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Republican National Ticket.

- For President, THEODORE ROOSEVELT of New York
For Vice-president, CHAS. W. FAIRBANKS of Indiana
E. B. Dimick, of Clackamas
For Presidential Electors:
A. C. Hough, of Josephine
J. H. Hart, of Polk
E. A. Fee, of Malheur.

Mr. Dooley says that H. Cassaway... is 'any other eighty-wan year old and has eight million dollars, or eight million years old and he has eighty-wan dollars.'

'Figures won't lie,' but when the waggoner is guessing a whole lot of his results and allowing his personal feelings to control his guesses, he is likely to be badly deceived.

Somebody's signed communi- cation to the Grants Pass Observer... the editor of the Observer...

Bely Roley, Croftfield, continued in... Portland, still contends that...

There was addition of \$8,047,247... the Dingley... Democratic organ...

At a Democratic meeting in San... declared that Parker was known... as well and as long as Roosevelt...

The Mail wishes to congratulate the... and the citizens of Medford...

under the contract made last Tuesday evening a good sized expense account has been eliminated; the private citizen can contemplate the installment of an electric power service in this city with complacency if he has use for power of any kind in his business.

B. R. Porter, of Table Rock, was in the city this week.

Excursion Rates to the East.

The Southern Pacific Company will sell excursion tickets to St. Louis and Chicago as follows:
The fare from Medford to St. Louis, going and returning by Portland, is \$77.50.

These tickets will be on sale upon the following dates: May 11th, 12th and 13th; June 15th, 17th and 18th; July 2d, 3d and 4d; August 8th, 9th and 10th; September 5th, 6th and 7th; October 2d, 4th and 5th.

ANNOUNCEMENT TO THE PUBLIC.

We are pleased to announce that our power plant is now completed and we are now letting contracts for a transmission line to extend from Ashland to Grants Pass.

We are now ready for business to furnish power, light and water to towns and farms, placer mines and quartz mines along our transmission line.

We will devote special attention to the irrigation of farms by a system of electric pumps, which are being used with great success in Southern California and other arid regions.

Our rates will be fair and reasonable, commensurate with good service; correspondence solicited. All inquiries will receive prompt attention.

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PURELY PERSONAL.

H. C. Lewis returned from Portland Saturday.

Russ Moore, of Brownsboro, was in town Monday.

Merchant Geo. F. King was at Roseburg this week.

R. M. Kincaid was in from Central Point Wednesday.

D. T. Lawton was in Ashland Tuesday, upon business.

Carl Crystal went to Coletsin Tuesday on a short outing.

Fred Barnesburg made a business trip to Ashland Monday.

Attorney Gus Newbury was in Medford Monday on business.

Tyson Beall, of Central Point, was a Medford visitor Monday.

R. J. Cameron, of Uniontown, was a Medford visitor Saturday.

Miss Maggie Krause, of Jacksonville, is sojourning at Coletsin.

Miss Minnie Hockenys left Saturday for San Francisco on a visit.

Wm. Bybee, the pioneer farmer and stockman, was in town Saturday.

Jas. D. Weeks, of Trail, was among his many Medford friends Wednesday.

Miss Carrie George returned Monday from a visit to her parents at Eugene.

Druggist Haskins was at Grants Pass the forepart of the week upon business.

C. B. Koster, of Central Point, was among old-time Medford friends Saturday.

Mrs. D. W. Hazel left Monday morning for Coletsin, to remain several weeks.

Mrs. Robt. Anderson left Saturday morning on a visit to her son, Jim, at Oakland, Calif.

Misses Mae Morrison and Helen Ragsdale left Tuesday for a month's stay at Coletsin.

Robt. Cook, the Democratic organ of Foots creek, was a Medford visitor a few days since.

J. G. Martin and W. Gordines, of the Meadows, were in the city Tuesday, upon business.

Cashier E. L. Alfoni and family left Thursday morning for Coletsin, on Butte creek.

C. W. Cookin, the Jacksonville furniture dealer, was in Medford on business Saturday.

Hon. W. M. Colvig was at Grants Pass on legal business Friday and on Saturday of last week.

Merchant and Mrs. G. W. Welters, of Talent, was among their many old-time Medford friends Saturday.

