

# OUR COUNTY Correspondents

Eagle Point Kaglela.

BY A. C. HOWLETT.

W. J. Compton started up his thresher last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fryer visited Mrs. John Young Sunday.

Mr. Saltmarsh, of Sterling, visited at Wort. Pool's last week.

R. L. Friend took a load of Snowy Butte flour to Ashland last Saturday.

Our old school house will be sold to the highest bidder one week from next Saturday.

Mrs. John Compton is visiting in Gold Hill, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Birdsey.

Mingo Beasie Brown and Lottie Taylor were pleasant callers at our house last Sunday.

J. Hartman, who has been working on Applegate for some time, came over last week to see his wife and new baby.

Quite a number of pioneers from Medford and other valley towns were out in the banks of Little Butte Sunday.

Harold Guiren, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown, of this place, arrived from Portland the latter part of last week.

The carpenters who are erecting the new school house are rushing the work right along. The frame was raised Tuesday.

Neil Walsh, who has been over at Sisson for some time, returned home last week to manipulate one of the forks for Compton's thresher.

There is a move on foot to have a festival for the purpose of raising funds to make some needed additions to the new school house.

H. V. B. Gibson, recently from Randsburg, Calif., is preparing to prospect our mountains for quartz and placer mines. He is also here for his health.

During the past week there has been quite a number of families on the road going to the soda springs on the North and South forks of Little Butte creek.

The bridge across Antelope creek, on the Medford-Eagle Point road, was completed last week and Hon. Judge Crowell came out Saturday to inspect the same.

A report was circulated that the Phoenix ball team would be up here and play against our nine Sunday, but for some reason they failed to arrive. Probably they are working at something else for bread and butter just now. Most of our nine are at present "playing ball" in the harvest fields.

Last Saturday the New York Comedy Company posted their bills here for an entertainment. During the afternoon an attachment was placed on the team for a pasture bill and at the present writing the team is in the hands of Deputy Constable Pool. The entertainment was attended by about fifteen of our citizens, and now they all wish they had their money back. How long will it be before the people will learn not to patronize the traveling bill-keepers who are fleecing the people out of their money?

A company of three men, somewhat under the influence of whisky, passed along the road near Brownsboro one day last week, and finding three little children playing beside the road, caught them and removed all of their clothing and then carried them quite a distance along the road. Dee Bradshaw happened by a short time after and found two of the men lying on the bank of the creek, while the third one was carrying water and pouring on the other two. If the strong arm of the law was brought to bear on such characters it might prove a benefit to them.

Brownsboro Items.

BY REBECCA.

R. McDonald is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Agnes Owens, of Wellen, called on friends here Monday.

Messrs. Carlton and crew, of Wellen, commenced heading Wednesday. Some of our boys are with them.

Messrs. Hammersley, Reames and Brightman came dashing into town and camped for breakfast Friday morning, having driven from

Gold Hill and crossed the desert in the cool hours before sunrise.

Dr. Hilderbrand passed through town Saturday on his visit to the little son of Gus Nichols, of Lake Creek, who is ill.

We welcomed Oils Cameron and a crowd of merry companions last Saturday, who were returning from the springs to gladden the heart of your Jacksonville correspondent, who complained in last week's issue of THE MAIL that the "old town" was too quiet since so many are away on camping excursions.

Oregon attracts the attention of the nation as a camping-out and pleasure-seeking state; and no wonder—with its ocean strand, its scenery of lakes and mountains so beautiful, its springs so healthful, its climate so perfect, rain seldom falling from the middle of June until the first of September; sunshiny days, blue skies and starry nights. Our people go and THE MAIL with its circulation of 2000 unconsciously helps to make this fact eminently known, judging from the numerous mentions from the various correspondents in the last few issues of the paper. And yet our busy homesteaders hear the click of the header, the hum of the thresher and the golden grain is stored away.

The Best Remedy for Flux.

Mr. John Mathias, a well known stock dealer of Palaski, Ky., says: "After suffering for over a week with flux, and my physician having failed to relieve me, I was advised to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and have the pleasure of stating that the half of one bottle cured me." For sale by Chas. Strang, druggist, Medford; Dr. J. Hinkle, Central Point.

Wimer Items.

BY SUMMER.

The farmers are all busy cutting their grain at present.

Charles Williams, assisted by his brother-in-law, is cutting his hay this week.

G. W. Turnbow has returned to his home in Lane County after a brief visit with his daughter, Mrs. Charles Williams.

Luther Schumaker, who has been assisting Frank Burkhardt with his harvesting, returned to his home on upper Grave creek Friday.

Last Monday while Mr. Wake-man was hauling hay at his father's home on Pleasant creek, his team ran away, and in jumping from the wagon he was unfortunate in dislocating his ankle.

Klamath County Items.

From the Republican.

Hay hands are not so scarce this week as last.

Arthur J. Weeks, of Medford, was in the Falls Monday and left on Wednesday for Lakeview.

