

Local and Personal

According to the hundreds of people seen in the stores and on the streets of the business district, this forenoon and afternoon, Christmas shopping will be one of the largest and busiest of the Christmas shopping season, if not the busiest. Shoppers from the rural and other communities of the county were in the city by the hundreds.

Let me write your fire insurance, Carl Y. Tengwald, Hotel Holland, Tel. 992.

Another turkey dance, Eagle Point Sat. night, 266.

Friends of Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Temple will be pleased to know they are nicely located at 1455 S. Lincoln street, in South Salem, and are enjoying the work in the district.

Emma Cline's Beauty Shop open every evening until Xmas eve, 214. Adrienne's, choice of any hat up to \$22.50 for \$4.95, 214.

District Attorney Newton C. Chaney returned this morning from Portland, where he has spent the past ten days on business.

Women's silk hose with pointed heel, regular dollar a pair value, Holiday special, 3 pairs \$1.98, wrapped in a gift package, 257.

Rosenberg's, Inc., 257.

Guard your health. Send your laundry to the Medford Domestic Laundry, Phone 166, 266.

Guests from a distance at Medford hotels include Fred A. Brott of Chicago, H. I. Klein of Cleveland and Mrs. F. E. Rogers of Ketchikan, Alaska.

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"Watch My Speed" at the Plaza tonight, 267.

The condition of Mrs. Ralph Jennings, who recently underwent a major operation at the Sacred Heart hospital, was today reported to be much better, and she is expected to be able to be removed to her home within a week.

Adrienne's, choice of any hat up to \$22.50 for \$4.95, 214.

We double cork our coal — no dust, Hansen Coal Co., Phone 229, 117.

A truckload of Josephine county shrubbery was taken south Thursday by a California nursery concern. This included dogwood and rhododendrons from the Selma district. The plants were dug up and will be used to plant around California homes. — Grants Pass Courier.

Wrestling match between Noree Cook and Evans at the Rialto theater Dec. 21. Every seat a dandy, 272.

Homemade cakes, fruit cake and plum pudding, Marsh Grocery, 258.

H. J. Sheldon, a cousin of G. S. Lyons of Medford, arrived here this morning from his home in Montana for an extended visit.

Half box Golden Delicious apples, packed especially to send to the folks back home, E. W. J. Hearty, Inc., Phone 154, 266.

Don't forget Jackson Springs Club, Saturday night, 9:30 till 2 a. m., 266.

J. A. McDougal and K. E. Hutchinson are among the Klamath Falls residents in the city who arrived yesterday.

Wood — all kinds — oak, laurel, fir and dry slabs, Medford Fuel Co., Tel. 631, 266.

Dance at Walker's tonight, 266. Samples of Douglas fir wood, boughs and cones were on display at the Chamber of Commerce today through the courtesy of the Crater national forest service, which, under the direction of John Gribble, is decorating lamp posts in front of the chamber with fir boughs, making the posts appear as if they were living trees.

Bowl at Nat. evenings, 270. Hemstitching at Russell's, 7c per yard, work guaranteed, 200.

Fred Luy, Jr., and Royal Brown of Eagle Point spent several hours in the city on business yesterday.

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Don't miss the \$1 and \$1.98 hats at the Emmy Lou Hat Shop in M. M. Store, 269.

Among the Californians registered at Medford hotels are Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Krampton and L. W. Wicker of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Allop of Oakland, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Buscombe, V. K. Sturges and C. L. Burlon of San Francisco.

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Remember the wrestling match at the Rialto theater Dec. 21st. Comfortable seats, 272.

Marriage licenses were issued at the county clerk's office today and yesterday to Crabtree Lee, 22, of Tennant, Cal., Emma Palmer of Greenview, Cal.; A. O. Young, 32, of Malin and Cora Fenton, 29, of Merrill, and Lawrence Johnson, 30, of Grants Pass and Lella Lawrence, 21, of Grants Pass.