F. W. Hollis, Dr. Louis Bundy and H. G. Nicholson returned Monday from a trip to their Butte-creek farms.

Misses Mollie Maury and Doll Throckmorton, of Jacksonville resident, visited friends in Medford Sunday.

E. E. Eads, Charlie Higginbotham and Herb Brumble were seen at Rogue river this week for a couple of those days.

Miss Sylvia Hazel, who has been camping at Coletsin for the past several weeks, returned home Sunday evening.

P. H. Daily, county school superintendent, was down from Coletsin Friday, where he and his family are spending the heated term.

L. L. Jacobs returned Monday from the north, where he has been to attend the meeting of the I. O. R. M., great council at Seaside.

Hon. W. S. Crowell left Monday for Newport, Oregon, where he will spend the next few weeks, enjoying the recreations of the seaside resort.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bellinger and Prof. and Mrs. Gus Samuels left this week for a several weeks' outing on Rogue river—up near Grants Pass.

Miss Angie West, of Oakland, Calif., is in Medford upon a visit to D. T. and J. W. Lawton and G. H. Haskins and families and Uncle Thomas West.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stewart and Mrs. Susan Perry, who have been

rusticating at Mrs. Perry's homestead on Willow creek, returned on Monday.

A. P. Talent and family and J. D. Benson and family left Tuesday for a six weeks' outing at Newport, Oregon.

Misses Helen and Grace McEwan, of Portland, are visiting in Medford, the guests of Misses Ina and Mabel Ray.

C. A. Dickison, of Grants Pass, was in the city Saturday upon business. Mr. Dickison has taken a position as salesman with the R. L. Coe Mercantile Co.

Mrs. D. E. Nelson, of Lafayette, Oregon, and Mrs. C. O. Haines, of Portland, are in Medford upon a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hooker.

J. H. Cochran was down from Coletsin Sunday. He reported that his little child, who has been seriously ill for several months, very much improved.

J. A. McCall, the civil engineer, and party returned Friday evening from the Butte creek country, where he has been running a preliminary railroad survey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Halley, Mrs. C. E. Halley, Herb Brumble and Harry Hampton left Wednesday for Butte creek, Rogue river, Crater lake and Klamath county.

Merchant H. G. Nicholson left for Portland Monday evening to attend the meeting of the Oregon Development League, and to look after some business matters.

A. J. Klum, who was called to Sodusville, Linn county, a short time ago, returned Saturday. He left his father somewhat better, but still not entirely out of danger.

H. W. Jackson left Saturday for the Umpqua divide on a prospecting expedition. He has trace of some good looking quartz in that section and goes to investigate it.

R. McDonald, and daughter, Miss Anna, of Brownsboro, were in the city this week. Miss Anna returned to San Francisco Tuesday, after a three weeks' visit with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Peachey, of Eagle Point, was in the city a few days since. Mrs. Peachey took a train from here to Oklahoma and Kansas, where she will visit her father and sister.

Judge Mahlon Pardin left Wednesday for Coos county, to be gone several weeks. Should he find a location to his notion over there he will, in all probability, decide to move there with his family.

Miss Nora Sydow, of Central Point, was in Medford this week upon a visit to her friend, Miss Iris Cook. Miss Sydow has but recently graduated from the State Normal School, at San Jose, Calif.

F. M. Wilson and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hutton started Thursday for Crater lake, Pelican bay and other places. They have set no time limit for their return and will stay until they get tired.

Miss Olive Cooper, trained nurse, returned this week from a week's stay a few miles out from Grants Pass, where she had been attending, professionally, upon a thirteen-year-old son of Mr. Sheen, who was injured in a runaway.

Miss John F. White and daughter, Miss Zela, left Saturday morning for San Francisco and Berkeley, Calif., on a visit to relatives and friends. Mr. White accompanied them as far as Ashland and will join them later in California.

S. E. Redden, an extensive raisin grower of Fresno county, Calif., was in Medford this week upon a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Redden, in en route home from a visit to the St. Louis fair and other Eastern points.

Med Pearce, of Poormans creek, who has been working at Black Bear, Siskiyou county, arrived home Monday, having been called hither by the accidents which befell his brothers, Darr—in Klamath county—and Floyd, at Jacksonville.

