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MAN WAS BORN TO HUSTLE.

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Entered in the Postoffice at Medford, Oregon as Second-Class Mail Matter.

A very conservative estimate of the output of apples from this immediate part of the Rogue river valley for this season is 150 car loads. There are 600 boxes to the car, or in all 90,000 boxes. The average market price on board cars here is \$1 per box.

Why will not Southern people show good sense in accepting things as they are? A Richmond theatre audience, biased at the picture of President Roosevelt when it was shown on canvas, and shouted: "Dined with a nigger!" This is a free country and the president or any other man has the right to dine with a negro, or an Indian for that matter. The color of the skin does not make the man. It would be better for the South if it would accept the immortal declaration that "all men are created free and equal," in good faith. — Eugene Guard.

The fact that the south is prospering is shown by the fact that she is not compelled to borrow so much money as formerly to conduct her business. Last fall New Orleans had to draw \$4,311,000 from northern banks with which to move the cotton crop. This year with 10,500,000 bales to move she only borrowed \$2,600,000. Better banking facilities, better business and more money explains the situation. A few more years of the 100-cent dollar, Republican protection and McKinley times, for which she did not vote, would place the south in better position than she was "befo' de wah." — Eugene Register.

ONE of the main arguments used by the opponents of Hon. H. W. Corbett in the senatorial contest last winter was that he was "too old, in his dotage, and could not possibly live out his term." This argument might or might not have been effective in taking votes away from Mr. Corbett and electing Mr. Mitchell. However that may be, this man who was "too old" to fill the office of senator from Oregon in the United States congress is one of the most active promoters of what is destined to be the greatest exposition ever held on the Pacific coast, the Lewis and Clark exposition of 1905. It is his advice which is being asked by his colleagues, younger men than himself and men of high standing in the state. The advice and assistance being always freely given and in every case found to be good. It is his subscription of \$30,000 that has given it the forward impetus that means success. All this might have been done by a man "in his dotage," but it is not the usual thing for a man in that condition to show the clear headedness and quick perception of enterprises of such magnitude as the Lewis and Clark, as Mr. Corbett shows. Mr. Corbett failed of election to the United States senate, but his success would have added but one to the honors which he has earned as a generous, public spirited citizen of Oregon and one of the upbuilders of a young state. His connection with the coming exposition as one of its projectors and an active figure in making it a success will alone be sufficient to give him an enduring place in the history of the state. Its present effect is to give the lie emphatically to those who used the means indicated above in the effort to prevent his election to the United States senate, a position he would have filled with honor to himself and to the state, as he did when he sat in that body in former years.

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RESULT OF TUESDAY'S ELECTION.

In several states elections were held on Tuesday of this week and in nearly every state Republican victories are announced. Following is a brief summary of results:

Seth Low, fusionist, elected mayor of New York by 29,864. Shepard, democrat, carried only a single borough.

W. T. Jerome, fusionist, elected district attorney of New York County by 15,000.

All fusionist nominees for justices of supreme court in New York County elected.

Democrats elected only one of the 16 members of the board of estimate and apportionment of Greater New York.

New York assembly of 1902 will stand republicans and fusionists, 108; democrats, 42.

Buffalo, Syracuse, Albany and Troy elected republican mayors. Both parties claiming Rochester with probabilities in favor of republicans.

Crocker says he will now stay in New York and continue Tammany leadership.

Nash re-elected governor of Ohio by 85,000. Senator Foraker's re-election is certain.

Baltimore republicans elected their entire city ticket, but Maryland legislature will be democratic by narrow margin.

Schultz, union labor, elected mayor of San Francisco by 4100. Union labor also elected three supervisors.

San Francisco republicans elected auditor, sheriff, tax collector, treasurer, county clerk, public administrator and six supervisors. Democrats elected city attorney, recorder, district attorney, coroner, two police judges and nine supervisors.

