

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Learned are sojourners in the city from San Francisco.

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

The city council, weather and roads permitting, will make an automobile trip next Sunday to the city ranch near the city water works intake, for the purpose of inspecting the condition of the ranch. They will also inspect the territory around the intake. The lease of the present tenant on the ranch is about to expire and he desires the council to renew it. Three other men are also after the lease. The city only gets about \$55 a year from renting the ranch.

Johnson for high class watch repairing.

Ben Sheldon returned to Grants Pass last night after having spent the day in Medford helping out in the patriotic demonstration and good roads convention.

Piano tuning, W. P. Brooks, with Palmer Piano Place, South Central.

A. L. Parkhurst of Portland, owner of various Crater Lake concessions, is in the city looking after preliminary arrangements for the coming season at the lake. He expects to open the hotel on July 1 and about June 15 will take to the lake a large quantity of supplies.

Buttermilk 10c gal. De Voe's.

L. B. Minard left Thursday morning for Macdoel, Calif., on business.

Dr. Harkrave, Farmers and Fruit-growers Bank bldg. Phone 230.

Mrs. L. F. Steffen of Los Angeles, who has been visiting her father, I. L. Hamilton, in this city for the past six weeks, left for home Thursday morning.

The wise housewife will now put by enough eggs in Eggle to tide her through the winter, when eggs will be extremely high. Heath's Drug Store.

The condition Thursday of Mrs. S. A. Mulkey and Miss Davison, who were badly injured in an automobile accident late Tuesday night, is improving. The accident happened on the Pacific highway half way between Medford and Central Point. The two injured women were in the car owned and driven by Ralph Waldo Elden of Willow Springs. The other occupants of the car were Mrs. Elden and Mrs. Harr W. Davison. The Elden car ran into a car standing on the pavement without lights burning. The Elden car was overturned by the force of the collision. The two injured women were taken to the Dow hospital at Central Point.

Phone 884—Heath's Drug Store.

W. F. Reed of Kansas City is in the city on one of his periodical visits to the valley.

Bakery goods at De Voe's.

John E. Grieve and John Crabtree of Prospect were among the visitors in the city Wednesday from that vicinity.

Eggs are probably as cheap now as they will be any time this spring. It will be a wise act to put up enough now for the winter. Eggle and liquid glass at Heath's Drug Store.

Joseph H. Beeman of Gold Hill was one of the Gold Hill people in Medford Wednesday to attend the good roads convention and witness the patriotic parade.

Johnson for high class watch repairing.

The local chapter of the Girls' Honor Guard will hold an important business meeting at the public library tonight. All girls who have not joined the guard and wish to do so are requested to attend.

For the best insurance see Holmes, the Insurance Man.

E. D. McKeany of Medford was registered at the Multnomah hotel in Portland on Wednesday.

Big 5c milk shakes at De Voe's.

Because of wet grounds the baseball game which was scheduled to have been played Wednesday between the clubs of the Seventh company and Company 1 was postponed until next Sunday afternoon.

Fresh chocolates at De Voe's.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—Woman for general house work. Small family. Phone 2532.

FOR SALE—Canary birds and cages. Cheap if taken at once. Phone 420-L.

WANTED—Second-hand spray outfit in good condition. Phone 25-R.

FOR SALE—Good top buggy I have \$100.00 for, will take \$20.00. E. Conger, Jacksonville.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room, 112 South King Street. Use of bath and phone. Call afternoons.

FOR SALE—free hives, \$1.50 each. W. J. Hartzell. Phone 458-J.

John Taylor of Ruch is a visitor in the city today.

Dr. Helme fits Glasses correctly.

S. R. Sargent and Jesse Turner of Klamath Falls arrived in the city Wednesday for a several days' visit.

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

Mrs. J. S. McKenzie and daughter of the Pacific highway, leave Friday for Alberta, where they will join Mr. McKenzie on his homestead.

It's time to plant dahlia bulbs and up to June 15th. Send one dollar to R. H. Paxson, Central Point, or come and get eight assorted, labeled, field grown roots. We have lots of higher priced ones, too. We pay the postage.

Mark Austin of Salt Lake City, general agriculturist for the fourteen factories of the Utah-Idaho Sugar Beet company, who arrived in the city Wednesday, left Thursday morning for the Shasta valley to inspect the sugar beet field in that section. He was accompanied by Alexander Nibley, president of the company, and J. B. Pettinelli, its field superintendent.

Dr. Clara Dunn, office rooms 10 and 11, Jackson County Bank building.

George Colvig of Grants Pass is a visitor in the city today.

Eggs are high today. Can you guess what they will be this winter. Put them up now in Eggle. Heath's Drug Store.

Among the Eagle Point people who were enjoying the patriotic festivities in the city Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Clemens, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Woltz, George Womley, Frank Brown and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jackson.

Rawles Moore, Attorney at Law, M. F. & H. building.

