

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Dry popcorn at Elder's.
Subscribe for the MAIL.
Fine job work at this office.
I. B. Raymond has been in the city.
Fruit jars at Davis & Pottenger's.
M. D. Bowles came down from Lake Creek Monday.
Go to Elder's for the best tea in town.
C. H. Ercanbrack and family were in town Saturday.
Glassware at cost. Davis & Pottenger's.
C. A. Dickison drove down from Table Rock Saturday.
Quaker Rolled Oats at Davis & Pottenger's.
A. A. Davis made a speedy trip to Grants Pass Saturday.
Lamp chimneys at Wolter's grocery.
Mrs. Judge Crawford visited the county seat this week.
Pure Cider Vinegar at Davis & Pottenger's.
District Judge J. K. Hanna went north on Monday's train.
Pure maple syrup at Davis & Pottenger's.
Joe Pierce will leave for the east soon to locate permanently.
Soda water 5 cents a glass at C. W. Wolters.
The county clerk is advertising for bids to keep the county poor.
For teas and coffee try Davis & Pottenger's.
Joe Hammersly, of Gold Hill, will leave soon for a trip to Montana.
Ladies' visiting cards printed at this office.
W. T. Anderson has been in town from Phoenix several times lately.
Fine spices and extracts at Davis & Pottenger's.
Judge Neil and son George have returned from their trip to Dead Indian.
Call on L. E. Hoover if you want to buy or sell a cow.
Mrs. R. R. Dunn, of Jacksonville, is visiting Mrs. H. T. McCallum in Roseburg.
Go to Davis & Pottenger's for all kinds of soda drinks—5 cents a glass.
J. B. Williams and family, of Ashland, have been visiting at Central Point.
We give a cash discount of 5 per cent on all purchases, Angle & Plymale.
T. F. West and ladies have returned from Steinman after a few weeks' absence.
Hurrah for straw hats. All sizes and styles below cost at Angle & Plymale's.
The Hammersly Bros. have secured some good placer claims on Evans creek.
Persons owing for the Singer sewing machine should call on L. E. Hoover.
Bob Anderson, of Tule Lake, has two horses at the Central Point fair grounds.
If you want the Singer sewing machine, call on L. E. Hoover, of Medford.
The regular term of circuit court for Jackson county convenes September 5th, 1892.
Wanted—Farmers and laborers to look at the fine line of durable shirts at the racket.
C. H. Ercanbrack of Central Point, made a flying visit to California not long since.
Largest stock of men's youths' and children's clothing in town at Angle & Plymale's.
Mrs. Dr. O. F. Demorest is expected back from her Willamette visit the last of this week.
Trunks! Trunks! Valises! Valises! Largest stock; lowest prices at Angle & Plymale's.
Rev. T. H. Stevens has moved into the residence on Chestnut lately vacated by J. L. Napier.
Go to O. Holman, tailor, and inspect his goods and prices before buying elsewhere.
L. G. Porter expects to move into his new residence east of the creek in about two weeks.
We claim to turn out the best and nearest job work in the valley at reasonable prices.
Mrs. M. H. Russell and family left for Nebraska Monday morning to reside permanently.
Slover has the only fountain in town and gives a large, foaming glass of soda for 5c.
The elegant Numan residence in Jacksonville will soon be completed, so says J. A. Whiteside.
Demorest Bros., dentists. Nitrous oxide gas administered for painless extraction of teeth.
R. T. Armstrong, late deputy sheriff of this city, is still in Portland, but will visit California soon.
Use flour from Eagle Roller Mills and you will find it better than the best. For sale by Angle & Plymale.
The Demorest Bros. have returned from their coast trip, having driven over 200 miles in their cart.
Maxey handles all kinds of soda water at 5 cents a glass.
Mr. Groeman took the train for California Monday to be treated in San Francisco for a serious malady.
Mason fruit jars at C. W. Wolters; largest stock and variety.
E. A. Welds, of the Medford Wire Braze Fence company, returned to this city from the Willamette last week.
A few bargains in boys' and men's hats at the Racket.
