

25 CARS OF LUMBER

WAS OUR ORDER PLACED LAST WEEK FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY TO REPLENISH OUR STOCK, WITH AN ADDITIONAL NUMBER OF CARS TO FOLLOW LATER. THIS MEANS OUR YARD WILL HAVE THE STOCK. BUT DON'T YOU THINK YOU SHOULD TAKE THE SAME PRECAUTION AND PLACE YOUR ORDER NOW AND FEEL SURE OF GETTING WHAT YOU WANT WHEN YOU WANT IT? REMEMBER OUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY IS FROM THE LARGEST RAIL SHIPPERS ON THE PACIFIC COAST, WHICH ASSURES THE BEST OF STOCK IN ANY DIMENSION AND QUANTITY. ESTIMATES CHEERFULLY MADE ON ANY LIST SUBMITTED.

Big Pines Lumber Company

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

See the Merrivold Shop for books, magazines and fine engraving.
For asbestos flatirons, see Medford Hardware Co. 269*

A select line of new postals at the Merrivold Shop. 271

J. A. Waddle of Portland, who has perhaps traveled over the Oregon and California territory more often than any other commercial man on the road, was in Medford Tuesday on his regular trip.

A. H. Jones of Hornbrook, Cal., was in Medford on business Monday.

J. W. Holmes and G. E. Metcalf of Eugene are registered at the Nash. Frank Cameron, one of the leading stockmen of the Applegate section, was in Medford Monday.

S. J. Basell of Chinook, Wash., is among the guests at the Nash.

... of Eugene is in Medford on one of his regular tours of Southern Oregon.

... of the Meadows district is in Medford on a business trip. A. B. Silsby of Ashland was in Medford looking after business matters.

F. Pelouze of Eagle Point spent Monday in Medford looking after business matters.

... of metal work go to Medford Hardware Co. 269*

S. H. Morse of Roseburg is registered at the Moore.

A basket social will be given at Enterprise schoolhouse, Friday, February 4, beginning at 8 p. m. A short program will be rendered, followed by the auction sale of baskets and a good time in general.

Sheriff W. A. Jones was in Medford Tuesday on official business.

Floyd Pearce of Jacksonville was a Medford visitor Tuesday.

Frank Kassafer of Jacksonville was in Medford on business Tuesday. John Duggan was in this city from Jacksonville Tuesday.

Hon. Theo. Cameron, ex-state senator from Jackson county, has returned from a trip to Oakland, Cal., where his son, Don, is located. Mr. Cameron says that one of the pleasant features of his visit was the daily arrival of the Mail Tribune, by which he was able to keep posted on passing events in Southern Oregon.

Something out of the ordinary in the advertising line is being used by Meeker & Co. It is known as the "Mystery" ad, and is well worth the time of anybody in Medford to take advantage of their offer and a look at their east window will help solve the mystery.

Holbrook Withington has been appointed referee in bankruptcy by the federal court, vice John S. Orth, resigned. Mr. Withington now occupies the unique position, according to his own statement, of being "the only man in Medford whose official business depends upon someone else going broke."

H. Withington was at Jacksonville Tuesday on professional business. Charles A. Malcomb left Monday night for his home in Portland.

W. H. Sanderson of Talent was a visitor in Medford Monday.

W. C. Stinson of Eagle Point was a recent visitor in Medford.

H. S. Felling of Medford spent Tuesday in Medford.

Harry C. Williams of Applegate spent Monday in Medford.

Mrs. Fannie Hawker, lately of Albuquerque, N. M., has purchased from A. Bail twenty acres adjoining the famous Buick ranch of F. L. Tou Yelle, north of Central Point, for \$5500 cash. Ten acres of this tract is set to three-year-old Newtowns and Spitzbergs. The land is some of the finest in the valley and Mrs. Hawker has made an excellent buy.

Sunday a number of local anglers braved the cold waters of the Rogue, and though a few strikes were reported, the baskets were empty on their return.

Albert H. Johnson will leave this evening for a business and pleasure trip to Los Angeles.

Colonel George P. Mims of Tolo is spending several days in Medford. The colonel states that the roads in his section need some of that bond issue.

Several carloads of poles have arrived for use of the new Home Telephone company.

C. W. Taylor left Monday evening for a short business trip to Portland.

Henry D. Andrews of Denver, Col., is in Medford spending a few days with his son.

J. W. Bryan of Peyton was in Medford on business Tuesday.

John R. Wilson of Grants Pass is spending a few days in Medford with friends.

W. E. Crane of Ruch was a recent visitor in Medford.

Mrs. F. W. Carnahan has returned from a short visit to California points. Mr. and Mrs. Carnahan will leave in a few days for the Blue Ledge mine.

W. C. Green has returned from Portland, where he visited the automobile show.

"Shorty" Miller, formerly a baseball star of more or less magnitude during the days of the R. R. V. league, was in Medford from Ashland Tuesday.

Charlie Barnum, who was here several years ago in the employ of the Iowa Lumber company, returned from a trip to points east Tuesday morning.

