

OUR COUNTY
Correspondents

Eagle Point Eagles.

BY A. C. HOWLETT.

Born—January 26, 1899, to Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Beck, a daughter. Miss Mattie Taylor, who has been stopping in Medford for some time, returned home last Sunday. Miss Anna Jeffrey came out from Medford last Sunday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Loshier. Mesdames S. B. Holmes and Frank Brown spent last week at Central Point visiting their sister, Mrs. Wm. Holmes. Claude White, who has been stopping in Central Point for some time, returned to Eagle Point last Saturday upon a visit.

Quite a number of our young people went to Central Point last Saturday night to attend the entertainment given by the Degree of Honor lodge. They report having had a fine time.

The ground has settled since the heavy rains so that some of the farmers have commenced plowing. The present indications are that there will be a large amount of grain put in this season.

Jesse Safford came up from Ashland last week, where he is attending the normal. He was accompanied by Mr. Boone, who is also a student at the normal. They are the guests of Jesse's mother, Mrs. A. Pool.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Parker were called from their home on Big Butte last week by sickness in the family of their son-in-law, Prof. E. E. Smith, who is in charge of the school in Phoenix. They stopped with J. J. Fryer Friday night.

There is considerable sickness in this neighborhood, mostly la grippe, although there are several cases of pneumonia and some of them are quite serious. Mrs. Howlett and one of her little girls, Hattie, have been afflicted with the la grippe for the past week.

On Monday of last week Miss Anna Jeffrey, the principal of our school, received word that her mother was dead and at once returned to Medford, whereupon Prof. Lincoln Savage, who has charge of the primary department, appointed a committee to draft resolutions of condolence and express the sympathy of the school. On Wednesday they sent her the following expression of their regrets:

EAGLE POINT, Jan. 24, 1899.

MISS ANNA JEFFREY, Dear Teacher:—We know that no words can make amends for the great loss you have sustained in the loss of your mother. We deeply realize that the expressions of condolence wholly fail to restore the loved and lost one, and yet we cannot but hope that the heartfelt sympathy of ours will not be deemed an intrusion on your grief. It has been well said that "we weep for the loved and lost because we know our tears are in vain." We would ease your sorrow, yet we know not how; we can only acknowledge that the affliction is God's will. We may not doubt she is free from the pains that she so long endured here on earth, and when we gather at the river it is not a sweet consolation to think that among the loved and lost she may meet you on the other side? Commending you to Him who doeth all things well, we remain in the tenderest friendship. Therefore, we, your scholars, extend our heartfelt sympathies to you in your bereavement.

Written by the committee in behalf of the school.

BESSIE BROWN,
TAVIE HOWLETT,
IRA LUNGATE,
JOE MOOMAW,
FRANK NICHOLS.

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Woodville Items.

Our meetings closed last Thursday after two weeks' duration.

Mrs. Wright, of Central Point, visited relatives here last week.

B. F. Carter and Wm. Wilt made a business trip to Grants Pass last week.

Farmers are everlastingly "rolling logs," so to speak, in their preparation for spring work.

Lee Bradshaw, of Brownsboro, visited here several days last week with his brother, Deo Bradshaw.

Miss Maud Comstock, who has been the guest of Mrs. D. Bradshaw

Pure Tea
in packages
at grocers'
Schilling's
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for a couple of weeks past, returned to her home at Jacksonville last Saturday.

Mr. Burkhardt and family have moved to Evans creek, where they will farm during the coming season.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haymond has been dangerously ill, but is now improving rapidly.

The dance in the school house last Friday evening was a crowning success. All present report having had a royally good time.

[If the writer of the above items will supply this office with his or her name, we will gladly furnish self-addressed, stamped envelopes and copy paper. We would be glad to put items in type each week from Woodville.—Ed.]

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents.

Brownsboro Items.

BY REBECCA.

J. K. Bell made a business trip to Eagle Point Saturday.

F. Fredenburg and family, of Big Butte, removed into this vicinity a short time ago.

C. E. Terrill has just returned from a trip to Big Butte, where he has been riding for cattle.

Wm. Martin and Jos. Randle, of Lake Creek, and Wm. Cook, of Big Butte, were among the comers and goers of the past week.

Jas. Martin, who has taken charge of Mr. Syke's place, near Phoenix, went there during the past week for the purpose of pruning the orchard trees during the good weather.

Sick Headaches.

The curse of overworked womanhood, are quickly and surely cured by Karl's Clover Root Tea, the great blood purifier and tissue builder. Money refunded if not satisfactory. Price 25 cts. and 50 cts. Sold by Chas. Strang, Druggist.

Klamath County Items.

From the Republican.

The public road between Klamath Falls and Fort Klamath is in a very good condition for this time of the year.

Rover Morgan (Indian) was killed on the reservation last Tuesday by a log rolling over him. He was hauling wood when one of the logs which he had chained to the sled on which he was riding came unloosed and rolled off, throwing Morgan to the ground.

