

**OUR COUNTY . . .**  
**Correspondents**

**Eagle Point Eagles.**  
BY A. C. HOWLETT.  
W. W. Miller, of Ashland, was the guest of J. J. Fryer last week.  
David Cingcade has completed a commodious granary on his farm.  
A. C. Howlett will preach at the Betz school house next Sunday at 11 a. m.  
Chas. White, of Rock Point, was in our town last Friday on private business.  
F. M. Plymale, one of the Medford merchants, honored our town by his presence last Friday.  
Miss Alice Morine, who has been stopping with her grandfather for some time, returned home last week.  
Timmie Dugan, Peter Young and Thos. McAndrews, Jr., started for Crater lake on Wednesday of last week.  
Mrs. A. M. Thomas and son, Chas., accompanied by Miss Gladius Fryer returned from Klamath county the first of the week.  
Geo. Heckathorn and daughter, Gladys, O. Simpkins, wife and brother and Willie Lewis started last Sunday for the huckleberry patch.  
Mr. Watkins reports that the house and barn on the old Canby place, near the free ferry, were burned to the ground on the night of the 15th ult.  
The rain Sunday and up to the present time Monday, 11 a. m. makes it a little hard on the crowds that are out in the mountains at the present time.  
There were quite a number of townsmen and women in Medford last Saturday in addition to our regular number that go there every Saturday to trade.  
Peter Simons and Claud White are hauling flour from our Snowy Butte mills to Josephine county. Mr. White expects to resume work on the Big Butte ditch soon.  
Real Estate Agent Ulman, and family, of Gold Hill accompanied by Miss Messner and Misses Williams and Cole were guests at the Pioneer hotel the first of last week.  
Ralph Newman and family and two sisters, Misses Minnie and Frank, returned from their visit to Elk creek Tuesday of last week. While there Ralph killed four fine deer.  
The last of last week we had another real estate transaction. I. E. Nichols sold the old F. B. Inlow home place and store building to Dr. W. B. Officer, consideration \$600 50.  
Mr. Chatreaw and Mr. Derby, of Derby, were doing business in our town last Thursday. J. M. Howard, John Watkins and Joe Deik were also in our midst the same day.  
Mr. Peter Simons, nee Ella Benson, expects to visit friends in Ashland in the near future. She expects to make a trip to Leeds, where she taught this summer, in the course of a few days.  
There is a little stir in real estate matters, but the parties are very reticent as to what they are doing—I have learned that some of our bachelor citizens were in Medford buying furniture last Saturday.  
Mr. Straws, the miller from Portland, stopped at our Snowy Butte mills on Tuesday of last week. He had been to Crater lake on his wheel and was on his return trip, he was favorably impressed with the appearance of the mill.  
Al Sturges and family, of Steamboat, have been taking their annual outing upon Rogue river near the free ferry. They caught some fine fish while they were out and report having had a rattling good time. They stopped at our camp ground last Thursday.  
John Watkins, of the free ferry, reports that on Tuesday of last week he took across the river fifty-six persons who were on their way to Crater lake and that during the day there were about fifty teams passed by the ferry, some on one side and some on the other side of the river.  
Peter K. Simon has just gone and done it—yes, the lucky fellow has secured the heart and hand of one of our most popular young school teachers, Miss Ella Benson, and went to Rev. M. A. Williams, just south of Medford, on Tuesday, the 25th ult. and had the nuptial knot tied so tightly that all the rest of the young men in this neighborhood have given up the chase. He has secured the hand of a first class teacher, she being a graduate of the Ashland normal and was once a student at the state university at Eugene. The cunning fox was so sly about it that the boys did not know of it in time to have the regular charivari, but Peter placed the

cigars in Jack Florey's store for the use of his friends. We extend our hearty congratulations. Mrs. E. Simon, Mrs. Williams, Miss Katie Fries and Miss Shidler were present at the ceremony.  
We had a rather novel experience with some ducks Monday morning shortly after we got up. Mrs. C. missed some of her half grown ducks and so started your correspondent to look for them in the rain. We located them by the noise but could see nothing of them but on close search found three of them in the cracks in the sticky utterly helpless, they having fallen into the cracks and the sticky mud having accumulated so that they could not walk. After carrying them to the water and washing them to see they were all right. It is not safe for young ducks or pigs to run in "sticky" just after the first rains.  
**Central Point Items.**  
C. E. White, of Woodville, was in town on Saturday.  
Mrs. L. L. Freeman has been quite ill the past week.  
Henry White, of Rock Point, spent a day here last week.  
Ralph Newman, of Eagle Point, was trading here on Tuesday.  
I. A. Newman, of Eagle Point, was trading here on Saturday.  
Jacob Hugher made his many friends here a visit on Sunday.  
S. W. McClendon made Jacksonville a business trip on Friday.  
Mrs. Reynolds, who has been so ill the past month, is not improving any.  
Andrew Bailey and wife, of Gold Hill, spent Sunday with friends of this place.  
Miss Gussie Nusbaum is paying her parents, who live at Lake creek, a visit this week.  
