

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Lincoln McCormack and Walter Rowne have returned from a fishing trip to Fish Lake. In the five days they were at the lake, there were six hours that it did not rain.

Heavy rains during the past two days in the Butte Creek drainage area has muddied the city water—the first time in months.

Screen doors at Medford Lumber Co.

Frank Owens has returned from a business trip to Portland.

Kodak finishing the best, at Weston's Camera Shop. Opposite Book Store.

A force of men are engaged today "ironing" out the wrinkles of the Main street pavement adjoining the curbing. This is accomplished with a gasoline blower. The work was done by the Warren Construction company, the city council holding up a bill for work, until the work was satisfactory.

J. O. Gerking, the best all around photographer in southern Oregon. Always reliable. Negatives made anywhere, time or place. Studio 335 Main St. Phone 320-J.

Initial steps in the campaign against unsightly weeds of vacant lots was begun this morning when men with scythes began operations in the business district. The city will put a man to cutting weeds and grass on parkings throughout the city.

Have your lawn mower sharpened by J. W. Mitchell, phone 323-J. If the city water supply was muddy today, owing to a heavy rain storm on Lake Creek near the city intake Tuesday night.

Dr. M. C. Barber, Palm block. Hours 9 to 4. Phone: Office 110; Home 110J2.

George Lance of Gold Hill spent Tuesday in this city attending to business matters and visiting friends.

Stock Reducing Bargains in Tailored Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts. Ahrens. 50*

George W. Bosche, engineer for the Twohy Brothers, constructing the Grants Pass and Crescent City railroad, passed through Medford this morning en route to San Francisco, after a day's inspection of the route of the road to the coast. He states that the railroad will be built at once.

Ask for Grandma Cookies. Milton Schuhard will leave Thursday for Eugene to spend the next two weeks visiting with Harold Cochran and other friends at the University of Oregon.

Pop corn Crispettes at De Voe's. Mrs. George Kunzman of this city is visiting friends and relatives in Grants Pass this week.

Helmans' white sulphur swimming pools and baths at Ashland, Ore., open for the season Saturday, May 1st. 57

One drunk was captured by the police Tuesday night, and held for appearance before the court. He was discharged with a lecture, and orders to leave town.

Pierce, the florist, has a fine lot of pansy plants.

The Standard Oil company have placed in service a motor truck for the distribution of John D. products throughout the valley.

The will and prophecy of the senior class of the high school were read at the high school Tuesday evening in the presence of 300 friends and parents, by Miss Alice Becroft.

Lunch goods at De Voe's. Moss Barkdull and George Andrews of this city are in Eureka, Cal. this week arranging for the appearance of the Andrews Opera company in California coast towns in the near future.

Pan Dandy Bread at De Voe's. B. T. Benjamin of Sacramento is among the out of town visitors in the city this week on business.

Ask for Grandma Cookies. The Jackson county republican central committee is all agog over the appearance in this city tomorrow afternoon of Gov. Withycombe, who will deliver the principal address at the annual picnic of the Valley Pride creamery on the Applegate. Gov. Withycombe will disembark from train No. 13 at Grants Pass, and be taken to the picnic grounds from that city. After his address he will be rushed back to this city in time to catch the evening train for Salem. This will be the first visit of the chief executive to southern Oregon since his election.

Parasols are most appropriate for graduation gifts. See the new shapes at Ahrens, 50*

Charles M. Schwab, head of the Bethlehem steel company, passed through Medford Monday night in his private car—the most expensive and luxurious private car on earth. The flying visit of the man whose interests are the handmaid of Mars in Europe by the manufacture of ammunition, etc., was practically unnoticed.

Kodak finishing and supplies at Weston's Camera Shop. Opposite Book Store.

Col. Mundy returned Tuesday from a two weeks' business trip to Seattle. Merchant's lunch 25c at Shasta. Levi Stagg, injured when the Ford car he was driving turned turtle at the P. & E. Pacific highway crossing, is out of danger according to the attending physician, Dr. E. R. Seeley. It was at first thought that Stagg was suffering from internal injuries.

See Pierce the florist, for bedding plants of all kinds.

J. H. Gregory of Roseburg is among the out of town visitors in the city this week attending to business matters.

Fleischmann's yeast at De Voe's. The Liberty Bell, cherished in American history as the nation's most beloved relic, will pass through Medford en route to the San Francisco fair, Friday, July 16, according to a tentative schedule. The Liberty Bell will pass through Roseburg the preceding evening, making its arrival in this city some time the following forenoon. It is planned to celebrate the coming of the bell by simple exercises and a noisy demonstration.

Frank Bybee of Jacksonville spent Tuesday in Medford. William Shorts of Colostine, Cal. is spending a few days in the city attending to business matters.

