

LOCAL and PERSONAL

From Ashland—R. W. McNeil, instructor in the Southern Oregon Normal school in Ashland, was a Medford visitor this morning.

To Roseburg—Mrs. Florence Ferguson and Mrs. Sid Davis left for Roseburg last night by auto. They will spend three days visiting Mrs. Ferguson's husband, who is confined in the veteran's facility.

Slight Mishap—Delma Myers of 211 Elm street and Waverly H. Conrad of 622 Palm street were drivers of cars which collided with slight damage at Main and Orange streets Wednesday afternoon, a city police report stated today.

To Rehearse—Jackson County Teachers chorus will meet for rehearsal at 10 a.m. Saturday in the courthouse auditorium. As Christmas music is to be rehearsed all members of the chorus are asked by the director, Esther Church Leake to be present.

Police Chief Ill—Charles P. Talbot, Ashland police chief was reported much improved today and preparing to resume his duties. The chief collapsed suddenly while he was talking to a friend in an Ashland cafe Wednesday noon. Unconscious for a time, Chief Talbot was taken to his home. His condition was attributed to over-exertion. He had been apparently in excellent health up to the moment he collapsed.

Park Weather Fair—Clear weather prevailed in Crater Lake national park this morning, rangers reported by short wave radio. Park roads are practically free of snow excepting a few icy spots along the drive from headquarters to the rim, the rangers said. Recent rains and warm sunshine wiped out most of the layer of snow that ordinarily is left on the roads, they explained. The chains were not needed, they added.

Leaves For Europe—David Lowry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert B. Lowry, Sr., of the South Pacific highway, left yesterday by motor car for New Orleans whence he will embark for France and other European countries. Mr. Lowry expects to winter in southern Europe and in the spring will visit England and British Isles countries. The trip will combine business and pleasure.

Joint Meeting—Rogue River encampment No. 39, Patriarchs Militant, and Medford lodge No. 83 of the IOOF will hold a joint meeting in the Odd Fellows hall at 219 West Sixth street at 7:30 Friday evening. An official visitation will be made by P. J. Schneider of Hubbard, grand patriarch. All Odd Fellows and Patriarchs Militant are requested by officers to be present.

Called by Illness—Miss Velma Severson, Mail Tribune stenographer, and her sister, Mrs. Herbert Cochran of Klamath Falls were to leave here by stage this evening for Eugene to be with their mother, Mrs. Edward P. Severson, who is to undergo an operation in a Eugene hospital. Miss Severson received a telegram this morning stating that her mother had become suddenly ill at her home in Springfield, near Eugene, and that an operation would be necessary today or tomorrow. Mrs. Cochran was to come from Klamath Falls to join her sister here for the journey north.

Fire Action Reviewed—A board of fire review convened this morning in Rogue River national forest headquarters under Larry K. Mays, senior administrative assistant in the fire control office at regional U. S. forest service headquarters in Portland. Purpose of the conference was to review the methods taken to suppress fires on the forest during the past season and to plan for future prevention and suppression. Others attending the session were Earl L. Janouch, supervisor of the Rogue forest, H. C. Obye, assistant supervisor; W. L. Jones, construction superintendent; Simeri Jarvi, assistant forester in charge of fire control, and District Ranger Lee O. Post of Applegate, Homer Hixon of Union Creek and John Burgeson of Lake O'Woods. M. L. Merritt, assistant regional forester in charge of operations, and J. P. Campbell, regional fire chief, both from the Portland office, also were expected to be at the conference, but they were called last night to Eugene after arriving here from Grants Pass. Before they left, however, Mr. Merritt and Mr. Campbell conferred with Mr. Janouch.

