

Local and Personal

The outgoing Christmas season rush at the postoffice began today, which is expected to be the peak day of sending parcels out, and heavy parcel mail was also received today. From 8 a. m. until closing time late this afternoon, despite the fact that an additional window had been opened to facilitate matters, there was a line of people in waiting before these windows with their Christmas parcels. Postmaster Warner warns that parcels of the public that is sending packages east that such packages in order to be reasonably certain of being delivered on Christmas day, must be sent out from here tomorrow at the latest. Southern California packages should be mailed not later than Wednesday, and packages for Portland and its vicinity should be mailed by Thursday night in order to be delivered by Saturday, and have to lay in big piles at the Portland postoffice over Sunday.

Buy a Ford—a family Xmas present. 234*
Maytag assures your wife 52 restful wash days in 1924. Can you beat that for a Christmas present? 231*
The Singer electric sewing machine—a most useful Christmas gift. The Singer Store, 10 South Fir street. 233*
A package of musical selections was lost from H. E. Marsh's car this forenoon on Main street in the business section, probably blown away by the wind. Inasmuch as these selections are to be sung by William Vawter at a concert tomorrow night, the finder of the package is earnestly requested to deliver it at Marsh's grocery.

The best hemstitching in Medford, 8c per yard. Miss Lounsbury, The Vanity Shop. 235*
Crater Lake Hardware Co. sell the Maytag Washer. 231*
Open evenings. Jap Art Store. 243*
The Crater club is holding its regular monthly eruption this evening in Dinty Mohr's basement at the Hotel Medford at 6 o'clock. This is the final meeting for the nomination of officers, and plans will be made for a public "eruption" some time at beginning of the new year.

Girls wanted at Mann's Store. 229*
Be young again, enjoy New Year's eve as a spectator grand masquerade, Medford Armory. 233*
Eventually a genuine Victrola—why not now? Palmer Piano House. 124*

A D. A. R. Christmas tree and regular meeting was held at Mrs. William Welch's home on Misteltoe street Sunday afternoon. 234*
The White Sewing Machine Co. has opened a store at 24 North Bartlett. H. G. Parkhurst will be the manager for southern Oregon. 234*
Shop at DeVoe's tonight. 234*
A Ford for Xmas; something they will all enjoy. 233*
A new run of silverside salmon is now in the river according to local fishermen. The salmon are said to have just come from the ocean and are bright and in exceptionally good condition. It is reported that large numbers of the salmon were seen Friday. The river is in good condition for fishing, having cleared up considerably.—Grants Pass Courier.

Open evenings. Jap Art Store. 243*
Highest grade Utah and Wyoming coal, absolutely free from slack and dust. Hansen Coal Co., 34 South Fir, Phone 239.
Prepare costume, come to Medford's new armory Dec. 31. New Year's eve. Prizes for best couple, lady in fancy dress. Moonlight waiters. 233*
Mrs. E. J. Campbell of Omaha, Neb., arrived Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. A. R. Wilcox, 1005 West Main street. 234*
Candy and nuts for Christmas at Weaver's Store, Central Point. 235*
Hid your place of rats with Rat Nip paste. Monarch Seed Co. 124*
Special sale on Ford accessories. Grease, oil and piston rings. The Busy Corner Motor Co. 124*
A party of Bend, Ore., people in the city, who arrived yesterday, consists of Mrs. Mattie Barnes, A. J. Moore, Merl Hoover and George F. Hoover. Other out of town Oregonians include Mr. and Mrs. B. Mahling and Mary McClain of Hillsboro, Floyd F. Fox of Silverton and the following from Portland: Charles and Helen Haines, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. M. Conway, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hungerford and Mrs. M. E. Allen. 234*

Help wanted—Inquire Mann's store. 229*
Radiators covers, felt lined. Medford Auto Top Co., North Grange. 234*
Open Sunday, Dec. 16th, Jap Store. 124*
Horace Putman returned from Portland Saturday. He plans to leave in a few days for San Francisco. 234*
Buy your Xmas Ford now. A whole year to pay. 233*
New Year's eve, Dec. 31, grand masquerade ball. Medford Armory. Classy music, good floor, plenty of room, new management. Medford Armory. 233*
Next Thursday evening till Christmas open evenings. Medford Hardware & Sporting Goods Co. 236*

Approximately \$150 was raised in a tag sale to finance the U. of O. delegate to the student volunteer national convention at Indianapolis during the holidays. Oregon's delegate, Edwin Kirtley, Eugene, will accompany 19 delegates from local organizations. 234*

Open evenings. Jap Art Store. 243*
Get mamma and walking doll free by buying season ticket. \$3.50 doll free for \$20 ticket, and \$1.50 doll free for \$10 ticket. Those season tickets are good for everything in Jap Art Store before Jan. 1st, 1924. 124*
You can get Kremmel Bros. famous Health Bread at DeVoe's. 234*

