

# THE MEDFORD MAIL

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MAN WAS BORN TO HUSTLE.

He is of few days; but quite a plenty.

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MEDFORD, FRIDAY, JULY 21, 1906.

A good, live, progressive city of over 2,000 people and no photographer—that's Medford.

The Central Point News came out last week again—none the worse for being one week a delinquent—but improved generally under the guidance of Editor Ford.

A CHICAGO banker predicts that by the end of next month the banks of the city will be hunting for borrowers to take the money they won't let out now for government bonds.

AND NOW comes a crank who proposes to drill a hole through the earth. The moon became a dead planet by its waters finding access to the internal fires, putting them out and then congealing. This man should be enjoined.

WHY does not some millionaire found a free college for the education of poor and bright boys? There is more material in thousands of these boys than there is in an equal number of rich men's boys. It would be an easy matter to single out the boys who should have the benefit of the institution.

GREAT heat often causes melancholia, writes a scientific observer. So does great cold, when there is no coal in the bin, he might have added. One need not go far to find causes of acute melancholia. This feeling strikes us most forcibly when we start in to "run off" our one thousand and edition of THE MAIL with a Washington hand press on a real snug, hot day.

IN ANOTHER column appears a positive denial, from Mrs. J. B. Wait, of any act of violence or ill conduct toward her from her husband. Since it is proven that there was no foundation for the rumors made current a few weeks ago the least that can be done by those who circulated these vile reports is to publicly retract them. Such an act is due Mr. Wait and his family.

IT is a queer notion some people get into their heads. The telegrams tell of a woman in New Jersey who is 101 years of age and who is now engaged in putting an end to her days by starvation. If an indulgent Providence will allow us to creep up to that many years we'll promise her she won't be insulted by our putting an untimely end to our existence from lack of the necessary sustenance.

IT is altogether probable that the petit burglaries which have been perpetrated in Medford of late are the work of some of the boys of our town. If this be the case it is high time a full stop was registered—before they shall have arrived at a point of more desperate outlawism. It becomes us all to appoint ourselves a committee of investigation ere it be too late and we are made the butt of their thievish notions instead of our neighbors.

THE treasurer of Douglas county is short \$23,000 in accounts and has resigned his office. His bondsmen will make good the amount. The Roseburg Plaindealer has this to say regarding the defalcation: The investigation is not yet finished and more disclosures are expected. It is believed that there has been a general brokerage business in county warrants to the detriment of the county, and it may take considerable time to ferret it out, as the law requiring the date when warrants are received for taxes to be indorsed on the back thereof has not been complied with. This oversight will greatly retard proceedings, and may prevent an accurate estimate of interest unlawfully charged against the county. W. A. Frater, the republican candidate for treasurer at the last election, has been appointed by the county court treasurer for the remainder of the term.

"I was prostrated with a severe bilious complaint," writes Ernest Southworth, of Bath, Me. "After vainly trying a number of remedies, I was finally induced to take Ayer's Pills. I had scarcely taken two boxes when I was completely cured."

## Will Have Electric Lights—Perhaps.

Mr. E. C. Sharpe, of Portland, is in Medford this week endeavoring to arrange for putting in an electric light plant in our city. This he will do provided the city will give him a franchise. He asks no bonus but expects, of course that the city will agree to take a certain number of lights. The matter, so far as Mr. Sharpe is concerned, will be settled to-day, or so soon as a conference can be had with Mr. Leadbetter and the city council. Mr. Sharpe proposes to put in a plant with a capacity of twenty-five arc and 500 incandescent lights and will have the same in running order by the first of October—if the franchise is granted. The cost of the plant will be near \$10,000. The convenience and general usefulness of these lights are known to almost everybody and we will wager a guess that not a man in Medford is there but what would be in favor of granting the franchise. There is probably nothing which so greatly improves a city and gives it so metropolitan an air as do electric lights.

## The Broomcorn Waves High.

The Medford base ball broom has swept clean and a broad wave. The small hamlet to the north of us has a reputation but it doesn't run in the base ball channel. Last Tuesday occurred in Medford a red hot game of ball between Medford and Grants Pass teams. Literally speaking it could hardly be anything else as the thermometer climbed to the top board of the backstop and the torridity that lingered about the grounds was boiled down to a degree quite warm, but it was several degrees hotter in the Grants Pass camp than around where our home boys were basking in delight at their victors' discomfiture.

The game was opened at one thirty and from the very first it was evident that the visiting team wasn't to be counted high on the score board while our boys had figured they would wipe up the dust with the blue pants of their combatants and sprinkle the grounds with their tears of remorse and misplaced confidence. The Medford boys had seven innings and scored twenty-four counts, while the Grants Pass team had eight innings and by distressing efforts rolled up nine points on the tally sheet.

