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## The Medford Mail

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ence—On County road.

**J. M. KEENE, D. D. S.**  
OPERATIVE DENTISTRY A SPECIALTY.  
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**Southern Oregon Tannery!**  
FURS OF ALL KINDS  
DRESSED  
Angora goat skins made into mats and  
old mats made to look like new.  
Highest cash price paid for skins  
of all kinds—Sheep Skins, Calf  
Skins, Horse Hides, &c.  
**Anderton & Myers, Props.,**  
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**Jackson County Bank**  
.. CAPITAL, \$50,000 ..  
MEDFORD, OREGON  
Loan money on approved security, receive de-  
posits subject to check and transmit a general  
banking business. Your business solicited.  
Correspondents: Ladd & Bush, Salem, Anglo  
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**Chas. Perdue . . .**  
Practical Gun and  
Locksmith....  
Bicycles repaired on short  
notice at living prices....  
Shop in J. A. Whitman's  
warerooms....

**NEW BARBER SHOP**  
Harden & Bates, Prop'r's.  
Shop on Seventh street, opposite  
Union Livery Stables.

**SHAVING 10.**  
**HAIR CUTTING 20.**  
Give us a trial and you will  
Come Again.

**MACKAY BROS.**  
The Photographers are now  
making superior photos, some-  
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class in all respects.....

**MACKAY BROS.**

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## OUR SPECIALTY

For this week is

### The New American Horseshoe

It is the best shoe in the market. All first-rate blacksmiths use it. These shoes take the lead of all others. We are sole agents in Medford.

**J. BEEK & CO.**

### You and Your Horse

Look Better, Feel Better, Act Better

WHEN DRESSED  
..IN  
**NEW CLOTHES**

Everything that's good for the Winter Wardrobe of your Horse now in stock. New Harness, New Blankets, New Robes, New Whips, New Everything.

**J. G. TAYLOR,**  
MEDFORD, OREGON.

## DON'T LET THE FACT

That I have the largest and best selected stock of furniture, carpets, wall paper and window shades to be found in Southern Oregon ...

**Escape Your Attention...**

If you are a prospective purchaser you will find my goods the highest in grade and the lowest in price. Undertaking in connection ...

**I. A. WEBB**

The Finest  
Stock of **CLOTHING**  
Ever brought to Medford was received by S. Rosenthal this week.

ALSO NEW STOCK **Gent's Furnishing Goods**

Medford, Oregon. **S. Rosenthal.**

**THE HOTEL NASH**  
Medford, Oregon  
The Nash is one of the most popular hotels in Southern Oregon, and no pains are spared for the comfort and accommodation of guests. Everything about the house

**STRICTLY FIRST-CLASS**  
THE HOTEL BAR is always supplied with the very best brands of wines, liquors and cigars....

Free Sample Rooms FOR COMMERCIAL MEN....



**THE MORTAR  
DRUG STORE,**  
G. H. HASKINS, Prop'r.  
HAS ANYTHING IN THE LINE OF  
Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Books,  
Stationery,  
**PAINTS AND OILS,**  
Tobaccoes, Cigars, Perfumery, Toilet Articles and  
Everything that is carried in a first-  
class DRUG STORE

Prescriptions Carefully Compounded.  
Main Street, Medford Oregon.

**FRANK W. WAIT**  
... **STONE YARD**

General contracting in all lines of stone work

**Cemetery Work  
a Specialty**

All kinds of marble and granite monuments  
ordered direct from the quarry...

Yard on G street—  
Commercial Hotel Block

**JACKSONVILLE MARBLE WORKS**

J. C. WHIPP, Prop'r.

Does General Contracting in all Lines.

**GRANITE AND MARBLE WORKS.**

CEMETERY WORK A SPECIALTY  
Jacksonville, Oregon,

## A LITTLE OF EVERYTHING.

Taxes are imposed in France and Italy upon poster advertisements. A portion of the American building in the Paris Exposition will contain an exhibit of American newspapers.

The celery on a thirty-acre tract of peat land in Orange County, California, was sold as it stood recently for \$5000.

Though only 14 years old, Emmet Glenn, of Baltimore, ran away from home, enlisted in the Eleventh infantry, and served in Porto Rico.

One of the peculiarities of post-office rule is that a postmaster cannot accept postage stamps for postage due on letters at destination.

The sales of Canadian apples in England have this season been disappointing, owing to large supplies and the bad condition of fruit upon arrival.

It is said that Joseph Pulitzer has, since July 1, been compelled to advance \$200,000 to meet the deficit in the publication of the New York World.

In Mexico everything and everybody pays a direct tax, from the street porter to the largest mercantile establishment, and the stamp for documents is equally lucrative.

As an instance of the enormous quantities of coal used on war vessels, the trip of the British ship, Powerful, used 8,800 tons between England and China, the cost being \$55,000.