A. W. Barth of Salt Lake City is spending several days in Medford on business.

Dr. Frank Roberts, dentist, St. Marks Building. Phone 323-Y.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Mack of Klamath Falls are visiting in the city.

M. Purdin, lawyer, Room 406 M. F. & H. Bldg.

The rainfall during Wednesday night up to 6 o'clock this morning amounted to .25 inch, according to the weather bureau record. And more rain is in sight.

Daily Auto Stage, Medford to Hornbrook, Montague, Yreka and return. Same as railroad fare. Leave Medford Hotel at 8 a. m. daily.—Bliss Helme, B. E. Haney.

Mrs. Ira Dodge and Mrs. Frank Clark left Thursday morning for a visit at Seattle.

Baths 25c, Hotel, Holland

Dr. Robert W. Clancy arrived home Thursday morning from Portland where he took the examinations to qualify for entrance in the medical reserve corps service of the army. He passed the examinations with high standing, of course. Dr. Clancy will have the rank of captain in the corps and will soon be assigned to duty in over seas service, probably on the front in France. He has been given time to adjust his affairs here before being ordered into active service.

Gasoline and oil at De Voe's.

L. G. Chapman of Stockton is a visitor in the city today.

Top factory now in Nat.

Albert Raymond of Bentley, Alberta, arrived in the city this morning to size up conditions in the valley.

Dr. Henry Hart, Jackson County Bank building. Office hours 2 to 4 p. m.

F. W. Streets, the well known hotel man of Grants Pass, is circulating among friend in the city today and renewing acquaintances.

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

Benton Bower and family of Ashland attended the patriotic celebration in this city Wednesday, and Mr. Bower attended the good roads convention session in the afternoon.

Metz cars at Riverside Garage.

R. H. Norman of Yreka is in the city today transacting business.

Tent factory now in Nat.

Funeral services over the late Captain J. T. C. Nash were held at the Weeks & McGowan Company chapel Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Wilson, Christian Science reader, conducted the services. Interment was at the I. O. O. F. cemetery. The pall-bearers were C. W. McDonald, Frank M. Wilson, F. V. Medinsky, L. M. Lyon, and James H. Bell.

Metz cars at Riverside Garage.

James E. Treavor left for Salem last night to assume his new duties as superintendent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company in that district.

YOUR EFFICIENCY MAY BE IMPAIRED

By weak or strained vision. Properly fitted glasses will remove the cause and make you 100 per cent efficient.

DR. RICKERT

Over the May Co., Medford. HE KNOWS HOW.

MERRIMAN BACK FROM BREMERTON WITH DISCHARGE

Thomas Merriman, the well known blacksmith who enlisted in the naval reserve some weeks ago and a week later was summoned to the colors, returned to Medford Thursday with his family after a month's absence at Bremerton, with an honorable discharge from the service. Mr. Merriman enlisted for industrial duty as a blacksmith, in class four of the naval reserves, but found on his arrival at Bremerton, that there was no blacksmithing to be done, what there was was under civil service, and that instead of being assigned to shore duty, he was to be transferred to class 2 of the reserves and sent aboard a warship. A protest to the commandant brought his release.

"There have been wild tales in circulation about me," stated Mr. Merriman. "I never was in the guard house, as reported, never had any trouble with anyone in the service, and never was sent to McNeil island. As far as I know the Medford contingent has been in no trouble, though those of us who were wantonly deceived by the enlisting officer, are out considerable money, as a reward for our patriotism. We were given honorable discharges from the service because the employment for which we volunteered, did not exist.

"I signed up for industrial duty, to work in the navy yards, to relieve the enlisted men. I was to receive a salary of \$60.50 a month, \$12 a year retainer to keep the commandant informed of my address, and to serve in war time at my trade, the service to be industrial instead of military. The government was to furnish a four room cottage for my family and I was to have the privilege of buying my groceries and supplies at cost at the commissary, and that the government would make provision for dependents. I found on arrival at Bremerton that there was no blacksmithing to be done, except that under the civil service rules, no cottages for use of families of recruits, and that no one in the reserve could buy at the commissary. I found that instead of \$60.50 a month my pay was to be \$35 and no support for dependents.

"I had been told by the recruiting officers that being an industrial duty, I would not have to wear a uniform, but they wanted to put a uniform on me, put me aboard ship and use me in military service, instead of industrial. When I explained matters to the commandant, he recommended my discharge—and here I am."

Mr. Merriman was the only naval reserve recruit who signed under misrepresentation by Dr. Davis and Lieut. Frazier, the recruiting officers. Several other Medford as well as Eugene recruits have been discharged.

ANNUAL SESSION FREE METHODIST CHURCH CONVENES

The annual session of the Southern Oregon Conference of the Free Methodist church is convened this week at the church on corner of Tenth and Ivy street, this city. Bishop Walter A. Sellow of Jamestown, N. Y., presiding.

Business sittings each forenoon from 8:30 to 11:30. Preaching services each afternoon and evening at 2:30 and 7:30.

