

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The formal opening of Brown & Hall's billiard and pool room in their new location on East Main street, was largely attended Wednesday evening. Splendid music was furnished during the evening. The room is a large one and has been nicely arranged for the comfort of customers. They also have a big stock of candies, tobaccos and cigars for Christmas and all other occasions.

The High School defeated the Chosen Friends basketball team on Thursday night 14 to 4 in a fast game, replete with sensational plays and passes, and how Central Point ever beat the winner 45 to 12 is a mystery, after the exhibition put up last night. All the high school students and all the followers of the Chosen Friends were there, with the result that the largest crowd that ever witnessed a basketball game in this city was on hand, consisting of 250 people, most of them yelling.

Order your pop corn for your Christmas tree early. Pop corn balls made to order at the Pop Corn Stand 103 West Main.

Mrs. C. M. Thorn and Miss Annie Guemmer, of Hartford, S. D., who have been in Medford visiting Mrs. L. L. Graves, left Friday for Southern California.

The Filrt, by Booth Tarkington starts in Saturday Evening Post, now on stands. 223*

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Moore of Gallipolis Ferry, West Va., were in Medford Thursday, looking the country over from a horticultural point of view. Mr. Moore is himself a horticulturist, being an extensive grower of apples. He declared the Rogue river valley to be one of the most wonderful pear producing sections in the United States.

For goodness sake, have R. A. Holmes, the insurance man write your insurance. He knows how.

Born, in Medford, Dec. 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dent, a son.

Give her for Christmas Community, Diamond Edge or World brands silver plate, Flat Ware, F. W. Shapleigh Hardware Co., 28 South Central.

M. T. Minney, president of the real estate company of Oakland, Cal., which is handling A. A. Davis' big orchard in this valley, spent a couple of days in this section during the week. He was well pleased with what he saw here.

Kodak finishing, the best at Watson's, opposite book store.

Luke Ryan has returned to Jacksonville from his Big Butte orchard. Phone us your orders for milk, cream, butter and buttermilk. Two deliveries, daily. R. R. Creamery.

J. I. Woolridge, who is interested in a saw mill in Missouri Flat district, was a recent business visitor in Medford.

E. D. Weston, commercial photographer, negatives made any time or place by appointment. Phone M. 1471.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Tuttle of Central Point were among their Medford friends one day this week.

Real home-made bread at DeVoe's. Mrs. Marie Kierman Moore of Roseburg has been paying Medford, her former home, a visit.

D. H. Harrell, the miner, is down from Elliott creek district.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Grisev of Jacksonville have returned from their trip to Salem and Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. James Owens of Eagle Point precinct traded with Medford merchants Thursday.

Wm. Gorig of the Pacific & Eastern railroad left for Portland Thursday.

M. P. Jacoby, postmaster of Tolo, was among the many who tarried in Medford Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Miller and her son, Harry Miller of Palo Alto, Cal., arrived in Jacksonville Thursday evening.

Victor Bursell, a successful farmer, of the valley, made Medford a business visit on Thursday.

Fred and Charles Champlin, who are operating a big dredger in Foots creek district, spent Thursday in Medford.

J. C. Pendleton of Table Rock was in Medford Thursday. He shipped a carload of fine Newtown pippins to Ashland this week.

WATSON AND WHITE GO TEN ROUNDS

STOCKTON, Cal., Dec. 20.—At the end of ten rounds of hard fighting, Referee Sol Levinson, could see no advantage for either "Red" Watson of San Francisco or Herb White of Stockton here last night, and called the bout a draw. The crowd thought Watson had a shade the better of it. White was unable to break through Watson's defense, and the latter used a left jab very effectively. Dr. Six, club physician, examined White after the fight and said he was injured by a foul blow.

By far the best bout of the evening was that between Ado Zotte and Johnny Alexander. They fought six furious rounds, Zotte gaining the decision. They were re-matched immediately for a ten round battle next week.

