

Local Briefs

The outlook is for a rainy Easter and everyone is ardently hoping that the weather bureau is either mistaken in its prediction of rain for tonight and Sunday, or conditions on which the prediction was based will have greatly changed by Sunday morning.

Call Mitchell in regard to that lawn mower and have it sharpened right. Called for and delivered. Phone 320-J.

A telegram was received Friday by Mr. and Mrs. George Garrett from their son Gary announcing his arrival in New York from service in France. He is a member of the 36th balloon company.

Hemstitching, pecking. Some new ideas. Vanity Hat Shop.

Lieut. Ned Vilas who was a pilot in the aviation service, arrived home Friday from Kelly Field, Tex. His brother George is with the army of occupation quartermaster's department in Germany.

For the best insurance see Holmes, the Insurance Man.

Dr. J. P. Reddy arrived home Saturday from a business visit in Portland.

Piston rings for all cars. C. E. Gates Auto Co.

County Agent Cate and Miss Anne McCormick will among those from this city at the farm bureau organization meeting which will be held at Wellen tonight.

Aluminum soldering and welding. We fix anything. Liberty Repair Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dunbar of Seattle, are guests registered at the Hotel Holland.

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Mrs. N. C. DeArmond who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. J. Smith, left today for her home in Klamath Falls.

We grind automobile and gas engine cylinders and guarantee you a perfect job. Elliott & Cook Auto Co.

R. S. Moore, of Maxwell, Cal., a prominent sheep man and head of the Western Sheep company, is in the city on business and is stopping at the Medford.

Get your milk, cream, butter and buttermilk at DeVoe's.

A birthday surprise party was given A. L. Vroman at his home on Tripp street, Thursday night attended by his children, grandchildren and other relatives in honor of his 60th anniversary. Among the presents given Mr. Vroman was an oil painting from Mrs. M. F. Childs, who is his sister, of their old home near Mankato, Minn.

We have the only cylinder grinding machine in the county. See us for such work. Elliott & Cook Auto Co.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Boggs have been spending several days this week at Trall, and are expected home by Monday.

Don't forget the big dance at Eagle Point Saturday night. Tickets \$1. All are welcome.

F. L. Wishard of St. Louis is an eastern commercial traveler here on a periodical visit to the trade.

Signet—the new line of beautiful and permanent inks made by LePage Glue people. Guarantee enough. Medford Book Store.

Among San Francisco men here today were B. A. Jacobs, R. D. Hill and R. G. Harrison.

A reliner will double the life of your tire. C. E. Gates Auto Co.

Mrs. A. C. Spence and two children left Saturday for Anderson, Cal., where she will look after some business matters and then they will continue on to Orland, Cal., for a visit with relatives.

Eagle Point dance Saturday night. Tickets \$1.

The northern California visitors here today include Fred Jones of Hill and L. E. Schmitt of Galeside.

Fruit growers should not be deceived by advertisements purposely calculated to mislead. Basic prices on Arsenate of Lead means the prices in large containers. The Earl Fruit Company of the Northwest are selling this material in paste form and in 300-lb. kegs at \$11.75 per 100 lbs. The powdered in 100-lb. containers at \$24.50 per 100 lbs. Ton lots take a discount and smaller packages are slightly higher in price. All prices made now or during the season will be retroactive. Growers can depend on the Earl Company to be absolutely square both in its advertisements and its dealings.

E. J. Brown and Elmo Throckmorton were among Applegate representatives in the city Saturday.

The Crater Lake Motor Co. sells 15-gallon drums of monogram oil at 95 cents per gallon.

Malted milk 50c lb. DeVoe's.

The Elks will leave their club house at 7:45 o'clock Sunday night and march in a body to attend the services at St. Mark's church, which begin at 8 p. m.

Wizard Fertilizer best for farm and garden truck. Monarch Seed & Feed Co.

Four-inch wood pipe at Medford Lumber Co.

The Medford chapter of Campfire girls enjoyed a large patronage at their booth in the public market today at which were sold cakes, cookies and other goodies.

Spark plugs for all cars. C. E. Gates Auto Co.

For Sale—Modern five-room house at a sacrifice. 508 South King St. 24

Mrs. N. P. Stewart of Thermopolis, Wyo., and Mrs. C. W. Lerchen of Denver are tourists who with their chauffeur arrived by auto from California yesterday afternoon and will remain in the city several days before continuing their journey north. They are stopping at the Hotel Medford.

Furniture upholstering, mattress making, crating and packing. Douglas, 101 South Central. Phone 615-J.

Also Taxi. Phone 95.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Combest of Jacksonville, are guests at the Nash hotel.

It will be of interest to the car owners of Medford to learn that the forest service has just completed a road log from Grants Pass to Cave Camp, at the end of the wagon road on the West Fork of Williams creek and at the beginning of the trail to the Oregon Caves. It contemplates making a road log to the Caves by way of Kerby and the Sucker creek route. A road log from Grants Pass to Crescent City was recently completed.

What next will that nut Silliman make out of sugar? See his Easter bonnets.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY
WANTED—First-class cabinet maker. Apply Trowbridge Cabinet Works, Tenth and Grape streets. 25*

WANTED—Used car. Give make and price. Box A, Mail Tribune. 25

FOR TRADE—Will trade 20 acres of wood for car. Dry tier wood for sale. Phone 600-L. 29

FOR SALE—One sorrel pony 900 lbs. Price \$30.00. E. E. Morrison, phone 539-J3. 24

FOR SALE—One David Bradley sulky plow, one Jersey cream separator, one pair wagon springs, one hack. All in good shape. Inquire L. A. Marshall, Central Point. 25

WEEKS & MCGOWAN CO
UNDERTAKER
Day Phone: Pacific 227.
Night Phone: F. W. Weeks, 193-J2.
Lady Assistant.