Hemstitching, 7c a yard. Our work guaranteed, Handicraft Shop, 269.

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Among the students who will be graduated from the Southern Oregon Normal school at the end of the fall quarter, these students to be regularly listed in the graduating exercises next June, are Crystal Alford, Madeline Brown, Alice Finley, Lucille Jones, Lottie Kelsor, Audrey McPherson, Leah Dolbs Murray, Arvilla Robinson, Marjorie Smith, Lola Talbot, Mary Taylor and Andrea Wagner. Marjorie Smith may return to school for further work; Lottie Kelsor and Audrey McPherson will teach in Klamath Falls and Mrs. Robinson will teach in Portland.

Half box Golden Delicious apples, half box Red Delicious apples, packed especially to send to the folks back home, E. W. J. Hearty, Inc., Phone 154, 266.

Pillows and flowers and hats for gifts at the Hand Box, 223 East 6th St. All hats on sale less than half price, 269.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Grieve of the Prospect district spent today in the city doing Christmas shopping and looking after other business.

Kincald's turkey dance, Eagle Point Sat. night, 266.

Give Paller Brushes for Christmas, Mrs. H. L. 1234-J, evenings, 274.

Miss Hester Morgan arrived here yesterday morning from Grants Pass and spent the day visiting friends.

"Watch My Speed" at the Plaza tonight, 267.

Cheap dry lumber at Medford Lumber Co., 257.

Today's public market included one of the largest stocks of dressed poultry on sale for sometime, and enjoyed a good patronage. The market was crowded with shoppers this forenoon, taking advantage of bargains offered in fresh meats, pastries, fruits, vegetables and home-canned foods as well as in Christmas greenery, such as mistletoe and young fir trees.

Don't forget Jackson Springs Club, Saturday night, 9:30 till 2 a. m., 266.

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Lawrence Collins of Central Point, formerly of the Los Angeles Bible institute, will be in charge of the services tomorrow at the Presbyterian church at Butte Falls.

Included among the Oregonians registered at Medford hotels are Mr. and Mrs. S. Tibbory, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Tibbory of McMinnville, Geo. H. Graves of Salem and M. A. Hollingsworth of Eugene.

Best Utah lump coal, Tel. 631, Medford Fuel Co., 117.

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Mrs. Jean Burke of Grants Pass, president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Patriarchal Militant, returned to her home today. Mrs. Burke paid her official visit to Medford last night. She was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Richert of Capitol Hill.

Dance at Walker's tonight, 266. Bowl at Nat. evenings, 270.

Frank Upton moved in from his ranch near Central Point yesterday afternoon on a buying trip. Best Ever pear butter is good on waffles, hot cakes or with cream for breakfast, 267.

Half box Golden Delicious apples, half box Red Delicious apples, packed especially to send to the folks back home, E. W. J. Hearty, Inc., Phone 154, 266.

The issuance of temporary auto licenses at the sheriff's office has been dropped off to nothing and will probably remain in that condition until after December 20, when temporary licenses for new autos will be issued for 1929.

Adrienne's all velvet and satin dresses one-half price, 274.

Coal by the sack or ton, Tel. 631, Medford Fuel Co., 117.

Construction of roads and the progress made in Oregon, will be among the chief subjects discussed at the 23rd annual convention of county judges and commissioners to be held in Portland December 17, 18 and 19, according to the program issued yesterday. The sessions will start at 10 a. m. December 17.

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Strayed—Small bay pony, weighs about 900 pounds, with scar on face. Liberal reward for return. Finder please notify Mail Tribune office or Phone 868-X, 117.

Miss E. Powers of Talent visited and shopped in Medford yesterday afternoon.

Guaranteed hemstitching, 7c. Work not drawn, Mrs. Cannon, 247.

Binair's Dollar Store, 247.

Wood — all kinds — oak, laurel, fir and dry slabs, Medford Fuel Co., Tel. 631, 266.