Albert Sherrell, of Douglas county, is spending the week with friends of this place.  
Thos. J. Downing and family, of Willow Springs, spent Sunday with relatives of this city.  
Samuel Baer, who has been at the Tolman springs the past month, returned home last week.  
Peter Applegate and his surveying party returned home Sunday from their work in Josephine county.  
Mrs. I. B. Williams, who has been spending several weeks in the Butte creek region, returned home last week.  
**Big Sticky Items.**  
BY BILL NYE'S BROTHER.  
Wm. Garrett is on the sick list.  
J. W. Smith and wife were guests of Mrs. G. C. Roberts last Sunday.  
Thos. R. Stotler, made a flying business trip to Medford last Thursday.  
Judge Day, of Jacksonville, was out on Big Sticky one day last week.  
F. C. Roberts and John Smith, Jr. have returned from Klamath county.  
Mrs. Walsh and daughter, Miss Minnesota, were doing business in Medford last Saturday.  
Mound school commenced Monday, August 31st, with Prof. John Harvey, of Gold Hill, as instructor.  
Mrs. Geo. Little and children, of Central Point, spent a couple of days this week with her sister, Mrs. David Cingcade.  
Jeff. Grigsby, wife and son, James, have gone to Crater lake and Huckleberry mountain, and will probably be gone three or four weeks.  
The family of O. Bursell are sojourning at the Dead Indian springs. Mr. Bursell accompanied them part way on his bicycle, returning the same day.  
F. R. Moore and family have returned from their outing. They camped at Silver camp for several days, but did not go on to the lake as intended, on account of the severe illness of little Earl.  
**Saxe Creek Items.**  
BY CAPT. JACK.  
John Wolkoff, of Grants Pass, is stopping at E. S. Brooks.  
E. S. Brooks is busily engaged in preparing for a big run in his hydraulic placer mine for this winter.  
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He has just completed a large ditch from Saxe creek.  
J. W. Roland, of Washington, was visiting on the creek the other day.  
D. L. Law, of Evans creek, was at the Sublett mine one day last week.  
Rev. Milton and E. D. Harding, of Pleasant creek, were at E. A. Green's Thursday.  
Mr. Gleason, of the Pleasant creek mines, passed through our vicinity the other day on his way to Butte creek.  
N. D. Young, superintendent of the Consolidated Saxe Creek Mining company, is preparing to run a large working tunnel on their bonanza lode "Caledonia." The ore assays high in free gold and is one of the richest mines in this district.  
**Roxy Ann Rockets.**  
BY ROXY.  
Mrs. J. P. Dodge, of Ashland, visited last week with W. P. Dodge and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilkinson and children are taking an outing at Mt. Pitt.  
School opened Monday, Aug. 24, at Lone Pine with Miss Mae Earhart, of Medford, as teacher.  
Wm. Carroll has been awarded the contract for building the new school house which work will begin soon.  
Misses Nellie Nute and Nellie Briggs returned from Leland, Ore., last week where they have been visiting.  
Misses Lillie Lynch and Bertie Webster, of Talent, Sundayed with Mrs. Hansen. Miss Bertie will remain a few days with her sister.  
Miss Sarah Ragsdale, of Beagle, who has been staying several weeks with Miss Nute, returned home last week accompanied by Miss Laura Nute.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Dodge accompanied by Mrs. C. Clark, Misses Doll and Nell Clark and Fred Clark, of Medford, started for Huckleberry mountain on Monday last. They will visit Crater lake before their return.  
**Her Conundrum.**  
It is often hard to determine hit from "good wit" in the case of children, and some of their flashes of precocity seem not to be unconscious, but rather the fragment of some remembered knowledge. A little maid of five, who had been listening quietly to the puzzles and conundrums of the older children, seemed at last to divine the method of their construction, and, after some thought, asked: "What could you get on a very high, steep mountain?" The answers were ice, snow, rocks, eagles' nests and the like, to all of which the little one persistently shook her head. When asked to tell the answer she triumphantly cried: "Nothing!" "But why?" asked the others, in a breath. "Because you couldn't get up there after it," was the demure reply.  
ACCORDING to an exchange, the bulk of fine gloves made in Russia are made from foal skins, an industry in which Russian workmen excel. They are generally cut and sewed by hand. Out of 500 skins from 1,200 to 1,500 gloves of the best quality can be made.  
You run no risk. All druggists guarantee Grove's Tasteless Chili Tonic to do all that the manufacturers claim for it.  
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**Ascending Mont Blanc.**  
It is an expensive as well as a very tiresome undertaking to ascend Mont Blanc. It costs at least fifty dollars a person, for by the law of the commune of Chamouni, each stranger is obliged to have two guides and a porter. So far as the danger is concerned it is now reduced to a minimum, but almost every year the mountain claims a victim. Bad weather is the chief thing feared by the guides, and so swiftly does it come that a cloudless sky may in fifteen minutes turn to a blinding snowstorm which beats you to the ground. Thus it was that some years ago a party of eleven persons perished. Five were found frozen stiff in the snow; the other six lie buried in the Glacier des Boissons. Forty years is the time allowed for the glacier to yield them up in the valley below.  
