

Local Briefs

Considerable local interest is being manifested in the University of California-Oregon State football game next Saturday at Pasadena. There have been some wagers placed at even money. There are quite a number of former Ohioans in this section who are boosting for their old home state to win. Among the Medford people who will see the game are Ralph Bardwell, Mose Barkdull, Court Hall, Frank Doremus and George Gales.

If your merchant does not handle Rogue River made brooms you can get them at the public market. 243*

Our wood is going rapidly at the following prices: 12 and 16 inch body pine \$3.00 and \$3.50 a tier. 238* man & Scheffel, phone 242. 238*

Aubrey Smith, superintendent of schools, leaves this evening for Portland to attend the annual convention of the educators of the state. Misses Julia Elder and Thelma Carlin are already in Portland to attend and a number of other Medford teachers will go to the state metropolis for the same purpose.

On New Year's day we will serve another elaborate dinner, \$1.50. Hotel Medford. Reserve your table. 240*

Grand opening ball at Orth hall, Jacksonville, New Year's night. 241*

The "Listen Lester" musical comedy company which gave a sprightly and pleasing performance at the Pave theatre last night left this morning for Eugene where the attraction plays tonight.

Mill blocks \$3.00 a tier, \$8.00 a cord—we have very little left. Wiseman & Scheffel, phone 242. 238*

Get those soft paper tables at this office at 15c per pound. 241*

The Valley Fuel company gave each one of their employes a large turkey for Christmas.

Try our merchants lunch. The Shasta. 243*

Grand masquerade! Eagle Point! New Year's eve! 243*

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cusher of Forest Grove, Calif., C. W. Ritchie of Seattle, and R. G. Shirk of Portland are guests at the Holland.

Has your stove shown signs of failing or coil sprung a leak? Stoves and coils rebuilt and repaired. Prompt service, reasonable charges. Phone 359. 169 South Holly. 249*

Our slab wood is going rapidly at the following prices: 12 and 16-inch \$3.00 and \$3.50 a tier. Wiseman & Scheffel, phone 242. 238*

The announcement of the marriage of Robert Pelouze to Miss Betty Craft of Bellingham, Wash., December 30th has been made. Miss Craft is the daughter of a Bellingham capitalist. The newlyweds will return to this city shortly after the first of the year, and will make their future home in Los Angeles, where Mr. Pelouze has a responsible position with a newspaper of that city. Mr. Pelouze is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Pelouze of Eagle Point, and is one of the best known college athletes in the west, with a brilliant record as a football, baseball, and basketball player, and track man at Stanford university. He graduated from this institution this month. He is a former Medford high school student, and well known in the city and valley.

Delco-Light—Electricity for every farm. Medford Electric Co. Homesteading and pecking. Handicraft Shop.

Erick Anderson of the Blue Ledas district spent Saturday and Sunday in the city.

The first car of eastern shelled corn shipped into Medford this year is being unloaded today by the Monach Seed & Feed Co. The corn is of excellent quality, dry, clean, and sweet. Old corn growers from Kansas and Nebraska are allowing their eyes a feast on this corn. It will be sold at the lowest possible price. Get your corn now and save money by buying from them. 14*

The Modern Plumbing and Heating Co. have a big buy in a Menefee Pipeless furnace. This week only. Phone 620. 241*

A class of candidates, including four from Talent and one from Jacksonville, received the final degree which made them full-fledged Odd Fellows at the lodge hall in Medford last evening, in the presence of one of the largest crowds of members which has assembled in southern Oregon for a long time. All of the degrees, except the first, have been conferred here on these candidates, and the Medford lodge has been highly complimented upon the manner in which the work has been exemplified. The candidates were accompanied by a delegation of brethren from their home towns. Following the regular work, banquets were served and the evening rounded out in other social features. The installation of the new officers of Medford lodge will occur at next Monday evening's meeting.

Spitzenberg and Newtown culls for sale. Tel. C. C. Darby. 241*

Miss Alta Taylor, the Goodwin Corsieters. Phone 548-J. 262

Charles Mansfield, who enlisted in the navy some time ago and is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents in this city, will sail for South America, January 6th with the Pacific fleet. Upon his return in three months he will start on a cruise around the world.

Among poultry feeds you will always find Kerr's egg mash and Golden Rod egg mash at the top. Buy them at Farm Bureau Co-operative Exchange.

