

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, APRIL 27, 1934.

THE MAIL is keeping "cases" on county affairs—and don't any person doubt but that we will guard 'em close.

THE Industrials, four or five hundred strong, stole an engine and train from the yards at Butte City, Montana, Monday and started east at the rate of forty miles an hour.

THEY have a more permanent cure for the red liquor habit than Keesley's back in Oklahoma. A vigilance committee hanged a man to keep him from getting drunk.

THE subject has imbibed nothing since and his funeral expenses were insignificant.

COXEY's army has been given notice that it cannot enter within the borders of the District of Columbia, but Coxe is satisfied he will enter and camp before the capitol where, he states, his men will starve before they will leave and that the stretch of their ashes will force congress to give relief.

TWENTY-FOUR hour clocks are rapidly coming into use in New York, and it is a sensible innovation. The use of a. m. and p. m. in stating the time of day is a relic of barbarism and in a railroad timetable it is conducive to perjury. By all means let the timepiece builders give us twenty-four hour clocks.

SPEAKING of her husband, the wife of Chris Evans, the California bandit, says she has decided to "let the old man take his medicine." The sentiment will not perhaps promote her in public esteem, but it shows her possessed of a ripened judgment that does not propose to fire itself out in reaching after the unattainable.

AMONG the probabilities of the coming convention is the nomination of Mrs. W. J. Plymale, of Jacksonville, for school superintendent on the republican ticket. As a stand off for this the democrats are mentioning the name of Mrs. E. B. Pickel, of Medford, for like position on their ticket.

LAST Saturday the tax collector for Jackson county turned over to the treasurer very nearly \$58,000 of collected taxes. It will be remembered that our issue of last week called the collector's attention to the fact that this money would be acceptable if put where it would be available for its several uses throughout the county—and the next day he paid over the money.

THE efforts of THE MAIL and Treasurer Linn things can eventually be gotten leveled up so they will run smoothly—and correctly.

SEVEN good men and true, composing the last grand jury, have said that the county books of this county demanded an investigation. They further stated that they believed Messrs. Kelly and Smith competent to perform this work, and further recommended that the county court engage their services for this work. The taxpayers now demand that said county court proceed in accordance with the request of the grand jury. Why do they not do this? Are they afraid of the result of such investigation?

ECHOES FROM THE STREET. I. A. Mounce—"Why, that's a show case. Everybody ought to know that it was made by Jos. Shones and, if any one should ask you, it's a dandy."

J. R. Eford—"The ninth annual convention of the state Sunday school association will be held in Salem from May 2nd to 4th, inclusive. It is a mass convention and every one interested in Sunday school work is invited to attend. Delegates will be entitled one and a fifth fare rate over the Southern Pacific lines."

MAIL OFFICE Devil—"His letter to Secretary Morton.—"Knowing that the department over which you have the honor to preside is more than willing to encourage agriculture, horticulture, floriculture, and various other foreign and domestic brands of culture, I now sit down and take my pen in hand to ask a trivial favor of you. I have a nice patch of ground, large enough to milk a cow on, in Medford, and I am anxious to have a garden that will be useful as well as ornamental. I would like to raise Havana cigars, and I will esteem it a favor if you will send me a few boxes of seed. Please also state whether signs should be planted at the dark of the moon, or when planet Equinox is in perihelion. In addition to this, kindly tell me what perihelion is, and whether a biplan horse would fatten on it. I saw the word in the almanac, and am curious to know what it refers to. Now, don't fail to send the cigars, as my garden ought to be attended to right away."

—Making dress hats a specialty at Mrs. L. J. B. 2173.