Medford was eighth in the state of Oregon for building program totals, with \$32,000, according to the monthly survey received today by the department from the Strauss company. Klamath Falls in November began building activities entailing an approximate cost of \$118,000, and Portland began a program approximately \$811,000. Marshfield was low with \$3,000, with Astoria not far behind. The building program as a whole in Medford for 1928 was good, but the program for 1929 is expected to be better.

Adrienne's all velvet and satin dresses one-half price, 274.

Hol. clean coal, Tel. 631, Medford Fuel Co., 117.

Mrs. C. W. Vaughn, who underwent a major operation at the Community hospital yesterday morning, is reported to be improving satisfactorily.

Bowl at Nat. evenings, 270. New radio log books are now available at Palmer Music House, 269.

A friendly lawsuit will probably be filed in Klamath county to determine whether or not the county school districts are entitled to a share in the O. & C. land grant refund money.

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Hemstitching, 7c a yard. Our work guaranteed, Handicraft Shop, 269.

Guests from Washington state at Medford hotels include Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Owen of Longview, Mr. and Mrs. P. Alexander of Tacoma, and the following from Seattle: Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Granston, J. E. Garrison, D. J. Hanna, Mrs. Tom Patterson and Chas. Hubbard.

Cheap lumber and cedar posts, Medford Lumber Co., 257.

We specialize in laundering wool blankets, Medford Domestic Laundry, Phone 166, 266.

Fred Luy was a business visitor from the Wellen district in the city yesterday afternoon.

Hats reduced to \$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.98 and \$4.75, values to \$17.50. You can't afford to miss these bargains. The Hand Box, 223 E. 6th St., 269.

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E. M. Wilson left today for Roseburg, where he will begin Monday on the annual audit of Douglas county.

Mrs. George Howard is ill with flu at her home this week.

Hemstitching, hose, m and n o g, blanching and button making, Handicraft Shop, Phone 702, 1911.

Car Delivery Conference SALEM, Ore., Dec. 18.—(AP)—Oregon and Washington officials and motor transportation representatives will meet at the Portland study plans for some agreement between the two states concerning motor vehicle deliveries. Secretary of State Hoss and Chief State Traffic Inspector T. A. Rafferty will represent Oregon. Hoss will preside.

POSTOFFICE BUSY WITH CHRISTMAS PARCEL BUSINESS

Today was the busiest day so far in the sending out and receiving of Christmas parcels at the local post office, especially in the sending. Although a steady volume of men, women, boys and girls mailed packages throughout the day, only a few times did this volume come so fast as to cause a waiting line of ten or more minutes. This latter condition is contrary to postoffice lobby conditions in previous years at this length of time before Christmas, and means that all the published warnings to mail early for distant and other locations have been disregarded by a horde of people, who will flock to the postoffice Monday.

For this reason the postoffice staff confidently predicts a "mad house" condition in the lobby all day Monday.

Next week the fall crush of the incoming local Christmas postoffice business will be on, and continue to its last minute, with thousands of packages arriving; and the postoffice staff will get no breathing spell until Christmas day, as the late incoming packages of Saturday, Sunday and Monday will cause them to work till late Monday.

As always, the last minute volume of Christmas mail arriving on the day before Christmas will keep the augmented postoffice staff on the jump that day until midnight, to deliver all parcels that have arrived by early that evening.

Again, it is stated that the postoffice will be closed all day Christmas day, and that there will be no deliveries that day.

The daily special Christmas parcel train from Portland this forenoon brought in three truck loads of parcels for the Medford postoffice, a substantial increase over the previous daily receipts.

