

# Local Briefs

The taxes this year for Jackson county will amount to \$977,000, which is \$200,000 more than last year. The time for the payment of the first half year's taxes without penalty ended last Monday, and as usual there was a grand rush at the finish. In each place over the counter of the taxing department of the sheriff's office that day there was paid \$21,000, and last Saturday the total tax receipts for the day were \$91,000 in cash and checks, including a check from the Southern Pacific railroad company for \$43,000, and one from the Rogue River Timber company of \$11,000. There is a pile of letters and checks which it will take several weeks yet to file and credit.

Better lay in a few boxes of the last of the Newtowns. They're going fast at \$1.60. Bear Creek Orchard or Rosenberg Bros., Medford Hotel.

Mr. Fisherman, get that fishing rod re-wrapped, etc. Eaton, 320 North Holly.

Keizer Brothers have put on a new truck service and added transfer and general hauling to their city delivery system. They will open an office soon. Their telephone is No. 407.

Lorin F. Hinman of Portland, former city electrician of Medford, came here this week and underwent an operation on one of the glands of his neck at the Sacred Heart hospital. It will be several days yet before he is able to leave the hospital.

You ought to insure your auto with Redden & Canada, 32 N. Central. Phone 720.

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

Farmers attention: Medford Iron Works is paying \$25 a ton for good scrap cast iron.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Mohr have concluded their visit at San Francisco and are now at Murielita Springs, Cal., near San Bernardino, where the landlord of the Medford will take the baths for several weeks at least in hopes of curing his rheumatism which has caused him so much trouble for the past year or more.

We have on hand two car loads of spray materials: Arsenate of lead, distillate Oil Emulsion, Black Leaf, Atomic Sulphur, R. R. Co-Operative Fruit Assn., J. A. Perry, Mgr.

Fisher's Blend flour. More loaves per sack. Bardwell Fruit Co., distributors.

When you want any hauling, moving, etc., done call 407-Y. Keizer Brothers Transfer Co.

Jerry Jerome arrived home Wednesday night from his business visit of three weeks to Los Angeles and other Southern California cities much impressed with the prosperity, activity, hotel bills, picture shows and other things in the big towns visited.

Attorney Starr of Portland transacted business at the court house at Jacksonville yesterday.

Your spring suit—best woollens, reasonable prices. Klein the Tailor, East Main, upstairs.

Hot tamales and chilli con carne at DeVoe's.

Delco-Light—Electricity for every farm. J. E. Bartlett, Medford Hotel, Medford, Ore.

The "Bring Up Father" company which pleased a capacity house at the Pago theater last night left this morning for Eugene where the attraction plays tonight.

We have Distillate Oil Emulsion for orchard spray, R. R. Co-Operative Fruit Assn., J. A. Perry, Mgr.

Economize by using scratch pads for us. Get them at this office. If Orren, tailors for men and women. High grade only. Ashland, Ore.

Included among the Oregonians registered at the Medford Thursday and today are R. E. Gornall of Pendleton, C. E. Dunham and Mrs. E. D. Kellums of Eugene, H. G. Edzar of Oregon City, W. Beach of Roseburg, E. H. Jefferson of Klamath Falls, C. H. Corey of McCoy and the following from Portland: T. H. Manis, J. A. Elliott, J. E. Steiner, W. A. Coggershall, B. F. Korten, A. L. Bramwell, C. A. Learson, Fred Marx, W. A. Kinney, W. A. Hauser, E. L. Gray, E. E. Boharrell, W. B. Donaldson, M. Reinhardt and L. J. Stock.

Watch our windows for Friday and Saturday specials. Weeks & Orr, 16.

The Chamber of Commerce is a clearing house for community thought and action. Join.

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

Forty cent gasoline was predicted at Washington, D. C., this week by Joseph Phelan, shipping board official. "I shall not be surprised to see this record price reached in August and September due to the outrageous increase in consumption," he said. "It may stop at 40 cents."

