POLITICAL CARDS.

FOR STATE PRINTER,

W. H. LEEDS,

OF JACKSON COUNTY.

FOR GOVERNOR,

WM. GALLOWAY,

OF YAMHILL COUNTY.

Regular Democratic Nominee.

FOR CONGRESS,

J. K. WEATHERFORD,

OF LINN COUNTY.

Regular Democratic Nominee.

FOR STATE TREASURER,

T. L. DAVIDSON,

OF MARION COUNTY.

Regular Democratic Nominee.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,

D. V. S. REID,

OF LANE COUNTY.

Regular Democratic Nominee.

FOR PROSECUTING ATTORNEY, FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

W. H. PARKER,

OF JACKSON COUNTY.

Regular Democratic Nominee.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,

DR. B. F. ADKINS,

OF MEDFORD.

Regular Republican Nominee.

FOR PROSECUTING ATTORNEY, FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT,

H. L. BENSON,

OF JOSEPHINE COUNTY.

Regular Republican Nominee.

FOR RECORDER,

MILES CANTRALL,

OF UNIONTOWN.

Regular Democratic Nominee.

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE,

H. D. KUBLI,

OF APPLEGATE.

Regular Republican Nominee.

FOR STATE SENATOR,

T. CAMERON,

OF UNIONTOWN.

Regular Republican Nominee.

FOR RECORDER,

FRANK GALLOWAY,

OF MEDFORD.

Regular Republican Nominee.

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE,

GEO. W. DUNN,

OF ASHLAND.

Regular Republican Nominee.

FOR SHERIFF,

GEO. W. BARRON,

OF ASHLAND.

Regular Republican Nominee.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS,

GUS NEWBURY,

OF PHOENIX.

Regular Republican Nominee.

FOR SHERIFF,

H. S. EVANS,

OF ASHLAND.

Regular Democratic Nominee.

I wish to emphatically state that, if elected, I will be unincumbered by any promises, and will work for the best interests of the county.

H. S. EVANS

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE,

H. B. KINCAID,

OF LANE COUNTY.

Regular Republican Nominee.

FOR ASSESSOR.

J. L. WOOLDRIDGE,

OF APPLEGATE.

Regular Damocratic Nominee.

For Sheriff.

Medford, Oregon, May 21, 1894.

To the Voters of Jackson County:—

When I announced myself, some time ago, before any convention assembled, as an independent candidate for the office of Sheriff, it was not to fight any party or person, for it is not a political office, and I hope not nor do I intend to fight anyone.

I simply asked it for myself, not to quit the stock business, but to help further the stock and any other interests of the general people, that may be of benefit to me and the county in general. I have not promised anything to anyone, except to do what is right by all, and, if elected on the 4th of June, will do my duty by the people and conduct the office in such a manner to give credit to the office, to myself and all concerned, to the best of my ability.

Respectfully Yours,

J. W. HOCKERSMITH.

TULA-WATER gives a beautiful complexion. The brilliency it imparts is marvelous. By its healing and cleansing tendencies TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES, BLACKHEADS, LIVER SPOTS, ETC., are safely removed. Try it. It will give you an appearance of elegance and refinement. Tula-Water combines every element of beauty and purity and is as harmless as dew. For sale by druggists.

WANTED—Pushing Canvassers of good address. Liberal salery and expenses paid weekly; Permanent position. BROWN BROS. CO., Nurserymen, Portland, Oregon.

—For reasonable prices in stylish head gear, call on Mrs. C. W. Palm.

NEWS OF THE CITY.

