LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Lieutenant Willis Shippen, U. S. A., a former classmate of Lieutenant Elmer T. Foss, of this city, will succeed Captain R. W. Collins as inspector-instructor of the coast artillery corps of Oregon. Lieutenant Shippen will be in this city next week, accompanying Captain Collins on the latter's last trip to this district. Captain Collins will return to his command, which is now stationed at San Diego. Lieutenant Foss, city recorder of Medford, and Lieutenant Shippen enjoyed instruction in the same classes at the University of Minnesota.

Can you find that letter or catalogue wanted? We will illustrate a filing system for every need. Medford Book Store. *

Oysters, any style. The Shasta. *

Hayden Dean, aged 60, a prospector of the lower Rogue river section has been missing since Jan. 7, when he left the home of Wm. McAllister for Schan creek and it is feared he has perished in the recent storms. Searching parties have been organized to search for him.

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

The new Grants Pass administration has cut the salaries of officials as follows: Recorder from $125 per month to $100; chief of police from $80 to $75; patrolman $65 with no pay for extra time. The superintendent of streets to serve as policeman four hours a day. The chief of fire department cut from $85 to $80 per month, assistant from $65 to $60. City teamster cut from $70 to $60 per month. Reduction in the salary of city engineer was defeated.

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

M. Brooks, whose farm in California is about ten miles from Red Bluff, where they use some irrigation, but not enough, is a visitor in Rogue river valley for a month or more. "I intend to make haste slowly," said Mr. Brooks this morning. "I know the value of irrigation and, should I buy here, will secure a tract of land under an irrigation system." Mr. Brooks certainly has the correct idea about taking ample time to make his investigations. He will find this valley a most interesting field to study. Its soils are rich in productive constituents. He will find many soil types to consider. And he will see the need of irrigation everywhere. He admits that that is the only profitable modern system of soil cultivation. "The farmers nowadays must make the most of his resources," he says, "and they can't do so without water when the crops require it."

Gates sells Ford cars, $208 down and $25 a month. *

Judge W. E. Reily, prosecuting attorney for the county, attended court in Jacksonville today. This is divorce day in the circuit court.

Tailoring. Have your tailoring done at the Keister's Ladies Tailoring College; pupils may enter at any time. R. 424 M. F. & H. bldg. 253*

Miss Lenora Vance, daughter of Captain and Mrs. A. J. Vance of this city, went to Sams valley this morning to visit with the family of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Pelton.

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

Earl Bacon, of Talent, is doing business in Medford today.

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

Geo. P. Mims, of Seven Oaks, is a Medford visitor today on business.

See Dave Wood about that fire insurance policy. Office Mail Tribune Bldg. *

Mrs. M. A. McKee, of Central Point, enjoyed a visit with friends in Medford today.

M. Purdin, Lawyer, Room 406 M. F. & H. Bldg. *

A. Throckmorton, of Ruch, is among the out of town visitors in this city today.

J. O. Gerking, the best all around photographer in southern Oregon. Always reliable. Negatives made anywhere, time or place. Studio 228 Main St. Phone 320-J. *

Chief of Police John Clark of Portland, has notified Chief of police Hittson of Medford to assist in locating Consetia Groce, of Portland, who mysteriously disappeared from her home in that city some time ago. She is 19 years old, height 5 feet 2 inches, fair complexioned, light brown hair and weighs between 125 and 130 pounds. When last seen she wore a blue dress, brown sweater with red border on cuffs and collar, and bore Meier & Frank's name inside the coat. She also had a black shawl with her. Chief Hittson requests anyone who may have or may yet see her to notify him at once.

Turkish nougat 30c lb. The Shasta. *

G. H. Smith, formerly of the Jacksonville district, but now of Shasta valley, California, is enjoying a sojourn of a few days with his former neighbors in this vicinity.

Attorney Henry C. Warner, of Peoria, Illinois, writes to Chief of Police Hittson of this city for information concerning the whereabouts of Albert Herman Fiege, who left his mother's home in Illinois and came to the northwest. The mother died about three months ago. She had not heard of or from her son for several years. By the terms of her will she left him $1500 in cash, contingent on his return and making proof of his identity within one year from the date of her decease. No word from him has been received up to this date.

Pierce the Florist for flowers. Phone 374. *

H. Hammond of Dubuque, Iowa, is looking about the southern Oregon country, "for rest, recreation and information," he says.