Paul Pearce is among the Jacksonville people spending the week end in Medford.

DeVoe has a fine line of assorted chocolates at 60c per pound.

Victory Cafe, Elks building, Ashland. Don't miss our turkey dinner Easter Sunday, April 20. 24

Mrs. Gaylord Loomis and children who arrived here from Portland several days ago and had been visiting relatives and friends left for Klamath Falls today for a visit with Mrs. Loomis' parents.

Bee supplies, a full and complete line. Monarch Seed & Feed Co. 26* Hematitobing.

Handicraft Shop.
Miss Anna McCormick met this afternoon at Willow Springs with the parents and teachers association of that district.

Brake lining for all cars. C. E. Gates Auto Co.

Why pay more than \$11.75 for Arsenate of Lead paste or \$24.50 for dry? These are basic prices. Whether you favored us with your order months ago or now we protect you on these prices. All kinds of spray material. Money to loan. Guy W. Conner, phone 64. 24*

Easter morning at 6 o'clock a prayer service will be held in the league room of the Methodist church under the auspices of the Epworth League. The league is very desirous of having a large number attend this early morning service.

Elks Victory ball changed to Friday, April 25th for Elks only. Music by Launsbach's jazz orchestra. Tickets \$1.00, including lunch. Dancing from 8:30 to 1 o'clock. 24*

You can always find something for a quick lunch at DeVoe's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Moore of Honolulu arrived in the city Friday and are guests at the Hotel Medford. They expect to remain here all summer while Mr. Moore, who has business interests in Honolulu, looks after the Laurel Hill orchard which was owned by the Lewis brothers of Honolulu and was recently sold by them to William Henry, also of Honolulu. Mr. Moore says he came here to make a report to Mr. Henry on the orchard property, and that J. W. Peart will continue in charge as superintendent. Mr. Moore also announced that considerable development work will be done at the orchard.

For fire insurance phone 64, corner Eleventh street and S. P. track. D. R. Wood & Co.

Canteens are practically indestructible, yet cost less than water bags. C. E. Gates Auto Co.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Barker of Butte Falls, returned home today after a day's visit in the city.

For Sale—Cheap, one acre of land between Summit and Columbia avenue. Phone 98-M, mornings. 26

Bakery goods at DeVoe's.

Portland men in Medford today included George H. Smith and M. L. Becker.

Four-inch wood pipe at Medford Lumber Co.

Fire slab and dry wood for sale by J. T. Gagnon. Phone 859.

Mrs. Ione Peake and daughter after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Trowbridge, left Friday afternoon to join Mr. Peake at Bellevue, Ariz.

Beginning April 22nd Dr. Elliott, dental surgeon of Medford, will be in Central Point Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week. Office formerly occupied by Dr. Mulkey, Rostel bldg. 24

DR. RICKERT
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EYES SCIENTIFICALLY TESTED AND GLASSES PROPERLY FITTED
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MUNICH SOVIETS FIGHTING HARD TO GET CONTROL

LONDON, April 19.—The central council at Munich has been dissolved and the power at present is in the hands of a committee of five men elected by the soldiers' council of the Bavarian capital, an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen says.

Food ration cards have been taken away from the bourgeoisie and the gas and electric supplies to bourgeois homes will be cut off.

The committee of five has decided that the strike of the workmen shall continue until the communist troops have made secure the power of the communist government. The government has decided to take over all drug stores and to transform hotels into dwellings for the proletariat.

Three thousand Wurttemberg troops arrived at Dachau last night. The government leaders will not engage in a decisive battle with the communists until they have at least 30,000 troops around the Bavarian capital.

Elks
Medford Elks lodge No. 1168 has invited itself to attend evening Easter services at Brother Hamilton's (Episcopal) church. All Elks are expected to be at the Elks club promptly at 7:30 p. m., April 20th, to attend the services.

GEO. T. COLLINS, Exalted Ruler.

Templar Easter Service
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FORM GIGANTIC CITRUS AND APPLE TRUST IN U. S. A

LOS ANGELES, Calif., April 19.—A citrus grove and apple orchard merger said by its sponsors to involve property worth \$100,000,000 in the United States and \$20,000,000 in California alone was announced here today by J. S. Crutchfield of Pittsburgh, Pa. Mr. Crutchfield is president of the Cantaloupe Shippers' association, active in the northwest Fruit Exchange, and said to be the largest individual grower of apples in the United States.

The plan, said Mr. Crutchfield, is to merge citrus interests of California and Florida, and apple interests of various sections, to remove the hazards associated with the fruit business by neutralizing the losses of any given district in an off year by pooling the profits of the entire territory covered by the merger.

The merger will not affect the small growers in any way, it was declared, as it will include only large commercial groves, but its movers believe it will better the small growers' condition by improving market conditions.

Officers for the new concern, to be known as the American Fruit Growers, incorporated, have not been

named; its sponsors, however, state that all legal steps for incorporation have been taken and that property conservatively valued at \$100,000,000 including apple lands in the northwest and citrus groves in Florida has been acquired. It was announced that one well known tract of 740 acres of citrus fruits near Corona, Calif., had been included.

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