

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Members of the county corps of inspectors are now going over the orchards in Ashland and vicinity searching for blight and scale. The inspection is under the charge of Inspector T. F. Smith of Talent.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Ashcraft were up from Ashland one day this week. Fresh smelt today, 5c per pound at the Fish Market.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Taylor of Kansas creek were in Medford Thursday. Insure and be sure. Right if we write it. R. A. Holmes, The Insurance Man.

A. H. Houston and James Allen of Phoenix were recent visitors in Medford. Fresh smelt today, 5c per pound at the Fish Market.

M. L. Alford, cashier of the First National Bank, has returned from a short visit to Willamette valley points. Vapor baths and scientific massage for men and women.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Monroe have gone to Fresno, Cal., and may extend their visit to New Mexico. E. G. Perham, bridge contractor, has gone to Portland and will be gone a couple of weeks.

Jack True of Ashland district made Medford a business visit Thursday. L. Carris and C. Chesley were over from Applegate the forepart of the week.

New York Life Insurance Co., C. Y. Tengwald, Medford National Bank Bldg., phone 3371. Wm. Gerig vice president of the Pacific & Eastern railroad, left for Portland, Thursday evening.

Mrs. E. L. Farra of Central Point was among Medford friends Thursday afternoon. Kodak finishing, the best at Weston's, opposite book store.

J. J. Houck made a business trip to Ashland Thursday. E. M. McKeany, manager of the Producers' Fruit company, has returned from Sacramento, Cal., after an absence of several weeks.

Fashionable dressmaking. Evening and afternoon gowns. Latest style lingerie a specialty. Mrs. E. M. Painter, late of New York City. Hours 2 to 5 p. m. 518 King street. Phone 6084.

J. E. Davidson and J. H. Beeman of Gold Hill spent Thursday in Medford. L. L. Jacobs, cashier of the Farmers and Fruitgrowers bank, was in Ashland Thursday on business.

E. D. Weston, commercial photographer, negatives made any time or place by appointment. Phone M. 1471. Frank Bybee of North Jacksonville and M. F. Hanley of upper Butte creek were Medford visitors Thursday.

D. W. Snyder of Glendale is stopping in Medford at present. Mrs. Hodges, for many years a resident of Antioch, died at the home of her son, S. T. Hodges of Gold Hill, aged 73 years.

Take free guess on school pictures and get a beautiful picture of Crater Lake free at Gerking & Harmon's studio, 128 E. Main street, near First National Bank. Phone 2154.

I. Householder and D. Moore of Gold Hill district were in Medford Thursday. Mr. Young who has been visiting his son, Harry Young, the limotyper, during the past several weeks, left for his home in Michigan Thursday.

Crater Lake photographs pronounced by experts to be the best ever made of the lake at Gerking & Harmon's studio, 128 E. Main street, near First National Bank. Phone 2154.

Kodak finishing and enlarging, negatives made any place. Homer Alger on Thursday returned from California, where he has been engaged in mining.

Mrs. Dora Saltmarsh and C. C. Pursel were among those over from Applegate during the week. Watch the numbers on your tickets at the Ugo. Every number ending with an 0, or every tenth ticket entitles you to a free ticket to a later performance.

S. P. Mathew of Butte Falls is spending a few days in Medford. Mrs. Harry Young of Brownshoro, has gone to Oakland, Ore., on a visit.

Walter Bestwick of Applegate made Medford friends a visit Thursday. Jos. Griffin of Ashland, a well known mining man, was in Medford Thursday, on his return from Forest creek district where he is interested.

Horace Pelton, president of the Gold Hill bank, was in Medford Thursday afternoon. Watch the numbers on your tickets at the Ugo. Every number ending with an 0, or every tenth ticket entitles you to a free ticket to a later performance.

F. H. Madden and E. B. Hanley have returned from their northern trip. Fletcher Fish, who is in charge of the Nordica concert in Medford, has been in Ashland and Grants Pass in its interest.

Mrs. H. H. Tuttle of Central Point visited Medford friends this week. Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Barneburg and S. A. Potter of Ashland arrived in Medford Thursday afternoon.

Luke Ryan of Jacksonville was in Medford one day this week, on his return from Big Butte. Watch the numbers on your tickets at the Ugo. Every number ending with an 0, or every tenth ticket entitles you to a free ticket to a later performance.

Mrs. J. H. Miller and H. Thompson of Josephine county were in Medford a few days since. E. P. Hughes and F. H. Carter of Ashland arrived in Medford Thursday evening.

D. Perozzie of the Ashland Creamery made a trip to Medford and Central Point Thursday. V. D. Looney of Jefferson, Marion county, and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lamphere of Palouse are in Medford for a short stay.

Earl Craft, who has been stopping in Medford has gone to his home in Trall district. Watch the numbers on your tickets at the Ugo. Every number ending with an 0, or every tenth ticket entitles you to a free ticket to a later performance.

