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MAIL WAS BORN TO MURDER.
He is of few days, but quite a plenty.

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WE CONDEMN and denounce the Philippine policy of the present administration.—Democratic platform.

The authority to frame any such policy rests with congress, not with the administration.

The war in China will largely interfere with exports to the empire during its continuance, but when the trouble is finally settled and commerce is declared to be free, as it certainly will be, exports will no doubt be quadrupled.

THE only way the Democrats know of by which to build up an American merchant marine is to put foreign-built ships under the American flag. Republicans want to build up American shipping with American-built vessels so that we may employ our own materials and our own labor, and keep at home the \$200,000,000 a year we are annually paying to foreign (chiefly British) ships for doing our foreign carrying.

EVERYTHING grows in the soil of the Western States and everything dug from their mines is needed in the Orient. The Pacific is to be the ocean of the twentieth century, and with a continuation of the Republican policy, that ocean will be white with American ships carrying American products from the field, forest, shop and mine, thus furnishing remunerative employment to unnumbered thousands of American workmen and insuring a continuance of Republican prosperity.

THE Kansas City Democratic platform accuses the Republican administration of forming an alliance with England, which is untrue. But the same platform opposes legislation for the building of American ships for our foreign carrying trade, preferring to leave the business in the hands of foreign (chiefly British) ships that earn \$200,000,000 a year that the Republicans are anxious to keep at home through the construction and employment of American instead of foreign ships in our foreign carrying.

THE last session of the legislature passed an act amending the statute so as to allow the district attorney to file criminal information without the intervention of grand juries. The act was excepted to by many attorneys who claimed it to be in violation of the constitution of the state. In a test case recently decided by the supreme court the law was held to be constitutional and valid. This will greatly facilitate business before circuit courts and avoid the needless expense of grand juries.

READ the following parallels made by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor: 1898. 1899.

Since August of this year we have been in the greatest industrial depression this country has ever experienced. It is no exaggeration to say that more than 3,000,000 of our fellow toilers throughout the country are without employment, and have been so since the time named. The revival of industry which we have witnessed within the past year, is one for general congratulation. It is beyond question that the wages of the organized workers have been increased and in many instances the hours of labor either reduced or at least maintained. Samuel Gompers is a Democrat.

The great number of deaths and prostrations from heat in the east, as reported by the eastern press, is alarming to Pacific coast people who are unaccustomed to such experiences. There has already been reported in Chicago alone, over 50 deaths and nearly 100 prostrations, and the heated season has only just

commenced. Should the heated wave continue, no one can foresee what the fatality may be. When it is considered that there are no deaths or prostrations from this cause on the coast, and no cyclones, tornadoes or other destructive agencies, well may Pacific coast people be thankful their lot has been cast where the elements are more genial and where they do not carry death and destruction in their mad wake.

Big Butte Items.

BY SQUIS.
Mrs. Emma Baker visited with Mrs. L. Hayes last Thursday.

There will be church at the McKee school house next Sunday, July 29th.

Mrs. Wm. Perry and Miss Madgie Wright have been sick for the past few days.

Thos. Frodenburg has been hauling lumber this week for Olson, the sawmill man.

Benj. Frodenburg and family will start soon for a couple of weeks' stay at the soda springs on Little Butte.

Many pleasure seekers from the valley are spending their vacations at different places of resort in our beautiful mountains.

Quite a number of our boys have gone to Summer Lake to work during haying, among whom were W. A. Beall, Kirt and Jasper Tungate.

By the carelessness of some campers fire broke out near the Kelley ranch last week. After a few hours of hard fighting the flames were subdued, however, and little damage was done.

M. Hall and Sam'l Hutchison spent a few days at Twin lakes last week. During their absence from camp one day their camp fire broke out, burning up all their bedding and one of their saddles.

One day last week a gun was accidentally discharged at Rancharose and the lead struck one of the women in the foot. Dr. Parker was called and dressed the wound, which proved to be only a flesh wound.

While E. Hayes was branding some cattle one day last week one of the cows introduced herself in the way of inserting her horns in the crown of his pants and convincing him that there is a difference between a low and a high altitude.

Court Hall was up from Gold Hill yesterday.

D. Brooks is out in the mountains taking an outing.

Miss Clara Skeel, of Portland, is visiting Medford friends.

Mrs. C. I. Hutchison, who has been ill for the past week, is considerably improved.

Master Johnny Wilkinson left for Roseburg last night for a several weeks' visit with friends.

Lex Hubbard returned Wednesday from Pelican bay loaded to the guards with fish—one day's catch representing an even seventy.

Teachers' Examinations.

