

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

F. N. Cummings left Tuesday for Eagle Point to look after matters of the Fish Lake extension. Mr. Cummings states that he is being badly handicapped in his extension work by inability to secure teams. This difficulty will be removed in a short time, as soon as the bulk of the orchard and agricultural work is completed.

Peach trees for sale at ten cents each. H. B. Patterson, Nash hotel.

Montgomery's hair-dressing parlors now open. 50*

Miss Mollie Towne, the popular and efficient deputy county clerk, attended Easter services in Medford Sunday.

Wear Kidd's Shoes.
Robert B. Dow, who constitutes a large portion of the "force" in the sheriff's office, spent Monday afternoon in Medford.

Chanaware at Goodfriend's.
J. R. Harvey of Galice Creek was in town Monday on a business trip. Coffees at Goodfriend's.

H. B. Tronson of Eagle Point was in Medford Tuesday.
Arcola, the new table water. Star Bottling Works. 10

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Pelton returned home to Sams Valley Tuesday after having spent a few days in Medford with friends.

Teas at Goodfriend's.
F. M. Tryer of Talent was in Medford Tuesday on a business trip.

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A. W. Bixby and brother, Al, and son, old friends and neighbors of H. Humphrey, arrived Friday. They are pleased with our city and valley and immediately sent for their families. This is to be their future home. They were old friends and neighbors of Mr. Humphrey in Minnesota and excellent people—just the kind we welcome to our city.

M. B. Ricey of Lakeview is in Medford.

Bath fixtures at Goodfriend's.
H. J. Knox and family, now of Rhode Island, but formerly residents of Lake Crystal, Minn., are expected soon and will no doubt make this their home. They were induced to try our climate through good reports sent them by H. Humphrey.

F. B. Sawyer for surveys. Subdivision and platting a specialty. Room 12, Emetick.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Savage of Glendale are visiting relatives and friends in Medford this week.

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The ladies of the M. E. church will give a tea at the residence of Mrs. C. M. Conklin, 205 North Apple street, from 2 to 5 p. m. Twenty-five cents will be charged. All are invited.

Carving sets at Goodfriend's.
Dr. W. H. Needing is spending the week at Eagle Park, his ranch, near Brownsboro.

A nice selection of monthly blooming roses at 25 cents each. H. B. Patterson, Hotel Nash.

See the Andrews Opera company in their new skit tonight; greatest ever. Benefit Greater Medford club.

The Medford American Woman's league will hold its second business meeting in the Christian church at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, April 2. All members expected.

Door mats at Goodfriend's.
P. J. Easterday of Portland was in Medford Monday on business.

Whitman's candies are unexcelled. The Merrivold Shop has the exclusive agency for Medford.

George E. Sanders of Grants Pass was a Medford visitor Monday afternoon.

Phone 2601, Goodfriend's.
Mrs. F. E. Jackson of Grants Pass spent Monday night in Medford.

John H. Carlin, attorney at law, over Jackson County Bank.
Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Jewell of Trail are in Medford attending to some business matters.

Carpet sweepers at Goodfriend's.
Wear Kidd's Shoes.

See the windows at the H. C. Kentner Co.

Wringers at Goodfriend's.
Wear Kidd's Shoes.

Kornelia Korn Kinks will be on exhibition tonight. Be sure and see her at the opera house. Benefit of Greater Medford club.

Kitchen utensils at Goodfriend's.
Perhaps you need a typewriter. You can secure any make you wish, a rebuilt typewriter, at The Merrivold Shop, at a reasonable price.

J. W. Williams of Yreka, Cal., is spending a few days with friends in the valley.

Books—Bibles, Prayer Books, poetry, fiction, gift books for children and adults. Come in and look them over at The Merrivold Shop.
The Merrivold Shop has office supplies, including files, blank books, memorandum books, pencils, pens, inks, inkwells, tablets, typewriter supplies, envelopes, paste, maulage and fountain pens.

Be on hand to see the Gold Medal Girl at the opera house tonight. Benefit Greater Medford club.

MAN WITH DOG TEAM ARRIVES IN TOWN

William Brown, who says he started three and a half years ago from New Foundland and has since traveled with his team of four New Foundland dogs through Europe, England, part of South Africa and across the North American continent, was in Medford Tuesday. He drives a team of four dogs, three of them being of the original four with which he started.