Delco-Light farm light and power plants. Medford Electric Co. Prosecutor-elect Rawles Moore spent Monday in Jacksonville attending to official duties preparatory to assuming office Jan. 2nd.

Frank Starboard, one of the oldest employes of the Optimo cafe left last week for Portland where he will be married. Mr. Starboard will return to this city with his bride shortly after the first of the year.

Why not send a box of Rogue River Newtowns or Spitzenbergs to your friends for New Years. 238

Get our prices before buying. Watkins Feed Store, 397 South Front street. Phone 269. 241*

George A. Hunt is recovering rapidly from his recent operation, and was able to be down town for a few hours Saturday evening.

"Hot Chicken Tamale" supper at Jacksonville Saturday night. 241*

Meet me there! Where? Jacksonville! When? Saturday night. 241*

Everything electrical. Medford Electric Co. Phone 661. 241*

At the Nash are registered Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mohr of San Francisco and Wm. Neandermeier of Weed. W. S. Hogen and Irvin Porter of Ashland were guests at this hotel last night.

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Carl Jeschke, high grade watch and clock repairing, 11 Fir street. 241*

Mrs. Rosa Wolfer and son Donald of Portland are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moffatt.

"Beach Balloon" dances at Jacksonville New Year's night. 241*

Weeks-Conger Co. Best equipment, excellent funeral service, at lowest possible prices. Also licensed lady embalmer. 14*

Twenty-two applications for membership were read at last night's session of the Knights of Pythias lodge. Those with 23 applications received at the two previous sessions insure a class of between 40 and 50 for the first month of the new year. A feature of last night's session was a "mulligan" engineered by Bert Sullivan, which was pronounced a huge success—so much so that the members thoughtfully carried home with them all that was left over that Lady Wite might know thereof.

Sugar \$10 a sack. Hutchinson & Lumsden.

A few boxes of Jumble Winter Nells boxes, \$1 per box. Oregon Growers Packing Corp. Phone 328. 238*

Just unloaded car of the Light-Six Studebakers. Call and look them over. \$1750 f. o. b. Medford. Hittson Motors. 239*

Part Sulloway and Edith Younger of Weed, Calif., arrived in the city this morning and are guests at the Medford. Other guests at this hotel are Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mills of Klammath Falls, W. F. Freres of Los Angeles, and Chas. H. Glaser, H. H. Pomeroy and V. F. Slater of Portland.

Lots of those popular "Lucky Spot" and "Boobie Prize" dances at Jacksonville Saturday night. 241*

We have \$20,000 to loan on Medford business property only. McCurdy Insurance Agency. 226*

Majestic 4-piece orchestra at Eagle Point Friday night. 241*

Upholstering, packing and crating of all kinds, mattress making and renovating, chair repairing. Call at 101 S. Central or phone 516-J. 257

An event of interest among the college crowd is scheduled for Legion hall Wednesday, Dec. 29th, in the nature of a holiday hop which promises to draw a crowd as most of the tickets have been sold. A program of modern dance-hits will be rendered by the Premier Novelty orchestra.

Baby Angora rabbits for sale. Billie Heine, 916 W. Tenth street, Medford. 237*

Ring out the old, ring in the new! Where? Eagle Point! 241*

Everything electrical. Medford Electric Co. Phone 661. 241*

Christmas mail from all parts of the country continues to arrive in the city on every incoming mail train, and there were about 100 packages at the postoffice this morning ready for delivery.

Property owners, attention! Only a few more days to pay interest on your assessments without penalty. 241*

Riverside Auto Paint Shop now open for business. 120 Nat Bldg. 239

Mrs. Paul Hansen, corsieters for NuBone. Phone 585-J. 14*

Invest your savings in the Jackson County Building and Loan association. 14*

J. T. Gagnon arrived home today from a business visit at Portland.

Wednesday night at the Natatorium. A dance worth while, real music by the Imperial orchestra, a wonderful floor with lots of room to dance, moonlight and spotlight waltzes and many others you will enjoy. 238*

"Beach Balloon" dances at Eagle Point, Friday night. 241*

Don't forget the College hall Wednesday night at Legion hall. No admission charge for high school seniors. 238*

The Grants Pass Banking company and the Josephine County bank have voted to consolidate and do business after January 1st under a new name, with Sam H. Baker, cashier of the Josephine County bank as cashier. Frank Bramwell, cashier of the other bank will assume his new duties on January 1st as state superintendent of banks. The total resources of the new bank are over \$1,700,000 according to the last bank statement of each institution in the consolidation.