The W. F. M. Society hold their



Bishop Walter A. Sellow.

annual business session Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Sunday services will be specially helpful and uplifting, commencing at 9 a. m. Preaching by Bishop Sellow at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., also a missionary service at 3 p. m., conducted by Mrs. Sellow, who has traveled the foreign fields in the interest of the work.

You are cordially invited to any and all of these services.

WOOL SALE DATES SET FOR OREGON

PENDLETON, Ore., May 17.—The Oregon Woolgrowers' association announced here today the annual wool sale will be held this year as follows: Heppner, June 15; Echo, June 18; Pilot Rock, June 19; Condon, June 21; Shaniko, June 23; Bend and Redmond, June 25; Madras and Mauldin, June 26; Enterprise and Joseph, June 27, and Asher, June 28.

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RECEPTION GIVEN ROAD DELEGATES MOST SUCCESSFUL

The reception held at the Hotel Holland last night for the visiting delegates to the good roads convention was an enjoyable affair. The hotel parlors were beautifully decorated with white and purple lilacs and Medford's usual hospitality was very pronounced.

The ladies in charge and the good roads committee wish to thank Miss Ruth Warner, Miss Braunt, Mrs. Bertha Emerick, Mrs. Guy Childers and Mrs. Stephen (formerly Veneta Hamilton) for the splendid musical program which contributed so largely to the evening's success. Mrs. George Andrews was the accompanist and played in her usual finished style.

Mrs. Charles Schieffelin outlined the usual procedure for a campaign as carried on by the ladies and suggested an organization for that purpose, proving by past experiences wherein the ladies have succeeded for some measure they were particularly anxious for—that this was only way to carry the good roads bond issue.

Mayor C. E. Gates followed with a talk, favoring Mrs. Schieffelin's plan, and Mr. E. E. Gore closed the evening's program by approving of the former speaker's plan and paying the ladies a splendid compliment and referring to their success in all things they undertake.



THE BIG QUESTION ON THE FARM TODAY. Is how to raise more and better stock without additional land. We've been thinking a lot about this and believe we can help you solve the problem economically if you will agree to BUILD A SILO

We've got the material you will need right in stock and will be glad to show you what size and style silo we think is best suited to your individual needs. MEDFORD LUMBER CO.



The Improved Modern Way of making over all kinds of mattresses into sanitary folding mattresses. New folding feather mattresses made to order for bed or automobile. Pillow renovating, 75c pair. 104 2d St., cor. Front. Phone 296-J.

AMUSEMENTS

LAST TIME TONIGHT God's Country and The Woman

Special Vitagraph Blue Ribbon feature, from the book by James Oliver Curwood, a story of the Canadian Northwest, of the woman who loves and of the men who live wild and shoot true. The feature of this picture is the famous Siberian dog teams. It's a picture of the big snows wonderfully filmed, with an excellent cast headed by William Duncan, George Holt and Neil Shipman.

Also, PATHE NEWS

TOMORROW Fannie Ward in Betty to the Rescue.

PAGE-- Adults 15c Children 5c

SGOBEL & DAY

Beg to announce to their friends in the Rogue River Valley (Jackson County) that they will be represented during the coming season by Mr.

GEO. KAUFMAN

who will solicit and pack pears for the above named house.

AMUSEMENTS

PORTLAND JOURNAL SAYS: Miss Stewart's most delightful photoplay without a doubt, and the play is guaranteed to make smiles where scowls were before.

Anita Stewart

is more charming and beautiful than ever as the Russian Ballet Dancer in

"The Glory of Yolanda"

COMEDY FRANK DANIELS IN MR. JACK TRIFLES 2-Days-2 TODAY TOMORROW

STAR MEDFORD'S Cozy Photoplay THEATER Regular Prices Adults 15c Children 5c

RED CROSS BENEFIT

AT NATATORIUM Friday Evening, May 18

U. of O. Girls' Glee Club In High Class Entertainment

You get your money's worth and at the same time help two worthy institutions, the Red Cross and the U. of O. Given under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias. All proceeds go to the local chapter of the RED CROSS.

Tickets 35c and 50c on sale by the Knights of Pythias and at Brown's and Crowson's Confectionery stores.

Low Round Trip Fares to EUGENE, ORE.

I. O. O. F. and Rebekah Assembly May 20-26, inc.

TICKETS ON SALE

All stations south of Roseburg and on Tillamook Branch

May 20, 21, 22

ALL OTHER STATIONS May 21, 22, 23, 24

Return Limit May 28.

For other information ask local agent, JOHN M. SCOTT, General Passenger Agent, Portland, Oregon.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC LINES

Advertisement for Grape-Nuts, a nourishing food with delicious flavor. Includes an image of the product box.

Advertisement for Edgar Wight Jeweler, watch repairing and jewelry work. Located at the New Houston Hotel.

Advertisement for Puritan Maid creamery, featuring a woman's face and the slogan 'The Best Because the Purest See Kribs' Window Display'.