Don't forget the date, Friday, April 9th. The place, chapel of Presbyterian church. Good home cooked meal 50c.

Hemstitching 10c per yard, thread furnished. Singer Shop, 115 West Main.

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Californians at the Medford are W. H. Wright and George R. Martin of Los Angeles, C. R. Jordan of Sacramento, Henry S. Fendler of Oakland, and C. E. Condon, T. M. McMahon, E. J. Honnberger, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Meisel, J. M. Henton and H. G. McPike of San Francisco.

For Sale—New and second-hand machines. Singer Shop, 115 West Main, phone 215-R.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Webber and K. Dean Butler were among the Grants Pass people who spent Thursday in the city.

Drink Lithia Mineral water for rheumatism, stomach and kidney troubles. Order from Jackson County Creamery.

Machines rented and repaired. Singer Shop, phone 215-R.

Haskins for health. Mrs. R. V. Martin and son of Rogue River, returned home Thursday from Roseburg where they were visiting the former's mother.

The Blue Bird is the Packard of Electric clothes washers.

Special on lace curtains, Friday and Saturday. See windows. Weeks & Orr.

Dance at Beagle Sat., April 10. Music furnished by Majestic orchestra.

Northern California visitors registered at the Hotel Holland are Mrs. J. Creason and daughter of Wood, Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Kesterson of Dorris and L. O. Arens of Sisson.

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

Expert photograph repairing. 45 South Central. Phone 615-J.

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It will be of interest to the Free Methodists of Medford to learn that Mrs. Elva Hobart, who has been pastor of the Free Methodist church of Ashland for the past two years, expects to leave at the end of the conference year next month, and will go to California, where she will accept the office of state evangelist.

Mrs. Hobart will place her daughter, Ruth, in the Free Methodist college in Los Angeles while she is engaged in her work.

Save from \$2 to \$10 on a tire at the big sale. C. E. Gates Auto Co. Dance at Beagle, Sat., April 10. Music furnished by Majestic orchestra.

Don't let anyone tell you that other clothes washers are made on same principle of the Blue Bird.

American Legion ball tonight! Mary A. Clevenger and Allene Mahoney of Butte Falls, who arrived in the city Thursday are guests at the Holland.

Prices cut to the bottom at the big sale. C. E. Gates Auto Co. Special—\$7.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, Friday and Saturday. Hats charming and unusual—typical Gillen models, yet at modest prices. Hats you will want and will always be glad that you bought.

American Legion ball tonight! Gold Hill people are interested in a sensational case the hearing of which was held in that city yesterday at the conclusion of which C. L. Dunsbury, proprietor of a confectionery store, was bound over on the charge of adultery by Justice of the Peace Smith to the grand jury under \$500 bail. The charge was preferred by George Iverson of Gold Hill, a former baker of Medford.

Lithia Mineral water by the case, Jackson County Creamery. We write life insurance. Redden Canada, 32 N. Central, phone 720.

Among the guests at the Nash hotel are Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Irlke of Lake City, Ida, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Savoy and C. L. Riley of San Francisco.

Many large and small flower trimmed hats at the new millinery department in the balcony at the M. M. Co. Mrs. Gillen is always pleased to show them to you.

Mrs. Paul Hansen, corsaire for NuBone, Phone 685-J.

American Legion ball tonight! Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wilson who have been at the Hotel Holland all winter have moved to their ranch home.

R. I. eggs at DeVoe's. Plenty of tailored hats, rolling and straight brimmed sailors, from \$5.00 to \$12.00 at the M. M. Co. store. Typical smart Gillen hats.

Miss Elizabeth Gore is a member of the committee for the annual women's formal dance at Reed college in Portland, Saturday evening. The women's formal dance is an annual affair of importance at Reed college, but this year it is especially interesting because it occurs during leap year. Programs for the affair have already been filled out, and every woman in college has asked a Reed man to the leap. This is the first formal dance given on the campus since Lent.

