

Local Bits

The long looked for and hoped for rain is or is not far away. There seems to be some doubt. Rain is indicated by the weather prediction of this morning, the cloudy sky and the fact that D. T. Lawton's reliable barometer in the fire department has been falling steadily for two days past, until today it was within five degrees of where it stood just before the big storm broke in December. On the other hand George A. Mansfield's rheumatic left arm is entirely free from twinges of pain that are always felt before a storm, and in addition the farm bureau president also claims the chickens are not acting as they usually do before a rain.

On and after January 12 the Hines & Snider garage will be open day and night.

Wanted to buy clean cotton rags. Medford Printing Co.

Mrs. A. J. Klockner, whose address at the Lincoln club banquet aroused so much favorable comment, has accepted an invitation to give an address next Saturday night at the George Washington banquet of the General Leonard Wood club of Portland. The club has a membership of 12,000 persons, and the well known Medford woman's friends are elated at the high honor bestowed on her.

Hot tamales and chili con carne at DeVoe's.

Just arrived. Car of famous Utah coal. Valley Fuel Co.

President A. M. Williams of Albany college arrived here from Albany this forenoon to spend a couple of days looking after college matters in the valley. Mr. Williams was met at the depot by Rev. J. W. Hoyt of Ashland, Presbyterian missionary in the Southwestern Oregon district, and is making the Medford hotel his headquarters.

Dr. Dow has returned and resumed his surgical and hospital practice.

For Sale—One Studebaker Six. Good as new, \$300 down will handle. Will H. Wilson.

Oregonians registered at the Medford include Hugh C. Mitchell of Clackamas; L. A. West and Al Crystal of Klamath Falls; A. M. Williams of Albany and G. W. Reynolds, S. M. Holden, M. A. Dobbin, Thomas Iverson, J. F. Cox, E. W. Schaner, F. D. Waring, G. B. Post, R. K. Akin, L. B. Austin, E. A. Parsons, J. A. Schneider, W. R. May, W. S. Campbell and H. C. Heminghouse of Portland.

I have many lovely ideas from the Eastern Millinery Lines, which I saw in Portland. Come in and see my new patterns or let me suggest a smart idea for remodeling your old bonnet. Miss Lounsbury. The Vanity Shop.

The boys and girls of the public schools are urged to observe first prize, a camping outfit, on display in the show window at the Gates Auto company and the second prize, a \$17 sack of sugar donated by the Mason & Ehrman wholesale house, on display in the commercial club exhibit building. The contest will take place tomorrow in all schools, all grades.

A. C. Halstead, mechanotherapy, metaphysics. 225 East Main, over Kidd's shoe store. Phone 690-M. 286

The Rogue River Valley Canning Co. will now contract for 1920 season's packed tomatoes, beans, berries and all kinds of fruits.

"People in Southern Oregon, Grants Pass, Medford and the like, are becoming alarmed because of their splendid weather," says the Portland Oregonian. "There has been a shortage of snow this winter, and unless the country receives some very heavy rains the crops this year will be short. Last year there was an immense crop and good prices, but all winter the weather has been mild and balmy. The roads are now as dusty as they are in mid-summer. A little more rain and a little less sunshine would make a difference of hundreds of thousands of dollars to the agriculturists and horticulturists of the district."

American Star Brand Silkaline crocheted cotton in white and colors. Handicraft Shop.

The famous Shasta tamales on sale now. Shasta.

Among the social events this week everybody is looking forward to, is the big Washington's Birthday dance which will take place Saturday night at the Ashland Nat. Launsbach's Orchestra will present all that is late in dance music. As usual, admission is free.

The Medford Printing company has the De Luxe Multiplex cash books and other ruled books, loose leaf system; also inventory sheets. If you need these or any other blank books or bills to fit any binder see this office and patronize home industries.

For sale—Buck shot gravel. Phone 912-J.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—10 does, 1 buck and several young Belgian hares, also hatches. B. F. Blackburnship, 1522 W 6th.

