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MAN WAS BORN TO HUSTLE.

He is of few days; but quite a plenty.

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Our Clubbing List.

THE MAIL and Weekly S. F. Call.	\$2 25
" " Examiner.	2 35
" " Chronicle.	2 35
" " Oregonian.	2 00
" " Portl'd Sun.	2 00
" " Cosmopolitan.	2 05
" " Rural Northwest.	1 50

Who are you figuring on for county judge—to be elected next June and to succeed Judge Neil.

This is the time of year when woman demonstrates her superiority to man by looking cool whether she is or not.

DOING business without advertising is like pulling against the tide; you make progress, but it will make you sweat to do so.

THE tennis blazer and the bicycle bloomers are making the conservative individual of either sex as lonesome as Robinson Crusoe.

JUST as soon as Attorney Benson can possibly get around to it THE MAIL would like to have him collect that \$50 bond that was forfeited—by Nickell and Shultz.

IMMEDIATELY following the disagreement of the jury in the Swingle-Langell case at Klamath Falls, Judge Hanna impanelled a new jury and the case was re-tried resulting in a verdict of acquittal.

A GIRL baby was born at Kokomo, Ind., the other day who is the fourteenth daughter of a fourteenth daughter of a fourteenth daughter, a record thought to be unprecedented. She ought to be a witch, if there is any truth in tradition.

ARTHUR BATTERSON, one of the best all round newspaper men in Washington, has sold his Ellensburg Register, and will probably visit Southern Oregon before locating again. "Bat" was a student of THE MAIL editor, way back several years ago—but, like the small boy—"he's a better man than his dad."

JAPAN is not such a youngster, after all. The city of Kyoto is now celebrating the eleventh centenary of its founding. What Rome is to Italy, Kyoto is said to be to Japan. It is not a city of seven hills, but an ancient capital of thirty-six peaks. Among her relics is the giant skull of an old emperor. To this she might now add the gall of Russia's czar.

SINCE the change in running time of south bound S. P. trains it is absolutely impossible for us to handle correspondence unless mailed to reach this office by Tuesday's mail. Our several correspondents will kindly get them here by that date and oblige this shop—which is already under great obligations for their help in making THE MAIL what it is—a paper for ALL the people.

AN IMPRESSION of Medford will be formed by many people next Thursday—July 4th—be it good or bad will depend upon the general appearance of the city and the manner in which we treat our visitors. Perhaps it will be the first visit for some of these people. A good impression will be lasting, a poor one equally so. Let us all endeavor to make it a good one. Let us be not too much for ourselves; let us extend all the courtesies possible to those who visit us. Our reward will be not only a kind act well placed, but a multiple of the kindness will return to us by way of future visits and patronage.

A MEDFORD gentleman, and a heavy taxpayer, has asked us if we did not think it possible to have all

official business of the county published in one newspaper. He claiming that it is now necessary to take every paper in the county to get ALL the official notices of the courts and sheriff. The idea would be a very proper one and if carried in to execution would save dollars to many of the taxpayers. Let all the newspaper boys get in and submit bids for this work and then award the contract to the one that will do it for the least money, conditioned of course, that the paper has a bone fide circulation of at least one thousand.

THERE is no need of our friends—or enemies—asking of Sheriff Patterson the privilege of publishing sheriff sale notices in THE MAIL. He will not have it that way—and has so stated by letter. However, we can save you money on these propositions—like this; you come to us and get our figures and then ask the sheriff to place the notices in some other paper at the same price—which he has promised to do. Mr. Patterson is undoubtedly a very good fellow, but he didn't like the position we took on that construction mileage matter—to Oregon City some several months ago—and despite the fact that our figures were less on sheriff sales than any other paper in the county we don't get them. But, notwithstanding this state of affairs, we have managed to pull through twelve months of Mr. Patterson's sheriff administration.

Kicks That the Kicker Has to Make.

BY THE KICKER.
I notice several of our merchants have been industriously at work this week cleaning up about the back doors of their places of business and decorating the fronts with flags and bunting. No kick on that. It's a sensible idea.

I have a kick coming on some sidewalks of this city, and about the only way there seems to be to square myself will be to take that kick out on the protesting and howling ends-planks that clear the supposedly level surface by from two to six inches. There is need of repairs.

