

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Edward Stinson received a telegram this morning from her son Private W. M. Stinson, who has been in the aviation service since last January and who only arrived in New York last week from France, announcing his arrival today at Camp Lewis. The information did not state whether he will be mustered out at Camp Lewis or how long he will be stationed there, but said that he would spend the holidays at home. Again the Sugar Bowl is headquarters for Xmas candy, 25c lb. Miss Jennie Hood, teacher in the high school, left this morning to visit at Salem and Portland until after the holidays. A new lot of fancy Newtown apples in holiday containers; just the thing to send away, at Schieffelin's Grocery. 229* Mrs. Vic McCray of Grants Pass, is in this city to visit relatives until after the holidays. The Sugar Bowl is making enough candy canes for every boy and girl in Medford, 5c each. Lieutenant Albert Lamb of Donald, Ore., mentioned in Monday's casualties as killed in action in France, was a former member of Company I, 3rd Oregon Infantry, which was stationed on guard duty in Medford in the early part of the war. He was killed in action on Oct. 7th last. Auto curtains and lights, all kinds. Medford Auto Top Co., 20 North Grape, phone 104. Albany is making extensive arrangements to entertain the state Christian Endeavor convention which will be held in that city in February with approximately 800 delegates from all parts of the state in attendance. Malted milk was originated by Horlick. Avoid imitations and substitutes. Private William J. Pierce of the army quartermaster's corps, in which he has served for the past four years and has been stationed at Honolulu for some time past, after spending several days in Jackson county looking for a suitable homestead claim, left Medford this morning for Washington points in pursuit of the same quest. He is on a two months furlough, which time he is spending seeking a homestead location on which to settle down after he retires from military service. Pianos—Ellington, Hamilton, sold by H. N. Loftland, at 225 South Oakdale. Liberty bonds taken same as cash. Phone 891-J. 240 Word has been received in the city from Mr. and Mrs. Claude Metz of Silver Lake, Ore., former residents of Medford, that they have taken a seven year old orphan girl to raise. The mother recently died at Silver Lake, leaving a number of young children in poverty. Mr. and Mrs. Metz plan to adopt the girl. A new lot of fancy Newtown apples in holiday containers; just the thing to send away, Schieffelin's Grocery. Mrs. Mart Patton departed for her home at Roseburg this morning after visiting relatives in the city. Magazine subscriptions at prices quoted or advertised by any one. Don't be pestered by solicitors. Do business with a reliable firm. Medford Book Store. 232* The death of H. Carl Baughman, principal of the schools at Talent, this week of influenza cast a gloom over the school pupils of that town, as well as the adult population. After having served as superintendent of the Lane county schools years ago he served as principal of the Prineville school in Crook county for five years until he accepted the principalship of the Talent schools. Pleasant, safe, quick, sure. Dr. Halstead, 227 South Central. 233 The salvage department of the Belgian relief will be open Thursday afternoon at rooms 215 and 216 Liberty building. All who have finished baby quilts for the Albertina Kerr Home in Portland, please send to these rooms or call phone 510-R. Our Christmas box must be shipped this week. Dried fruit or apples will be much appreciated. Dr. E. H. Porter has returned from a four months visit in the east. The sanitarium will be opened in a few days, or as soon as the corps of nurses arrive. 232* D. H. Cronemiller of Jacksonville, was in Medford yesterday. He returned from Ft. Mason, Cal., Saturday and is home to stay. While in the service he was in the quartermaster's department. Medford Auto Top Co., 30 North Grape. Auto top repairing, phone 104. The people on Laurel street were somewhat surprised yesterday when they saw Chief of Police Timothy put up a smallpox quarantine card on the house of H. L. Griffin, and upon inquiry was informed that he was brought down from the hospital where he had been receiving treatment for the influenza. He had been in Portland and a few days after his return was taken sick and taken to the hospital as a flu patient. It is reported that his family was under flu quarantine when he left Portland but later reports are that they have had the smallpox. Nash Hotel. Special rates, week or month. Steam heat. 241* Elbert Brayton, Charles Best and Ralph Watson are home from the training school at Corvallis. Malted milk 50c lb. De Voe's. Mrs. Emma Margreiter who has been visiting at the home of F. H. M'hear, left this morning to visit friends in Grenada, Cal. See Treichler Petron Inc., for tires, oils, and auto accessories.

