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CITY HAPPENINGS.

ago. There are three of these children, and two of them, Mr. Teuscher says, they have found good homes for. Goldy, the little seven-year-old girl, has a home with some wealthy people and will be the sole heir to their property. The twelve-year-old boy, Guy, also has a good home with well-to-do and respectable people. The society, however, has not been so successful with the older girl. Her disposition is different and it hasn't been so easy to find a suitable place for her. Mr. Teuscher remarked that it seemed strange there were not more applications for children from Jackson county, this especially true from the fact that he knew of there being so many childless homes here.

—Fresh bread made daily at Vienna Bakery. Call phone 493 and have all your bake stuff delivered promptly.

—Ben A. Lowell, the bustling Woodville real estate man, was in Medford Tuesday of this week. Mr. Lowell is a firm believer in the future of the Evans creek valley, which he calls the "Emerald Valley," and he is also partial to printer's ink, especially the kind the Mail uses, and is confirmed in his partiality by a recent occurrence. Last week he inserted an advertisement in the Mail of a couple of houses, with small tracts of land for sale. The paper came out Friday morning and Monday he sold both places to a Medford man and he would have sold them sooner if the weather hadn't been bad. That's getting pretty quick action on an ad.

—Read carefully the new real estate list of C. H. Pierce & Son, in this issue.

—A change has taken place in the management of the Medford Sash and Door Factory, Day Brothers retiring. Peter Lorenzo, an experienced mill man, who has been a resident of this city for several months past, has purchased the interest of Day Brothers, and in connection with Mr. Hansen will conduct the business. The business is a good and growing one and Messrs. Hansen & Lorenzo are fully competent to keep it up to the standard.

—Every lady in Medford should see that Haviland now on "special sale" at Roberts & Reagan.

—Merritt Elliott, a veteran of the Civil war, and a respected citizen of Central Point, died at his home in that city on Saturday, January 18th, aged sixty-two years, one month and thirteen days. Mr. Elliott was a native of Illinois and has been a resident of Rogue River valley for a number of years. The funeral took place Tuesday under the auspices of the O. A. U., of which he was a member, the interment being made in Central Point cemetery.

—Silver plated trocars, for sale for relief of oars when bloated, for use at the Rogue River Creamery, Medford.

—The real estate firm of Page & Lawton, incorporated, has been dissolved. Mr. H. E. Morrison will conduct a real estate business in the office formerly occupied by Page & Lawton. He tells a Mail representative that he has some good properties listed and that he expects to round up a goodly number of sales within the next few weeks.

—For sale—An excellent quality of brick—in any quantity. G. N. Friday, Medford, Oregon.

—There is nothing doing these times in the Rogue River valley that is not doing pretty strong. This does not apply entirely to our people but all fruits and vegetables are vying with one another for front rank. Let us prove it:—Mr. J. C. Aitken, living at Woodville, has had raspberries in bloom and ripening 'all winter—not a thing in that locality has been touched with frost. To cap the whole business Mr. Aitken has sent to the exhibit building, in Medford, several potato vines over six inches high and attached to the roots of these are small new potatoes. Think of it: there'll be new potatoes for the table in February.

—Messrs. L. A. Gallentine and W. A. Straw, of Buffalo, N. Y., arrived in the city this week and have decided to become permanent residents. They are architects and have rented offices in the Medford National Bank building. They come very highly recommended and will no doubt do a good business in their line, inasmuch as there is promise of great building activities here this coming season.

—The Iowa Lumber & Box Company started its box factory and planing mill Monday morning and will continue in operation for an indefinite period. The company has considerable seasoned lumber in their yards here and the mill and factory will be operated until this is all cleaned up. The lumber is being made into fruit boxes and finishing material. That factory whistle sounds "powerful" good these days—especially these days, because of the uncertainty of the operation of the plant.

—Fresh home made bread, cookies, doughnuts and popcorn at Bolcom's store—No. 104, West 7th street, in Moore building.

—F. E. Raymond, who owns a 35 acre ranch on Griffin creek, is preparing land for planting eight acres of fruit trees next season, he will put out another block. Mr. Raymond bought this land a few years ago for \$500, and within the last year he has been offered \$5000 for it—and he will not sell. When all cleared and planted to fruit it will be worth a great deal more than the price offered—and he knows it.