—Y. R. and F. H. Parks, representing a San Francisco house, are canvassing the county hereabouts taking orders for groceries, which, as we learn, they advertise to sell at wholesale prices. This may be the case but we don't believe they can do it. If so, who is paying their salary, livery hire and board? It is not good policy to deal with outside houses; and in most cases it is far from being a saving to the purchasers. Our good farmer friends will be coming into the several towns of the valley in a few weeks with their wagons loaded with produce, but will Messrs. Parks be there to buy it from you? Another point—you will, perhaps, be wanting a few articles of domestic use which possibly you will not have the cash to pay for until after harvest. Is it fair to pay cash to out-of-town concerns and ask your home merchants to trust you for such goods as you will need when the out-of-town supply shall have been exhausted? Did you ever realize what a prominent factor cash is in dealing with your home merchants? Give him a chance at your twenty dollar pieces and you will be surprised at the result.

—You will be wanting some crockery, perhaps, this spring. Baby has probably broken a number of pieces during the winter; perhaps your kitchen help and the policeman have been working up a trade for the crockeryman—in any case you can get full sets or odd pieces of almost any quality or style at Wolters, the grocer.

—The early day residents of Medford will remember well Rev. A. M. Russell, the Baptist clergymen through whose efforts the Baptist church was built in Medford, about nine years ago. At the general convention for central and northern California held in San Francisco last week the reverend gentleman was there and this is what the Chronicle says of him: "The annual sermon was preached by Rev. A. M. Russell of Hamilton-square Church in San Francisco from psalm 68 verse ii, 'The Lord gave the word and great was the company that published it.' The sermon was an eloquent presentation of the power of preaching and publishing the word. The prophecy of the text, the speaker said, has been fulfilled until the word of God has been proclaimed to the uttermost parts of the earth."

—"Discount"—is a word that catches all eyes. When these eyes have seen our gent's woolen goods and you learn of our 25 per cent discount we will catch the buyers. I. M. Muller, the corner grocer.

—The Medford candy factory, Zahn & Fry proprietors, is doing a splendid business. In the language of Mr. Zahn, "the Dutchman is satisfied." Their average weekly sales are about three hundred pounds. Their patrons are merchants of Ashland, Jacksonville, Central Point, Eagle Point, Talent and Phoenix, and most of these are getting in with their second and third orders, proving conclusively that they are well satisfied with the goods purchased. It is the several institutions of this kind that keep the dollars of the valley at home. Manufacturing institutions cannot be too plentiful to build up a community. If all are as worthy of support as is the above we ought all to put our shoulder to the wheel and help them reach a still greater business.

—Warm weather is very close onto us. You will undoubtly need some ice. Curry & Johnson are agents for the Medford Ice Company's ice. Leave orders with them and receive prompt delivery.

—If Medford parents could see and hear their children as others do there would be less of boistrous conduct at public entertainments in the opera house. An encore or applause is all very right and proper when deserved but prolonged whistling, shouting or stamping of feet is an act far beneath the conduct of a true gentleman. Boys can be little gentlemen if they will and no better place is there to show this spirit of manliness than at a public entertainment. If parents do not take their wayward and boistrous children in hand at these public gatherings and see that they do not disturb those who go there to listen to the speakers, the marshal will be called upon to eject them from the hall.

—G. L. Webb's Racket—just received more new silk and cotton laces, silk mitts and gloves, also a new lot of millinery ribbon. It is useless to say that they are bargains, because everyone knows they are the cheapest in the city.

—An outfit of California emigrants passed through town this forenoon and are camped a short distance below. They came from San Luis Obispo county, about 200 miles from San Francisco, on the coast, and report that California is suffering the worst drought since 1877. This gentleman was running a dairy on a nine hundred acre ranch, with forty milch cows and other cattle and horses. He left all behind to die except the teams to bring him away. He reports that stock of all kind is dying by thousands, and that many of the people are on the road coming this way in search of a place to sustain life, having absolutely been forced to leave on account of the unprecedeuted drought. —Eugene Guard.

—The Racket is the place to get men's and boy's dress or working overshirts that are well made, extra long and full value. A new stock just received.

—S Hoffman, the gentleman who has recently opened a clothes dyeing establishment on Front street, is in receipt of a curio from Jerusalem. It is a block of olive wood highly polished and very beautiful. Upon one side of the block is engraved the entrance to the Jewish temple of worship. The block of wood is 300 years old—that is, it was 300 years in attaining its growth, as shown with a magnifying glass by its marks of each year's growth. It is from the olive tree that the oil is obtained which is used in the temple. J. Rabinowitch is the sender of the memento and Mr. H is justly proud of it.