Radio Program KMED

- Mail Tribune-Virgin Station
- Saturday, December 15
 - 2:28.9 P. M.—
 - 5:30 to 6:15—Ye Towne Crier.
 - 6:15 to 6:30—Mail Tribune News and Markets.
- Sunday, December 16
 - Morning service broadcast from the Christian church by Mutual Mill & Seed Co. Evening service broadcast from the studios of KMED by the Valley Radio church.
- Monday, December 17
 - 8 A. M.—
 - 10 to 10:30—American Laundry.
 - 10:30 to 11—Jordan Electric, Ashland.
 - 11 to 11:30—The Auto Beauty Shop.
 - 11:30 to 12—The Bootery.
 - "Beautiful Shoes for Women."
 - P. M.—
 - 12 to 12:30—Adrienne Steward—"Distinctive and Individual Wearing Apparel for Women."
 - 12:30 to 1:30—Lewis Super Service Station.
 - 5:30 to 6:15—Ye Towne Crier.
 - 6:15 to 6:30—Mail Tribune News and Markets.
 - 7:30 to 8—Lampert's Toy Store presents Santa Claus.
 - 8 to 8:30—Southern Oregon Gas Co.
 - 8:30 to 9—Eads Storage and Transfer Co.
 - 9 to 10—Mono Motor Oil Co.

Obituary

GRIM—Funeral services for Nola G. Grim, wife of J. H. Grim daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Casbeer, who passed away at her home, 503 Haven street at 7:00 p. m., Thursday, will be held at the Conker chapel at 2:00 o'clock Sunday. Rev. W. H. Eaton of the Baptist church will be in charge of services and entombment will follow in the Medford memorial mausoleum.

GLEIM—Frances E. Gleim passed away at her home one mile west of Talent, Ore., December 14. Mrs. Gleim was born in Iowa, December 27, 1856, later moving to Rock Island, Ill., where she made her home until November 10, 1885, at which time she was united in marriage to Harry S. Gleim. After their marriage they moved to Texas and made their home in that state until 1916. In that year they moved to Oregon, settling in the Wagner Creek district, where she had lived until the time of her death. Mrs. Gleim was a devoted wife and mother and was very active in church affairs, being a member of the Episcopal church of Ashland. She is survived by her husband, Harry S. Gleim, two sons, Charles W. and Harry N. of Talent. The funeral service will be held at the family home, one mile west of Talent, Monday, December 17, 1928, at 2 o'clock p. m., Rev. P. K. Hammond of the Episcopal church of Ashland officiating. Interment will be held in the Stearns cemetery, Fort Funeral Home in charge of the arrangements.

MRS. HUTTEN GIVEN DECREE OF DIVORCE

A divorce decree granted in circuit court this week to Rena Hutten from Thomas Hutten, was on file today at the county clerk's office. The decree provided that the plaintiff shall have charge of the two children of the family during the school term and the defendant during the vacation months. The defendant is also ordered to pay \$5000 to the plaintiff and a further sum of \$1000 in two years. The plaintiff will also receive custody of all the household furniture, with the exception of a bed, a violin and several pictures, and the family automobile.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks for the sympathy and beautiful flowers during our recent bereavement.

F. W. Gray and Family, 266.

Christmas Seals buy more health and a life and prevention than medicine.

NEW ORGANIZATION FOR DEVELOPMENT ELECT'S OFFICERS

At a meeting of the Northern California-Southern Oregon Development League yesterday afternoon in Medford, with delegates from Del Norte, Jackson, Josephine and Klamath counties present, C. E. Gates of this city was chosen president. J. H. Harvey of Grants Pass, secretary; Isaac Best of Grants Pass, C. R. Williams of Klamath Falls and J. R. Peacock of Crescent City, vice-presidents.

A program for the ensuing year was also outlined at yesterday's meeting and included especially the development of the proposed Crescent City harbor, work on which has been in progress for several years.

CURTIS CO. PROMOTES NEILSON TO DIRECTOR

Donald, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Neilson, 436 North Bartlett, who has been agent of the Curtis publications the past year, has just been promoted to the rank of director.

Besides giving awards of money, brief case and stationary they give him at this time a vocational guaranty. By this guaranty the Curtis company pledges to secure employment for the young man upon the completion of his college education.

Donald is very proud of having gained this honor.