J. L. Napier, lately of this city, has moved his family from Anderson, Ore., to Grants Pass, where he will locate.
Ten cent Cuban Blossom cigar for five cents at Davis & Pottenger's.
The first reunion of the old soldiers and sailors reunion association will be held at Ashland September 13, 14, 15.
We have come to stay. Call and see us. BROPHY & MATHES.
The Grants Pass band will attend the old soldier's reunion at Ashland and assist in the big time anticipated.
Assessor Hamilton informs us that his labor is about completed, having only a few straggling assessments to make.

H. Klippel rode north Tuesday.
See Wolters' adv. It is a dandy.
Mrs. Geo. Webb returned home Tuesday evening.
Fine line of toilet soap at the Racket store.
Miss Hanley returned from Roseburg Thursday.
Ladies' belts, 6 cents and up, at the Racket.
County Clerk Max Muller visited among us this week.
Go to Brophy & Mathes for good meats.
A. L. Alford is in Klamath land with his threshing outfit.
Hanging lamps at cost. Davis & Pottenger's.
John E. Miller was down from Brownsville this week.
Placer and quartz claim notices for sale at this office.
Judge J. R. Webster was over from the county seat this week.
Complete list of Oregon school books at Slover's.
Geo. Priddy has been repairing Angle & Plymale brick sidewalk.
Large and small melons at all prices at C. W. Wolters.
J. E. Shearer will leave for Clarinda, Iowa, next Monday to visit his parents' home.
The finest sweet water grapes on the market at Wolters'.
W. W. Cardwell and wife have returned to Medford from Portland to live here in the future.
Rubber tip lead pencils 10 cents per dozen and up at Slover's.
Even the ladies pitched in and worked and carried water at the late fire. That was a wonderful bucket brigade.
Buy your school tablets at Slover's and get a good lead pencil free.
The best place in Jacksonville to trade is at Johnson's. He has just received a large consignment of new goods.
L. W. Thomas returned Monday from his trip to Williams creek. He reports the mining prospects in that section very good.
Call and see the new 5 and 10 cent counters at the Racket.
The melon market is a good one this year. Although not too numerous the fruit is of an extra quality and commands good prices.
Smoke the Detroit Free Press cigar at C. W. Wolters'.
Coroner Bowen Porter of Jackson county resident at Gold Hill, died Tuesday night of what is supposed to have been heart disease.
Prof. Rigby is back from the California trip and reports the prospects for a large attendance at the business college very flattering.
The new hardware firm of Simmons & Cathcart has been awarded the contract by the city to lay water pipes, etc., as advertised.
C. Farnham's Eagle Roller mills, of Ashland are running double shifts and still cannot supply orders. The flour is full roller process.
Adkins & Webb have stepped down and out of business and the new firm of Simmons & Cathcart is in full possession. See their adv.
School Books and Stationery at Strang's Drug Store.
The prevailing low price offered for wheat at present keeps the farmers from selling. The farmer who can hold his wheat for better prices will win.
S. H. Holt has leased land near E. P. Walker's place, and will move his family to Medford this winter, that his children may take advantage of our school facilities.
The hot coffee distributed among the workers at the fire last Tuesday morning by Mrs. J. A. Webb was a very thoughtful and kindly act and fully appreciated by all.
The celebrated Manhattan Food for horses, cattle and poultry. Guaranteed to cure chicken cholera. For sale at the Strang drug store, Medford, Ore.
W. H. Parker was elected a delegate from this county by the democrats to attend the state central committee meeting, which took place in Portland on the 19th inst.
The Wolters-Sears outing party from the home last Sunday evening, all as brown and happy as could be. They report a pleasant and invigorating trip.
Mr. and Mrs. Sears, Miss Grace Foster and the Demorest brothers, of Medford, Ore., were among the visitors to the sea shore during the past week.—Crescent City Record.
Widow Kimo's barn on the old Shiloh place, near Beahford's, southwest of town, burned to the ground Monday of this week. Considerable hay was lost. Cause unknown.
A Red Men's lodge has been organized in Jacksonville, or rather reorganized, for in olden times a lodge flourished there. This lodge starts out with flattering prospects.
