

WEEKLY ROUND-UP.

The Eagle-Eyed and Ever Alert Reporter Gets In and Gathers All of the Week's Happenings.

He Catches All the Doings of Our Townspeople and Serves Them Out in Palatable Style.

Hotel Medford is glistening in wondrous brilliancy since the exterior wood work has been stained and varnished and portions of the interior repapered and refitted generally.

A profitable investment for Medford capital would be the erection of cottages. Demands are being made daily for dwelling houses by new arrivals in our city, and their wants go unsupplied.

The Clarendon hotel, which has been vacant only a few weeks, came near having another occupant this week.

An Asphalt road thirty or thirty-five feet wide from Chicago to New York has been proposed by leading bicyclists.

For Rent or Sale, 1648 acres good land, known as the Sam Center farm, near Medford city.

Did you see Jupiter? An opportunity was given our people to look upon this star in all its beauty this week.

Good, pure, wholesome bread is the staff of life. Insure its being good, pure and wholesome by using Snowy House flour.

Nichols Bros. implement dealers, will swing into line next week with an advertisement-telling of the superiority of quality of the wares handled by them.

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The stray horses sold at Central Point last week, notices of which appeared in the Central Point items in this paper, were the property of Liveryman Worman and have since been redeemed by that gentleman.

Look at those sets of bread, cake and carving knives—3 in one—for \$1 at Simmons & Cathcart's hardware store.

If we should this week call Mr. Jones Mr. Smith and Mr. Smith Mr. Jones, it is not because that we love the one less or the other more, but simply that we don't know which is Mr. Jones or which is Mr. Smith.

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THE MAIL wants a correspondent in every precinct in Jackson county. We will supply each correspondent with copy paper and self-addressed stamped envelopes, together with free copy of THE MAIL.

New Prize Baking Powder at the Popular Grocery of C. W. Wolters. Buy a can and get a beautiful dish.

Landlord Purdin rejoiceth quite a plenty over the arrival, last Thursday night at his house, of a fine, large boy baby—several notches above the average weight and as handsome as it is weighty.

Go to the Premium Market for Bologna and all kinds of sausage.

Among the old things which have recently become new is the sign on Hotel Medford. Why not "The Medford," Mr. Purdin? Isn't that more aesthetic and more in keeping with our city?

Smoke Pride of Medford cigar, for sale by Davis & Pottinger.

We shall aim to get all the local news, but we don't like to be compelled to get it as the milkman does his milk—by pumping. Help us to a few items and thereby improve the paper.

Smoke the Detroit Free Press cigar at C. W. Wolters.

At the residence of Mr. Pickering there arrived last Saturday week a bright and smiling girl baby—in consequence of which the entire household is made glad.

French Prunes a speciality at Medford Nursery.

A number of new boxes—receptacles for nails—have recently been added to the hardware store of D. H. Miller. Good job and lots more convenient.

New line of hosiery at the Racket.

Mr. E. P. Hammond reports the recently organized lodge of Good Templars gaining membership at an astonishingly rapid rate.

If you would like to gaze upon something in the horse line that is a real beauty—ask Mr. C. T. Nicholson to lead out that four-year-old Norman colt.

The Medford Business College students, numbering about fifty, and accompanied by Prof. Rigby, will attend a meeting of the Jacksonville public school literary society this evening.

Mr. C. S. Price, county school superintendent, has sent us an outline of work of the State Teachers' Reading Circle for the month of January, but as the month is already so well advanced we will needs hold over until the "outline" for February work is received.

Frank Stevenson, employed in the Southern Oregon Packing house, is laid up for a few days with a peculiar attack of blood poisoning which was contracted while at work about the scalding tubs.

Five new students were added to the roster at the Medford Business College this week. They were C. W. Angel and Mamie Isaacs, Medford, and Rosetta Waters, Ella Terrill, Mary Wilcox, of Talent.

More or less controversy has been had of late over the Childers-Phillips law suit which was settled last month by the circuit court giving judgement in favor of Childers, for \$1000.

The Ladies Guild of the Presbyterian church has arranged for an evening's entertainment by Hon. W. C. Crowell, on Thursday evening January 26, at opera house.

Among the 7th street improvements is the new brick addition being built by Mr. D. T. Pritchard to his jewelry store.

Opening chapter of "Margaret Medbury's Managers," another very interesting and quite romantic story, will appear in this paper next week.

The regular Union Gospel Temperance meeting will be held in the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening, January 22nd, and will be addressed by Rev. E. E. Phipps.

Go to Hamilton & Palm for prices on houses and lots, also unimproved lots and acre tracts—on the installment plan.

The subject of Hon. W. C. Crowell's lecture will be Chinese Scenes and a Yankee in the Celestial Kingdom.

