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## THE TRIBUNE'S BIRTHDAY.

This is The Tribune's birthday.

With this issue, the paper enters upon its fourth year. Its career has been more or less stormy. As is the case in newspapers started on insufficient capital in towns too small to support them, life in its early stages was a strenuous struggle, and at times its fate seemed destined to be that of the sparks that fly upward.

But the Medford spirit sustained it—the patriotism and the personal sacrifice that have made the city what it is today, made The Tribune possible.

Few realize the part played in the life of the community by The Tribune. The difference between Medford and other southern Oregon towns is due in no small degree to the fact that Medford has had a live daily, constantly boosting, constantly preaching unity of action, constantly fighting for progress. And that is the reason why there are no mossbacks left in Medford.

Since the present management took charge of the property, the paper has striven to be a credit to any city the size of Medford. As good a newspaper has been published as circumstances permitted—a little better perhaps than business warranted. The paper ranks as one of the leading small city papers of Oregon, of recognized prestige and influence throughout the state.

The Tribune has enemies—but the paper that has no enemies has no friends. The Tribune recognizes no one as an enemy, but considers all friends at the beginning of its fourth year. The Tribune has critics, but "To escape criticism, say nothing, do nothing, be nothing," and The Tribune has something to say, something to do, and intends always to be a vital force in the life of the community. It has the courage of its convictions.

A bitter personal fight has been made against The Tribune because it printed the truth. It has fought anew the old battle for freedom of the press. It has been boycotted because its policy could not be controlled. Its editor has been thrown in jail, unjustly convicted and fined, slugged on the streets, and denied justice by two grand juries. But having established the justice of its cause, The Tribune, with charity for all, bears malice towards none.

Medford can support one good paper, and The Tribune will be that paper—for its value to the community is recognized. It will be enlarged and improved in a news way. Competitors it has, and will have, but they "are of few days and full of trouble."

Today The Tribune circulates nearly a thousand copies daily. It distributes monthly \$1000 in payroll, all of which is spent in Medford and Jackson county. All of its stock is owned locally. It is a Medford institution, and will grow with the city. It has had a liberal patronage from progressive merchants, and the future will justify still better support—for the aim is to make The Tribune a paper that everyone will be proud of.

## THE DEMONSTRATION TRAIN.

Everyone who can should be on hand for the demonstration train which stops here Monday. Poultry raising, horticulture and truck gardening will be the subjects of the demonstration and lectures. Professors from the Oregon agricultural college at Corvallis will accompany the train and will have charge of the educational work. Officials of the Southern Pacific will be on board to represent the railroad and to see that the train is operated satisfactorily.

The train will carry seven cars. Two will be used for poultry exhibits and two others will house horticultural exhibits. The exhibit cars will be the most complete of their kind ever operated.

## SAYS CORSET, NOT MAN, IS MASTER OF WOMAN

NEW YORK, March 20.—Miss Elizabeth A. C. White, the recognized oracle on matters of woman's dress, told more of the elongated corsets at the second day's session of the Dressmakers' Protective association yesterday and last night.

"The corset, and not man, is master of woman," said Miss White. "Conceded man thinks he is the master, but the whalebones and steels are really the masters of woman's health, her beauty, and the arbiter of the length of her life."

Several models were laid into the new corset, while Miss White explained the benefits and beauty of the latest contrivance.

## SAYS WOMEN'S CLUBS CAUSE RACE SUICIDE

CHICAGO, March 20.—Are women's organizations conducive to race suicide? This is the question which is today agitating the Chicago Woman's club, the cause being a communication by Mrs. Henry Heistand, who asserts that "There is no use denying that the squeaking of machinery in a meeting of women is distressing."

"To one with immature nerves," she continues, "it is positively dangerous. Grandmothers, middle-aged women, whose children have grown up and mature unmarried women, with some worldly experience can stand it, but young girls contemplating matrimony and motherhood should be kept away."

## CONSTITUTION BACK IN PRESIDENT'S DESK

ROOSEVELT EVIDENTLY DID NOT NEED IT, FOR HE HAD IT NOWHERE NEAR HIM.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—President Taft has ordered the return of the Constitution to the executive office.

When he took charge of the nation's affairs there was no copy of the historic document at hand. From noon on Thursday, March 4, until eight, all day Friday and all day Saturday, until after 4 p. m., the affairs of the administration were conducted without the assistance, the guidance, or even the presence of the sacred instrument. At 2:15 the president happened to see the Constitution to look up the subject of inauguration day. It could not be found either in the presidential desk or in the presidential bookcase. Ex-Secretary Lusk, who happened to be in the president's office at the time the sudden search was instituted, hustled out into his old room and was gone a long time.

"They didn't need the Constitution here under the last administration, Mr. President," remarked one of President Taft's visitors. The president laughed heartily and observed a remark that came to his lips.

"I've got it, Mr. President," cried Lusk, rushing breathless into the room. "You see, I knew where it was to be found. I had it in my keeping, for I had to use it if others didn't."

Taking the sacred document in his hand, the president held it aloft and announced that it should, never, never leave the room again.

It now reposes in a drawer in the presidential desk within each reach.

## Methodist Episcopal Church, B Street.

A feast of good things at the above church next Sabbath. At 11 a. m. Rev. Lewis will preach on "The Might of Little Things." At 3 p. m. a lecture to men only entitled "The Man for the Twentieth Century." At night the subject will be "Ships We Are Sailing In." Come and ascertain the character of your craft, whether or not it will stand the storms of the future. Don't fail to hear these interesting discourses of this gifted evangelist. Good music at every service. Sabbath school at 10 p. m. Epworth league at 6:30 p. m. Seats free. Everybody welcome.

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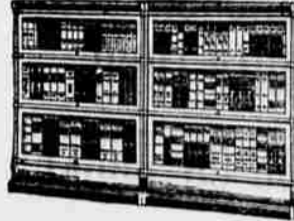
roll the baby out. In one of those folding or collapsible Go-Carts at the Medford Furniture Co.—just the proper caper, while the Vacuum man is cleaning your house. If you need anything new this spring don't forget we have an enormous stock to select from and our prices are right.

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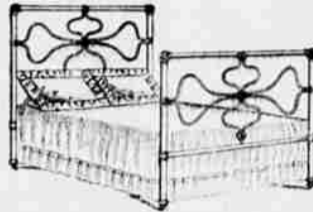
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