

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Anent the high cost of living and food products a Medford man brought back a story from Hornbrook which is being related with great glee around town.

Mrs. Leach, corsets made to measurements guaranteed, Phone 683-J.

William Vawter of Medford was honored with the presidency of the glee club of the Oregon Agricultural college at the annual election for club officers held at the college this week.

Baths 25c, a sophomore. A. D. Helms of Medford was a business visitor in Eugene on Wednesday and Thursday.

Bakery goods at De Voe's. Notification has been received in Medford that the state grange convention which was to have been held in Astoria, May 8, has been postponed until June 12.

The Walker, recently received by A. W. Tractor Co., who have the agency for Jackson and Josephine counties, is now plowing on the desert near the bridge over the P. & E. railroad track.

George Case and brother, William Case, of Central Point, were in the city today looking after business interests. The Case brothers are interested heavily in peach growing near Central Point.

Gasoline and oil at De Voe's. During the temporary absence from Grants Pass of Ben Sheldon the other day, one of the cub editors of the Courier played a little horse with the new editor, as witness the following published in Wednesday's Courier:

See Dave Wood about that fire insurance policy. Office, Room 404 M. F. & H. Bldg.

B. E. Fluhart, secretary of the United Copper company, who has been attending to business in Medford for two or three days, left last evening for the Copper King, taking with him several miners for work in that camp.

H. L. Wilson, who has been wandering about the hills in the vicinity of Jacksonville, for some time, his conduct indicating that he is suffering from mental trouble, was adjudged insane by Judge Tou Velle Thursday morning and ordered committed to the hospital for such unfortunates at Salem.

Sweet cider at De Voe's. John Tomlin, retired business man of Kansas City, who is interested with W. J. Hartall in the Three Oaks orchards, is visiting in Medford and may remain for the summer.

A-1 paper hanger, Hater, 846-J. Mrs. Geo. Priddy is rapidly improving after having undergone an operation at the Sacred Heart hospital.

Prof. Rebec of the University of Oregon will lecture at the public library on Saturday evening, May 5, at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Drama League.

For the best insurance see Holmes, the Insurance Man. E. S. Radcliffe of Glendale, formerly of Medford, is spending several days in the city on business.

Phonograph records at De Voe's. Mrs. E. H. Lamport left Friday morning for Portland, having been summoned to that city by the telegraphic information that her mother was ill.

Mrs. Grover Todd of Woodburn, Oregon, wife of the commander of Company I, is in the city for a several days visit with her husband.

Just received, new shipment of millinery that is included in the sale at May Co. Saturday last chance.

Dr. E. R. Seely, who for the past two months or more, has been studying special surgery in New York City hospitals, returned home Friday morning.

Johnson for high class watch repairing. A. D. Naylor, Albert Bell, and Howard Tripp left for Doris, Cal., Friday morning where they will be employed in the mill for the summer.

Eversharp pencils—all the name implies. Medford Book Store 38*. Mrs. Fannie Thrasher, wife of the geologist at the Copper King mine, arrived in the city Thursday night from the mine and will remain here for some time.

Mrs. Edward Roberts of Yreka, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Beckett, returned home Friday. Dr. Clara Dunn, office rooms 10 and 11, Jackson County Bank building.

State Forester F. A. Elliott of Salem and Thomas P. Jacobson of Portland, an inspector in the forestry department are in Medford to organize the summer's fire protection work for this district.

The sale of millinery goes merrily on at May Co. New hats received almost daily. Carl Jesk went to Gold Hill on Friday morning on a business mission.

Everything you need for Sunday dinner at Fouts Grocery at a reasonable price. Edward Welch, who has been visiting here several days returned Friday to Albany.

New shipment of children's hats on sale Saturday at May Co. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Murphy of Ashland, who have been visiting in Medford, left for home Friday forenoon.

Have your mattresses renovated, upholstering, auto-top and trimming done at W. H. Brown's, 142 North Front. Phone 145-J.

Vernon Garrett, who is a senior in the University of California, has qualified for a second lieutenantcy in the officers' reserve corps of the army.

Metz cars at Riverdale Garage. M. S. Pittman, head of the rural department of the state normal school at Monmouth is spending Friday at the high school building.

Dr. Helme, physician and surgeon. Specialty, eye, ear, nose, throat. Office over Meeker's, glasses fitted. Erva B. Turrill of Beagle, has enlisted in the marine corps at the Medford recruiting office.

Paul Kohler left Friday evening for a short business trip to Portland. Everything you need for Sunday dinner at Fouts Grocery at a reasonable price.

Gus Newbury is in California on legal business and does not expect to return until next Thursday. Dr. Frank Roberts, dentist, St. Marks' building, Phone 323-Y.

F. E. Wilks of El Cajon, Cal., who has been in Medford and vicinity for several days, left Friday for a visit to Roseburg and Eugene.