Now that the superstructure of the new Page Theater is being erected a splendid idea of the plans along which the building was projected may be obtained. The steel is being raised and the brick is rapidly being placed until now the general shape of the building is evident.

Fresh smelt today, 5c per pound at the Fish Market. A force of men were put at work today making alterations on the Ugo Theater. Changes will be made in the lobby and a pit placed before the stage for the musicians.

Mrs. Lawrence Brown of Jacksonville visited in Medford the forepart of the week. Homesteads can be secured in Del Norte and Humboldt counties, Cal., and Curry county, Ore., by applying to E. L. Kendall, Crescent City, California. 275*

Revival services all next week at Methodist church. Preaching to-night. EAGLE POINT EAGLETS. By A. C. Howitt.

I omitted to state in my last letter that L. C. Dagan gave a social dance at his home last Saturday night and I have since heard that there was a nice company and that they had a very pleasant time.

Scott Clespie of Butte Falls, was a passenger on the P. & E. Monday evening on his way home. Mr. Cross of Butte Falls also came out from Medford Monday evening and spent the night at the Sunny Side.

He says that since he left here some time ago he has traveled over the bigger portion of the state of California, taking the coast line from San Francisco to San Diego and returning through the center of the state. He spent some time in visiting among the orange groves of California and reports that the papers have not done the subject justice in their accounts of the damage done there by the frost, that it is a great deal worse than the papers represent it.

A very large portion of the orchards in the flat country are entirely killed, that many of the old trees twelve to twenty years old have burst open and that there are hundreds of acres where all of the trees will have to be dug up entirely and new ones planted, but that the trees near and in the foothills were not damaged so much, that hundreds of boxes of oranges were frozen on the trees, and he predicts that there will be the hardest times there for the next few years that they have ever seen in that country.

Prof. Suddarth, principal of our school, says that they have the four rooms all nicely arranged now since Miss Knox has taken charge of the fourth room and they have the classes divided up so that each class can be properly attended, so, that they now have ninety-two names enrolled, and the prospect is looking brighter. We are living in hopes that plans can be perfected so that we will not have to send our children away from home to be educated but have them remain here and save the extra expense of going to and from Medford five days in a week. As it now Mr. Heath's two children, Frederic and Miss Frances, and Master Bob Palouse are attending the schools in Medford.

Born—Sunday, Feb. 2, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith, near Eagle Point, a seven pound boy. Born—To Mr. and Mrs. M. Peuce, at their home on Elk Creek, Feb. 2, 1913, a son. These two boys could have seen their shadow on their birthday.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The Medford National Bank at Medford in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, February 4, 1913. Resources: Loans and Discounts \$421,390.80, Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 6,248.37, U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 100,000.00, U. S. Bonds to secure Postal Savings 7,000.00, Premiums on U. S. Bonds 2,300.00, Bonds, Securities, etc. 29,938.52, Banking house, furniture and fixtures 48,800.00, Due from National Banks (not reserve agents) 727.86, Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks 1,575.85, Due from approved Reserve Agents 62,247.26, Exchanges for Clearing House 5,911.29, Notes of other National Banks 4,200.00, Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cents 247.96, Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz: Specie 49,967.45, Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation) 5,000.00, Total \$736,654.46. Liabilities: Capital stock paid in \$100,000.00, Surplus fund 25,000.00, Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid 19,771.56, National Bank Notes outstanding 100,000.00, Dividends unpaid 210.99, Individual deposits subject to check 381,968.36, Demand certificates of deposit 47,964.28, Time certificates of deposit 69,459.53, Certified checks 646.86, Cashier's checks outstanding 2,523.55, Postal Savings Deposits 4,316.58, Notes and bills rediscounted 5,692.62, Total \$736,654.46. State of Oregon, County of Jackson. SS. I, W. H. Gore, president of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. H. GORE, President. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of February, 1913. G. W. ROBERTS, Notary Public. CORRECT—Attest: J. A. PERRY, F. E. MERRICK, J. M. KERN, Directors.

HEAVY FINES FOR BUCKET SHOP MEN

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Heavy fines were imposed here today by Justice Stafford of the district criminal court on a number of bucket shop owners, indicted in April, 1910, by a federal grand jury.

Louis Cella, Angelo Cella and C. A. Tillis of St. Louis and Samuel Adler of New York were each fined \$10,000; Oscar Rappe of Jersey City, \$5,000, and Chas. Alley of Washington and Wm. Fox of Jersey City \$2,500 each.

The cases against six other alleged bucket-shop operators were nolle prossed.

COPPER IS FEATURE OF STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—The stock market closed dull today. Union and Southern Pacific gained fractionally, despite the announcement of the Harriman dissolution plan.