FOR SALE—7 weeks old fox terrier male puppy. Phone 619-J. 284*

FOR SALE—Cheap, 2 incubators. 100-120-55 capacity. Douglas 101 So. Central. Phone 615-J.

WANTED—Gardener to put in lawn. Good pay for right man. Address P. O. Box 1139.

WANTED—Waitress. See manager Holland Cafe. 281*

WANTED—Any number of good mules. Zacher at Union stables. Phone 819.

BLISS NATIVE HERB TABLETS

You are troubled with SICK HEADACHE. What you eat makes you sick. Your food lies in your stomach and feels like a rock. Gas forms. You have pains around the heart. That is INDIGESTION. It has reached one of its most dangerous stages and is always accompanied with CONSTIPATION. Take each night a BLISS NATIVE HERB TABLET. R. T. Lowenberg, Donnellson, Iowa, writes: "I have used BLISS NATIVE HERB TABLETS for INDIGESTION, and they have given me good results. My wife has used them for several years for CONSTIPATION and they have proved of great value. Each box contains a GUARANTEED coupon, and is sealed with a blue wax bearing signature of ALONZO O. BLISS. For sale at all leading druggists in boxes containing 200 doses for \$1.00 and a smaller size for \$0.50. Made by A. O. BLISS CO., WASHINGTON, D. C.—Adv.

Frank J. Bailey, a resident of Ashland, died this afternoon at the city emergency hospital, from pneumonia. His antecedents are unknown. He was taken ill in a local rooming house and removed to the hospital when it was opened. The body will be shipped to Ashland for burial.—Klamath Falls Herald.

The shoe sale for today at The Hub was in charge of the Baptist ladies. Business was good and the ladies were well pleased with the result.

Why pay the new price for Victrolas when you can save \$25.00 on the \$100.00 and get them just as good as new. We trade in more on Brunswick than we can sell.

A telegram was received this morning from San Francisco by Peter Nally from Chas. W. Moore, the local orchard man, to the effect that he and Mrs. Moore would arrive here this evening. They have been spending the winter at their home at Honolulu and will remain here until late next fall.

Haskins for health.

Dr. Glitzen is now located at Union Barn, former Vinson Barn. Phone 810.

There is nothing special on at the Elks lodge meeting tonight and the members will spend most of their time admiring each other and the working of the new ventilating system.

Save from \$3 to \$10 on a tire at the big sale. C. E. Gates Auto Co. 11 Orres, tailors for men and women. High grade only. Ashland, Ore.

At the Holland are registered Dr. A. Burkland of Portland and A. A. and V. A. Cottle of San Jose, Calif. Among the county guests at the hotel are H. H. Fox of Lake Creek and P. D. Netherland of Butte Falls.

R. L. Red eggs at DeVoe's.

Mrs. Paul Hansen, corsetiere for Naubon. Phone 555-J.

Get the habit! Buy shares now in the Building and Loan.

No new flu quarantine signs were posted in Medford yesterday according to Chief of Police Timothy. Regarding the 14 signs posted Tuesday, the chief says that at most of the homes they were put on where the sick were either recovering or were convalescent.

For eye, ear, nose, throat see Dr. Heine, Liberty Bldg. Glasses fitted.

There will be preaching at the Table Rock school house by Rev. E. H. Edgar and singing by Mrs. Edgar, Sunday, February 22, at 2:30 a. m.

Dr. J. E. Reddy is en route home from Washington, D. C., and is expected to arrive within a few days. He had reached Los Angeles the other day.

Soft sole shoes for infants in blue, pink and white. Handicraft Shop.

Medford is to be one of the three Oregon aeroplane bases for forest fire patrol. Senator McNery at Washington, has been notified to this effect by Colonel Westover, chief of the war department service. The other two bases chosen are Eugene and La Grande.

Beautiful hand-made lace. Handicraft Shop.

If you really want to enjoy pancakes these mornings, mix them with Colostin water. Order from Jackson County Creamery.

J. W. Alderson of Leland and W. B. Davis of Rogue River are guests at the Nash. Other guests there include D. M. Horn of Hornbrook and L. E. Johnson of Grants Pass.

