

# Local and Personal

Six more hundredths of an inch of rain fell during the 24 hours ending at 8 a. m. today, making .21 of an inch which had fallen this week up until that time. More rain fell at times today, and rain is the prediction for Thursday. This morning's minimum of 44.5 degrees was the warmest early morning temperature for a week or more.

**Talk prunes this week.** 292  
Dance, Riverside Community club, Saturday night, March 1st. Loveland's orchestra. 290\*

Mrs. Alice Holloway, Miss Margaret Devereaux, county nurse, Miss Ida Dahl, county school nurse, and Mrs. C. F. Tilton of Ashland have gone to Portland for the week to attend the Public Health association meeting being held in that city.

M. W. A. and Royal Neighbors will hold a box social at M. W. A. hall Thursday evening. An interesting program is being prepared. All Woodmen and Neighbors and friends are invited. 289

The Central Auto Service Stage Lines announce that Klamath Falls stages will leave Hotel Holland, Medford daily at 1:30 p. m., effective March 1st. 291\*

Twelve high bred Berkshire hogs were sold to stock raisers in Jackson county at the Niles auction sale of such stock in Josephine county last Saturday, and are now being proudly shown in the pens of their owners.

Wm. Bayston of Medford bought six A. T. Lathrop of Central Point two one for each of his sons, and D. M. Lowe of Talent four.

Singer electric or treadle machines sold or rented on terms of \$3.00 per month. Bargains in second-hand machines. Repairs and supplies for all makes. The Singer Store, 10 S. Fir. 292\*

Lady Elks dance Friday evening, Feb. 29th. Good music. Good eats. Biggest dance of the season. Admission \$1.25. Extra ladies 35c. 291\*

The date of the final interscholastic debate of the season, the contest between Medford high and Ashland high, has been postponed until Thursday evening at 7:30.

W. O. W. dance at I. O. O. F. hall, Feb. 28th. 289\*

Are your chickens lousy? Parker's Magic Discover given in drinking water or food, rids fowls of lice or mites. Nothing better for baby chicks. Sold under guarantee by Haskins Drug Co. 289

H. Chandler Egan, well known Medford golfer, is in the city looking around at the various and sundry links about town.—Portland Journal. Mr. Egan arrived home from Portland this morning.

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Mr. and Mrs. Emil Mohr returned last night from their sojourn of over a week at San Francisco.

Bing cherry trees, the best ever. Eden Valley Nursery, phone 680-J-2. 1\*

The ladies of the South Methodist church will serve an oyster supper Friday evening, Feb. 29, from 5 to 7 p. m. Price 35c and 50c. 291

The Kolb & Dill company which arrived in the city at 5 p. m. yesterday from Redding, Calif., and played at the armory last night, left on this morning's north bound train for Eugene where they play tonight.

St. Mark's Guild annual Mardi Gras, Agriculture hall, Yreka, Calif., Feb. 29, 1924. Entirely different program followed by grand ball. 291

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H. S. Atkins, wire chief of the Ashland telephone exchange spent yesterday attending to duties in this city.

See Samuel Bateman or phone 912-J for the best garden loan. 1\*

For 15 years R. A. Holmes has been known as "The Insurance Man." We lead others follow.

A carload of condensed milk is being assembled in Oregon and Washington to be sent to the children of the Near East. This car will be joined by other cars collected on the coast and in the middle west and by the time these various cars have reached Chicago it is expected that at least one solid trainload of milk will be the result. Transportation is furnished free by the various railroads. "There is nothing so essential for our children in the Near East as milk," states J. J. Handsaker, Oregon director, "and there are more than 100,000 underfed orphans for whom this milk is being collected."

I get mine at Brown's. 290\*  
Dry oak and laurel wood \$4 tier in 3 tier lots, delivered. Box 417. 291

The reading of "Hamlet" by W. Lee Greenleaf, which was to have been given under the auspices of the Greater Medford club has been postponed indefinitely.

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O! Boy! Come to the Lady Elks dance Friday evening, Feb. 29th. 291\*

Mrs. A. C. Baumgartner of Hill is a visitor in the city who arrived Tuesday.

