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To know the value of advertising it is necessary to have experience in both the profitable and unprofitable kinds. You would hardly dare tell our readers that an advertisement placed where they could see it was unprofitable advertising.

2200
SWORN CIRCULATION.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

JONES & SHEARER,

PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS.
Medford, Oregon.

Office—Stewart Block.

G. T. JONES,

COUNTY SURVEYOR.

Any or all kinds of Surveying promptly done. The County Surveyor can give you the only legal work.

Medford, Oregon.

DR. G. B. COLE,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

Office over Walters & Howard's Grocery Store, Medford, Oregon.

G. W. STEPHENSON,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

Office in the Lindley Block, Medford, Oregon.

C. P. SNELL,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Office of Jackson County Abstract and Collection Co.

Hamlin Building, Medford, Oregon.

N. L. NARRAGAN

L. C. NARRAGAN

ATTORNEYS AT LAW.

Correct abstracts of every piece of land in Jackson County.

HAMMOND & SEARLE,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW.

Office in Stewart Bldg.

Medford, Or.

E. KIRCHGESSNER,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

Central Point, Oregon.

Medford office—Lindley Building, Wednesday and Saturday, 9:30 to 11 a. m., on and after April 30, '00.

J. S. HOWARD,

SURVEYOR AND CIVIL ENGINEER.

U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor for the State of Oregon. Postoffice address: Medford, Oregon.

J. B. WAIT,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

Office in Lindley Block, Medford, Or.

E. B. PICKEL,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

Office hours—10 to 12 a. m. and 2 to 4 p. m. Sundays—12 to 1.

Medford, Or.

W. L. VANTER, Pres. **B. F. ADKINS, V. Pres.**
H. L. GILKEY, Cashier.

Jackson County Bank

...CAPITAL, \$50,000...

MEDFORD, OREGON

Loan money on approved security, receive deposits subject to check and transact a general banking business. Your business solicited. Correspondence—Ladd & Bush, Salem, Anglo California Bank, San Francisco, Ladd & Tilton, Portland, Corbin Banking Co., N. Y.

J. H. STEWART, President.
H. E. ANKENY, Vice President.
J. E. ENYART, Cashier.

The Medford Bank

Medford, Oregon

Capital, \$50,000.00

A General Banking Business Transacted

DIRECTORS

J. H. Stewart, **H. E. Ankeny,** **W. B. Roberts**
W. S. Crowell, **R. H. Whithead**
W. F. Towne, **Horace Polton**

S. Childers,

CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER.

All kinds of Brick and Stone Work done; can furnish material for any kind of work. Estimates promptly given.

See Me before You Build.

—Spring trucks for spring household moving. Wells & Shearer.

"It is the Handsomest Range I ever saw."

This is the verdict of everyone who has seen our Latest Novelty in Steel Ranges. Nothing so beautiful as this SATIN FINISH ALUMINUM RANGE has ever been placed on exhibition in any hardware store in Medford.

WILL BE PLEASED TO SHOW YOU

This Range, and also our Other Late Arrivals in Cook Stoves and Ranges.

MEDFORD, ORE. **J. BEEK & CO.**

First-class Rigs Fast Horses Careful Drivers

UNION LIVERY STABLES

EMIL De ROBOAM, Prop.

Cor. Seventh and B Sts. - Medford, Ore.

Special Attention to Commercial Men

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 South ern 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

PRICES HAVE ADVANCED

On nearly all kinds of Harness Material, Leather and Furnishings, but ...

My Prices Remain Unchanged,

And are the VERY LOWEST, consistent with first-class material and workmanship.

J. G. TAYLOR,
MEDFORD, OREGON.

New Lumber Yard

O. E. GORSLINE & SONS

MANUFACTURERS OF AND DEALERS IN

Rough and Dressed Lumber
.. .. Fir and Pine Shingles

Rustic and Flooring
Three Years Old
Thoroughly Seasoned. **Medford, Oregon**

THE MORTAR DRUG STORE,

G. H. HASKINS, Prop'r.

HAS ANYTHING IN THE LINE OF
Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Books,
Stationery.