Forty stock sheep for sale—Mostly Rambouletts. Address or phone, R. J. Cameron, Jacksonville, Oregon.

—The Rogue River Fruit Growers Union, by J. A. Perry, manager, has packers at work on about twenty carloads of Ben Davis apples, which fruit will be shipped to California points. The fruit is exceptionally good this season, so good in fact, that packers find little trouble in wrapping and packing 100 boxes in eight hours time. The Ben Davis from the Watt orchard are some of the best ever grown.

—On Wednesday evening of this week there came near being a conflagration at the home of O. W. Lyons, on M. street. A coal oil lamp got to sputtering during the night and had not Mr. Lyons been awakened just in time to throw it into the street there surely would have been something doing.

—As will be seen by notice elsewhere in this paper the firm of Whiteside & Cook has been dissolved. Mr. Whiteside will retain the business and will conduct the same as heretofore. Mr. Cook will be employed by Mr. Whiteside.

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—The Greater Medford club will hold its regular monthly meeting on Monday, January 27th. Hereafter the meetings of the club will be held on the last Monday in the month instead of the first Monday, as formerly.

—Medford friends have received word that Mrs. Cora Emerson, formerly of Medford, was married at Marysville, Calif., on the 11th of this month, to John E. Ebert, a prominent and wealthy young attorney of Marysville.

—Gloria Dare and her company of Florodora girls will be here Monday February 3d, at the Medford Opera house. The performance is to be given for the benefit of Westonka tribe, Imp'd O. R. M. Further particulars next week.

—Miss Henrietta Morine, daughter of Frank Morine, formerly of this valley, died at Bonanza, (Klamath county, Monday evening at 9 o'clock. She was about twenty-five years of age.

—Word has been received by Medford parties that Dennis Childers, of Petaluma, Calif., a former Medford citizen, is seriously ill with neuralgia of the stomach, and not expected to survive.

—Don't overlook Gorton's Big Minstrels next Monday night. New acts, new people, new songs. One of the best minstrel aggregations of today. See their advertisement.

—Evangelistic services still continue in the Presbyterian church. Rev. J. K. Howard continues to preach spiritual and soul winning sermons.

—I buy poultry and eggs. S. J. Sumner, at Hotel Emerick. 4-11.

—G. M. Allen and family have

moved from their former farm home south of Medford, to the Lacy residence on South C. street.

—All kinds of bake stuff—Vienna Bakery. Call phone 416 and have goods delivered.

—W. H. Norcross, of Central Point, passed through Medford, Monday, on his way to Ashland on a business trip. Mr. Norcross had been in attendance at the fruit show at Portland last week and is of the opinion that while Rogue river didn't carry off any prizes it wasn't because we didn't have the stuff to do it with. Our apples were just as good as any shown by Hood river. They were packed just as attractively and I heard numerous expressions of admiration for spectators and statements that they should have won ribbons. However, we didn't expect to win any thing. We knew what we were up against. When the exhibit closed we sold the fifty boxes of apples on exhibition at \$2.75 per box to one man, and when I came away from Portland these apples were on sale on Washington street labeled "Rogue River apples, \$1.50 per box," and they were selling, too. At retail they went for two for 25c."

—Born—in Medford, Oregon, on Sunday, January 19, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Lyons, a daughter.

Oregon Apples Keep.

—George S. Lovejoy of the Quincy Market Cold Storage & Warehouse Co., Boston, Mass., exhibited at the recent convention of the American Warehouseman's Association, at Washington, D. C., an Oregon apple that had been in storage at the Quincy market store for over thirteen months and was apparently as perfect as when picked from the tree."

James Pelton was a Medford visitor Monday.

G. C. Ouly, the well-known Applegate stockman, was in Medford on business Monday.

H. C. Keatner and H. G. Nicholson left Sunday evening for Portland on business.

HAPPY MONTHS.

An Odd Custom Observed in England at Christmas Time.

"Happy months" is the name applied to the little mince pies made at Christmas time throughout England and served to any guests who may call at the house during the holidays.

The saying is that for every one of these tiny pies one eats a happy month will come during the year. Only the pies must be given to the one who eats them.