Smoke a King Spitz cigar, 5c. They are home-made. tf*

Hasley Merritt, of Ellensburg, Washington, is stopping a few days with acquaintances in this vicinity. He says there is a great depth of snow in the Cascade mountains in the Washington "sector."

Mrs. Leach, Abdo-Support Barcley surgical corset. 226 N. Bartlett. *

Dr. J. J. Emmens, while riding to his office in the elevator from the first to second floor in the M. F. & H. building Thursday, stumbled over his medicine case as the elevator started, and fell across the back of a chair, breaking one of his ribs and bruising his side painfully. He was about his professional work yesterday, but taking things moderately. He finds it necessary to move very carefully today, but is again at his office.

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Dr. J. L. Helms, during a hunt for big game on the Mike Hanley ranch in the Butte creek district yesterday, killed a monstrous cougar. It was finally dispatched with a shot, but not until it had torn the flesh of the dogs severely. Its large pelt will be preserved as a valued trophy of the hunt.

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At the Methodist church Sunday evening Dr. Rollins will speak on "Life's Cargo and Voyage." There will be special music by the vested choir. The public is cordially invited to hear this service.

Mt. Pitt cigars, better than ever. *

Drs. A. R. and Louise Hedges, chiropractic physicians, Stewart building, 235 East Main St. *

A lively contest for the republican nomination of county school superintendent is forecasted by the taking out of filing papers Saturday by C. W. Ager, of Talent, city superintendent of schools, J. Percy Wells, incumbent, and F. C. Smith, principal of the Jacksonville schools.

Good dry wood $1.50 tier delivered. Call W. W. Fresto, 270-R. tf*

From its 393,488 acres of forest reserve, Jackson county this year receives $1,474.12 as its share from the sale of timber and range rentals, for the year ending June 15, 1915. The money is divided between the school and road funds.

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Judge C. B. Watson, of Ashland, has filed for the republican nomination as county attorney. Attorney George Roberts of Medford has also filed. Numerous other candidates are in prospect.

Why smoke bit cigars when you can get La Gondas for 10c. *

The Jackson County Taxpayers' league is holding a meeting at the public library this afternoon to outline its work for the year. Matters of immediate moment are being discussed by members of the league from all parts of the county.

Try a King Spitz cigar and encourage home industry. tf*

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FOR SALE—Very cheap, 5-passenger touring car in perfect condition; owner leaving state. See car at Pacific Highway Garage. *

FOR SALE—25 White Leghorn hens, 75c each. Marshall Bros., Central Point Road. 260

WALKER WHITESIDE IN "THE TYPHOON" AT THE PAGE, JAN. 26

Producers of great plays have always made an effort to introduce that subtle something referred to as "atmosphere." But it has remained to Walker Whiteside, in his wonderful production of "The Typhoon", not a motion picture, which comes to the Page theatre, Medford, Wednesday, Jan. 26, to provide the extraordinary in stage illusion. Fully five minutes before the curtain rises upon this fascinating play, the delicate odor of Japanese incense is apparent. By almost imperceptible degrees the house is gradually darkened until, with the final measure of music, the sound of a sonorous gong is heard and the curtain slowly rises.

The scene disclosed has probably never been equalled upon the stage in point of beauty and exactness of detail. It has challenged the criticisms of artists and artisans everywhere, since every piece of furniture, the costly draperies and articles of virtue are exactly what they purport to be, and were selected by Mr. Whiteside himself, gathered piece by piece, wherever he found an odd and artistic object to embellish this strangely different setting. Excepting only the beautiful back "drop," upon which is delicately portrayed the view of the City of Berlin as seen from Tokeramo's study, no "scenery" is used in "The Typhoon." Every wall, window and door is solidly built of enduring material. Mr. Whiteside's careful endeavor has made the setting for his play as distinctly remarkable as the sensationally successful drama so intelligently environed.

R. I. Stuart, the builder, will begin on Monday the erection of a one-story garage for W. S. Barnum's hotel structure on Front and Fifth streets, the garage to cost between $2500 and $3000. It will be located next to the Wilson store on Front street and will be hurried to completion. No definite news is at hand as to whether or not the rumor concerning the probability that the Barnum building, nearly finished as a hotel structure, will be opened in the early spring. Mr. Barnum could not be reached today.

Boosters smoke The Medford 5c. *

Editor Wm. R. Brower, of the Rogue River Arms, is attending to business in the valley metropolis today. Mr. Brower reports the snowfall in his district much heavier than here and believes a heavier rainfall has been recorded there than in the upper portions of the valley. Rogue River is 22 miles from Medford. He says the snow still lies in Pleasant valley to a depth of two and a half feet.

