

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Bernice Isensee has returned to her home in Delta, Colo. Her health greatly improved during a three months' visit with Miss Myrtella Williams.

O. Tucker of Rogue River was in Medford Thursday. Mrs. Tucker who has been visiting relatives here returned with him.

Home-made bread at De Voe's.

The work of clearing away the debris of the Union livery stable fire is about completed and the work of building a new concrete structure on the site by Hubbard brothers will begin within a short time.

A premature outbreak of the Halloween spirit among the small boys in the western part of the city, resulted Thursday night in the tipping over of several woodpiles, which were reported to the police.

Digester Tankage for topping off hogs and for growing pigs. Kori-nek Veterinary Remedy Co., Southern Oregon distributors. 198*

H. K. Dana of Ashland was a business visitor in Medford this morning.

Mrs. M. A. Dickerson has left for Silverton, Oregon, where she will visit for a few days with her parents. Kodak finishing, best in town, at Weston's.

J. S. Vilas of the Big Sticky district was a visitor in Medford Thursday.

J. F. Ditsworth of Prospect, spent Wednesday and Thursday in Medford attending to business and visiting old friends.

Crater Lake pictures, a book of 12 pictures, hand colored, the finest ever made of the lake, for sale at Gerking & Harmon's studio. Call and see them. 228 East Main street, phone 320-J.

Frank Metchan of Grants Pass, owner of the Josephine Hotel, was in Medford for a few hours Thursday on business.

The work of building the big flume at the Sterling mine controlled by the Bullis interests has begun, and is expected to be finished by the time the winter rains set in.

E. D. Weston, commercial photographer, negatives made any time or place by appointment. Phone M 1471.

J. A. Torney has returned from a trip to the Blue Lodge mining district.

A. S. Thomas of Salem is visiting friends and relatives in the valley.

"Insurance your best asset." Have the best. Place your insurance with Holmes, the Insurance Man, right if he writes it. 14*

The Rev. W. F. Shields of the Presbyterian church, who is attending the state synod in Portland this week, is expected to return today. Rev. Shields was named state moderator.

Miss May Hoke of Central Point visited friends in Medford Thursday.

Milk and cream at DeVoe's.

Mrs. F. Lange of Hill, Cal., is spending a few days in the city.

B. L. Ratta and wife of Santa Cruz, Cal., are in the city attending to business matters.

Corn for sale at Bermuda ranch. Phone 591-B-4.

G. Faber and L. Woodhouse of Roseburg are spending a few days in Medford attending to business interests.

C. E. Fraker of Oregon City is in town.

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J. C. Pendleton and Col. R. C. Washburn of the Table Rock district were business visitors in Medford Thursday.

Mrs. Jay Ward left Thursday evening for Spokane and Everett, Wash., where she will visit for the next six weeks.

Wynne Scott, one of the most up-to-date portrait artists on the Pacific coast is taking charge of the portrait department for the Gerking & Harmon Photo company, 228 East Main street.

B. C. Maling, traveling passenger agent of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad was in the city Thursday for a few hours.

E. C. Gray left Thursday for Portland where he will visit with friends and relatives until the first of the week.

Our poultry is the best. Medford Fish and poultry market.

Clarence Martin has left for Klamath county to attend to business interests for a few days.

Pat Swayne of the Applegate district spent Thursday in Medford on his regular monthly visit to the city.

Weeks & McGowan Co UNDERTAKERS. Lady Assistant Day Phone 227. Night F. W. Weeks 1983-2. Phones A. E. Orr 978-M.

Leslie Coffeen of the Nash Hotel returned Thursday from a two weeks' vacation spent at Trail, where he has relatives.

Attorney B. L. Eddy of Roseburg spent Thursday in Medford attending to business matters.

For oysters that are oysters call 262.

Willie James, age 12 years, while playing ball with a number of playmates Thursday afternoon, was struck on the forearm with a broken bat, and sustained a badly bruised arm. It was thought for a time that his arm was broken, but an examination showed no bones broken.

