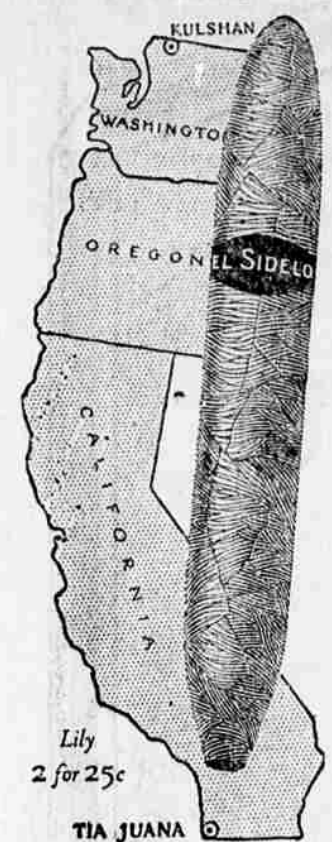


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MORE RAIN FELL IN 36 HOURS THAN ENTIRE MONTH NOV.

More rain fell during the storm that swept the Rogue River valley in the 36 hours ending at eight o'clock this morning, than during the entire month of November, according to weather bureau figures.

The precipitation for Monday night, the beginning of the storm, was .08 of an inch, for Tuesday .66 of an inch, and for Tuesday night up to eight o'clock this morning .83 of an inch, a total of 1.57 inches. The precipitation during the month of November was 1.35 inches.

A high wind during Tuesday's downpour, in the opinion of the weatherman prevented an accurate measurement of the rainfall, as it swept the rain before it in sheets, and did not hit the measuring instrument accurately.

The damage from the storm was negligible, with many reports of leaky roofs and flooded storm sewers. However, the storm broke suddenly Tuesday afternoon and Tuesday night and Wednesday morning the rain commenced anew and during the early hours of this morning fell with severity.

A heavy snowfall is reported in the mountain districts, and the foothills are white with snow.

November was a varied month for weather, with snow falling appropriately upon Thanksgiving. Killing frosts commenced on the twelfth and continued throughout. The heaviest rainfall was on the ninth when .45 of an inch fell. Seven days were clear, and 23 cloudy or partly so. The warmest day was the 21st, when the mercury went to 65, and the coldest the 27th when it dropped to 21 degrees.

Date	Max.	Min.	Am.
1	52	33	.08
2	52	35	.11
3	48	24	
4	48	34	.68
5	49	39	.03
6	54	39	.7
7	53	35	.03
8	56	35	.7
9	53	35	.45
10	44	37	.20
11	56	43	.01
12	55	27	
13	54	24	
14	50	24	
15	49	24	
16	43	21	.7
17	54	27	.6
18	57	38	.7
19	48	24	.05
20	45	33	.7
21	55	43	
22	60	25	
23	57	26	
24	56	25	
25	55	21	

BELASCO PLAY AT ASHLAND FRIDAY

David Belasco's production of Avery Hopwood's famous comedy, "The Gold Diggers," will be seen for the first time in this county at the Vining theater, Ashland, on Friday evening, December 8th. The play ran for two years in New York and one year in Chicago, and as there is and has been but one company appearing in it, the playgoers of this city have not had opportunity heretofore to witness this delightful production of Mr. Hopwood's wit and Mr. Belasco's stagecraft. The production is said to be characteristic of both these geniuses of the theatre at their best, and the company, which is headed by Gertrude Vanderbilt, is made up of players of the first rank.

NEW MEAT MARKET OPENS TOMORROW

The Medford Center Meat Market, Medford's latest acquisition in her business circles, opens tomorrow in the Medford Center building. This new market will be one of the many departments of the Medford Center Department store and will be operated by E. A. Harpole from California and George Salisbury of this city, two experienced butchers and market men. "It will be the aim of the Medford Center Market," says Mr. Salisbury, "to give unexcelled service and offer the highest quality meats." The Medford General Delivery company will handle three regular deliveries daily for this firm.

Splendid equipment has been installed including one of the very latest refrigerating plants and a special invitation has been extended to Medford and southern Oregon people to visit and inspect this plant and equipment whether they wish to buy or not.

Special communication Central Point Lodge No. 135, A. F. and A. M., Thursday, Dec. 7th. Work in M. M. Degree, beginning at 3 o'clock p. m. Dinner at 6 o'clock. All Masons cordially invited, by order of W. M. L. HATFIELD, Sec., 219

Mrs. E. H. Bentley of the St. Clair Jewelry company, will arrive from Salem tonight.

E. C. Riches has taken the place of E. C. McElroy at the Southern Pacific station as ticket agent. Mr. McElroy having been transferred to Salem.

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Local Briefs

A radio concert will be broadcast this evening from Virgin's Radio Service station K. F. A. Y. at the fair grounds, Launsbach's Pavilion orchestra furnishing the music for the radio concert and for the football dancing party at the pavilion.

All kinds of rough and dressed lumber. Wallace Woods, phone 108, 711 East Main street.

The Modern Woodmen of America will hold a very important meeting tonight at Althea hall. There will be election of officers and installation. Initiation of candidates and a big feed in the banquet room.

Auto insurance. Brown & White. Mrs. Kaufman of Ashland spent Tuesday in this city on a shopping trip.

Milk and cream at DeVoe's. Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Arnold of Prospect spent Thanksgiving week with relatives in Medford.

For Diamond coal brickettes, phone Valley Fuel Co. Phone 76.

A. L. Gago, the Hill Construction company engineer from Trail, arrived in Medford this morning on business. You can get it at DeVoe's.