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Reames have returned from Portland where they had been for a week's visit. Christmas candy for every taste at Weaver's Store, Central Point. 235*
Plant now, why wait until spring? Eden Valley Nursery. Phone 680-J-2. 124*
Palmer's Studio now making portraits. Also a nice assortment of Crater Lake pictures, hand colored in oils, for Christmas presents, on Sixth street opposite M. & M. Store. 124*
Latest information about the depth of snow at Crater National park, received at the superintendent's office in this city, is that there is 8 to 19 feet at the rim of the lake, about 6 feet at Anna Spring camp, and drifts as high as 14 feet in places on the road between those two points. 234*
Girls wanted at Mann's Store. 229*
Free—A "Mama" doll value \$1.25 with a five dollar purchase. Medford Pharmacy. 232*
New and rebuilt tires, guaranteed vulcanizing. Prices right. Exchange Tire Co., 28 N. Riverside, Medford, Ore. 234*

Rev. Gordon Hart of Grants Pass returned to his home Saturday from Jacksonville where he held a series of special meetings last week. 234*
Don't forget to ask for one of our silver-steel Christmas stockings when ordering your fuel. Valley Fuel Co. Phone 76. 124*
Get soft paper school tablets at this office. 124*

The food at Talent's new lunch room is different—try it once, you can't lose. 230*
W. O. Webster of the Associated Oil company left this morning for Marshfield, Oregon. 234*
We have candy and nuts for Christmas. Come and get yours early. Weaver's Store, Central Point. 235*
Duplicating sale books for sale at this office. 124*

Christmas is coming, millions of gifts will go by parcel post during the next few weeks. If you want to make sure that those you send will arrive in good condition, or that they will arrive at all, have them properly wrapped at this office. 124*
The Crater Lake Rod and Gun club held a turkey shoot at the fair grounds yesterday afternoon from about noon till 4 o'clock. The successful men were Vernon Emerick, Oat Tielman of Ashland, and Jack Hiltner. 234*
Girls wanted at Mann's Store. 229*
Flowering shrubs, vines and ornamentals. Eden Valley Nursery. Phone 680-J-2. 124*
Get your magazines at DeVoe's. 124*

The heavy eastern mail of letters and packages which should have reached Medford yesterday forenoon, did not arrive until this noon, because of train 13 having missed connections at Portland. This train, which is running in two sections this week to accommodate travel and carry the great amount of parcel post and express company Christmas packages, will be late here daily, because of delays in taking on and putting off parcels and packages at the various stops. Most of this Christmas stuff is carried on the second section. 124*
Help wanted—Inquire Mann's store. 229*
Jap crepe, all colors, 23c per yard. Jap Art Store. 243*
Look! Xmas tires, 30x33 tires \$7.50; 30x35 tires \$8.50. Exchange Tire Co., 28 N. Riverside, Medford, Ore. 234*
W. H. Blair of Canby, Ore., is shipping about 18,000 trees to California and Honolulu for the Christmas market. Three carloads have already gone out and more are on their way. Ask about our free dreammaking school at 24 N. Bartlett. 234*

New parts for all cars and trucks. Littrell & Jennings Parts Co., 110 North Front. 124*
We carry nothing in coal but the best guaranteed Utah or Wyoming. Our prices on all fuel we handle are always the lowest, considering quality. Valley Fuel Co. 124*
Mrs. M. E. Sattley and H. N. Sattley of Los Angeles are visitors in the city who arrived yesterday. 234*
Help wanted—Inquire Mann's store. 229*
Buy Xmas gifts, deposit 25 percent, we will save it for you. Jap Art Store. 243*
Who pays the agent, you or the other fellow? Eden Valley Nursery. Phone 680-J-2. 124*

The tax supervising and conservation commission has announced a reduction in the Josephine county budget of \$19,739.52, approximately 4 mills from last year. 234*
Crepe paper 5c roll, DeVoe's. 234*
Buy your shingles and roofing at Wallace Woods' Lumber Yard. 711 E. Main street. Phone 108. 124*