FROHBACH COMPLETES CHRISTMAS LIGHTING

One of the latest outdoor Christmas lighting displays to be installed here appears on Ross Court where an attractive decorative effect has been completed by H. O. Frohbach. Several more displays are now in course of preparation and should be installed during the next few days. Much interest is being shown by Medford residents in the Christmas lighting contest, which will be started here for the first time, December 22 to January 2.

NO CLUES DISCOVERED IN LOCAL BURGLARIES

The police department and the sheriff's office today were still searching for clues leading to the apprehension of burglars who entered the Strang drug store and Kid's shoe store Thursday night, which was in cash from the shoe store and \$7.50 from the drug store. Entrance was made through a back window and a door, the glass being broken in each to effect an entrance. These were the first burglaries reported for several weeks.

Tim McCoy at Rialto Tonight

Thrills with the Australian boomerang and stockwhip as weapons for the hero are being given audiences at the Rialto theater in Tim McCoy's new vehicle, "The Bushranger."

The famous western star has left the American plains to stage adventure aboard in the new play, and thus has evolved something entirely new in the thrill line.

McCoy plays a young English officer who, unjustly accused, takes refuge in the Australian "bush," or wilderness, to become a sort of latter day Robin Hood. Thrills are plenty; sensational horsemanship and astounding tricks with the flying lash of his great whip.

Theatres

Night Club Idea.

A revel of fun and frolic is promised in the stage attraction at Hunt's Craterian tomorrow in the "Night Club Idea."

The stage set is typical of a famous New York Night club, and some of the entertainers work down in the audience as they do in a night club. Many forms of entertainment are offered. Among them are the Hacker Sisters, Margie and Idis in the latest of tap dances. Kader's "Arabian Whirlwind" gives his famous acrobatic dance. Doris and Lorene do a comedy dance. Dolores and George Anne are high kickers. Alice Haas is a toe dancer. Lillian Smith does a whirling dance on her toes. Betty and Davina are two winsome steppers and Donna Mae sings pleasingly. The feature picture will be Corinne Griffith in "The Outcast."

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our appreciation of the kindness and sympathy extended us during our mother's illness and death; also for the beautiful floral offerings.

Gertrude Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Peck, Mrs. W. H. Fernley, Harry Arnold, 266.

PARKER TO TELL KIWANIS CLUB OF EXCHANGE PLANS

Clayton D. Parker, manager of the Farm Bureau Cooperative Exchange, will be the principal speaker at the Kiwanis club luncheon.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

SPECIAL EQUIPMENT for hauling livestock, Hawley Transfer, 619 N. Riverside, Phone 1944-X, 296.

REDUCED winter rates on all local and long distance hauling, insured carriers, Hawley Transfer, 619 N. Riverside, Phone 1944-X, 296.

FOR RENT—Our home, furnished, garage, paved street, etc. Phone 717-Y, 269.

FOR SALE—1 gasoline power plant, suitable for wood saw, water pump or almost anything, J. E. Peyton, Trail, Ore., 272.

FOR SALE—19 boxes stum powder, J. E. Peyton, Trail, Ore., 272.

FOR RENT—3-room furnished apartment; hot and cold water, 322 S. Central, 267.

FOR SALE—A real little home; living room, bedroom, kitchen with lots of built-ins, breakfast room, bath and sleeping porch; east from lot; party furnished and new. Why pay rent? Buy this little home for \$1,500; pay only \$300 down and balance at \$30 a month. D. E. Millard Co., 419 East Main, Phone 922, 266.

FOR RENT—Room and board at 716 E. Main St., 279.

FOR SALE—Cheap, Victoria and wards at 716 E. Main St., Tel. 722, 279.

IT TAKES MONEY—To get anything good. Combined orchard, alfalfa and water and close to town; 25 acres. Price already advanced to \$8,000. Had you heard about this new alfalfa now due? See HOLMES FOR HOMES, Nash Hotel, corner, 269.

FOR SALE—Baby calves, Van Dyke Dairy, 268.