Anyone wishing to contract wood, please communicate with David M. Stott, Talent, on Anderson creek road.

Dainty trimming for spring dresses. Hemstitching and piecing. Handicraft Shop.

Miss Olive Courtney was a business visitor in the city yesterday from Grants Pass.

Orres, the ladies' tailor, will be at Hotel Holland every Thursday. Fine wootens, latest styles always.

Professor G. A. Brisco, who has a wide acquaintance in Medford and throughout the valley because of his superintendency of the Ashland public schools for the past nine years, has just been re-elected to the position for the next two years, by the Ashland school board.

Prices cut to the bottom at the big sale. C. E. Gates Auto Co.

Friday shoe sale for women at The Hub will be charge of the ladies of the M. E. Church south. Just two more sale days on women's shoes at The Hub.

WEEKS & MCGOWAN CO.

UNDERTAKERS

Day Phone: Pacific 227. Night Phone: F. W. Weeks, 195-J. Lady Assistant

The postoffice force is rather demoralized by flu sickness with Assistant Postmaster Warner, Clerk Hugo Gunther and carriers H. H. Harvey down with the disease and several other attaches sniffing around with had colds. Mr. Warner who had just returned to duty last Saturday from a sick with the flu, suffered a relapse Tuesday. His condition is not dangerous. Mrs. Warner and their daughter are also said to be ill with the flu. Carrier Harvey has been sick all week, and yesterday Carrier Swan came down. The entire Gunther family is down with flu. To carry on the postoffice work properly the entire staff is doubling up because of the absence of the sick ones.

Cakes, French pastry and cream puffs at the Shasta.

Try our merchants' lunch. The Shasta.

The Applegate section teachers local institute and school board convention, which was to have been held Saturday at Ruch, has been indefinitely postponed.

Brunswick phonographs on easy terms at Hale's Piano House.

Slab wood for sale by tier or cord. Valley Fuel Co.

The work of closing the gap in the pavement on the Pacific highway between the Josephine county line and Gold Hill is expected to progress rapidly and it is confidently predicted that within a few months the highway will be paved all the way from the top of the Siskiyou to Grants Pass. The rock crusher that has been employed by the Shell company in the paving operations south of Grants Pass is being moved to Fools creek, where rock will be crushed for the road building operations of the company in Jackson county.

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Anyone having ice cream packers belonging to Crowson's please return them or phone Crowson's Confectionery.

Mrs. A. L. Lawrence of Vallejo, Calif., sister of Mrs. H. G. Launsbach, is here on a week's visit and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Launsbach on West Jackson street.

Hemstitching and piecing. The Vanity Shop.

Another one of the popular Gold Hill dances will be held at the pavillion Saturday evening, February 21. Good music, good floor. All come.

Mrs. M. E. Riddle, who has had charge of the alteration department at the May Co. store, now F. K. Deuel & Sons, for nearly five years, departs Thursday evening for Portland, there to take a similar position at Olds, Wortman & King's store. Mrs. Riddle is very thorough and efficient, and her many friends are sorry to have her go, but are wishing her the success they are sure she will achieve in her new position.

For Sale—One Studebaker four, \$85.00 down will handle. Will H. Wilson.

Carl Jeschke, high grade watch and clock repairing. 9 Fir street.

A. B. Parker, manager of the Oregon district of the Associated Oil company, accompanied by N. S. Campbell, arrived here from Portland this morning and shortly afterwards Mr. Parker announced that Mr. Campbell had been assigned to the local management of the company to fill that position until William Hanna had sufficiently recovered from his illness to take charge again. They report that Mr. Hanna's condition at a Portland hospital continues to improve.

Chas. H. Gay, Mr. Hanna's assistant, has been acting as temporary manager during his illness and will be retained in the employ of the company.

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Miss Frances DuBois, a student in the mechanical drawing class of the high school, has been making practical use of her training in drawing. Miss DuBois has recently made drawings and blue prints for two local inventors with very satisfactory results. The drawings were sent to the United States patent office to aid in securing patents. Miss DuBois made the drawings as a part of her regular class work.