Blue and white lunch cloths on sale. 48x18, 56c; 60x90, \$1.19; 70x10, \$1.48. Jap Art Store. 243*
Ethel Freeman and Edward Doyle, both understood to be from Jackson county, were united in marriage last Saturday by Glenn O. Taylor as justice of the peace. 234*
Do your Xmas shopping at DeVoe's. 234*
At Deuel's—Hemstitching 8c. 124*
Waffles and coffee served all day at Talent's. Try it. 230*
Astoria, with a minimum of 29, is said to have the lowest death rate among children of any city in the United States. 234*
Fifty different slippers, leather and felt, all colors and sizes, about 20 percent cheaper than last year. Jap Art Store. 243*
Toy electric trains \$4.95 and up. Jap Art Store. 243*
Xmas cheer for the whole year. Buy a Ford. 233*
W. P. Grey of the Goodrich Rubber company is in Medford for a few days business. 234*
Xmas gifts are all in Japanese Art Store. 243*
Make yourself and the whole family happy with a reconditioned motor for the car. We have complete equipment and have secured the services of an A-1 first class mechanic. Riverside Garage. 230*
Chevrolet tractor for sale at a bargain. Call 402-R. A. W. V. Barnum. 230*

Robert Strang and Grover Curran spent Sunday duck hunting on Rogus river. 234*

Toys—Jap Art Store—Toys. 124*
You can get it at DeVoe's. 234*
Closing out our jewelry at just one-half pre-war prices. DeVoe's. 234*
The weather the past 24 hours has been sort of freakish, indicative of a storm on the way, and rain is the prediction for Tuesday. There were fog during Saturday and Sunday nights, and one this morning which was driven away by quite a wind which increased from the gentle breeze variety during the night. While the sky was streaky with clouds much of today, warm sunshine broke thru early in the forenoon. An unusual jump in temperature in such a small space of time was witnessed this forenoon when the temperature at 10 o'clock at 34 degrees arose by 10:30 o'clock to 50 degrees. There was only six degrees difference between the minimum of this morning at 30, to the maximum of 36 yesterday. 124*
Fifteen piece china tea set \$2.95. Jap Art Store. 243*
Holidays mean more work and less time to do it. We are well equipped to handle the hardest part. Let us convince you. Medford Domestic Laundry. Phone for prices. 238*
Sneak thieves and burglars are robbing Medford homes. Yours may be next. We can protect you with a burglar policy. \$9.00 for \$1000 insurance. Brown & White Agency, Phone 130. 230*
Among the visitors in the city from Washington state are Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McCoy of Puyallup, C. W. and J. K. Montgomery, Dr. R. Fisher and S. C. Armstrong of Seattle. 234*
Clean cotton rags wanted at the Mail Tribune office. 124*

Spot lights bought this month at Electric Shop installed free. 240*
Roden & Canaday write bonds and insurance. Phone 729. 124*
Arthur F. Moon, secretary to Supt. C. G. Thomson of Crater Lake National park, has just returned from having spent a week at Hunter National park. 234*
A merry Xmas with a Ford car. 233*
You get the best waffles and coffee in Medford at Talent's new lunch room. No. 3 South Central. 230*
Unity literature teaches people how to be well, prosperous and efficient. Free distribution. 310 S. Riverside. 124*
Thomas J. Bradford, trapper and hunter of southern Oregon, shot a 900-pound bear recently near Cottage Grove. 234*
If you want to starve "that's your business"; if you want something to eat "that's our business." Talent's, No. 3 South Central. 230*
Travel home for Xmas in a new Ford. 233*
Grafted Francoise walnut trees. Eden Valley Nursery. Phone 680-J-2. 124*

Chester Barr plans to spend the Christmas holiday season in San Francisco. 234*
Xmas trees and tree decorations at DeVoe's. 234*
Milk and cream at DeVoe's. 124*
All kinds of rough and dressed lumber. Wallace Woods, Phone 108. 124*
711 East Main and family are going to Hood River for the holidays. 234*
Specially reduced prices on all automotive accessories for Xmas presents. The Busy Corner Motor Co. 234*
All day turkey shoot at Phoenix. Thursday, Dec. 20. Hot dinner served on grounds. 231*
Eat your breakfast at Talent's new lunch room. Number 3 South Central. Phone 59. 230*

J. A. Gorman, general passenger agent of the Southern Pacific company, passed through Medford yesterday on his way to Portland after a trip to San Francisco. 234*
Licenses paid for balance of 1923 free on any new car purchased from us this month. This permits Xmas delivery at no extra cost to you. The Busy Corner Motor Co. 234*
Hemstitching 8c per yard at Stylecraft, opposite Rialto theatre. 124*
Be relieved of the disagreeable part of the holiday work. Let us do your washing. Medford Domestic Laundry. Phone 108. 238*
The Loyal Women's Bible class of the First Christian church will meet with Mrs. C. E. Corey, 524 S. Riverside, Tuesday afternoon of this week. Two wind-up automobiles with garage 85c. Jap Art Store. 124*
There's a busy business college in Medford, G.W.N. 234*
DeVoe has the largest assortment of bulk and box candles in southern Oregon. 234*
Students in military science and tactics, and officers and enlisted men of the military department of O. A. C. will give a night horse show in the college armory January 26 and 27. Events include jumping exhibitions of saber work, mounted races, Roman riding, and other contests in horsemanship. Training for the meet has started. Announcement is made that outsiders may enter the events of the show. 234*
Trade at home and bank the difference. Eden Valley Nursery. Phone 680-J-2. 124*
For Xmas cheer, buy a Ford, useful all year. 233*
32x3 1/2 cords, \$15; 33x4 cords \$17.50. Exchange Tire Co., 28 N. Riverside, Medford, Oregon. 234*
C. E. Gates, who accompanied his brother-in-law, Wm. Kellogg, to Portland last week is expected home from that city tonight or tomorrow. Mr. Kellogg who recently located here from the coast is in very poor health and is undergoing examination in Portland by medical and surgical specialists. 234*
From Dec. 17 to Jan. 1, student marceels will be given half-price. Marinello Shop. 238*
Dolls with genuine kid bodies and jointed limbs, \$1.25 and up at DeVoe's. 234*
The Medford Pharmacy are giving away a "Mama" doll value \$1.25, with every five dollar purchase. 232*

