

Personal and Local

B. T. Harrison of Monroe, Wash., who desires to locate his family in a better climate than that of the Evergreen state, is stopping in Medford for a short time.

Moor-Ehni Co., loans, Fruitgrowers' Bank building.

Ed King, the popular caterer of the Nash, made a business trip to Ashland Wednesday evening.

Have your Xmas photos made by Mackey if you want something to please.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene B. Foster and young son, Gordon, and Miss Pemelia Foster of Oak Mount orchard, leave Thursday for San Diego, Cal., where they will spend the winter.

If you want to enjoy the show, take a pair of opera glasses with you. Dr. Goble has them at prices from \$6.00 to \$25.00. 301 East Main street.

A. D. Cook, who is seeking for a location for a home, arrived here Wednesday night. Mr. Cook hails from Newcastle, Wyo.

Moor-Ehni Co., exclusive agents for property in Crescent and Wakefield, Or., townsites on Hill's new railroad. See them. Crescent is division point. 220.

Dr. Pollnitz of Central Point was in Medford on professional business Wednesday afternoon.

Is your house wired? One cigar less a day would pay for a hundred per cent increase in comfort. Start living the electric life.

Joe S. Boswell, one of the popular business men of Central Point, was in the city on business Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Boswell has just disposed of his timber claim in Siskiyou county for \$3000.

Fifty-three acres special, 10 acres coming into bearing orchard. Call on J. B. Wood, Condon Water & Power Co.'s office.

Henry Heldt of Yankton, N. D., has arrived in Medford and will make his home at some point in the Rogue River valley.

The Hull auto livery has decided to accommodate the trade to and from the opera, natatorium dances, cafes and so forth, and by placing a call they will call for you at any time. Their orders will be booked at their office. Phone 3141.

A. L. Lawrence, who is by trade a plumber and gas fitter, is in Medford for a few days. Mr. Lawrence comes from Ogden, Utah.

The Medford Hardware Co. has hundreds of useful articles suitable for gifts.

L. M. Simpson, who is engaged in the general merchandise business at the Needles, Cal., is spending a few days in Medford.

Wanted—boarders. A new boarding house has opened at 706 South Oakdale. Call and see us for fair treatment, or address F. H. Moreland. 302

Alvin Mullinax of Madera, Cal., is in the city on legal business. Mr. Mullinax is connected with the Miller & Lux estate and is here on business in connection with that vast plantation.

Xmas photos made by Mackey will please.

George E. Green of Corvallis is in town on a pleasure trip.

Chafing dishes, carving sets, brass articles, silverware and the best, in latest, swellest designs at the Medford Hardware Co.

Charles H. Hunter of Skagway, Alaska, is stopping in town for a few days. He expects to meet his mother and sister at this point. They live at Salt Lake, Utah, but are at present in San Francisco and will meet Mr. Hunter here, from which point he will accompany them to Portland.

Every light but electricity gives off smoke and smoke contains soot, which deposits on your wall paper, curtains, draperies. Electric light glows in an air tight bulb.

George W. Wilson of Galena, Kan., reached Medford Wednesday night. Mr. Wilson is a lead mine operator of that district and is on the coast in the interest of his health, having been affected by arsenical poisoning from the mines of his district.

The next idle hour that comes along, make it pay you a big dividend by having demonstrated to you at room 207 Phipps bldg., the White House pantry. The inducement to secure one free is bound to interest you.

P. C. Armstead of Port Townsend, Wash., is transacting legal business in Medford.

Clarence B. Bogle of Sigourney, Ia., reached Medford Thursday. Mr. Bogle has been for a number of years in the clothing business in Iowa and, should the country suit him, will locate in that line of business at some point on this coast.

Walt for Meeker's big clearance sale—everything on sale.

Arthur M. Beal, who has been working in Santa Cruz, Cal., for the past three months, has returned to Medford. Mr. Beal says California has more sunshine than money and he prefers Rogue River valley.