The visiting club was made up of the following gentlemen: G. H. Irving, c; Fred Welch, p; Fred Mensch, 1st b; Bert Warren, 2nd b; Robt. Dewere, 3rd b; Roy Bartlett, r. f; Tol Wilson, c. f; D. E. Dotson, l. f; Harry Peterson, s; Geo. Slover, scorer.

The Medford boys were, Fred Weeks, c; Charlie Boardman, p; Alf Weeks, 1st b; Geo. Davis, 2nd b; John Angle, 3rd b; Ed. Redden, s; U. M. Damon, r. f; A. Galloway, s. f; John Stewart, l. f; Will Fredenburg, scorer. E. H. Fawcett, umpire.

The game was interesting throughout, our boys playing a good, steady game, while the visitors "lost their heads" and were badly rattled. Two particularly good plays were made. One by Fred Weeks when his bat caught the second ball given him and sent her a long way outside of the fielders, making a home run with ease. Another one was when three men were on bases and Damon took the bat. He sent the ball over into the tall timber, near Jacksonville, let in three men and slid over the home plate himself.

Grants Pass papers scorch our team right hard, so the boys say, on the game they played in that village on the fourth, but THE MAIL is not going to pay them back in kind. The Grants Pass boys are gentlemen, every one of them, but they can't play ball. Of course this is not their fault. They have practiced enough for a league team—but they couldn't twirl the sphere with an aptness equal to Medford.

## Is the Law Being Complied With?

We print below that part of the new laws passed at the last session of the legislature relating to county treasurers' payment of orders:

He (the county treasurer) shall pay all orders of the county clerk when presented, if there be money in the treasury for that purpose, and write on the face of such order the date of redemption and his signature. If there be no funds to pay such order when presented, he shall endorse thereon "not paid for want of funds," and the date of such presentation, over his signature, which shall entitle such order thenceforth to draw legal interest; provided, that such interest shall cease from the date of notice by publication in some newspaper printed or circulated in his county, to be given by the county treasurer, that there are funds to redeem such outstanding orders, which notice such treasurer shall give five hundred dollars belonging to the county fund. Any county treasurer failing to comply with the requirements of this section for the period of ten days, shall upon conviction thereof, be punished by fine not less than five hundred nor more than one thousand dollars.

Are the county treasurers of the state of Oregon calling in county orders according to the above law? We shall see.

## Advertised Letter List.

The following is the list of letters remaining unclaimed for in the Medford, Or., postoffice on June 20, 1906:

Brown, Bert	Davis, M. M.
Edmond, Peter	Grover, Mary
Opssahl, H.	Rose, D. J.
Walbridge, Alonzo S.	Rose, D. J.

Persons calling for the above letters please say "advertised."

## Bucklen's Arnica Salvo.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, letter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25c per box. For sale by G. H. Haskins, Medford.

—The latest in spring suits at Anglo & Plymale's.

## The Washburn Circus.

From Daily Oregonian.  
The L. W. Washburn circus made a fine parade through the principal streets yesterday morning and showed to two packed houses afternoon and evening at Twenty-fourth and Raleigh streets. Ninety-five per cent of the matinee audience was composed of ladies and children, and at night people were turned away by hundreds. The baby elephant, Cupid, seemed to be the chief attraction. He is the first elephant in miniature ever seen on the Pacific coast and is a whole show in himself. The performance is very creditable, the fine horses and handsome wardrobes being especially noticeable. The acrobatic, gymnastic, "Wild West" and hippodrome features succeed each other in rapid succession.

## Russia Is With Us.

It has been learned from high Russian sources that the Russian government has decided to maintain a permanent fleet of warships in United States waters, and the port of New York will be made Russia's Western naval center. It was announced Monday that representatives of the Russian government had made overtures to the Erie drydock establishment to undertake the care and overhauling of all warships maintained by Russia in American waters. The opinion was ventured in naval circles last evening that in view of the likelihood of the Behring sea cases going against Great Britain and the late announcement that England is reinforcing her naval force at Esquimault, the proposed action of Russia is of great importance to the United States.

## From Medford to Klamath Falls.

Last Saturday's Portland Telegram has the following telegram, dated at San Francisco, July 15th: W. H. Mills, land agent for the Central Pacific, will leave for Portland Sunday night on an important trip. There he will meet a number of London, New York and Oregon capitalists who are interested in a project to build a railroad from Medford, on the California & Oregon road, about 70 miles eastward to Klamath Falls, formerly known as Linkville. Mr. Mills' business with the party is to go with them over the proposed line and grade timber lands belonging to his company. The capitalists alluded to desire to buy up the timber land tributary to the proposed road, as building the road is only a part of a great lumber enterprise. For about half the length of the line the Oregon & California owns the odd-numbered sections, and this land the promoters propose to buy.

