Correspondents

Eagle Point Eaglets.

BY A. C. HOWLETT.

Martin Bowles, of Little Butte, called on us on his way to Medford

Mrs. A. J. Florey and children are visiting at her father's in the Flounce Rock precinct.

Mrs. Geo. W. Daley, Jr., of Eagle Point, has been visiting her father-in-law, W. C. Daley's family, on the north fork of Little Butte creek.

Grandma Lowis was taken suddenly and violently ill last Friday and for a time her life was despaired of, but at last accounts she was slowly improving.

Miss Fannie Donegan, of Jacksonville, had the closing exercises of her school in Rogue River district, No. 37, last Friday. The exteacher and pupils. A few children from outside districts called in and took part on the occasion.

There were two quilting parties in this neighborhood on Wednesday of last week. One was at the Eagle hotel and the other was given by Mrs. J. P. Moomaw. Those in attendance report having had a royal good time, but that is a necessary consequence, as our ladies are all determined to be sociable.

County, called on your Eagle Point years, correspondent last week. He came Ite in to look after some business and to purchase supplies for the sum-mer. He is one of the Klamath County subscribers to THE MAIL and consequently he went to Medford for his supplies. He started for home on the 24th, in company with Geo. Hoyt and Wm. Perry.

Last Sunday Prof. Gregory county school superintendent elect, tavored our Sunday school with a visit. At the close of the regular exercises he was invited to address the school, and he entertained us for some time on the subject of the Sabbath school work. It is need less for me to say that such visits are highly appreciated and I am sorry that there were not more out to hear him.

Last Saturday morning Mrs. Howlett, three children and our daughter, Mrs. Hoyt, started for the mountains on a foraging expedition. They took a complete camping outfit, except the shot gun, concluding that an ax would suit them better than a gun. They went strawberrying and Mrs. H. took a lantern with them so they could pick in the night.

Griffin Creek Gatherings.

Mrs. Millard was visiting at Mr. Breazeale's Wednesday. Mrs. Millard was visiting Mrs. E

L. Redpath one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson were pleasant callers at E. L. Redpath,s

J. M. Guches is furnishing the brickyard at Medford with wood

this season. Misses Edna and Martha Millard

were visiting Laura Guches one day this week. Mr. and Mrs. E. Guches have re-

home from a visit of two weeks Mollie, who have been visiting in with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Priddy, Rogue river valley. at Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Priddy spent Saturday and Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Guches, on Griffin creek.

JONES.

Talent News Items.

Our farmere are all busy putting up hay.

Miss Meta Crosby is at Ashland for a brief visit. M. M. Carl, of Talent, has moved to the C. P. Good place, near Phoe-

nix, which he recently purchased. W. G. Knighten has leased his

place in Talent to a Mr. Sisemore, from Sams Valley, and has gone to Klamath County. S. G. Neatherland, our ex-post-

master, had a very severe attack of nose bleeding recently which lasted about five hours.

K. D. Jones, who has been living on Anderson creek, has moved over to Pelican bay, he having purchased a place in that vicinity.

H. K. Root, a stepson of Rev. David Brower, arrived in Talent a few days ago with his family. They intend to make this place their future home.

A couple of families sometime ago came up from Southern California and have since been stopping at the W. H. Hurley farm, on Anderson creek. They left a few

days ago for Pelican bay, accom-

Brownsboro Items

Miss Bessie Brown, of Eagle Point, was the guest of Misses Donna and Mubel Bell Sunday.

Wro. Perry, of Big Butte, started Wednesday for Ft. Klamath, taking with him a load of supplies for Geo.

The farmers are busy with their hay this week. The yield is large in this part of the country this season and we fully appreciate it.

Parties from different localities are beginning to seek the cool shade along the creek in our vicinity. Fishing is the pastime.

Rev. Edwin Russ, of Medford, will preach for us the first Sunday in July. We hope many of our friends will meet with us on that occasion.

Among the visitors at our Sunday school last Sunday were Carl Von der Hellen, the teacher at Lake Creek, and Miss Bessie Brown and Earl Taylor, of Eagle Point.

I. F. Williams, of Central Point, was here upon business a few days Mr. W. will again carry the ago. mail between Central Point and Big Butte, beginning July 1st.