PAINTS AND OILS,
Tobacco, 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 works

Cemetery Work
a Specialty

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

Yard on G Street—
Commercial Hotel Block

MEDFORD, OREGON

JACKSONVILLE MARBLE WORKS
J. C. WHIPP, Propr.

Does General Contracting in all Lines.

GRANITE AND MARBLE WORKS.

CEMETERY WORK A SPECIALTY

Jacksonville,

Oregon.

MINES, MINERS AND MINING OF SOUTHERN OREGON.

(Written exclusively for THE MAIL by a reliable representative.)

McWilliams & Casey, who had a small break at their mill the first of last week, had an extra made at Ashland, and the mill is dropping its stamps night and day as usual. A large force is employed taking out ore, and, barring accidents, the mill will be in constant operation hereafter.

F. M. Wade, superintendent of the Grand Applegate mine, was down the last of the week and informed THE MAIL that work has continued without a break since the pipe was started. This company pany controls the water right of Big Applegate, and as there will be no scarcity of water during the summer, operations may be continued indefinitely. Mr. Wade has ten men at work and may put on a larger force later.

Report comes to THE MAIL that Enoch Roten, the successful pocket hunter, has discovered a new pocket on Galls creek and taken out a lot of rich quartz. The vein is said to be 20 inches wide and the ore thickly studded with gold. Pans washed from the ledge, according to report, yielded as high as \$17. The find is considered to be valuable, and Mr. Roten may yet loom up among the capitalists. THE MAIL wishes all miners the best of fortune in their toilsome and hazardous labors.

F. M. Smith, who is developing a ledge with Shepherd on Grubb creek, a tributary of Sterling, reports that they are down about thirty feet on the vein now, which shows an average of about two feet in width. The ore is all mineralized and free milling, and the tests vary from \$8 to \$12 per ton. The vein matter widens in places to four feet, but does not lose its average value per ton. Mr. Smith thinks they have a good, safe working proposition and work will be pushed on it until the partners have satisfied themselves as to its value.

W. R. Stansell, of the company of Smith & Stansell, who have been operating a hydraulic plant on the head of Footh creek, informs us that they have closed down for the season and will now clean up. Mr. Stansell says the company got off a large amount of ground, and there is no question as to the value of the clean-up. He expects large pay. The company intend to materially enlarge the plant for future work, so that hereafter double the amount of bedrock will be uncovered. They have 100 acres of ground, 250-foot pressure and unlimited dump.

THE MAIL learns from Winningham & Pence, who were down from the mine the last of the week, that operations still continue at the ledge and ore is being taken out as fast as possible. The last run at the mill yielded a little more than \$34 per ton. This is less than the average crushings from the commencement, which have been about \$36.50 per ton. The ore body in general, aside from the rich deposits which have been taken out, is almost entirely uniform, and the variations are caused mainly by waste material that is unavoidably mixed with the ore in taking it out. The mill will be started up again next week.

R. S. Kennedy, proprietor of the stamp mill on Applegate, informs us that he has about 400 tons of tailings at the mill which have been accumulating for some time, and that he is putting them through a "leaching" process with chemicals to extract their values, and is meet-

ing with good success. The process was explained in detail to us and is both ingenious and scientific, but too long and complicated to appear in a short notice. Mr. Kennedy is a practical miner, is greatly interested in fluxes and chemical solvents, and is constantly experimenting. He has great confidence in himself and says he can save all but the merest per cent in the tailings. His success will be reported later.

Pearce & Son have about completed cleaning up, and while the ground worked over paid well, the bank was deep and hard to handle and they were unable to uncover as much bedrock as usual. The winter's work, however, has paid them fully as well as that of former years, and the claim is now, for the first time, fully open, and with a dump made by this year's work. The partners have been working with this in view for some years past and have been obliged to work under great disadvantages to accomplish it. They can now move up and reach their best ground, and Mr. Pearce, Sr., thinks that with a reasonable rainfall next winter the claim will easily break all records in the matter of output.

