

NEWS OF THE CITY.

THE MAIL publishers have lived in diverse parts of the United States other than those of Oregon, and while we have been telling our readers during the past three and a half years that this country was positively the best all round place of abode in the United States, there have been those whose knowledge of other lands and climes was limited who have branded us as unmitigated liars and not possessed of the requisites of one grain of truth.

When a merchant gets in a line of goods that the ladies all admire, and for which they speak words of praise, you can well conclude that the goods are all right. Last week we advertised a new line of ladies' capes and jackets and we have since sold a great many of these articles—and still have some left.

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The Klamath Falls Republican, after speaking of the arrival of a couple of gentlemen in that town, closes with this: "Mr. Hill reports five families en route from the east to Klamath county. Unless they come in contact with Jackson county with the proposition you have gone far enough. Klamath is N. G. they will probably reach here in due season."

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ness than they received. Mr. Moore states that the company is stronger now than when they were here last winter and that they are putting on some entirely new pieces. Their repertoire now consists of Ole Olson, Solomon Brim, The Brother's Oath, Divorce, A Woman's Bitter Attainment, Tom Roark's Vision, and Chick, the Mountain Waif. The last three named were played in Medford by this company last winter.

Mrs. C. W. Palm has just received a large and complete stock of fall millinery, comprising all the latest novelties in hats and trimmings, and respectfully invites the ladies of Rogue river nearby to call, examine goods and get prices.

Through an unfortunate misunderstanding as to the probable cost of contesting for the mineral lands which the O. & C. R. R. company are seeking to patent on agricultural lands, quite a number of those who had filed protests failed to appear. The idea gained by some was to the effect that in order to contest for their claims it would be necessary for them to go to the expense, not only of going to Jacksonville with their witnesses, but that they would be required to go to the additional expense of appearing in person—and with their witnesses and attorneys before the land office at Roseburg, and that the cost would ultimately be more than they could expect to realize for their claims.

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in question they will serve a first-class dinner of coffee, sandwiches, cakes, pies and other of those dainties which are good for life's sustenance. The proceeds from this dinner will be put into the new parsonage fund, and the ladies are hopeful of increasing the fund considerably. They wish us to state that the dinner is to be non-partisan and that either gold or silver will be acceptable in payment for the dinner—even nickels and coppers will not be spurned.

If dull, spiritless and stupid; if your blood is thick and sluggish; if your appetite is capricious and uncertain, you need a Sarsaparilla. For best results take De Witt's. It recommends itself. Geo. H. Haskins, druggist.

Jesse Hanks, a young man who came to Medford some time ago from Klamath Falls, rented a bicycle from J. A. Whitman on September 14, and was to return the same in two hours' time. He rode out of town in the direction of Central Point, but failed to return, and last Saturday he was located at Glendale by Constable Woolf, of this city, who had a warrant for his arrest, and Sunday brought him back to Medford. It appears that he had rode down to Rock Point where he left the bicycle with a party who agreed to return it to Mr. Whitman, but failed to do so. He was taken before Justice Jones Monday and had his examination postponed until Friday.

Our stock of fall and winter clothing has arrived—and a more complete assortment, as to sizes and quality, than we have ever handled before. W. H. Meeker & Co.

Our good townsman, F. A. Bliss, is having a whole heap more sickness in his family than is an even ratio with the rest of us people. Something like two months ago his daughter, Miss Zorah, was taken ill with fever, and not until the past few days has there been any noticeable improvement. She is now, however, recovering rapidly.

Another daughter, Miss Hattie, has also been ill for the past couple of three weeks, and also Mrs. Bliss. All are now improving and F. A. is gradually beginning to feel that life is not all a cloud of misfortunes, but that there is much of sunshine in the home where convalescence reigns. Dr. Kirchgessner attended the sick ones.

You want something warm and cheap and durable for winter wear. We have it in outing flannel. Best quality and cheapest price. Van Dyke.

An employe of the S. P. company went north Tuesday on a railroad venture. His particular line of duty being the inspection of the foundation of depots along the line. It is to be hoped that he found the underpinning of Medford's miniature freight room, ticket office and freight house combined in such a bad state of decomposition as to necessitate the building of a new depot. There is no station along the line which is more entitled to a new and larger depot building and this said the company fully realizes this fact and that some day our fondest hopes will be realized.

Muslins: if you want some you best where to get it—at Van Dyke's.

Dr. Pickel and Horace Nicholson went down to Rogue river last Friday afternoon to try Horace's new No. 20 shot gun on some of the ducks in that locality. They returned just about dark—whether their return was made at this late hour for the purpose of concealing the fact that they only had one poor little duck and a mud hen or not, we have failed to learn. Horace says the No. 20 is all right for ducks but the result of Friday afternoon's sport fails to verify his statement.

gross, the views to be taken each week as long as the work continues. The views taken Monday are very fine ones—such as Mackey always puts up.

Mrs. L. J. Sears has received, and now has ready for inspection, a large and well assorted line of fall and winter millinery—selected while she was in San Francisco.

Ira Phelps, the printer, is a bicyclist of widespread ability, but his ability slackened up on him a bit while returning from Central Point one evening this week, and his widespread was for the length and breadth of several or more rods of the highway between Medford and the above named place. The covering of one side of his face was considerably removed and he hasn't been doing a thing since but spending his wages in arnica baths and adhesive plasters.

Bee Hive baking powder is all right and with it goes a good bit of crockery. Davis, the grocer, sells it—also sells the very freshest and best of groceries.

A. A. Davis' flouring mill is running night and day, a night shift having been put on Tuesday. A. Lamb, of Phoenix, is running the night shift, as miller, and P. J. Halley as engineer. A. E. Johnson is the day miller and W. L. Halley the day engineer, as of yore. The run is thus doubled up to enable the mill to catch up on back orders for flour. Just how long it will run nights cannot now be stated.

Many a day's work is lost by sick headache, caused by indigestion and stomach troubles. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the most effectual pill for overcoming such difficulties. Geo. H. Haskins, druggist.

Boyd and Nicholson, hardware dealers, have dropped onto an advertising scheme that, aside from helping their business, is a general help to travelers. They are having put up along the highways leading into Medford sign boards telling the distance from the point where the board is put up to Medford—this bit of information closing with a suggestion as to where to buy hardware.

Rolled barley for sale, rolled on "smooth rolls." Custom rolling done on Tuesdays and Saturdays. Medford Brewery and Ice Works.

The Yreka Journal states that Architect W. J. Bennet, formerly of this city, while out driving last Sunday with three other gentlemen, was thrown from the carriage, and holding to the lines was dragged several feet. "The entire side of his face," says the Journal was badly scratched and bruised while his side was also injured, although he does not anticipate any serious results.

I am now prepared to do all kinds of gun and bicycle repair, at the lowest possible price. Chas. Perdue.

WE LIKE A MAN ... Who wants all he can get for his money. He's a man after our own heart. That's why we run the "Racket."

FIGURE AS YOU MAY ... You Don't Reach 'Em ... Good Goods at Low Prices

Much Ado About Nothing ... Is not in our line, but when we have something that is unusually good we want you to know it.

one now occupied by Mr. Haskins stands and the old one moved to the Medynski lot. J. W. Curry has been engaged by Assessor Klippel to assist in the roll-plotting of the county assessment roll.