"These are hard times," I hear a farmer say. Well, it is little wonder when you throw away your ashes and grease and buy soap, when you allow the manure to accumulate about your barns—and your fields in actual need of it; when you catch five-cent fish with a \$1 rod, when you send your son out with a \$20 gun and \$20 dog to hunt 15-cent game. Your fathers didn't do this sort of thing—and they didn't cry hard because they didn't expect so much of the world as we do. They were content with much less—their notions were not as high strung as ours—but they all told us they were happy—we are not.

Brevity is acknowledged the soul of wit. That being the case the Kicker has compiled these brevities: Minister, have you a sermon to preach? Make it short. Lawyer, have you an argument to present? Make it short. Funny man, have you a joke to tell? Make it short. Ladies, have you pie crust or dresses to make? Make 'em short. Salesmen, do you keep it states? Keep it short. Young man, have you a marriage engagement on hand? Make it short. Obituary writers and presidents, make your messages short. It is not necessary to advise bank cashiers as to their accounts. They are sure to make them short.

Sunday was a pretty warm day, as almost everyone will admit. The shady side of the oak and a cool draft from the "old saken bucket" were hailed as treasures, but because the day was warm and a cool drink of water refreshing, there is no reason why the horse we didn't ride doesn't feel the heat and that's what that cool drink—which he don't always get. I saw a young man ride up to a pump in this city Sunday, dismount and take several draughts of nature's cool beverage, but the horse, heated and dust covered, got not a drop to moisten its dry lips. Such treatment is inhuman and a man who will thus treat his horse is a man on his stature.

"America for Americans." No kick on that. Medford for Medford people. No kick there, either; but the principle is not carried out to the limit of entirety. A Medford man's dollar which is going to be expended in the construction of new buildings, improving sidewalks and streets, is not the full value of the dollar, the city unless, Medford. The man is given an opportunity to earn it. The business man or capitalist who employs mechanics from other towns to do his work is not building up a feeling of friendship among the less fortunate laborers at home that will strengthen his pathway with roses. Rose bushes have thorns and if when gathering the fragrant flowers the gatherer insists upon taking bush and all, he must expect that the thorns will prick him. This is a free country, this America; but a fellow in exercising the freedom born of a loyal and independent people, must use that discretion which is supposed to be innate with us all. Medford has mechanics in nearly all the several lines. They are capable men, honest and law abiding, and there is a rivalry existing between them that demands a very keen, close figuring in preparing estimates upon construction work, in consequence of which no person is going to be "reeced" who gives them a contract. The Kicker don't like to see things go otherwise—Medford for Medford. Let each town or city look after the interests of its own people. This is Medford and we are living inside the incorporate limits of the city, and we have no right to go outside these limits to procure that which can be had inside, provided, of course, that our neighbors do not intrude upon the generosity which we feel we ought to extend.

People's Party Meeting.

There will be a People's Party Club meeting at Woolf's hall, Saturday night, June 29, 1895. The Hon. S. S. Pentz has kindly consented to address the people under the auspices of the Populist club of Medford, on the great question of the day, "What Should Our Money and Banking Be?" After the address of Mr. Pentz, five-minute speeches will be made, led by J. W. Ling. Club opened and closed with music. Be on hand promptly at 8 o'clock. H. HOLLINGSWORTH, Sec. pro tem.

A Few Pleasantries.

When a woman wants to laugh in her sleeve she is not cramped for lack of room.

While a man is at a public meeting talking economy his wife is home practicing it.

A man with no family blames his lack of success to the fact that he had no one he cared to work for; a man with a family accounts for his failures by saying they dragged him down.

PURELY PERSONAL.

J. G. MARTIN was in from Beagle Monday—business.

G. W. SMITH came over from Sams Valley Tuesday—business.

Mrs. B. TRAINER visited her many Ashland friends last Saturday.

Merchant CRANFILL was up from Central Point Sunday visiting his family.

J. B. and GUY DUNGON, of Gold Hill, were Medford traders last Saturday.

D. T. LAWTON left Monday for a business trip through Northern California.

Detective WM. WEBB, of Woodville, was in Medford Saturday—his mission not named.

