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## CITY HAPPENINGS.

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-The Bear creek bridge at this place has gone; it has served its purpose, but like all things of earth there must be a quitting time; a time when there is no longer enough left of worth to sustain oven a protense of the purpose for which it was constructed—such is the condition of Bear creek bridge—it has ceased to be a crossing of safety and has accordingly been closed to travel. A new bridge is almost an absolute necessity, still it might be possible to repair the old one to last a year or two, but this would be a uspless expenditure. Alien ...
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Heve will be found. The only way to accomplish this will be for the com-munity at large to take an interest in the matter and help it along, to an ex-tent equal to their ability to do se. The company is making no efforts to disperse of inge blocks of stock, pre-ferring to sell in small amounts to our home people, and if success is attained our home people will be the winners: if nothing be found the sums invested will not be large enough to effect any one. This view of the matter is shared by far the greater number of our citi-zens, and meets with their hearty ap-proval. They realize that unless we

other school. —Purdia's blacksmith shop-rear of Medford bank. All work guaranteed. —The Odd Fellows of Medford re-cently presented Past Grand I. A. Webb, of Medford lodge, No 83, with a bean term ful past grand badge, as a token of friendship and in appreciation of the many services rendered the lodge. The Medford lodge was instituted July 16, 1886, and Mr. Webb was a charter mer-ber. Since that time he has twice bedres. Medford lodge, making three-torms he has served in that capacity he having been a past grand at the time wheat fifteen years of Medford lodge's exist-to did not hold an offlee, either a trustee or au the in the regular of the greet etam work. He has always beer an carnest and faithful worker in the lodge and thil the peen recent regular of an earnest and faithful worker in the greet etam work. He has always beer an carnest and faithful worker in the greet etam work. He has always beer an earnest and faithful worker in the greet etam work. He has always beer an carnest and faithful worker in the greet etam work. He has always beer an earnest and faithful worker in the greet etam work. He has always beer an earnest and faithful worker in the greet etam work. He has always beer an earnest and faithful worker in the greet etam work. He has always beer an earnest and faithful worker in the greet etam work. He has always beer an earnest and faithful worker in the greet etam work. He has always beer an earnest and faithful worker in the greet etam work. He has always beer an earnest and faithful worker in the greet the but a slight token of the greet etam work. He has always beer an earnest and faithful worker in the greet etam work. He has always beer an earnest and faithful worker in the greet etam work. He has always beer an earnest and faithful worker in the greet etam work. He has always beer an earnest and faithful worker in the greet the but a slight token of the greet etam work. He has always beer an earnest and faithful worker in the g

good will felt for him by the lodge members. -Wanted-200 hop pickers. Apply to or address J. P. Ranzau Grants Pars, Ore, Season will commence about Sep-tember 1 t.

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rapher-who makes portraits-not mere pictures. Mr. Shever is not himself a photographer and the line of business he will engage in he has not yet deelded up n

-Wanted- 330 hop pickers; picking commences about September 1st. Ad-dress John Ranzau, Jr., Grants Pass, Oregon.

Oregon. —"David W. Crosby, of Hotel Riddle, was a Roseburg visitor Wednesday. Mr. Crosby informed us that J. B. Riddle had just completed his large new evaporator at Riddle and that Judge Riddle had just commenced work on a fine large steam evaporator at that place, which he will complete in time to handle the immense prune crop this season "-Roseburg Plain-dealer. Two of these people were former residents of Medford-and that success is camping on their trail is subject matter for congratulation by their many friends. —Wells & Shearer have the best

keep an eye open for prospective and probable students, and in this way many names are added to the list which would doubtlessiy be listed with some other school. --Purdin's blacksmith shop-rear of Medford bank. All work guaranteed. --The Odd Fellows of Medford re-cently presented Past Grand I. A. Web, of Medford lodge, No 83, with a beauti

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-In midition to all kinds of feed Chesmore & Myers have new and old potatoes, dried fruit, buckwheat and whole wheat flour, cracked and whole corn etc.

land creamery butter. --Charlie Pierce has contracted with Mr. Davis, living west of Medford, for the pickeling of several barrels of cu-cumber pickels. The cucambers are to be put in brine and after they have stood a sufficient length of time they will be put into vinegar and scaled in bottles and kegs and placed on the mar-ket. Mr. Plarce is desirous of con-tracting for several barrels more with other parties horeabouts should there be any who are growing cucambers. --Sewing machines at bottom prices

-Sewing machines at bottom prices -at Webb's furniture store.