R. E. Neal of this city is spending the week in Roseburg attending to business matters.

B. B. Beekman of Portland, who is in Jacksonville on matters in connection with the closing of his father's estate, the late C. C. Beekman, spent Tuesday in Medford. 50*

AGRICULTURE—IT'S THE NEW SURE CURE FOR PETTY CROOKS



Mrs. Martin Bekins

(By Gertrude M. Price) LOS ANGELES, Cal. May 19.—"Every penal institution should be transmitted into a reclaiming institution through the wholesome medium of regular work and the establishment of habits of industry."

With this broad-gauge foundation to work upon, Mrs. Martin Bekins, wife of a wealthy Los Angeles business man, has set herself to the task of securing a Los Angeles City and County industrial farm, upon which misdemeanants sentenced to a period of punishment of a year or less, may work into better manhood or womanhood instead of deteriorating.

Mrs. Bekins is being assisted in her work by a large committee of women, members of the Los Angeles Outlook association. These women have succeeded in interesting the members of the county board of supervisors in their scheme.

Mrs. Bekins, whose activities in the interest of the city's progress are legion, thinks hundreds of people will be benefitted by the farm. A site has already been chosen

far enough away from the city to escape the lure of the bright lights, but near enough to be accessible. There are about 200 acres available for a dairy or intensive farming. The argument which Mrs. Bekins and her co-workers puts forth in advocating the farm is this:

"Why not tax the misdemeanants themselves, letting them labor at tasks which will benefit them mentally and physically, and will also pay in some small portion for the necessary expenditures of their keeping?" AND—

"Why tax the law-abiding citizens for the maintenance of institutions which intensify crime?"

The necessary funds for the purchase of the farm site and the construction of buildings will be made in the fall with the next appropriation budget, if present plans are carried out.

This means that a woman, working diligently, has succeeded again in "putting over" another unique improvement intended to aid humanity.

An exhibit of art, cooking and manual training will held at high school from 2 to 6 Friday afternoon. Free to public. Children's Wash Hats made to order. Handicrafts Shop. All who are going to the Applegate picnic tomorrow are requested to meet at Gates' store at 9 a. m. to go in a body. The Medford band will go. New Crepe Gowns, very specially priced, 98c, \$1.19. Ahrens. 50*

LISMORE
Lismore 2 1/2 in. Huxon 2 1/2 in.
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George Hamlin was arrested this morning upon a warrant alleging a statutory offense against a 12 year old girl living on North Fir street. Hamlin, who is well known in local socialistic circles, was released upon \$200 bonds. A preliminary hearing in the case will be held before Justice of the Peace Taylor Thursday morning.

Wig Ashpole is confined to his home as a result of injury to his leg sustained some time ago when a horse he was riding slipped and fell. Mr. Ashpole regarded the injury as insignificant, but complications arose necessitating medical care. Velvet Ice Cream at De Voe's.

SPOTTED FEVER IN EASTERN OREGON

PORTLAND, May 19.—Tick fever, or spotted fever as it is sometimes called, is more prevalent in eastern Oregon this year than ever before, according to Dr. Calvin S. White, of the state board of health, who returned from there today. The fever is the same disease which has made the Bitter Root valley in Montana almost uninhabitable to man for a number of years.

Fourteen cases have been reported from Grant county this year and others are being reported almost daily from other counties. About 15 percent have proved fatal as compared with 90 percent in Montana. As a result of Dr. White's investigations the state will begin a similar campaign to that conducted by the government in the Bitter Root valley, to rid the country of ticks, the bite of which causes the fever.

SOUTHERN BEAUTY TO BE MAID OF HONOR AT CONFEDERATE VETERANS' REUNION



SARAH MORRIS LEECH

"The Loveliest Girl in Tennessee" is what southerners say of Miss Sara Morris Leech, and because her beauty is of true southern type she has been named by Gen. Bennett H. Young, commander of United Confederate Veterans to serve as maid of honor at the annual reunion of the veterans to be held June 1, at Richmond, Va.

"Good Shoes" and "Good Stockings" GO HAND IN HAND



Our customers have been calling for good stockings when buying shoes and at times have really lost a sale just because we did not have socks or stockings to sell, causing us to look into the matter and after careful investigation came to the conclusion that the demand was justifiable and that we should put in a line of "Good Stockings" in connection with "Good Shoes."



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- 5c Hooks and Eyes 4¢
- 6 Spools Thread 25¢

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

- Dress Shirts, \$1.00-\$1.25 95¢
- Soft Collar Shirts, 65c 59¢
- Work Shirts, 50c 43¢
- 25c Neckties 13¢
- 50c Neckties 25¢

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- 50c Garments 43¢



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- Montgomery Suits \$10.00

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