—If any body was to ask you for the best hat to buy for the money, you couldn't, and be honest to yourself and friends, tell them to buy any other hat than the Stetson—Wolters keeps them.

—Prof. C. S. Price, principal of the Jacksonville public schools, has secured a like position for the coming year at Grants Pass. His securing the new position was brought about through the recommendation of Mr. Bliss, of this city, who was visiting at Grants Pass and with one of the members of the school board. Mr. Price was sent for and upon his arrival a contract was soon entered into. As an instructor Mr. Price has a very enviable reputation in Southern Oregon, and Grants Pass has reason to be congratulated upon securing his services as their schools' educator.

—Chase combination dental plates made with gold and aluminium roofs. Filling inserted in porcelain teeth to perfect appearance, at Dr. O. F. Demorest's dental parlors, Medford.

According to the following quotations Medford is a pretty good wheat market. In New York City wheat is worth 60 cents; in Chicago, 55 cents; in San Francisco, including sacks, 51 cents; in Medford, without sacks, 50 cents. Figuring this matter up one side and down the other what is there wrong with the wheat product of the Rogue river valley? It looks most mightily like the farmers of this locality have reason to congratulate themselves when quotations are seen from other parts of the country, particularly those where long freight hauls have to be paid before the grain reaches these markets.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.— Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

—Gentlemen! Did you know you could get a good all wool Oregon made suit at the Racket, ordered direct for you. Call and see samples and get prices.

—Some of the city cows are said to be stealing a march on their owners, or their neighbors' cows, by getting up nights, breaking their fastenings and feeding upon the nutritious grasses that abound since the recent rains. Nightwatchman Churchman, however, is also reported to have donned his garments of daytime wear a few mornings ago, when clocks were ticking somewhere around the hour of five, and swooped down upon these trespassers of cow ordinance No. 127, and bagged a nice covey of splendid milch cows.

—Prichard, the jeweler, is selling watches from $2 up—as high as you want to go. You get a good article for a little money. Buy now while the price is 'way down.

—Thursday, June 12th., is a day set aside by the Sovereign Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows as a memorial day to be observed in honor of departed members of the order. In accordance with the proclamation issued Medford Lodge, No.83, will observe the day with appropriate exercises. The following commitees have been appointed. On program—I. A. Webb, B. F. Adkins, W. T. York and T. W. Johnson. On arrangements—I. Woolf, A. S. Bliton and Geo. Anderson. Further notice will be made next week.

—Hotel for sale—The owner of one half interest in Hotel Medford is desirous of disposing of this property. You can learn particulars by enquiring at THE MAIL office.

—THE MAIL acknowledges, with much pleasure, the receipt of a goodly amount of wedding cake, compliments of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Lawton. Our only wish is that they may enjoy many more years of wedded bliss and that their children and their children's children may be permitted, by a kind Providence, to celebrate their golden weddings in like manner as did the couple above mentioned, and that the writer may be permitted to partake of the delicious dainties upon each and all of these occasions.

—Ladies! Do you want a nice dress hat at hard times prices. Come and see the ready trimmed ones at G. L. Webb's Racket.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Darnell, of this city, were in receipt, a few days ago, of a very fine wedding card announcing the marriage, on Sunday, May 6th, of Mrs. Darnell's brother, Wm. M. Finch, to Miss Anna L. Latimer, both of Glenn county, Calif. Mr. Finch was at one time a resident of Jackson county and is now superintendent of schools in the above named county. Mr. Finch's several old-time friends hereabouts will be glad of an opportunity to extend congratulations.

—Something new! A full line of John D. Cutter & Co's spool silk and twist in black, white and colors, a No. 1 article at G. L. Webb's Racket.