Have you tried the Lithia Mineral water from the Jackson County Creamery. It has great medicinal value.

See Venice and die. See a Blue Bird washer and you will want to live.

The housewives of Medford are much concerned at the news—over another coming raise of one cent in the price of sugar, as related in the latest telegraphic dispatches.

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

Real dance! Medford Nat. Sat. night! Follow the crowds!

Peoting Hemstitching Handicraft Shop.

Irrigation bonds in the sum of \$100,000 were filed with the secretary of state's office for certification Wednesday, by the Grants Pass irrigation district. This is the first installment to be sold out of a total bond issue voted by the district amounting to \$284,000. The district comprises 10,800 acres of which 9,800 acres are already under water.

Salem Capital Journal. Two toned ribbons in blue, browns and rose color. Handicraft Shop.

See our line of drummer's samples in georgette blouses on sale Friday and Saturday at 33 1-3 per cent off. The blouses are excellent values. The Vanity Shop, next Rialto theater.

Dr. Henry B. Purl, dentist, has opened an office in Central Point. M. S. Johnson of Gold Hill, was a business visitor in Medford today.

American Legion ball tonight! Early seed potatoes at Warner, Wortman & Gore's.

New crochet hooks and cross stitch patterns. Handicraft Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Wilde of Klamath Falls, are guests at the Holland. Other Oregonians at that hotel are Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lewis, C. A. Whalen and C. G. Bunney of Portland.

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Always is there a cheery smile of welcome in the Blue Bird home.

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Curtis Anderson, of Stockton, Calif., son of Bert Anderson and brother of Mrs. George Gates arrived in the city last night, having been called here by the critical illness of Mrs. Gates.

The Presbyterian ladies will serve supper in the chapel tonight at 6:30 come and enjoy a good home-cooked meal, 50c.

The Blue Bird electric washer, the acme of perfection, is coming to Medford.

Week-end dance! Medford Nat. Sat. Imperial orchestra. Admission free!

Rev. L. Myron Boozer is a member of the team of speakers addressing today the Inter-church World conference of Josephine county at Grants Pass. The other members of this team are Rev. R. E. Gornall of Pendleton, Rev. C. E. Dunham and Mrs. D. C. Kellums of Eugene and H. G. McPike of Portland. Revs. Dunham and Gornall and Mrs. Kellums were guests at the Medford while in this city Thursday.

For the best insurance see Holmes the Insurance Man. Get our prices on millrun, middlings, chick food, egg mash, hog feed, beet pulp, cane molasses, etc. Farm Bureau Exchange, 16 W. Main.

American Legion ball tonight! Dr. L. A. Salade and H. D. McCaskey will leave Sunday for a visit at Catsasauqua, Pa.

Special showing of trimmed and banded hats for misses and children. Price from \$2.75 to \$5.75, Saturday at Deuel's.

Dobbin Irwin who recently sold his jinxey line between Medford and Ashland to the Interurban Auto company this week purchased the billiard parlor and cigar store of Alnutt & Moody in Ashland, and the former owners are going to locate somewhere in California.

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All is in readiness for the big American Legion ball tonight. The affair will be in the nature of an inauguration hall in honor of the newly elected officers of the Medford post. The large natatorium hall has been treated with an elaborate scheme of patriotic decoration which will be a revelation to those who attend. The dance music will be supplied by the Imperial orchestra of seven pieces. Dancing will start promptly at 9 p. m. Everyone is invited and no efforts will be spared by the post to make the evening enjoyable.

## If Your Ears Ring With Head Noises

If you have ringing, buzzing noises in your ears, are getting tired of hearing and your Catarrhal Deafness, go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parmital (vulnerable strength), and add to it 1/2 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful 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 who has Catarrhal trouble of the ears, in hard of hearing or has head noises should give this prescription a trial. Adv.