J. E. ENYART was at Portland this week for a few days' of recreation and a good time.

WM. NELLIS of Yreka, Calif., is looking over our mining camps with a view to an investment.

MORT FOSTER, Rosy's merchant prince, of Gold Hill, was among Medford friends Sunday.

S. FARLOW, one of the good, honest ranchers, of Butte creek, was a Medford trader Wednesday.

D. ANDERTON came down from Talent Monday to load up with Medford's good goods for little money.

Miss NELLIE STURGIS, of Grants Pass, is visiting Merchant Meeker and family, and other acquaintances.

G. CUNNINGHAM, of Harrisburg, was in Medford Sunday visiting with Jeweler B. N. Butler and family.

S. V. SHEFFNER, the creamery man, returned to Medford Tuesday evening and will remain here several days.

Dr. and Mrs. J. HINKLE and Miss MARY MEE, of Central Point, were pleasant Medford visitors Monday.

Misses ROSIE OGEN and EMMA WYATT, two of Sams Valley's bright young ladies, were pleasant callers at THE MAIL office Tuesday.

Mrs. ELLA LEWIS and daughter, of San Jose, Calif., are here for a visit with I. L. Hamilton and family. Mrs. Lewis is a cousin of Mr. Hamilton's.

Mr. and Mrs. SHERMAN ORTON have returned to Medford from Central Point and will here remain. Mr. Orton having accepted a position as cook in Hotel Medford.

A. J. MARSH and family, together with two or three other families, from Umatilla county, are camped down by the river. They are here in quest of locations.

CARL NARRIGAN is home from his studies at the state university at Eugene. He will spend his vacation entirely at home, returning to his school work in September.

Rev. JOHN L. JONES returned from his visit to Coquille last Saturday and is now in attendance upon the M. E. church, South, district conference, which is in session at Grants Pass.

Miss GRACE FOSTER, having completed her term of school teaching at Uniontown, has returned to her home in this city. Her next school work will be in the public schools of Medford.

"CAL" DARNELL returned to Medford last Thursday from Harney county, this state. He will remain permanently in Medford and will probably learn blacksmithing with J. R. Wilson.

Mrs. MAUD SOUTHWARD, of Chicago, arrived in Medford Tuesday evening and will remain several weeks for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Biden, and sister, Mrs. A. C. Taylor.

J. D. SURRAN and WM. PIERSON, the former of this city and the latter of California, left Monday morning for upper Little Applegate where they will do placer prospecting for about three weeks.

J. H. MORRIS came in from his Palmer creek mine Tuesday to remain a few days. He is a clear cut typical miner and if the yellow dust is there he will get it—and it is there and to be had for the taking.

W. P. RHODES and family left Wednesday for Hornbrook, California, near which place Mr. R. has employment in a mine. Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Orton will occupy Mr. Rhodes' pleasant little home on South H street.

While attending Medford's big Fourth, don't fail to call at Tyler & Meiser's and get a dozen of those fine photos. Large, comfortable gallery, cool place to rest, and to see their work will convince you that they are the best in Southern Oregon.

C. ADAMS and family, of Oakdale, Washington, arrived in Medford recently with team and are now stopping on the Bybee ranch. They are desirous of securing the rental of a small farm. Mr. A. is a big, husky gentleman and apparently a hustler.

E. N. WILLIAMS, of Gold Hill, returned from his quite extended visit in the east last Friday. He reports having traveled 11,000 miles and showed his bottle of gold which he took with him to just an even 13,483,923 people—and their eyes all fell out.

Dr. and Mrs. E. P. GEARY were over at Capt. Ankeny's mine Wednesday—enjoying a pleasant visit and luncheon with the captain and his estimable family—the occasion being in honor of friends from a distance who are visiting at their pleasant mountain home.

FRANK and JAMES GREER, from Boise, Idaho, and Spokane Falls, respectively, the former with his family, are late arrivals in the Hub city. They are housekeeping in one of Mr. Crouch's residences and are here for a permanent location. They are carpenters by trade.

A. THROCKMORTON, one of the best known and most prosperous citizens of Herling precinct, was in Medford Tuesday doing a goodly amount of trading with our merchants—that will never be undersold or beaten on quality. Mr. T. was accompanied by his daughter.