We have good values in used cars. Patton & Robinson, Inc. 292\*  
Rhubarb and asparagus roots. Eden Valley Nursery, phone 680-J-2. 1\*

The Western hotel building was purchased Monday afternoon by Burkhalter and Jones, who bid \$700 for the place. It was placed on the auction block after the site and building had been purchased by a group of local men. The building is to be removed from the property and the site held for a modern hotel building. The contents of the building were auctioned off this morning. A large crowd attended the sale.—Grants Pass Courier.

Delicious. Winesap, Staymens, Pippins, 75c. Comice, Nella pears, \$1. Fresh milk goats \$35. Kids \$2.50. Improved ranches for sale or rent. Smith, at Medford Fish Co. 291  
Brown fixes your shoes while you wait. 290\*

Dick Besse of Olgona, Ore., who has been here visiting for three weeks returned to his home today. 292

Buy prunes this week. 292  
Unity literature teaches people how to be well, prosperous and efficient. Free distribution, 106 South Ivy. 1\*

Mrs. J. C. Thompson who yesterday underwent an operation at the Sacred Heart hospital is today doing very well.

If you want taxes reduced vote for Wm. Ulrich. 289\*

See Brown for your first class shoe repairing. 290\*

W. M. Shephard of the California Oregon Power company returned this morning from a short trip to Portland.

Dance where there is joy of living— at the Oriental gardens Saturday nights. 289\*

Why use a treadle machine when we will rent you a new White Electric for \$3.00 per month. White Sewing Machine Co., 24 N. Bartlett. 1\*

Miss Marie Euan of the Palmer Penmanship Co., has been in Medford for the past two days assisting the teachers of the various schools by a series of demonstration lessons and conferences. Miss Euan especially complimented the work being done in the more advanced grades of the Lincoln and Washington schools.

Dance, Eagle Point, Sat. nite. 289\*  
You can get it at DeVoe's. 1\*

Arlid D. Ziner of Butte Falls, is a visitor in the city from that section of the county who arrived yesterday.

Dance where color, beauty, music and love stimulate imagination. The Oriental gardens Saturday nights. 289\*

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There was an attendance of about fifty people from all parts of the valley at the smudging demonstration given by R. M. Wathem at Grants Pass Tuesday evening. E. C. Jerome accompanied Mr. Wathem from this city to attend the demonstration.

For estimates on fixing lawns phone 612-J. Samuel Bateman. 291  
Cheap apples, good sizes, at Conner's, phone 64. 289\*

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Wadlen and Ben Adler of New York City and M. A. Smith of Chicago are among the visitors in the city from the east.

Restful, yet invigorating—the Oriental gardens Saturday nights. 289\*

Buy prunes this week. 292  
John Olmstead has purchased a new Buick sedan and plans to make a tour with Mrs. Olmstead through southern California with it soon.

I have taken over the interest of Mr. Barkley in the Argravas Hotel. We have good clean rooms and good beds, and will endeavor to give our customers the best service possible. Give us a trial. J. E. Hill. 289

Milk and cream at DeVoe's. 1\*  
Vernon H. Vawter returned this morning from a business trip to Portland.

Grafting wax. Eden Valley Nursery, phone 680-J-2. 1\*

New shipment cotton crepe, all colors, 23c yd. Jap Art Store. 1\*

J. W. Varian has been confined to his home lately by illness.

Brown guarantees his shoe repairing. 290\*

Est prunes this week. 292  
The tickets for the Saturday evening final Medford-Ashland basketball game at the Armory, will go on sale at Crowson's Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

Knight's Packing Co. has machinery on way to double their capacity for handling tomatoes and would contract for one hundred acres of tomatoes at their plant in Medford. 292

Flowering shrubs, vines and ornamentals. Eden Valley Nursery, phone 680-J-2. 1\*

Max D. Anderson, the Goodyear Rubber Co., representative was in Medford today transacting business.