Thos. Weedon has traded his ranch on Tule lake for property in Ashland, and has gone there with his family to live.

F. K. Deuel and wife, of Medford, arrived in the Falls Sunday evening and left Monday for Dennis' resort on Steadham creek, where they will remain about a week and then they will visit Crater lake on their return home.

W. M. McIntyre, of Spring lake, recently traded 320 acres of land in this county for 25 acres in Jackson County, near Ashland. Ten acres of the land is planted to orchard and the balance uncultivated. Mr. McIntyre will move his family over to Ashland this fall.

Emmitt Austin and E. S. Gardner, promoters of the Merrill Klamath Falls telephone system, were in the Falls Monday. Mr. Gardner went to Montague Tuesday after the wire and insulators for the line. They say they have ordered eighteen miles of cable to lay across Tule lake so they can make connection with the Montague line.

Sunday night H. E. Sherley, C. C. Wilson and W. S. Worden were camped at Barkley springs, on Modoc Point, where they had an encounter with a panther. About midnight Wilson got up and went to the spring after a drink of water, and as he stooped over he heard the brush near by move, but paid no attention to it, but when he started for the camp he looked back and saw a large panther which followed close behind him, much to his discomfort. None of the party had any firearms to defend themselves with, but proceeded to build a large fire, which frightened the beast away. This animal has on several occasions made himself so brave as to follow people traveling that road at night.

From the Klamath Falls Express.

District Attorney C. B. Watson came in Tuesday morning from Ashland.

Louis Gerber, of Brookvale ranch, Horsefly valley, was in town Friday. He bought 1500 head of sheep while in Lake County which he will feed for a while before starting them for the railroad.

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### GOLD TEETH NOT ALL GOLD.

Often Are Removable Shells, Worn to Make a Show.

"I'd hate to pay that woman's dentist bill," said a business man to a friend on a South Side L train the other day. Across the aisle from the men was a woman who showed enough gold every time she opened her mouth to make a man want to leave home and try his fortunes in the Klondike. Two of her upper teeth had been replaced by pieces of burnished metal, and one of her lower teeth also had a 22 carat shell about it. Her companion had only one gold tooth, but she kept it doing the work of three by a constant smile.

"That's another case of the old adage. 'All that glitters is not gold,'" said the business man's friend. "One of the dental novelties makes gold teeth possible to any one at a small cost and without even sacrificing a healthy incisor to make room for the metal. For a quarter you can get a shell that can be stuck over any front tooth, and with an excuse to smile you can present a regular gold mine to the astonished public.

"Actress first affected the gold tooth, and then the Yankee man got an idea. In a short time there was an epidemic of gold teeth. The novelty man came out with his plated shells and sold them like hot cakes. No one but the dentist has any kick against the imitation gold tooth, and as a dazler it is hard to beat. That woman's teeth may be the real stuff, but I believe she can slip them off when she wants to and get them plated when they get tarnished."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Skating on Water.

According to Professor J. Joly of Trinity college, Dublin, a skater really glides about on a narrow film of water continually forming under the skate and resuming the solid form when relieved of pressure. He shows that the pressure under the sharp edge of the skate, along the short portion of the steel curve which is at any moment in contact, is great enough to liquefy a thin line of ice, and this gives the skate its "bite." When the ice is very cold, the pressure is sometimes inadequate to reduce the melting point sufficiently, and then, as all skaters know, it is difficult to make the skates bite. For very cold ice Professor Joly recommends "hollow ground" skates, because the effective pressure increases with the thinness of the edge.

Not Exactly Growing.

"Is your town growing?" asked the Pittsburgh man of a fellow traveler on the cars.

"Well, no; I can't say it's growing," was the reply, "not growing to speak of, but it is improving in its tastes right along."

"You mean the people are assuming a higher standard?"

"I do sir, yes, sir. We now get bananas every day from Cincinnati, and five out of six groceries keep shredded codfish and Limburger cheese. We don't look for any building boom or influx of strangers, but we'll hold our own and gradually work up to electric door bells and oysters on the half shell."—Philadelphia Press.

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Its Chief Use.

A little boy writing a composition on the zebra the other day was requested to describe the animal and to mention what it is useful for. After deep reflection he wrote: "The zebra is like a horse, only striped. It is chiefly used to illustrate the letter Z."

An Irish philosopher says it's a great blessing that night comes on late in the day when one is too tired to work longer.

Most people who rob Peter to pay Paul forget the last part of the contract.—New York News.

A Thousand Tongues

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of 1125 Howard St., Philadelphia, Pa., when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this Royal Cure—"It soon removed the pain in my chest and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the universe." So will everyone who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the throat, chest or lungs. Price 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Chas. Strang's drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

### Corcoran Convicted.

WALLAHA, Idaho, July 27.—Paul Corcoran was this morning found guilty of murder in the second degree by a jury in the district court for the killing of James Chayne at Wardner on April 29 last during the riots, when a mob of 1000 miners blew up the Bunker Hill and Sullivan concentrator. Judge Stewart this evening sentenced Corcoran to serve 17 years in the penitentiary.

