

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Eda Hays of Gold Hill has returned to her home after a short visit spent with friends here.

J. E. Enyart has returned from a week spent at his Rogue river ranch near the mouth of Big Butte.

Colonel Frank Ray left Tuesday for San Francisco upon a business trip.

Late magazines, periodicals and papers at the free reading room in chapel back of the Presbyterian church. Open evenings from 7:00 to 10 p. m. All men and boys are invited.

R. D. Hake of North Central Point district is spending a few days in Medford.

They say Tummy at 201 Garnett-Corey building has some awful good bargains in houses and lots on hand.

W. H. Pattello of Grants Pass spent Wednesday in Medford.

Dr. J. E. Shearer, physician and surgeon. Office over Strang's drug store.

Contractor Natwick of the Crater Lake highway left Wednesday for his Prospect camp.

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

J. D. McArdle arrived in Medford Tuesday from San Francisco.

H. B. Patterson, 116 E. Main, has some nice English Hollies and all kinds of shade trees. Roses (all the best). Now is a good time to plant. Drop in and see me.

A. E. Hammell of Eagle Point is a Medford visitor.

Call phone 2151, 1032 for baggage wagon.

D. C. Herrin of Portland is making a business visit to this city.

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

E. D. Powell of Portland was among the arrivals here from the north Wednesday.

Spring hats in all their glory at Mrs. Salter's Home Millinery, at 1021 West Ninth street.

W. D. Pattello of Grants Pass is spending a few days in Medford on business.

Here is a tip. Tummy has a \$3000 house for sale that can't be duplicated.

O. Korn of Portland is in the city. See R. A. Holmes, The Insurance Man, Over Jackson County bank.

R. D. Hoke of Central Point is a Medford visitor.

Who is Tummy? He is a city property seller at 201 Garnett-Corey building.

G. C. Sooy-Smith spent Tuesday in Medford.

Loose leaf ledgers made in Medford at the Mall Tribune office.

G. Baltz of Central Point was in the city Tuesday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Baltz.

Try the new barber shop; everything clean and sanitary; opposite P. O.

M. S. and H. B. Janes are among the recent arrivals here from the east. They come from Michigan.

Ashland Steam Laundry, Medford office, phone No. 1201.

Mrs. M. D. Bowers has returned to her home in Eugene after a brief visit here.

Made in Medford, any style of loose leaf or blank book, at Mall Tribune office.

Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Bunch spent Tuesday visiting Mr. Bunch's parents in Jacksonville.

Printing, all kinds at Portland prices. Mail Tribune office.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. DeArmond and H. H. DeArmond spent Sunday in Grants Pass with relatives.

I hear Tummy likes to show houses to his customers.

John Lydon, a hotel man from Jacksonville, spent Wednesday in Grants Pass.

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All kinds of bindery work done at Mall Tribune office.

Harry J. Brown left Tuesday for a visit in Portland.

W. W. Johnson of Woodville is visiting friends in this city.

Grants Pass acreage for sale—A snap—32 1-2 acres, the most beautiful subdivision acreage in the city, lays high and slightly; good modern house and other improvements; on main street; all cleared; close in; price \$16,000; terms. Address P. O. Box 580, Grants Pass, Oregon. Phone 239 R.

C. E. Whisler has returned from a business trip north.

Gregory leading photographer, views, portraits.

Lottie M. Howard, accompanied by her trimmer, Miss Kinyon, has returned recently from San Francisco, where they have been for several weeks studying the latest styles in millinery. She has a larger and better stock than ever before, which she would like for all the ladies to see while the stock is fresh and new.

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MEMSIC ISSUES HIS CHALLENGE

Former Member of the Local Police Force, and One of the Heaviest Men in Town, Will Tackle Winner of Busch-Renz Go, Winner Take All

Joe Memsic, weight 235 pounds, a former boxer, wrestler, and at one time a member of the local police force, will issue a challenge tomorrow night to meet the winner of the Busch-Renz match. He will bar percentage and agree to wrestle either man on a winner-take-all basis.

During the past week Memsic has put in several hours each day training for the event, which will take place next Monday evening at the Natorium. In a try-out with Carl Busch in the training room prepared for the big men in the basement of the Natorium Tuesday, Memsic demonstrated his ability to handle the Dutchman by lifting him completely off his feet. With the added advantage of almost 65 pounds in weight, together with the hardening he has subjected his muscles to within the last week, Memsic feels confident of being able to handle either of the men who wrestle tomorrow night and he has signed away his right to a loser's share of the gate.