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Jackson County will hold the regular examination of applicants for state and county papers at Jacksonville as follows:

FOR STATE PAPERS.

Commencing Wednesday, Aug. 8, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, Aug. 11, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, spelling, algebra, reading, school law.

Thursday—Written arith., theory of teaching, grammar, book-keeping, physics, civil government.

Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arith., composition, physical geography.

Saturday—Botany, plane geometry, general history, English literature, psychology.

FOR COUNTY PAPERS—FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD GRADE CERTIFICATES.

Commencing Wednesday, Aug. 8, at 9 a. m., and continuing until Friday, Aug. 10, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, orthography, reading.

Thursday—Written arith., theory of teaching, grammar, school law.

Friday—Geography, mental arith., physiology, civil government.

PRIMARY CERTIFICATES.

Wednesday—Penmanship, orthography, reading.

Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching, methods.

G. A. GREGORY, County Supt.

By J. M. Horton, Deputy.

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PURELY PERSONAL.

E. Worman is at Coolestia for a couple of weeks' outing.

Miss Mamie Nicholson is at Coolestia for a week's outing.

Dr. J. M. Keese returned this week from a visit to Portland and Salem.

Merchant G. L. Davis and daughter, Miss Hazel, are at Coolestia this week.

Mrs. M. W. Skeel, of Grants Pass, visited over Sunday with Mrs. G. L. Davis.

Misses Mary and Johnnie Little were among last Saturday's Chautauqua visitors.

Miss Susie Cook returned last week from her quite extended visit at Oregon City.

Miss Mary Davison came up from Klamath Monday for a visit with home folks.

Ed. Van Dyke, of Grants Pass, spent Sunday with Merchant John Norris and family.

John Nelson was in Medford this week getting his threshing outfit ready for business.

Miss Virgie Woodford was with Ashland friends and at the Chautauqua last Saturday.

Mrs. Rena Hamilton and sister, Miss Erma Wigle, were at the Chautauqua Saturday.

Mrs. R. E. Loar and Mrs. Julia Miles left last Friday for a several days' outing up on Butte creek.

J. A. Perry, J. E. Eoyart and F. Oenbrugge were up Butte creek way Saturday and Sunday catching fish.

P. J. Halley left Wednesday for Los Angeles and several other California points, for a two weeks' visit with relatives.

M. Low, of Corvallis, Calif., arrived in Medford last Sunday for a week's visit with his daughter, Mrs. J. V. Heffer.

J. B. Hardin, E. B. Sample and Wm. Simmons were up on the head waters of Griffin creek this week doing a bit of prospecting.

Rev. Adolph Haberly, Ralph Woodford, Lewis Warner and Frank Hull are over in the Jenny creek country taking an outing.

Mrs. J. W. Vawter and son, Ralph, of Santa Ana, Calif., are here upon a visit to Mrs. Vawter's brothers, C. O. and John Ramsey.

Mrs. R. A. Raver and children arrived in Medford Tuesday from Sumpter, Oregon. Mrs. Raver is a niece of C. G. Johnson, of this city.

"Snap Shot" Sutton and son, Ed., of Ashland, were in Medford Monday trying to buy horses for the government and selling Snap Shot liniment.

Mrs. Carrie Urton, formerly of Medford, now of Copley, Calif., is visiting friends in San Francisco, Ukiah, Sallinas and other California points.

W. H. Barr came in from his niece, in the Illinois valley, Monday evening, and returned Tuesday, accompanied by his daughters, Mrs. Ada Mills and Miss Lillian Barr.

Mrs. R. A. Hendrix, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. I. M. Harvey, for the past seven months, left Wednesday for Los Angeles, where she will visit other relatives.

R. H. and W. L. Halley left Monday for a week's hunt and fish up at McAllister springs. They will also go to Fish lake—and divers other places where fish and game abound.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Miller are at Portland for a couple of weeks' visit with Mr. Miller's relatives. From Portland they will go to several other nearby points for visits with other relatives.

J. D. Culbertson, Henry Rairie and Mauly Conley, of Lake Creek, were Medford visitors Sunday. Mr. Culbertson brought in a wagon load of hogs—feeders—which he sold to J. W. Wiley for \$4.85 per hundred.

A. L. Coleman and family, of Pueblo, Colo., arrived in Medford last week, and have rented the Rhodes residence. They are now making ready for a trip to the coast, and upon returning they will take up government land.

T. M. Simpson, wife and daughter, from Southern California, arrived in the city last week and will make this place their home—for a few months at least. They are housekeeping in the Gaines residence, in West Medford.

