

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Morrison left Tuesday morning for Los Angeles, Cal., for a visit of several weeks. Wear Kidd's Shoes.

George W. Dunn, ex-county judge, was in Medford from his farm near Ashland Tuesday.

Don't forget the January clearance sale at Meeker's. 253*

J. R. Pepper of Memphis, Tenn., is making an extensive investigation of the valley with a view to locating. Save money by buying at Meeker's. 253*

Edna Taylor of Greenville, Miss., is looking for a location for herself and friends in the Rogue River valley. Wear Kidd's Shoes.

Mrs. J. F. Brussey of Eagle Point was in Medford shopping on Monday.

E. C. Gault of Salem is in Medford on business. Wear Kidd's Shoes.

J. R. Haney of Galice was in Medford Monday.

The best place in town for bargains—Meeker's clearance sale. 253*

C. B. Guinn of Oakland, Or., is in town for a few days. Mr. Guinn is a prosperous rancher of Oakland and is in Medford on his way north from Ashland, where he went in the interests of the Oakland creamery. Mr. Guinn is greatly pleased with the progress Medford has made since he was here some years ago, and intends locating near here. Wear Kidd's Shoes.

F. Gamble and G. C. Doan of Salem are in this city.

E. Briscoe, one of the prominent citizens of Trail, was in Medford on Monday on business. Wear Kidd's Shoes.

Clinton Merrick and E. W. French of Evanston, Ill., are in Medford looking over the valley.

Carl Bennett, son of E. P. Bennett, who recently removed to Marysville, Cal., returned to Medford Monday for a short stay.

If you haven't attended Meeker's clearance sale you are losing money. 253*

W. H. O'Connell of Steamboat is in Medford looking after some business affairs.

J. R. McReynolds of Willow Springs, one of the leading citizens of that section, is in Medford on business.

Harry Sholtz, the student, left on Sunday to resume his studies at Mount Angel college.

Sanford Richardson came up from Los Angeles Monday for an extended visit with Mrs. Richardson and young son, who are passing the winter with Mrs. Richardson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Houston, of Trail. Mrs. Richardson is in poor health, we are sorry to report.

Thomas Jones of Beagle remained in the city Saturday night and took out a load of fruit trees to be planted on Mr. Trowbridge's 100-acre tract in the vicinity of Antioch.

Clearance sale at Meeker's. 253*

Mrs. Mary Milligan and son, Homer, of North Central avenue, are moving today to their new home, a dairy ranch two miles north of Central Point, where they both have lucrative positions.

Mrs. Philbrook, the teacher, and son, Phillip, returned home today from her pleasant holiday visit among relatives in Washington.

Born—January 1, 1910, to Mr. and Mrs. Florence Walker of Mountain district, a New Year's son. Clearance sale at Meeker's. 253*

W. P. Gould's horses took a spin this morning without a driver out on East Jackson north of Bartlett and was finally caught on North Central avenue minus everything but harness.

Arthur Jones of Beagle came over Saturday to resume his studies at high school. He reports two inches of snow fell Saturday at Antioch and vicinity.

Mr. McFall, one of Central Point's highly respected citizens, has a tumor forming over his eye that gives him much pain and annoyance. He has gone to Grants Pass for medical aid.

Pine street is certainly getting its share of city improvements by sewer and electric lighting.

G. G. Gould, formerly a prominent business man of this city, but now located at Medford, greeted his many warm friends in St. Johns the latter part of last week. In honor of his visit, the K. of P. lodge held a little feast last Friday night. A number of humorous, pathetic and highly interesting speeches were made and a season of good-fellowship ensued. Mr. Gould had long been a popular member of the order, and his visit here was greatly enjoyed by the brother members. He was looking fine and is well satisfied with his fruit land possessions in Southern Oregon.—St. Johns Review.

George W. Kearns of Grants Pass was in Medford Monday evening on his return from looking after mining interests on the Upper Applegate.

The Pacific & Eastern railroad has completed a private line from

Eagle Point to their Medford offices. This line will be used exclusively for railroad business until such time as a telegraph line is constructed.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their January mothers' meeting on Thursday afternoon of this week at the Baptist church. All mothers are cordially invited to attend.

John H. Devlin, who has been visiting his parents in the Applegate section, returned to Portland Monday.

George F. and Charles O. King have returned from looking after their timber interests in the upper Rogue river section.

Mrs. S. R. Taylor of Jacksonville was in Medford Tuesday on business.

Lesley R. Darling is up from Hornbrook for a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Darling, on C street.

Miss Myrtle Blackburn, who has been employed as saleslady in Stevens & Stubbs' drygoods store in Albany the past 18 months, returned home last Saturday for a few days' stay. She will take a like position with Denel & Kentner company at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mackay and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith came down Monday evening to attend the funeral services of the late Mrs. Birch in Sam's Valley.

H. D. Reed, the local manager of the Oregon Power company of this place, left for Salem and Portland Sunday on business for the company.

J. C. Martin of Fargo, N. D., who has been in Medford for the past fortnight looking over the valley, left Monday afternoon for Fargo. He is fairly in love with the Rogue River valley, however, and will return within a few months.

Sheriff W. J. Jones was a Medford visitor Monday, unofficially.

Frank Brown of Eagle Point was in Medford on business Monday.

Fruit Inspector Myers of Central Point is here on official business.

George P. Mims of Tolo was in Medford on business Tuesday.

E. F. Massam and Miss Genevieve Massam of Spokane are registered at the Nash.

George Brown, the Eagle Point merchant, was a Medford business visitor Tuesday.