Miss Schmidt and daughter, Mrs. B. E. Muney, at Jacksonville, returned Friday from the Willamette, where they have been attending the grand regatta, A. O. U. W., and D. of H., at Portland, and the great council I. O. R. M., at Astoria.

Merchant H. E. Boyden left for the Butte creek country Thursday. He will be joined by H. Doubleday, Homer Rothermel and "Shorty" Miles and the quartet will enjoy a several days' hunt. Merchant F. W. Hollis is also of the party.

C. E. Spencer, formerly a resident of Griffin creek, was in Medford Sunday, en route to Art Nicholson's home, near Jacksonville, to visit his sister, Mrs. Nicholson. Clint is now in the employ of the Western Union Telegraph company—in the construction and repair crew.

J. Court Hall and family and Mr. C. E. Young, of Gold Hill, left Thursday for an outing of a month in the hills. They will visit Crater lake and intervening points, Fort Klamath, Spring creek, Pelican bay and every where else. They expect to camp

when they feel like it, stay as long as they want to, then move to some other camping place—indeed they are starting out to enjoy the trip, rather than to break any time records.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Brown left Wednesday for Hills-Caul, near which place Mr. Brown is engaged in mining.

Carmel Martin, the base ball pitcher, was on the south bound train Wednesday, on his way home to San Jose, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Young, of Gold Hill, came up Wednesday. Mrs. Young joined J. Court Hall's party. Thursday, for the trip 'around the horn' via Crater Lake, Pelican Bay and other resorts.

Merchant W. R. Coleman, of Phoenix, was in Medford Tuesday, on business. He tells us that the firm of Coleman & Hearn have sold a one-third interest in their mercantile business to A. H. Faber, a gentleman who came to this section about two years ago from Lake county, Oregon. The new firm will be known as Coleman, Hearn & Co., and they intend enlarging the store building, increasing the stock and, in fact, conducting a first-class country store.

Mrs. M. S. Jennings, of Grants Pass, was in Medford this week upon a visit to her many old-time Medford friends. The lady has but recently purchased a fine farm near Murphy, in Josephine county. There are 280 acres of the land, much of which is good alfalfa and fruit land and is planted to these products. The lady is very much elated over her purchase and thinks she has the finest home in all Southern Oregon—and her many good friends here are rejoicing with her in her good fortune.

Oscar Talent, of Talent, was in the city Wednesday upon business. Mr. Talent has a fine melon patch at his place and the melons are right now ripening and he has commenced to market them. The fact that his melons are of fine flavor seems to have been made known to several parties in that locality, as on Thursday evening over sixty of his very best melons were 'plugged' and eaten. Mr. Talent is justly indignant at this and he has asked us to give warning that hereafter he is going to lay in wait for these melon thieves and the first one caught in his patch will be roughly handled—by himself personally and by the law.

Manager Schaffner, of the Gold Hill Development Co., was in Medford Tuesday. He informed a Mail representative that the work on the dam and canal of the company is progressing favorably, and that it will be but a sheet time until the plant will be ready for business. The company is not making any effort to have their work exploited in the newspapers, believing, as they do, in the future of Southern Oregon, and that they have a proposition that will eventually reimburse them for the expense incurred: With a 25-foot fall from the dam to the power house, a power of 8000-horse can be easily developed, and perhaps more. It is not the intermittent power generated by a swift current but the steady power gained by the constant pressure of the immense body of water coming down the canal.

Rev. E. W. Carstens returned last Saturday from his several weeks trip to Detroit, Michigan, whither he went as a delegate from the Baptist church of Medford and Goldendale, Washington, to the International Baptist Young People's Convention. Rev. Carstens spoke in the convention for the Pacific northwest, and also, while in Detroit, preached at the Grace M. E. church. The pastor of this church has preached to the congregation which assemble for twenty-six years. Mr. Carstens also preached during his visit in the East, at his home church, in Washfield, Illinois, and also at Ogden, Utah. Mrs. Carstens accompanied her husband East, but did not return with him, and upon the arrival of Mr. Carstens here he received a telegram stating that his wife had been very ill since he left, but was then somewhat improved. The lady will return to Oregon as soon as she is able to travel.

Bids Wanted.

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