

OUR COUNTY . . . Correspondents

Jacksonville News.

Miss Theresa Bryant spent Sunday and Monday in Ashland.

Sam'l Cook, a resident of Applegate, spent Friday in Jacksonville.

Marriage license was issued Jan. 18 to George Alverson and Allie J. Williams.

Mrs. Mary Hatch left on Sunday's train for San Francisco to visit relatives.

Born—in Jacksonville, January 15, 1899, to Mr. and Mrs. David Thompson, a son.

Senator Cameron came out from Salem Friday morning but returned to the capital Sunday.

B. W. Dennis, who has been spending a month in Jacksonville, returned to Seattle last week.

W. V. Jones, the Woodville merchant, spent Sunday in Jacksonville, accompanied by his children.

The Sunset telephone office has been moved from the Kubli building to J. F. Miller's hardware store.

Judge P. P. Prim this week sold his residence lot to L. D. Minear, recently from Iowa. The price paid was \$700.

Marshal John Huffer has taken a position at Beekman & Huffer's mine, and Henry Ireland is now wearing the star.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Cantrall and A. B. Saltmarsh, of Little Applegate, were here during the week upon various missions.

Owen Keegan, the court house janitor, has had a severe attack of la grippe. He was able to be out Tuesday, the first time for two weeks.

Prof. G. A. Gregory last week organized a singing school in Jacksonville with a good membership. The meetings will be held twice a week at the school house.

H. E. Smith, of Salem, representing an insurance order of United Artisans, spent several days in Jacksonville this week. He secured a charter list of twenty-five who will unite with the order. The order was instituted on Thursday evening.

Mrs. E. J. Kubli has purchased the house and office on California and Fifth streets, owned by Robert A. Miller. The price paid was \$500. The dwelling will be occupied by K. K. Kubli and family, while Judge Neil will continue to occupy the office.

Last Saturday afternoon Z. Cameron left his horse standing in front of the postoffice while he went in to get the mail. The horse became frightened and ran away, breaking the buggy considerably. It finally broke loose from the vehicle and ran as far as Senator Cameron's lot, where it stopped.

An industry of considerable importance has recently been brought into prominence in Jacksonville, and that is the manufacture of corn meal. Our townsman, Chris. Ulrich, who is one of our progressive business men, is now manufacturing a superior quality of corn meal. His mill is equipped with all the latest and up-to-date machinery necessary to the trade. A large sum of money is sent abroad each year to purchase corn meal which may now be kept at home as a result of the enterprise of Mr. Ulrich.

Memorial services were held at the Workmen hall, Wednesday evening, under the auspices of the Banner Lodge, No. 23, A. O. U. W. A large crowd of invited guests

were present. The following program was rendered: Invocation by Rev. S. H. Jones; song, "Gathering Home," by Misses Muller, Bryant, Colvig, Messrs. Thompson and Barnes and Mrs. G. Newbury; address, Wm. Colvig. The audience then repaired to the banquet room and enjoyed a most excellent lunch. Then followed a song by Miss Susie Applegate and brothers; recitation, Verne Whipp; song, "See-Saw," by Lena Ulrich, accompanied by Miss Emma Ulrich on organ and Miss Birdie Schmidt on mandolin; recitations, Gertrude Whipp and Vance Colvig; duet, Misses Muller and Helen Colvig; recitation, "Chariot Race," Miss Genevieve Reames; cornet duet, Prof. Schmidt and Miss Schmidt; song by the choir, "Till We Meet Again;" mandolin selection, Leon Hanna; song, "Grandfather's Spectacles," Emma Wendt. The exercises were nicely arranged and the performers did nicely.

Table Rock Items.

Dick Maben is doing some hauling from Medford.

Being short of news these items might be called "home made."

O. R. Pankey, our clever mail carrier, comes in on time three times a week.

Joe Van Hardenburg, of Little Butte, went to Sams Valley Tuesday to visit relatives.

Clarence Gunn rolled out with a four horse load of oats for Central Point Tuesday notwithstanding the bad condition of the roads.

Frank Bybee has been gathering in his cattle from outside ranges and putting them on the East Table Rock, where they do nicely during the winter months.

Charles Dickison has begun pruning his orchard. When the work is completed there will be a pretty good looking lot of trees furnish our doorway.

The bunch of hogs that was marketed by Mr. Gunn at Medford Thursday, cleans up the fat hogs of this section, for this season. Ed. Wilkinson was the buyer.

The directors have called a special school meeting for Jan. 23, to vote—tax or no tax. They claim that the census roll will not bring in enough money for a six months school.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Bybee are living on the Bybee farm near Mr. Dickison's. We are pleased to have this young couple become one of us, and hope their stay will be pleasant enough to warrant them in making this a permanent home.

