

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barr are visiting Grants Pass friends today. W. L. Halley is in Central Point on insurance business today. Miss Ada Reynolds returned this morning to her home in Brownsville, Ore., after a visit with relatives in Medford and Phoenix. Hats, shoes, overcoats and suits, all look like money to us. Will call December 5th. Will H. Wilson & Co., care Tribune. 219\* Lyle Gray returned to Roseburg last night after a visit of several days with Medford relatives. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Kontner attended Episcopal church services and visited friends in Ashland yesterday. A Mutual Life policy makes the best Christmas present. See Hutch. 231\* W. H. Stinson is in Grants Pass today on business. Miss Katherine Dunham of Roseburg returned to her home last night after a few days' visit with her brother, Prof. R. V. Dunham, principal of the Lincoln school. Well, yes, we are still buying cast-off clothing. Drop us a card. Will call Tuesday, Dec. 5th. Will H. Wilson & Co., care Tribune. 219\* Miss Mabel Wilson returned to Glendale Sunday night after a visit with relatives and friends in Medford. Miss Wilson is teaching school near Glendale. L. N. and Geo. M. Anson, of Merrill, Wis., arrived in the city yesterday and are registered at the new Medford hotel. Take off that old gray bonnet. Choice of any hat in the house for \$1.98. Some nice ones for 98c. Home Millinery, 1021 W. 9th st. 218 E. P. Pickens arrived in Medford a few days ago from Dunsmuir and is visiting relatives in the city. Mr. Pickens is one of Jackson county's pioneer citizens, he having been a rancher in the Table Rock section in the days 'way back yonder. Mrs. W. H. Merrill, who has been here several weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. W. R. Baumbach, left Saturday night for her home in Wyndmere, ... D. Miss Normile, experienced dressmaker, by the day or piece. Telephone 253 Jacksonville. 245 Roy E. McCrite, of Walla Walla, Wash., is here visiting his aunts, Mrs. R. Smith, proprietor of the Mistletoe grocery, and Mrs. George Laidley. Emily T. Standford, examiner for the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston, piano, harmony, musical history. 428 West Fourth street. Telephone 7211. 231 Mrs. M. Fogarty of Seattle, who has been visiting in Medford with her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Simons, left Saturday for her home. Mrs. B. Randall and Miss George Wright, of Central Point, visited Medford friends Saturday. Special Sunday dinner each week at the Tavern hotel, Eagle Point, Ore. 50c. 225 C. E. Duffield and family spent Sunday with Gold Hill relatives and friends. The best baths in the city, 25 cts. at Hotel Medford barber shop. Assessor and Mrs. W. T. Grieve left Sunday night for Salem and Portland to be absent several days. Mr. Grieve will meet with the state board of tax equalization which is in session at Salem this week. See R. A. Holmes, The Insurance Man, over Jackson County bank. Prof. and Mrs. B. R. Stevens, of Ashland, were in Medford Saturday visiting with friends. Merchants' lunch 12 to 2 o'clock, 35 cents, at Hotel Medford. W. C. Bailey, of Dayton, Tenn., is in Medford on a visit to his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith, of South Riverside. Baths 25c at the Hotel Medford barber shop every day. Mrs. H. E. Boyden left Saturday for a two weeks' stay with her son Charles, who is attending a polytechnic school in San Francisco. Hot tamales at McDowell's.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Childers of East Medford on December 3, a son. Dressmaking and alterations at home or by the day, 411 North Oakdale. Phone 7761. 