The bout tomorrow night will take place at 8:30 o'clock and will be preceded by a three-fall match between Coy Watson, a local boy, and Jenkins Junior, a product of the Windy city. Renz, who is engaged in the plumbing and heating business here, has not been actively engaged in wrestling for almost a year, but is confident of being able to "come back" sufficiently to give Busch, who failed to throw Dyrberg here last week, about all that he cares to tackle. Money is being waged at even terms on the outcome of the go.

FLEET STRIPS FOR WAR

The destroyers can range 500 miles, while the torpedo boats are good for about 800 miles. They can all take on fuel while at sea. The submarines are both fitted with towing bridges, by which they can be dragged by their tender or by any other ship.

The old army barracks in the city, which have not been used for years, are being prepared for occupancy.

SEE JAPAN'S HAND IN ACTION LEADING TO TROOP MOVEMENT

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, March 8.—Travelers returning from Mexico believe that the sudden mobilization of troops on the Mexican border is the result of information that Mexico is preparing to cede or lease Magdalena harbor and its islands to Japan as a naval base. The harbor has been used as an American naval base.

A financial agent of concerns having large holdings in Mexico pointed out this afternoon that when the Japanese fleet was in Mexican waters the officers were feted by President Diaz.

Haskins for Health.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

HIGHCROFT residence sites are selling daily; make your selection before choice lots are sold.

S. B. GRAHAM, FIRE INSURANCE MAN, Representing old line companies. Room 3, P. O. Block., would kindly ask a share of your patronage, having come to Medford to invest and make my home.

STUDIO 706 SOUTH OAKDALE PHONE 6072. Private or class lessons in oil, water color or tapestry. Orders taken. AGNES R. GRANT.

NOW

Is the time to have your ground laid out. We have the experience and the knowledge as to how they should be laid out to the best advantage. We have also a fine line of ornamental shrubs, shade trees and two year old roses which will bloom this year. Prices for same can be had at the store, corner Sixth and Central. Phone 1451.

Greenhouse and nursery near city reservoir. Phone 5181. J. T. BROADLEY & CO. Florists and Landscape Gardeners. P. O. Box 521. Remember we are experienced in all lines of florist and landscape work.

COUNCIL MEETS THIS AFTERNOON

Among Other Matters, Consideration Will Be Given Proposed New Ordinance to Regulate Saloons—Adjourned Last Night to Attend Show

The regular meeting of the city council held in the city hall last night was brought to an early adjournment to allow the members of the council to attend the performance of "Fra Diavolo" being presented by the Medford lodge of the B. P. O. E. at the opera house.

Apart from the reading of bills and the regular routine business, no matters were brought up.

Upon a motion by Elfert, seconded by Watt, the council adjourned until this afternoon, when, among other matters, the proposed new liquor ordinance, drafted by the license committee of the council, will be given a hearing.

REAL ACTION IS OUTLOOK.

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The equipment of the Thirteenth infantry and the Third battalion of engineers was loaded here today. The infantry left this morning for the Texas frontiers and the engineers will depart this afternoon. The engineers are carrying a full pontoon equipment.

ENGLAND SEES IN MOVE ABSORPTION OF MEXICO BY U. S.

LONDON, March 8.—The mobilization of nearly 30,000 American troops on the Mexican frontier is the beginning of American absorption of Mexico, according to public opinion here today.

Reports are persistent here that the British foreign office has notified Washington that unless British interests in Mexico are protected England will land bluejackets in Mexican ports. It is considered most significant that the mobilization of troops in Texas caused no official surprise here, and it is strongly intimated that Washington has proved dilatory and that this sudden action was finally taken on the strong indication by England that the time had come to act.

The Post says editorially: "If the United States invades Mexico it is not likely that it will be within the power of the government to set a limit on the consequences of its action." The Globe says: "The massing of American troops on the Mexican frontier is a sign of possible interference which it is impossible to disregard. The Mexican situation is such that outside conditions would only intensify international dissensions."