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P. W. Hamill and daughter Miss Peggy Hamill returned today from a visit of several days with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Preston at their ranch home near Rich.

"Mrs. Briggs of the Poultry Yard," is to be given at the Phoenix school house Saturday night, April 10th, by the S. S. S. girls of the Presbyterian church.

The long looked for U. S. army overcoat and the rest of the clothing equipment for company D, the Medford national guard company, as well as its full field outfit were scheduled to arrive in the city today. While the list of things to arrive sent on ahead did not mention shoes Captain Canada is hopeful that the footwear would arrive with the other goods, making the equipment of the command complete and all that could be desired. The reason for the long delay was that when the company was transferred to the coast artillery service the government sidetracked the equipment order for the time being, and did nothing towards forwarding it here until after the transfer was revoked.

Dr. J. F. Reddy has returned from a business trip to Sacramento and other California points.

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See Medford Land & Insurance Agency, successors to D. R. Wood & Co., Rm. 209 Liberty Bldg., for fire insurance.

Miss Bess McCann went to Grants Pass yesterday for a visit there with Mrs. E. Cronan.

American Legion ball tonight! A. F. & A. M. Special Communication Medford Lodge 103, Friday evening, April 9, 7:30 p. m. Work in M. M. degree. Refreshments. By order of the W. M. L. WILLIAMS.

For Sale—Livestock WE WILL PUT OUT ON SHARES several fine ewes, Rosenberg Bros., Medford Hotel.

## Sure Relief

BELLANS INDIGESTION 25 CENTS  
6 BELLANS Hot water Sure Relief  
FOR INDIGESTION  
TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY  
FOR SALE—1920 model Chevrolet car, run 13000 miles. Phone 403-J-3  
FOR SALE—Cheap, beardless barley straw in barn, and fancy White Leghorn eggs. Phone 386-M. 18  
FOR SALE—Three fine Jersey cows, four heifers to freshen soon, four young heifers, bull and separator. All or none. At a real bargain if taken soon. Hay with cows. E. E. Foss, Talent, Ore. Phone Ashland 372-R12. 18  
WANTED—Woman or girl to work at Sacred Heart Hospital. 21\*

## WEEKS & ORR UNDERTAKERS

Day Phone 227  
Night Phone—F. W. Weeks, 227-J-2  
A. E. Orr, 227-J-3.

## GIM CHUNG China Herb Store

Herb cure for carache, headache, catarrh, diphtheria, nose throat, lung trouble, kidney trouble, stomach trouble, heart trouble, chills and fever, cramps, coughs, poor circulation, gas troubles, tumors, cracked breast, cures all kinds of gutters. NO OPERATIONS.  
Medford, Oregon, Jan. 13, 1917.  
This is to certify that I, the undersigned, had very severe stomach trouble and had been bothered for several years and last August was not expected to live, and hearing of Gim Chung (whose Herb Store is at 214 South Front street, Medford, Ore.) I decided to get herbs for my stomach trouble, and I started to feeling better as soon as I used them and today am a well man and can heartily recommend anyone afflicted as I was to see Gim Chung and try his Herbs.  
(Signed) W. R. JOHNSON.  
Witnesses:  
Wm. Lewis, Eagle Point.  
W. L. Childers, Eagle Point.  
M. A. Anderson, Medford.  
S. E. Haines, Eagle Point.  
C. E. Moore, Eagle Point.  
J. V. McLintyre, Eagle Point.  
Wm. H. Hays, Eagle Point.  
Thos. E. Nichols, Eagle Point.

## FOREST PATROL IS CUT DOWN AGAIN. BY U. S. WAR DEPT.

After withdrawing its objection to the Arnold project for an air patrol of all the forests of the Pacific coast and Northwest states, the general staff of the army appears to have changed its attitude once more, says a Washington, D. C. dispatch.