Mareeiling, hair dyeing, hair switches made of combings. All hair goods half price. Phone 237-J. Sanitary Beauty Shop. 244*

January third is the last day to pay interest on assessments without penalty. 241*

Wednesday night at the Natatorium. Nothing better in music, floor or hall; everything complete. 238*

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An attractive list of bargains for Medford day, which is scheduled for Wednesday of this week, was published in last night's Mail Tribune. As usual many out of town people will be in to avail themselves of these exceptional money-saving opportunities. Wednesday is becoming a prominent business day of the week, second only to Saturday.

Interest on assessments will be delinquent after January third and a penalty of five per cent will be added. 241*

"Snowball" dances at Jacksonville Saturday night. 241*

Roy Bebb of the Ashland Tidings was down to the "Listen Lester" performance last night.

Wednesday night the mid-week holiday dance at the Natatorium. The usual good time is in store for all. 238*

Get her a singing canary for a Christmas present. DeVoe has them. 240*

"Lucky Spot" dances at Eagle Point Friday night. 241*

Better pay your interest on city assessments before January third and avoid the penalty. 241*

The Medford high school is one of the 61 high schools of Oregon which are entered in the high school state championship debates under supervision of the U. of O., the finals of which will be held at Eugene next spring. The winners in each of the 12 districts of the state will compete in elimination contests.

Hot Tamales at DeVoe's. 14*

Oh! Boy! Some party! Where? Eagle Point! When? Friday, Dec. 31. 241*

Mid-week community holiday dance Wednesday night at the Natatorium. Spotlight and prize dances. 238*

Arrangements are now being made for the big New Year's eve dancing carnival at the Ashland amory Friday night. The carnival spirit will be enhanced by the use of quantities of confetti, serpentine, balloons, horns and other noise-producers. Music will be provided by the 8-piece Premier orchestra of Medford.

Dr. Heine, eye, ear, nose, throat, 14*

"Snowball" dances at Eagle Point Friday night. 241*

For a few days only \$65.00 suits at \$45.00 tailored to measure. Klein the Tailor, 128 East Main. Upstairs. 243*

Delegations of theatergoers from Grants Pass and Ashland were among the out of town people in the large audience last night to enjoy the "Listen Lester" musical comedy.

Insurance our only business. "Holmes the Insurance Man." 254

Smoke Crater Lake cigars, made in Medford. Phone 960-M. 254

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Robert Lyons, vice president of the Stewart Fruit company who was drowned in 6 inches of water Monday when his car overturned near Fairfield, California, was well known in Medford, having often visited here in connection with his business. Mr. and Mrs. Lyons on their last visit were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bardwell, Mr. Bardwell being the local representative of the Stewart Fruit company.

Grape elder, fresh from the press at the Jackson County Creamery, Bottling Dept. Phone 22-R. 241*

4 grand prizes for 4 best costumes at Eagle Point. 241*

Better values for less. It will pay you to climb my stairway. Klein the Tailor, 128 East Main. Upstairs. 243*

The Golden Link class of the First Baptist church will have their Christmas party at Mrs. Brownlee's, 843 East Main street, tonight. All members and friends of the class are invited. Each one coming bring a gift.

Happy hob, best shoe cobbler in town at Kidd's Shoe Store, 223 East Main.

The army goods store, 103 N. Central, prepare for the winter, blankets, overcoats, pants, shirts and shoes. New men's underwear (wool and cotton); sock (wool and cotton), everything selling at reduced price. 240

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In looking over the accounts in the Portland newspapers Medford is the only southern Oregon city not represented at the state meeting of commercial club secretaries held this week in the state metropolis for an interchange of ideas and discussion of the duties of their office as well as for betterment of organization service to communities of the state.

Between friends—a photograph. Get them of Mackey, Main and Central, 204, upstairs. 238*

Dr. Coleman uses Therapeutic Light, High Frequency Electricity and Hydrotherapy. 243

Come and look them over. High grade \$65.00 suits at \$45.00 tailored to measure. Klein the Tailor, 128 East Main. Upstairs. 243*

The marine recruiting service announces that ex-service men of the army, navy and marine corps will have a choice of station anywhere in the United States upon enlisting in the marine service.

