

Local and Personal

Mrs. Lydia King, county nurse, was expected to return today from a short business trip to Portland and Salem.

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

Remember the wrestling match at the Ashland Theater Dec. 21st. Home stitching, 7c a yard. Our work guaranteed. Handicraft Shop, 269.

Included among the Oregonians registered at Medford hotels are Everett Harpham of Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Arbuckle of Salem, and the following from Portland: Ben Mitchell, H. H. Lutz, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Murphy, Mrs. E. Bell, Mrs. J. L. Conroy, F. E. Lacey, H. D. Chastain, C. Edelson and Mrs. Thos. H. Jacobson.

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

Adrienne's Choice of any hat up to \$22.50 for \$4.95.

Shields' Big Closing Out Sale continues another week. Never before never again such bargains.

Good news for Medford shoppers. Shields' big closing out sale continues another week.

A building permit was issued today by the city to Gus Gudat for construction of a dwelling at 1132 West Main street, at a cost of \$5000.

We double fork our coal — no dust. Hansen Coal Co. Phone 239.

Concerning your eyes consult Dr. D. A. Chambers, Optometrist, 317 Medford Bldg. For appointment, phone 188. Glasses fitted and furnished.

A program consisting of musical selections, readings and a series of stereoscopic pictures will be given by the Jacksonville young people's M. V. society at Central Point, at 7:45 p. m., on Tuesday, December 18th, in Coxey's hall.

Wrestling match between Norbeck and Evans at the Rialto theater Dec. 21. Every seat a dandy.

Lay in your supply of crocheted and embroidered cottons at half price, at Shields' Big Closing Out Sale.

Homemade cakes, fruit cake and plum pudding. Marsh Grocery, 257.

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A gift for the flower lover. "Home Garden Hand Books," \$1 at Swem's Gift Shop.

J. I. McCracken of the Valley-view district, president of the Oregon State Dairy association, was here today conferring with County Agent H. C. Fowler about the coming annual convention of that association, which will be held in Medford January 9 and 10, with many dairymen present from all parts of the state. It will be the first time that the convention has ever been held out of the Willamette valley.

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

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All dolls, toys, wheel goods at half price and less at Shields' Big Closing Out Sale.

Horace valley and Crescent City people have joined in a reorganization to work for a \$2,000,000 appropriation for Crescent City harbor. The boosters for the coast harbor have an ambitious plan to provide this part of Oregon and northern California with a major harbor project. Once the harbor work is well under way, there will be no turning back by the government.

Cheap grubs and cedar posts. Medford Lumber Co. 237.

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Mrs. Della Stevens Meyer, county clerk, left yesterday for Portland to attend the annual state convention of county clerks.

Let me write your fire insurance. Carl Y. Tengwald, Hotel Holland, Phone 233.

A set of 14 rose optic drinking glasses for \$1.25 at Swem's Gift Shop.

Free dance Saturday night, December 23rd, at Merrick's dance pavilion. Popular and old time music.

Reports received Saturday by the police indicate that the automobile which was stolen several weeks ago in Medford from E. D. Scripser of the postoffice staff, has been located in El Paso, Tex., and that the alleged thieves, a man and a woman, have been taken into custody by federal authorities. The car was taken from its parking place near the I. O. O. F. hall on Sixth street.

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A late shipment from New York of beautiful table and floor lamps just received at Swem's Gift Shop.

All discontinued models in stamped goods are now on sale at half price at the Handicraft Shop, 42 South Central.

Two more inches of snow fell on the summit of the Siskiyou mountains last night, according to State Traffic Sergeant C. P. Talent, who was in Medford today from Ashland. He reported that the Pacific highway to be in fairly good driving condition, necessitating caution in making a safe trip over the mountains. The highway from Dollarhide station to the summit is covered with several inches of packed snow, the slippery condition of which has been aided by the application of sand, giving a greater degree of traction. The use of chains in making the trip is advisable, he said.

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.

Photos will go through the mails safely if enclosed in double-strength mailing envelopes, covering all sizes at Swem's Gift Shop.

Suitable Christmas gifts. Gay holiday hats, Rajah poncho scarfs in exquisite Paisley colorings, corsage flowers and new Hollywood berry buttonnieres. Miss Taylor, 42 So. Central.

Bounty warrants were issued at the county clerk's office today for Howard Spohn of Medford, one boycot; Don Spence of Medford, one coyote.

Buy your cigars for Christmas gifts from Hotel Medford cigar stand. Large stock of all leading brands.

Wrought iron end tables. Specially priced at \$4.95. Swem's Gift Shop.