FROM THE COUNTY SEAT.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

John K Green to Charles Sharp and Simon Smyth, undivided 1/2 interest of 160 acres sec 1 to 35 s 1 e 10 1000

L M Lyon to S P D & L Co, deed and assignment of interest in contract to buy, blk 2, West 1st add to Medford 880

James T Clark to J B Dungan, a quartz ledge in Sams Valley dist 1st section vs 2nd 500

Jesse H Wilson to Lizzie Townsend, 10 acres, sec 36, tp 37 s, r 2 w 1000

John W Shearer to W E Finney and J D Shearer, Q C D to 1/2 interest Sturgis & Becker ditch 50

Emeline Turner to W E Finney and A W Shearer, Q C D to Sturgis & Becker ditch 200

J H Prickett to J D Shearer, 1/2 interest in Prickett, E Finney & Shearer mining claims 640.33

Inez B Metcalf to H M Wagner, 100 acres, tp 38 s, r 4 w 1000

Laura B Hill to H C Cardwell, blk 5, 5 blk 2, Medford 1

J A Thomas to E A Johnson, e 2 1/2 of w 1/2 of blk 2, Mingus subdivision, sec 23, tp 37, r 2 w 200

J B Rogers to J M Rogers, 57 1/2 acres, sec 15, tp 35 s, r 2 w 100

Mary Sismore to James B Rogers, Q C D to dower of D L C No 27, sec 15, tp 35 s, r 2 w 100

U S patent to Bennett Million, to 120 acres, sec 15, tp 39 s, r 1 e PROBATE COURT.

Estate of Rufus North—John F White appointed administrator of the estate and J S Howard, D H Williams and J H Whitman appraisers.

Estate of John Hockenjos—order admitting will to probate and Eva Hockenjos appointed administrator, S J Day, John White and James Elliott appraisers.

Estate of Henry Wines—order sale of personal property—ordered sold at private sale for 15 days attendance at circuit court.

Ordered that H L Benson, dist atty, be allowed \$155 for 15 days attendance at circuit court.

T J Kenney vs E F and P Walker—judgment for plaintiff.

Same vs J H Bollinger and T Payne—same.

Same vs John Sismore—same.

T J Kenney vs J W Plymale—judgment for plaintiff for \$124.07.

Milo E Rigby vs Myrtle E Rigby—divorce decree granted the defendant.

P H Oviatt et al vs Fitch & Cardwell—suit in equity to foreclose bond judgment for plaintiff.

State vs John Walters—dismissed.

State vs Walter Forrey—dismissed.

Ordered that Frank Kassarber be allowed \$45 for services as bailiff for grand jury and bailiff in case vs T Gouffrey.

County Expenditures.

Following are the bills allowed by the county court for its last session.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes Joseph Randle, allowance for Ella Randle and family \$12.00, H Whitman, allowance for A Robinson \$10.00, etc.

School Funds Apportionment.

Supt. C. S. Price sends us the following list of the state school fund apportionment for April in Jackson county.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes 1. The per capita is \$2.30, 2. The per capita is \$2.30, 3. The per capita is \$2.30, etc.

LAND FOR SALE.

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Six-hundred acres of land situated on Rogue river bottom, and creeks and up land adjacent, three and one half miles north of Central Point—suitable for grain, fruit or stock; good fences and buildings—controls extensive range adjoining. Will sell all or any part on very liberal terms. Intending purchasers will do well to examine this property before buying elsewhere. Call at premises or address the undersigned at Central Point.

W. B. KINGDAID.

PURELY PERSONAL.

GEO. ISAACS was visiting Ashland friends Tuesday.

Dr. G. B. COLE returned from the east Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. SYLVESTER SMITH were up from Wolf creek Monday.

E. KENDALL has returned to his old home at Vernon Center, Minnesota.

D. W. HAZEL returned Saturday morning from his mine on Sardine creek.

GAIL DELASHMUTT, a brother-in-law of Dr. E. B. Pickel, arrived in Medford Monday from Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. WEBB left Monday morning for a couple of weeks visit at the midwinter fair.

JOS. CHAPMAN is up from Josephine county and is going to do prospecting in the vicinity of Wagner Butte.

Miss ALICE SHIDLER left Tuesday morning for a visit with her sister, Mrs. H. C. Dollahide, at Stinson.

Mrs. E. M. LUMSDEN and daughter, CARRIE, left Saturday for Topeka, Kansas, where they expect to remain during the summer.

JUDGE CHAS. WALKER, of Cottage Grove, is in Medford for a couple of weeks' stay—looking after his landed interests hereabouts.

