

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

B. C. Frisbee, of Hill, California, is a visitor in Medford and surrounding country this week.

At the public market Saturday, pork, veal and country sausage in Booth 3. W. M. Petri. 246*

A police and fire alarm call box has been installed at the corner of Main street and Riverside avenue. Electrician Hinman completing the work this morning.

Madam Davenport renowned palmist and clairvoyant Colonial Apts. 247

J. B. Miller, of Miller, Montana, was among those who looked over central Rogue river valley this week.

A. Rutherford, of Devil's Fork, North Dakota, is in Medford today, making careful inquiry concerning Rogue river valley and its chief products.

Mrs. Leach, Abdo-Support Barclay surgical corset. 326 N. Bartlett. E. B. Peterson, of Minneapolis, Montana, is a visitor in this city and vicinity this week.

He made a careful examination of exhibits of the products of this valley as shown at the Commercial club and acquired a deal of information concerning the valley generally.

Butte Falls Wood yard Phone 48 or 223. Wood all kinds. 257*

J. H. Shipper, of Jacksonville, Florida, is in the valley this week, with headquarters in this city. He is interested in definite information concerning many of the resources of this valley and the surrounding mountains.

Vote for Martin McDonough for city recorder. 248

F. W. Williams and Verna Gilson, of Newell, Iowa, are visitors in this city this week. While here they made a careful examination of fruit vegetables and grain displays at the Commercial club.

When better insurance is sold Holmes, the Insurance Man, will sell it.

An agricultural paper of the northwest published a statement last week that the fall and winter plowing in Rogue river valley has been finished and that grain is looking fine. What grain was sown on irrigated land is looking fine and promises excellent growth this winter, despite the shortage of rainfall, but that which was sown on dry land without irrigation shows an indifferent stand and lack of plant food.

There is an abundance of plant food in the soil for it, but there hasn't been sufficient rainfall to release it so the plants may use it. Fall and winter plowing has been much retarded and discouraged by reason of the packed condition of the soil and the absence of moisture.

Less than fifty percent of the area that would have been plowed, had the soil been in fit condition, has been touched. The result will show in this year's harvest.

25% off on Kodaks at Weston's Camera Shop.

A Portland commission house has written to the Commercial club in this city for information concerning poultry in this valley and the names of those who are shipping to outside markets. The demand is good and promises to become more so.

Home made pie with whipped cream, 5c Saturday. The Poppery. W. W. Flatsig, of Alhambra, California, is doing business in this city this week.

Now is the time to have your furs repaired; prices reduced. F. W. Bartlett, 218 E. Main st.

Irwin Bebb, of Central Point, did business in the valley metropolis today.

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Geo. P. Minus, of Seven Oaks, was a business visitor in Medford today.

Skovgaard, Denmark's Greatest Violinist, and New York Metropolitan Co. at the Natatorium Jan. 14. Admission 50c. Tickets on sale at Haskins. 251*

The College Women's club will meet Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Peebles, 601 Dakota avenue.

J. O. Gerking, the best all around photographer in southern Oregon. Always reliable. Negatives made anywhere, time or place. Studio 228 Main St. Phone 329-J.

S. J. Briston, of Weed, California, is a Rogue river valley visitor this week, with headquarters in this city.

Hot lunches at the Poppery. Remember the poultry show meeting at the public market tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Weston Camera Shop for first class Kodak finishing and Kodak supplies.

Mrs. June E. Welch, who went to Portland last week to attend the funeral of her brother, Geo. E. Brisbane, returned to her home in this city yesterday evening.

Special prices on engraved cards, new and from old plates for a few days at the Medford Printing Co.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY. LAST—Automobile rug somewhere on King's Highway or Oakdale. Return to Mail Tribune and receive suitable reward. 247*

Miss Luella Jamieson, of Oakland, Oregon, who has been visiting with friends and former schoolmates in this city for a month, will return to her home tomorrow.