Miss Mamie Isaacs left Tuesday evening for a visit with friends at various points in Oregon, and at Tacoma and Seattle, also with her brother, George, at Vancouver, B. C. She expects to be absent at least six months, perhaps longer.

J. D. Buchanan arrived in Medford this week from Southern California. He has rented the Gaines place, west of Medford, and will reside here for several months at least. His family is now in Humboldt County and he has returned for them.

S. H. Howard, of Portland, H. G. Meyers, of Salem, and F. T. Rogers, of Oregon City, were in Medford this week looking after matters pertaining to the state law relative to barber licenses. These gentlemen are the board of barber commissioners and are

out over the state seeing to it that all barbers have the necessary license.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fischer, recently from Ashland, were in Medford this week looking over the town for a business location. Unfortunately for them no building suitable could be secured. They are very nice appearing people and THE MAIL regrets their inability to locate among us.

Mrs. T. L. Crandall, wife of Rev. Crandall, left Tuesday morning for Ogden, Utah, having been called thither by a telegram announcing the serious illness, with typhoid fever, of their son. The family's many friends here will welcome, with much joy, news of the young man's recovery.

Eugene Amann left Wednesday for Oroville, Calif., where he goes to work in a mine. He will ride his wheel the entire distance—250 miles. Eugene is a mighty fine young man and his friends here—of whom there are several—and then some—all wish him a pleasant trip and lots of work—at a good price.

G. B. Wild, of The Dalles, Oregon, arrived in Medford last week. He is here looking for a location and when he has gotten "onto" something that suits he will bring his family here. It was through correspondence with Real Estate Agent Stewart that the gentleman selected Medford as a place of location.

S. S. Halsted and L. W. Copeland, of Ft. Klamath, came over to Medford this week and on Thursday evening "packed their freight" for Dawson City, Alaska, where they expect to remain. They are a brace of solidly built men and if anyone can withstand the rigor of that northern climate they surely can.

Uncle Thomas West was down from the Hurley place, on Wagner creek, Monday. He reports J. B. Tamby, of Sacramento, a gentleman from Tillamook, Alex. Taylor, from Riyerside, Elmer Hendrix and family, of Talent, Marshal Sam Murray, of Medford, all visitors and campers at the springs during the week.

A. J. Stewart, Judge James Stewart and Merchant H. E. Boyden were over on Rogue river the first of the week fishing. Mr. Boyden landed an eight pounder while others of the party pulled in several lighter weights. A gentleman fishing on the opposite bank of the river from them caught a salmon that measured three feet in length.

Among the Churches.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
Rev. E. Russ will preach next Sunday morning. There will be no evening service. The morning services will continue during the next few Sundays, but in the pastor's absence the evening services will be discontinued.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
There will be no preaching services at the Christian Church next Sunday, owing to the illness of the pastor, Rev. Gist. Sunday school at the usual hour.

METHODIST CHURCH.
Sunday morning service, subject—"Recreation and Rest."—Mark, 6:31. "Come apart and rest a while." Let all who are interested in this subject come to the 11 o'clock service.

The fourth and last quarterly conference of the M. E. Church will be held August 4th. Presiding Elder Summerville will be here. All official members requested to bring written reports.

W. B. MOORE, Pastor.

JEWELRY TRADE IS BOOMING.
Women Are More Lavish in Their Purchases of Precious Stones Than Ever Before.

American women are fond of jewelry at all times, but there has been little limit to their desire for precious stones this year, says the Chicago Chronicle.

This is the jewel age. Never before have women in America worn so many or such costly ones. The report of Gen. George W. Mindil, jewelry examiner at the New York public stores, shows the importation of precious stones and pearls during the year 1909 to have been \$19,331,752.55—the largest value ever brought through the port of New York in the history of the jewelry trade.

Of this amount \$5,907,834.76 represents uncut diamonds and \$13,414,917.79 cut diamonds, precious stones and pearls.

The Spanish-American war had an appreciable effect upon the diamond market during 1909, and this year the Transvaal war caused the price to advance.

Fortunate are those who possess all the diamonds and pearls they desire at present.

Of course, the advance differs according to the quality and size, inferior stones being plentiful and cheap. Pearls have become so popular that despite the increased price it is impossible to supply the demand for fine specimens.

Colored stones are not fashion's favorites. Emeralds—that is, handsome stones—are scarce. Perhaps it is the accuracy with which colored stones are imitated that has caused them to become less popular, for many of the imitations can only be detected by an expert.

Fancy stones, especially colored diamonds, have become a fad, and the jewel cases of American women contain some of the finest specimens of these beautiful stones to be found outside of the royal collections of Europe.

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