *Tronson & Guthrie* \$1100.00

Clara Howard DOLLARS

PAYABLE AT THE OLD NATIONAL BANK WHEN COUNTERSIGNED BY TREASURER

NATIONAL APPLE SHOW, Inc.

APPROVED *Gene Rice* SECRETARY *H. J. Muley* VICE-PRESIDENT

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APPLES RECORDS FOR 1909.

W. H. Norcross averaged 420 boxes of Spitzenbergs to the acre which netted him \$2.50 or \$1050 an acre. From 16-year-old Newtown trees he averaged 593 boxes per acre, which netted \$2.40 a box or \$1420 an acre.

Tronson & Guthrie picked 2700 boxes of Spitzenbergs from five acres which averaged them \$3 a box net, or \$1620 an acre, in addition to prizes captured at exhibits.

S. L. Bennett sold his Newtowns for \$2 a box or \$80 an acre.

A. Conro Piero netted \$1250 an acre from a mixed orchard including summer varieties.

A. C. Randall from 23 acres picked 12,000 boxes of Newtowns netting over \$1000 an acre. One tree yielded 57 boxes, which sold at \$2.25 a box. From his Winesap and Spitzenberg orchard he marketed an average of \$880 per acre.

For Information, Write or Address **MEDFORD COMMERCIAL CLUB, MEDFORD, ORE.**