## Among The Churches.

**BAPTIST CHURCH.**  
Preaching at 11 o'clock by the pastor. Subject—Doing Well, its difficulties and incentives. Text, 2 Thess. 4:13. Evening subject—Whom we preach, how we preach and why we preach. Text, Col. 1:28. Bible school at 11 a. m. Junior Union at 3 p. m. B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. Subject—The Union Anniversary. Matt. 12:12. Leader, Miss Della Pickel. To all of these services the public is invited.

## Pastors' and Laymen's Conference.

Following is the program for the Pastors' and Laymen's Conference to be held in Medford, commencing Friday evening before the fifth Sunday in July 1906:

Friday evening—7:30, sermon by Rev. S. B. Chastain.

Saturday morning—9 to 10, social visit, at 10 o'clock, address by Rev. A. J. Stevens—"The Needs and Possibilities of country churches." 11 to 12, Reports from the fields and general business.

Saturday afternoon—7:30, Exegesis of Matt. 16th chapter, 18th and 19th verses, by Rev. J. A. Slover. 2 o'clock address by Rev. G. W. Black—"Methods of presenting Home and Foreign Mission Work and raising funds for the same." 2:20 o'clock, addresses by Laymen—"The pastor of each church to appoint and to give a ten minutes address. 3:30 o'clock, Exegesis of 1st Cor. 3rd chapter, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15th verses, by Rev. T. H. Stephens.

Saturday evening—7:30 o'clock. Sermon by Rev. G. W. Black. Sunday, 10 a. m. Sunday School; 11 a. m. Sermon by Rev. C. R. Corning; 3 p. m. Children's meeting; 7 p. m., B. Y. P. U. service—Reports from Young People's societies; 8 p. m., Sermon by Rev. J. A. Slover.

—Last Saturday evening was installation night for the Ashland Lodge, I. O. O. F., and a party of Medford boys drove to that city to assist in the jollification. Those who were present from Medford were District Deputy Grand Master W. I. Vawter, I. A. Webb, N. A. Jacobs, T. W. Johnson, B. S. Webb, H. G. Nicholson and A. S. Hammond. They report a very pleasant time and were treated very cleverly by the Ashland boys.

It is announced by the dictators of fashion that the long black stocking, which has long been fashionable with women, will be displaced by the white stocking.

James Hamlin, of Medford, and John Garvin, of Wagner creek, have three ledges on the creek above named which are showing up to be pretty good property. They are small but an assay shows that the rock carries \$40 to the ton of gold.

## A Sure Cure for Piles.

Itching Piles are known by moisture like perspiration, causing intense itching when warm. This form as well as blind, bleeding or protruding piles at once to Dr. Bosanko's Pile remedy, which acts directly on the parts affected, absorbs tumors, allays itching and effects a permanent cure. 50 cts. Druggists or mail. Circulars free. Dr. Bosanko, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by G. H. Haskins, druggist, Medford.

## AT MEDFORD

Wednesday, July 26.

Afternoon and Night

Leon W. Washburn's

Great European

RAILROAD SHOWS



Three Ring Circus, Royal English Menagerie, Aviary, Museum and Aquarium, Wild West, and Roman Hippodrome.

GLITTERING STREET PARADE daily at 10 a. m. Open Days of Wild Beasts, 5,000 Steam Piano, Marvelous Steam Horse "Ajax" the Monster War Elephant "Jupiter," the Baby Elephant "Cupid," 3 feet high. Doors open at 1 and 7 p. m. Performances one hour later. Admission to Childrens half price. Excursion rates on Rogue River Valley Railroad—Jacksonville to Medford and return.

## Table Rock News.

A picnic near the bridge on Sunday was lightly attended.

Barley heading will begin in this neighborhood next week.

Haying is in full blast in this neighborhood and is turning out well.

Mrs. V. N. Taut, of California, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Spencer Childers.

Wm. Bybee passed through this precinct Monday on his way to Bybee's springs.

J. O. Johnson has completed a new barn 40x46 feet on the upper end of his ranch.

Several families from the valley attended camp meeting near Central Point last Sunday.

Quite a number of home-seekers from the east are looking through Sams Valley with an eye to purchasing.

Teams are passing daily with lumber from Welch's mill, for the large grainery being erected for the Central Point flour mill.

Mr. Arnold and family, from Idaho, passed up to the Meadows last week. They will make their home in Jacksonville.

The Rogue river water ditch is now completed to the ranches of Hanson and Johnson, and the water is making the second crop of alfalfa look fine.

Some fine trout are being caught near Rogue river bridge. One party securing seventeen very nice ones last Sunday. Would give names, only camp meeting was in session and they may have been taken there.

Mr. Bailey, of California, while visiting friends in this vicinity, went to upper Table Rock on last Saturday, and while there killed the largest rattler that has been heard of from that rock, it having nineteen rattles.