—There is scarcely anything more indicative of prosperous times and an increase in business than the several new signs which have been flashed to the sunlight and gentle zephyrs of this city of Medford recently. John Morris is telling the people plainly by "the handwriting on the wall" that his is THE place at which to load up crockery and glassware. Edward Smith, is also out with a new sign inviting your attention to his stock of jewelry.

—Long waisted, glove fitting, P. N. corset, always on hand at Angle & Plymale's.

—Ex-Congressman R. G. Horr, of Michigan, spoke in Medford last Tuesday afternoon upon the political issues of the day as seen from a republican standpoint. The address was given in the park, near the Rogue river depot, where perhaps a thousand or more people were assembled. His speech was truly in line with republican doctrine. His arguments pleased republicans and his ready wit kept all others in a merry mood.

—How does this catch you for a bargain? Five 1 pound bars of Horseshoe soap for 25 cents, at Muller's grocery.

—Dr. Geary has made the purchase, from Mitchell, Lewis & Staver, of a fine Corvallis Concord spring carriage. This ought not to be taken as an indication that the climate of Southern Oregon is unhealthy, thereby making the practice of medicine a lucrative business, but instead that the doctor's popularity is increasing, as is also that of the house which handles these carriages—and D. T. Lawton, the local salesman.

—The Stetson hat is the acknowledged king of men's head gear—Wolters, the grocer, keeps them.

—I. A. Merriman has a father-in-law that is well worth the having and a fellow might travel miles without running across another one so generous. Last week he purchased a twenty-five dollar buggy for Ike's latest born and sent it to the residence. It may be all wrong to be born with a silver spoon in one's mouth but generous, and kind grandparents are a pleasant convenience.

—World's Fair Portrait given away FREE OF CHARGE at Muller's. It will pay you to see them.

—There is going to be a candidates' ball given at the Central Point Hotel on June 1st. It is expected that all candidates and their friends will be there, and as there are several candidates, if not more, and all have more or less friends the crowd is booked for a big one. Good music has been procured and a general good time is sure to be had.

—Screen doors for sale at Wallace Woods' lumber yard.

—Mrs. T. F. West, of Phoenix, we regret to learn, has been quite ill for the past three or four weeks with dyspepsia and kidney trouble. She is improving somewhat at present and her husband, doctor T. F. West, is quite confident she will entirely recover.

—Fair dealing and fresh goods at the Big T grocery.

—The Clarendon hotel has changed hands again. This time Jonas Justus and Emma Barker sell to Alex Ireland, of Grants Pass, all the furniture of the Clarendon hotel and turn over the lease of building to said Ireland, posession was taken Wednesday.

—Eggs wanted—at the Big T grocery store, Medford, Oregon.

—Postmaster Howard gets funny sometimes, as the boys about the city declare. His latest is the placing of a barbed wire across his store front at a convenient height for both young and old boys to sit upon, but somehow they don't linger.

—All kinds of produce taken in exchange—Lumsden & Berlin.

—Attorneys W. I. Vawter and Austin S. Hammond both announced Tuesday morning that a new arrival had registered at their respective residences. At the former place a boy is registered and at the latter place a girl.

—Three good resident lots for sale—about thirty large, thrifty fruit trees on property. Inquire at MAIL office.

—R. T. Lawton is in receipt of a fine onyx paper weight from his nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. M. West. The block is about two by four inches in size and is highly polished—and a beauty of great value.

—Second hand cook stoves wanted at the Variety store.

—Among the new ads this week will be found the democratic state, district and county ticket, and also one from the well known and very reliable machinery house of Mitchell, Lewis & Staver Co.

—For sale cheap—Set of double buggy harness, John Bellinger.

—Miss Rose Brooks has accepted a position in Mrs. C. W. Palm's millinery establishment where she will learn the art of tasty and becoming hat trimming and such other work as comes in that line.

—Second hand goods wanted at the Variety store.

—Lewis Staub and J. F. Bernard, of Portland, are here in quest of a good, steady job on a farm. Mr. Staub has a family in Portland and is desirous of procuring work for both himself and wife.