Don Rader, who has been playing baseball this year with Pendleton, Chicago and Lincoln, Neb., in the Western League, has returned to spend the winter in this city.

"A word to the wise is sufficient." Please remember the It Theater uses the General Film company's licensed photoplays, passed by the national board of censorship, composed of such men as Andrew Carnegie, Mayor Gaynor, Wanamaker, and others, and for clean entertainment, for the moral, spiritual and intellectual uplift in the community, needs the support of all right thinking people, for the betterment of mankind. 173

The fall sessions of the grand jury for the October term in Jackson county will begin next Monday, and the petit jury will convene the following Monday.

Mrs. Jerome, employed as a clerk by the F. K. Denel company is suffering from a slight attack of blood poisoning, caused by jabbing a pin in the finger of her right hand. She is under the care of a physician, and progressing rapidly.

Remember Saturday is the last day of the rummage sale in Palm block. New goods each day. Come early and avoid the rush.

Former City Councilman Emerick returned Thursday from a three months' hunting trip in British Columbia, with Messrs. Humphrey and Bell of San Diego, Cal. All of Mr. Emerick's embonpoint has vanished, and now he is thirty pounds lighter than when he went away, and feeling the best he has in years. The party visited all the hunting paradises of British Columbia and killed any number of elk, moose and caribou.

L. H. Ward who has been confined in the Sacred Heart hospital for the last two weeks, has been discharged, and is able to be about.

Another shipment of choice cat fish today at the Medford Fish and Poultry Market.

W. D. Edmonston, director of the Ashland Federal insect station, has been transferred to New Mexico territory with headquarters at Santa Fe. George Hofer, assistant in the office, accompanied his chief. Sam Edmonston also accompanied his father, but Mrs. Edmonston and daughter will remain in Ashland for the time being in order that Miss Gladys may complete the present semester in the public schools.

The Talent Commercial club has appointed a committee consisting of Messrs. Louis Brown, E. B. Adamson and O. H. Simpson to divert to Talent the Spray factory which is figuring on coming from California to the Rogue river valley.

Be sure to attend the rummage sale in Palm block Saturday, held by the ladies of First Presbyterian church.

Mrs. J. H. Brinker and daughter are recent arrivals from San Francisco and will visit here for a month.

The College Women's League urges that all voters register today and tomorrow for the referendum elections in November.

Mrs. A. M. Woodford of Medford is in Ashland visiting Mrs. C. A. Malone for a few days. Mr. Woodford will go up later in the week to spend a day or so.

Major Carter has been exhibiting samples of asphaltum recently discovered near Ashland. He says the deposits are extensive, being over thirty feet thick, and are found compactly imbedded at the base of a cliff 2000 feet high. Indications of this mineral pitch are also found in the surrounding territory. At first he thought he had discovered evidences of coal.—Ashland Record.

Home cooking of all kinds for sale at the public market, Saturday, by the ladies of First Presbyterian church.

A letter from Dr. Kirchgessner in Portland states that he expects to be located in that city for some little time.

W. H. Norcross, James Shields, Hull Norcross of Central Point and Ed Pottinger of Medford, are on a hunting trip in the upper Elk creek country.

We have moved our office to room 401, M. F. & H. building, where we have more room and better accommodations to handle our increasing business. Graham & Wakeman. 189*

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY. FOR SALE—Corn. Inquire Dr. Clancy.

FOR SALE—Good 16-inch wood, oak and laurel, delivered. Phone 724-R. 181

"Broken Threads United," in two parts. This strong melodrama shows the dangers that beset the pathway of kind, confiding rural folk while visiting a city. It portrays the straitening contrast between the simple country life and the wickedness of a city. Be sure to see this great character study at the It Theater, Friday and Saturday nights.

Cottage cheese at Medford Fish and Poultry Market.

Mrs. John Reter and daughter, Bernice Polley, have returned from a ten weeks' visit with relatives in Chicago and other eastern cities.