## Take Good Care of the Children.

For summer complaints in children, there is nothing so good as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It cures dysentery, diarrhoea and cholera infantum, and never fails when used in time and the plain printed directions are followed. When preceded with water and sweetened it is pleasant to take. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by G. H. Haskins, druggist.

## Sardine Creek Items.

Mr. Burt Story was a very pleasant visitor to Miss Eva Vroman last week.

Mesdames Vrooman and Miller visited friends at Willow Springs Thursday.

Mr. Hazel has returned to Medford after an extended visit here, accompanied by Will Eaton.

Miss Maggie Mills, of this place, is attending camp meeting and visiting her uncle at Central Point.

Sol Dusenbery, of Rock Point, has been assisting E. Vroman in harvesting his abundant crop of new mown hay.

E. Vroman has sold his quartz claim to J. B. Lane who expects to commence work on it soon. The claim prospects well.

Jas. Eaton, of Minnesota, who has been visiting his brother and old acquaintances in this locality, left for Medford this week where he intends making his future home.

Mr. Fitzgeralds returned Sunday morning from Missouri. We are glad to welcome our old friend back once more.

## IT'S A SERIOUS BUSINESS.

There's no fun in selling drugs—no fun in buying them; they are generally bought for a serious purpose, as medicines for sick people.

## DOCTORS' PRESCRIPTIONS

The first consideration is their purity. Adulterated drugs frequently do more harm than good, and are always of inferior quality. They should be carefully avoided.

## QUICKLY

Experiences in compounding is another item of importance. The blending of drugs requires practical knowledge and perfect skill. A competent prescription clerk must have these.

## COMPOUNDED

Then—prices. Given the good quality and best compounding, the cost of drugs need not be unnecessarily high. A reason a ble profit suite us—we don't charge for our experience.

## STRANG THE DRUGGIST.

## SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, For the county of Jackson.

Nettie Harris, Blanch Harris, Maud Harris and L. L. Hamilton, administrators of the estate of Thomas Harris, deceased, defendants.

To Maud Harris, defendant.

In the Name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit by the first day of the next regular term of said court, to wit, on the 4th day of September 1906, and if you fail to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in said complaint, to-wit: for the partition between plaintiff and defendants according to their respective interests of the following described real estate, to-wit: All of lots three and four and that portion of lot two bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the North corner of lot two and running thence South thirty-five and one-half degrees East, twenty-five feet, thence South fifty-four and one-half degrees East, one hundred feet, thence North thirty-five and one-half degrees West, twenty-five feet, and thence North thirty-four and one-half degrees East, one hundred feet, to the place of beginning. All of said land being in Block Nineteen, in the city of Medford, Oregon. The fourth of said premises claimed by plaintiff is one-half thereof.

Order for publication of this summons dated at Jacksonville, Oregon, July 17, 1906.

AUSTIN S. HAMMOND, Atty for Plff.

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## MRS. ELMIRA HATCH.

## HEART DISEASE 20 YEARS.

Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Dear Sir: For 20 years I was troubled with heart disease. Would frequently have falling spells and sometimes at night. Had to sit up for that of bed to breathe. Had pain in my left side and back most of the time; at last I became nervous and very nervous and nearly worn out. The least excitement would cause me to faint. I was unable to do any housework without any trouble and consider myself cured.

THOUSANDS of people are suffering from heart disease. For the last three years I could not sleep on my left side or back until I began taking your *Heart Cure*. I had not taken it very long until I felt much better, and I can now sleep on either side or back without the least discomfort. I have no pain, no nervousness, and I can do all my own housework without any trouble and consider myself cured.

Elkhart, Ind., 1906.

It is now four years since I have taken any medicine. Am in better health than I have been in 40 years. I honestly believe that I was cured here that *Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure* saved my life. I am now 62 years of age, and am able to do a good day's work.

May 29th, 1902. Mrs. Elmira Hatch.

Sold on a Positive Guarantee.

DR. MILES' PILLS, 50 Doses 25 Cts.

## They Chiseled it Out.

While the following rich gold find is some distance outside the Southern Oregon gold field it is nevertheless in the same chain of mountains that extend north and south between here and the coast, accordingly it may be reasonably be presumed that we can find something equally as rich. Here is the item: William Dale and H. B. Maxwell have sunk an eight foot shaft on their ledge, near Sisson, Calif., which has laid bare one of the richest strikes of gold bearing quartz ever found in the state. The ledge has widened from a foot to two feet and a half, eight inches of which is 80 per cent pure gold and which has to be cut out with a chisel. The lode can be traced for a mile in a southerly direction and lies in the center of the gold belt. The hills are full of prospectors and every inch of ground in the neighborhood is located. The owners were poor men, but have extracted in the neighborhood of \$10,000 in gold from the quartz taken out.

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