When one calls at the house the little pies are brought forth with a glass of wine or a cup of tea, and, however regally one may already be as regards one's appetite or how many of these "happy month" pies he has already eaten, it is considered a marked breach of etiquette to refuse the little pie, although one is allowed to take it home and eat it later. This, however, is not very often done, for who would refuse the coming of a happy month by refusing to overtax the stomach for just one more little pie?

In some parts of England these little pies are literally made by the dozen, so there will be plenty of them for family and friends. They are made of the richest of puff paste, too, which, at the best of times, is an indigestible gooey, and the crust is filled with a mince meat filling that is even richer than the crust.—Suburban Life.

CEYLON ELEPHANTS.

The Only Species in Which the Males Have No Tusks.

What a sight for a Ceylon elephant hunter would be the first view of a herd of African elephants—all tuskers! It is a singular thing that Ceylon is the only part of the world where the male elephants have no tusks. They have miserable little grinders projecting two or three inches from the upper jaw and inclining downward.

Nothing produces either ivory or horn in the specimens throughout Ceylon. Although some of the buffaloes have tolerably fine heads, they will not bear a comparison with those of other countries. The horns of the native cattle are not above four inches in length.

The elk and the spotted deer's antlers are small compared with deer of their size in India. This is the more singular as it is evident from the geological formation that at some remote period Ceylon was not an island, but formed a portion of the mainland. It is thought that there must be elements wanting in the Ceylon pasturage for the formation of ivory.—Ceylon Manual.

PURELY PERSONAL.

Mrs. T. W. Miles visited Ashland relatives over Sunday.

C. W. Friley of Ashland, was in the city last week on business.

S. W. McClelland, of Gold Hill, was a Medford visitor Tuesday.

Leon Haskins and family are visiting relatives in Oakland, Calif.

H. H. Goddard, of Talent, was in Medford on business Wednesday.

Jay Jacobs, of Ashland, spent several days visiting friends in Medford lately.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kent, of Weston, were in from the farm Monday on business.

Miss Gertrude Stewart, of Portland, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Stewart.

Mrs. Susie Turner-Nell, of Ashland, was in Medford Sunday on her way to Jacksonville.

Dr. J. G. Goble, the optician, returned Saturday from a short business trip to Northern California.

Ralph Tice, son of Fred Tice, is here from Washington on a visit. He left here about eight years ago.

Fort and Aebel Hubbard and Wallace Woods returned Tuesday from a few days business visit to Portland.

Cashier John S. Oth, of the Medford National Bank, returned Monday from a business trip to Portland.

Mrs. Thos. Killey returned to her home at Weallen the first of the week after a visit of several days in Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Graham, of Prospect, were in Medford this week on land business—and doing shopping.

Misses Prue and Bernice Angle left Thursday for San Francisco to enjoy a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives.

Miss L. Samba, of Fox Lake, Wisconsin, is visiting in Medford, the guest of her friend, Mrs. David Donald.

Miss Bernice Cameron, manager of the Postal Telegraph Company in this city, was in Portland this week on business.

G. F. Billings, of Ashland, was in Medford a few hours Wednesday, on his way home from a business trip to Jacksonville.

W. M. Kennedy left Monday for his old home at Cadillac, Mich., having been called thither by the death of his mother.

E. F. Jones and family, who have been in Medford for the past two months on a visit to T. A. Fifer and family, returned this week to their home in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Miss Rose Kernan, of Gazelle, Calif., who has been here on a visit to her brother, J. F. Kernan and family, returned home Monday morning. She was accompanied by the niece, Mrs. Ray Crystal.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hafer, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, are here on a visit to their son, Edgar Hafer, having been called to the coast by his recent serious illness. They left for their home Wednesday.

Sam Rose came over from Weed, Calif. Wednesday evening. He tells that all operations in the saw mills and lumber camps of that locality have closed down—not a wheel turning, and every day like Sunday—like Sunday ought to be.

W. P. Dodge returned this week from a trip to the Sixtieth looking up timber. He found several feet of snow and says he would rather be in the valley looking up than on the mountain looking down at this time of year.

Edgar Hafer, of the Iowa Lumber & Box Co. has returned from Portland, where he has been in the Good Samaritan hospital suffering from an attack of typhoid fever. His friends will be glad to learn he has fully recovered.