FOR SALE—Grebe radio, bargain; speaker, 2 built-in units, high grade shutters. Call Sunday morning or evenings this week, 539 Palm, 267.

LOST—Black, curly-haired puppy; white streak on forehead and white feet. Phone 514-J, 268.

FOR RENT—2 and 3-room modern furnished apts. and single rooms, close in. Fort Hubbard, 449 S. Riverside, 272.

FOR RENT—Invalid chair, Phone 913-J, 267.

FOR RENT—Modern 4-room furnished cottage, 1915 Reddy, Call 933-J, 266.

FOR SALE—Splendid little grocery and confectionery, also handles gas and oil. Business so far this year exceeds \$20,000. A whole lot at \$23,000. See Charles A. Wing Agency, Inc. Phone 728, 269.

FOR SALE—3 1/2 acres, 1 mile from Medford on main Pacific highway; 2 acres in alfalfa and clover, balance in garden land; modern 5-room plastered house; fireplace and numerous built-ins. Priced for quick sale at \$4500; \$1000 cash, balance on easy terms. See Charles A. Wing Agency, Inc., 269.

FOR SALE—Own your own home, \$10 down and \$10 a month. 1 1/2 acres, Wildwood Park, \$325. 2 acres, \$1000 cash. \$800. 1 acre, Howard Park, \$350. —also—

House and 5 acres, Griffin Creek district, \$2500; \$250 cash. House and 2 1/2 acres, extra fine land, \$2000; \$500 cash. Phone 910-Y or 489, J. C. Barnes, Real Estate, 277.

FEAR ORCHARD—Small peach orchard, 5 acres Bartlett's and Anjou; 10 acres good land, close in; good road, good building site. Price \$2200; \$1000 cash. E. C. Corn, 206 8th St., Montgomery Ward Bldg., 268.

FOR RENT—Heated apt., 806 W. Main, 292.

BUSINESS WOMEN AND BUSY HOUSEWIVES—Ready for the oven, your Christmas turkey, all dressed, drawn, washed and stuffed, will be delivered at your door, Dec. 24th. Quality guaranteed; 47c lb. to 20 lbs. Order early to avoid disappointment. N. E. Ort, Trail, Ore., 273.

Dine Tomorrow at Hotel Medford Dinner \$1.00

"The Food Is Better" At the Medford

Shop In Comfort

Pick out a box of cigars from our new clean stocks and we will mail it anywhere in the United States.

New stocks of Candles in better grades in fancy gift packages.

Hotel Medford Cigar Stand

A. C. BEVAN, Prop.

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Expert plumbing, heating and sheet metal repair shop. We specialize on service at reasonable prices. No job too small. 219 N. Grape St. Phone 574.

son Monday, and will tell of the plans recently outlined by the bureau for the betterment of the community.

Owing to a breakdown in the mimeograph in the office of secretary Carl Tengwald, the usual weekly Kiwanis club bulletins are not being issued. It will not be issued to members this week. Secretary Tengwald, however, urges a large attendance and states that the message to be delivered by Mr. Parker, will have a special appeal to each and every local resident and business man.

Buy Yourself a Real Present: Buy a Christmas present for all time. Own a small irrigated tract of land in this wonderful valley. Five-acre tracts at \$50 per acre.

These Drug Stores Are Open Nights, This Week Medford Pharmacy Heath's Drug Store Strang's Drug Store

Tomorrow ONE DAY ONLY

STAGE ATTRACTION

Extraordinary

Fanchon & Marco's Merry Revelation

"NIGHT CLUB" Idea

WITH HARRY VERNON

And the Biggest Array of Performers Ever Assembled

Eleven Big Feature Acts

Also the 12 Dancing Beauties

ON THE SCREEN Corrine Griffith IN "THE OUTCAST"

ADMISSION Mat. 7:15 p. m. Children, 25c. Adults, 60c. Evenings Children, 25c. Adults 75c.

Shows From 1:30 to 11 p. m.