

Local and Personal

Eddie Durno, coach of the high school, returned from Eugene this morning and is back on the job at the high school mapping out a basketball schedule for the early part of the season. The first game will likely be played a week from Friday night. Eddie says he saw the Scott high school eleven in action against the Corvallis team and that Medford would have given the Scott outfit a stiff battle.

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There's no place like Holmes for complete insurance service.

There was a heavy fog this morning which required auto drivers to go along more carefully than usual. Two autos came together this morning at the intersection of West Main and Grape streets, with slight damage.

Sound Red Wineapples 75c a box. Independent Fruit Co.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hendershott and children returned to their home in Eugene by automobile Sunday morning. They spent the holidays with Mrs. A. R. Phipps.

The time limit for returning on holiday excursion tickets expires at midnight tonight, and hence the passenger trains are doing a big business today.

This office is prepared to print ledger sheets, bills, etc., used on the bookkeeping machines. Don't give your orders to traveling men and have them printed out of Medford. Phone us and we will call.

Big dance, Orth Hall, Jacksonville, Friday, Jan. 5. Peerless Four orchestra. Tickets \$1.10. Supper at Mrs. Hunt's Restaurant. Morrison and Hepler, managers.

Ralph Cowgill and John Carlin, members of the legislature-elect for Jackson county, although the legislature does not convene until January 8, next Monday, plan to leave for Portland on Friday or Saturday to attend the legislative conferences and caucuses to be held in that city.

The overhauling season is here. We specialize on reboring and honing cylinders. A stock of pistons, rings and parts on hand. We repair all makes of cars—\$1.00 per hour. Riverside Garage.

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Fair and colder weather is predicted for tonight, and rain is the prediction for tomorrow. Thirteen hundredths of an inch more of rain fell during the 24 hours ending at 8 o'clock this morning.

Don't overlook paying your city assessments. There is a penalty of five per cent after January first.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Phipps entertained Friday with a one o'clock luncheon at their new home, 111 Alameda street, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hendershott of Eugene. The invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Hendershott, Miss Betty Jane, and Herman Phipps Hendershott, Mrs. A. R. Phipps, Mr. Preston Phipps, Lee Phipps, Miss Phipps, Chas. Isaacs, Misses Claudia and Anna Kinn, Miss Kathryn Dunham, Miss Patton, Mr. and Mrs. David Phipps, Miss Gladys Phipps, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Alder.

Mattress work all kinds. Medford Auto Top Co. Phone 104.

Take your kodak films to Palmer's studio. First class work and prompt service.

Larry Schade arrived home this morning from having spent New Year's day in Portland. He said that Portland had one of the hardest rains yesterday he ever saw, but had no information on Portland's interior wetness beyond mere rumors he heard.

The Crater Lake Hardware Co. announce that Tuesday, December 12th was lucky day. They will have another lucky day in January.

System Service Co. writes Fire and all other insurance. Strong companies. Office 2nd floor Medford Bldg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Spatz and Denton returned Sunday from a holiday visit to friends and relatives in Portland. They made the return trip by auto and report the going rough.

We vulcanize and retread every day; no waiting. Exchange Tire Co.

Big New Year dance, Oriental Ballroom Sat. night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Porter started the New Year by moving into their new home on Minnesota avenue.

Auto Insurance, Brown & White.

\$6.50 motor driven horns at the Electric Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gay who have been visiting friends and relatives in the city and valley, returned the last of the week to Reno, Nevada, where Mr. Gay is connected with the Clark-Henry construction company.

Snappy New Year dance! Oriental Ballroom! Sat. night! Don't miss it!

Hot tamales and chili con carne at De Vo's.

W. C. Kenney, premier hog raiser of Sams Valley, a fair and fertile district tributary to Gold Hill, is registered at the Imperial. Up and down Main street, from the Hon Ten sweet shop to the west switch, Mr. Kenney is known as "Bill." His home shire, Sams valley, has long since dropped the apostrophe, though it really was named for old Chief Sam, a benevolent Indian patriarch who was there to welcome the first Rogue river settlers. Chief Sam refused to wage war against the white brothers, interceded in their behalf, and died in the odor of sanctity. He must have spent not a few hours of his spare time in sowing the land to beads and ancient copper coins, for occasional finds of such caches are invariably attributed to his foresight.—Portland Oregonian.

