

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Marie Seely, of Medford, who is attending the O. A. C. at Corvallis, was recently chosen to represent the girls of the freshman class in oratory at Monmouth, this state.

De Voe gives trading stamps with everything except groceries.

Lecturer at the library building at 7 o'clock this afternoon on "Expectant Mothers," by Mrs. Osborne. It was first published that this lecture would be given at the Holland hotel, but it was subsequently changed to the library hall.

\$2500 to loan on good farm, close in. H. S. Stine.

Sweet cider at De Voe's.

Benton Pool sustained a broken leg by being trampled on by an unmanageable horse at Ruch. The injured lad was brought to this city and treated at the hospital by Dr. Seely.

Turkish nougat 20c lb. The Shasta.

The case of Walsh vs. The Southern Pacific company, the second of the three damage cases against the railroad company at this term of court, was called in the circuit court this morning.

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

Get your milk, cream, butter, eggs and buttermilk at De Voe's.

E. V. Coffin left Monday for a two days' business and pleasure trip to Los Angeles, Cal.

Drs. A. R. and Louise E. Hedges, chiropractors, baths, massage, 235 E. Main.

A. R. Hearst, of Portland, who came to Medford a few days ago with "Brown's Mules," left yesterday on his journey south.

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

The continued low temperatures, cloudiness and occasional rain constitute a type of weather that delights the fruitluffs of this valley, however disagreeable it may be otherwise.

The pear buds were warned just in time not to expose their bloom to the nip of the frost in March, while other fruit buds have been correspondingly delayed in their processes of maturation. So far, March has been mostly a good working month.

Postage stamps at De Voe's.

Work on the Willow Springs extension of the Rogue River Canal company's irrigation system is progressing rapidly, but some difficulty is experienced in getting the required number of men on the job. Eight men were added to the force at work today. More help is desired.

Tel. Dick Sanders your troubles about papering, painting or tinting. 307

Shelled corn, \$1.50 per hundred. L. B. Brown.

William H. Locke, the good natured chocolate man from Salt Lake City, who did business in Medford during the latter days of last week, leaving for the south yesterday, states that the house he represents is the largest chocolate manufacturing institution in the United States. It uses beet sugar exclusively in making all of its candies. It is better to quality and more economical because there is less loss of saccharine substance in the processes employed in its use. Inquiry develops the fact that a very considerable quantity of chocolate candies is consumed in this community. It is not unreasonable to assume that neighbor communities use them in corresponding extravagance. Soon we shall have the home-made beet sugar for local consumption. Why not use our own product in the manufacture of our own chocolates for our own people?

See Maddox & Bouney, Portland ave, greenhouse, about tomato plants for acreage planting. Standard varieties, lowest prices. 296

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

The jury in the circuit court Saturday in the case of Robert H. Halley, of the Palace rooming house in this city, against the Southern Pacific company, rendered a verdict for the defendant. Halley sued for the value of a new automobile which was wrecked by a Southern Pacific freight train on a private crossing between Medford and Phenix some months ago. Miss Wilson was driving the machine. In the hurry to cross ahead of the train the auto engine was "killed" while the machine was on the railroad track. Occupants of the auto jumped out and running up the track, waved the freight engineer to stop. The heavy freight was coming down grade. It appeared to be unable to stop in time to save the automobile. Although the auto was a light one no effort was made to remove it by hand from the track. The jury decided that its loss should be attributed to the negligence of the plaintiff.

Now is the time to plant roses. Some extra choice three-year-old Carolina Testout and Frau Karl Drueck from the finest rose hedges in Medford. Order at once as supply is limited. Pierce the Florist.

Ralph L. Lincoln, formerly manager of the Hot Creek Garage, is now located at Fall River, Mass., where he is Studebaker agent.

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

The Brotherhood of American Yeomen will give a dance in the I. O. O. F. hall at Talent, Friday night, March 17.

Preparedness is the issue, so bring in your lawnmower and have it sharpened and be prepared for what is coming. J. W. Mitchell.

At a meeting of the county court Monday, County Surveyor Brown, Road Supervisor Jack True, and D. M. Lowe were appointed a board of viewers to view the new route for the Pacific highway at the Billings hill. They will go over the route selected by State Highway Engineer Cantline, pronounce upon its feasibility and award damages if any.

R. Rice, an Italian piano-accordionist, added attraction with Tri-angle picture play program Page to night. Regular prices.

Mrs. J. J. Buchner was operated upon Monday morning at Sacred Heart hospital, stood the shock of the operation well and is doing as well as could be expected.