Coney Island high jinks and carnival at Eagle Point New Year's eve. 241*

EXCELLENT XMAS MAIL DELIVERY BY POST OFFICE

Due to the system evolved through the 18 years experience of Assistant Postmaster Warner and the general efficiency of the members of the post-office staff the people of Medford and vicinity this year enjoyed the best delivery of Christmas mail ever known.

Every Christmas package, letter or card that had been received in the city up to 9 a. m. Christmas day was delivered by noon that day. All received after 9 a. m. Saturday, and there were hundreds of packages from all parts of the country, were delivered Monday. Yesterday there were large piles of this belated Christmas mail stacked up in the postoffice, and each train brought more. Christmas packages will probably be straggling in for a day or so yet.

Another thing that helped out this year in the prompt local handling and delivery was the uniformity with which the Christmas mail arrived, beginning almost a week before Christmas. Every train last week brought Christmas mail. There were no wrecks, floods, snow storms and blockades this year to cause delays and congestion but at that 102 sacks arrived on one train last week.



At the Page
We could explain a lot of interesting things about "Honest Hutch," a corking comedy to be shown at the Page today and tomorrow. But we won't spoil the fun by giving away the story. All we need to say here is that it's a Will Rogers picture. We can't say anything better than that.

At the Rialto
The Rialto theatre will have as its feature attraction tomorrow, Mr. and Mrs. Carter DeHaven in the pictureization of Margaret Mayo's famous stage success, "Twin Beds," a rollicking farcical comedy of the elite boudoir. This story was designed expressly to cause laughter, and its brilliant record as a long sustained hit of the speaking stage proves that it is capable of accomplishing the tasks set for it. The film version is said to be even funnier than the stage production for the reason that the numerous laughable situations have been concentrated so as to be presented in about half the time which was required without the aid of the motion picture camera. In fact, according to advance reports, there is not many seconds when the audience is not enjoying the maximum of mirth during the showing of this photoplay, and, as a gloom-chaser it deserves well of the movie-going populace.

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Thus spoke James J. Hill, the great empire builder.

The Farmers and Fruitgrowers Bank of Medford will help you on the Road of Independence by paying you four per cent, while you save. 234*

Court News

(Furnished by the Jackson County Abstract Co.)

Circuit Court

Elmore V. Loomis vs. Jasper J. Loomis. Summons.

D. S. Mascall vs. Melissa P. Anderson. Certificate of levy.

Viva Iona Cook vs. Alva Edwin Cook. Certificate of service.

C. L. Osenbrugg vs. J. J. Osenbrugg. Demurrer.

Probate Court

Est. A. W. Selsby. Inventory and appraisalment.

Est. Wm. F. Souger. Inventory and appraisalment.

Est. Hiram Bender. Final order.

Est. Elmer E. Bagley. Receipts, order of final discharge.

Est. Lena C. Clausing. Final account and order.

Real Estate Transfers.

F. G. Brown, et ux, to Luella Springer. W. D. to part govt. lot 6, in sec. 32, twp. 36 S., R. 1 W.

S. C. Minniek to Frances E. Minniek, Q. C. D. to NW of NW. Sec. 6, twp. 39, S., R. 1 W

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—Working partner in stock and dairy business or stock exclusively; must be married man with at least \$1000 capital. Good opportunity for the right party. Address Box 25, Mail Tribune. 240

FOR SALE—Cook stove. 518 King Phone 32-L. 239*

FOR SALE—Combined writing desk and bookcase, rocker, dresser, chairs. 1027 Narreagan. 240*

FOR SALE—Six room house on pavement, with bath and pantry and storeroom. One gas range, one wood or coal range, one heater, two bedroom sets, shades, dining table, linoleum, one rug, 16 hens, refrigerator. Also lot, barn and garage. 1/2 block away. all for \$2500. Some terms, inquire 1115 West Ninth. 243

FOR TRADE—A good organ in fine condition, for a tent, or dried fruit or, what have you? Phone 337. 240

FOR SALE—Reliable gas range, good condition, \$12.00. 327 N. Oakdale. 241

FOR RENT—Splendid light house-keeping room; use of bath. 344 S. Central. 240

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