Fancy boxed handkerchiefs, unusually priced. Handicraft Shop, 42 So. Central.

The last meeting of the year and perhaps one of the most important will be held tomorrow evening by the directors of the Chamber of Commerce. Special as well as routine business will come up for discussion.

Guests at local hotels from Portland include J. L. Swain, E. R. Beat Utah lump coal. Tel. 631. Medford Fuel Co.

Lock and Key dairies make appreciative gifts. Swem's Gift Shop.

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The surrounding foothills were the destination of many local residents yesterday afternoon in search of Christmas trees and mistletoe and Oregon grape decorations. The hills near Jacksonville were especially attractive to numerous parties, some of whom reported difficulty in locating good trees in sections where they searched. Where trees formerly grew in great abundance, the number has been cut down by the repeated visits of tree hunters for years past.

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NEW DISTRIBUTOR DUNLOP TIRES FOR THIS DISTRICT

Ford Peterson, who recently moved here from Seattle, purchased and is now in charge of the Dunlop tire agency, at the corner of Eighth and Riverside. Mr. Peterson is distributor for this district, covering the territory south of Roseburg to Yreka, Calif., east to Bend and west to Marshfield and the coast, making Medford a large distributing center for these celebrated tires.

Mr. Peterson is appointing associate dealers over the territory and those in this county so far selected are: Highway Motor company, Sylvester Motor Inn Garage, Highway service station of Medford; Brown's service station, Phoenix; Bullen service station, Talent; Mt. Ashland service station, Ashland; Snowy Butte service station on Crater Lake highway; J. H. Wright, Brownboro; Jacksonville service station; Nip and Tip service station, Central Point.

Mr. Peterson was traveling representative in this district several years for Kelly Springfield Tire company and is well known.

Al Newman and Bill Morgan are the able assistants in the local office.

PORCUPINES HAVE SWEET TOOTH FOR PROSPECT PINES

Porcupines are eating the very best of the Prospect district, their gnawing depredations being chewing off the tops of pine trees, resulting in the death of the trees. The porcupines have a sweet tooth for the tops of young pine trees, and have gnawed the bark off of several pines in James Griev's yard, and in the Crater National forest near Union Creek, causing considerable damage. Besides devastating the forest, the porcupines have chewed on the schoolhouse steps at Prospect, also ruined a pair of dirty pants belonging to Dewey Hill. There are 26 dogs in the Prospect area, and all know enough not to monkey with a porcupine.

Two of the porcupines were put out of commission Sunday by a couple of well placed bullets, and residents of that district have their eyes peeled for more of the critters. The porcupine is a total loss as food or fur, and has no bounty upon his head, so is not bothered unless he gets too familiar. His defense consists of shooting quills into whatever touches him in anger.

Plane Kills Bull. LOS ANGELES, Dec. 17.—An airplane pilot has qualified as a matador without going near a bull ring. Engine trouble forced Albert Fisher to land hastily and he landed on a bull. The bull was killed and the plane damaged, but Fisher escaped serious injury.

Gun Battle. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 17.—Three policemen and a spectator were wounded and a negro killed by an unidentified robber who staged a spectacular gun battle with a score of more police here today. He was captured only after he had been shot several times and probably fatally wounded.

CHRISTMAS BIRDS SHIPPED EAST NEEDED 37 CENTS

Least turkey robbers, who this year shipped their Thanksgiving produce through the Farmers' cooperative company of New York, netted 37 cents a pound on the two carloads sent back, while those who shipped independently, or through private pools, fell far short of this amount, according to Clayton D. Parker, manager of the local Farm Bureau, who spoke before the Kiwanis club this noon.

The completed returns from the Thanksgiving shipment were highly satisfactory to all concerned and brought more than \$15,000 into the valley on the two carloads sent east, was further stated by Mr. Parker.

The Farmer's cooperative association not only puts the farmer into a category of a systematic business man with a definite program of orderly marketing at his disposal, but indirectly benefits the

business man in the city," said the speaker. "The problems arising from the marketing of farm products, therefore, because of the concern to the private business man, who benefits to the greatest extent from the prosperity of the farmer."

Mr. Parker stated the benefits of the Cooperative Farm Exchange, as amounting to more than \$250,000 last year, the entire amount of which will be circulated thru the valley. He said that it behooved the business man to encourage the Cooperative association actively, rather than to allow outside canvassers to come into the valley and contract privately for the production of local farmers, which, according to statistics, has resulted only in unsatisfactory prices, if not actual losses to the farmer.