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Mrs. H. A. Porter of Siskiyon Heights, who was operated upon Friday by Dr. Stearns at the Sacred Heart hospital is pronounced out of danger and on the road to recovery.

Beginners wanted for Piano instruction. 25 cents per hour. Mrs. Irazzine, 335 No. Central. 297

C. M. Loomis left today for his stock ranch in Langell valley, Klamath county, where he will remain until next winter. Mr. Loomis has enjoyed the winter months with relatives in this city—and he observes that he much prefers the Rogue river valley winters to those in the Klamath country.

De Voe buys beer bottles.

Ed Austin, chief agriculturist for the Oregon-Washington Sugar company, with headquarters at Grants Pass, was in Medford today on business, returning this afternoon.

The Star brand of typewriter ribbons are guaranteed to give 75,000 impressions of the type "a" and "w" without so clogging the type as to show on the paper. This is a pretty stiff warranty, but that is what the Webster company agrees to with Star ribbons. Sold by the Medford Printing company.

The Neighborhood Shakespeare club will meet at the home of Mrs. Roy B. Peedles Thursday evening. Mr. Lunge will be the leader for the evening. The first act of "The Twelfth Night" will be read.

Medford Taxi Co. "Anywhere anytime." Phone 885.

Supervisor Will G. Steel of the Crater Lake park, who has been attending to official business in Salem for several days, returned home Saturday evening.

Peanut brittle, 20c. The Shasta.

Judge Holbrook Withington is confined to the hospital with illness. His friends are glad to learn that it is not serious.

Mrs. B. E. Hanes has moved her dress making shop to Garnett Corey bldg. Room 312 and 314.

A. L. Taylor, of Alberta, Canada, brother of Justice of the Peace Glenn O. Taylor of this city, is visiting with the latter in this city for an indefinite stay. While here he will also up the situation in a business way, especially with respect to its livestock interests and the extent of local ranges.

Representatives of eastern company wishes to meet two men used to earning more than ordinary wage and wanting to better themselves with a permanent position with a big company; references required. Box A D C. Mail Tribune. 295

Hampton Gray, one of the two men lost in the wilds of the San Bernardino mountains while looking for a lost mine and finally rescued when they were dying of starvation, spent the time between trains in this city today, en route north. He is going to Alaska, "where," he says, "I may get lost for sure."

The regular monthly dance of the B. P. O. E. lodge will be held at Elks' Temple Tuesday evening, March 7.

L. E. Stennett and wife of Ashland visited with relatives in Medford Sunday.

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

The Southern Pacific company has ordered that the whistling of engines in this city, which has excited much criticism, be cut out. The action follows official protest by the city council, following a custom inaugurated after abolition of the yard limits last fall.

J. O. Gerking, the best all around photographer in southern Oregon. Always reliable. Negatives made anywhere, time or place. Studio 278 Main St. Phone 220-1.

Alton C. B. Watson is attending to legal business in Jacksonville and in this city today.

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

Among the late Saturday evening visitors in Medford were Mrs. James Horton, of Phenix, and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Emly, of the Hillcrest orchards.

Big Se milkshakes at De Voe's.

Best Anderson, chairman of the republican county central committee, accompanied by Mrs. Anderson, left today for a visit of a few days in Los Angeles, Cal.

Typewriter papers all kinds. at Medford Printing Co.

J. D. Whipple, of Eugene, this state, is in the city today on business connected with the lease of a tract of land.

Qates sells Ford cars, \$200 down and \$25 a month.

E. C. Penworthy, of Los Angeles, Cal., is looking about this valley this week, during a leisurely trip north.

Get your typewriter paper from Medford Printing Co.

Joel Giddings, of Crescent City, Cal., who is visiting this part of the Rogue river valley, says the war influences, instead of helping out the harbor improvement proposition for them, appears to have discouraged it. He fears they will have difficulty in meeting the conditions required to induce congress to play a trump card for Crescent City this year.

Try a King Spitz cigar and encourage home industry.

FIGURE 30 FATAL TO BOOT-LEGGERS

Just thirty minutes after it was decided that Dick Crowell was "boot-legging," he was arrested today by Chief Hittson and taken before Justice of the Peace Taylor; and in thirty minutes more he was given a sentence of thirty days in the county jail.

Crowell had been under surveillance for two or three days by the chief of police. Today a coin was marked and it was soon exchanged for intoxicating liquor, Crowell supplying the booze. Other evidence had been procured. Crowell was immediately arrested and when confronted with the evidence, Prosecuting Attorney Kelly asked for his plea.

"Guilty," he answered. "Thirty days in the county jail," said Justice Taylor.