Republicans will probably carry Pennsylvania by 70,000 to 80,000.

Anti-Quay ticket in Philadelphia defeated by 35,000.

W. Murray Crane elected governor of Massachusetts for the third time. Legislature will be strongly republican.

Iowa republicans elected Cummins governor by 90,000.

Rhode Island and Connecticut scored republican victories.

Democrats increase their majority in Kentucky legislature and elect mayor of Louisville.

Republicans generally successful in Kansas local elections.

New Jersey elected republican governor by 14,000. Legislature republican in both branches.

Republicans of Nebraska elected their state ticket by 7000.

Republicans of Utah victorious and South Dakota probably elected eight republican circuit judges.

Virginia democrats elected state ticket by 25,000 majority.

Bouquets for Southern Oregon

From the Sherburne (Minn.) Advance.

M. M. Jenkins is in receipt of a letter from his daughter, Miss Hope, who is visiting in the State of Oregon. We are permitted to publish a portion of the letter regarding her observations, along the line of fruit raising and other lines of interest to people in Minnesota. Under date of Oct. 12th, she writes from Medford, (Oregon): "I have been here just a week and the more I see of the country the better I like it, and if half they tell me is true, it certainly is a very delightful country. Thursday we drove to Jacksonville, the county seat. Coming back we came by what is known as the mountain road, but I would never have known it had I not been told. Both going and coming we passed such prosperous looking places and so many of them have large apple, peach, pear and prune orchards. The valley has gone quite extensively into the prune raising and they say hundreds of bushels are going to waste for the want of dryers. Land is raising in value quite rapidly around here. Alfalfa seems to be the most profitable crop. After getting the land once seeded down it does not have to be seeded again for ten years. Three crops can be cut from it during the season, and average from four to six tons to the acre and brings from \$8 to \$10 per ton. As near as I can figure it, this will be the home of farmer millionaires in a very few years. The greatest drawback to the valley is the Southern Pacific railway. The freight rates are simply outrageous. There is a railroad here that has never experienced any trouble with strikes. It runs from here to Jacksonville, a distance of five miles, and is owned and operated by a man and his son. The rolling stock consists of an engine, a passenger and baggage car combined and one freight car. They make two trips a day and the road is well patronized. One thing which I cannot understand out here is that you can see anything off fifteen miles and it won't look more than half a mile distant."

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GOT A DOLLAR AND A DAY.

From the Portland Telegram.

The law is made to protect society, but men who advertise in newspapers for wives and are induced to send wedding presents are beyond the power of the law to protect.

Judge Bellinger delivered himself of the foregoing this morning when Etta Dungan, of Gold Hill, came up to be sentenced on the charge of using the mails fraudulently, to which she pleaded guilty. In accordance with the views of the court the woman was sentenced to one day in the County Jail and to pay a fine of \$1. The sentence is nothing, as the law does not recognize a day, unless specified in so many hours, and all that was required of her was to go into the office of the United States Marshal and pay her \$1 into the coffers of the Government after which she was allowed to depart in peace.

If any of her victims, and especially the one who went so far as to write to the postmaster at Gold Hill could have heard the opinion of Judge Bellinger, they probably would have been sorry that they ever allowed the matter to be made public. It will at least teach them a lesson, and hereafter when in search of wives they will probably look around home.

Etta Dungan's mode of working the men was fully explained at the time the indictment was returned by the Grand Jury and the arrest made. She would answer the advertisements appearing in the papers from men who were in search of a "suitable companion. Object matrimony." After some correspondence there would be an exchange of photographs, and then most likely an offer of marriage, followed by presents in the shape of money. Miss Dungan called the money a present, while the men who were foolish enough to be roped in, claimed it was for the purpose of paying her transportation to their homes.