Deputy District Grand Master Frank Light, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, arrived here last Tuesday from Lakeview accompanied by James and Henry Heryford, V. L. Snelling and S. F. Ahlstrom, who proceeded last night to institute a lodge of Odd Fellows here. The lodge will be known as Klamath Lodge No. 137, I. O. O. F.

From the Klamath Falls Express.
Last week I. D. Applegate sold 600 head of mutton sheep to Louis Gerber at 3 cents, and parties from Lakeview state he sold this week 1000 head of stock sheep to Sol. Chandler at \$3 per head.

T. J. Ollild and crew took 160 head and 500 mutton sheep to Montague, by way of Merrill, last Friday. They were fed on the Reames & Martin, J. T. Henley and E. W. Gowen ranches, and are all in fine condition.

Malaria produces weakness, general debility, listlessness, loss of appetite, indigestion and constipation. Groves' Tasteless Chili Tonic removes the cause which produces these troubles. Try it and you will be delighted. To get the genuine ask for Groves' for sale by Strang, the druggist.

The Nevada legislature has again elected William M. Stewart United States senator.

Prof. Cummings Cherry, famous in America as a geologist, died at Chicago a few days ago. Cherry began his researches in California many years ago.

Present coast passenger rates to Skagway and Dyea are \$15 and \$25 respectively; freight rates, \$3, \$9 and \$10 per ton; live stock, per head: horses, \$35.00; dogs \$5.

The Twentieth United States infantry arrived at San Francisco last week and immediately boarded the transports and sailed for Manila.

The New York Central railroad or the Vanderbilt lines are said to be preparing to construct a road between Ogden and San Francisco, in order to have a transcontinental line.

Captain John Dauris, a pioneer of the early '40s, died at Monterey recently. Dauris help raise the Stars and Stripes over Monterey during the war with Mexico.

The transport Zealandia left Manila Thursday for San Francisco with 164 officers and enlisted men. The soldiers on the Zealandia are said at the war department to be convalescents.

A. D. Holmes, arrested in San Francisco for passing a forged check for \$25 on a saloon-keeper of Fresno, pleaded guilty to obtaining money under false pretenses and was sentenced to the county jail for six months.

The canners of British Columbia are alarmed at the proposed action of the Ottawa government respecting the canning industry. They say that if the proposed suggestion is carried into effect their \$3,000,000 industries will be driven bodily into the United States.

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Safeguards the food against alum.
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KANGEROO KAWON.

MY DEER ED—I seed by yer last issue ov THE MEDFORD MAIL an anser to my kommunikashun by 1 Harry Hembrey, ov Stikky, acknowledging my version of the dog killing to be karrect, but he sed I did not tell the hull thing. Now, my deer Ed? I only told what eye herd to be facts. I sent Prof. Skonchin, my enterpreter, up to the springs to asserntain what enfermation kud be obtained, and the following bit is what he got for me, viz: No jug, no flask, no explosion, no dog killed by Hembrey—only krippled, 2 deer krippled by Hembrey, one ov 'em was a pet misstook for a wild one and tuther one Hembrey krippled and Kame killed it. 2 men as wuz huntin' up thar at the same time sed the saw a man up above the springs, as wuz gone wild on millitary takticks. Thar sed he had a lot ov treze lined up and wuz given 'em orders—parrad march, keep up in line, etc. Jist then the 2 men kum up to him and axt him what heez drin', sez he, "My kname is Captin Hembrey. Ize captin ov the 250th mounted infantrtee, vollentreeze ov Medford, and Ize praktizizing for the fray." Spoze mika kumtux Boston wa-wa? Nika pealta klatawa tenesa siyah kopa ilahaee nika nanage hieyou nowwich nika mimmaloke. Now, deer Ed, if yer ever kum up this way stop and see me.
Yoursz as ever,
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The latest report from Washington concerning the First California regiment is that it will return on the transport Scandia as soon as the vessels reaches Manila and the troops disembark. The Scandia sailed from San Francisco last week.

Romoldo Lopez, the Mexican who pleaded guilty to the charge of cattle stealing and attempted to implicate Hurry Flourney, a butcher of Pasadena, received a sentence of seven years in San Quentin penitentiary. The case against the others named by Lopez as accomplices fell flat.

The residence of Mayor Bergman of Astoria was robbed recently, and his wife lost a thousand dollars' worth of diamonds. A front window was found open and female footprints found in front of the house. The servant girl is under arrest, and Chief Hallock promises that he will discover the diamonds.

The completion in every detail of the longest power transmission system in the world, that which supplies the city of Los Angeles with electricity from power developed at the head of the Santa Ana river 80 miles away. The system has occupied several years in building and has caused the expenditure of large sums of money.