Mr. and Mrs. Nell Allen of Grants Pass and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Davis spent Saturday in Medford. 234*
We have good values in used cars. Patton & Robinson, Inc. 124*
1/2 off silk male Jap Art Store. 234*
Buy her a Maytag for Christmas. 231*
Allen Smith who has been in Portland for several days on business is expected to return tomorrow. 234*
10 dollars puts the Maytag in your home Christmas morning. 231*
Men! Ask your wife. The Maytag solves the gift question. 231*
Selling out new phonographs and records all kinds half price. Gold Ray Realty Co. 234*
Guy Leonard of Fresno, Calif., secretary of the chamber of commerce of that city, is visiting friends and relatives here. He is a former reporter on the Medford Sun. 234*
Our only business is insurance, but we cover every known kind of risk. R. A. Holmes, "The Insurance Man." 124*
Expert Income Tax help. BAB College Bldg., Phone 259-H. 251*
The out of town friend will appreciate something new in a local Christmas card. Local scenes in four colors mounted on American or Italian cards may be had at the Medford Book Store, Swann's Studio, Health Drug Store, Miss Goodrich's at Deuel's and The Klocker Printery. 229*
Mrs. Lorraine Bordeaux, a former resident of Medford who left this city two years ago died at Santa Monica, Dec. 9th. She is survived by her three daughters, Mrs. W. W. Usher, Mrs. Martha Spooner and Mrs. May Murray. Mrs. Usher is a resident of Santa Monica; the other are residents of Medford. 234*
Don't miss the offer of the Medford Pharmacy. A "Mama" doll value \$1.25 with a five dollar purchase. 232*
We will loan you money to build or buy Holmes the Insurance Man. 124*
Hamburger sandwiches at DeVoe's. 234*

J. C. Shelby, employee of the Hotel Holland when returning from Applegate Tuesday evening late at night turned over on the grade the other side of Jacksonville and damaged the Studebaker light six car that he was driving. He suffered several cuts about the face and bruises. The damage to the car was estimated at \$150. 234*
All the new Christmas novelties at Pongee on sale: \$1.50 grade now 95c; \$1.25 grade now 85c; \$1.00 grade now 75c. Japanese Art Store. 124*
Rat Nip kills mice and rats in a jiffy. Monarch Seed Co. 124*
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cole of the Foster-Kleiser company have returned from a motor trip to San Francisco. 234*
I am now booking orders for Clear-tone Radio sets, for Xmas delivery. Get your order in early. Nine beautiful models to choose from, \$40 and up. Minkler, 403 Liberty Bldg. 233*
Open Sunday, Dec. 16th, Jap Store. 124*
Mayor M. S. Johnston and Mrs. Johnston of Gold Hill spent today in the city shopping and attending to business. 234*
Read the article in the December American about careless wrapping of parcel post packages. Then bring your packages to this office for proper wrapping. 124*
Genuine Bosch Magneto parts and repairs. Electric Shop, Eighth and Bartlett. 124*

What better assurance can you have that Santa Claus will be bountiful to you and yours at the Christmas times to come—than a life insurance policy in the New York life?

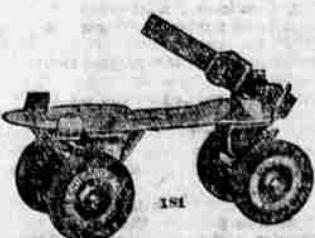


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Medford National Bank Building
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PAGE SATURDAY MATINEE NIGHT Dec. 22

Special Bargain Matinee 2:30. Prices include War Tax. Adults 50c; children 25c. Any seat. Evening Price—Lower Floor \$1.10; Balcony 1st 8 Rows 85c; Balance 55c. Includes Tax. All seats reserved.

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