The miners certainly should be satisfied with the prospects for a good working season; plenty of local rains to raise the small streams and with heavy snow fall on the high mountains, means a heavy output of gold for 1899.

The public dance given by L. A. Robertson last Friday, was quite well attended by young folks from different points of the valley. This same gentleman has lately been appointed road supervisor for this district and promises to work wonders this coming spring.

Rev. Huff, accompanied by David Beidler, spent Monday calling on our people, arranging for meetings to be held at our school house. Until further notice there will be preaching here the last Sunday of each month at eleven o'clock. A good attendance is hoped for.

Al. Kennedy is putting in his best licks these gloomy days educating a lot of young horses that he has under his charge. We would not be surprised if he developed some rare trick horses, but the question now is, which will get the better of the tricks, horses or trainer?

J. C. P.

Central Point Items.

Isaac Constant has a severe attack of la grippe.

Mrs. G. W. Little made Medford a visit last week.

Dr. Pickel, of Medford, was in our city on Tuesday.

Thos. Downing, a prominent citizen of Gold Hill, spent Sunday here.

L. C. Bolle, of Wellen, was trading here one day the first of the week.

C. J. Jeffrey has been confined to his room this week with a severe attack of la grippe.

There will be a donation party at the M. E. Church Friday evening. All are invited to attend.

James Brobst, who has been spending the past few weeks in Montana, returned last week.

W. A. Mann, has rented the Bybee farm on Rogue river, and will take possession in a few days.

D. L. Newton, of Ashland, spent a day here the first of the week visiting his son, L. H. Newton, who is ill with la grippe.

Lieut. A. A. Fries, of Portland, who has been paying relatives and friends of this place a short visit,

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returned home Tuesday.

The members of the W. H. Harrison Post, G. A. R. and W. R. C. will have a joint installation of their officers for the ensuing year, at the G. A. R. hall, next Saturday. Members from neighboring towns are cordially invited to attend.

Gold Hill Nuggets.

BY SWAT.

Mrs. T. J. Downing is on the sick list.

Scott Griffin, of Tolo, passed this way Monday.

Geo. Trefren, an attorney of Ashland, was in town Monday.

Geo. McCoy, of Tolo, is reported to be very sick with typhoid fever.

Miss Alice Mathews is visiting home folks, on Fooths creek, this week.

Miss Hattie Sizemore, of Sams Valley, is suffering from an attack of la grippe.

Rev. Gregory preached to a fair sized audience in the Methodist Church Sunday.

L. Jasiman has made quite an improvement in the way of new signs, in front of his saloon.

Mrs. Gilbert and daughter, Miss Anna, of Crescent City, Calif., are the guests of Mrs. A. L. Harvey this week.

S. V. McFarren presented a fine new lamp to the M. E. Church for which the members and friends are very grateful.

The I. O. O. F. block is completed and occupied. Ole Lawson, of Portland, the main plaster man, has done a nice job.

J. L. Hammersley has returned from Ashland and Jacksonville where he has been installing the officers of the I. O. O. F. lodges.

There will be a Fireman's dance in the new hall on Jan. 20th, for the benefit of the Hook and Ladder Company No. 1. Everybody dance.

On Tuesday night a number of young people surprised E. J. Eastman, one of our enterprising druggists, by giving him a genuine surprise birthday party.

Plenty of water now for placer miners. Long legged gum boots, and oil skin coats and hats are all the go. To— with the Spanish war, gold is king, we have him on the run and we will capture him.

An enemy burned E. J. Lamson's cabin after robbing it of its contents. Lamson is a miner and lived on Fooths creek. The latch string was always on the outside on Lamson's cabin; everybody was welcome. There was always something to eat and a bed for the weary. It is a great loss to him and the prospectors in these hills.

One day last week the freight department of our Southern Pacific depot was completely filled with freight, compelling one of the locals to carry the freight for this place to another station to be sent back when room was made. Perhaps a few instances like this will impress upon the officials of the Southern Pacific Company the necessity of putting in a larger depot at this place, at an early date.

In Olden Times

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently overcome habitual constipation, well-informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system. Buy the genuine, made by the California Fig Syrup Co.

Forest Creek News.

BY OPERA.

Our Sunday school has been postponed for awhile on account of the bad weather.

Mrs. A. E. Herriott, of Lower Applegate, is visiting a few days with her sister, Mrs. Armbrist.

Stock is doing well in this vicinity, grain is growing under the snow and all nature is doing its best for the dead of winter.

Ed. Nighten, of Trail creek, is employed during the winter at the mines of Willard Hughton, near the head of Fooths creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Armbrist were doing trading in Medford one day last week. They were also having dental work done by Dr. Odgers.

Mark Winingham and Ed. and Minnie Pence have been taking out quartz from their ledge west of the school house. Their last report was a \$26 rock.

John Winingham and J. D. Cook, of the Hydraulic mine, have been over at Jump-Off Joe on a mining proposition. They report the snow there waist deep.

