

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

C. E. Terrill, R. H. Bradshaw and A. C. Eller of Lake Creek were in Medford Thursday on business.

Mayor Canon is ill at his home and not able to attend to the business of his office. Acting Mayor Eifert is in charge of the routine business.

Those lots in the Queen Anne Addition are the best ever, considering price and terms.

McKinley Mitchell of Portland was in Medford Thursday on business, political and otherwise.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Leever of Central Point were Medford visitors Thursday.

The Medford Printing Company has added a bindery and now does all sorts of bindery work.

J. F. Brown of Eagle Point was in Medford on a business trip Thursday.

F. W. Dodge was in Medford from Gold Hill Wednesday.

Frank Madden of Chicago is in Medford to purchase orchard property.

John H. Carkin, attorney at law, over Jackson County Bank.

J. A. Baxter of Gold Hill was in Medford Wednesday on a business trip.

S. B. Holmes of Eagle Point was in Medford on a business trip Thursday.

Twenty-five rolls of wall paper for 50c at Medford Furniture Co.

Jacob Walz of Griffin creek was in this city Wednesday attending to business matters.

Charles Feldenheimer, the Portland jeweler, who owns an orchard west of Central Point, is looking after his interests in the valley.

Legal blanks for sale. Mail Tribune office.

David Plymale is now employed in one of the leading shoe stores in Woodland, Cal., and is doing well.

Old books rebound by the Medford Printing Company.

District No. 1 will hold cottage prayer meeting at Mr. Lyons' home, corner of Cottage and Main streets, tonight.

Why pay cash for lots when you can get them on easy terms in the Queen Anne Addition?

All members of the choir for the Oliver meetings are requested to be at the Tabernacle Friday eve at 7:30.

A complete line of Old Hampshire bond, the finest stationery made, at the Medford Printing Co.

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Do you like fancy stationery? The Medford Printing Company carries it.

C. L. Monson of the Pacific Paper Co., was in Medford on business Thursday.

See the new store at 28 South Central avenue.

J. M. Benham of Oakland, Cal., is in Medford looking after business matters.

All styles of legal blanks at the Mail Tribune office. Over a hundred forms.

C. C. McClendon of Gold Hill was in Medford Thursday. Mr. McClendon is one of the original settlers of the Rogue River valley and in 1853 pastured his mules on the present site of Medford while conducting a pack train between Sacramento and the settlements in the Willamette.

Meeker has the goods and makes the prices.

Private board at 116 East 6th st. Strictly first-class.

E. B. Waterman was a Medford visitor Thursday.

The Benson Investment Co. is closing out its entire holdings at sacrifice prices. Here is the finest chance for securing properties of value at way-down prices.

Fred Furrey of Phoenix was in Medford Thursday on business.

Trespass notices for sale at Mail Tribune office.

The best lunch in the city at the S. & G. luncheon, in the Smoke club. Open day or night. Old Emmerick cafe room.

Professor P. J. O'Gara and County Inspector Myers are looking over the orchards on the east side of the valley today. They will take in the orchards between Central Point and the foothills.

If you want to double your money in real estate, Queen Anne Addition is the safe place.

V. A. Dunlap of Talent was in Medford on business Thursday.

I can put you wise to a real estate buy that will net 100 per cent in six months if handled right, \$400; \$3200 all money necessary. R. K. Smith, care box 496, Medford, Or. 27*

H. D. Kubli of Applegate was a Medford visitor Thursday.

The best cigars, the best magazines and napers, your best friends at the Smoke club.

C. L. Monson of the Pacific Paper Co. is visiting his Medford customers. He was married since his last visit here.

Francis B. Clarke, until recently president of the North Bank rail-

road, and for many years a lieutenant of James J. Hill, is visiting Medford with a view to purchasing orchard property. He is much pleased with the valley.

E. P. Hughes of Ashland spent Wednesday in Medford.

The Pythian Sisters gave their regular bimonthly banquet last night. Quite a number of local and visiting knights and their friends and ladies gathered at the K. of P. hall.

BLOCK DAY ENVELOPES NOW BEING DISTRIBUTED

Thursday and Friday the ladies of the Greater Medford club will be busy distributing the Block day envelopes, giving one to each house in town. If it happens that any house has been overlooked, such omission is unintentional, and the error may be rectified by applying for envelopes at the library.

Now, in regard to the Block day envelopes, the recipients are asked to keep them carefully and return them intact to the collectors Monday evening.

Don't allow the envelopes to disappear into oblivion behind the piano or under the sofa, until next sweeping day, nor should the baby be allowed to chew upon it.

Place the envelope upon the mantelpiece or over the clock, where it may be a constant reminder to save nickels, dimes and dollars to seal up for the library fund.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Meeker is now at 28 South Central avenue.

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

The windows at Meeker's will attract you.

If you want satisfaction, try a sack of Mt. Hood Snow-Fall Flour. For sale at the Russ Mill. Remember the place. Polk Hill & Son.

Meeker's is a cozy, clean, new place.

Benson is disposing of all personal and real properties preparatory to an indefinite trip to the east. Better see what is being sacrificed and see quickly.