London reported a check in the slump in copper, which aided in making the metal the strongest feature of the market. A stiffening in Reading and Steel aided the Harrimans. The railroad stocks were predominant. Amalgamated and Smelting opened three-fourths of a point higher than the last closing. Bonds were steady.

Ugly Sores Quickly Banished

You Marvel How Worst Skin Eruptions Disappear as Result of Famous Remedy.



If you have been fighting some blood trouble, some eruptive skin disease, call it eczema, lupus, psoriasis, malaria, scrofula or what you will, there is but one sure safe way to cure it. Ask at any drug store for a 1.00 bottle of E. R. S. and you are then on the road to health. The action of this remarkable remedy is just as direct, just as positive, just as certain in its influence as that of the sun rises in the east. It is one of those rare medical forces which act in the blood with the same degree of certainty that is found in all natural tendencies. The manner in which it dominates and controls the mysterious transference of rich, red, pure arterial blood to the diseased venous blood is marvelous. Out through every skin pore, acids, germs and other blood impurities are forced in the form of invisible vapor. The lungs breathe it out, the liver is stimulated to consume a great proportion of impurities, the stomach and intestines cease to convey into the blood stream the catarrhal, malarial germs, the bowels, kidneys, bladder and all excretories of the body are marshalled into a fighting force to expel every vestige of eruptive disease. There is scarcely a community anywhere but what has its living example of the wonderful curative effects of E. R. S. Get a bottle of this famous remedy to-day, and if your case is stubborn or peculiar write to The Swift-Speer Co., 127 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. Their medical laboratory is famous and is conducted by renowned experts in blood and skin diseases.

NOTICE. Members of St. Mark's Guild are requested to meet at St. Mark's hall Saturday afternoon to meet Bishop Scadding.

CABARET. Ide Silver Collars. The new Madras Laundered Collar for the many thousands of men who demand something different from the ordinary collar. Has Linscord unbreakable buttonholes. 1/4 sizes 2 for 25c. GEO. P. IDE & CO. Also Makers of Ide Shirts TROY, N. Y.

Men's Shoes \$3.15. For four years we have sold the "Weber" \$3.50 shoes in Medford. They always prove satisfactory. Ask our customers concerning the merits of this shoe. We have them now in stock in the latest lasts in button or blucher, most any desired leather. We are giving ten per cent off on all shoes which reduces the price of the Weber shoes to \$3.15 a pair. THE WARDROBE WEST MAIN ST.

M. M. Department Store Successors to Meeker's Bargain Saturday. LADIES' HOSE: 100 dozen Ladies' 25c Hose, spliced heel, double toe, fast black, plain or ribbed top, Saturday all day, pr. 10c. EMBROIDERY FLOUNCING: 27 inches wide, fast edges, beautiful patterns; sold in some stores for 50c yard. Special 29c. RAMIE LINENS: For spring, all colors, 36 inches wide; just the article for the spring and summer. Special 24c. TOWELING: Mill end linen crash Toweling, usually sold for 12 1/2c, on sale Saturday, a yard 8c. BLEACHED MUSLIN: Blue Star muslin, 36 inches wide, extra quality; usually sold at 10c, on sale Saturday all day 7c. Calicoes—Light, dark and medium—standard—yard 5c. Wash Dress Goods for spring are here. Easter comes early—don't delay your buying—assortment complete. MEN'S HATS: Big assortment of Men's Dress Hats, all colors; sold in all stores for \$2.50. On sale \$1.50. MEN'S CARHART GLOVES: Big special in Men's gauntlet Gloves; regular \$1.75 the world over, on sale at this store, pair \$1.50. MEN'S UNDERWEAR: Men's cotton ribbed Underwear, flesh or natural grey; sold in many stores for 65c a garment, on sale here Saturday 39c. M. M. Department Store Successors to Meeker's FOR "GOOD GOODS"

NORDICA CONCERT TICKETS. On Sale Monday, February 10, at 10 a. m. at Haskins' Drug Store, for subscribers only. General sale opens Tuesday, February 11. Reserved Seats \$1.50.

MARTIN J. REDDY, The Jeweler. Near Post Office. If in need of anything in the Silverware line, I have it. Knives, forks, spoons, carving sets, game shears, steak sets, salad forks, butter spreaders, oyster forks, fruit knives, orange spoons, berry spoons, and everything in silver for the table. Sugar and cream Tea Sets and dainty Silver Dishes. I carry the Gorham Co., Reed and Barton, 1847 Roger Brothers, Wm. B. Durgan.

Weeks & McGowan Co. UNDERTAKERS. LADY ASSISTANT. Day Phone 5271. Night Phones: E. W. Weeks 2071. A. E. Orr, 3682.

WHITE WYANDOTTES. EGGS for setting and stock for sale from the best birds in Southern Oregon. Winners of 1st prize for pen, 1st cock, 1st and 2d pullet and 2d hen at Grants Pass Poultry show 1912. J. H. FULLER, Talent, Oregon.