W. H. Meeker & Co. will begin the big sale Saturday morning. You will miss it if you fail to visit their store Saturday.

Walter C. Winston is in the city, having arrived from Hastings, Neb., Thursday.

An elegant line of opera glasses in gold, pearl and Morocco at Dr. Goble's optical parlors, 301 East Main street.

Will C. Haggood of Salem is in Medford for a few days on business matters.

Xmas gifts from Van de Car's will please forever.

James R. McCann of Buffalo, Wyo., a coal mine operator of the Rock Creek Coal company, is in Medford for a few days.

Meeker will save you money on ready-to-wear—sale Saturday.

Piano tuning. Phone Main 4171. 221

John Worley, who has a homestead in the vicinity of Trail, was transacting business in Medford Thursday. Mr. Worley says the roads are in very bad condition the greater part of the way from Trail to Medford.

B. T. Van De Car's jewelry store will be open evenings from now until Christmas.

Miss Alice Degen of Santa Rosa, Cal., has arrived in the city and will visit an aunt in the neighborhood of Table Rock.

Be sure and call on B. T. Van De Car when in search of something pleasing in the line of new and classy jewelry. Open evenings.

Warren Brooks, who lately came to the valley from Port Blakeley, Wash., will make his home in Medford, having sent for his family.

Walter Ferris has gone to San Francisco, after having visited the home of his youth for a few days.

The work of excavating for a new business building on Fir street just above the Moore bar.

J. R. Stewart, contractor on the Natatorium, returned Wednesday night from a business visit to San Francisco.

E. F. A. Bittner promises to employ only American born white men with families, if possible, for all city work.

Ed Healey of Philadelphia, who for a number of years has been connected with the Reading Railway company, is here for a few days. Mr. Healey is suffering from infected eyesight and hopes a rest will restore his sight to its former perfection.

Chris Thompson, a wealthy ex-businessman of Hoquiam, Wash., is in Medford for a few days. Mr. Thompson has a valuable timber claim on Evans creek, which he is looking after and incidentally would like to find a business location in this city.

He is much taken with Medford and says the town reminds him of the balmy days of the Grays Harbor country.

Miss Maxine Leonard of Ashland is spending the day with friends in Medford.

The reading and club rooms in the parlor of the Presbyterian church are open every evening, except Sunday, from 6:30 to 10 p. m., and are free to all men.

The Epworth league held an enjoyable social Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Clara Wine, and all who attended the event pronounce it one of the most pleasant occasions of which they have had the good fortune to attend in many months.

The M. E. Brotherhood held its regular meeting Wednesday night and was treated to an excellent address by B. F. Mulkey.

George Gaspleck and Miss Maybelle Bonner, both of Jackson county, were united in marriage last Saturday afternoon by Rev. Beknap of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaspleck will make their home in Medford, where they have a large circle of friends, who wish them everything meant by the word prosperity.

The two-mile relay skating race which occurred Wednesday night at the Natatorium was won by the Medford team over the champion team of Ashland. Harry Schultz, Noisey Slocum, Curley Beakum and Willard Jones constituted the home team.

The single race of one mile was won by Harrington of Ashland. Harrington of Ashland and Slocum of Medford are now being matched for a race and the event promises to be one of great interest.

W. B. Bailey, who reached Medford Wednesday and who expects to locate in the Rogue River valley, has already decided to purchase lots and build a bungalow. Mr. Bailey is a retired grocery merchant and is merely looking for a good town in which to build a home.

Don't forget the Medford hardware when looking around for gifts.

John L. Haley, formerly editor of the Rains City News at Fresno, Cal., was in the city Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Haley is on his way to the north-west territory.

What is more appropriate than a seal ring engraved properly? B. L. Van de Car will engrave it free of charge while you wait. Phipps Bldg. 11

Robert Foote, who for years was in the employ of the government as sutler at Old Fort Laramie, Wyo., is sojourning in Medford.