The Halley brothers, of Medford, accompanied by Messrs. Lyon and Stickel, were in town Friday on their way to the McAllister soda springs. This resort and the Dead Indian springs promise to be as A. V. Barnum, of Klamath popular this summer as in previous

Items from Poorman's Creek.

Miss Ethel Crump was visiting with Mrs. J. Dungey a few days since.

Charles Crump and Charlie Householder made a business trip to Gold Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Hartley, of Griffin creek, were visiting R. Wilson's people Sunday.

Mrs. Susie Purcell, from near Central Point, was the guest of her mother for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Olson and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Wilson Sunday.

Miss Zella Yocum, of Poorman's creek, is at present the guest of Mrs. Peninger, of Gold Hill.

Etta and Ethel Brown, of Gold Hill, were visiting their friends at the Olson saw mill last week.

A social dance was given at R. Yocum's residence Saturday

The Mountain Home Literary Society met as usual last Saturday evening and elected new officers If they get half of their vessels full The question to be discussed at the we can give you, Mr. Ed., strawberry pie when you make us that the Female Mind Has Greater Influence on the Civilization and Happiness of the Human Race Than the Male Mind."

Klamath County Items.

From the Klamath Palls Express.

Mrs. L. F. Willits returned Sunday from Ashland.

Pool and Anderson, of the Gap came over last week from Medford with a new steel frame header.

Mr. Hubbard, of Medford, had a load of McCormick mowers delivered in Merrill one day last week, to supply the season's having wants.

Chas. E. Worden left Sunday morning for Ashland accompanied Mr. and Mrs. E. Guches have returned from a month's visit with Miss Kate Lemberger. He returned

H. C. Mackey and Ed. Weston, expert Medford photographers, are in the county combining business with pleasure.

WHY THE EYES TIRE.

It Is Because the Musele of Accou dation Soon Becomes Weary.

People speak about their eyes being tired, meaning that the retina or seeing portion of the eye is fatigued, but such is not the case, as the retina hardly ever gets tired, declares the Philadelphia Ledger. The fatigue is in the inner and other muscles attached to the eveball and the muscle of accommodation which surrounds the lens of the eye. When a near object is to be looked at this muscle relaxes and allows the lens to thicken. increasing its refractory power. The inner and outer muscles are used in covering the eye on the object to be looked at, the inner one being especially used when a near object is looked at. It is in the three muscles mentioned that the fatigue is felt and relief is

secured temporarily by closing the eyes or gazing at far-distant objects. The usual indication of strain is a redness of the rim of the eyelid, betokening a congested state of the inner surface, accompanied by some pain. Some-times this weariness indicates the need son and in other cases the true remedy is to massage the eye and its surroundings as far as may be with the hand wet

MATRIMONIAL GUESSES.

Speculations on the Popularity of the Month of June Among Brides.

June, the month of roses, is also the great matrimonial month in New York. The board of health statistics for the past year show this, for the number of marriages effected in June is larger than the record of any other month. November pushes it hard for first place, but June carries off the prize and is therefore entitled to add orange blossome to its beautiful robes of roses. The fewest marriages take place in

August, says the Sun. Nature is all a smile in June. The summer girl is in her glory. Senside and mountain wear new garbs of joy. Vacations begin. We don straw hats and tan whoes and negliges shirts and feel freer, happier and more hopeful than ever before. The gladness of the opening summer thrills us and it is only the proper caper that, under the circumstances, the love to which our young men's fancies turned in spring

should new blossom into matrimony.

The falling off of marriages in August is probably due to the summer young man's bankrupt condition after the gay out-of-town season, as the in-creased number of marriages in November is probably due to the fore-handed wisdom which prompts him to marry in time to save the Christmas gift he would have to make his wife if she were still only his best girl.

WANTED TOO MUCH.

A Servant Girl Who Did Not Care Fill the Place of a Wife.

The hired girl out of a job cast her eagle eye over the want notices of the newspaper. "Wanted, wanted, want-ed," she read in one or two line ads straight down the column, shaking her head at intervals, as if disappointed in by the amount of mointure in soils, says ther search. Finally her face lightened the Los Angeles Times. Rain does as she saw a leaded notice in another plants comparatively little good until it column of more pretensions than its enters the soil, where it can be ab-fellows, says the Washington Star.