White & Applegate have moved their Metz car show room to the Riverdale garage. Dr. John F. Hart, assistant surgeon in the naval reserve, with the rank of lieutenant, and who has been awaiting orders for active service, received a telegram Thursday night ordering him to proceed at once to the Puget Sound navy yard and report for duty on the receiving ship there.

Dr. Helme, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat. The season of the Elks lodge Thursday night was largely devoted to bidding farewell to two well known Elks—Dr. John P. Hart, who left today for active duty in the naval reserve, and Basil Gregory, who leaves Saturday to locate on his ranch in Klamath county, which he recently drew in the Tule Lake allotment.

Fine sugar cured ham, shoulder and bacon at booth 22, public market Saturday. W. Loys Crosby of HHI, Cal., is spending Friday in the city.

Dr. Helme fits Glasses correctly. Fresh chocolates at De Voe's. Elmer Throckmorton of Applegate is a visitor in the city.

Rawles Moore, Attorney at Law, M. F. & H. building. R. S. Blalock of Rogue River spent Friday in the city on business.

Big 5c milk snakes at De Voe's. Metz cars at Riverdale Garage. ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR COUNTY EXHIBITION. The county court has appointed D. M. Lowe to secure and arrange a county exhibit showing the scenic attractions, fishing and hunting, agricultural and horticultural products in connection with the state's \$25,000 advertising proposition of the state's resources and attractions.

OBITUARY. William Fletcher passed away at his late residence, 715 West Thirtieth street, May 3, 1917, aged 73 years and 3 months.

Deceased left England 32 years ago and settled in Detroit, Michigan, moving to Medford, Oregon, in 1907. He leaves a widow and five children: Mrs. Arthur H. Davis, Mrs. Richard Sherwood, John W. Fletcher, Joseph H. Fletcher and Edith Fletcher.

BRITISH WIN BIG DRIVE. (Continued from page 1.) Today the sun is shining again with genial spring warmth. It was one of those rare days when all nature seems to cry out with the joy of living.

Along French Front. PARIS, May 4.—Further progress was made by the French last night on the Champagne front, says today's announcement which follows: "The night was marked by great activity of the artillery west of Rheims. In the Champagne we made new progress in the wood west of Mont Cornillet, and repulsed a grenade attack."

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Star -- Today KATHLYN WILLIAMS IN REDEMPTIVE LOVE. Also Drew Comedy—"Crosby's Rescue" TOMORROW—ETHEL CLAYTON.

PAGE LAST TIME TONIGHT ANITA STEWART IN THE GIRL PHILIPPA. Reht. W. Chambers' famous stories. TOMORROW—WILFRED LUCAS IN JIM BLUDSO.

activity of the artillery west of Rheims. In the Champagne we made new progress in the wood west of Mont Cornillet, and repulsed a grenade attack.

Yesterday our pilots brought down five German airplanes. A German aviator at about 10 o'clock last night threw down several bombs in the region of Denmark. There were no casualties and no damage was done.

GERMANS ADMIT LOSS. BERLIN, May 4.—"British troops yesterday only succeeded in taking yesterday and small portions of our foremost trenches near Bullecourt," says the official statement issued today by the German army headquarters staff.

The battle against the English, the German statement adds, is continuing today. The Germans took more than 1000 prisoners. Strong English cavalry forces, the announcement declares, have been assembled southeast of Arras.

North of the Soissons-Rheims line the artillery duel again is in full swing, according to the German statement. Yesterday the British and French lost ten airplanes on the western front.

CLIMBED STAIRS ON HER HANDS. Too Ill to Walk Upright. Operation Advised. Saved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

This woman now raises chickens and does manual labor. Read her story: Richmond, Ind.—"For two years I was so sick and weak with troubles from my age that when going up stairs I had to go very slowly with my hands on the steps, then sit down at the top to rest. The doctor said he thought I should have an operation, and my friends thought I would not live to move into our new house. My daughter asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as she had taken it with good results. I did so, my weakness disappeared, I gained in strength, moved into our new home, did all kinds of garden work, shoveled dirt, did building and cement work, and raised hundreds of chickens and ducks. I cannot say enough in praise of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and if these facts are useful you may publish them for the benefit of other women."—Mrs. M. O. JOHNSTON, Route D, Box 190, Richmond, Ind.



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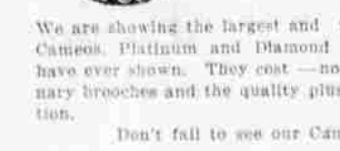


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Beginning May 7. We will make the Butternut Pullman Bread in 15c loaves, which will be larger and therefore much better, making a square close-grain slice. We will also continue making the 10c Pullman slice. We ask that everybody give the 15c loaves a trial, because we believe they will be more satisfactory. Nurmi Baking Co.

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