

Local and Personal

Stealing Auto Robes
Petty thieves were busy in Medford last night. Frank Rodgers reported to the police today that two auto robes were taken from his machine while parked downtown. Frank Schuler also reported the loss of two robes. George Dick complained of clothes being stolen from the family clothes line, and the Cooney and Ames families reported that wood was being stolen from their premises.

Ben Sheldon Back in City
Ben Sheldon, well known Medford man who has spent most of his time in business at Los Angeles for several years past, arrived in Medford a couple of days ago to spend a month with his family while he looks after business interests here.

Schools Close Today
The public schools closed this afternoon for the holidays vacation of two weeks, following the observance of Christmas programs at most of the school buildings.

Phone 342. We'll haul a way your refuse. City Sanitary Service, 2371*

Condition Still Critical
Little improvement was noted today in the condition of Wayne Whaley, 18, Butte Falls youth, who sustained an accidental gunshot wound in the abdomen early this week. He is not regarded as out of danger.

Coal \$15.50 per ton. We save you money on Royal Utah coal, delivered direct from car to you. We will have a car on the track Dec. 18-19. F. E. Samson Co. Phone 322. 270*

Fire Fire Yesterday
The fire department was called to 222 Oakdale avenue yesterday to extinguish a fire that resulted in no damage.

St. Mark's Sunday school will have their annual Christmas tree and entertainment on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 21st, at St. Mark's Parish hall, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The children will bring gifts for the poor. A program of interesting songs and recitations will be given by pupils of the school. Christmas carols will be sung by all present. The congregation and friends of St. Mark's church are cordially invited to attend. 272

From Rose City
Guests from Portland registered at local hotels were R. Lewis, T. C. Irwin, L. M. Nickels, Roy Eugene, Elmer Williams, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Leary, Vic Ballings, G. F. Gaffney, Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Hise and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Sarsocol, J. H. Stehens, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Dutton, L. P. Crake, Mrs. Ailgun, P. B. Sibley, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown, E. A. Deiber and J. S. McCully.

Radiator anti-freeze glyco, alcohol, at Post Office Super Service. 273*

Hatchery Named Defendant
The Westerfield poultry hatchery, near Medford, is named the defendant in a civil action filed against it in circuit court today by F. O. Green for the sum of \$180. The money is claimed due in connection with business transactions which also included other parties.

Christmas dance, Dreamland, Thursday, Dec. 25. Music by Dyne's Jazz Band. 274*

From Distant Places
Charles and Nell Weternan of New York City, and James Garner of Westminster, E. C., were registered at Medford hotels today from distant points.

Returns from Hospital
Charles E. Wells, who has been in the Veterans' hospital in Portland for the past three weeks, arrived in Medford this morning by train.

Women's Relief Corps bazaar at Chamber of Commerce Saturday. 279

Mail Planes Delayed
Bad weather caused the south-bound mail plane, scheduled to leave Medford at 11 o'clock last night, to postpone its departure until this morning. The north-bound plane arrived in Medford on schedule.

Dry kindling \$2.50 a load. Valley Fuel Co. 2421*

Miss Sparrow Home
Miss Harriet Sparrow arrived in Medford by train today from Rose, Cal., where she is a student at the Branson school. Miss Sparrow will spend the holidays with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Alex Sparrow.

Portraits of distinction. The Peaseleys, opp. Holly theater. 12*

Transacting Business
C. T. Hamilton, orchardist of the Central Point vicinity, spent this morning in Medford transacting business.

Permanent wave, \$5.00 complete; facials, scalp treatments and oil shampoos, 50c. Prevost Beauty Shop, 315 W. Main. Tel. 353; 2331*

Another Shoot Sunday
With last Sunday's shoot an outstanding success, Floyd (throwie) Ross at Central Point, when in Medford today announced that he is planning another shoot next Sunday. There will be nothing barred in the competition, Mr. Ross said. The shoot will be held on the Frank Adams place north of Central Point. A number of Medford shooters were present there last Sunday and returned with a collection of birds.

Let me write your fire insurance. Carl Y. Tengwald, Hotel Holland Bldg., Phone 992. 12*

In Medford on Business
Stanley Lydiard, who has been working at the Lydiard ranch in the Table Rock district this week, was in Medford this morning transacting business.

Klamath Falls potatoes, 91c cut. Nuts, grapes, vegetables. Place order early for dressed hens, turkeys, 719 South Riverside. 274

Four Bounty Warrants
The county clerk's office issued bounty warrants today to Fred Warner, Trail, one coyote; J. E. Wilson, Medford, one bobcat; Irvin Hanson, Roseburg, one bobcat; Henry Mooney, Grants Pass, one coyote.

Burn dry slab wood, \$5 and \$6 per load. Med. Fuel Co., Tel. 631. 2561*

Return from Portland
Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rogers, who have been in Portland for the past several days, returned home this forenoon.

Photographs for Xmas. The Peaseleys, opp. Holly theater. 12*

Economy Groceteria

The Home of Bread Like Mother Made

Only four more days in which to do your Christmas shopping and in the final rush the convenience and economy of shopping the Groceteria Way is more apparent than ever

You will find here, in addition to a special display of Krause's famous quality candies and all the nuts and foodstuffs that go to make up the Christmas feast many articles that will make useful and appropriate gifts—All priced at a saving to you.