O. Holtan, the Merchant Tailor, has just received the largest and finest stock of cloth ever seen in Medford.

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Up in Washington skins of full-grown black bears are worth from thirty to forty dollars apiece.

A change is made in the nursery advertisement of Mr. Edwin Russ. Read it—on first page.

THE MAIL is prepared to turn out as fine job printing as any shop in the state. Try us once.

Location quartz claim blanks printed and for sale by THE MAIL—fifty cents per dozen.

A new two-story brick building on C street is one of the intended spring improvements.

The best five cent cigar in town is the Pride of Medford for sale by Davis & Pottinger.

All subscriptions due THE MAIL should be paid to its present publisher.

Leading all other brands in the market—Snowy Butte flour.

C. F. Lewis has an ad in another column of this paper.

Quaker Rolled Oats at Davis & Pottinger's.

Pure Cider Vinegar at Davis & Pottinger.

Endless variety of dolls and toys at C. W. Wolters.

The best bread in town at Penwell's bakery.

Fine spices and extracts at Davis & Pottinger's.

Go to Penwell's bakery for bread, pies, cakes, etc.

Hanging lamps at cost. Davis & Pottinger.

For teas and coffee try Davis & Pottinger.

Pure maple syrup at Davis & Pottinger's.

Glassware at cost. Davis & Pottinger.

The Premium Market for good meat.

NEW BUSINESS COLLEGE.

A Company Organized to Erect a Building in this City.

Medford is to have a new business college building if her citizens will encourage the enterprise by a little material assistance.

The Medford Business College has established here little more than a year ago, and by the untiring efforts of Professor Rigby the school has grown until about seventy members have been enrolled.

It behooves the business men and citizens generally to take an active part in the efforts now being made to secure an institution we may well be proud of, and no stone should be left unturned until the last spike is driven in a substantial structure for the Medford Business College.

An Unique Display.

Mr. John Weeks, of the firm of Weeks & Orr, gave an order for job printing to THE MAIL Saturday, the same being label cards for ten boxes of prunes which have been put up by this firm and are to be put in the Oregon fruit exhibit at the World's Fair, at Chicago.

The audience applauded loud and long, and as "Rosy" gazed into his own crest-fallen countenance, saw his record broken and the ambition of his life shattered, he started in his sleep, and finally awoke.

A Male Bit Him.

Mr. Ashbury Beall, living out at Rancho, met with an accident last week which is considerably out of the usual order.

Unfortunate Mr. Hanson.

Mr. James Hanson, who lives four and half miles south of Medford, is having just a trifles more than his share of misfortunes.

Kertson in a New Role.

Mr. F. G. Kertson, formerly of THE MAIL, has a pet device which he has been treasuring as a great possibility of the near future for some time, but as an opportunity to "push it" has not until now presented itself, it has not been presented to the public.

Neill H. West Married.

From Hiram West, of Loyalton, California, comes the news of the marriage of his brother, Neill H. West, at Reno, Nevada, on December 27, to Miss Julia Clow, of that city.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

THE TOWN TALKER.

D'd he hold 'em? Ask "Rosy" what he held. "Did you see that job they put up on me last night?" said "Rosy" to a gentleman who sat with him at breakfast in the Hotel Medford one morning last week.

The vision in his dream was a tragedy in one act, which solved the mystery of the short suit. The plot was laid in the Hotel Medford. Scene—a room, where a game of whist was in progress, with himself as one of the principals in the game.

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Illustrated Evening Talks.

The Hon. W. C. Crowell, (late U. S. Minister to China), under the auspices of the Ladies Guild and for the benefit of the Episcopal church, will deliver his celebrated illustrated "Evening Talks," at the Medford Opera House, Thursday evening, Jan. 20th, 1893.

Officers Elected.

At a meeting of the Chester A. Arthur corps, No. 34, held in Medford recently, the following officers were elected and installed for the ensuing year:

Had a Nice Time—As Usual.

The semi-monthly club dances given by the Medford dancing club still retain their popularity, and the one given in the opera house last Saturday night was no exception to the general rule.

Recent Arrivals.

Our good friend, Prof. Jacobs, has been helping us out this week by keeping a little local tablet. Just as we are about ready to go to press his last tablet comes in and among the items we find three births, as follows:

C. F. LEWIS, Mechanical-Engineer AND MACHINIST.

Any work in his line such as fitting up engine erection and repairing of saw and quartz mills attended to promptly and promptly. All communications promptly answered.

PURELY PERSONAL.

Mr. D. L. MINKLE came down from Ashland last week. Mr. JOHN T. KELLEY, of Grants Pass, was in Medford on business last week.

