

## ZERO WEATHER ROCKY MOUNTAINS

Colorado Experiences Bitter Cold Weather—Sheep and Cattlemen Fear for Their Stock on Plains of Montana.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 30.—With the mercury down to the zero point all over Colorado and as low as 16 at Sterling, the feed on the ranges covered with a foot of snow and all water frozen, the situation here today is serious for the livestock of the state.

Denver is gripped by freezing temperature, the mercury dropping today to 5 below zero. Trains arriving from the east and south, where the snowfall is heaviest, are from four to 12 hours late.

HELENA, Mont., Dec. 30.—Below zero weather obtains in northern parts of Montana today and sheep and cattlemen fear will be over normal unless the cold snap breaks soon. The thermometer fluctuated around the 2 below mark, 16 below at Havre and the same temperature at Butte.

### JACKSONVILLE

Mrs. E. J. Kubli is spending the holidays with her children in Portland.

Fred Fiek and bride left for Portland Sunday, where they will spend their honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Collins entertained with a large family dinner Christmas day, the invited guests being: Mr. and Mrs. C. Collins and family of Jacksonville, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Collins of Medford, Mrs. M. E. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Main of Woodville, Robt. Main of Ruch, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Shaw, Misses Eva and Laura Couch of Applegate, and Charles King of Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lawlor and baby have returned to Medford after spending the past month in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Taylor were the guests of Mrs. C. L. Reames on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dunford spent Sunday and Monday in Ashland visiting at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Henry Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dungey of Murphy are spending the week in town.

Mrs. Lewis Ulrich entertained at dinner Christmas eve in honor of her cousin, Miss Bertha Prim, of Portland. The guests were Miss Fay Sears and O. M. Murray of Medford, Miss Bertha Prim and Irwin Eckelson of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Langley spent Christmas day in Medford with relatives.

Miss Agnes Broad came over from Medford Sunday to spend Christmas at home.

W. H. Bowen is employed in the courthouse at present working on the tax rolls.

County Recorder Fred Colvig spent Christmas at his home in Grants Pass.

### AT THE THEATERS.

GEORGE SIDNEY IN "BUSY IZZY" AT THE MEDFORD, JAN. 2.



## ABRAMS OFF ON SECRET MISSION?

Reported That Local Capitalist Left for California for Sole Purpose of Testing Feeling There Regarding the Candidacy of One T. R.

Local republican circles are much excited over the rumored organization of a secret Roosevelt club in the city. It appears that the membership is very select, having been most carefully chosen by A. C. Abrams, reputed to be a Seattle capitalist, but now said to be an emissary of powerful interests in the east. It is true that Mr. Abrams, who is said to be honestly entitled to the prefix of "Colonel," has invested heavily in Rogue River and Medford property, but the statement is made that these purchases were accomplished through a campaign fund of impressive and promising proportions. Colonel Abrams, we are more or less reliably informed, after laying a strong foundation here for a successful Roosevelt boom, has gone on a secret mission to California, but it is confidently believed that his presence there will be followed by a wave of Roosevelt enthusiasm which will disclose Mr. Abrams' identity and purpose.

During his absence from Oregon the Roosevelt campaign locally will be in the tender care of "Fruit Tree Patterson," who has been promised the position of secretary of agriculture under the expected administration of Roosevelt. As Mr. Patterson is credited with being highly successful at raising things, the boom may be expected to flourish and blossom like the rose.

Hourly advices as to conditions and progress are being wired Colonel Abrams on board train No. 15 by Secretary Patterson, E. W. Huntley and others.

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Cream of Cauliflower Consomme Brunoise  
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Pommes Hollandaise  
Escalope of Veal a la Marengo  
Fried Egg Plant Roman Punch  
Roast Young Chicken, Sage Dressing  
Stringless Beans Potatoes Risssolee  
Macedoine Salad  
Apple Pie Lemon Meringue Pie  
Fruit Pudding with Brandy Sauce  
Rainbow Ice Cream Assorted Cakes  
Camembert Cheese Toasted Crackers  
Mixed Nuts Layer Raisins  
Cafe Noir

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Timbale of Chicken a la Periqueux  
Cauliflower Bechamel Creme de Menthe Punch  
Roast Young Goose with Apple Sauce  
Sweet Potatoes Glace Brussels Sprouts  
Celery and Apple Salad  
Hot Mince Pie Pumpkin Pie  
English Plum Pudding, Hard and Brandy Sauce  
Dubonnet Ice Cream Assorted Cakes  
Tillamook Cheese Toasted Crackers  
Mixed Nuts Layer Raisins  
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