- W. H. Royse has purchased a two-acre tract of land in North Medford and will make this his home for an in-definite period. Mr. Royse and family arrived here about a month ago from Heppner, Oregon. Mr. R. owns 175

arrived here about a month ago roun Heppuer, Oregon. Mr. R. owns 175 head of horses which are now over at Parker's Station, in eastern Oregon, but he expects to bring part or all of them to Medford where he will offer them for sale Mr. R. is an old-time friend of the Halley boys, of this city. -Exclusive agent for Ashland cream-ry butter-Ed. Pottenger's Central

market. —A charivari party was out Monday night and gave Charley Paine a sere-nade. The hilarity, however, was a little premature as Charley is not yet married. He expected to have been married on Sunday to Mrs. E'la Row-ley, of this city, but owing to some ir-regularity in the procurement of cer-tain legal papers from California, the wedding was necessarily postponed—to a date not definitely decided upon. —H. G. Nicholson has a fine line of market.

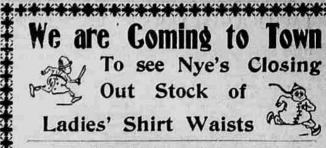
-H. G. Nicholson has a fine line of fishing tackle and sporting goods.

fishing tackle and sporting goods. —Landlord S. R. Reeves has given up his lease to the Windsor lodging house and Mr. Halley, the owner, has taken possession, and will continue to conduct a lodging house. Mr. Reeves will remain in Medford for a few weeks, after which he will go over onto the cast, then into California, where M s. Reeves is now visiting. He may da-cide to again engage in business in the space of the second second second second second relation to the second relation to the second se Reeves is now visiting. He may ds-cide to again engage in business in Medford.

-With the new facilities that B. N. Butler put in his shop, he turns out as good work in repairing watches and ewelry as any one in Southera Oregon.

-Just Received-A nice line of sum-mer corsets at Gurnea's.

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All-over lace and embroidery, daintiest and prettiest in

Our new line of ladies' kid gloves have arrived. We like them and you will too when you see them. Only \$1 per pair

Boys' laundered shirts assorted colors and sizes, 35-50c Men's percale shirts and shirts with extra length in sleeve, etc. Bow ties of latest shades and designs. Flags, fire-crackers, horns, whistles, etc., etc.

H. B. NYE'S, Racket Store, 



asylum several times previous to this. After staying there and receiving treat-ment for a few weeks he, seemingly, gets all right.

-Wanted-Good wall tent-cheap for cash. Snell & Hartson. -Ernest Richler and August Edler.

two prosperous German stockmen, were in Medford Tueeday, having brought in seven head of b.ef cattle which they sold to Ed. Pottenge's Central Market at a price ranging from \$30 to \$35 each.

-Messrs. Hicks & Walker made a hirment of cemetery work to Sisson, Calif., this week. It was of Southern Oregon granite and was decidedly a pretty monument. There is nothing prettior than this granite when prop-erly finished.

—A M. Helms this week sold to J. H. Atwell two lots in Southwest Med-ford; consideration, \$150. Mr. Atwell is a gentleman of considerable means and expects to invest quite extensively in Medford property. He is recently from Idahc.

-"D. T. Pritchard, of Medford, Orc-gon, has secured quarters in Joseph Stewart's general merchandise store at Soringfield, and will op n up a jeweiry establishment and watch re-pairing shop."-Eugene Register.

-J. A. Perry, the warehouse man, tells a MAIL reporter that he will not rebuild his warehouse this fall. He could find no contractor who would agree to have the structure in readi-ness to receive this season's crop.

ness to receive this searon's crop. —Patrick Dunn, an aged and highly respected pioneer of Jackson County, died at Ashland Monday. Deceased was several times elected to office and was the first Republican official ever elected in the county. —Geo. Mickey left this week for Klamath County with another load of fruit. He has made several trips this season and is building up a good trade in that county for the fruits he takes over. over.

-County Treasurer Muller is adver-tising elsewhere in these columns that he has funds on hand to redeem all out-standing county warrants protested from January 1, 1898, to January 31, 1898, inclusive.

-John Nelson, the Beagle thresher-man, was in Medford Tuesday. He will have his machine down this way this week and will be ready to start work on the J. H. Wilson place, near the old fair grounds, Monday.

A. C. Hubbard, the implement dealer of Medford, arrived in the Falls Tuesday and is now doing business among the farmers of Klamath County." --Klamath Falls Express.

-Who's lost a canary bird? One flew into Mrs. DeGroot's dwelling Tuesday. A cage was procured aid the pet was tenderly cared for. Owner please call and get the bird.