Mrs. E. M. Peterson and her son Lieut. Frank L. Peterson of Seattle, arrived on the morning train yesterday to visit with her brother, Judge P. M. Calkins. Lieut. Peterson has finished the aviation course, is a full fledged flier and was at Hoboken ready to sail for France when the armistice was declared. Like all the boys he regrets that he was not at the front before the war closed. Make your Xmas money count by buying useful and lasting gifts of jewelry. See our assortment. Martin J. Reddy. 227 Geo. M. Fleming who has been working in the orchards for several months, left for Los Angeles yesterday. Dr. Helne, Garnett-Corey Bldg. Echo Householder who had been serving in the spruce division of the army arrived home this morning from Vancouver barracks where he was just mustered out of service. Dennison's Gift Dressings 10c as usual. Other kinds at 5c. Medford Book Store. 232* Corporal H. B. Bears of Grants Pass, was visiting in the city yesterday. He had finished the officers training course at the Benson Polytechnic at Portland, when the order came to muster the boys out of the service. More English walnuts 27c pound at Warner, Wortman & Gore. 231* Arthur J. Rose returned yesterday from Camp Humphrey, Va., where he was taking the officers training course. He said that Ralph Cowgill had decided to stay and finish the course. See us for Xmas candy 25c lb. in any quantity. The Sugar Bowl keeps the prices down. F. S. Miller and wife left last evening for Redmond, Ore., having received a wire that Jess Butler is very low with the influenza. Mrs. Butler who is a sister of Mrs. Miller, is also sick with the flu. Sweet grass sewing baskets filled with Shasta chocolates make appropriate gifts. William Arthurs and wife arrived this morning from Baker City to visit their daughter, Mrs. John Belinger. He is an old pioneer of this valley, and altho over eighty years old he says that he can shoe a horse as quick as any one. 20 bars soap for \$1.00. Warner, Wortman & Gore. 231* Some of the owners of autos are crowding the season by appearing on the streets with the new 1919 license tag on their car. It is probable that they do not understand the law, as they are liable to be arrested for putting them on before Jan. 1, and when they put the new one on, they take off the 1918 tag which is a violation of the law. So far the officers have not made any arrests as they do not believe they violate the law intentionally. Get yr. milk, cream, butter and buttermilk at DeVoe's. Herbert Matthews arrived at his home at Rogue River this week from attendance at a cavalry officers' training camp in Texas. En route home he stopped in San Francisco and procured a position as principal of a grammar school, the duties of which he will begin about Feb. 1st. Jewelry, the gift of love answers every gift requirement. It is the remembrance that means more to the recipient than any other gift. Martin J. Reddy. 227 Beyond consideration of the flu ordinance protests and authorizing the payment of bills the city council transacted no business of importance at its meeting last night. When it comes to candy, that Nut Sillman has them all going. He sells candy for what others pay for it. C. J. Van Down of Kansas City, Mo., who is making a business trip over the valley, was in Medford yesterday. Daily's Taxi. Phone 15. Shasta candy is made in Medford. It is also the best. 234* L. C. Falkenbarger came up from Grants Pass yesterday to attend to some business in the city. Mail us your wants. Prices as low as possible with high quality, and the largest stock to choose from. Martin J. Reddy. 227 Call for canned pumpkin put up by the Medford Cannery, the best pumpkin on the market. Ernest V. Glover came over from Yreka yesterday to visit friends in the city. Furniture upholstering, mattress making, crating and packing. Douglas, 201 S. Riverside, phone 102-J. Granville Lowther of Yakima, Wash., was a visitor in the city yesterday. All phonographs in one, the Brunswick, see it, hear it, before buying, at Palmer's Piano Place, 28 South Central. 234* Frank Carson came down from Butte Falls yesterday to visit in the city for a few days. De Voe wants small show case. Engraved Christmas cards at Hankins' Drug store. 233* Our assortment of diamonds, wrist watches, dependable clocks, rich glassware and sterling silver is the best ever and make gifts to be appreciated. Martin J. Reddy. 227 Hemstitching, perotting. All work guaranteed. Variety Hat Shop. 218*

W. E. Hesse of San Jose, Cal., arrived in Medford yesterday to spend a few days looking over the country. Dr. H. P. Hargrave, physician, Rooms 409-410 Garnett-Corey Building, phone 230. De Voe has a fine line of assorted chocolates at 60c per lb. Van A. Haffner came in from Trail yesterday for a few days visit with friends in the city. Handcraft Shop for hemstitching and perotting at 10c per yard. Electrical Xmas goods. Electric Home Supply Co., 111 West Main St. 218* William Cross came down from Butte Falls yesterday for a few days visit in the city. Experienced hemstitching and perotting. Mrs. B. E. Haney, Garnett-Corey Bldg. Try a Stromberg carburetor on your car. Power Auto Co. 218* C. J. Fry of Copper, Cal., arrived in Medford yesterday to spend a few days in the city on business. The flu is under control, but you can't control Sillman, he will sell Xmas mixed candy for 25c lb. You can drink a pint of cider for a nickel at DeVoe's. A. D. McKenzie, C. Lawrence and Wm. Eaton of Portland, were in the city yesterday on business. For fire insurance phone 64, corner Eleventh street and S. P. track. D. R. Wood & Co. Try a Stromberg carburetor on your car. Power Auto Co. 218* M. W. Hitzkof of Oakland, Cal., is in the city today on business. Electrical Xmas goods. Electric Home Supply Co., 111 West Main St. 218* You can always find something for a quick lunch at DeVoe's. There were only seven new influenza cases reported yesterday, as against thirteen the day before and twenty-two on Saturday. For the best insurance see Holmes, the Insurance Man. 218*