He is on his way to Los Angeles, the end of his journey. When he arrives there he will have traveled about 15,000 miles.

STOCKHOLDERS DISAGREE.

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he had made mistakes in buying and possibly other ways, but that he felt that the troubles had been forced on the firm as much or more by the failure of the partners to co-operate with him as for any of his mistakes. He stated that he had done all in his power to save the firm, and that he would endeavor some time in the future to pay his part of any losses the creditors might suffer. He stated further that he had lost everything trying to keep the store going, even money loaned by personal friends.

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ADOLPH SHULTZ IS RELEASED ON BAIL

Adolph Schultz, who was indicted by the grand jury yesterday on a charge of embezzlement of the funds of Oregonian-Pocahontas Tribe, No. 1, O. R. M., of Jacksonville, was released on bonds of \$300 last night. His shortage of some \$1100 to the Red Men has been made good by his brother, and it is likely that further prosecution will be dropped.

C. E. MINIER, COURT STENOGRAPHER, DIES

C. E. Minier, who has been acting as court stenographer since the appointment of F. M. Calkins to the bench, died at his home in Ashland Monday night of pleurisy. His death was unexpected, as he was ill only a few hours before death came.

George Cherry, who has been acting as stenographer in the law offices of Colvig & Reames, will fill the position during this term of court.

CLARK-HENRY CO. GETS PAVING CONTRACT

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tions is one part cement, three parts sand and six parts broken rock or gravel, while the Barber specifications provided seven parts of crushed rock or gravel and is a weaker concrete. The city engineer estimates the concrete foundation to be laid by Clark-Henry will cost nearly \$7000 more than the Barber concrete would have, which nearly equalizes the cheaper excavation price of the Barber. The council ordered both sets of specifications published in the Mail Tribune.

All members of the council were present when Mayor Canon called it to order. Attorney C. L. Reames, representing the Barber Asphalt company, made the following statement to the council:

"The Barber Asphalt company has made the lowest bid for paving, and contends that in all fairness and justice it is entitled to the contract. The officers of the company are present and ready to answer all

questions and substantiate their claim that their bid is the lowest." Council the Judge.

Mayor Canon replied: "The council does not take the view that the contract must be awarded to the lowest bidder. The right to reject any bid is reserved. The council assumes to be judge of the best bid for the city and the best is not always the lowest, and what might appear the lowest might be really the highest. This is a matter for the council to determine."

Councilman Wortman moved that the bid of the Clark & Henry company be accepted, and the motion carried, Demmer alone voting in the negative, as he favored Granitoid pavement for certain business streets. Other necessary ordinances to award the contract and speed the work were unanimously passed. Mr. Clark and other representatives of the successful bidders made a short speech of thanks and promised to start work as soon as possible.

Huber's Statement.
Manager Oscar Huber of the Bar-

ber Asphalt company states: "The Barber Asphalt company does not think it was given a square deal and thinks it was entitled to the contract as the lowest bidder. We offered to bid under any set of specifications the city desired, but as none were furnished, we bid under those adopted by the city of Portland. The Barber Asphalt company is the largest paving company in the world and does not do poor work. It is customary for cities to make their own specifications and force the contractor to live up to them. We were not consulted by the council, not given any chance to amend or alter our bid with the council in executive session or otherwise. We made the lowest bid we have yet made on the coast. I offered to give a five-year guarantee on our pavement, to keep in repair free for five years.

"I am sorry that we did not secure the contract, because we all like Medford. Several of the Barber people, including myself, have already made large investments in the valley and had we secured the

contract heavy investments were authorized by the president of the company and eastern officials."

BUSINESS LOCALS

—Edel Bran will be in Medford this week. Ask Doc Ryan. 10

—For wood of all kinds, see the Square Deal Woodyard. Phone 2601. Fir street, between Second and Third streets. Gould & Lindley, proprietors. 261*

—Wear Kidd's Shoes.

—If you want satisfaction try a sock of Mr. Houd Show-Fall Floor. For sale at the Russ Mill. Remember the oluco. Polk & Son.

—W. F. Gerwolf, contractor, painter and paperhanger. Phone 1801, Park View Hotel. 6

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