HOW 25 WOMEN LOST UGLY FAT In Special N. Y. Test
Ask Your Doctor If It Isn't Good Way. Read EVERY Word

NEW YORK, N. Y.—In a test by a prominent N. Y. physician and nationally known newspaper woman—25 women lost a total of 226 lbs. in 40 days. YOU can catch this SAME SENSIBLE plan right at home and here it is:
First of all get light on fatty meats and sweets. Eat plentifully of lean meats, fish, fruit, fresh fruits and vegetables. And for proper functioning take a half teaspoonful of Kruschen. Salt in hot water every morning. DON'T MISS A MORNING.
And this is important!
Kruschen is NOT harmful. It is not just one salt as some people ignorantly believe. Rather it's a blend of active mineral salts (magnesium right on box) which when dissolved in water make a beautiful mineral drink similar to famous European Spa waters where wealthy fat women have come for years. A jar of Kruschen costs only a few cents and makes 5 gallons of a most highly efficient mineral drink.
So eat light—get some quinine! MARK UP YOUR MIND! YOU'LL STICK to it for the first 28 days—then just eat if you don't lose fat and feel healthier. And younger.
(Note: You can get Kruschen at Western, Thrift Shop and drugstore everywhere.)

Returns Home—A. S. Rosenbaum, Southern Pacific agent, returned home on this morning's train from Roseburg where he transacted business yesterday.

From Portland—H. F. Chaney of Portland arrived in Medford this morning by train to transact business here. Mr. Chaney is president of the Medford Corporation.

Club To Meet—Rogue Valley Radio club will convene tomorrow evening at 8 in its Medford airport clubroom. Election of officers will take place and all members and their guests are asked to be present at the session.

Sister Dies—Mrs. Bert B. Lowry, Sr., of the South Pacific highway, received word yesterday of her oldest sister's death in Oakland, Cal. Her sister, Mrs. James Hugins, resided in Miami, Okla., and was in Oakland on a visit. She visited the Lowry home in Medford two years ago.

Driver Tests—Usual weekly examination of applicants for licenses or permits to drive cars will be held here Saturday from 8 to 5 o'clock. Ward McReynolds, state examiner in charge of the southern Oregon district, and his staff will be in the examination room on the top floor of city hall between those hours and applicants are asked to report there. Both written examinations and road tests will be given. To pass the tests, applicants must be familiar with the state traffic manual. Copies of the manual may be obtained without cost at city and state police headquarters, the sheriff's office and the Jackson County chamber of commerce.

Enlists In Navy—Announcement was made today of the tentative acceptance of Jack A. Offins for enlistment in the United States navy. Offins formerly resided in Grants Pass and now lives in Dorris, Cal. He was accepted conditionally for enlistment at the Medford recruiting station in charge of George E. Patterson. He will leave here by train Monday night for Portland where he will give his final qualifying examinations. If he passes the tests, he will go immediately to San Diego, Cal., for three months of preliminary training before being assigned to actual duty, Mr. Patterson said.

Honor Man—Cyril H. Albert, apprentice seaman of the U. S. navy and son of Mrs. Mary E. Albert of 937 South Holly street, was rated as honor man of his company at the San Diego, Cal., training station for the week ending December 3. George E. Patterson, recruiter here was notified today. The rating is based on all-around efficiency and general conduct. Mr. Patterson explained. Honor ratings was awarded each week and at the end of the three months' training course. Albert was graduated from Medford high school in 1937 and was accepted tentatively for enlistment at the recruiting station here. He passed his final qualifying examinations in Portland and was formally enlisted in the navy last October 4.

HELP 15 MILES OF KIDNEY TUBES To Flush out Acids and Other Poisonous Waste
Doctors say your kidneys contain 15 Miles of tiny tubes or filters which help to purify the blood and keep you healthy. Most people take about 3 pints a day or about 3 pounds of waste. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning shows they may be something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.
An excess of acids or poisons in your blood, when due to functional kidney disorders, may be the beginning of nagging backache, rheumatic pain, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, lassitude and dizziness.
Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Duan's Pills, used successfully by millions for over 40 years. They give happy relief and will help the 15 Miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous waste from your blood. Get Duan's Pills.