Painting, tinting and decorating, orders promptly attended to. Phone 664, Elliott & McCafferty.

Mrs. C. U. French of Ashland has returned home after a visit here with her daughter, Mrs. Willis.

The new spring hats have arrived at Lottie Howard's.

See D. R. Wood & Co., Rm. 209 Liberty Bldg., for fire insurance.

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Cleanses, Invigorates, Softens the Skin

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If you have Catarrhal Deafness or are even just a little hard of hearing or have head noises, go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parmitin (double strength), and add to it 1/4 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 teaspoonful four times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Anyone losing hearing or who has Catarrhal Deafness or head noises should give this prescription a trial.

Among the visitors in the city registered at the Medford are E. P. Ferguson of Cincinnati; E. P. Fritk and Chas. S. Harriman of Seattle; Frank C. Paine of Spokane; A. C. Brown of Sacramento, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Abrams, S. E. McGrew, H. J. Billica, H. F. Silverstone, B. Ruthenford, James F. Madden, M. J. McBride and R. C. McGill of San Francisco.

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Mrs. W. S. Welsh of Gold Hill has returned home from a visit here with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Clark.

Kidd's shoe store. Phone 690-M.

Henry O'Malley, head of federal fish hatcheries on the Pacific coast and Hugh Mitchell, head of the Oregon federal hatcheries, returned to the city last night from an inspection of the Elk creek fish hatchery with T. E. Daniels, who made the trip with them. The officials found the hatchery in splendid condition and pronounced it as one of the very best in the country. They state that two millions of fry had been liberated from the hatchery within the past year.

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For the best insurance see Holmes the Insurance Man.

The students of the Medford Business College were entertained last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Newberry.

Coughed Night and Day

John Vogues, Elberton, Ga., writes: "Last fall, when my neighbors were down with influenza, I took a severe cold and before I was aware of my condition I was down sick in bed. I coughed night and day and my throat was raw and sore. I got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and took eight small doses in two hours. My condition began to improve and in a few days I was as well as ever. In my opinion Foley's is the best cough medicine made." For sale by Medford Pharmacy.

General Wood Club Notice.

Members of the Women's Leonard Wood club are requested to send their names to Mrs. T. W. Miles, secretary. Also ladies desiring to become members, phone name to Mrs. Miles. Major Walker, General Wood's campaign manager, wishes a roster of the club.

MRS. H. H. SARGENT, President.

A. F. & A. M. Regular communication Medford lodge 103 Friday evening, February 20, 7:30 p. m. Work in F. C. Degree.

L. E. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

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The Vanity Shop

Next Rialto Theater.

CARNATION QUARTET ARE VISITING CITY HAVE YOU SEEN 'EM

Good Morning! Meet Mary? Well if you haven't you are missing something. The rasping sound of the alarm clock; getting up at 6 a. m., and breakfast cereals go hand in hand—but show me the man with soul so dead who would not be willing to hold Mary's hand and taste of tempting breakfast cereals, prepared by the "Carnation Quartette."

Mary is the leader of the "Carnation Quartette"—Mary Shipley, brunette, full of "pep" with a captivating smile and a merry little twinkle in her eye that holds you interested while Lita and Beth, and Eleanor impress upon your memory the joys of married life when the morning meal is prepared from Albers Brothers cereals.

Lita Zollet, also brunette, pretty little lady with a happy smile and longing to go on forever just cooking breakfast cereals for some nice boy. Look out for Lita, she's inclined to be vampish.

Beth Milton, brunette, number three, nineteen summers and a regular cook. Meet Miss Beth; she's a little dream.

Then we have Eleanor West, a shy little blonde from out Frisco way. She's very timid and longs to settle down in one of those country cottages you find only in songs and motion pictures.

"The Carnation Quartette" will be in the city this week only. They are touring the country demonstrating Carnation products and acquainting the public with the value of cereal foods. The young ladies will give demonstrations in the various grocery stores of the city and every housewife is invited to visit these demonstrations and sample the dishes prepared by Mary and her assistants. Of course hubby is also invited. Can't keep father away from the breakfast cereal counter while the "Carnation Quartette" is in the city.