She turned to it and read it engerly. Then she threw the paper from her. "What's the matter?" asked the girl

with her. "Read that," and she gathered up the sheet and handed it over to the other

one, who read this notice:
"Wanted—A young and strong wom an of good disposition and habits, obedi-ent and knowing her place, willing and much uncertainty in reaching this recready, active and efficient, to cook, wash and iron, do general housework and take care of children; evenings and afternoons off when possible. Apply,

with references, etc., etc."
"Well?" said the reader. "It's not well, at all," responded the one looking for work. "That man, whoever he is, is advertising for a wife, I should say from the advertisement, and I'm not looking for that kind of Just a plain bired girl's place is good enough for me."

STORES UP LIGHT.

Certain Queer Substances Which Act on Sensitive Plates in the Dark.

Dr. W. J. Russell, a prominent scientific man, has discovered that certain substances placed in juxtaposition to a highly sensitive photographic plats in complete darkness will become piccomplete darkness will become pictured upon the plate. Dr. Russell found that were established some fifty years that a polished piece of zinc, after four ago in the neighborhood of Berne, and or five hours' contact with a sensitized can now be found all over Switzerland, plate, has, as he paradoxically puts it, France, the Rhineland countries and photographed itself without the aid of southern Austria, says Chautauquan. light, showing lines scratched on the zinc, flaws, etc. Several other metals, wood, silk, straw, and other substances, also photograph themselves in darkness in the same manner. Actual contact with the plate is not necessary, says the London News.

In some instances in the course of the experiments screens were interposed between the substances to be photographed and the plates, but this had no effect on the results. One series of experiments produced a curious rewestminster Gazette and the Standard Westminster Gazette and the plates, the latter's parents, at Eagle Point.

Tuesday evening accompanied by faithfully reproduced on the plates, mobedy controls the proceedings of the Miss Laura Guches has returned Mrs. E. R. Reames and daughter, while when the Daily News was used lunch party, and the dinner bell does no photograph was obtained.

HIS REASONING.

A Slave's Clever Ruse to Escape Pun ishment at the Hands of

A famous southern elergyman re cently told a good story illustrating the whimsical ingenuity of the Ethiopiat mind, says the New York Mail and Ex press. A southern planter who was puzzled by the disappearance of a grea deal of rice, found out too. ... He sent purloined by a favorite slave. He sent latter and said: "Sam, I am very sorry to discover that you are thief and have been taking my rice. The slave smiled and answered: "I took your rice, masser; but I'm no thief.

"How do you make that out?" came

the query.
"Well, masser, does I belong to you, or does 1 not?

"Yes, you belong to me." "An' don't that rice belong to you?"

"Well, then, if I take that rice and

eat that rice it belongs to you still? It basn't gone away from you, and no other man's got it, and so I couldn't have stolen it, could I?"

TOOK A COLD SHOWER BATH

New and Elderly Pupil Stayed Under It Nearly Fifteen Minutes. A gentleman about 60 years of age en-tered a gymnasium and physical culture school in Brooklyn the other day and announced his intention of becoming a pupil to "build himself up," re-ports the New York Times. After hard head of the table, and the company



shower bath and then be rubbed down by an attendant with course towels thus promoting the circulation of the blood and putting the body in a healthy glow. The shower bath is in a small compartment, and the pupil enters and closes the door, manipulating the spig-ots to suit himself, while the attendant waits outside until he is through.

The elderly pupil was told after his first lesson that he had better take a cold shower, and he entered the compartment and closed the door. The at-tendant waited for nearly 15 minutes outside, and wondered what the man was doing, as he could hear the cold

water running, but no other sound. Finally from the compartment came the chattering query: "How long must I stay in this place? I'm freezing."

The new pupil was promptly rescued and resuscitated, and it was explained to him that it was not customary for a man to stay under the shower longer than two or three minutes on a cold winter day.

AMOUNT OF MOISTURE IN SOIL

Scientific Agriculturists Discover a Way of Determining.