In thirty minutes more he was en route to the county jail. "Next."

PLANS TO REVIVE MEDFORD BAND

At a meeting just held, the Medford band was reorganized. The view held by those interested in the results of the meeting is that Medford needs a band and that it should be an important asset of the city. It was the expressed sense of the members that only a permanent organization should be considered. A number of applications for the directorship will probably be voted upon this evening.

The directors of the band ask for the earnest good will and support of each individual and all of our local organizations. An immediate response shall determine whether or not Medford really desires a band. If the answer be affirmative, promoters and members of the band will consider their efforts justified. Heavy co-operation is required to make the band organization a success. The officers are: Edward Charles Root, president; Mr. Lane, vice-president; Wilson, secretary; Mr. Pifer, Jackson County bank, treasurer; Mr. Smith, J. Olson and L. Rakes, conductors.

U. S. CONSULATE TREBIZOND SHELLED

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The American consulate at Trebizond, a Turkish port of the Black sea, was struck by a shell during the bombardment by two Russian torpedo boats on March 1 and a Persian subject was killed within twenty feet of the desk of Consul Oscar S. Heizer. Another shell struck the residence of the vice consul adjoining.

PETROGRAD, March 6.—The Russian Black sea fleet is extending the scope of its operations far to the westward of Trebizond and has bombarded the mouth of the Terna river, where a fleet of sailing vessels had taken refuge. The Terna is 210 miles west of Trebizond.

Thirty miles east of the Terna the fire of the warships destroyed batteries and depot and many Turkish craft. Along the coast line included between these two points the Russians during the last few days have sunk more than 30 warships, coast-liners with war supplies.

SLIDES THREATEN WEDDERBURN WITH TOTAL DESTRUCTION

GOLD BEACH, Or., March 5.—After three days of almost continuous rainfall, during which approximately fourteen inches of rain has fallen, the little town of Wedderburn, across the Rogue river from here, hovered on the brink of complete destruction today. Every living inhabitant has fled to escape the earth slides which gradually are pushing the buildings toward the flooded river's edge.

The entire hillside upon which the village is situated has cracked off. Smaller slides, going faster than the main one, already have crashed down the slope, tearing down fences, bursting water pipes, breaking open doors of dwellings and pushing buildings from their foundations. Mud knee deep has oozed into several buildings.

The fate of the town, it is believed, depends upon the immediate cessation of the rain. If the slide continues it is feared the town will be totally destroyed.

MARSHFIELD, Or., March 6.—None of the buildings at the town of Wedderburn, on the Rogue river opposite Gold Beach, have yet been carried into the river by the slides that threaten the settlement, according to word reaching here today from Gold Beach.

There has been a perceptible movement of earth at several places, however, and unless the heavy downfall of rain stops very soon it is feared that a number of houses and business structures will be swept into the river, which is at a high stage. Practically all the inhabitants of Wedderburn have taken refuge at Gold Beach.

The town is situated on the steep slopes that rise from the river and has a population of about 200 persons, most of whom are men engaged in the fishing and salmon packing industry. A cheese factory also is located there. It is an unincorporated town under the control of the Wedderburn Trading company.

BAKER NAMED WAR SECRETARY

secretary to Postmaster General Wilson in President Cleveland's cabinet. In 1897 he began the practice of law at Martinsburg, but not long thereafter moved to Cleveland, where he became city solicitor in 1902. He held that office for ten years until his election as mayor.

Mr. Baker has received degrees from Johns Hopkins and Washington and Lee universities. For years Mr. Baker has been closely identified with the reform movement in Cleveland and has taken an active part in the street railway controversy there. When Mayor Tom Johnson died Mr. Baker took up the fight for lower street-car fares in Cleveland, argued the case before the supreme court and finally brought about an adjustment of the street railway franchises in Cleveland.

Sought as Lawyer

At the time of the Baltimore convention, when President Wilson was nominated, Mr. Baker was prominently mentioned for the vice-presidency, because of the fight he made in support of Mr. Wilson. He went to the convention as a Wilson supporter and fought successfully against the application of the unit rule to the Ohio delegation.