Next October the first deer legally killed in Vermont for about 20 years will fall a victim to the hunter's rifle. Such is the law passed at the last session of the Vermont state legislature.

A force of 800 blue jackets will be sent to Manila to take charge of the three vessels added to the American navy by the wonderful skill of Admiral Dewey as a marksman and angler.

A correspondent of the American Sheep Breeder says figures, as well as the experience of all concerned, go to show that, on an average, a sheep may be kept for no more expense than a hen.

One-quarter of the people of New York have never been outside that city, and most of them think that the region west of the Mississippi is virtually a wilderness or inhabited by semi-barbarians.

It is observed that the athletes in the Second Oregon succumbed more readily to evil climatic conditions at Manila than the less developed volunteers physically. It was so in the civil war.

The widow of Brann has entered a suit against the Aetna Co. to recover \$5000 life insurance. Payment is refused by the company on the ground of contributory negligence on the part of the iconoclast.

Within thirty-five years the price of print paper has been reduced from 20 to 1 1/2 cents a pound, type setting from 60 to 20 cents, and other expenses in about the same proportion—"and still we are not happy."

While lightning may be seen and its illumination of clouds and mist may be recognized when it is even 200 miles distant, thunder is rarely audible more than ten miles. The thunder from very distant storms, therefore, seldom reaches the ear.

It is reported that a great many cattlemen in Cassia County, Idaho, have sold their cattle and bought sheep. The grass has become too short there for cattle but sheep thrive on it. The shepherds in that county have prospered during the past year.

One million more hogs were re-

ceived at the four leading western markets in 1898 than in 1897. The exports of hog products have been immense during the past year and the foreign demand is likely to grow very rapidly until checked by an advance in price.

The Minneapolis correspondent of the California Fruit Grower says there has been a fine trade there during the fall on all kinds of fruit, especially Pacific coast goods. Apples from Oregon, Washington, California and Idaho have sold readily and there has been no trouble in netting shippers \$1 per box on first class apples.

The Massachusetts experiment station, after very thorough tests of insecticides and fungicides, only recommends bordeaux mixture for fungus diseases, paris green for biting insects, kerosene emulsion for sap suckers, soap, salt and sulphur washes for scales, and pyrethrum or insect powder and white hellebore for certain conditions.

One suggestion made at a Missouri woman's club, was that steps be taken to fit up a room in every country town where the farmers' wives, with their children, could rest while waiting for the menfolk to transact their business. It is often the case that there is nowhere for the wives to wait while in town, except a grocery store, and a comfortable room with toilet conveniences, would certainly be a great boon.

The condition of the U. S. Treasury now and one year ago furnishes an object lesson to the world of the almost limitless financial resources of this country. Most nations emerge from a war with their finances in a more or less crippled condition. Not so with this country. We fought a victorious war, all on a cash basis, and we have a cash balance in our treasury of about \$55,000,000 more than we had one year ago. Here are the exact figures, which will arouse the envy of the richest nations of the world. Cash balance on hand January 1, 1898, \$235,474,789. Cash balance on hand January 1, 1899, \$290,000,000.

Ilo Ilo, the second city of the Philippine islands, now in the hands of the insurgents, is situated on the island of Panay, some 250 miles southeast of Manila. Admiral Dewey and General Otis are sending a force there to compel the insurgents to recognize the authority of the United States. Panay has an area of 4800 square miles. There is no estimate to the number of inhabitants on which dependence can be placed; but they may exceed half a million. Sugar is the main industry. The business interests of Ilo Ilo are almost entirely in the hands of English and German firms. Exports of sugar exceed those of Manila, and the whole town smells of it. The town lies close to the seashore, but is reached by means of a sluggish creek, which has been dredged out until it will admit the island steamers. Large vessels must lie in the channel outside, where there is good anchorage. The channel between Panay and the next island is five to eight miles wide. Ilo Ilo is built on low ground, much of which is filled swamp land. It is not an attractive place.

### Fee to Teachers and Scholars.

In 1897 we had thousands of requests from teachers and scholars for Wonderland '97. The edition—a large one—was exhausted long before the end of the year. Wonderland '98 can not only be supplied to those unable to secure the former but also to others. It is entirely different however, from the first named book. It has a chapter on The Agricultural North-west, crammed full of valuable information; one on Yellowstone Park, written especially for teachers; another on Alaska and Klondike, and one on a Canoe Lake Trip, that will be of interest to schools. The book has a high art cover designed by Leyendecker, and it is profusely illustrated from new photographs. The Northern Pacific Railway will send the book and a revised folder map of Yellowstone Park, upon receipt of six cents in stamps or postal order. Send to Chas. S. Fee, Gen. Pass. Agent St. Paul, Minn. Write address plainly and state where you saw the advertisement.