Learn to smile, laugh, dance and the greater life is yours. The Oriental gardens Saturday nights. 289\*

Cars for rent without driver. Elwood Auto Shop, S. Central. 1\*

Prunes are a health food. 292  
Coal briquettes, clean and economical. Exclusive dealers, Hanson Coal Co., phone 289. 1\*

John Douglas, chairman of the Portland chamber of commerce forum and A. S. Dudley, manager of the Oregon state chamber of commerce, who are to speak at the chamber of commerce forum banquet this evening arrived here this afternoon.

Get soft paper school tablets at this office. 1\*

Columbia plaster wall board. Call for prices. Wallace Woods Lumber Yard. 1\*

Fruit, shade and nut bearing trees. Eden Valley Nursery, phone 680-J-2. 1\*

Joseph Curtis Barnes, Jr., 20 North Peach street, was one of the cash prize winners in the Ingersoll Pench Student's prize contest.

Grafting wax at Monarch Seed Co. 1\*

Who pays the agent, you or the other fellow? Eden Valley Nursery, phone 680-J-2. 1\*

Get your magazines at DeVoe's. 1\*

C. L. McKesson, highway engineer in charge of federal and post road construction for the Portland office of the federal bureau of public roads, will leave Portland soon to join the California state highway department.

His resignation was presented to C. H. Foxwell, district engineer, Monday afternoon. His new headquarters will be in Sacramento.

Key fitting. Liberty Repair Shop. 1\*  
Buy prunes this week. 292

Exchange your old piano for a new one. See Launspach, phone 237. 1\*

Mrs. George Eaton, Mrs. A. C. Huff and Mrs. E. A. Adams of Grants Pass were in Medford yesterday afternoon shopping.

Photographs. See Launspach. 1\*  
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Frederick Purdin who was burned by an explosion in the Willard Battery station Monday is much improved and will be able to return to his work soon.

Cars for rent without driver. Elwood Auto Shop, S. Central. 1\*  
Hemstitching, buttons covered at the Handicraft Shop. 1\*

So much interest has been aroused by the Medford-Roseburg game to take place next week, that arrangements are being made by the high school in conjunction with some of the business men in town, for a special train. This would enable the Medford people who attended the game to return home the same night.

I pay cash for used pianos. Herb Launspach, phone 237. 1\*

Try our dry wash, 7c per lb., minimum 75c. All flat pieces ironed. American Laundry, phone 873. 1\*

C. H. Davis and Harry Van Dyke have been spending the winter on their homestead at Butte Falls. They will return today.

Netted Gem spuds, \$1.75 per 100 lbs., delivered any place in Medford. Johnson Produce Co., 241 N. Fir, phone 97. 1\*

Try our wet wash on your next wash day. 15 hours for 75c. You can't do it at home for this amount. Medford Domestic Laundry, Personal Domestic Service. Phone 166. 1\*

A surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Law, in Central Point Tuesday evening in honor of the eighteenth birthday of their daughter, Miss Rena Law. There were games and music, and refreshments were served. Those present were Miss Lola Blackford, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Blackford, Oscar Blackford, Clifford Cullin, S. Porter and Mr. and Mrs. Morley Anders.

Linen crepe, all colors, 85c yd. Jap Art Store. 1\*

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Washington state visitors in Medford temporarily include Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Brenner, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Jenner and Frank Manolis of Olympia, Mr. and Mrs. James Clark of Tacoma, A. P. Smith of Vancouver, and S. W. Haight, W. V. Swanson, F. C. Bartlett and H. A. Saxon of Seattle.

We will loan you money to build or buy Holmes the Insurance Man. 1\*  
C. I. Red eggs at DeVoe's. 1\*  
C. C. Hoover of Medford has been in Portland this week.

Brown cuts down high shoes to ox-fords. 290\*

Genuine Bosch Magneto parts and repairs. Electric Shop, Eighth and Bartlett. 1\*

De Molay Notice  
There will be a meeting of the De Molays Thursday evening, February 28, at 7:30. 289\* RAY KNIPS, Scribe.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY  
FOR SALE—240-acre stock or dairy ranch, 50 acres irrigated, water fully paid and no maintenance fees. \$5000 modern bungalow, good barn, garage, chicken house, blacksmith shop, all needed farm implements and tools, horses and other stock. This place priced to sell. Will take some city property, some cash, balance easy terms, \$13,000. Address Box R, Mail Tribune. 290

FOR SALE—Four room cottage, one lot, price \$900. One block north off E. Jackson, 1004 May St. 291

It seemed other odd to many men that the regular weekly chamber of commerce forum was not held this noon. That forum which is the 299th consecutive weekly forum, was shoved over to 7 o'clock this evening at the Hotel Medford, when it will be held in the form of a big chamber banquet to celebrate the occasion.