This general farming and poultry raising is held here to a certain extent, and needs the cooperation of both farmers and business men, to invigorate it and to bring the fullest amount of prosperity to the valley, was the final thought of Mr. Parker left, with the Kiwanis club.

Nine Flu Deaths. PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 17.—Health bureau records today showed nine deaths in the city last week from influenza. Forty-five new cases were reported over the week end, bringing the total to 472.

Constipated for Years Thought Bowels to Blame

"I was terribly constipated for years," writes Mrs. Alma Rubens of Oregon. "I tried all kinds of medicines but nothing did me any good until I tried Dioxal. I was completely relieved, and have told two of my neighbors who have gotten the same wonderful results." It was no mere brag or brag that relieved Mrs. Rubens of her long-standing case of constipation. So many sufferers of constipation attribute the trouble to the bowels and go on doctoring the bowels when the real cause lies in the liver. The function of the liver is to secrete bile which is a natural purgative for the bowels. The bile also acts as a digestant of fats and oils and as an antiseptic in the intestinal canal to combat the germs which tend to breed there. The liver should secrete a full quart of bile a day, but the liver of the average person secretes less than half a pint! There is your real cause for most constipation. For intestinal indigestion and putrefaction, all of which means self-poisoning—biliousness, headaches, tired feeling, lack of appetite, bloated skin and coated tongue. Symptomatic the liver naturally, increases the bile supply and purgative supply the liver with the natural elements from which it makes bile. Restoring the bile flow to normal purifies the intestinal canal and promotes regular bowel action. Physicians regularly prescribe Dioxal as the solution to much of our ill health. Let a test in your own case show the results. Your druggist supplies Dioxal. Special agent, Jarmin & Woods Drug Store.

NEW DISPLAYS MADE IN CHRISTMAS LIGHTS BY CITY RESIDENTS

Interest in the outdoor Christmas lighting contest which starts December 22 is growing rapidly and several new displays are reported to have been installed during the past few days. The attractive prizes offered for the four best exhibits are now on display at the Medford Chamber of Commerce, where they have caused much favorable comment. These prizes include a handsome electric percolator set complete with tray, creamer and sugar bowl, an electric waffle iron, an automatic toaster and an automatic iron, all of which are well worth striving for. It is stated that local displays will be judged for their artistic effect rather than their magnificence, and this assures that everyone will have an equal chance in competing for the prizes. Entries should be made with the Chamber of Commerce at once.

Regular Convention. Crater Lake Chapter No. 22, R. A. M., Tuesday, Dec. 18. Election of officers at 5 p. m. Banquet at 6:30. Work in R. A. degree. Official visit of Grand High Priest of Oregon. By order of H. P. F. E. NICHOLS, Secy.

Italian Earthquake. TERNI, Italy, Dec. 17.—Two light earthquake shocks were felt here about midnight. They were of an undulatory nature.

LEABING—Concrete work on big dam across McKenzie river for Eugene Power Co. will be completed this winter.

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Advertisement for John Gilbert's 'The Masks of the Devil' play. Features a portrait of John Gilbert and Alma Rubens. Text includes 'NOW CRATERIAN Today', 'JOHN GILBERT with Alma Rubens', 'Theodore Roberts', and 'A ROLE TAILORED TO GILBERT'S DASHING TALENTS'. Also mentions 'Two Splendid Acts of "TALKIES" and the Talking News Reel'.

Advertisement for Conger Funeral Parlors. Text includes 'To Serve All' and 'and to serve all suitably and satisfactorily is our constant aim. We have tried to make our service comprehensive enough to meet the needs of the greatest and most existing, and yet able to take care of the needs of the average individual who must at all times consider things financial.' Also includes 'It is the very broadness of our service that has brought it so much into demand among all classes of people.' Address: W. MAIN AT NEWTOWN ST. Phone 207.

Advertisement for Plührer's Milk Bread. Text includes 'There are no TWO WAYS about it. Plührer's Milk Bread is made with but one idea in mind and that is to give to this community the finest and most nutritious loaf of bread it is possible to make.'

Advertisement for 'These Drug Stores are open nights this week: Jarmin & Woods, James McNair Pharmacy, West Side Pharmacy. Also includes 'See Charles A. Wing to buy your shoes.'

Advertisement for Whitelaw's Chocolates. Text includes 'Quality Is Remembered', 'Whitelaw's Chocolates', 'Made in Medford', and 'Fred Gottfried Amos Turnbow GOTTFRIED & TURNBOW 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.'

Advertisement for Monarch Seed Co. Text includes 'Roses, Violets, Carnations, Mums For Christmas ORDER NOW MONARCH SEED CO. PHONE 260'.