—The best five cent cigar in Medford at Mounce & Schermerhorn's.

—F. W. Waschau is a genius, and no mistake. His latest is a miniature wind mill, run with clock work. It can be seen in his jewelry show window on Front street.

—Merry-go-round for sale, CHEAP. Enquire of E. W. Starr, Medford Ore.

—Too much alfalfa is not good for sheep. Joe Oliver lost over thirty head one day last week, near Dayville, through feeding on an alfalfa pasture.

—All for a nickel: One La Semilla cigar—Mounce & Schermerhorn.

—C.W.Palm is improving the appearence of his place of business and residence by putting up a new fence and building a wood shed.

—Staple and fancy goods at the Big T grocery.

—Myron Skeel moved his family into Mrs. Stanley's residence on the corner of B and Eighth streets, the first of the week.

—House and lot for sale. Inquire at this office.

—"Gold Dust" is the name I. Wright has given his new saloon, and a new sign points the way to those who thirst.

—Try a pair of "no rip 'em" Bull breeches, at Angle & Plymale's.

—The Medford business college will close its spring term to-day. The fall term will begin September first.

—Fine line of cigars and tobaccos at the Big T grocery.

—Chas. Miller, populist candidate for congress, spoke in the Medford Opera house Monday night.

—County Treasurer Linn is calling in several county warrants, by notice elsewhere in this paper.

—B. F. Durphey, one of the gentleman who recently purchased the Miller placer mine, on Jackson creek, was in Medford Wednesday enroute to Portland. He reports that the former owners of the mine, who are now finishing up their clean-up, have taken out upwards of $12,000 as the result of their season's run. The gentlemnn also stated that he learned the Sturgis mine owner were also making their clean-up and that so far $30,000 had been taken. Regarding his own mine he stated his company would put in two new giants for next winter's run, making three in all. This mine covers 240 acres of land and during the last eight years of work only about two acres has been mined.

Shut Down

that's what they call it when the mill closes and the work stops. The same term is applied to the liver when you suffer with Billiousness and Sick Headache. There is no action. A few doses of Simmons Liver Regulator will soon set the liver going properly, and keep the bowels regular. Take the Regulator now and then to prevent any re-occurrances of these distressing symptoms.

The Wiley B. Allen Co.—of Portland.

The residents of Medford will enjoy a treat for the next few days. The above enterprising house has on exhibition at Adkins & Webb's old stand, a beautiful assortment of pianos and organs, also a variety of other musical instruments. The public cordially invited to call and examine. Parties desiring their pianos put in order BY AN EXPERT, should leave orders at store.

Venison Comes High.

For some several years past parties from the valley have been in the habit of going into the mountains in the vicinity of Prospect and making a business of killing deer upon a wholesale basis, both in and out of season. It is unlawful at this season of the year to kill deer yet parties have had their camps established on Elk creek for several weeks and have been killing deer in great numbers regardless of the prohibitory law, the profits accruing therefrom being the sale of deer skins and dried meat.

The latter part of last week W. W. Willits, of Prospect, came to Jacksonville and swore out a warrant for the arrest of the following persons: Thos. Anderson and Jeff Hamlin, of Medford; Hugh, Iley and Harry Gee, of Ashland; J. H. Caton and three sons, of Eagle Point, and Calvin Winningham, of Trail creek. Deputies Sisemore and Dean, armed with these ten warrants started for the slayers Saturday morning. When crossing the Rogue river bridge the deputies met Thos. Anderson and Jeff Hamlin with deer meat and pelts in their wagon. They placed them under arrest and brought them to Jacksonvlile where Justice Dunlap fined them $15 each and costs, amounting to $21.50, fines paid: The deputies had not yet bagged all their game and at once proceeded to Elk creek, which they reached early Sunday morning, and made the other eight arrests and brought their men to Jacksonville, and Justice Dunlap dealt out the following doses to them: All of the Gees, $20 each and costs, committed to jail; J. H. Caton and three sons, $15 each and costs, one paid fine, three committed; Calvin Winningham, $20 and costs, committed.