There will be a penalty of five per cent on city assessments if not paid by January first.

Dance where the crowd goes. Oriental Ballroom. Sat. night.

Milk and cream at De Vo's.

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

A pruning demonstration under direction of the county agent's office is being held this afternoon at the Omega orchard near Talent.

If you have some second-hand window sash suitable for hotbed, phone 886-X.

The following reminder to people who sell poultry at the public market is posted on the bulletin board of the market, for the year 1923: "All chickens and ducks on the public market must be drawn and have their heads off."

Hemstitching and piecing, silk or cotton, 8 cents per yard. Cor. Main and Bartlett. The Vanity Shop.

Goodwin Corset Shop, 29 S. Fir, 252 Oliver Anderson and Robert Norris of Phoenix, left Monday morning in a light roadster, for Corvallis, in order to be on hand when the Oregon Agricultural college resumes its work for the winter term.

When better automobiles are built, Buick will build them.

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This week's issue of the Oregon Voter, contains sketches of George W. Dunn, Ralph Cowgill, and John H. Carlin, the Jackson county delegation to the legislature, with photographs.

The representation of a lighthouse appears in the lobby of the Rialto theater, by way of calling attention to the current feature film attraction at that theater.

The following hardware merchants will close at 5 p. m. during the month of January. Signed: Young's Hardware Co., Crater Lake Hardware Co., Medford Furniture & Hardware Co.

Gold Hill had two inches of snow last week, and Ashland had none. Hilt, Calif., has had snow since the last of November, and had eight inches of snow before the last storm the first of the week.—Ashland Tidings.

When in need of sash and doors, call Wallace Woods, 108 or come to 711 E. Main street.

Provide against loss, insure with Redden and Canaday.

Miss Ethel Trautfother who has been in Los Angeles for the past year, arrived in Medford yesterday and will be at home to her friends at 48 N. Orange street.

For Sale—Singing canaries. 847-Y.

W. O. W. Big initiation. New second degree. Entertainment. Natatorium. Members only. Wednesday, January 3rd. Parade starts 7:45 p. m. Neighbor, don't miss this.—Committee.

Carter Boggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Boggs, left yesterday afternoon for San Francisco where he will continue his studies at the military academy he is attending near that city.

Jackson county has a live secession movement, many people there advocating annexation to California. Their latest grievance is Portland's alleged influence in taking the Toledo high school game to Corvallis.—Eugene Guard.

All kinds of rough and dressed lumber, Wallace Wood, phone 103. 711 East Main.

We make allowances on old tires on new ones. Exchange Tire Co.

William M. Briggs, Jr., of Ashland, spent Tuesday in the city attending to legal business. Mr. Briggs is city attorney of Ashland, and predicted that his official head would be cut off by the incoming administration.

Woodmen, report at Natatorium to night at 7:30 p. m. for parade. Initiation and entertainment to follow. Committee.

Judge F. M. Calkins accompanied by Mrs. Calkins and his sister will likely leave tomorrow for southern California by auto. They were to have left Monday, but were delayed by an accident which occurred Sunday night while the judge was enroute home with his sister from Eugene. Coming through the Cow Creek canyon the car struck a log in the road and was thrown into the ditch. A wheel was broken but neither the judge nor his sister were injured.

Armstrong cords puts the miles in mileage. Phone 277-J. Star Motor & Supply Co.

Start the new year right by having your automobile work done at the Riverside Garage.

Due to the big ceremonial being held in the Nat today by the Woodmen of the World, a forest has appeared on the basketball floor and the first workout of the high school basketball squad will not be held until tomorrow evening.

For Sale—New Columbia phonograph records at half price. Victor, Brunswick, Columbia, Pathe & Sonora phonographs and records at reduced prices. Music Shop, 15 N. Grape street, next to Farmers & Fruitgrowers Bank. Phone 465-J.