224 The Producers Fruit company is packing out a carload of Yellow Newtown apples for shipment to London markets. This is all four and four and a half tier fruit and is from W. H. Brown's orchard. The company is shipping out four carloads of this variety of fruit this week, which makes a total of fifteen carloads shipped, all to foreign markets. Try R. & S. Roup Remedy, a cure in the worst cases, 3 doses sufficient, 50 cts. per dozen capsules, 200 Apple St., Medford, Oregon. 221 F. C. Haigler left this morning for San Francisco. Hear Palmer tonight at the Baptist church on: "The McNamara and Their Crime." Candy plum puddings and pumpkin pies at McDowell's. Mr. and Mrs. Corey Watson left this morning for a winter's stay in Los Angeles. Carlin & Taylor (John H. Carlin, Glenn O. Taylor), attorneys-at-law, over Jackson County Bank building, Medford. Miss Blanche Wood returned last night from a quite lengthy stay in Oakland, Cal. For sale, a well-bred male calf, Jersey and Holstein. Address "Fairview," Jacksonville. Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Kelso left this morning for Sacramento. Mr. Kelso is a sheet metal worker and has been employed on the new Sacred Heart hospital. Woman's Exchange opens Dec. 5th at 326 N. Oakdale. Sheet music on "odds and ends" counter. 219 Mrs. M. Wilson is visiting in Grants Pass today. Cranberry sherbet at McDowell's. Buy Christmas goods at McDowell's. Mrs. C. F. Sullaway, who has been visiting friends in Eagle Point, returned this morning to her home at Weed. Whipping cream, Rogue River Creamery. E. A. Dunlap of Talent is at Jacksonville today on court business. See fancy skaters at Nat., Tuesday and Wednesday night. 220\* Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Williamson are visiting friends in Grants Pass today. Howard Fielding and the real skating girl at the Nat. 226 Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Offut left Medford this morning for their former home in Danville, Ill. Woman's Exchange, 326 N. Oakdale, for home-made bread and cake. 219 Mrs. Emmery Purdin returned to her home at Talent this morning. Get a Dayglow cloth at the Woman's Exchange and keep your silver bright without use of paste or powder. 326 North Oakdale. 219 M. C. Bond has taken a position as night operator, or third trick man, at the Southern Pacific passenger depot, F. E. McNabb, whom Mr. Bond succeeds, left Sunday evening for Portland. Ed M. White, one of the prosperous ranchers of the Antelope section, was in Medford Monday on a short business trip. Daily deliveries milk, cream, butter, buttermilk, Rogue River Creamery. LOS ANGELES EXCURSION. An excursion for Los Angeles will leave Medford December 23th, round trip fare \$35, stopovers in either direction at pleasure of passenger. Good going and returning via either route from San Francisco. Join this excursion, enjoy the great treat on being in San Francisco New Years eve, see the points of interest in and about San Francisco, Golden Gate Park, Cliff House, United States Mint, Angel Island Pan-American Exposition site; visit Berkeley, Alameda and Oakland, then journey southward, visiting Stanford University, Palo Alto, San Jose, Lick Observatory, Del Monte, Santa Cruz, Paso Robles, Santa Barbara and Los Angeles. From the latter place visit Pasadena, Redlands, Venice and San Diego, see the beautiful orange groves, the ostrich farms, the floral festivals. Ocean bathing in mid-winter. Visit Catalina Island, see the strange and beautiful submarine gardens from the glass bottom boats, the flying fish, the leaping tunas, enjoy the fishing. Returning northward visit the oil fields around Bakerfield, see the immense stock ranches, the fruit belt of the San Joaquin valley. Full particulars by writing, calling at or phoning the S. P. passenger office, Medford, Ore.