Mrs. A. A. Davis, wife of the well-known capitalist, returned Monday from a several months' visit at Portland.

Kirby S. Miller has purchased from Carl Neidermeier eight and one-third acres adjoining the district school between Medford and Jacksonville, which he will plant and build upon a bungalow. The price paid was \$2500 an acre.

Just a fair amount of persistence half enough to win at most other things and your classified advertising campaign will sell your property.

If there's a classified ad in this issue which is worth a dollar a line to you, wouldn't it be worth "looking up?"

Do you know that group can be prevented? Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse or even after the croupy cough appears and it will prevent the attack. It is also a certain cure for croup and has never been known to fail. Sold by all druggists.

Typewriter and carbon paper and general office supplies at The Merrivold Shop. 271

AGED MAN IS KILLED FOR HIDDEN TREASURE

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Feb. 1.—Sheriff Stevens of Skagit county, led by a pack of hounds, today is trying to find some trace of the supposed murderers of Amos Johnson, an aged resident of Guemes Island, near Anacortes, who has mysteriously disappeared under circumstances that lead the officers to believe that he has been killed.

The old man was worth \$80,000, and is said to have kept much of his wealth hidden in his place. Yesterday a neighbor went to the place to borrow some farm machinery. He found everything about the house in such shape that it indicated the man had not intended to leave. His hat and coat were on a peg in the room and a frying pan was on the table. But the man had been dead for some days, as his livestock was suffering for want of care.

Find a few want ads that are worth answering today and—answer them today, instead of just intending to!

RECALL FIGHT IN ASHLAND.

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tially true. I did remove a man in charge of certain work in connection with the new electric lighting plant. But he was not competent, and so far as I know, has not involved the city in a suit over the matter. But even if he does sue the city, must Ashland be imposed upon by incompetent servants for fear of being involved in a suit? The fourth charge is also partially true, in that I may have shown incompetency in appointing certain committees, but it will be up to the committees to disclose by their future actions wherein I have made poor appointments.

No Charge Made.

"Pshaw!" he continued, "the petitioners have not stated a single reason for their action. The fact is, the real motives do not appear in the petition, but the people of Ashland understand the situation and I am willing to leave it to them. I cannot believe that they want to turn the city over to the little coterie of soreheads who have been working for almost a year past to get signatures enough to put the machinery of the law in motion to further their own personal aims, and that, too, at the expense of everything that means progress for Ashland."

Many who opposed Snell last election are shaking hands with him today and assuring him of their support, and from the manner with which the people are receiving the news of the filing of the petition, it looks as if Snell's whole opposition appears on the recall petition.

LADIES' CLUB OUTLINES WORK

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tions to become such today. "The Lewis and Clark club was founded the 20th of April, 1903, at the residence of Mrs. W. I. Vawter, Mrs. L. B. Hubbs being elected president, Mrs. J. D. Heard first vice-president, Mrs. G. H. Haskins second vice-president, Mrs. M. L. Alford secretary and Mrs. I. A. Webb treasurer. "The purpose of the club was to

raise funds to have Southern Oregon adequately represented at the Lewis and Clark exposition and to act as an auxiliary to the board of women managers. As this work did not keep the members very busy, on the 25th of April, 1904, Mrs. J. A. Whitman proposed that the park, which had hitherto been devoted to the raising of potatoes, be planted with grass seed.

"This was the beginning of the club's interest in civic work, and on October 24, 1907, its first object having been accomplished, it was voted to change the name to the Greater Medford club. A month later, on the 24th of November, the library, then a private one, was taken over by the club and the work for a public library began. Much has been accomplished, but there is yet much to do.

"Of course, the principal difficulty is the lack of funds. At the last meeting of the Greater Medford club a Book club was organized. Any one may become a member by the payment to the librarian, Miss Janney, of \$1. The use of all the books purchased with this money is restricted to the members of the Book club for six months, at the end of which time they become the property of the public library.

"The Greater Medford club, standing as it does for civic betterment, has many tasks before it. The park must be finished, a large park acquired, the streets and avenues need to be lined with trees, the parkway on the streets should be filled with roses, and last, but by no means least important, our back yards and alleys must be made sanitary. All of this requires many willing workers. We have not enough. Today we hope that not one lady will leave the hall without becoming a member of the Greater Medford club, the Book club—or both."

The program:

Piano solo, "Tournament" (Nevins); Miss Flora Gray; tenor solo, (a) "A Dream" (Bartlett), (b) "Two Little Maids," Fletcher Fish; violin solo, selected, Miss Ethel Crowell; Miss Gretchen Crawford; soprano solo, "O, Dry Those Tears" (Del Riego); violin and piano accompaniment by Miss Crawford and Miss Crowell. Mrs. Ed Andrews; piano solo, "Valse" (Schutt), Mrs. W. F. Isaacs; duet, "I Feel Thy Angel Spirit" (Graben-Hoffman), H. M. Whetzel and J. C. Edmeades.

February Committee.