The new dairy ordinance will be passed at the next meeting of the city council, Tuesday evening, December 5, according to good authority. This is considered the most important of the new ordinances and makes it necessary for every person selling milk, whether the source of supply is one cow or a large herd, to file with the city recorder a certificate signed by the state or county inspectors that the animal or animals are entirely free from tuberculosis. For the purpose of inspecting the dairies in the city, an official arrived in the city yesterday, and will continue here until all dairy cattle have been inspected. Those who contemplate selling milk are requested to have the testing done at this time. —Ashland Tidings.

For rent—Three room modern furnished apartment. Gold Ray Realty Co., next to Farmers & Fruitgrowers Bank. Phone 465-J.

Football enthusiasts will be out in force at the "football party" tonight to celebrate the victorious season of the M. H. S. team. The celebration will take place at the fair grounds pavilion, the entire team and all the substitutes being the honor guests of the management. A special program of dancing varied with numerous school songs yells and stunts will occupy the greater part of the evening. The presentation of the Jackson County Amusement Co. silver cup to the Medford "champs" will be the closing event of this novel "football party."

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Talk of a post season game with Corvallis or some other school rated equally as high is still in the air, high school students, members of the team and members of the faculty being in favor of the game. Portland papers for the last two days have contained descriptions of Medford's prowess on the gridiron and it is hoped that such a game may be arranged. Nothing definite on the matter will be known, however, until after the meeting of the state board on Dec. 8th, when the permission of the board to play a post season game will be asked.

Pat's Second-Hand store will pay highest prices for all kinds of household goods, clothes, rags, and metals. 41 South Front St. Phone 416. 222 T. E. Daniels returned Tuesday from a two weeks business trip to Los Angeles. While there Mr. Daniels saw many former Medford residents among them Jess Enyeart, former president of the Medford National bank, and Dr. Page and Dan Stone who have recently bought out the Hart Realty company of Glendale.

Special prices on high school typewriter practice paper at this office. If R. W. Brehm of Portland is a guest of the Medford hotel. Other guests registered there are W. J. Miller of Eugene, G. L. Chanater of San Francisco, M. P. Hathaway of Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. King of North Bend, Ore., H. B. Cosby of Corvallis, C. R. Coy of Portland, A. S. Stephenson of San Francisco, Maurice Winter of Portland and Fred A. Kings of Portland.

Yakima Nettle Gem potatoes, No. 1 grade, \$1.60 per 100 lbs. delivered free. Hutchison & Lumsden. 232*

Dr. Bert Elliot of this city is leaving for Portland tonight on a short business trip.

Joe O'Brien's new barber shop at Medford Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Redhead of Sutherland are registered at the Holland hotel. Other guests are E. D. Stout of Spokane, Gertrude Ann Geopfrath of San Francisco, O. C. Hanson of Butte Falls, L. W. Hansen of Seattle, Mr. and Mrs. Summers of Spokane, C. F. Armstrong of Grants Pass and B. J. Snow of Portland.

Hot tamales and chile con carne at DeVoe's.

The Jackson County Nurses association held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Osbourne on Oakdale avenue Tuesday evening.

Goodrich tires and tubes at Colonial Garage.

Frank Henspeter is leaving this evening for southern California after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold of this city.

When better automobiles are built, Buick will build them.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Wixon arrived in Medford yesterday and took temporary apartments at the Barnum hotel. Mr. Wixon is to open a grocery department in the Medford Center building for the Twentieth Century Grocery company who own a chain of stores all over the country. Mr. Wixon will probably buy a permanent home in this city.

Good potatoes \$1.00 per hundred delivered. Warner, Wortman & Gore. 234*

Kolb and Dill, two comedians who have made theatrical history, are coming to the Page theatre Tuesday night, Dec. 19th, appearing in Aaron Hoffman's latest uproarious farce, "Now and Then," a stage picture of conditions prior and after the passage of the Volstead law. The special Kolb and Dill orchestra, an aggregation without which no Kolb and Dill show would be complete, will be a feature of the performance. In the farcical concoction which will be served to this city, Kolb takes the part of an ardent prohibitionist, with Dill as an equally ardent bootlegger, one of those creatures Roosevelt called a "malefactor of great wealth."

Admission to the Oriental Ballroom is 10 cents. Single dances one dime. Entire evening \$1.00. Dance there tonight. 219*

A new state automobile map, featuring the recreational spots in the national forests will be distributed in the spring by the forest service. Copy has been prepared and is being sent to all supervisors in the state to enable last minute corrections.

Goodrich tires and tubes at Colonial Garage.

Mrs. O. A. Eskom, sister of the late W. S. Forsythe who died last Saturday, is expected to arrive today from Yuma, Ariz., to arrange for the burial of her brother's body.

There's a busy Business College in your home town. GWN.

Mrs. Nettie McElroy and two children, of Medford, spent Saturday in Ashland, the guests of the Manse. Mrs. McElroy was a former parishioner of Rev. Mr. Koehler in Colorado. —Ashland Tidings.

New pianos and phonographs, H. G. Launsbach, res. phone 646-R. Big stock at Weeks & Orr, W. Main.

Election of officers will take place at the next regular meeting of the American Legion at which time refreshments will be served and the Ladies' Auxiliary will be entertained. There's no place like Holmes for complete insurance service.

R. H. Whitehead and J. O'Hara left last night for San Francisco from which city they will sail in the near future for Honolulu. They will spend the winter in the latter city.

Music Trust busted. Victrolas, Brunswick, Columbia, Sonoma and Pathe phonographs and all records at reduced prices. Music Shop, next to Farmers & Fruitgrowers Bank. Phone 465-J.

Joan DeLoach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. DeLoach underwent a successful operation this morning for the removal of her tonsils and adenoids and is resting easily at the Sacred Heart hospital.

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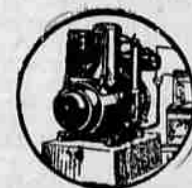
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