BOSTON'S EGGS BROWN, NEW YORK'S WHITE

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 21.—John A. Kunkle of New York city told today to the senate committee investigating the increased cost of living some things about eggs. Mr. Kunkle is of the firm of S. S. Long & Co., and has had an intimate association with eggs for more than 40 years. He incidentally said that the use of the telephone by householders had added \$20,000 a year to the running expenses of his firm, because of increased clerical force, more delivery wagons and loss of goods through non-acceptance.

The Boston millionaire epicure, said Mr. Kunkle, unlike his New York prototype, wanted eggs with brown shells, heavy with meat. The New Yorker wants eggs with white shells, which will not keep so long. He told of a customer who desired a large quantity of eggs all exactly the same size, and possessing perfectly white shells. It was stipulated that not an egg must be more than three days old. The order came from a man of wealth at the Plaza hotel, who finally agreed to accept eggs six days old, for which he paid 75 cents a dozen, the high cost being due to the assorting of sizes.

IGNORANT RUSSIANS ARE BUNCOED BY SWINDLERS

ST. PETERSBURG, April 21.—Swindlers are working so successfully in the church's name all over European Russia, on the people's fear of Halley's comet, that the clerical authorities have appealed to the government to act in the matter.

The ignorant Russian masses have been for several months in terror of the comet, and so successfully have the confidence workers played upon these fears that it is estimated they have collected, here and there, sums running into the hundreds of thousands of dollars, ostensibly for special prayers for the country's delivery from danger.

The money, of course, has never gone to the church at all. Inasmuch as the police have made no effort anywhere to stop the frauds, a pretty broad intimation is given by the priesthood to the government that officialdom is getting its share of the plunder.

ROBS MOTHER-IN-LAW'S TONGUE OF ITS POWER

WILKESBARRE, Pa., April 21.—Because she said he hypnotized her and rendered her speechless and helpless, Peter Avondale was arrested today at the instance of the mother-in-law, Mrs. William Rose, and

STEEL TELLS OF HIS TRIP EAST

In Address Before Commercial Club He Gives Graphic Account of His Reception by Government Officials in Washington on Recent Trip.

Will G. Steel, who was sent by the Commercial club to Washington to lobby for the Crater Lake highway appropriation, gave a graphic account of his reception and efforts at the nation capital to the Commercial club Wednesday evening. He stated that when he arrived all the officials of both interior and agricultural departments gave him the cold shoulder because of the decision of the Oregon supreme court against the Crater Lake road.

"When I found what the trouble was," said Mr. Steel, "I spent two days visiting these officials and asking them to come, as a personal favor, to hear my lecture at the Congregational church. With one or two exceptions every one of the officials I desired to attend the lecture, which I illustrated with 150 of the finest slides ever made, attended."

"I began with the creation of the Oregon territory, describing its geographic and other features and gradually bringing the discourse down to Crater Lake. I dwelt upon the efforts made to secure a highway, and detailed the history of the lake. I censured the supreme court strongly for its decision, and was warmly applauded for it. I then told of Medford's effort to raise money by popular subscription, and it was the Medford spirit that changed the attitude of the government officials and procured their co-operation, and the expenditure of \$5000 this summer in the forest reserve, the survey of the park and other expenditures as well as a recommendation from Secretary Ballinger for a large appropriation next winter."

Engineer Herring of the forestry bureau made a brief talk telling the club was the bureau was doing and would do and assuring them of its active co-operation and assistance in all possible ways in the making accessible of the Crater Lake park.

ENGLISHMEN SYMPATHIZE WITH KROO TRIBESMEN

LONDON, April 21.—Englishmen returning from Liberia almost without exception sympathize with the Kroo tribesmen in the somewhat desultory but persistent campaign they are waging against the Liberian government. Sooner or later, it is asserted, serious trouble is going to result.

The Kroos, on the one hand, are represented as an independent, intelligent race, which supplies practically the only labor in West Africa. The Liberians, on the contrary, are denounced as wholly incompetent. It is declared that they do nothing whatever for the Kroos beyond taxing them inhumanly. The Kroos do not recognize their authority and have frequently laid complaints before the governors at Sierra Leone, adjoining Liberia, with the result that England has several times remonstrated sharply with the Liberians.

HANLEY WILLING ARBITRATE

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KETCHELL SAID TO BE IN GOOD SHAPE

Joe Choynski to Spring New Stunt on Jeff to Get Him in Proper Shape—No Pictures of Jeff.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 21.—Writing to a friend in this city, an eastern sporting man who has watched Stanley Ketchell at work for his fight with Sam Langford at Philadelphia on April 27, declared that the middleweight champion actually is working hard and that when he steps into the ring he will be in grand shape.

Joe Choynski, accompanied by Sam Berger, left today for Rowardennan. According to Choynski's present plans he will not begin boxing with Jeffries for several days, as he wants to do a little road and gymnasium work before putting on the gloves. Joe insists that he is sincere when he says that he is going to try his new theories on Jeffries, bringing the Burbank giant around to the proper state of mind and body by pulling the philosophy, Psychology, music and literature stuff on him. Jeffries isn't very strong for that sort of training, and if Choynski succeeds in putting it over on him, he will surprise a lot of people, and none more than Jeffries himself.