Mrs. MARY J. LAWRENCE and Mrs. MARY E. WEST, of Galls creek were in Medford Tuesday and the load of groceries and dry goods that they took home with them would astonish a fellow, but we'll wager what there is left of this life of ours—which, by-the-way, is worth living—that they got good value for their money.

Mrs. S. M. WEST and her mother, Mrs. M. W. MAGOON, arrived in Med-

ford Friday evening from Reno, Nevada, at which place Mrs. West has been living for several months past. The many friends of Mrs. West are glad of an opportunity to welcome her return, also to know that the very nice lady, Mrs. Magoon, accompanies her.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. DAVIS returned from the mine, on Little Applegate, last Saturday, Mrs. D. having been visiting out there for a month. The trip in and out was made on horse-back and over rugged mountains. Mr. Davis has a pretty good placer mine in that country and from which he single handed takes \$20 a week—one day he took \$6. He returned Monday morning.

Rev. A. S. FOSTER returned Thursday evening from his extended visit in the east. The gentleman was a delegate to the Presbyterian general assembly which convened at Pittsburg, Penn. His many Medford friends were glad to welcome his return. He will occupy the Presbyterian church pulpit next Sunday, morning and evening, and he invites all friends and acquaintances to attend.

D. M. TAYLOR and family, of Ellensburg, Washington, arrived in Medford this week, with team, and have decided to remain here—to the extent that they have purchased a house and lot from A. H. Hooker and have taken possession thereof. The property is on the corner of E and Eleventh streets, near the oil house, and the consideration was \$400. Mr. Hooker, is temporarily located in I. A. Webb's house, on Eighth street.

Hon. J. J. HOUCK, of Gold Hill, was in Medford Tuesday upon business. The gentleman has recently purchased an half interest in the Gold Hill flouring mill. The member of the old firm who still holds the other half interest is Bart Signoratta. It is the intention of the new firm to put in full roller process machinery and as Mr. Houck states, make the mill first-class throughout. The new machinery has already been ordered and will cost about \$3000.

WALTER HALCOMB and his sister, Mrs. ELIZA BABCOCK, of Beber, Calif., while en route to the Willamette valley, stopped over for a couple of days with I. Woolf and family, whom they had not seen for nineteen years. These people are out new home looking and were very favorably impressed with Medford and the Rogue river valley, and will probably decide to locate here. Mr. Babcock is a wagon maker by trade. Up where they live the thermometer goes down to thirty-five degrees cold.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. ROBERTS returned Saturday from their month's trip into California. They had intended to be absent six weeks but the gnats and mosquitoes made life so much a burden to them that they were glad to break loose from their six weeks' contract and seek the protection and congeniality of Rogue river climate. Mr. Roberts reports having seen Messrs. Haskins, Adkins and Webb and their families. They were a few miles this side of Red Bluffs. Before reaching the place of their camp Mr. Roberts had guessed he was somewhere in the neighborhood of about where the above named crowd ought to be camped, and began to make inquiries. From a tourist, in common parlance known as a tramp, he learned that a party of campers were but a few miles away and upon Mr. Roberts describing them the tramp replied, "Yes, them's 'em. They camped just across the creek from me last night, but they are sort of a Salvation Army crowd and I didn't mingle with them." This is a little tough on these very estimable people, but if they are having a good time they won't care if their friends at home enjoy a little pleasantry at their expense.

A Sad Household.

THE MAIL is grieved that occasion demands that we make mention this week of another sad affliction which has visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. DARNELL. Last week these columns told of the death of their son Jay, and this week it is Baby Ralph's cherub face that is missed from the pleasant home circle, and his little form is no longer caressed with the tender, loving mother's hand. Little Ralph was seven months and nine days old, and while not enough of life had there been to make it worth the living to the little one, sufficient had been the time to make his existence one of loving remembrance to the now grieving parents. His death occurred Sunday evening, of cholera infantum, and funeral services were conducted at the residence, by Elder G. S. Walton, on Monday. In their double affliction these people have the sympathy of every resident of Medford, and nothing could be more symbolic of this sympathy than the beautiful floral offerings upon the casket of the departed. Mr. and Mrs. Darnell wish us to say to those of their neighbors who were so kind to them in their many hours of deepest sorrow, that there is written upon their memory, and will be forever cherished, a kind thought for each favor rendered.