John W. Curry was at Talent the first of the week loading a car of wheat for Angle & Plymale, to be shipped to Port Costa. The price paid for this wheat was 52 cents per bushel.
Several good young horses for sale on time if desired. Also a thoroughbred Poland-China sow and pigs. Inquire of D. T. Lawton, Mitchell-Lewis & Staver's agent, Medford, Ore.
George Hamlin has purchased fifty acres of the J. S. Herrin ranch located south of town. This is a fine piece of land and the purchase price \$50 per acre was none too much.
Our people here feel under lasting obligations to Jacksonville for the loan of its hand engine in the time of need, and to its citizens also, who turned out so generously, a debt of gratitude is owing.
Jean Orr this week brought in a quantity of the largest and best grapes ever seen in this section. They are of the sweet water variety and come from the ranch of Weeks & Orr, a few miles south of town.
The following Ashland citizens visited this city this week: C. Farnham, N. Dewey, J. J. McMeahan, Col. J. T. Bowditch, G. M. Grainger, R. K. Sutton, T. Roper and wife, J. W. Hooker-Smith and W. C. Montgomery.
A party consisting of W. K. Davis and Samuel McGee and families visited Crater lake about two weeks ago, returning Monday. Mr. Davis reports plenty of snow in the vicinity of the lake and game of all sizes and kinds.

Charley Howard, of Medford, struck in on Spencer creek Friday with a crew of surveyors of railroad land. They are working up toward Pelican bay.—Klamath Star.
The Alford steam threshing crew will arrive tomorrow from Jackson county without any of the bother of last year, their tractor engine and thrasher having remained here since last fall.—Klamath Star.
The Creed Bros. have been boring wells for W. S. Crowell, and last week in five and one-half hours, thirty-five feet was sunk. Pretty good record this, and proves that the Creed Bros. have an excellent apparatus.
Judge W. Crawford daily receives specimens of quartz from different prospectors in the county, and has a beautiful display in his office. He says all specimens free of charge, and many miners are taking advantage of this.
Wilson & Dowell have moved their wagon shop out of the Damon building which stood on the Amann property on C street. Mr. Damon has taken the building down, and the wagon shop is now located back of the blacksmith shop.
Rev. E. E. Thompson and wife left Monday evening for Portland. Mr. Thompson goes to attend the conference at the metropolis. He expects to be returned here for the coming year to resume his duties at the Methodist church.
The following teachers will preside over the Jacksonville school the coming term: Prof. Price, principal; Gus Newbury, assistant principal; Miss Agnes Devlin, intermediate department, and Miss Doc Ankeny, primary grade.
Peter Applegate and son Mark and a party of three or four others, passed through here one day last week on their way to Yaguina bay. Mr. Applegate was a former resident of Drain and met many old friends while here.—Drain Item.
The Medford Distilling and Refining Co. challenge the world for purity of goods. Their goods are made from the best of corn and rye and are ABSOLUTELY PURE. Wholesale houses at Medford Ore. Your valued orders solicited.
J. A. Martin drove in from Belt Monday to get flour, claiming that in his vicinity it was selling at about \$25 per thousand pounds, while here he paid \$17.50. Quite a difference. He was accompanied by Mr. King, brother of W. S. King, of Belt.
The plaintiffs in the case of the state vs. T. M. Howard have been estopped by an injunction. The case will come up at the coming term of the circuit court for the purpose of deciding whether or not Judge Walton had jurisdiction in the premises.
It is expected that the Table Rock raising to be exhibited at the World's Fair and the Portland Exposition will be completed about the middle of September. The picture will be the means of perpetuating the fame of the artist, Mrs. Rowena Nichols.
The O. K. Barber shop of which J. E. Shearer is chief tonsorial artist, is furnished with elegant and easy chairs and the razors are always in good order. Go thou there and have thy face shorn of its prickly points. Next to Grand Central Hotel Front St.
Grand Chancellor Joe Hagye, K. of P., has been visiting the different lodges of the valley and instructing in the secret work. He met the members of Medford lodge Saturday evening, and Sunday took a trip to Jacksonville with the intention of working up a lodge at that place.