Wanted, by quiet couple, sunny room for light housekeeping. Address Box H, Mail Tribune. 246

H. B. Trenwall, who has been visiting with relatives at Talent for three weeks, will return to his home in Glendale, California, early next week.

Mr. Trenwall is a Medford visitor today. He is greatly pleased with the appearance of our valley and, although he came merely on a personal visit, he says he has partially made arrangements to return to this valley to reside. Land in the Los Angeles country is too high for the average home seeker, he says; and it is his desire to get back to the soil.

M. Purdin, Lawyer, Room 406 M. F. & H. Bldg. James A. Watts, of the Gold Hill district, is in this city today purchasing farm implements for his new place in the Willow Springs district.

Pierce the Florist for flowers. Phone 374.

Typewriter paper of all kinds and grades at the Medford Printing Co. Josephine county will insist on having a county agricultural agent. It has prepared to certify to the state the sum of \$1250. The state will add a similar sum. The total will be \$2500 with which to pay an agent for expert service in the orchards and vineyards of that county. He will also devote attention to crops and soils of all kinds.

Wanted to buy, two year old stock steers. How many have you? Phone E. J. Stewart, Medford.

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Good dry wood \$1.50 tier delivered. Call W. W. Fresto, 370-R. 47*

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Insure your auto in the Alliance against theft. Fire. C. Y. Tengwald. Owing to the scarcity of live poultry Medford Poultry & Egg Co., are offering 12c per pound for heavy hens; 11c per pound for light hens; 13c per pound for young roosters. All other kinds higher. 247*

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To correct catarrh, cleanse the nostrils frequently with a solution of warm water and salt, insert vaseline on retiring, and take a spoonful of Scott's Emulsion after meals for one month. Scott's acts through the blood to feed the tissues, and contains soothing glycerine to check the inflammation and heal the sensitive membranes.

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M'CURDY INSURANCE AGENCY Affects Insurance of All Kinds Telephone 125 Sparta Bldg.

The receipts at the Medford post office for the month of December, 1914, aggregated \$3196.20. For the month of December, 1915, the total receipts were \$3347.54, showing an increase of \$151.24. This, to be sure, is a small increase, but, compared with actual decreases in many postoffices this year, it may be used to indicate an upward tendency in this peculiarly unfailing business barometer.

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Homer Davis will leave tomorrow for Sacramento valley, having sold his team and wagon at Buite Falls. He will be absent six months. Coconut kisses 20c per lb. at the Shasta.

SUBMARINE LOST BUT CREW SAVED

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The sinking of a British submarine off the coast of Holland was officially announced this morning. The admiralty statement says that the submarine, the name of which is not given, was sunk yesterday off the island of Texel, the largest and most southwesterly of the Frisian group. The entire crew numbered 33, and was rescued by the Dutch cruiser Noord Brabant and was brought into the Dutch port of Heider.

DOG HOSPITAL FOR WOUNDED CANINES

BERLIN, Jan. 7, by wireless.—The dogs of the army hospital service have had a hospital provided for them in Jena, and already a number of dogs, and already a number of dogs, have been treated there for wounds and various ailments. The hospital was built by convalescent soldiers. So far during the war the dogs of the service have rescued at least 3000 wounded soldiers who otherwise would have perished.

Bear This in Mind "I consider Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by far the best medicine in the market for colds and croup," says Mrs. Albert Blosser, Lima, Ohio. Many other are of the same opinion. Obtainable everywhere.

NARROW ESCAPE OF 250 PASSENGERS IN TRAIN WRECK

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Jan. 7.—Two hundred and fifty passengers on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad's last train, the Texas special, from St. Louis to Galveston, escaped death and serious injury between Oklahoma and Rentiesville, Okla., today when the all-steel train, making up lost time, left the rails, and six coaches, stripped of their trucks, plunged into the ditch beside the right of way. Not a member of the crew nor a passenger was seriously injured, although those in the overturned coaches were badly frightened and shaken up.