Mr. Baker is highly regarded by the president as a lawyer. Mr. Wilson wanted the place filled by an attorney because of legal questions constantly arising in administration of the war department's affairs.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

FOR SALE—Or trade for city residence property, country mercantile property, 4 acres commercial orchard; permanent water right. Address Owner, Box 441, Medford, Ore. 298

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FOR SALE—Good steel range cheap. Phone 723-Y. 293

PLANT AN ELM AS SHAKESPEARE MEMORIAL TREE

The Shakespeare memorial tree will be planted Tuesday afternoon on the public library grounds at 4:30. An American elm tree has been selected by the committee in charge of the ceremonies, which will be participated in by representatives of the various civic organizations of the city. In addition to the list published Saturday there will be the following: Robert Ruhl, representing the press; Mrs. Katherine Connor, president of the Colony club; T. W. Miles, chairman library board; Mrs. E. B. Pickett, representing Wednesday Study club; J. A. Westerlund, chairman Taxpayers' league; Dr. R. J. Conroy, representing Medical association; Dr. L. A. Salade, president University club, and Mrs. Alan Brackinreed, president Drama League center.

The affair has awakened a great deal of interest and a large attendance of the members of the various organizations represented and the public in general will without doubt be on hand to witness the tree planting.

This will mark the beginning of the series of events arranged for by the Shakespeare celebration committee of the Drama League center to be carried out by various organizations of the city from time to time. The planting of the memorial tree is the expression of the Greater Medford club's participation in this program under the direction of Mrs. H. C. Stoddard, chairman of the civic department of the Greater Medford club.

DEADLOCK STILL UNBROKEN

Fort Vancouver, four miles northeast of Verdon, but that the French are resisting them resolutely, inflicting heavy losses on the attackers.

Stabbing fighting continues near Verdon, the correspondent says. The village of Vaux no longer exists. More than 10,000 Germans carried out an assault upon the French positions at Vaux, but the correspondent says, were repulsed with heavy losses, several German lines being swept away by the famous French 57's.

It is also said that twenty-seven trainloads of German wounded have left the Verdon battlefield for Germany.

DIED

LAWRENCE—Miss Cordelia S. Lawrence passed away at the home of Charles S. Manning, 720 Welch street, this city, March 5, 1916, at 4 o'clock in the morning, after a long illness, having suffered a number of paralytic strokes during the past eight years. Deceased was a native of Vermont and a teacher.

Funeral services were held this afternoon from the Manning residence at 2 o'clock. Burial was in the Jacksonville cemetery.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Rollins of the Methodist church at the home at 2 p. m. Sunday, after which the remains were taken to Rodney, Ia., to be laid to rest beside his wife, who passed away at Lehigh Beach, Cal., eight years ago. C. W. McDonald accompanied the body.

The many friends of the family expressed their respect and sympathy through numerous and beautiful floral offerings.

The body was escorted to the train by members of the Masonic lodge, six of whom acted as honorary pallbearers, Messrs. C. M. English, W. H. Watts, D. T. Lawton, W. H. McBride, A. L. Loomis, J. B. Skinner.

The native pallbearers were: Messrs. S. A. Nye, W. J. Roberts, Marion Lanes, W. H. Humphrey, F. E. Merrick, Geo. R. Lindley.

ANNUAL INSPECTION SEVENTH COMPANY TUESDAY EVENING

Lieutenant Willis Shappan, first lieutenant, U. S. A., inspector-instructor for the coast artillery corps, Oregon national guard, will hold the regular annual inspection of Seventh company, this city, Tuesday evening, March 7.

The Seventh company now has the largest membership in its history. Seventy-five men will report for federal inspection. A large number of applicants are on the waiting list.

The company will go into camp at Fort Stevens in June, this year, with a full war strength company of 104 men and three officers.

Among new recruits are: Seldon Hill, O. L. Davidson, Myron J. Pawell, Glen Laidley, Dewey Purdin, Le-lund Hughes, Carlton Martin, Charles Murray, Charles E. Carr, Leland Beveridge, Elbert Coleman, Stanley N. Whiteside, Roy Wendt, Myrl Garnett, Ralph Norris, William M. Beveridge, Farley Johnson, Milton Schuchard, Sprague Riegel, York.

OBITUARY.

The death of W. W. McDonald, which occurred at the home of his son C. W. McDonald, East Main street, on Friday at 9:20 p. m., March 5, 1916, marks the passing of one of our best citizens, a strong character whose sterling qualities were recognized and appreciated by all those who came in contact with him. Mr. McDonald was born in Glasgow, Scotland, in 1840, came to America when 2 years of age and lived in Southland and Rodney, Ia., for fifty years, during which time he engaged in the mercantile and banking business. He also spent some years in California, coming across the plains with an ox team in 1859. For the past seven years he has resided in Medford, making his home with his son. He was a member of the Presbyterian church and of Masonic lodge, No. 289, of Southland, Ia. He had been ill for over two years; the last four months being confined to the house.

Besides his son, he leaves a daughter, Mrs. L. F. Pickett, of Minneapolis, Minn.

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