Private E. A. Doty of Battery C, Heavy Artillery, California Volunteers, was drowned in the ocean at Fort Canby, Wash., Doty, with two companions, started to climb around a bluff when he was washed off by the surf. He was carried out to sea by the heavy breakers, and his companions were unable to assist him. Doty leaves a widow at Chico, Cal.

Lafayette Ditty, a colored man, who has been acting as a cook for E. J. Baldwin at his celebrated Santa Anita ranch, drowned himself and his twelve-year-old son on Sunday last in a reservoir on the ranch, five miles east of Pasadena. Ditty had a bad attack of grip, which appeared to effect his mind, and his wife had noticed that he had been acting strangely for the last few days.

Two masked men entered a house on a vegetable ranch east of Sacramento in which ten Japanese were asleep, and, presenting pistols, made them all get up and hand over their money and valuables. They got at least \$50 in money and several watches. One of the Japanese, named Tatsunama, made some resistance and the robbers shot and killed him.

The trustees of San Luis Obispo at a meeting recently formally agreed with Le Franc and Ryland, representatives of the San Luis Water company, for the sale of all the property of the water company to the city for \$50,000. This is the result of negotiations pending for many months. The company at one time asked \$125,000 for the works, but the citizens showed a determination to put in a system of their own.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

ITEMS OF INTEREST PICKED FROM THE WEEK'S DISPATCHES.

Fatal Accident While Trying to do a Trick With a Shotgun—British Columbians Arrived at the Influx of Japanese—Brothers Charged With Arson.

Marin county capitalists are to open a bank at San Rafael.

The Santa Clara county farmers' club has 150 members.

This year's celery crop of California is estimated at 700 carloads.

A farmers' institute was held at Sebastopol early in the week.

Nevada miners have asked the legislature to pass an eight-hour law.

The Paso Robles bank and the Citizens' bank of Salinas, will consolidate on February 1st.

On March 1, 1720 stamps will be in operation at the Alaska-Treadwell mine, on Douglas island.

Ten thousand carloads is the latest estimate of the present orange crop of the southern counties.

Machinery is to be put in the new sugar factory at Oxnard so as to raise it to its maximum capacity.

The graduating class of the state normal school at Chico, 29 in number, received their diplomas Friday.

A man recently from New Mexico is in the county hospital at Sacramento suffering from smallpox.

A severe wind storm prevailed in the mountains back of San Diego, and several houses were blown down.

A party of eight eastern prospectors was caught in an Arctic blizzard on the Valdez glacier, Alaska, and five frozen to death.

The holdover stock of beans in Ventura and Santa Barbara counties has been exhausted. There will be a large acreage of beans planted the coming season.

The Union Sugar company of Santa Barbara will plant 4000 acres of sugar beets in the Santa Maria valley and 3000 acres have been contracted for with farmers.

Mrs. Thomas Kell and her 8-month-old child were thrown from a buggy near San Jose. The mother sustained a broken arm and the child was instantly killed.

A. G. Bradley, the old soldier who shot Governor Smith of the Soldiers' home at Santa Monica, has been found guilty of assault with a deadly weapon. The jury recommended him to the mercy of the court.

The plant of the Tehama Electric Light and Power company, recently completed at Red Bluff, was destroyed by fire last week. The loss is about \$12,000. It is probable that the plant will be rebuilt at once.

The San Bruno hotel, in the outskirts of San Francisco was destroyed by fire Sunday. Mathias Eicoorn, an aged boarder, was burned to death, and five firemen were injured.

F. S. Markarian, and his brother Charles are in Jail at Fresno, charged with arson. One of the brothers confessed that they constructed a machine which set fire to their furniture store. They had the place heavily insured.

William Pinkney Toler, who as a midshipman on the staff of Commodore Jones in 1842, raised the first American flag on California soil, died at his home in Oakland, after a prolonged illness. Owing to ill health for many years he had been compelled to lead a retired life. The immediate cause of his death was dropsy.

Nellie, the 4 year old daughter of W. G. Hind, of Salinas, poured some coal oil on a fire in the sitting-room of their home. The can exploded, setting her clothes on fire. Her father smothered the flames, but not until the child's hair was burned off close to the scalp.

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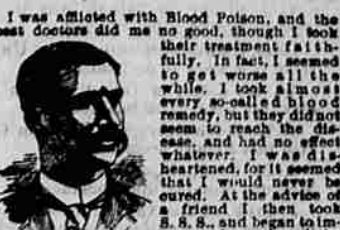
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Where? How long?
Do you have pains?
Where? How long?
Night sweats? How often?
Do your eyes blur? When?
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Southern California railroads are reported to be abandoning the efforts to burn oil in their engines.

Mrs. J. P. Christenson, aged 70, wife of a contractor of San Diego, started to drive to Old Town with her son. The horse ran away at Old Town, being frightened by a passing bicycle, and the old lady grabbed at the lines, but only caught one of them, which caused the horse being turned short over the hillside. The woman then jumped from the buggy, fracturing her skull and dying a few minutes later.

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