Work in the prospect tunnel of the coal mine near the Meadows, opened by Ashland parties, has been continued during the dry season while the water flow is light, and the quality of the coal vein is reported as improving somewhat as it is reached further from the surface.—Tidings.
C. B. Watson, formerly a resident of this county and for years receiver of the port, has lately been appointed by the state board of school lands the agent for the state school lands in this county. Mr. Watson at present is residing at Ashland, but will move to this county soon.—Marshfield Sun.
Mr. Bashford informs us that the cross down the valley are turning out better than had been expected. Forde only expected 1,300 bushels and got 1,800 from his place. Mr. Gordon reaped over 3,300 bushels from 100 acres, and in the same time last year ground yielded 583 bushels per acre.—Record.
The new flour mill near Kirby is an assured fact. Mr. Orme will proceed to set up a 50-horse power mill. He has found government land just north of town, and the citizens have agreed to build the ditch, which will run the Illinois river for water power. The mill will be in operation to grind next season.—Courier.
That Mrs. M. L. Alford, of Talent, is an artist, at least in window decorating, is amply proven by the appearance of the display in the windows of the Wolters grocery. The lady's handiwork is admired by all who have seen it. M. L. Alford, who has been assisting Hag during Charley's absence, returned to Talent with his wife this week.
Oregon big red apples are being appreciated even at home this year. They are usually left on the trees unpicked, and in the car fall the orchards are covered with decaying fruit—but not so this year. Apples are scarce and are retailing in many places at \$1 per bushel. They are usually worth about 10 cents at this season of the year.
W. Green, the new merchant tailor of Medford, has just received the largest stock of goods ever brought to the Rogue River valley, as he is here to stay and build up a trade, he will make suits to order for \$24 and up, and pants for six dollars and up. Step in and see his display. Fit guaranteed. All kinds of cleaning and repairing done. Old Paris hotel building.
Mr. C. W. Wolters and family, of Medford, Ore., have been spending several weeks in the sea shore. Mr. Wolters is a native of this city and left here when an infant, this being his first visit since. He is proud of his birth place, and met many friends of his father, and himself and his family have made many more during their stay. His father is now a resident of Jacksonville, Ore., and is remembered by all the old timers, being in business here thirty-two years ago. Mr. Wolters is one of the prominent merchants of Medford.—Crescent City Record.

PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder. Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.
Fire! Fire!
Our city was saved, and that by a miracle and hours of hard and hot work, but A. A. Davis, of the flour mills, is the loser by about 200 cords of cord and slab fire wood. The fire occurred last Tuesday morning about 1 o'clock, and the only work which is known, but as usual there are no end of theories advanced.
This immense pile of wood stood about 50 feet west of the flour mill, and because the wind was favorable, it is said that all that portion of the city in the vicinity of the fire escaped devastation by the terrible flames. Of course we do not forget that even though the elements were kind, the mill and all property adjacent would have burned ten times over had it not been that our citizens turned out by the score with buckets and drained every well in the neighborhood, they did work with buckets and carpets and stiff joints till broad daylight! A harvest of blistered hands and faces and stiff joints tell the tale. Finally the Jacksonville section was saved, and the fire was extinguished by the heroic efforts of the fire fighters' handiwork.
What of Medford's water supply? There was none? No water in the ditch for two days previous, and what little there was in the tank the fire boys made good use of. The lesson was a costly one to Davis, the sufferer, but perhaps cheaper in the end.
Phoenix citizens had been given permission to use for irrigating what little water there was in the ditch at this season of the year, providing they would clean out the ditch, and thus Medford found itself almost in the "soup," as the saying is. But there let little there was in the tank the fire boys made good use of. The lesson was a costly one to Davis, the sufferer, but perhaps cheaper in the end.
The World Fulfilled.
The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and for Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.
Sand Bagged.