Malarial produces weakness, general debility, biliousness, loss of appetite, indigestion and constipation. Grove's Tasteless Chili Tonic, removes the cause which produces these troubles. Try it and you will be delighted. 50 cents. To get the GENUINE ask for GROVE'S. Sold by Strang, the druggist.  
**Lions and Bicycle.**  
It was an odd and startling adventure that befell Rev. R. P. Ashe, a missionary in Africa, while touring on a bicycle. He had got far in advance of his porters, and was spinning along at a pretty good speed, with his eye on the path, when suddenly he heard a noise as of animals galloping beside him. True enough, on glancing to the right he discovered three magnificent lions keeping him company. They were twenty or thirty yards to one side, and kept along with him for perhaps a hundred yards. Then they stopped, looked at him for a moment—a strange being he must have looked in their eyes—and bounded away at right angles, still stopping now and then to look back, till they disappeared in the long grass.—Youth's Companion.  
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**COLORADO HOTEL ETIQUETTE.**  
"Gents" Are Prohibited from Doing Many Things.  
A gentleman from Carrollton who has lately returned from the west has brought with him a copy of some rules he found posted in a hotel dining-room. "The hotel was the "Easters' Rest" at Little Creek, Col. "The Rules for the Guidance of Guests" follow:  
"All gents with shooting irons or other weapons must check them before entering the dining-room. Waiters are to refuse to be killed.  
"Gents are requested not to attract waiters' attention by throwing things at them. This is no deaf-mute asylum.  
"Seven kinds of pie are given with every dinner.  
"Tablecloths are changed every Sunday.  
"Our food is all of the best quality. Our milk is pure, eggs new-laid and the butter speaks for itself.  
"Guests tipping waiters must pay funeral expenses in case one should die from heart disease.  
"No more than six eggs will be given each at a sitting. Any guest found trying to work off his shells on a neighbor will be fired from the table.  
"Biscuits found riveted together can be opened with a chisel supplied by a waiter. The use of dynamite is strictly forbidden.  
"Disputes over articles of food must be settled outside.  
"Don't hassle the waiters, because the guests who can't throw the rope will be at a disadvantage.  
"Gents can take off their coats if they want, but must keep on their vests."  
Baltimore Sun.  
**Wind and Walking.**  
The Falkland islands and other regions of the south temperate zone are remarkable for the high and violent winds that blow across them. A recent visitor to the Falklands has noted the fact that the inhabitants of these islands, in consequence of being habitually compelled to brace themselves against the wind in walking, have acquired a peculiar gait, so remarkable that a native Falklander can be readily distinguished by his manner of walking. On account of this gait they are called "kelpers."—Youth's Companion.  
**Poor Napoleon!**  
The antiquity of modern inventions has often been the subject of remark by way of commentary upon the old saying that "there is nothing new under the sun." An extreme case is reported by the London News. A peripatetic exhibitor of the phonograph in Holland seems determined to distance all competitors. He was exhibiting the machine in the streets of Utrecht and a number of customers were listening to a selection of tunes. Suddenly the music ceased and there was a pause. Then in a loud, clear tone was heard the one word: "Halt!" "What is that?" asked one of the listeners. "That," was the reply, "is the voice of Napoleon Bonaparte giving an order at the battle of Waterloo!"  
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**Found dead!**  
There is something so shocking about sudden death that the mere mention of it sends the nerves of sensitive people. Millions of people pray for deliverance from it. Every Sunday in every Episcopal church in the world, these words are said:  
"From battle and murder and sudden death, Good Lord, deliver us."  
Just why sudden death should be shocking, and death after lingering disease easy to bear, would puzzle any one to tell. It would seem that it would be more terrible to see some loved one wasting away, daily becoming weaker—daily slipping toward a death no less certain because it was slow in coming. Consumption causes more deaths than heart disease—more than cholera—more than yellow fever—more than any other disease the world has ever known. And yet people are careless about it. A man in danger of sudden death from heart disease can avoid the danger simply by keeping quiet and avoiding excitement. Consumption goes right on with its deadly work, no matter what the man does or how he conducts himself, if he doesn't take the right medicine to cure it. Consumption affects the whole body. It is a blood disease. It permeates the whole system. It shows in the lungs because the blood goes to the lungs for purification. It carries impurities there to be made pure. If there is too much impurity, the lungs are over-worked—over-loaded—the impurity stops there. The germs of disease stop there. They develop and multiply and then consumption takes definite form. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures 95 per cent. of all cases of consumption, lingering coughs, throat troubles, the nerves of sensitive people, and bronchial diseases if it is taken according to directions. Get it at drug stores. Turn all about it in Dr. Pierce's great 100 page work, "Common Sense Medical Advice," which FREE on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps, covers cost of mailing only. It contains 100 pages, profusely illustrated. It is a valuable medical library, complete in itself. Every family should possess a copy for ready reference in case of sudden accidents. World's Dispensary Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

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