Peter Steenstrup has left for the south and east. His family will follow later.

The steel for the new bridge across the Rogue on the Galice road is now all in place, and the contractors are building the approaches and laying the bridge floor. It is expected that the structure will be ready for the passage of traffic within the next ten days.

Shrimps, cod, trout, halibut, silver smelt, salmon, catfish, herring, perch at Medford Fish and Poultry Market.

Arthur Clark of the Clark Henry Construction company, arrived in Medford Friday to figure on bidding on the Pacific highway work.

Ben Sheldon has set orchardists a good example by giving away 35 boxes of cull apples to poor people of Medford.

J. S. Cox of San Diego is visiting Medford.

J. B. Kruger of Wilton, Me., is a recent arrival.

G. W. Whitson of Chicago spent Thursday in Medford.

J. O. Lemon and wife of Pratt, Kan., are recent arrivals.

S. H. Bretem of Benecia, Cal., is visiting Medford.

F. N. Lupton of Oswego, N. Y., is a recent arrival.

J. F. Roller of Portland is a Medford visitor.

A. D. Johnson of Portland spent Friday in Medford.

W. G. Eggleston of Oakland, spent Friday in Medford.

A. L. Parkhurst of the Crater Lake company, came in from the lake Thursday evening and left Friday for Portland.

J. C. Pendleton of Table Rock spent Friday in Medford.

WATSONVILLE APPLES SHOW UP POORLY

Professor P. J. O'Gara has received a letter from W. S. Ballard, head of the department of Agriculture fruit bureau in the Watsonville, Cal. district, setting forth the woes that have afflicted the apple growers of that section this year. "The apple annual is to be held next week," he writes, "... and you would have an opportunity to see how few good apples there are here this year. In the past there have been a dozen or more cars on exhibition at the show, but this year I understand that they will do well if they have 2000 boxes. The hot weather of a few days ago blasted a lot of the apples on the trees, and with the baking they got once before this year and with the frost and the short crop there isn't much doing here."

The letter was dated Watsonville, October 2.

With Medford trade in Medford made.

MOTHER! IS CHILD'S STOMACH SOUR, SICK?

If Tongue is Coated or if Cross, Feverish, Constipated Give "California Syrup of Figs"

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomachache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "insides" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy, mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeiters sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

COUNTY VALUATION SLIGHTLY REDUCED

The board of equalization in session since September 8, completed today its consideration of the 1914 tax rolls as submitted by Assessor Grieve, and made a reduction of \$91,730 on the 39,800 taxable acreage in Jackson county, distributed as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Location, Amount. Rows: Jacksonville (\$2,835), Central Point (2,415), Gold Hill (1,925), Medford (38,595), Talent (250), Ashland (6,690).

The assessed valuation was figured by the assessor's office at \$32,026,382, and the acreage reduction makes it \$32,835,082. An increase of \$1035 was made in personal property tax rolls.

The figures do not include the corporation assessment, which includes railroads and timber holdings.

ROYAL COMMISSIONER TO STUDY LOCAL ORCHARDS

J. Kidston, a member of the royal commission on fruit for British Columbia, and R. M. Winslow of the horticultural department, with headquarters at Victoria, B. C., will visit Medford next Wednesday, October 22, for the purpose of studying orchard methods and conditions in vogue in this valley. A letter to this effect has been received by Professor O'Gara.

IF MEALS HIT BACK AND STOMACH SOURS

"Pape's Diapepsin" Ends Indigestion, Gas, Dyspepsia and Stomach Misery in Five Minutes

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food, or have a feeling of dizziness, heartburn, fullness, nausea, bad taste in mouth and stomach headache, you can get blessed relief in five minutes.

Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula, plainly printed on these fifty-cent cases of Pape's Diapepsin, then you will understand why diapepsin troubles of all kinds must go, and why they relieve sour, out-of-order stomachs or indigestion in five minutes. "Pape's Diapepsin" is harmless; tastes like candy, though each dose will digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all the food you eat; besides, it makes you go to the table with a healthy appetite; but, what will please you most, is that you will feel that your stomach and intestines are clean and fresh, and you will not need to resort to laxatives or liver pills for biliousness or constipation.

This city will have many "Pape's Diapepsin" cranks, as some people will call them, but you will be enthusiastic about this splendid stomach preparation, too. If you ever take it for indigestion, gases, heartburn, sourness, dyspepsia, or any stomach misery.

Get some now, this minute, and rid yourself of stomach trouble and indigestion in five minutes.

Praises This Remedy for Lung Trouble

Many people are led to believe that Lung Trouble is a disease which cannot be cured. This is wrong, as many have fully recovered their health. A change of climate has helped some, but many never have been restored to health by breathing the freshest air, eating well-cooked food, and taking the tonic quality of Eekman's Alternative, a medicine for Throat and Lung Troubles. Investigate this case—

Bowling Green, Ky., R. No. 4. "Gentlemen: The spring of 1908 I had a severe cough for six months. I tried all the medicine that my doctors recommended to me, but no results came from the better. I had night sweats, and would cough and spit much. I got so weak I could hardly do anything. But at last, James Deering, of Glasgow Junction, Indiana, sent me a bottle of Eekman's Alternative. I took it as directed, and after I had taken several bottles, I felt as well as ever in my life. I firmly believe that Eekman's Alternative will relieve any case of lung trouble if taken before the last stage." (Address: A. C. BETTERBOTH, Eekman's Alternative has been proven by many years' test to be most efficacious for severe Throat and Lung Affections, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, Croup, and in upbuilding the system. Contains no narcotics, poisons or habit-forming drugs. Ask for bottles, containing full directions, and write to Eekman Laboratories, Philadelphia, Pa., for evidence. For sale by all leading druggists.)

Coffee

Schilling's Best in the morning, as an eye-opener; to wake up your better self; to let you glimpse the sunshine through the fog and see the silver lining on the cloud.

Schilling's Best Coffee in aroma tight cans, cleanly granulated, is 40c a lb; money-back.

Soften the hardest water on wash-day with GOLD DUST. Use it wherever there's dirt or grease because it cleans and purifies everything. 5c and larger packages. THE N.K. FAIRBANK COMPANY CHICAGO. "Let the GOLD DUST TWINS do your work!"

An Exclusive Boot Style for Women. Goodyear Welted. Patent Colt Dull Kid Top \$4.50. SCHMIDT'S GOOD SHOES. OPPOSITE POST OFFICE.

Get a Cook's Book FREE Tuesday the last Chance to Hear the Lectures at the K. of P. Hall. Mrs. Briggs will have only three more lectures at the K. of P. Hall. Never before has any course of domestic science lectures and demonstrations attracted the attention and interest that the lectures conducted the past week at the K. of P. Hall by Mrs. Briggs in the interest of K. C. Baking Powder. Mrs. Briggs' methods are so simple and practical that they appeal to every housekeeper. The Cook Book used in the work is by Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine, and is free to anyone purchasing a large can of K. C. Baking Powder and bringing the certificate found in the can to the lecture. Don't wait until too late to secure the Cook's Book, but send in your certificate at once, as Tuesday will be your last opportunity to get a Cook's Book from Mrs. Briggs. After the close of the classes it will be necessary to mail your certificate taken from the can of K. C. Baking Powder to the Jaques Mfg. Co., Chicago, Ill., for the Cook's Book. Save that trouble of writing and get your Cook's Book at once.

"Our Special" Overalls 25c -for one hour only TOMORROW MORNING, for one hour only, between 8 and 9 o'clock we will sell "Our Special" Overalls for 25c a pair—one pair to a customer. Not a pair sold after 9:00 a. m. at this price. Store opens at 8:00 a. m. sharp. WILL H. WILSON, 126 N. Front Street, Medford We Lead, Others Follow