A. P. Dunn, of Gold Hill, stopped over at Ashland Saturday night on his way to California. He saw the sights during the night and visited the town. About nine o'clock Sunday morning he was found near one of the houses of the town in a dazed condition, having been assaulted and robbed, according to his own story, by three highwaymen and struck over the head with a blunt instrument. He claims the robbers took \$16 from him, but in their hurry missed the bulk of his money, which he hid in an inside pocket of his overcoat. The citizens of the Ashland marshal and took the Sunday morning train for Yreka. The officers from Ashland came on to Medford immediately, and with the aid of the local marshal and night watch, captured three suspicious looking characters with their blankets, who were waiting for the evening passenger, with the intention of riding the trucks to their baggage toward the north. The officers thoroughly searched and questioned these tourists, but as nothing could be found or proven on them, they were released, and the affair is still a mystery.
Studies will be resumed at St. Mary's Academy, Jacksonville, Ore., on September 5, 1892. Facilities are offered for securing a thorough education in the branches pursued in the best institutions. Although pupils are received at any time, parents and guardians wishing to place their children under the care of the Sisters of the Holy Names will seek their own interest by sending them at the opening of the term.
Entrance fee, paid but once..... \$5 00
Board and tuition per term..... 40 00
Bed and bedding per term..... 3 00
Music with use of instrument..... 15 00
Drawing per term..... 5 00
Painting..... 10 00
Typewriting per term..... 5 00
For further particulars, apply at the academy.
Fire Bugs.
"Gentlemen, evidently there are fire bugs among us." The above remark, and there surely is reason for it, can be heard on all sides in Medford these days. The burning of Davis' wood, which came so near proving fatal to our beautiful little city, aroused widespread suspicion that it was the work of malicious hands, but the straw which broke the camel's back was laid on about midnight on Wednesday, when flames were discovered on the corner of the warehouse belonging to the R. R. V. R. R. and standing close to their depot. The fire was almost immediately extinguished, consequently no damage resulted. That all was not as it seemed there is ample proof. An old can partly filled with white lead was also found on the spot, and this led to a suggestion that perhaps spontaneous combustion might exist, as the mystery, but this is hardly satisfactory. If human hands are doing this devilish work, and should the perpetrators be apprehended, we would bid their fate. Hanging is too good for such as they.
Now Try This.
It will cost you nothing and will do you good if you use a cough, cold or any trouble with the throat, chest or lungs. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds is guaranteed to give relief, or money will be paid back. Sufferers from grippe found it just the thing and under its use had a speedy and perfect recovery. Try a sample bottle at our expense and learn for yourself just how good a thing it is. Trial bottles free at G. H. Haskins' drug store. Large size 50c. and \$1.00.
Attention, Citizens.
You are one and all hereby urgently requested to meet in mass convention Friday evening, August 28 at 8 p. m. in the opera house, for the purpose of taking definite and immediate steps to procure a perpetual supply of water for the city of Medford.
J. A. WHITESIDE, Mayor.
A Card of Thanks.
The thanks and gratitude I feel to the kind friends who worked so nobly to save my property Monday night would take a whole page of this paper to express. Thanking you each and all, I am Yours Respectfully, A. A. DAVIS.

A POINTER
Groceries, Stationery,
Tobacco, Fruits,
Cigars, Soda Water,
Candy, Bacon,
Nuts, Etc., Etc.
CALL AND SEE US
We buy for Cash, and we buy to sell.
We buy direct, and we buy in quantities.
You will always find our stock complete.
We sell at one price, and that the lowest.
We treat you courteously.
A satisfied customer is our best advertisement.
Our constant aim is to give you the best goods at bottom prices.
We make your interests ours.
Your child will be served as cheaply and politely as yourself.
A comparison of our styles and prices will convince you that you should trade with us.
The Popular Grocer,
C. W. WOLTERS,
MEDFORD, OREGON.
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IF YOU WANT THE BEST GOODS AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.
Staple Dry Goods, Groceries, Provisions,
MEN'S FURNISHINGS, ETC.,
ARE OUR SPECIALTIES.
We Pay the Cash or Exchange Our Merchandise for All Farm Products.
READER, IT WILL BENEFIT YOU TO TRADE WITH US.
June 11, 1892. Yours Respectfully, J. NUNAN.
WM. ANGLE. F. M. PLYMALE.
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ANGLE & PLYMALE, Proprietors.
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Fresh Bacon and Lard, Choice Strained Honey, Pure Cider, Vinegar,
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