Messrs. AL. BOGGS, JOHN MILLER and J. RHOTEN were up from Gold Hill Monday and laid in a supply of groceries for their mining camp.

Messdames MAGGIE ANGUINE and ANNA COLEMAN, of Santa Rosa, Calif., are visiting in Medford, the guests of their brother, Spencer Childers, and family.

DAVID LINN, Jr., of Eugene, is here for a quite lengthy visit with relatives and a whole country full of friends. Mr. Linn is engaged in the drug business in Eugene.

FRANK DAVIS came down from his asbestos mine last Thursday, to do trading in Medford, returning Friday morning accompanied by Miss Lila Sackett, who goes to rusticate a few weeks.

ELI HOGAN was in from his Wellan ranch Tuesday, apparently as happy as a clam on a succulent mid fat. Says he is getting in some good work clearing up his ranch, which is a good one but distressingly well timbered.

J. P. HOEL and family arrived in Medford last week from Des Moines, Iowa. They have secured a place of residence and the family is house-keeping while Mr. Hoel is out skinning for a suitable place of mining property.

WM. CALVIN, BERT FARLEY and PARK SEACE, all young fellows from Kent, Washington, and friends of Merchant Berlin. They are here for a location and are now casting an eye about for government land upon which to file.

W. B. ROBERTS returned Saturday evening from his quite extended visit in the east. He will, of course, report having had a most pleasant time but it goes without saying that he is falling all over himself in his great joy at being once again outside the range of blizzards, bitter blasts and cyclones.

L. C. CRUSHAW, of Aztec, Calif., was about Medford a few days this week visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. C. W. was an early day resident of this city and boasts of having assisted in putting up one of the first store buildings—corner D and Ninth street, then owned by Freeman, Miller & Co.

L. J. PHIPPS returned Monday evening from his visit in several eastern states. He was accompanied upon his return by his brother, J. R. PHIPPS, and nephew, C. E. PHIPPS. These gentlemen are from Barnard, Missouri, and will undoubtedly remain during the summer with their several relatives in the Rogue river valley.

WM. STANLEY returned Saturday evening from Crescent City where he had been looking after collections for the school furniture house which he represents. The gentleman is a well-to-do rancher up Brownboro way but makes a few dollars on the side from his school business, which he "pals the cows" and "tend to things generally about the farm."

Dr. W. T. WILLIAMS, Grand Master of the I. O. O. F. of the state has been making a visiting tour to the several lodges in Southern Oregon the past few days. Saturday evening he met with Medford lodge and gave the boys a friendly and very much appreciated talk upon Odd F. H. ship and its attending goods. He is a very fine gentleman, a candid, careful speaker and one who makes friends everywhere.

Mr. and Mrs. CHAS. SPYRANG returned Tuesday evening from their visit at the midwinter fair. They, as a matter of course, had a splendid time, and since their return Charlie has blossomed out like the rose, a white one, in a new pair of clothes—including head gear—and he's looking foxier than anybody. Not to appear misleading allow us to announce that that pair of clothes was purchased of a Medford tailor.

J. W. KAYS, of the firm of Linn & Kays, Eugene furniture dealers, returned to the Willamette valley Tuesday evening after a several days' visit with relatives and friends in this locality.

Mr. Kays is one of the many young business men of Eugene who have accumulated a nice little sum of this world's goods by hard work and strict attention to business. He is an almighty clever fellow and has friends at every turn of the road.

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To Land Seekers.

We have 40, 60 and 80 acre tracts of land near Medford, at prices and terms to suit the times, if sold within the next 10 days. The Jackson Co. Flume & Irrigation Co.

POLITICAL CARDS.

FOR STATE PRINTER, W. H. LEEDS, OF JACKSON COUNTY.

FOR PROSECUTING ATTORNEY, FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT, W. H. PARKER, OF JACKSON COUNTY.

Regular Democratic Nominee.

Physicians are stationed at all the depots in Chicago to prevent smallpox patients leaving the city.

General Evans, the Democratic candidate for governor in Georgia, demands the repeal of the poll tax and favors the free coinage of silver.