J. J. Martin, former superintendent of the Seattle Mining Company at the mouth of Elliott creek, is back from Siskiyou County, Calif., and it is rumored the company will start the enterprise up again. This is a large and valuable property, and why the company ceased operations for a time no one seems to know. It is known, however, that companies often shut down and stop work for a purpose known to the company but not to the public. It is hardly probable that a property so valuable as this is believed to be, will be permitted to lie idly for any great length of time. The greater the number of large enterprises in operation in the county, the larger the force of men employed at good wages, and the greater the number of consumers.

E. A. Morse and son, George, and wife, of San Francisco, representing the Swain Mining Company, are in the valley to look over the enterprise and all the business relating to it, and will be here for some time to hunt, fish, recreate and rest from confined duties below. George Morse, the son, is clerk of the U. S. district court in San Francisco. The intent is to start up the Swain enterprise again but Mr. Morse is unable to say just what will be done until he looks over the situation and has the facts fully in hand. The property is owned in part by eastern capitalists and a large sum of money has already been spent on it. The problem now confronting the company is more pressure, and this can surely be solved by an additional outlay of capital, and it is this feature mainly that Mr. Morse will look into. This is a large and valuable property and should and will be one of the prime gold producers of this county; but it has long since been conclusively shown that Applegate gravel cannot be

No merchant should wait for spring business to open. He should get some good advertising material and try to force the opening. THE MAIL is a force.

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SWORN CIRCULATION.

successfully moved without heavy pressure. THE MAIL will give more positive information as to the purpose of the company later.

Passengers on the Steamer Dirigo, which arrived in Seattle Sunday night from Lynn canal, Alaska, brought out \$300,000 in gold dust. They all declare that this summer's output from the Klondike will be much larger than last, and estimates are made all the way from \$25,000,000 to \$40,000,000. As yet they say the clean-up has not started this way, and probably will not until after July 15th. The latest advices from the gold bearing districts remote from Dawson, it is said, show that the clean-up is almost double the amount first reported. Bonanza creek alone, it is stated, will send out \$8,000,000 to \$10,000,000, which will be the largest amount coming from any of the creeks.

Working Night and Day.

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Every pill is a sugar-coated globe of health, that changes weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fog into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25 cents per box. Sold by Chas. Strang, druggist.

The twenty-four vice presidents of the United States have been representative men of good political standing, high character and superior intellectual endowments. Three—Adams, Jefferson and Van Buren—were subsequently elected president, the last in 1837. Four—Tyler, Fillmore, Johnson and Arthur—succeeded to the presidency by the death of Harrison and Taylor and the assassination of Lincoln and Garfield. Each of these sought re-nomination, failed and passed the rest of his days in obscurity. Six—Clinton, Gerry, King, Wilson, Hendricks and Hubart—died in office. Two—Morton and Stevenson survive.

Red Hot From the Gun

Was the ball that hit G. B. Steadman, of Newark, Mich., in the Civil war. It caused horrible ulcers that no treatment helped for 20 years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Cures cuts, bruises, burns, boils, flegms, corns, skin eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Chas. Strang, druggist.

A new coin, 3 cent piece, has been authorized by an act of congress to take the place of the old coin which was so much like a dime that its coinage was stopped. The new three cent piece is ordered to be out of nickel, the size of the old bronze cent, only thicker. In the center is to be a hole one-fourth of an inch in diameter. This will make the coin easily distinguishable by sight or touch. It will be some time, however, before the new coin will be put into circulation.

Bad Blood

Is a bad thing. It is responsible for scrofula, salt rheum, humors and many other diseases, including rheumatism and that tired feeling. Bad blood is made good blood by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Such headache is cured by Hood's Pills.

Freeborn County, Minnesota, has 18,700 cows which yielded an average of 210 pounds of butter per cow last year. It is the leading creamery county of that state. Seventy per cent of 873 creameries in Minnesota are of the co-operative kind. It is only about ten years since the first co-operative creamery was established in that state.

LEVI STRAUSS & CO'S
OVERALLS



Factory,
San Francisco,
Cal.