Herb White fought Roy Campbell here 10 rounds on July 4 last. The fact that he held "Red" Watson for 10 rounds but convinces local fans that Anderson will easily conquer Watson if they meet.

JUDGE SAYS RODGERS SHOULD SURELY HANG

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 20.—John S. Rodgers, slayer of Benjamin Goodman, a Stockton jewelry salesman, will hang, if a letter to the governor from Superior Judge Frank Willis of Los Angeles is heeded.

FIND BODIES OF AVIATOR AN DREPORTER ON BEACH

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 20.—The water swollen bodies of Horace Kearney, aviator, and Chester Lawrence, newspaperman, lying side by side in a little undertaking shop at Redondo beach, were finally given up by the sea in which they plunged Saturday while attempting a hydro-aeroplane flight to San Francisco.

OCCUPATION OF MEXICO

(Continued from page 1.) Panama, the latter will ask congress to authorize the following demands: First—The dropping of the neutrality bars between the United States and Mexico, thus enabling the revolutionists to secure arms in this country. This move, it is believed, would encompass the downfall of Madero.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the city council of the city of Medford, Oregon, at its next regular meeting on January 7, 1913, for a license to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in quantities less than a gallon at its place of business on lots 5, 6, 7, 8, block 29, in said city, for a period of six months.

At the Churches

First Baptist Church. A musical program has been prepared in harmony with the Christmas spirit and will be rendered at the morning service Sunday, Dec. 22. The choir will be assisted by Mrs. Florence Halliday-Haight, Dr. Howard and the Baptist orchestra.

Zion Lutheran. At Zion Lutheran 514 W. 4th St., there will be German service at 11 a. m. English service at 7:30 p. m. Bible school (English) at 10 a. m. A Sunday school Christmas service will be held on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Come and worship.

BRYAN AND PRESIDENT-ELECT WILL HAVE CHAT SUNDAY. TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 20.—President-elect Wilson for several hours today studied the corporation laws of New Jersey with a view of making recommendations of radical changes in them to the legislature, and later listened to a formal address by Senator Overman of North Carolina, asking that Josephus Daniels be appointed postmaster general. Wilson made no comment. He announced he will meet for the first time since the election W. J. Bryan on Saturday or Sunday next.

Sherard-Hulse. At the home of R. P. Pfeiffer 518 West Second street, Mr. R. B. Sherard and Miss Clara May Hulse were united in holy wedlock, Rev. C. Wilker pastor of Zion Lutheran church, officiating.

AN AWFUL TUMBLE. Think of this. A fine figured mahogany player piano selling regularly for \$850 now to be secured at the Art Store for \$400, and on terms too. Investigate this at once. The Art Store, 221 Main street. 232

ANOTHER CHRISTMAS SALE STARTS SATURDAY

Will H. Wilson, who has conducted a store at 106 North Front for about a year, has leased the new brick store building opposite the Southern Pacific depot at 128 North Front, has moved his store thereto, has added new goods and is now prepared to properly display his merchandise, which consists of men's, women's and children's clothing, hats and shoes, furs, furnishings, trunks, suit cases, traveling bags, etc.

Tuberculosis Remedy Based on Medicine

To say that a specific exists for the cure of "Consumption" perhaps too strong a statement, but in Eckman's Alternative we have a medicine that has been the means of saving many a life to years of uncertainty, and in permanently benefiting a large number of consumptives.

TALKING ABOUT WATCHES



Our showing at this season comprises the finest selection ever shown in Medford. No matter how inexpensive the watch that comes from Keller the Jeweler, we guarantee it to keep accurate time.

Keller, the Jeweler

DOLLS

Our last word in Dolls. Nothing reserved. ALL AT COST. We need the room. This is your chance.

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Full line of Japanese Goods. Including toys, curios and merchandise of all kinds. Ideal Christmas presents. Prices to fit any purse. Next to Hotel Medford 422 W. MAIN

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Diamond Edge Safety Razor, with seven blades of finest steel, and a stripper, costs you four dollars less than five. It costs a dollar.

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