Mrs. L. B. Kent, chairman; Mesdames F. E. Merrick, Marsh, Kirby Miller, Fred Page, E. B. Pickel, W. I. Vawter, V. G. McCrea, Campbell, Edgar Hafer, C. R. Ray, Louis Bundy, Horace Nicholson.

March Committee.

Mrs. W. H. Canon, chairman; Mesdames M. J. Miller, McCain, M. E. Worrell, Shirley, R. G. Gale, W. A. Goff, Ed Andrews, Gordon Schermerhorn, Harry Tuttle, George Davis, Bert Harmon; Miss Mutnam.

Committee on Park Sites.

Mrs. F. E. Merrick, chairman; Mesdames B. P. Theiss, H. C. Kentner, Charles Hazelrigg, J. E. Watt. Park Improvement Committee. Mesdames W. I. Vawter, Frank Hollis, C. R. Ray, E. B. Pickel, M. L. Alford, H. W. Lumsden, H. C. Kentner. Committee to arrange for the immediate improvement of the new half of city park.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Wear Kidd's Shoes.

Full assortment of Whitman's candies at The Merrivold Shop. Buick is the king of the auto world.

Who doesn't sigh for a Buick?

Linens on sal eat Meeker & Co.'s. For wood of all kinds, see the Square Deal Woodyard. Phone 2601. Fir street, between Second and Third streets. Gould & Lindley, proprietors. 261*

No one knows how long a Buick will last, for no Buick has ever worn out. The first ones are still running. 258*

Now is the time to make your garden. Get garden tools from Medford Hardware Co. 269*

What is life without a Buick? 280

Steinhardt, the artistic tailor, 6 South Fir street. Reasonable prices, easy terms to responsible parties. 26*

1910, the banner year. Watch Medford's population double and lots in the Queen Anne addition triple in value. Present price \$500 and upward. Cash or terms. *

Bowers & Hunter, a real estate firm of Payette, Idaho, has purchased the timber claim of J. H. Messler on Evans creek, paying \$4000. They also contemplate making further investments in the valley.

People that want figuring on planting shade trees and have not got their orders booked better consult H. B. Patterson, the Quaker Nurseryman and get low prices. Office in Hotel Nash office.

For pocket knives, razors and shears, see Medford Hardware Co. 269

TWOSCORE PERISH IN MINE.

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ers' lamps were missing from the racks. The mine officials believe this to have been the number of men who were in the shafts when the explosion occurred. Other miners, however, declare that there were many more.

Many of the dead probably will never be identified. The operatives were entered in the company's books by number. Many of them were not known by name, even to the other miners.

The explosion occurred in the main tunnel of the four that comprise the mine. It blocked the entrance from the main shaft, and until the debris can be cleared away it will be impossible to learn whether or not any survived. The rescuers, however, are heartening on another with the slogan "Remember Cherry," apparently believing that if the men who were imprisoned in the wrecked Cherry mine lived until aid reached them, there is hope that their comrades have survived.

The heart-rending scenes that followed the Cherry disaster when wives and mothers pushed to the shaft to await the news of some loved one caught in the death trap below were re-enacted here today. The mangled bodies of five men, blown almost to atoms and scattered about the mouth of the shaft, were viewed with fearful apprehension by many women who almost expected to recognize a broken body of a husband or son.

MAN WHO STARTED ADE DIES IN SALT LAKE

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 1.—Wm. Ingleheart, former manager of the Salt Lake Herald, died at his home in this city today after a long illness. Death was due to lung trouble. Ingleheart was a native of Evansville, Ind., and for many years was engaged in newspaper work in Chicago. While on the Chicago Record he was the first employer of Geo. Ade, since famous as a humorist and playwright.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

WANTED—First-class carpenter. C. D. Woolverton, room 22, Jackson County Bank building. 273

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping room, 125 South Oakdale. 273

FOR SALE—For good, dry wood, 12 and 16-inch, come to 417 Oakdale or phone to 491. Orders promptly filled. 276

WANTED—Five or six boarders. Call at No. 117 Front street. 276

WANTED—At once, good cook. Apply The Diamond, cor. 6th and Central ave. *

FOR RENT—House, all furnished, 6 rooms; electric light, telephone, barn, well, city water, large lot and garden, \$35; lease for one year. J. E. Payette. 279*

B & C Cash Store

Groceries, Produce and Dishes.

- Lard, home made, pure, 3-lb. pails 50c
 - Lard, home made, pure, 5-lb. pails 80c
 - Lard, home made, pure, 10-lb. pails \$1.60
 - Bacon, home cured, heavy strips, per lb 18c
 - Bacon, light strips, choice 20c
 - Hams, country cure, lb 17c
 - Shoulders, country cure, per lb 13c
 - Apples—
 - Baldwins, 4 1-2 and 5-tier box \$1.25
 - 4-tier box \$1.50
 - Spitzenberg, 4-tier box \$1.50
 - Fall Pippins, 4-tier box \$1.50
 - White Pearmain, box \$1.25
- The store that serves you best by telephone 2351.

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223 W. Main Street.