Mrs. C. F. Conrad left Sunday for Bonanza Klamath county, having been called thither by the illness of her sister, Miss Henrietta Morine, who died just before her arrival Monday. Mr. Conrad left Tuesday for the same point.

Rev. Van Claren beek left Monday for Portland on business connected with the establishment of a Catholic Academy here. The establishment of this school is now assured, plans have been drawn and submitted and it is the intention to have the school ready for work by September 1st.

Prof. Fountain was over from Klamath Falls this week. He tells that they have had scarcely no snow at all at the falls this winter, and no ice, and because of this there are fears that the ice houses will not be filled this winter, as has been the custom heretofore.

J. Stillwell Villas, formerly of Kanawha, W. Va., arrived Monday with his family. He bought 180 acres north east of Medford this summer and is putting it out to fruit as fast as he can possibly set the trees. His 15 room bungalow will be the most modern of its kind in the valley, when completed.

H. C. Sampson, manager of the Grants Pass Canning Company, was in Medford Monday on business. He tells that his cannery did a splendid business last season and that this season they will enlarge their plant and do more business than ever. The company is now contracting for the delivery of tomatoes. Their output of last season was shipped to many eastern points and that fruit was sold to be as good as the very best.

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FRIDAY - NIGHT, - JANUARY - 24

Cashier G. R. Lindley, of the Jackson County Bank, returned Saturday from a business trip to Klamath Falls. Mr. Lindley is interested with G. W. White in a bank in the Falls city and it was this business which took him there at this time. He tells that his institution did a fine business last year and that the future looks bright. The money panic, he says, was hardly noticeable over there—every body had confidence—and the banks had a big reserve fund.

P. Roberts and family and A. D. Hall and family will leave Medford Saturday for Albany, Oregon, where they expect to make their home. This is too bad—the going of these people—two of the best families in the city, but its one of those events which the whirligig of time brings about in the changed notions of people. However much we may regret their departure we cannot but wish them prosperity and happiness in their new home.

Will Merriman, Southern Pacific freight agent at Portland, was in Medford Wednesday visiting relatives and looking after matters pertaining to the freight business of the Southern Pacific. Mr. Merriman has been with the company a great many years—pretty nearly always, for that matter. His standing is first-class and it would not be surprising should he be promoted to a still higher position one of these days—and he deserves it all.

Gorton's Minstrels

Gorton's Minstrels. Laughter, Cheeriness, Melody and all that goes towards making a jolly minstrel performance are the characteristic features of the bill Gorton's Minstrels will offer to the patrons of the Medford Opera House Monday, January 27. In selecting Welby and Lee to lead this merry company of fun makers a wise move was made that this duo is recognized from coast to coast as top liners in the art of creating merriment.

Lamson & Toledo presenting the "Enchanted Grotto" and equilibrium-to-operatic extravaganza from the Opera of Faust furnish one of the most entertaining novelties before the public.

Complete special scenery and electrical effects are carried for this act. Gorton's Challenge Band said to be the best musical organization ever carried with a Minstrel Company will give free open air concerts at noon and 7 p. m. Lovers of music are especially invited to hear this band.

Notice.

The Medford Sash & Door Company have dissolved partnership. All bills against the firm will be settled by J. E. Day. All accounts owing to the firm should be paid to J. E. Day or left at the shop with P. C. Hansen, Medford Sash & Door Co.

Quality in Flour

Ma says: "A kind word thrown at a husband will go farther toward a new bonnet than a rolling pin will." That's where she's wise. Pa thinks there's no one like Ma, because she knows how to put a good square meal on the table. When we came to Medford Ma hunted around for the best place to trade. When she came across Miller & Eubank, she said: "If I could only get Willie (that's me) with a house like that, half my worries would over." Well, I'm it, and most of our groceries and provisions come from this store, also Medford flour for bread and cakes. You won't have much use for a rolling pin in your family if you buy our Webb Foot flour for bread and rolls, also pies and cookies. Loaf and layer cakes, too. That's a kinch.

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Mill Feed.....	\$1.40 per " lbs
Bran.....	1.25 per " "

LESS THAN 500 LOTS.

Flour.....	\$2.60 per 100 lbs
Rolled Barley..	\$1.90 per " lbs
Middlings.....	\$1.75 per " lbs
Mill Feed.....	\$1.50 per " lbs
Bran.....	\$1.40 per " lbs

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