HUNS PLANNED A TERRIFIC AIR RAID IN PARIS

PARIS, Dec. 18.—(Havas.)—Information of a plan which it says the Germans had for a terrific air raid on Paris is printed by the Figaro. Their purpose, says the newspaper, was to use 35 airplanes which were to drop 5,000 incendiary bombs containing chemicals which would cause fires of such nature that pouring water on them would but serve to feed the flames. A second squadron of 35 machines was to follow with ordinary bombs to be dropped upon the fire fighters and the crowds revealed by the light of the burning buildings.

Women in War Work

The local Red Cross is heartily in sympathy with the action taken in regard to the flu situation by the mayor and city health authorities. The quarantine is the popular measure adopted in the eastern states and where properly enforced has proved to be the most effective measure in stamping out the disease. A mutiny at the Red Cross was averted by this measure, for the demand for flu masks was greater than the handful of women working at the Red Cross rooms, could supply, and those in charge were almost worn out. Remember this is the time to show your patriotism by answering the Christmas roll call with a renewal of your Red Cross membership. There is plenty of yarn at the Red Cross knitting room to supply the former host of knitters Medford.

SPAIN WILL CONSIDER CATALONIA AUTONOMY

MADRID, Dec. 18.—The government has submitted to the deputies from the Catalonian district an offer to refer Catalonia's demand for autonomy to an extra parliamentary commission whose report will be submitted to the cortes for its approval. The right is reserved to the cortes to suspend the grant of autonomy if experience proves that the conduct of government through the regional methods does not work satisfactorily.

ADDITIONAL U. S. UNITS ASSIGNED FOR HOME

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Additional units overseas including about 1,500 officers and men, assigned by General Pershing for early convoy home, were announced by the war department today as follows: 350th, 149th, 158th, 173rd and 801st Aero squadrons, companies A, B, 26th Engineers, 102nd and 111th Trench Mortar batteries, headquarters 39th brigade, Coast Artillery.

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Andy used to buy the biggest plug for the money

'till one day Barney gave him a chew of Real Gravely. It was an hour or more before Andy said anything. "How much longer does this Gravely hold its good taste?" he says. "Two or three little squares last me all morning," answers Barney. "This class of tobacco lasts so much longer it costs no more to chew it than ordinary plug costs."

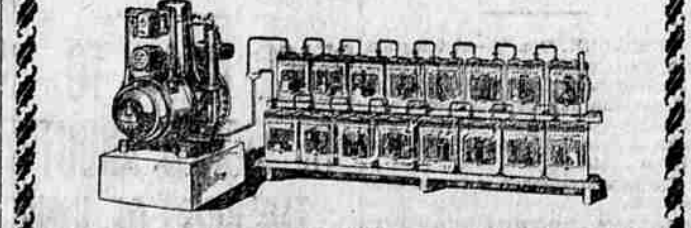


PEYTON BRAND Real Gravely Chewing Plug each piece packed in a pouch

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A GAIN we approach the Holiday Season. It will soon be a time for us to say to one another, "Merry Christmas and Happy New Year." What a splendid time for you to decide to put into your home those things which bring help, comfort, contentment and lasting cheer for every member of the family. DELCO-LIGHT provides bright, clean, safe electric light for the house and barn; also electric power to run the washer, cream separator and other light machinery. It brings city conveniences and modern benefits to the country home—makes the farm a better place to live and to work—and soon pays for itself in Time and Labor saved.

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Heath's Drug Store The San Tox Store

NO FLU'S on THIS BILL TONIGHT CURRENT EVENTS AND TOMORROW LYONS MORAN

It's A Goldwyn Picture TOM MOORE in Just for Tonight RIALTO WHERE EVERYBODY GOES



Give Useful Gifts THIS CHRISTMAS and Make Them Worth While

Jewelry is the Refined Gift of Lasting Beauty and Value. There is nothing like jewelry to satisfy every demand in giving to a close circle of friends and relatives. Articles of jewelry may be selected to carry any sentiment that is called for—to suit every individual taste. And there is a jewelry gift for every purse—solid gold and silver gifts may be had as low as \$1 and as high and rich as you wish. There is an individuality, a refinement, about the jewelry gift, that sets it alone above all others as the most desirable for presentation this Christmas.

Other gifts will fade and be forgotten, but jewelry carries its charms through the year. Remember if in a Reddy box it's alright.

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Buy Useful and Appreciative Christmas Presents for All the Family at West Side Pharmacy The Rexall Store

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