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MAN WAS BORN TO HUSTLE.
He is of few days; but quite a plenty.

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WHEN the gods love a man and want him in a hurry they first make him smoke anywhere from twelve to thirty cigarettes a day.

TIME was when Col. N. B. Knight was known to the local press, on his peregrinations through Southern Oregon, as a "prominent member of the Salem bar." Now he is hailed as "the father of Portia Knight, who sued the Duke of Manchester for \$50,000.

IN REPLY to the protest made against supplanting citizens of Oregon as forest officers with eastern men, Secretary Hitchcock has notified the Oregon delegation that the department contemplates no radical changes in the administration of forests reserves, and that only such changes as will be beneficial to the service will be made.

IN A short time Oregon will be in the midst of an important political campaign. Everything looks favorable to the triumphant success of the Republican party; but there should be no relaxation of effort because the result seems certain, as "eternal vigilance is the price of liberty" so it is the keynote to political success. Oregon is safely Republican as a whole—let us keep it so. Jackson County, two years ago, was Republican by a small margin, let's increase that margin this year. The way to do that is to commence working now and keep it up until the evening of election day.

ACCORDING to the report of the Philippine Commission there are 150,000 pupils enrolled in the free schools established by the Government, and 75,000 of these are in actual daily attendance. There are 10,000 adult Filipinos receiving English instructions in the public evening schools conducted by American teachers, and it is thought that in a few weeks this number will be increased to 20,000 or 30,000. When the Americans took possession of Manila with its population of 250,000, only 1000 children were in the public schools. Since the growth of the public school has been more rapid in Manila, it is evident that there are 30,000 children attending school in that city now. The schools will soon settle the Philippine question if given an opportunity to exert their influence.

BEING unable to find anything else to howl about the Democratic press are having considerable to say about the preparations being made for the reception of Prince Henry of Prussia and for a representation at the coronation of King Edward of England. They pretend to see a drifting toward monarchy in these official ceremonies. Of course, the proper thing to do would be to ignore the fact that a king was being crowned in England, and allow Prince Henry to come and go as a private citizen; but wouldn't there be a war if the president or his personal representative should not meet the official recognition due him if he should happen to visit a foreign country. The fellows who are doing the most howling will be in the front row of the crowds who will gather to see the scion of German nobility wherever he appears in this country.

A GLOOMY PROSPECT.

Ashbel P. Fitch, a long-time pillar of Democracy, told a New York audience last week the partial truth, at least that the Democratic party was without leadership and without issues. In congress the Democratic minority has gone no further than to align itself on the Bryan anti-expansion platform repudiated in 1900. It has not taken advantage of mistakes made by Republicans. It has been dumb and lethargic in the face of opportunity offered by an almost unwieldy majority.

Outside of congress, Mr. Bryan stands by the spiked guns of his old campaigns and refuses to retreat or advance. Mr. Cleveland, on the other hand, is aligning himself with President Roosevelt and Secretary Root on living issues. Mr. Croker, disappointed that the expected reaction against the Republican party did not come last year, has deserted his command and gone to Europe in the belief that even in New York City the younger men of the day are tending more toward the Republican party.

Mr. Hill, who is not wont to agree with Mr. Croker, is with him here. He, too, can see only a gloomy outlook for the Democratic party. Mr. Hill also has some spiked guns, and he seems to be very much attached to them. But he is not in the field or in active service. He is, like Mr. Cleveland, on the retired list, exerting none of the aggressive force of actual leadership.

There is no vital question of American politics on which the Democrats are united. There is, among the new issues coming up, none with which Democrats in training for party leadership, care to grapple. The rank and file are not demoralized, but rebellious, indifferent or distrustful.

A Word of Warning.

Do you ever stop to think why people in small towns cry "hard times"? Because you are always sending your money out of the country. The pomp and glitter of the foreign traveler catches the eye and your money is gone. Buy at home. Give your merchant the order for the dress goods or suit that he does not carry in stock. He will order it for you satisfactorily, and you will get part of that money back again. The same rule will be found practical in buying a piano. The foreign piano man ships in goods the quality of which you know nothing, but you pay good prices for them and a doubt lingers with you as to whether you have not been cheated. These chaps tell you a piano with the orchestral attachment is so great. I wish to tell you that there is not a piano made in the world with an attachment, orchestral or mandolin, that is worth two hundred dollars, and they can all be bought for less than two hundred. So you can readily see why these fellows can afford four or five men in your town in a month. When you buy a piano buy a good one, a standard make, and then you take no chances. There are only a few reliable makes, but a great many imitations. Look for quality. You will find quality in the Stelway, Weber, Wheelock, Chickering, Steck, Knabe and a very few others.

Bear in mind—the Coss Piano House, headquarters, Medford, Oregon, deals only in the reliable makes, namely: The Weber, Wheelock & Co. pianos, L. B. Chase & Burdett organs, several of which have been sold in Medford. In these goods you will find quality—quality unsurpassed.