Mr. G. B. ADDINGTON left Medford Tuesday evening for a two weeks' visit at Seattle.

Mr. BERT WHITMAN left Wednesday night for a visit at Portland and the Sound cities.

Mr. J. J. BROPHY returned last week from a mining tour in the Gold Hill country.

Mr. GEORGE T. HERSHBERGER, of Central Point, came down to the metropolis on Tuesday.

Mr. JOE MURPHY has returned to Medford after a month's visit with his parents in San Francisco.

FRED LOOKENMEYER, of the Medford Artificial Ice Company, returned Sunday from a brief business trip to Portland.

Miss ROSE CARDWELL, of Jacksonville, passed through Medford Sunday evening, on her way to visit a sister at Salem.

Messrs. A. O. HOLLAND, J. T. HOLLAND and Mrs. M. R. DUNKAN, of Altamora, registered at The Medford last Saturday.

Sheriff PELTON is in town this week for the purpose of receiving county taxes. He may be found at the city recorder's office.

Mr. GEARY JOHNSON, the renowned mining expert of Medford, is now making a several days' tour of mining inspection in California.

Miss ALICE MATHEWS, of Jacksonville, and Miss BERTHA STEWART, of Medford, left Sunday evening for Rock Point to visit Miss Mathews' parents.

SOL. ABRAMS, Esq., of Roseburg, who is an aspirant for the office of railroad commissioner, has been in Jackson county the past week fixing up his political fences.

Mr. ELMER BASHFORD, the popular book-keeper at the Medford distillery, has been somewhat indisposed for the past few weeks, but is back at his post as good in health as ever.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. KERTSON left Medford Tuesday evening. Mr. K. will make a stop of indefinite length in Portland and his good lady will visit with her parents at Independence.

Rev. FOSTER and family arrived in Medford the latter part of last week and will make this place their future home.

Mr. C. F. LEWIS returned to Medford Sunday night from a year's sojourn at Costa Rica, Central America.

Mr. LEWIS was in the employ of a large English mining company at that place, but the yellow fever became too thick for him and he left at the expiration of his contract for a more pleasant and healthy climate—Medford.

Mr. LEWIS relates that out of the company's employees nine men died with the yellow fever in thirteen days and that he was unfortunate in having the dread disease himself and has not as yet entirely recovered.

Mr. LEWIS left yesterday for Gold Hill where he will spend a few weeks in looking over the mineral prospects—preparatory to making a report to a big Chicago firm, who, if report be favorable, will invest a big amount of money in this locality in developing its mining interests.

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On January 13th, to Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Crouch, a son; on January 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Richardson, a son, and on January 17th, to Mr. and Mrs. James Cobb, a son.

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President—Mrs. Mannie M. Wolf. S. V. President—Mrs. Damon. J. V. President—Mrs. Sarah Whitman.

Secretary—Mrs. Bradbery. Treasurer—Mrs. M. E. Davis. Conductor—Miss Ida Redden. Assistant Conductor—Miss Verna Weaver.

Guard—Mrs. Etta Earheart. Assistant Guard—Mrs. Maggie Noble. Chaplain—Mrs. Clara M. Brown.

The above officers were installed by Mr. M. E. Damon.

Do You Ever Eat?

A little nourishment now and then is relished by the best of men.

Fresh Articles of Food are Always Cheapest, Because They are Wholesome.

C. W. WOLTERS, THE POPULAR GROCER,

Keeps a Seasonable Stock of Goods.

Jas. A. Slover & Co,

Headquarters for all the standard drugs in the market. Artists' material and fine stationery.

DRUGGISTS

Largest stock in Southern Oregon. Fancy goods and toilet articles. Come and see us.

MEDFORD, ORE.

D. H. MILLER,

Hardware, Stoves, Tinware and Fine Building Material.

WROUGHT IRON RANGES.

Warranted Cutlery, Carpenters and Builders Tools, Fishing Tackle, Ammunition, Etc. Etc.

Redjacket Force Pumps, for deep or shallow wells. Tin Shop Attached

MITCHELL--LEWIS & STAVAR CO,

Machinery and Vehicles.

Mitchell Farm & Spring Wagons, Buggies, Carriages,

Carts, Harness, &c. Canton Gang, Black Land, Clipper and Hill-side Plows. J. I. Case Gang and Clipper Plows. Gale and Bissell Chilled Plows. Canton & Case Lever Harrows. A full line of Machinery of the latest improvements constantly kept on hand.



CATALOGUE ON APPLICATION. MITCHELL--LEWIS & STAVAR CO.,

D. T. LAWTON, Mgr Medford Branch.

COPPER RIVETED OVERALLS AND LEVI STRAUSS & CO'S SPRING BOTTOM PANTS EVERY PAIR GUARANTEED.