Thrift Specials Following Good Until Christmas

BAKERY GOODS

You will want to be sure of their quality.
Bread, 1-lb. loaf 3 for 20c
Bread, 1½-lb. loaf 10c
Homestyle Napkin, Parkerhouse or Breakfast rolls, doz. 15c

ORANGES

Buy a No. 8 pail full of Fancy Sunkist Oranges for
59c

- Lettuce, fancy hard heads, 2 for 13c
- Celery, large and crisp, 2 for 15c
- Grape Fruit—No-needa sugar, 3 for 23c
- Florida Grapefruit, 1 doz. 47c
- Potatoes, 14 lbs. for 25c
- Onions, 13 lbs. for 25c
- Genuine Eastern Cranberries, 2 lbs. 43c
- Oest's Mince Meat, 45-oz. jar 49c
- Oest's Mince Meat, bulk, 2 lbs. for 35c
- None-Such Mince Meat (pie tin free), 2 pkgs. 27c
- Dromedary Citron Peel, 2 pkgs. 35c
- Dromedary Orange and Lemon Peel, 2 pkgs 25c
- Dromedary Dates, pkg. 19c
- Fancy Bulk Citron, per lb. 33c
- Plum Pudding, Heinz, Monarch or Cross and Blackwell, 23c; 43c; 73c
- Mixed Nuts of Good quality, 2 lbs. 45c
- Walnuts, locally grown, per lb. 25c; 30c
- Peanuts—we roast them, so they are fresh, per lb. 18c
- Walnuts, grown and shelled here, lb. 60c
- Selected Mixed Nuts in 1-lb. gift boxes . . . \$1.45
- Chocolate Coated Assorted Nuts, 12-oz. . . \$1.45

- Guava Jelly, tall jar 23c; 5 jars \$1.00
- 12 jars \$2.33
- Market Day Raisins, 2-lb. pkg. 15c; 4-lb. pkg. 28c
- Ginger Ale, Columbia 3 Star; 10c; doz. . . \$1.15
- Ginger Ale, Cliquot Club, 3 bottles, 49c
- dozen \$1.95
- Pet Milk, tall cans, per can 8c
- Fisher's Blend Flour, 49-lb. sack \$1.49
- Clorox or Purex, pint bottles, 2 for 19c
- Wigwam Syrup, quart size 23c
- California Home Catsup, 18-oz. bottle 19c
- Crisco, 6-lb. size \$1.35
- White King Washing Powder 37c
- Cigarettes—Luckys, Camels, Chesterfields and Old Golds, Christmas wrapped, carton \$1.15
- Rubyettes, Oroettes, Emeraldettes 15c
- Maraschino Cherries, red or green 12c to 23c
- Del Monte Pumpkin, No. 2 can, 2 for 23c
- No. 2½ can, 2 for 27c
- Proctor & Gamble Deal—
¼ Quart Stew Kettle, colored } **89c**
1 Package Oxydol }
1 Bar Medium Ivory Soap }
3 Bars P. & G. Laundry Soap }
1-lb. Can Crisco }
- Stew Kettle, 4-quart aluminum 29c

Gift Suggestions from the Hardware Department

- Nut Bowls with Nut Cracker 69c
- Electric Percolators \$2.69; \$5.95; \$8.95
- Aluminum Roasters, from 69c to \$4.98
- Bread Boxes 93c up
- Decorated Waste Baskets, each 49c
- Aluminum Percolators 79c; 98c; \$1.39
- Electric Heating Pads \$4.79; \$5.95
- Electric Waffle Irons \$5.15 to \$7.39
- Decorated Trays, each 49c
- Electric Corn Poppers 98c
- Bubble Balls for the kiddies 79c
- Salad Plates, set of four 49c

Waffle Iron SPECIAL

For those who couldn't take advantage of it before:
1 Full Size Chromium plate Waffle Iron with thermometer
1 lb. Can Crisco
1-lb. Can Golden West Coffee
1 Can Rockdell Syrup
1 Pkg. Albers Flapjack Flour
All for \$5.98

FOUNTAIN LUNCH

Roast Turkey with dressing and cranberry sauce, mashed potatoes and gravy, bread, butter, tea, coffee or milk 29c
Hot Chili or Hot Chocolate, all day 10c
Fresh Cranberry Pie 10c

FOX WEST COAST THEATRES



2 DAYS STARTING TODAY Continuous Sat. 12:30 to 11

**DEFYING DANGER!
BATTLING BANDITS!
A YOUNG RANGER CAPTURES A BAND OF COUNTERFEITERS in**



with Lane Chandler Yakama Canutt
ALSO
"AFTER THE SHOW"
Loads of Fun
Silly Symphony Cartoon, "WINTER"
"LAIR OF CHANG HOW"
Vagabond Adventure
Mat. 10, 25 Eve. 10, 35

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TONITE and Saturday
★ AMERICA'S BELOVED DANCING DAUGHTER NOW AN EMPRESS OF EMOTION!
GORGEOUS
Joan CRAWFORD
attaining new dynamic heights...captivatingly restless in her new adventure...natural...gloriously dramatic...alluringly beautiful...in the greatest play of the holidays.
"PAID"
With a sensational supporting cast, featuring ROBERT ARMSTRONG & MARIE PREVOST
Continous Shows Sat. 1:30 to 11 P. M.
ADMISSION Mat. 10, 25; Eve. 10, 55

HEY KIDS! Free Matinee Sat. Morning at 10 HAROLD LLOYD in "WHY WORRY" Bring something for the needy

Special for Saturday
French Doughnuts
23c doz.
Delicious iced doughnuts. Sell regularly at 30c.
Get yours early.
Fluhrer's

GATES & LYDIARD

6th at Central SAVING WITHOUT SELF-DENIAL LOTS OF ROOM TO PARK 6th at Grape