Elk creek is between forty and fifty miles from Medford and has been a favorite summer camp for the deer "strippers," as they are called. The settlers have decided to put a quietus to their maneuvers and the above arrests will undoubtedly perform that mission to a certain extent.

—A splendid stock of NEW millinery is now on sale at the new store of Mrs. C. W. Palm, opposite Clarendon hotel.

—The Misses Clark are prepared to do dressmaking. Rooms over Tayler's shoe store, Medford, Oregon.

—Cheap millinery at the Racket.

The "Cash Store" In New Hands.

Early this week a sale of the general dry goods stock owned by Goldstone Bros. was made to Rev. E. E. Thompson and W. H. Meeker, and on Tuesday they began taking stock. This work was completed Wednesday night and the new proprietors are now in possession of the New York Cash Store.

Mr. Thompson was formerly pastor of the M. E. Church of this place, but for the past year or two has been filling a like position in Grants Pass, which position he resigned a few weeks ago to enter into the business above mentioned. Mr. Thompson is a son-in-law of J. G. VanDyke, of this place, and both himself and wife have many friends hereabouts who will be pleased to learn that they are again to be residents of our city.

Mr. Meeker is an old acquaintance of Mr. Thompson and came from Iowa to Medford last January. Prior to his coming to Medford he was engaged in farming pursuits and being a thrifty, hard-working gentleman prosperity came his way until he had gained a goodly amount of property, a portion of which he has now invested in the mercantile business

The new firm, which will be Thompson & Meeker, proposes to add new goods to the extent of about $1000 at once to their already quite replete stock, and as they say, will carry as complete a line of goods as any house in the city.

The Messrs. Goldstone, Mark and Joe, who have conducted a successful business in this city for something over two years, will engage in the manufacture of clothing in New York in company with an uncle who now resides in that city. Joe will reside in New York and will have charge of the home business while Mark will be the coast traveling salesman for the new company.

—A full line of fresh groceries at Wilson's new grocery, McAndrews building—sign of the big T.

Public School Eentetainment.

Too much praise cannot be given the public school pupils of Medford and their instructors. The manner in which the entertainment was conducted last Friday evening and the very able and pleasing program was evidence conclusive of the instructors' work and the pupils' careful and easy conception of the ideas given to them through such able minds.

A large crowd greeted the school children at the opera house and were loud in their applaud. The house, particularly the stage, was beautifully decorated with flowers, mottoes and overgreens, while along the entire west side was displayed for inspection the examination papers of the pupils and specimens of their work from the Kindergarten to the high school. These were all carefully looked over during the evening and the following Saturday by parents, and all were greatly admired and pleasant comment was passed upon it. The program of Friday evening was finely carried out from commencement to end. The recitations by Emma Barkdull, M. Bradley, Ray Crystal, Helen Wait, Pearl Webb, May Phipps, Ollie Hart, Ralph Woodford, Katie Angle, Jas. Stewart, Bernice Angle, Delpha Hammond, B. E. Brown, Percy DeGroot, Meda Plymale and Everett Geary were each and every one first-class in all respects. To speak of them separately would require many lines of type, but as none can be mentioned only in words of compliment it would be tautology long drawn out not to bunch them. Miss Fannie Haskins' essay, "English Literature," had been well and carefully prepared and was rendered in a manner possessed of ease and grace. The organ sextet, by Misses Grace Aman, Grace Odgers, Mabel Jones, Virgie Woodford, Maysie Foster and Etta Medynski was one of the choicest musical selections and was greeted with an encouraging applause. An alto solo by John VanDyke was another of the evening's musical treats. A vocal sextet by Etta Medynski, Iva Purdin, Ida Weaver, Virgie Woodford, Mabel Jones and Edith VanDyke was splendid music well rendered, and the young ladies were encored repeatedly. The closing of the evening's program was the "Floral Rainbow" by the very smallest children of the school. This was amusing and pleasing to the fond mothers as well as all others present. The training of these very young minds to such work as that produced requires many hours of diligent labor and much patience, for all of which their teacher, Miss Coleman, is entitled to unlimited credit. The public school band rendered several of their finest selections wherein a marked improvement was noticed, showing that here, too, is found the earnest and efficient work of the master instructor's hand and mind. The entertainment entire was positively the best product of a school effort the writer has ever listened to.