The excuse for the reversal of its position was that the air service is short almost 200 officers in its enlisted personnel. For this reason it was said that there must be a vast curtailment of the Arnold project, which called for six squadrons of 18 planes, each squadron manned by 192 officers and 792 enlisted men.

The general staff has accordingly issued an order providing for only one squadron of 21 planes or enough to patrol only the forests of California and Oregon, with the main base at Mather field, Sacramento.

The war department contended that it is impossible to enlist the needed officers to make a complete air patrol possible because of a regulation which bars the reinstatement of discharged officers, except in case of an emergency.

## COURT HALL FILES FOR COUNTY COURT

Court Hall of Medford filed today his declaration for the office of county commissioner on the republican ticket subject to the primary, May 21. Mr. Hall is one of Jackson county's best known citizens, a pioneer resident and a good roads booster from way back. He has been directly identified with the business interest of the city and county and is now engaged in the automobile business. Mr. Hall says he was not asked to run by anybody, but just decided to be a candidate and will not be under obligations to anyone.

## Blood Poisoning Hamlin's Wizard Oil a Safe First Aid Treatment

How often lackjaw and blood poisoning result from the neglect of a slight scratch or little cut! Hamlin's Wizard Oil is a safe and effective first aid treatment. It is a powerful antiseptic and should be applied immediately to wounds of this kind to prevent danger of infection. It is soothing and healing and quickly drives out pain and inflammation in cases of sprains, bruises, cuts, burns, bites and stings. Just as reliable, too, for stiff neck, sore feet, cold sores, canker sores, earache and toothache. Get it from druggists for 30 cents. If not satisfied return the bottle and get your money back. Ever constipated or have sick headache? Just try Wizard Liver Wafers, pleasant little pink pills, 30 cents. Guaranteed.

## OBSTINATE COUGHS

When resistance is lowered and you come down with a cold that runs into an obstinate cough, your trouble is more than surface deep. You need

## SCOTT'S EMULSION

an easily absorbed tonic-nutrient, mixed with your blood to nourish and enable you to get a fresh hold on strength. For nearly fifty years Scott's has been helping break up colds by building up strength. Try It!

## Lift Off Corns!

"Freezone" is Magic! Lift any Corn or Callus right off with fingers—No pain!



Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting. Then you lift it right off. It doesn't hurt one bit. Yes, magic! Why wait? Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of Freezone for a few cents, sufficient to rid your feet of every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and calluses, without soreness or irritation. Try it! No humbug!

## Rheumatism Back on the Job With Its Old-time Fury

No Let-Up in Its Torture. If you are afflicted with Rheumatism, why waste time with liniments, lotions and other local applications that never did cure Rheumatism, and never will? Do not try to rub the pain away. Try the sensible plan of finding the cause of the pain. Remove the cause, and there can be no pain. You will never be rid of Rheumatism until you cleanse your blood of the germs that cause the disease. S. S. S. Has no equal as a blood purifier, scores of sufferers say that it has cleansed their blood of Rheumatism, and removed all trace of the disease from their system. Get a bottle of S. S. S. at your drug store and get on the right treatment to-day. If you want special medical advice, address Medical Director, 102 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

## Films Developed FREE!

Until April 15 we will develop all Kodak Films FREE where orders are given for prints to be made from the films. Regular prices on all printing.

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Ralph Woodford West Side Pharmacy Proprietor

Ma Never Says to Me—  
don't eat too many  
**POST TOASTIES**  
'cause she knows that's one good thing that don't bother a kid's tummy.  
— Bobby

The Coffee with the cheery "second-cup" flavor is Golden West Vacuum Packed Coffee

Buy a Can from your Grocer Today.

CUT THE VACUUM SEAL TO ENJOY THE FRAGRANCE OF FRESH COFFEE

**GOLDEN WEST**  
VACUUM PACKED COFFEE  
Cassell & Devers  
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The Vacuum Process Delivers Golden West Coffee Fresh to Your Home.