-A "guber" straw ride was given Wednesday evening by Misses Famile Haskins and Aileen Webber. A four horse team was hitched to a wagon and hay rack. The bottom of the rack laving been bountifully supplied with straw the following named young friends of the ladies above mentioned were asked to take seats thereon: Misses Bessie Hammond, Peari and Edith Webb, Cleo Lucus, Virgie Woodford, Prodence Angle, Mrs. C. I. Hutchison, chaperon, Messrs, Narregan, Chitwood, Foster, Ramsey, Crandall, Wabb, Butler, Haskins. A drive was made to Jackson-ville and from there to Central Point and back to Medford. The participants in this excursion of fun and frolic relate some very amusing incidents while making the drive, one of which was when they stopped at a farm honse to quench their thirst. The hour was late and the farm people had retired, but the well was found and the thirst quunched' and in return for the drinks so bountifully partaken of a serenade was proposed. A song was started but very abruptly stopped—a couple of revolyer-hots from an opstairs window of the aforesaid farm honse having been the throats of every member of the party—and immediately thereafter there was a dead calm, broken only by the swift patterings of four fleet footed equines. The former didn't mind their helping themselves at his watering trough—but he took a couple of shots—ing torugh—but when they commenced to sing.

-Lawn social-The Epworth League of the M. E. Church will serve ice cream on Dr. Arnold's lawn, corner Ninth and south C streets, Tuesday evening, August 6th. Come and en-joys pleasant evening on the lawn and a dish of delicious ice cream. Com-mittee. mittee.

-H. H. Howard & Co. received a parload of sait this week.

For Sale.

I offer for sale my household goods at reasonable rates, in quantity to suit purchasers. Goods may be seen at the J. H. Butler residence in West Med-ford. S. S. STRAYER. ford.



version and entertainment. No other resort offers equal attractions and advantages. —The progress made in the sale of stock in the Rogue River valley Oil Company thus far is vory satisfactory is uccess of the enterprise. Quite a num-ber of parties have signified their in-time, the greater number having gone so far as to state definitely the number of shares which they will take. While the enterprise is being promoted by a company incorporated for the purpose, it is by no means an individual enter-prise. The main purpose is to prospect for oil in the valley, which experts be-for oil in the valley, which experts be-for oil in the valley, which experts be-for oil in the valley, which experts be-

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You want the best Fruit Jar made when you put up your Fruit This we have. Come in and let us show it to you. For sale by

H. H. HOWARD & CO

-There was a re-production of Galla-gher's Wizard oil entertainment at the home of Merchant J. H. Norris Saturhome of Merchant J. H. Norris Satur-day night. George Merriman, Jr., was very nearly the whole show. He imper-sonated Mr. Gallagher, sold Wizard oil and did the coon song and dance. His He imper-His and did the coon song and dance. This company of show people consisted of Misses Fern Norris, Edyth Craufill and Mabel Wilson. These young ladice furnished the music and did the spec-ialty work. Those who witnessed the performance say it was an exact repro-duction of Mr. Gallagher's first night performance. -We want all the eggs we can get each or trade. H. H. Howard & Co. -T. H. Moore, the west side mer-ohant, has been having his store build-ing remodeled. He has had a partition removed, double doors put in, also a glass front. He is going to add a new line of goods to his stock—the nature of which he has not as yet given out. performance.

-All kinds of sash and doors and screen doors, at lowest market price. W. Woods.

W. L. Halley did the carpenter work The Woodburn nursery stock is positively the bast on the market. This nursery has been doing business for a freat many years. It's stock planted the pioneer orchards of Oregon and stock from this same nursery is planting the orchards to day. The orchardists of the positive the state is the agent for Southern Oregon and nursery. L. H. Hoover, of Medford, is industry. It is earneatly boped that is store allornia. Orders given him are never changed or raised—you get to increased after first made.
—Confee pot given with each camp increase and hammocks at Gurnea's.
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 Contractor W. L. Orr, of this city, same on Monday of this week and the erection of a new dwelling for W. J. nsylum at Salem by Deputy Sheriff Freeman, in Central Point. The build-Thompson and Joseph Murphy. Mr. ing will be 32x44 feet in size and two

trees. He has six rows of berries, 100 feet in length. Next year he expects to have even a greater yield from the same bushes because of the fact that he

--Word received from I. A. Mounce, formerly of Medford, now at Eigin, Oregon, is to the effect that he is hope-lessly ill and cannot possibly live more than a few weeks. has done more pruning than ever be-

has done more produce fore. —When you want draying done get Slover to do it. He's always rendy-always reliable and his charges are always just right. —T. J. Kinney, administrator of the —T.

-Sam Tryer has accepted a position in Ashland as butcher for Chas. Hosley, and went up yesterday to commence doing business.

-All Old Fellows are expected to be in attendance at the regular meeting Saturday night. There will be work in the third degree.

-Mrs. Emma Ragsdale, wife of Benj. Ragsdale, died at the family home in Sams Valley on Monday of this week, of quick consumption, aged 25 year.



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