A Golden Wedding.

A notable event was the gathering at the home of R. T. Lawton, on B street, last Tuesday evening, the occasion being the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Lawton. Rare, because in this busy old world of change, it is seldom that so many pleasant circumstances exist in one family after a period of fifty years. The couple were married in Verona, New York. Their children, Mrs. Helen Haskins, Messrs. Denison T. and J. West Lawton, are well known in Medford. There are nine grand-children. No branch of the family tree has ever been severed, the Great Harvester having passed them by, and they all live on the same street, and within hailing distance of each other, as do also a sister and two brothers of Mrs. Lawton. Surely, few families are so rarely blessed. Of the guests at the wedding in the old home in New York so long ago, but one, Mrs. Denison, was present on this occasion. The gifts were numerous and beautiful, the supper bountiful, and the long table, surrounded by a happy crowd, from the gray haired sire of seventy-four down to the little one of four, and mirth and repartee abounded. A snatch of conversation overheard by the writer, is slipped in here as a direct refutation of the sentiment expressed in a popular song—

"The saddest of loves, is a love grown cold,
And 'tis one of its surest phases."

A brother of the bride was congratulating the venerable bridegroom, and this was his reply: "I can see, as I look back over the past fifty years, of many mistakes I have made, but if I were placed back to my early manhood I should make it my first business to go straight to Uncle David West and make a bargain for little Francis," and she, smiling happily, added that if he failed to do so she certainly should avail herself of the first leap year privilege and seek him. We, who have known them long, can vouch for the sincerity hidden in the foregoing pleasantry.

A charming feature of the evening, was the gratifying surprise conferred by the public school band, led by Prof. N. L. Narregan, who so kindly serenaded the happy couple in their usual commendatory style, of which we, as citizens, are so justly proud.

At a late hour good nights were spoken, and the friends dispersed with many congratulations and a secret hope that the burden of years may rest as lightly upon each of us.

"Far from the storms that are lashing the ocean,
Nearer each day to the pleasant Home light,
Far from the waves that are big with commotion,
Under full sail and the harbor in sight,
Growing old gracefully, cheerful and bright."

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EVERY advertisement is a strand in a cable constructed for drawing patronage. The more strands, the stronger and more durable the cable.

—Money to loan—Hamilton & Palm.

To the Public—Greeting.

Having purchased the stock of goods at the stand known as the "New York Store," we are prepared to make you happy with first-class goods at bed rock prices. Come and see.

E. E. THOMPSON.
W. H. MEEKER.

—Straw Hats! Fifty dozen of all styles and grades just received at Angle & Plymale's.

—Have you seen those nobby hats at Muller's? If not, you should before purchasing elsewhere.

For Sale.

Eighty acres of good farm land, fenced and cross fenced; interest in water ditch; will sell stock and tools with farm if wanted. Situated eight miles north of Central Point. Inquire of R. E. Drum, Table Rock, Oregon.

—My stock of gent's furnishing goods is new and complete in every detail—I. M. Muller.

—Simmons' second hand store, in Medford, is the cheapest place to buy goods in the valley.

Land and Horses for Sale.

I have for sale ten acres of choice resident or orchard property, situated in North Medford—between the city and the business college. Will sell reasonable and in acre tracts if purchasers so desire. I also have a team of work mares, medium weight, and a lumber wagon for sale.

WM. CHURCHMAN.
Medford, Oregon.

—I can fit you out in anything you may need in gent's furnishing goods or groceries—I. M. Muller.