Pierce the Florist. Phone 374. *

The present storm has so far spent itself in wind with no precipitation in the valley, though on the southern side of the Siskiyous heavy rain and snow are falling.

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Leave Medford daily except Sunday for Ashland, Talent and Phoenix at 8 a. m., 11:50 a. m., 1:15, 2:30, 3:45 and 5:15 p. m. Also on Saturday at 11:15 p. m. Sundays leave at 10 a. m., 4 p. m. and 9:30 p. m.

Leave Ashland for Medford daily except Sunday at 9 a. m., 12:50, 2:30, 3:30, 4:45 and 6:15 p. m. Sunday leave Ashland at 9 a. m., 1:00, 5:00 and 10:30 p. m.

J. B. Purcell, of Applegate, who is attending to business in this city today, says he killed four large wildcats near his place this week. He is a turkey raiser.

Madam Davenport, renowned Palmist and Clairvoyant. See this gifted lady Colonial Apts. 261

A. R. Bean, of Tacoma, Washington, is visiting with friends in this city and at Gold Hill for a week or ten days. Mr. Bean, as his name may indicate, is a bean producer, having engaged in that business in the lima bean districts of California. He believes the bean field would pay good profit in this valley. He has cleared as high as $200 an acre in a year in that industry.

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Mrs. Anna McKee, of Seven Oaks, will leave tomorrow for Albuquerque, New Mexico, for an extended visit.

John Edwards, of Pittsburgh, Pa., is sojourning in this city and vicinity for a few days.

Miss Amy Cole, of Corvallis, is visiting with friends in this city and Jacksonville this month.

Harry E. Welch, of Gold Hill, is among the out of town visitors in this city today.

H. E. Hellbrun, of Newport, Oregon, is among the out of town visitors today and may remain in this city for some days.

George Voorhis, of Kalama, Washington, came up from Grants Pass last night to remain, having rented a small place near this city.

Mrs. Marjorie Pierce, of Umpqua, this state, is visiting relatives in this city, having arrived last evening.

Ellis Payne, of Roseburg, is a visitor in this city this week and next. He came to attend to a business chore or two and concluded to remain long enough to ascertain if he can't find inducement to stay permanently.

Special musical program by Mr. Root at Castillian Grill Sunday 12 to 2. Roast chicken dinner 35c. *

Mrs. J. K. Howe, of Hillsboro, this state, who is visiting with friends at Talent, is enjoying the art exhibit at the Holland in this city today.

Insure your auto in the Alliance against theft, fire. C. Y. Tengwald. *

THOMAS BEATS EUGENE BASKETBALL TEAM, 12-7

By smashing the Eugene defense in the last half of the game the Medford boys scored 12 points and won the second game 12 to 7.

The preliminary game between the Jacksonville and Medford second teams resulted in a score of 19 to 7 in favor of the home team.

The line-ups follow:

MEDFORD		EUGENE
Young	G	Callison, F.
Torney	G	Callison
Narregan	C	McCallum
Williamson	F	West-Christenson
Thomas (C)	F	Manerud

Field goals—Medford 6, (Thomas 2 Torney 2, Narregan 1.)—Eugene: (Manerud 1, McCallum 1.)

Fouls thrown—Medford none; Eugene 3 (Manerud.)

Fouls missed—Medford 2, (Thomas.) Eugene 1, (Manerud.)

JACKSONVILLE		MEDFORD
McIntire	F	Phipps
Engshaw	F	BennetColeman
Collins	C	Normile-Glvan
Singler	G	Calhoun
Reter	G	Rawlings

Field goals—Medford 9, (Calhoun 5, Phipps 2, Normile 1, Glvan 1.) Jacksonville 3, (McIntire.)

Fouls thrown—Medford 7 (Normile.) Jacksonville 1, (Bagshaw.)

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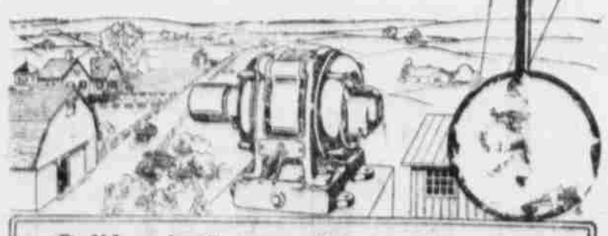

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