HISTORY RELICS ARE FOUND HERE

George H. Himes Gets Valuable Documents in This City—Autograph Letter Written by President Fillmore Among Discoveries Made.

George H. Himes, assistant secretary and curator of the Oregon Historical society, has left for the north after a week spent in this county, where he has been doing some historical research. Several letters and documents of considerable historical interest were obtained by him. Among other things, he secured an autograph letter written by Millard Fillmore to United States Attorney Holbrook, who was the first official to fill the position in Oregon. The letter was dated 1852 and was secured from the grandson of the original recipient, Holbrook Withington. It concerned legislative matters and a large part of it was devoted to the "scrap" which was raging at that time over the proposed change of the territorial capital from Oregon City to Salem.

Another letter, written by the noted statesman-orator, Edward Everett, of Boston, to a John S. Williams of Salem, Mass., was secured by Mr. Himes while in Medford. While not relating directly to Oregon, the letter is interesting historically on account of its age. It is dated October 21, 1837, and was written by Everett in response to an invitation by an endet company to deliver an address on the occasion of the anniversary of that organization. The writer regrets that he is forced to decline and expresses the following sentiment: "The memory and example of our forefathers, if we wish the heritage of liberty received from them to endure, must be cherished, and we must reverse the principles by which it was achieved and the institutions, civil and military, by which it has been preserved."

At the time that this letter was written there were neither postage stamps nor envelopes in existence. The letter paper is of ordinary size, an 8x10 in. folder form. It is ruled on three sides, with the outside left plain for name and address. The letter had been folded and fastened with sealing wax. Postage from Boston to Salem at that time was 6 cents, and the amount was paid by the recipient of the letter. The word "paid" was stamped in its face with a wooden stamp. The ink is as clear as when it was written. In addition to these relics, Mr. Himes secured the document appointing Mr. Holbrook district attorney for Oregon. The document bears recommendations from the governors of twelve states, and is countersigned by President Zachary Taylor.

DARROW MAY BE ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF BRIBERY

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the election it would mean the retention of George Alexander as mayor here, and they looked over the ground. Persons familiar with the whole matter declare that at the recent convention of the American Bankers' association in New Orleans this was talked over, and at that time it was agreed by the group of California bankers that it would be a good thing to get a plea, even if John J. McNamara had to be turned loose. These men knew that Fredericks had been approached by emissaries of the defense weeks ago, and the offer made to trade Jim for John J. It was suggested that the deal might be put through.

Bribery a Feature.

When they got back here, however, they found that the district attorney had discovered that two of his permanent jurors might have been bribed. They also found that an effort was in progress to have the case settled, and that Lincoln Steffens, working for some one whose identity has so far not been revealed, had impressed certain of the leading business men here with the fact that it would remove much apprehension regarding Los Angeles outside if leniency were shown in the McNamara case, and it was openly proclaimed that hereafter the "golden rule" was to prevail. Steffens and Fredericks take direct issue on what followed. Steffens says he gained his point, while Fredericks says the point was that John J. McNamara was to be turned loose, and that he frustrated the plans. The conflicting claims have resulted in a nasty controversy which may have its effect on the outcome of the bribery case. Fredericks, however, insists that there would never have been any plea of guilty in the case of John J. McNamara if he had not developed the original bribery case and then clinched it with the Lockwood developments.

WANTED—Piano lessons by first class teacher in exchange for laundry work for family of two. Address Box E. 8, care Mail Tribune. 219 FOR SALE OR RENT—Cheap, Party leaving city. Lot 56x130. House 16x24 with wood shed and 12 tier wood; chicken pen and 35 chickens; 5 Howell pear trees, one summer apple tree, also some young fruit trees; 300 strawberries, 100 asparagus plants; city water in house; housekeeping outfit. On paved street in best residence section of city. Call 8 to 12 a. m. 804 East Washington st. W. W. Thaler. 220

MEDFORD THIRD IN AUTOMOBILES

Only Portland and Salem Have More Machines Registered With Secretary of State Than Medford—Tags to Be Given in 1912.

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 4.—Secretary of State Olcott today mailed to the various automobile owners and registered chauffeurs in the state blanks for filing formal applications for renewal of their licenses for the year 1912, as required by the motor vehicle law enacted at the last session of the legislature. It is provided in the law that re-registration by both motor vehicle owners and chauffeurs shall be renewed annually to take effect on the first day of January in each year.

On December 1, there were 6417 motor vehicles, which includes 410 motorcycles, 40 electric, 235 trucks, 41 delivery wagons, 31 taxicabs and 5460 autos of various kinds registered with the secretary of state and 1665 chauffeurs, making a total of 8082 packages of mail of varying weights.

Multnomah county leads with registrations to the number of 3208, just one half of the total registration in the state. Salem follows with 277 and Medford is third with 243. Eugene, Hood River, Albany, Grants Pass, Baker, Ashland, The Dalles and Astoria follow in the order named. Eugene having 150 and Astoria 65 vehicles registered.