YOUTHS ACCUSED OF PETTY THEFT

The police department arrested last night and today Frank Reed, Charley Nelson and Will Larson, who have been living in a shack on Orange street, charged with petty thievery. Reed was arrested last night just after he had sold a revolver that had been stolen from a local slaughterhouse last Sunday, along with other articles of small value. These young men have been under police surveillance for some time, two of them particularly. One of the prisoners has talked somewhat freely today and it may be that the preliminary hearing will be deferred till tomorrow to give the young man a chance to tell more about their operations here and elsewhere.

DAY IN CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Senator Met at noon. Bill amending law to prevent disclosure of national defense secrets introduced by Senator Overman. Senator Hitchcock introduced resolution calling upon postmaster-general for information with regard to interference with American mails. Foreign relations committee met, but took no action on submarine question or nomination of H. P.

Fletcher as Mexican ambassador. Suspension of tariff provision free listing sugar May 1 proposed in resolution introduced by Senator Bronsard. House: Met at noon. Rear Admiral Stanford continued testimony before naval committee. Foreign relations committee agreed to consider next Friday proposed legislation to regulate waterpower at Niagara Falls. Representative Gardner in speech opposed embargo on war munitions. Representative Kent introduced bill to create national park service under interior department.

Well Worth Trying Square Yourself With the New Year—Drink Better Coffee ROYAL CLUB Coffee won thousands of friends during 1915—those who have used it say it has no equal at any price. ROYAL CLUB Super Quality is carefully blended from the finest Central American and Sumatra Coffees—aged and neutralized by our own process, giving it a rich, delicious flavor different from all other coffees. 1-lb. Tin, \$.40 3-lb. Tin, \$ 1.10 5-lb. Tin, \$ 1.75 Try a can tomorrow—your grocer can supply you—you'll be surprised at the "difference." LANG & CO. The Royal Club House, Portland, Or.

AFTER INVENTORY SALE OUR INVENTORY FINDS OUR STOCK ENTIRELY TOO LARGE IN MANY LINES. THESE MUST BE REDUCED AT ANY SACRIFICE. THE COMPLETE LINES WILL BE PLACED ON SALE AT A TREMENDOUS REDUCTION—NOT ONLY ODDS AND ENDS. YOU KNOW FROM OUR PREVIOUS SALES WHEN WE ADVERTISE A SALE IT IS A GENUINE Tailored Suits One-Half Price and Less Your unrestricted choice of the entire line of Tailored Suits, many in each size to choose from. Tailored Suits, values to \$45.00, now \$19.50 Tailored Suits, values to \$37.50, now \$17.50 Tailored Suits, values to \$27.50, now \$12.50 Tailored Suits, values to \$20.00, now \$ 9.75 One rack of 24 Tailored Suits in Broadcloths, Mens wear Serge, Cheviots and Mixtures, real values to \$25.00, sizes 34 to 40—quick clearance \$6.50 Final Clearance All Coats Values to \$35.00, now \$15.00. Your unrestricted choice of the balance of our Winter Coats, in velvet cords, corduroys, plushes and handsome mixtures, real values to \$35.00, final clearance \$15.00 Other equally as great values at \$6.50 and \$11.95 All Children's Coats at tremendous reductions. WASH DRESSES \$1.19 A tremendous stock of Wash Dresses in good quality percale and the best made wash dress on the market, all sizes 16 to 44, light and dark colors; also Junior Dresses, real values up to \$3.00—Clearance \$1.19 HOSIERY SALE Armor Plate Fleece Lined Hose, ribbed top, a 35c value, special at 19c Ladies' Cashmere Hose, ribbed top, armor plate, a 35c value, special 19c Dent's Street Gloves Special \$1.48 Ahrens DENT'S REAL KID GLOVES Special \$1.48