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State Republican Central Committee Met at Portland.

The State Republican Central Committee met at Portland on Saturday, February 8th. The date fixed for holding the state convention was April 1st, at Portland. A re-apportionment of representatives in the convention, based upon the average vote for presidential electors at the last National election was made. This increases the representatives from 335 to 343.

The new apportionment as it now stands is as follows:

Baker	12
Benton	7
Clackamas	16
Clatsop	10
Columbia	7
Coos	9
Crook	4
Curry	3
Douglas	13
Gilliam	4
Grant	7
Harney	3
Jackson	12
Josephine	7
Klamath	4
Lane	4
Lane	4
Lincoln	18
Linn	4
Malheur	14
Marion	22
Morrow	6
Multnomah	67
Polk	9
Sherman	4
Tillamook	5
Umatilla	14
Union	10
Wallowa	5
Wasco	11
Washington	12
Wheeler	4
Yamhill	12
Total	343

The Central committee recommended that the county committees throughout the state be held on March 29th.

Academy Notes.

Miss Viola Phister, of the Grove district, entered school this week.

The teachers' review class consists of sixteen members. Twelve of the class take examination for certificates this week; eleven at Jacksonville and one at Grants Pass. The following went to Jacksonville: Mattie Hockersmith, Flossie Briscoe, Roberta Rippey, Sarah Law, Ella Dodge, Florence Reynolds, Icy March, Myrtilla Black, Sophia Rattie, Julia Ayres, John Tyrell. Hilda McCurdy takes the examination at Grants Pass. With the exception of Roberta Rippey all are examined for county certificates. Miss Rippey stands the test for a state certificate. The papers of Miss March will be transferred to Coos County where she will teach.

The Academy will soon have the beginning of a chemical laboratory and a class at work.

The only graduates this year will be a small class from the commercial department. The commercial course is completed in one year by those who have a common school education.

Miss Phister enters the beginning class in Latin, which now numbers nine.

Young people who think of entering the Academy can enter any day of the week and need not wait for the opening of a term.

The following is the program for the Adelpian Literary Society for Friday evening:

Song by	Society
Reading minutes	Secretary
Recitation	Ella Ganyaw
Reading	Frank Johnson
Recitation	James Spencer
Reading paper	Lizzie Buck, editor
Impromptu	Ed King
Song	Amos Bish
Reading	Boys' Quartette
Impromptu	Jennie Ferguson
Dialogue	Claude Miles
Impromptu	Pearl Sample
Impromptu	Claude Miles
Dialogue	Castle Plyner and Bertha Lyons
Impromptu	E. W. Andrews
Recitation	Lillian Buck
Song	Male Quartette

Taken Up.

On January 27, 1902, there came to my farm one bay horse, aged eleven or twelve years; no brands; apparently was a work horse. Owner will please call, describe horse, pay charges and take him away.

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Taxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

FALKENBURG IS COMING.

Head Consul for the Order of
Woodmen of the World will
Visit Medford.

Members of Medford Camp No. 90, Woodmen of the World, are making all kinds of big preparations for the reception and entertainment of Hon. F. A. Falkenburg, head consul of the order, who is to pay an official visit to our city on Friday of this week, February 14th.

Mr. Falkenburg is one of the greatest lodge workers in the United States today and his coming to our city is a matter of no small importance to our city, and especially is the event of great interest to Medford Camp as it insures an increase in the camp membership. Mr. Falkenburg never speaks to an audience that he does not make converts. He is an eloquent speaker and the benefits enjoyed by a membership in this order are so familiar to him that it is little wonder he is having the success he is in swelling the number of Woodmen.

The following program has been arranged for the evening at the opera house, to which all are invited and for which no admission is charged:

Music	Quartette
Introductory address	C. P. Snell, C. C. of Medford Camp
Music	W. S. Crowell, Mayor of Medford
Address of Welcome	Quartette
Recitation, How Father Rode the Goat	Lots Snell
Song	John Storey
Address, Fraternity	F. A. Falkenburg, head consul, Woodmen of the World

County Commissioners' Court.

Hospital report of Emil De Roboam approved.

Monthly statement of county treasurer, clerk, sheriff and recorder examined, compared and approved.

Bond of T. E. Hills relative to indictment soldiers and sailors examined and approved.

Ordered that John Pennie become an inmate of the county poor house and the pension he receives from the government be applied on the cost of his care and keeping while an inmate there.

Report of delinquent taxes by the sheriff examined and ordered that the clerk issue an alias warrant directed to the sheriff for the collection of same.

Constable fees bill of Frank Kaashafar for \$1.45 allowed.

Constable cost bill of Thomas Pankey for \$27 allowed.