Bring in your old tires and have us put on a guaranteed retread. Exchange Tire Co.

Miss Alice Vander Sluis, former Ashland girl and now a resident of Medford, was in the city over the weekend. She played in the orchestra for the big Elks' New Year program and dance.—Ashland Tidings.

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Miss Dollie Stowell, a former resident of this city, now living at Salem, is visiting friends and relatives in the city and valley.

Good alfalfa hay for sale, very reasonable, either baled or loose. Inquire Jackson County Creamery.

Radio fans of the city and valley report that New Year's eve they heard the siren on the roof of the Times building at Los Angeles, shriek a greeting to 1923, as plain as an Espee locomotive by the local water tank.

January first will be the last day to pay city assessments without penalty.

Harold Woods who had been spending the holiday vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Woods, left last night for Corvallis where he will resume his studies at O. A. C.

For Sale—10,000 acres of land consisting of alfalfa, grain and stock ranches, orchards and timberland, some irrigated; also mining property. All property must and will be sold at some price, some as low as \$1.00 per acre, 5 to 10 years time. T. W. Miles, Attorney, Jackson Co. Bank Bldg., or Gold Ray Realty Co., owners, 15 N. Grape St., adjoining Farmers & Fruitgrowers Bank. Phone 465-J.

Everett Trowbridge returned this morning from a brief business trip to Portland.

Don't forget to pay your city assessments before January first.

John T. Summerville, a former barber and councilman of this city, and a member of the internal revenue staff during the Wilson administration is one of the "faithful democrats" beseeching Governor-Elect Pierce to appoint him insurance commissioner. This is one of the fattest plums at the pie counter and swarms with applicants.

Until further notice Dr. Elliott shall not be in his office on Thursdays.

There were 14 cases in the police court of the city last month, and the total of fines collected and forfeited footed \$150, according to the report submitted by Judge Taylor to the city council. There were six arrests for intoxication on the street, for which fines of \$5, \$10 and \$15 were imposed, one cash bail of \$15 was forfeited, and a jail sentence of 10 days and one day were imposed. There were two cases of possession of intoxicating liquor, for which cash bail of \$75 was forfeited, and one case of disorderly conduct in which \$20 bail was forfeited. A fine of \$10 was imposed for driving a car with an open cutoff. Four cases were investigated but not docketed.

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The public market of this morning was quite light in the way of patronage but fairly good in offerings.

Special prices on retreading. All retreads guaranteed. Exchange Tire Co.

Jesse Houck who has been ailing with a bad cold for a week, is able to come down town again.

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

Have you tried that big milk shake at DeVo's?

MOTHER! MOVE CHILD'S BOWELS WITH CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP

Hurry mother! Even a sick child loves the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. If constipated, bilious, feverish, fretful, has cold, colic, or if stomach is sour, tongue coated, breath bad, remember a good cleansing of the little bowels is often all that is necessary.

Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR RENT—Furnished bachelor rooms. Inquire Blue Front Shop, evenings. Phone 154.

FOR SALE—Good seven room modern home, close in, one or two lots, a snap for quick sale. 492 Medford Bldg., Tel. 42.

WANTED—Pure bred Holstein bull, Box 132, R. F. D. 3, Medford.

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FARM IMPLEMENT REPAIRING

Spray Rigs and Engines

Williams Implement Service 28 N. Bartlett

Farmers! Apply Fertilizers Now

By F. C. Reimer, Supt. Southern Oregon Experiment Station.

As is well known to the fruit growers and farmers of the Rogue River valley, the Southern Oregon Experiment Station has been conducting extensive fertilizer experiments during the past eleven years.

The fertilizers containing nitrogen, like nitrate of soda, nitrate of lime, or sulphate of ammonia, have given remarkable increases in yield on apple, pear and peach trees.

Fertilizers containing sulphur, such as pure sulphur, gypsum, or superphosphate, have given tremendous increases in yields of alfalfa and clover.

The increased yields produced by these fertilizers have been so large as to prove exceptionally profitable; in fact, no other expenditure has brought the increased profits produced by these commercial fertilizers.