Upon complaint of the Northwestern Iron company, Judge Ludwig at Milwaukee has entered an order declaring the West Superior Iron and Steel company insolvent.

It is said a New York of 97 old gold pieces belonging to the late S. A. Cole, Jr., \$12,700 was realized. W. R. Heald of San Francisco purchased a Landscape by Rousseau for \$305.

The agricultural department has been notified that two herds of domesticated Indian elk are to be found in Otse county, Minn. There are nine animals in one group and eight in the other.

The new fire and police board at Denver has ordered a strict enforcement of the gambling and lottery laws. The gambling houses and lottery shops, numbering 17, have all been closed.

Mummies of people who are believed to antedate the cliff-dwellers are said to have been unearthed in Southeastern Utah underneath the ruins of the cliff-dwellers. They are well preserved specimens.

News is received of phenomenally rich gold discoveries in the district of Idaho. A rock has been found that runs thousands of dollars to the ton, some specimens being half gold. Very rich placer ground has also been found.

In turning the soil in the vicinity of Mowagwa, Ill., several farmers have found large numbers of locusts extra ordinary in size. They expect to confirm the rapidly spreading belief that we are to have the seven year locusts this season.

George J. Gould has bought the Vigilant. The gentleman who built the yacht last season to defend the American flag in the waters of the Valley, the boat to Gould for \$30,000. Yachtmen were surprised by the sale.

A passenger train, east-bound, was derailed by a sand drift on the track the other day near Yuma, Col. The passenger train was derailed, but Engineer Pat Quinn and Fireman Bert Egan escaped serious injury. Part of the train turned over and the engine is a wreck.

The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul roads comparative statement of earnings for the month of March shows gross earnings \$2,515,556, a decrease of \$85,710. Deducting expenses, including depreciation, the net earnings of \$511,227, making the net earnings \$1,004,333, an increase of \$15,815.

The Colorado state board of equalization has reduced the assessments of railroad trackage 7 per cent and on buildings and rolling stock 5 per cent. Reduction of 10 per cent was made on the value of the Western Union, because last year's assessment was raised 70 per cent.

Bob Fitzsimmons, the middle-weight champion, has brought suit against the Pennsylvania railroad for \$10,000 damages. A brakeman in the employ of the company struck Bob in the face because the latter refused to get into the car from the platform. Fitzsimmons claims he was sick and was standing on the platform to get some fresh air.

William A. Brady has engaged Jem Mace to appear with Jim Corbett in England. Mace, the champion welter of the National Athletic association, the latter refused to get into the car from the platform. Fitzsimmons claims he was sick and was standing on the platform to get some fresh air.

Owing to poor fruit crop prospects in Maryland canned goods have advanced 6 cents a dozen. The secretary of the National Canned Goods association, has returned from an inspection of the peach growing districts of Virginia, Maryland and Delaware. He says he can open many of the blossoms and found the heart black, which shows that the crop is ruined.

The coming motor of propulsion for street cars will be gas, according to the report of the United States Council General at Grand Fork, Germany. He shows that as a result of exhaustive experiments the German experts have determined that the gas engine is the cheapest and best of all means of power propulsion. The cost of operating by gas is found to be 25 per cent cheaper than electricity, and the cost of equipment is also much cheaper.

The news of the dispensary law decision by the supreme court of South Carolina, which declared the law unconstitutional, was received at Charleston shortly after 10 o'clock in the morning. An hour later upward of 200 "blind Charlie" had miraculously recovered their sight and were in full blast. Many of the blind men had written letters to "Walk in and here one with them," and people were by no means loth to accept the invitation.

J. Brown of Vancouver went to Victoria three months ago, and on returning 1 1/2 ft his valise in the baggage room of the hotel. The question now is to the hotel the other day he got the value. He noticed that it looked unusually bulky and seemed very heavy, but concluded some one had been playing a practical joke on him, and taking it to the hotel counter opened it before the hotel guests. The contents of the box contained the body of an infant recently born. The Victoria police are unable to solve the mystery.

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