Jupiter and Pale Luna.

Tuesday evening the moon and its star associates presented a beautiful sight. The moon was in its first quarter, or less, and Jupiter rested, in all his glory, at the very top of the crescent. This is said to occur about every four years, but that fact in no wise detracts from the unique character of the display. Dr. Danielson has drawn a most beautiful word picture of the scene in another column of this paper.

M. E. Church, South, Camp Meeting.

Our good friend, Capt. Vogeli, of Trail, this county, sends us this notice for publication: Please insert in your valuable paper that a camp meeting will be held on Trail creek, above the mouth of Canyon creek, commencing on the 5th of July, by the M. E. Church, South. All denominations are cordially invited to attend and take part in the meeting. All reverend gentlemen are especially invited.

Brick, Doors and Windows For Sale.

I have for sale about 40,000 new and second hand brick, also second hand doors and windows—in good condition—will sell cheap.

F. F. PATTERSON, At Hotel Nash.

Hotel Clarendon: first class in every respect. Tables supplied with the best; special attention given farmers and miners. S. S. Wilson, proprietor.

Do You Know . . .

That Pure Drugs are as necessary as a skilled Physician in case of sickness? Our drugs are always pure and fresh

Drop In and See

Our line of Perfumery, Toilet Articles, Drug Sundries, Stationery, Cigars, Etc.

STRANG, The Druggist, Seventh Street, Medford

DEUEL & STEVENS, MEDFORD OREGON.

ABOUT

JUNE 22, 1895,

We will open a line of Corded Wash Silks, at . . . 25 Cents Per Yard

The latest thing and the best value on the market . . .

A new line of choice styles in Lace Curtains, cheaper than ever, will be opened no next Tuesday.

Flags, Bunting, etc., for 4th of July decorations.

DEUEL & STEVENS, MEDFORD, OREGON

Read Here!

We Shall Offer for Sale

A large assortment of infant's and children's white dresses at from 25 cents to \$1.50 each. A few dozen pairs still of those fine tan shoes and Oxford ties at a liberal discount.

We have by far the largest and best assortment of boots and shoes in the city and can please you in style and quality.

We have neither time nor space to mention the special bargains in all lines, so come and see and get prices.

THE PALACE

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STUDEBAKER BROS.' . . .

Wagons - and - Carriages



Are positively the best in the market. When you use a Studebaker vehicle once you will use them always. Every inch of Studebaker is solid prof it to the purchaser.

J. A. WHITMAN

Studebaker's agent in Medford. He also sells the famous CRESCENT BICYCLE for little money. Price \$35. It's good goods for little money.

Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between J. H. Bellinger and Arthur Wells, doing business in the city of Medford, Oregon, under the firm name of Bellinger & Wells, is by mutual consent this day dissolved. All accounts owed by the firm will be paid jointly by the dissolved partners and all accounts due the firm will be collected individually—the accounts having been divided.

J. H. BELLINGER, ARTHUR WELLS.

Dated at Medford, Oregon, June 12, 1895.

Fruit Land and Farm For Sale.

Four and seven-eighths acres of land, set out to fruit, large eight room house, first-class, with closets, pantry, bath room, cellar, milk room, summer kitchen, wood shed; good barn. Also 143 acre ranch, 3 miles from Medford, \$20 per acre. Inquire at THE MAIL office.

Executrix Notice.

In the matter of the estate of T. E. Caley deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed as executrix of the estate of said deceased. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them to me at my residence in Wimer, Oregon, with the proper vouchers attached, within six months after date.

Mrs. DEKILLA CALEY, Executrix of said estate.

Dated June 13, 1895.

—Do you know, if you want to go east and desire a Pullman tourist sleeper, that you will be detained from twelve to sixteen hours unless you take the Northern Pacific? Remember that the Northern Pacific is the only line running to the east without delay. Time and money saved by this route. For full information, time cards, maps, etc., call on or address C. C. Belknap, Medford, Oregon.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

Awarded Gold Medal Midwinter Fair, San Francisco.