It has become very evident in all of our work that these fertilizers should be applied very much earlier on the heavy soils of this valley than is usually practiced. Many of the growers apply these fertilizers in late winter or early spring, and if the spring and early summer happen to be exceptionally wet or rainy, good results

are obtained from such late applications. Usually, however, the late applications produce little or no increase in yield the first season. We have found that far more satisfactory results can be obtained by applying these fertilizers during the month of January. This is particularly true with fruit trees where the roots are some distance below the surface of the soil and where it requires considerable time for the fertilizer to penetrate the soil to the depth of the root system.

It is also true of the various sulphur fertilizers, particularly sulphur and gypsum which dissolve very slowly. I therefore urge all growers to apply their fertilizers just as soon as possible after this date. None of the fertilizer is lost by such early application in this climate, and on our soils, and nine years out of ten far more satisfactory results are obtained than from the late applications.

All Veterans of the Civil War and their families are invited to be in attendance at American Legion hall, Medford, not later than 5 p. m. on Thursday, Jan. 4th, 1923. Spanish-American and World War Veterans

Furniture repaired and made to order. Work called for and delivered. Phone Wm. Bradley 199-L.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McCurdy returned yesterday from San Francisco where they visited Mrs. McCurdy's parents over New Year's.

Mrs. Burros McClain and son left this morning for Klamath Falls where they will spend the next three weeks with Mrs. McClain's sister.

Do you have a dull, steady ache in the small of the back—sharp, stabbing twinges when stooping or lifting—distressing urinary disorders? For bad back and weakened kidneys Medford residents recommend Dean's Kidney Pills. Read this Medford statement.

Mrs. W. E. Lane, 227 S. Holly St., says: "I have used Dean's Kidney Pills for attacks of kidney complaint. My back was weak and lame and I felt dull and run down and my kidneys acted irregularly. Dean's Kidney Pills soon relieved these troubles, strengthening my back and kidneys. I gladly recommend Dean's to anyone needing a kidney remedy."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Dean's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Lane had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

ARTHUR MIDDLETON

AMERICA'S GREAT BASS-BARITONE

PAGE THEATRE

MONDAY EVENING, JANUARY 8

Seats on Sale Saturday, January 6

Mail Orders now—Lower floor, \$2.00; Balcony \$1.50, \$1.00, 50 cents.

and families at 7:30 p. m. Joint installation of officers of G. A. R. Post and W. R. C. Corps. By order of W. M. LYMAN, Post Commander D. W. LUKE, Adjutant.

WHAT A WONDERFUL SHOW!

If you haven't seen it—Just ask yourself what kind of a picture it must be that can keep such crowds coming in this week's weather!

TONIGHT LAST CALL!

IRRESISTIBLE

HAROLD LLOYD

in "GRANDMA'S BOY"

Ask everybody: They'll tell you "Grandma's Boy" is some boy, and that it is the best motion picture they have ever seen. It's a fact!

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BEGINS TOMORROW AT 2:15

MARION DAVIES

in "WHEN KNIGHTHOOD WAS IN FLOWER"

The famed Super-Film—now enjoying sensational triumphs in London, New York, Chicago, Los Angeles, San Francisco—Making history for attendance and duration of runs.

NEVER BEFORE SHOWN AT THESE PRICES:

MATINEES, 55c; NIGHT, LOWER FLOOR, 75c; BALCONY, 55c

Children under 12 yrs, 25c anytime. (These prices include war tax.)

3 Performances Daily, 2:15, 7:15 and 9:25 except Saturday continuous beginning at 12:30, 2:35, 5:10, 7:15, 9:25.

Gargle Throat

With Aspirin

Clip This if Subject to Sore Throat or Tonsillitis

Prepare a harmless and effective gargle by dissolving two Bayer Tablets of Aspirin in four tablepoonsful of water. Gargle throat thoroughly. Repeat in two hours if necessary.

Be sure you use only the genuine Bayer Tablets of Aspirin, marked with the Bayer Cross, which can be had in the boxes of twelve tablets for few cents.