Ughu! Daddy's goin' in for breakfast food.

OBITUARY.

EICHER—Died at his home, 531 East Main street, February 18, 1920, W. M. Eicher, aged 47 years and 4 months, after a residence in Oregon of 34 years. He leaves to mourn his loss, five sons and one daughter, who are: J. H. Eicher of Lake County, Oregon; C. H. Eicher of Junction City, Oregon; C. S. Eicher of Toke, Oregon; R. E. Eicher of Sacramento, Calif.; J. K. Eicher of Plush, Ore., and Mrs. Ed Grigsby, Medford, Oregon. He is also survived by one brother, H. S. Eicher of Chico, Calif., and a niece, Mrs. Chas. Williams of Medford, Oregon.

Funeral services will be held at

COMMON WITCHHAZEL FINE FOR SORE EYES

It is surprising how quickly eye inflammation is helped by common witchhazel, camphor, hydrastis, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash. One elderly lady, who had been troubled with chronic eye inflammation for many years, was greatly helped in two days. We guarantee a small bottle of Lavoptik to help ANY CASE, weak, strained or inflamed eyes. Aluminum eye cup FREE. Medford Pharmacy, Main and Central.—Adv.

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This remedy was originally manufactured for physicians to prescribe. Since it was decided to put it on the market for the general public it has made many friends who claim it is the only remedy they have ever found that cured their rheumatism.

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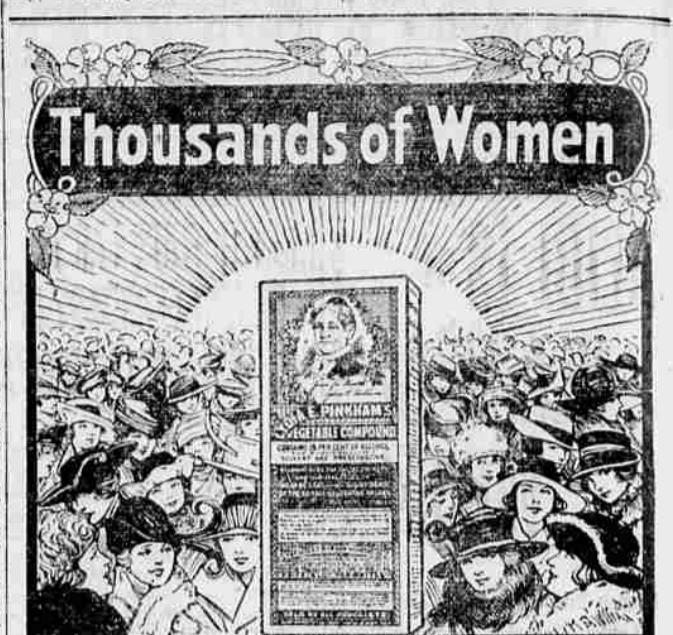
HEATH'S Drug Store

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128 East Main St.

the Central Point cemetery next Friday of the Christian church officiating, February 20. Rev. D. E. Miller.



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Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—overshadowing indeed is the success of this great medicine. Compared with it, all other medicines for women's ills seem to be experiments.

Why is it so successful? Simply because of its sterling worth. For over forty years it has had no equal. Women for two generations have depended upon it with confidence.

Thousands of Their Letters are on our files, which prove these statements to be facts, not mere boasting.

Here Are Two Sample Letters:

Mother and Daughter Helped. Middleburg, Pa.—"I am glad to state that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did me much good when I was 35 years old. I was run down with female trouble and was not able to do anything, could not walk for a year and could not work. I had treatment from a physician but did not gain. I read in the papers and books about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and decided to try it. The first few bottles gave me relief and I kept on using it until I got better and was able to do my work. The Vegetable Compound also regulated my daughter when she was 15 years old. I can recommend Vegetable Compound as the best medicine I have ever used."—Mrs. W. YERGER, R. 3, Box 21, Middleburg, Pa.

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