Statement of facts and bill of costs in the matter State of Oregon vs Samuel Peterson to the amount of \$8.75 examined and allowed except witness fee of \$1 of M. N. Long disallowed.

Witness fees in the matter of State vs Reed and Featherstone to the amount of \$7 allowed. Justices fees \$4.70.

Witness fees in State of Oregon vs Warren Veatch to the amount of \$3 allowed.

Bill of Ashland Tiddings of \$6 for registration blanks allowed.

Bill of justices and assistants of \$7 for drawing jury allowed.

Cost bill State of Oregon vs Alexander Wilson. Justice and constable fees to the amount of \$7.10 allowed.

Cost bill State of Oregon vs Lester Lucy, Chas. Llewellyn. Justices court Medford, in the sum of \$7.40 allowed.

Smith & Young for lumber furnished to the amount of \$23.34 allowed.

Application for A. J. Hall ordered that warrant be drawn on soldiers' indigent fund in favor of Frank Kaashafar for the sum of \$30.

Ordered that warrant be drawn upon soldiers' indigent fund for \$15 in favor of T. E. Hills for relief of John Cabler.

Bill of MEDFORD MAIL for supplies furnished in the sum of \$55.30 allowed.

Ordered that Eulus Pollock be allowed the sum of \$20 rebate on taxes for the years 1898, 1899 and 1900, that amount having been paid on the same property by the said Eulus Pollock on an assessment against Martha Walsh and Martha Pollock the same being a double assessment.

Bill of Glass & Prudhomme for books and blanks furnished county in the sum of \$14.00 allowed.

Salaries of county officers for month of January examined and allowed.

Bill of G. S. Butler services as commissioner and mileage \$30.50; for supplies furnished indigents \$8.50.

Those Riley services as commissioner and mileage in the sum of \$7.20 allowed.

Peter Applegate allowed \$23.75 for deputy hire.

D. Linn allowed \$2.75 for mattress for jail.

E. W. Leaming allowed \$2 for bringing John Pennie to county hospital.

J. Nunan allowed \$18 for supplies for three months furnished Con. Kane.

Vaupel, Norris & Drake allowed \$10 for supplies furnished Vaun children.

W. B. Officer allowed \$25.50 for supplies and nurse furnished Joseph Martin.

Kellogg & Darling removing John Pennie from Kane creek to County hospital, \$4 allowed.

Those Muller & Love allowed \$4.15 for supplies furnished Jerome Murrell.

Geo. Brown and son allowed \$18 for supplies furnished Lewis & Martin.

H. G. McCarthy allowed \$10 for indexing assessment roll.

The Irwin-Hodson Co. for supplies furnished. \$7.50 allowed.

Bills of the various persons for drawing jury lists for the Gold Hill, Central Point, Eagle Point, Table Rock and Phoenix districts were allowed.

Bill of Gus Newbury for expressage in the sum of \$7.75 allowed.

Jacksonville Planing Mills allowed \$8.42 for lumber.

E. Kirchgessner allowed \$3.50 for witness fees before the grand jury.

A. S. Jacobs allowed \$2 for witness fees.

Hogs for Sale.

I have thirty head of hogs for sale, consisting of 19 shotts, 7 months old; two sows with six pigs 1 month old; two sows that will drop their young about March 1st; one full blood Poland China boar; also one steer and one heifer calf.

C. W. FRALEY,
Griffin creek.

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One acre of good ground and improvements, in East Medford.

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EAGLE POINT, OREGON

To Voters.

I am supplied with all necessary registration blanks and will fill out same free of cost. The law requires that you must register before you can vote at the next June election.

R. T. LAWTON,
Medford, Oregon.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Jackson, on a judgment rendered in said Circuit Court on the 12th day of April, 1898, wherein C. A. Junker and A. E. Junker, partners as Junker Brothers, plaintiffs, recovered a judgment against S. T. Souger, Joseph Dame and M. S. McConnell, defendants, for the sum of eight hundred seventy and 24/100 (\$870.24) dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 13th day of April, 1898, and the further sum of twenty-two (\$22.00) dollars costs, which judgment was enrolled and docketed in the office of the county clerk of said Jackson County, Oregon, on the 12th day of April, 1898, and whereas by virtue of an execution issued out of the clerk's office for said county and state, there was paid on said judgment on August 18, 1900, the sum of three hundred ninety (\$390.00) dollars as appears by the return of said execution, therefore in obedience to the commands of said last named execution dated January 28, 1902, I did on the 25th day of January, 1902, duly levy upon and will sell as the law directs, at the front door of the court house in the Town of Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, on

Saturday, March 1, 1902,

At the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, the following described real property, to-wit:
Lots 21, 25 and 26, blk P, R. R. addition to Ashland, Oregon, together with all appurtenances thereto belonging.

ALEX. ORME, Sheriff.
Dated at Jacksonville, Ore., Jan. 29, 1902.

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