At any rate, considerable money and many letters came her way and all was serene for a time. With the majority of the men it was a case of take their medicine when they found out how matters stood, but one man in Idaho was made of different stuff. He had parted with his money and had received in exchange no bride. He wanted to know what it was all about and wrote for information, which resulted in one of the sleuths of the department being placed on the trail. He found out all about it and the arrest followed.

Miss Dungan indicated her willingness to plead guilty, and after she did so, Judge Bellinger pronounced sentence as follows: "Upon the facts stated by the District Attorney you are guilty of using the mails fraudulently. The law is designed to protect society, but the folly of men who are induced to send money to buy wedding presents and who advertise in the papers for wives is beyond the power of the law to protect. The sentence of the court is that you be imprisoned in the County Jail for one day and pay a fine of \$1."

Mrs. Dungan was seen after sentence and gave her version of the matter.

"It was not my intention to commit a crime in the use of the mails. I was ignorant that I was doing that. I just did it to piss away

the time, and the letters were amusing. I did not do it for the money, but when they sent me presents I did not think it necessary to send it back."

She was accompanied by her father, who is a respected citizen living in the vicinity of Gold Hill, and they will leave immediately for their home. The men who lost their money should try some other method of obtaining a wife.

DWELLING AND CONTENTS BURNED

On Thursday morning of this week the fine, large residence of Mrs. Faris' occupied by Merchant H. H. Howard, was consumed by fire, together with a good part of its contents.

Clinders from a "burning out" chimney are thought to have fallen to the roof and ignited the shingles. So soon after the roof was discovered to be on fire did the flames spread that it was impossible to take out any household effects from the second story and all the bedroom furniture, bedding, clothing, jewelry and family keepsakes were destroyed. The household goods on the first floor were all gotten out, but are, of course, greatly damaged. The household effects were insured for \$1000, which will just about cover the loss on such articles as can be replaced, but there were many things lost which money cannot buy.

The residence, which was erected about ten years ago at a cost of \$2200, was insured for \$1200 in the Hartford of Connecticut, of which W. T. York is local agent. The furniture insurance was carried by the Law, Union & Crown Co., of which Mr. Howard is local agent.

Death of Hon. Henry Klippel.

Hon. Henry Klippel, a pioneer of Southern Oregon, died very suddenly of heart disease, at his home in Medford, on Saturday, November 2, 1901, aged 67 years, ten months and twenty-six days. Funeral services were conducted on Tuesday of this week by members of Jacksonville lodge No. 10, I. O. O. F., of which he was a member, assisted by Medford lodge of the same order. Deceased was also a member of A. O. U. W. Interment was made in Jacksonville cemetery.

A biographical sketch of Mr. Klippel's life is being prepared by a MAIL representative and will appear in these columns later.

Death of Mrs. Jane Dyer.

Mrs. Jane Dyer, a pioneer of Douglas County, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. N. E. Woods, in Medford, on November 5, 1901, aged seventy-five years. Deceased had been suffering from partial paralysis for the past three or four years, but her recent severe illness was only of a month's duration. The remains were taken to Riddle Tuesday, where funeral services were held on Thursday.

Deceased was born in White County, Tennessee, and in 1865, in company with her husband, Jefferson Dyer, crossed the plains and located for a year in Polk County, afterwards moving to Douglas County, where they made their home near Riddle, and where her husband died in 1886.

Mrs. Dyer was the mother of thirteen children, twelve of whom are living, and are Mrs. A. M. Woodford and Mrs. N. E. Woods, of Medford, Mrs. J. A. Jennings, of Grants Pass, Mrs. G. W. Colvig, of South America, Mrs. James Clements and Mrs. Wm. McCurdy, of Glendale, Mrs. Thos. Silver, of Portland, Mrs. M. Dean, of Riddle, Jesse, Samue and Thos. Dyer, of Riddle, and

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Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the county treasury for the redemption of all outstanding county warrants protested from July 1, 1898, to July 31, 1900, both dates inclusive. Interest on the same will cease after the above date.
MAX MULLER,
County Treasurer.