SCRIP: IDEAL FOR XMAS!
ROXY (1938-39) (10¢)
TODAY and FRIDAY
GUESS WHO THIS HURTS THE MOST?
Gary took her for his bride... Claudette took him for a ride... a good long one

Edward Everett Horton and Herman Bing
ADDED SHORTS

Glamorous Stars In "Algiers" Here Sunday



With two glamorous feminine stars playing opposite, Charles Boyer comes to the Craterian theatre Sunday in "Algiers" Hedy Lamarr, who has been acclaimed as the outstanding "glamor girl" discovery of the year, makes her American film debut in this picture, with Sigrid Gurie, last seen with Gary Cooper in "Marco Polo," also featured in this intriguing, adventurous romance of the devil-may-care international jewel thief, who takes refuge from the police in Algiers' Casbah, the mysterious native quarter where the law dares not intrude.

Horror Pictures At Rialto



The Kiss of Death is placed on Helen Chandler by Bela Lugosi, who plays the title role of "Dracula," double billed with "Frankenstein" in the horror show of the century, which has the two features together on the same program opening a three day run at the Rialto theatre.
"Dracula" is the weird and startling story of life after death, and the strange human vampires who rise from their graves at night and bring terror and madness to those upon whom they cast their wicked shadow after darkness.
"Frankenstein," the "daddy" of all spine-tingers and starring the master of makeup, Boris Karloff, is the story of a love-mad scientist who made a monster from the bodies of the dead. Loose, the monster creates a realm of terror never before equaled by a horror show. The Rialto is daring their patrons to see these two features on the same program.
Heroic Ambassador Succumbs Aged 77
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Cyrus E. Woods, 77, former U. S. ambassador to Japan, died today. Mr. Woods was the only envoy in

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At that time an attaché rushed into his office imploring: "Your excellency, you must leave. There is an earthquake."
"Phone Mrs. Woods I won't be home for dinner," the envoy replied.
He remained in the city and directed relief activities for the American Red Cross.

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"Every Winter had Terrible Colds" Nurse's Grateful Letter

"I want to thank you for the wonderful cough and cold medicine, BUCKLEY'S MIXTURE. I bought the first bottle last winter, for the old gentleman whom I am taking care of, for he had had terrible colds every winter. The first dose helped, and after the third dose cold was gone—it does such quick work." Mrs. C. Davis.
Don't take chances, for even the most stubborn, racking cough swiftly yields to the powerful influence of BUCKLEY'S MIXTURE (triple acting), the largest selling medicine for coughs, colds and Bronchitis in all of cold Canada. Get a small bottle at any druggist anywhere. Safe and satisfaction guaranteed always. Western Thrift Stores.

Romance Team



Gary Cooper, as a much-married millionaire playboy, and Claudette Colbert, as his tempestuous French wife who takes him, form the screen's newest love team in the Ernst Lubitsch comedy, "Bluebeard's Eighth Wife," which plays today and tomorrow at the Roxy theatre. Edward Everett Horton has the leading supporting role.

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He Could Win a Fight With a Twist of His Sword
... and win a lady's heart with the twist of a phrase! ... Francois Villon... Gay Scoundrel... his story brings Roaring Adventure... Breathless Spectacle... Flaming Romance!



Katherine (Frances Dee), proud beauty of the king's court who dares the king's wrath for her love of Francois...
Huguette (Ellen Drew), star of "Sing You Sinners"... madcap girl of the Paris streets who loves Francois enough to dare a thousand perils for his sake...

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Shows Daily at 1:45 6:45 - 9:00

Mats - 25c
Eves - 40c
Kiddies - 10c

CRATERIAN

WE DARE YOU To See Them Both Together!
CAN YOU TAKE IT!
Dracula... creature of the darkness... comes to drink his fill of living blood!... and fearsome, ferocious, frightful Frankenstein creates a monster with the strength of ten men... to kill every living thing in his grasp!

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The 2 Super-Shockers of the Century!
TODAY FOR 3 BIG DAYS!

"DRACULA" and "FRANKENSTEIN"
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