## Fine JOB WORK...



Of every description

.. FOR EVERYBODY



Neatly, completely and cheaply executed by

## The Medford Mail

New York and Chicago.

From the Chicago Post.  
Greater New York has a population of 3,000,000, or only half as many more as Chicago.

Greater New York's budget for 1899 allows \$93,820,982 for all departments.

Chicago's budget for 1898-9 allows \$15,929,557 for all departments.

Greater New York appropriates \$11,797,596 for police.

Chicago appropriates \$3,250,000 for police.

Greater New York appropriates \$4,578,800 for street cleaning.

Chicago appropriates less than \$1,500,000 for its entire public works department.

Greater New York appropriates \$4,448,664 for its fire department.

Chicago appropriates less than \$1,450,000 for the most efficient fire department on earth, in which alone of all our city departments the merit system rules supreme.

Greater New York will have to raise \$86,500,000 by taxation next year.

For municipal and school purposes Chicago will raise only \$12,165,817. By taxation for civic purposes exclusively, we can only raise \$4,501,817.

Young Mothers.  
Croup is the terror of thousands of young mothers because its outbreak is so agonizing and frequently fatal. Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure acts like magic in cases of croup. It has never been known to fail. The worst cases relieved immediately. Price 25 cts., 50 cts., and \$1.00. Sold by Chas. Strang, druggist.

Real Estate Transfers.

Ashland B. & L. Association to J. K. Reader lot 7, McCall's addition to Ashland	50
Warren C. Hubbard to Carl Phelps, Lost Cabin quartz claim	25
J. W. Merrill, trustee to L. H. Newton, lot 6, blk 37	70
Jacob Behrman to Isaac Kaufman, sec 36, tp 34, r 3 w	2000
Mary J. Swinden to Jas. Braden, 30.29 acres, tp 30, r 3 w	175
M. Chavner et al to Mrs. Mary Swinden, 30.29 acres, tp 30, r 3 w	304
O. C. R. Union Trust Co. to Jas. Braden, 76.35 acres, sec 27, tp 36, r 3 w	190
O. C. R. Union Trust Co. to Jas. Braden, 1.46 acres, sec 1, tp 30, r 3 w	10
Phil. L. Simpkins to Oscar A. Simpkins, 17.12 interest to 125.15 acres, sec 5, tp 30, r 4	313
Carrie Cowles to Lou E. Reader, lots 13 and 14, blk M, R. R. addition to Ashland	100
Antoinette DePeatt to Wm. Wiles, 40 acres, sec 5, tp 33, r 1 e	700
M. P. Crisler to Jeanette Churebman, 1.70 acres, tp 39, r 1 e	400
C. Beckman & T. G. Reames to Oliver Bursell, 245 acres, tp 37, r 4 w and 54.45 acres adjoining	19000
Peter Britt to Helena Hanna, part of blk 26, Jacksonville	1000
B. W. Houston to Wm. Fox, lots 5 and 6, blk J, R. R. addition to Ashland	75
C. W. Whipp to C. W. Kahler, 30 acres, sec 24, tp 36, r 4 w, sec 25, tp 37, and 4.45 acres, sec 27, tp 37, r 2 w	1500

### Timing Locations.

Hollis D. Holden located Jan 5, a quartz claim in Blackwell district.  
Mrs. Lida McDaniel and Mrs. L. E. Reader located Oct 29, a claim in Sampson creek district.  
E. P. Spenser located Jan 1, a claim in Blackwell district.  
E. P. Swinden located Jan 3, a claim in same district.  
Jas. Braden and Jas. McDougall located Jan 3, a claim in same district.  
C. T. Lanyon located Jan 7, 90 acres in Lower Applegate district.  
E. L. Lovitt located Jan 5, a claim in Jackson creek district.  
Thos. Stickler and Chas. Grobe located Jan 1, 400 inches of water and a claim in Upper Grove creek district.  
John B. Writley located Jan 1, 20 acres in Gold Hill district.  
Reuben Daw located Jan 2, a claim in Squaw Lake district.  
C. W. Ryan and P. H. Hart located Jan 3, a claim in Foothills creek district.  
C. G. Brauman located Jan 1, a claim in Sardine district.  
Jas. Braden located Jan 4, a claim in Foothills creek district.

### Many a Lover

Has turned with disgust from an otherwise lovable girl with an offensive breath. Karl's Clover Root Tea purifies the breath by its action on the bowels, etc., as nothing else will. Sold for years on absolute guarantee. Price 25 cts., 50 cts. Sold by Chas. Strang, druggist.

### They Wear Like Iron

**COPPER RIVETED  
OVERALLS  
SPRING BOTTOM PANTS**

**LEVI STRAUSS & CO.**  
SAN FRANCISCO,  
Every Garment Guaranteed.