Scientific angriculturists have always and a difficulty in determining preciseactual amount of water in the soil from day to day would, therefore, give the absolute value of the moisture condi-tions under which plants are growing. and even without reference to rain fall data it would show, the character of the soil being understood, whether the conditions were favorable or otherwise ord. A plan now proposed is quite aromising, and can be readily put in practice. It consists in burying speially constructed electrodes in the soil, so that by measuring the resist-ance to the passage of a current through the soil the amount of moisture in the oil can be ascertained. The possibility of using the electrical resistance of soils for the determination of moisture was uggested by the necessity of thoroughly grounding lightning rods, telephone and telephone inc. If these are not carried to a considerable depth, so that the terminals are constantly in a moist soil, the lines do not work in dry

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Grapes, it is true, are chiefly sweet water with a subtle flavoring from nature's own laboratory; but in no other form can the human organism absorb so large a quantity of blood-purifying liquids with such a minimum of distressing after effects. The expugative fluid reaches every part of the system, rinsing out morbid humors and restoring congested organs to a healthy state of functional activity, for reasons which, traced to their ultimate significance, mean that man, in spite of nature, is a frugivorous, not a carnivorous nor a herbivorous biped.

MINISTER AND CAPTAIN.

Effect of Youthful Looks Combined with a Yukon Traveling Dress.
The following anecdote is related in connection with Hon. Clifford Sifton's

trip to the Yukon country. The gov-ernment party embarked at Vancouver on the government steamer Quadra. The youthful looking minister of the interior, who was personally unknown to the captain of the vessel, retired to his eabin for the purpose of changing his clothes, and appeared shortly afterward at the dinner table in a Yuko: traveling sait, of which the prominent features were a blue flannel shirt and copper-riveted overalls.

Capt. Walbran, attired in full navaexercise for an hour it is customary for waited for the signal to begin. The capeach pupil to take a warm or cold tain seemed to have something on his

mind, however, and was apparently waiting for somebody. He fidgeted around generally, and looked occasionally over his shoulder toward the saloon entrance. Finally, when the soup was getting rather cool, the captain hearing

getting rather cool, the captain hearing one of the guests address the minister as "Mr. Sifton," said politely: "I beg your pardon, Mr. Sifton, but do you know if the minister, your fa-ther, is coming in to dinner?" Explanations followed, and now the captain has ordered the photographs of

all the members of the cabinet to be sent him for future use.

POETRY AND SCIENCE.

A Blank Verse Description of the Subtle Magnetic Fluid,

Philosophers and physicists are com-monly supposed to be too deeply enossed in dry facts and figures to have time for the poetical interpretation of science, but the definition of electricity given to an inquiring young woman by the late Gallleo Ferraris is direct con tradiction of this. To her question he unawered:

"Since Maxwell has demonstrated that the vibrations of light might consist of periodical changes of electro-magnetic forces, and as Hertz has given Maxwell's theory an experimental basis with his proof of the similarity existing between electro-magnetic waves and light waves, the belief becomes more and more firmly established that this light-conveying ether and the medium in which the electric and magnetic forces act are identical. Therefore may well reply to the question, O studi-ous and charming maiden: 'What is electricity?' that it is not only the fearful agent which at times lights up the heavens suddenly and startles the soul with its loud clapping of thunder, but also the life-giving and life-awakening cause which, as light and heat, brings forth the magic color and the breath of life, which transmits to thy heart the pulsations of the universe and awakens in thy soul the charm of glance and

PRESIDENT RUNS HIS OWN CAR

Relieves the Motorman Who Is Un provided with Warm Clothing. Albert Johnson, president of the Nas-sau Electric railroad, of Brooklyn, is

not above operating his own private car with the regular motorman as an only passenger. He proved it the other day when he stood at the motor box lever of the car from Ninth street to the bridge. The railroad officials had occasion to

go to New York. His private car wa run out from the shed at Twent-third street and started bridgeword. The motorman had failed to provide him-self with good, warm clothing, and as a result he shivered and shook on the front platform of the car until Ninth street was reached. There, as if seized with a sudden thought, Mr. Johnson jumped up from his richly upholstered chair in the cozy car and dashed out on the platform.

"Go inside and get warm," he said to the motorman, who attempted to expostulate. But inside he had to go. There, scated in the big chair, just vacated by his employer, he remained until the bridge was reached, where Mr. Johnson deserted his post at the moto box and went on his way to New York

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