It is generally admitted by English

MILLINERY OPENING

LOTTIE M. HOWARD will hold her Spring Opening Saturday, March 11. All ladies are invited to come in and inspect the new styles of hats and goods.

109 N. Central Ave.

Millinery Opening

Spring showing of Hats now on display at Rundlett Sisters 103 NORTH CENTRAL AVENUE CORNER SIXTH ST.

Sporting Goods

Call and see our line of sporting supplies. You'll find just what you want at the right prices.

Medford Book Store

Call and see our line of sporting supplies. You'll find just what you want at the right prices.

statesmen that if the United States should annex Mexico she could count upon passive acceptance of her act by England, and in case of hostilities might be possibly be supported to some extent. It is expected, however, that Germany would vigorously protest against any annexation by the United States. Her interests in Mexico are large and her historic attitude in the Venezuelan difficulty is taken here as strong reason to believe that she would not stop at diplomatic representations to prevent American absorption of the republic to the south.

WALL STREET'S HAND IS SEEN IN MOVEMENT OF UNITED STATES ARMY

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.—Combined protest by Wall Street, England and Germany over the destruction of railroads and the stoppage of mining and other developments taken in connection with the illness of President Diaz, is given here by correspondents of the Mexican revolutionists as the cause of the mobilization of American troops on the Mexican frontier.

The revolutionists declare that Diaz's professed satisfaction over

the practical intervention by the United States is merely feigned. They declare the insurgents promised the financial interests that they would tear up no tracks, if the railroads carried no federal troops. They declare that Diaz violated this agreement and the railroads must take the consequences.

The rebel correspondents here declare that code messages from rebel spies confirm reports that Diaz is dying. They declare that the president of Mexico still shows himself to the people daily but that his efforts are rapidly exhausting him and that physicians and two nurses are constantly in attendance.

BARRACKS ARE MADE READY; RAILROAD IS LAYING SPECIAL LINE

GALVESTON, Texas, March 8.—Working under rush orders, laborers are preparing the barracks at Fort Crockett, San Jacinto and Travis, Texas, for occupancy by 5000 troops. The first of the soldiers are to arrive this afternoon. The Southern Pacific railroad is laying tracks from Galveston to the government reservation. It was also learned that the local coast artillery is overhau-

ing guns and clearing the forts for action.

Army and navy officers here expressed the opinion that mere army maneuvers were not responsible for the mobilization of the troops. The collector of the port of Galveston was ordered this afternoon to prepare for the coming of the warships and all shore leaves have been cancelled.

UNCLE SAM IS AFTER INSTANT DELIVERY OF MULES AND HORSES

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 8.—With the announcement that instant delivery would be the chief factor in deciding the bids, local government officials today advertised for special bids for 500 mules and 10 cavalry horses to be used in connection with the mobilization of American troops on the Texas frontier.

EASTERN STAR TO HOLD MEETING TONIGHT

The ladies of the local lodge of the Eastern Star will hold a regular meeting in the rooms of the A. F. & A. M. tonight. The attendance of as many of the members who can conveniently attend is requested.

Best quality Dress Prints 5c | MANN'S SHEETING 36 inch Unbleached 6c | Bargain Day on Thursday | Be Sure You Get Some of Them

Table with 3 columns: HOSE, WAISTS, PETTICOATS; CORSETS, GINGHAM, PILLOW SLIPS; TOWELS, BED SPREADS, SHEETS; GLOVES, PERCALES, PILLOWS. Each item includes a description and price.

Robert Douglass. Is a tailor with a reputation. He does not turn out any cheap work because he doesn't know how. He makes the very best of clothes and in return he demands and receives his own price. He has brought to Medford the very finest line of imported and domestic woollens ever shown here. Robert Douglass will tell you more about himself and his methods tomorrow—watch and wait for his important message. Robert Douglass So. Central. 2nd door North of Main St.

Weeks & McGowan Co. UNDERTAKERS DAY PHONE 2271 Night 'Phones: F. W. Weeks, 2071 A. E. Orr, 3692. LADY ASSISTANT

John A. Perl Undertaker and Embalmer Successor to the undertaking department of Medford Furniture Co. Office With Medford Furniture Company About March 1. Private Ambulance Service. Sick and injured conveyed to any part of city or country. Telephone: Day 351. Night: John A. Perl 4111. C. W. Conklin, 3601. J. H. Butler, 3571.