We have had twelve inches of snow on the level which is now melting and bringing joy to the miners hearts. We sincerely hope they will get a good supply of water for they need it.

Your correspondent has a few cords of wood in his lot in Medford, which can be bought of Wm. Hamlin, of that place. I also have wood for sale in Jacksonville which is in the hands of Mr. McCrary.

Lake Creek Items.

BY BUMBLEBEE.

M. Hanley and family are all sick with la grippe.

F. Farlow reports six inches of snow at his ranch at Deer Creek prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Nichols were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Farlow last week.

Misses Eva Conley Sophia Ratrie were the guests of Mrs. M. D. Bowles last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Slinger were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Farlow, last week.

Owing to causes known and unknown to some, your correspondent has not written for some time and consequently did not report any of the events of the holidays. But would like even at this late date to mention the New Years dinner by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bradshaw. The dinner was excellent and showed the skill of that worthy matron and everybody just had a splendid time, which they could not help but do with so genial a host and hostess.

Last Thursday was a day long to be remembered by those who received invitations to a birthday dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Farlow in honor of their son, Thomas. Talk about your dinners; to be there and see and eat was the only way to realize what our kind hostess set before us. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Farlow, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Bowles, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Slinger, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bradshaw, J. H. Tyrell and family, Mrs. A. Downing and grandma and Miss Transy Clagg. In the evening the guests repaired to the home of Thos. Farlow for a social dance where they were joined by others. It would have undoubtedly been enjoyed by all had it not been for the over indulgence of some drink, stronger than coffee, by a couple of men.

Phoenix Shavings.

BY THE APPRENTICE.

Fred Weeks went up to Ashland Sunday.

Gus Epps and Mr. Weeks went to Medford last Saturday for a load of wood.

Mrs. Harrington, of Central Point, is visiting friends in Phoenix this week.

Miss McQuinnia and Miss Gertrude Weeks spent last week visiting Ashland friends.

There is considerable sickness about these parts, several cases of measles being reported.

Miss Alice Williams, who has been working over in California, arrived here Wednesday night of last week.

The singing school, which is being conducted by Mr. Weeks at the Presbyterian church, is getting to be quite an attraction to the young people.

La Grippe Successfully Treated.

"I have just recovered from the second attack of la grippe this year," says Mr. Jas. A. Jones, publisher of the Leader, Mexico, Texas. "In the latter case I used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and I think with considerable success, only being in bed a little over two days against ten days for the former attack. The second attack I am satisfied would have been equally as bad as the first but for the use of this remedy as I had to go to bed in about six hours after being 'struck' with it, while in the first case I was able to attend to business about two days before getting 'down.'" For sale by Chas. Strang, druggist, Medford; Dr. J. Hinkle, Central Point.

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Beagle Items.

BY A. D. HOUSTON.

Miss Clara Richardson is visiting friends in Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Martin were trading in Gold Hill last Thursday.

The measles are raging in this vicinity, there being about 15 cases at this writing.

Rev. Huff will preach at the Antioch school house next Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m.

Miss Lulu Briscoe, of Trail creek, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. M. Rogers, of this place.

G. W. Stacy spent a few days last week with W. T. Houston and family, of Long Branch.

Wm. Martin returned home last week after a month's visit to San Francisco and other California points.

Willie, the nine year old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Norris, was chopping with an ax last Saturday when in some manner it glanced, striking his younger brother, who was standing near by, and inflicting an ugly wound on his head. It was thought for awhile to be quite serious but the little fellow is now getting along nicely.

Spain has a peculiar way of going into mourning as a nation. The Madrid government has provided black stamps to be attached to each piece of inland mail matter. In order that every citizen shall do his share of the mourning it is further provided that the stamps must be paid for by the user, the amount to be in addition to the regular postage.

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A LITTLE HASTY.

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One night Chaplain Jones, of the Texas, heard volley firing on the Cuban coast, which was being guarded by the blockading squadron, and was told that marines were being landed from the Maribhead. The next morning, says the Buffalo Express, Capt. McCalla came alongside of the Texas in his launch and announced that four of his men had been killed and that there was still fighting. Chaplain Jones then approached Capt. Phillip and said that he would like to go ashore and look after the wounded and read the services for the dead. Capt. Phillip gave instant permission, and the chaplain prepared to go ashore with a boatload of marines that was in charge of a young lieutenant. As the worthy chaplain clambered over the side of the Texas the lieutenant looked up from the boat and called out: "Where are you going?" "Lieutenant," replied the chaplain, "I am going to bury the dead."

"For goodness sake give us a chance to get killed first," rejoined the officer. "Lieutenant, I am going to bury the dead that have already fallen," responded the chaplain, whereupon the lieutenant quickly replied: "I beg your pardon, chaplain, I was too hasty."

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