Trade at home and bark the difference. Eden Valley Nursery, phone 680-J-2. 1\*

Est prunes this week. 292  
Before you buy that piano see Herb Launspach. He can save you money. He knows pianos and is reliable. Office and salesroom, 114 W. Main St. 1\*

There's a busy Business College in Medford. GWN  
Of interest to local basketball fans is the news from Salem that the Salem high school victories have all been forfeited because it has been proved that Fallin, Salem's star forward has played five years. Salem now wants to play independence without Fallin for the Willamette valley championship.

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Lawn planting and landscape work. Phone 52-12. 291\*

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Phonographs! See Launspach. 1\*

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LOCAL BUSINESS WOMEN APPOINT COMMITTEES

The executive council of the Business and Professional Women's club, met at a six o'clock dinner at the Hotel Medford, Monday evening, Feb. 25th. Routine business was attended to and plans for the future of the club were discussed. The following standing committees were appointed: Education, Jane Elizabeth Olson, Elizabeth Ferguson, Ophelia Morris; program, Pauline Greaves; Margaret Devereaux, Gladys Peterson; finance, Alice Hanley, Clara Wood, Katherine B. Johnston; membership, Nellie McKee, Ruth Daniels, Nova Lounsbury, Alice M. Dunn, publisher, Vera M. Van Scoyoc, Mrs. Rose Schieffelin, Mrs. Myrtle Blakeley; social, Dorothy Turner, Cleone LaMar, Clare Hanley. The next regular meeting of the club will be on March 5th and will be in the nature of a St. Patrick's party.

—This is Prune Week—  
Oregon Is Adapted to Production of Italian Prunes

Oregon is naturally adapted to the production of the tart Italian prune. As far as competition is concerned, no state in the union other than Washington, produces any material quantity of this crop. In western Oregon, the quality and yield are the equal of any section and as low as that in any other prune producing area. The amount of land available for the production of this crop in Oregon is unlimited, and the only factor which limits production is the market. If a demand could be created for two, three, four or five times the number of Italian prunes produced in this state today, there is abundant land available for their production, but of course this kind of production is entirely out of the question until the demand is created.

The present consumption of fruit in the United States today is approximately 335,672,821 bushels. Present conditions of the country tell us that the people of the United States should be consuming 340,740,000 bushels. This gives us a very narrow margin of about 5,000,000 bushels. This figure will be more than wiped out in a very short time by the new acreage of fruit coming in. Our only chance of increasing the consumption of prunes in this country to any material extent is by advertising and taking the market away from some other line of fruit.

In other words, the American people are consuming approximately as much fruit as they need and only those fruits which are properly advertised by the producer are going to be consumed in sufficient quantities to keep up with production.

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WEDDING BELLS

Arthur Sellars and Grace Gregory, both of Central Point, and well known in their community, were married Tuesday, February 26th, at the home of D. J. Howe, the officiating minister.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gregory. The couple will reside near Central Point.

Jack Dempsey Operated on  
NEW YORK, Feb. 27—Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight boxing champion, successfully underwent a minor operation today at the Poly-clinic hospital. His condition was said to be satisfactory but he will remain for several days at the hospital.

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FOR RENT—Light housekeeping room. 146 S. Holly. 291\*

WANTED—Housecleaning by woman. Phone 702-W. 292

FOR RENT—Five room furnished house. Phone 115-J. 290

FOR SALE—New bungalow, modern garage, \$500 down, \$30 per month, \$1300, terms. Phone 650-L. 300

# Feared Breakdown States Mrs. Trumley

Prominent Oregon Lady Suffered Until She Took Tanlac—Relief Came With First Bottle.

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Patrons are requested to arrive at the theatre in time to be seated before the beautiful overture commences.

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