—Clothing! Clothing! The latest in spring and summer suits just arrived at Angle & Plymale's.

—Ladies', children's and men's hose at the Fair, from 2 cents up to 75 cents a pair.

—Mechanic's and contractor's lein blanks for sale at this office.

Notice.

Messrs. Martine and Hawhaker are representing The Wily B. Allen Co., of Portland, here. All business should be done through them. Mr. S. P. Crawford of Grants Pass will represent us in this vicinity after their departure.

THE WILY B. ALLEN CO.
211 First St. Porland.

Memorial Day Program—May 30, '94.

The following is the program which has been arranged for the 30th of May, by Chester A. Arthur Post, No. 47, G. A. R., of Medford, which will be joined in the exercises by comrades and citizens of Jacksonville, and Southern Oregon generally:

The Grand Parade will be formed at 10:30 a. m. at the Jacksonville depot in the following order:

City councils of Jacksonville and Medford.
Martial music.
G. A. R. and all soldiers, sailors and sons of veterans.
Girls who represent states.
Rebekahs of Jacksonville and Medford.
I. O. O. F., of Jacksonville and Medford.
A. O. U. W., of Jacksonville and Medford.
K. of P., of Jacksonville and Medford.
Red Men, of Jacksonville.
I. O. G. T. of Medford.
School children.
Citizens.

After the parade all will march into the court house, where the following program will be carried out at 11 o'clock a. m.:

Music, Jacksonville choir.
Address of Welcome, by Com. Holt.
Music, by choir.
Reading of orders.
Service, by Post officers.
Prayer, by Rev. W. B. Moore.
Music, by choir.
Address, by J. S. Smith.
Music, America.
Dinner.

AFTERNOON PROGRAM.

At 2 p. m. the procession will re-form as above and march to the cemetery where the decoration of graves proper will take place by the G. A. R. and girls who represent the states and territories, after which an invitation will be given to all who desire to decorate in memory of friend, company or regiment.

Recitation, by R. S. Dunlap.
Benediction.

They will re-form and march back to Jacksonville and disband.

By order of committee.

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Bits of Stray Pick-ups.

At a recent political speaking it was noticed that the voices lacked the volume to fill the auditorium, and the reflection came, why not open the mouth wider, speak slower and fuller, then people could both apprehend and comprehend, but best of all, they could remember? The evident mother wit and good will of two were appreciated by all. One mistake was recently made in submitting that education makes the man. God alone gives the wit which books may embelish but never can bestow. An uneducated man can intuitively judge of the results of school tuition and control, if he has mother-wit.

The band uniform was noticed and admired by all. Everybody has words of praise for the boys,

The sermon in the Baptist church on Sunday morning, May 13th, ought to have sent every impartial hearer home a better man. A listener has not heard a better for five years; which is as far into the past as he can recall religious discourses. The text was taken from the Psalms, which suggested other thoughts, one of which was, "People's party, democrat and republican were in the pews and prayed for the counsel of God; on Monday each will denounce the other. Is Jehovah the author of this babel?" The other reflection was: "If David now had followers, unmarried women would not appear in the census reports and every sane and mature female would have a home—thus wiping out of existence feminine destitution and trampdom."

On Monday, in one of the stores, a man declared that paying pensions had made the present hard times; the utterer, however, had no connection with any mercantile establishment in this city.

J. A. WHITESIDE returned to Medford Wednesday evening.

GEORGE, ELMER and ROBERT FAUCET returned yesterday morning from their attendance at the university at Portland.

Merchant F. M. PLYMALE returned from the fair Wednesday evening. He is brim full of recitals of the beauties of 'Frisco and her fair.

MISS ELLA GEARY returned to her home at Astoria Wednesday. The lady has been visiting her brother, Dr. E. P. Geary, and family for a few weeks.

T. J. O'HARA and family left yesterday morning, with team and camping outfit, for the Applegate country where Mr. O'Hara will prospect for a couple of weeks.

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