Owen Moran and Tommy McCarthy, who fight for Jim Griffin's club on the night of April 29, are in the full swing of training and will continue at the hard grind until the day before the battle.

Sam Berger, whose business sense is continually to the fore, has decided not to have moving-pictures taken of Jeffries in camp for the reason were he to win in one round the pictures would be too short to draw the big money they are expected to. The camp pictures, therefore, would be needed to carry the ring pictures through.

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Tickets will be on sale May 2d and 9th; June 2d, 17th and 24th; July 5th and 22d; August 3d; September 8th.

The above rates apply from Portland only. From points south of Portland, add ONE WAY local rate to Portland, to make through rate via Portland. One way through California, add \$15.00 to above rates.

Ten days provided for the going trip. Stop-overs within limits in either direction. Final return limit three months from date of sale, but not later than October 31st.

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A beautiful display of Parasols, including all of the latest fancies, all the wanted plain colors, pongees, rajahs, etc., etc. New styles for ladies, misses and the small toddlers.

THE NEW HANDLES

The handles are beautiful, including all of the mission effects so catchy and popular this season; also natural wood and many other fancy effects. You will find a parasol very easily here and the price will be the easiest part.

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VAN DYKE'S

Interests of each section. It will secure for the majority and the minority separate committees to select the membership of the respective standing committees.

"The centralization in the speaker of the right to appoint committees to control legislation through the rules committee and the power of recognition made him the most autocratic influence in American politics. To say the consequence of these powers has made the office a gigantic machine of political blackmail is only to state what everybody admits."

The orders have created much discussion as it was understood that the Cheyenne was scheduled for the scrap heap.

have been received at the Mare Island and navy-yard from Washington to put the monitor Cheyenne in commission as soon as possible in order that it may be sent to the Bremerton navy-yard in Puget Sound. The Cheyenne has been out of commission for six months.

It is understood that the Cheyenne will be given a thorough overhauling at Bremerton. It is not known what the government intends to do with the monitor after she has been repaired.

CHEYENNE IS ORDERED BACK INTO COMMISSION

VALEJO, Cal., April 21.—Orders Haskins for Health.

J. W. DIAMOND SELLS THE FINER DIAMONDS
115 East Main Street Medford

\$150 AN ACRE—270 acres, foothill land, about 6 miles from Medford; there are about 85 acres on this place now planted to fruit, which includes about 26 acres in bearing. The bearing varieties are Newtown and Spitzenberg apples and Comice pears. There are 25 acres of Newtowns in their second year with peach fillers and about 6 acres of Newtowns just planted; also 20 acres of Jonathans and 10 acres of Bartlett and Anjou pears just planted. About 200 acres of first-class fruit land on the place. There are many springs on the place and considerable water could be developed for irrigation; two houses, good barn and other buildings. Would subdivide nicely. Easy terms.

\$2500—Sixty acres, 6 miles from Medford, about 15 acres cleared and partly planted; small buildings.

\$250 AN ACRE—70 acres, about 4 miles from Medford, free soil; 25 acres planted to Newtowns and Spitzenberg apples, mostly 3 years old; in addition, about 25 acres under cultivation, balance easily cleared; good new 6-room plastered house, new barn; also set of old buildings. Could be subdivided into two or three tracts nicely. Easy terms.

\$5500—Six miles from Medford, good new buildings, about 8 acres planted to Newtowns, Spitzenbergs and pears, 1 and 2 years old; about 7 acres additional cleared, balance not hard clearing; good team, wagon and machinery goes with the place. This is a 40-acre tract.

\$15,000—A first-class fruit and alfalfa ranch, 185 acres, 5 1/2 miles from railway station, practically all bottom land, 140 acres now under cultivation, water right with place; fair house, two barns, schoolhouse on the place, for \$15,000, which is only \$81 an acre; \$6000 cash will handle, and easy terms can be had on the balance; this is a fine chance to get a first-class tract of low-priced land for development purposes. We don't think this will last long, and if you are interested, come in and see us about it.

\$12,525—Eleven acres in Comice pears, 10 years old; 9 acres in Bartlett and Anjou pears, 1 to 3 years old; close in; good soil; terms asked.

\$12,000—Eleven acres in Comice and Bose pears, 14 years old; these trees are in full bearing and will pay a good income on the price asked.

\$15,000—Twenty acres, fine new modern bungalow, buildings easily worth \$4000; about 13 acres of apples in full bearing; trees are 16 years old; balance planted to apples 2 years old; good soil; slightly location; close to market; an assured income from the beginning; a fine home.

\$150 to \$200 PER ACRE—Stewart acre tracts; 2 miles from Medford; tracts are from 10 to 25 acres in size; fine building spots on all; can all be irrigated; cheapest tracts in Medford neighborhood; easy terms.

\$300 PER ACRE—Finest 5 and 10-acre orchard and garden tracts in the valley; easy terms.

W. T. YORK & CO.