Free reading rooms at Presbyterian church, open every evening from 6:30 to 10 except Sunday.

Robert G. Wilson of Salem was in the city Wednesday evening transacting legal business.

Late magazines, papers, and periodicals at Presbyterian reading room in church, corner Holly and Main streets. Open 6:30 to 10 p. m. Every man and boy is invited to spend the evening here.

Will H. Gray of Klamath Falls was in the city Wednesday. Mr. Gray is here in the interest of a Portland vinegar and pickling works.

Have you seen B. L. Van de Car's show window on Main street, Phipps Bldg? It has some suggestions for Xmas gifts.

Gene Whitney, who for the past four years has been one of Uncle Sam's boys at Fort Flagler, Wash., has his discharge from the service and will live in Rogue River valley in the future. Mr. Whitney has served two enlistments in the army.

You can't afford to miss Meeker's big sale—everything reduced.

A. H. Avers of Williams, Ariz., arrived in Medford Wednesday on a ten days' visit with friends and while here will purchase a small tract of land for orchard purposes.

My prices are reasonable. Your eyesight is priceless. Dr. Rickert, over Kentner's.

S. J. Potte, who for several years has been engaged in the general merchandise business at Gresham, was transacting business in Medford Wednesday evening.

If you haven't got a block in Oakdale Park addition you had better get one at once. See W. H. Everhard, 909 Ninth street, West, for particulars. 11

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Lard comes from the fat of the hog—often impure, always indigestible. Cottolene, on the contrary is pure, and jelly made from the juice of choicest fruit is not more easily digested than this product of the oil extracted from the kernel of the cotton seed.



Sunny Monday soap is just as pure as it looks. It is white, made from the purest materials and contains no rosin—starts dirt like magic—washes woolens without shrinking—does not fade colors—works in any kind of water—and contains a marvelous dirt-starter which saves time and rubbing. Sunny Monday will double the life of your clothes and save you half the labor of wash day.

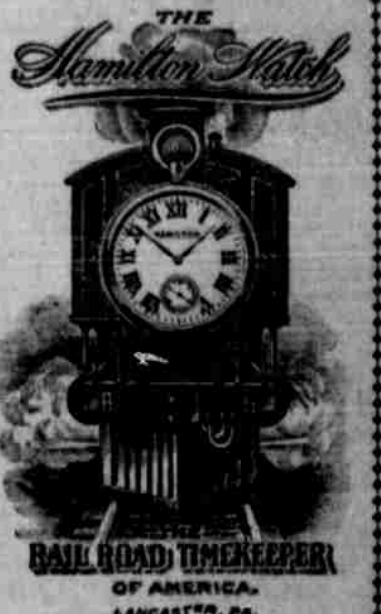
THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY CHICAGO

John R. Wiseman of Tillamook is in the city on a business mission.

Joe Hunt, who is running for city recorder of Ashland, was in the city for a few minutes Wednesday evening.

John H. Curkin, attorney at law, over Jackson County bank.

A. M. Dien of Warrenton is among the Thursday arrivals in Medford. Mr. Dien will investigate the entire valley before returning. He expects to buy land at some point in southern Oregon and will place his son, D. W. Dien, upon the place. Small fruit culture is the object.



You are invited to call here and see my exceptionally fine assortment of Holiday Goods. That little ARTICLE you have been looking for may be here. Jewelry, Diamonds, Watches, Rings, Silverware, Cut Glass, etc., etc., all in latest designs and superior makes.

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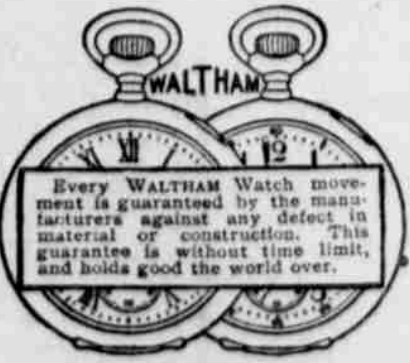


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