A. B. Zimmerman, a prominent citizen of Eagle Point, is in this city.

The ladies of St. Ann's society give one of their popular dances at the Angle opera house Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. King leave this evening for their home in Portland after a visit with friends here.

PRaise FOR AppLES OF ROGUE VALLEY

South Dakota Paper Comments Upon Excellence of Box of Apples.

The Dakota Republican of Vermillion, S. D., publishes the following:

About the handsomest sight ever presented to our vision was the opening of a box of apples, grown in the Rogue river valley, southern Oregon, and sent to Mrs. T. J. Sloan of this city as a holiday reminder by her son-in-law, Mr. P. J. O'Gara, who is now stationed at Medford, Oregon, while engaged in government service. The apples were of two varieties, one crimson red and the other golden yellow, and these were packed in alternate rows and layers, and certainly their size, form, smoothness and bright colorings were a sight to behold, surpassing in rich brilliancy of effect any like exhibition of fruit we ever saw. And, upon testing freely from the generously filled sack of those big and beautiful trophies of irrigated soil which we were bidden to take home by the consignee, we found that the flavor and other qualities which make any apple worth while were all there in all their genuine reality. And now we no longer marvel that land which will afford the growth of such wondrous products should be held at figures reaching as high as \$500, \$750 or even \$1000 per acre.

PEOPLE LOOK HAPPY, THINK THIS GOOD PLACE

W. V. Rood of St. Paul, Minn., is in Medford to locate. Mr. Rood will engage in the automobile business.

"I am satisfied Medford is a good place to locate," says Mr. Rood, "because the people all appear happy, and why shouldn't they?"

E. C. Sharpe left this afternoon for San Francisco to be absent a week. On his return things will commence to hum in the matter of the Home Telephone construction.

Professor P. J. O'Gara takes his departure this evening for Wenatchee, Wash., where he is scheduled to deliver an address before the Washington Horticultural society.

"MARY JANE'S PA" MOST AMUSING

Much May Be Expected of Max Figman in Role of Country Printer.

Much may be expected from Max Figman's forthcoming engagement at the Medford theater on Saturday, January 15, in his latest triumph, "Mary Jane's a." Few plays ever produced have received such cordial indorsement from the New York critics as this charming blend of humor and pathos by Edith Ellis. She chose Indiana as the scene of her story and reproduced with startling verity the numerous character types with which the rural districts of that great state abound. The comedy teems with laughter and philosophy and by way of further zest there are one or two heart-quickening scenes also. Only the seasoned newspaper man, whose steady heart pump has jumped at the thrilling boss pressman's command, "Let her go!" as a sensational "extra" is ready for the "run," can realize to the limit the tense scene at the end of the second act when Portia Perkins (Helen Lackaye) gets out her newspaper on time. The modern cylinder press has been disabled by her well-meaning admirer, Fome Preston (Franklin Searight) to keep her from the revenge of the town political boss should she publish her promised story of his corrupt methods. She discovers it at the last moment and is distracted with hopelessness, when her worthless husband, Hiram (Max Figman), once a printer, strolls into the office and saves the day by turning out the paper, "printed one side only" on a discarded old-fashioned hand press.

Many an audience has cheered the thrilling sight of the man turning the heavy lever, while his hustling wife feeds the press—all for the sake of pure politics.

Seats now on sale at Haskins'.

WELL-KNOWN RESIDENT OF ASHLAND PASSES

Harmon Ellis, a veteran of the civil war and a resident of Ashland for 14 years, who has been in feeble health for a long time, died at his home, corner Fifth and B streets, Sunday at 10:30 o'clock.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Nowadays Its Toggery for best values in town.

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

Lots of stores would be well advertised if they were only advertised persistently instead of occasionally.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

FOR SALE—Two lots and new 8-room house; a bargain if taken at once. Address Box 494, Medford, Oregon. 256

FOR SALE—Six room house and 3 lots; close in. Address box 306. 259

WANTED—A nurse. Phone Main 2471. 253*

BENSON INVESTMENT CO.—Real Estate, Loans and Fire Insurance. Office, suite 205-206, over Fruit-growers' Bank. Phone 541.

INDIAN CHIEF PASSES ALONG LAST GREAT TRAIL

BUTTE, Mont., Jan. 11.—Chief Charlot, hereditary sachem of the Flathead Indian nation, is dead at Arlee. He was the last of the western chieftains famous in the early days of the plains, and was 82 years of age.

Under Charlot's direction the first systematic farming in Montana was done. Through his agent and stock interests he gathered considerable wealth.

The aged chief caused the introduction of Christianity among the Flatheads. Following his own conversion to its doctrines, he dispatched six of his men to St. Louis in the late 50s to invite Jesuit priests to come to Montana.

Montana's religious pioneers established missions to help spread their faith among the Indians.

LOUNSBURY BECOMES MALBOUEF'S SUCCESSOR

From the office of R. B. Miller, general freight agent of the Southern Pacific lines in Oregon, has been issued a circular announcing the appointment of H. E. Lounsbury to the position of district freight agent, with headquarters at Portland, vice C. A. Malboeuf, resigned. The appointment becomes effective, January 17.

SIDEWALK CAVES IN AND MANY ARE KILLED

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 11.—A sidewalk on the State street side of the Boston Store caved in today while a large number of persons were standing on it.

Many of them are reported to have been killed and badly injured. Ambulances have been rushed to the scene.

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\$1000 THROWN AWAY

Old type and equipment exceeding in cost \$1000 from the Medford Mail and Southern Oregon job offices has been dumped and replaced by

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