As the law specifies tags shall be of a distinctive shade for succeeding years, the color chosen for 1912 plates is green background with black figures. Yellow background with black figures was the color used for 1911 plates.

Card of Thanks. We desire herewith to present our heartfelt thanks to our many kind friends and neighbors who have expressed their sympathy, both in words and by beautiful floral offerings, during our recent affliction. MRS. M. M. CHILDS AND FAMILY MR. AND MRS. L. G. PORTER AND FAMILY MR. AND MRS. GEORGE PORTER MR. AND MRS. J. L. HELMS.

MEDFORD MARKETS

Table with 2 columns: Retail Prices, Vegetables. Potatoes—\$1.80 per cwt.; 2c lb. Cabbage—2c. Parsnips—2c. Lettuce—5c bagged. Carrots, 1 1-2c. Beets—1 1-2c. Onions—1 1-2c. Celery—50c@1 doz. Cauliflower—10@15c head. Turnips—1 1-2c. Radishes—5c bunch. Onions—Green, 5c bunch. Fruit. Cocoanuts—10c each. Prunes—Dried, 10c lb. Lemons—25c dozen. Bananas—10c to 20c per dozen. Oranges—25@45c doz. Cranberries—15c qt., 2 for 25c. Butter Eggs and Poultry. Butter—Fresh ranch, per roll, 65c; creamery, 80c. Eggs—Fresh ranch, 50c. Poultry—Hens, dressed, 15c; live, 12c; springs, dressed, 12 to 15c. Turkeys—20c to 25c, dressed.

Table with 2 columns: Meats, Wholesale. Beef—Cows, 4 1-2c; steers, 5c @ 25c. Pork—5 1/4c and 6c. Veal—Dressed, 7 1/2-10c. Mutton—3 @ 3 1-2c, live; lambs, 7 1-2c. Hay and Feed. Hay—Timothy, \$14; alfalfa, \$14; grass, \$12; grain hay, \$14. Grain—Wheat, 95c bushel; oats, \$35 ton; barley, \$35 ton.

Hastings for Health

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WEDDING BELLS AT REESE CREEK

A delightful wedding ceremony took place at the home of Robert Minter at Reese Creek on Thanksgiving day at high noon, when Miss Violey V. Minter became the bride of Frank M. E. Casfer. Miss Tessie Minter acted as bridesmaid while Earl V. Veight was best man.

To the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, rendered by Mrs. Steinman at the organ and Prof. Arthur R. Rowley, violin, the wedding party entered the parlor and, under an arch of evergreen, mistletoe and flowers, were united in marriage.

Justice of the Peace John Mathews tied the legal knot, followed by Rev. Rowley, using the ring ceremony with prayer and benediction. Immediately after the ceremony the party adjourned to the dining room, where a bounteous repast of all the good things of the season was served.

Many presents, too numerous to mention, were presented to the happy couple. The young folks, who have the best wishes of a host of friends, started on their wedding tour on the evening train. They will visit Portland and adjoining cities and, returning to the valley, be at home to their friends after the holidays.

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MEDFORD THEATRE Thursday, 7th DECEMBER

Checkers The greatest American play ever written. Hobart Cavanaugh as Checkers Dave Braham as Push Miller Florence Heaton as Port. The great racing scene is a thrill. Prices: First 10 rows, \$1.50; next 7, \$1; orchestra circle, 75c; balcony, first three rows, \$1; next 3, 75c; gallery, 50c. Seats now selling.

RALPH LINCOLN TAKES A BRIDE

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 4.—At St. Paul's rectory, in Malden, Saturday night, Jennie Tracy Lambert, sister-in-law of Rev. William E. Dowdy, was married to Ralph H. Lincoln of Medford, Ore., son of a Fall River lawyer. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Dowdy, the pastor of St. Paul's, in the presence of only immediate friends of the family. The bride was attended by Dorothy Dowdy as flower bearer and Paul Lambert Dowdy. They will make their home in Medford, Ore.

Every want ad effort that you "hook up" may not wholly appeal to you—but the experience in investigating such offers will never be regretted.

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