Corcoran was considered a test case, and had he been acquitted it is improbable that any of the other 800 men who are under arrest would have been tried for participation in the riots and murders at Wardner. This afternoon, however, Judge Stewart set the trials of Graddock and Inman on a charge of murdering Smith and Chayne for September 4.

President and Premier.

HOTEL CHAMPLAIN, (N. Y.), July 26.—There is a possibility that President McKinley and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, premier of Canada, may meet on the dividing line between the Dominion and the Republic and there in a spirit of friendliness, discuss the differences arising from the Alaskan boundary dispute. The plan of the meeting is said to emanate from a high British official, and is now under the consideration of President McKinley.

It is a matter of common knowledge that England has for many weeks been quietly and firmly urging Canada to yield to America's demands on the border question. Seeing the futility of prolonging the squabble, England very naturally is said to have advised the Canadian authorities to cease quibbling.

Four Negro Murderers Hanged.

BALTIMORE, (Md.), July 28.—Upon one scaffold and simultaneously four negroes were hanged at 9:48 a. m. today in the Baltimore city jail yard. Cornelius Gardner, John Mayers and Charles James paid with their lives for criminal assault on Annie Bailey, a 13-year-old negroess. Joseph Bryan, the fourth member of the quartet, killed Mary Pack, a negroess.

A President Assassinated.

PORT DU PRINCE (Island of Martinique), July 27.—Details have been received here of the assassination of President Heurieux of Santa Domingo at Moca yesterday. The president had gone to Moca, and at the entrance to the city was fired at by four individuals. He had gone there to investigate reports that an insurrection was imminent owing to a financial crisis. He was about to leave Moca for Santiago de las Caballeros when he was killed. He sat under the gallery of a house in the Rue Colon talking with two friends at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon, when an old man approached to ask for alms. Just as the president gave the old man some money, Corcoran, the assassin, rushed forward quickly and fired twice from his revolver. One bullet struck the heart of the president, killing him instantly, and the other killed the old man by his side. The crime was committed so quickly that the friends of Heurieux were not able to interfere in time to prevent it, but they fired several shots at Corcoran, who ran away accompanied by several persons. The assassin's party returned the fire of the president's friends, and the assassin escaped.

Trouble Expected.

PORTO PLATA (San Domingo), July 29.—The situation is critical. An outbreak is momentarily expected. The friends of the government are under arms and ready for action to protect property and peace. A feeble attempt was made to seize the body of President Heurieux by the assassins, Ramon Corcoran, Manuel Corcoran, Horacio Vasquez and Domingo Pichardo, who are in the country about Moca, with their followers.

The burial of President Heurieux was conducted with fitting honors. Governor Pepin has assembled troops in Moca and the governor of La Vega has 1000 men. The minister of the treasury has arrived at Moca in hot haste. The government is taking steps for the protection of business and the finances of the country and expects to carry out the contemplated cancellation of the state bank notes. In Porto Plata there is an urgent demand that the government send a sufficient force to Moca to hunt down the assassins of the president.

Yellow Fever at Soldiers' Home.

NEWPORT NEWS, July 30.—There are 80 cases of what is believed to be genuine yellow fever at the National Soldiers' Home, near Hampton, and three deaths from the disease were reported today. There were several other deaths at the institution yesterday, but it cannot be stated tonight that all of them were caused by yellow fever. Newport News and Hampton will quarantine against the Soldiers' Home tomorrow morning. The government authorities at Old Point have already adopted this step, and no strangers are allowed to enter the reservation.

Boy Shoots Himself While Hunting.

VISALIA, July 24.—Walter Crow, the 19-year-old son of Mrs. A. R. Orr of Visalia, accidentally shot himself while hunting. The bullet took effect in the left side of the body. The boy is dangerously wounded.

Official advice from Poteria state that President Kruger of the Transvaal government has resigned.

The hay crop of Nevada is said to be excellent. It is practically all an irrigated land.

The testimony is uniform from all points north of Tohachapi that grain crops are turning out better than had been expected. This paragraph is based upon thirty or forty statements to that effect from different places, which would fill a column if printed in detail.

# A SMALL SPOT MAY BE CANCER.

**MOST VIOLENT CASES HAVE APPEARED AT FIRST AS MERE PIMPLES.**

The greatest care should be given to any little sore, pimple or scratch which shows no disposition to heal under ordinary treatment. No one can tell how soon these will develop into Cancer of the worst type. So many people die from Cancer simply because they do not know just what the disease is; they naturally turn themselves over to the doctors, and are forced to submit to a cruel and dangerous operation—the only treatment which the doctors know for Cancer. The disease promptly returns, however, and is even more violent and destructive than before. Cancer is a deadly poison in the blood, and an operation, plaster, or other external treatment can have no effect whatever upon it. The cure must come from within—the last vestige of poison must be eradicated.



Dr. Wm. Walpole, of Washburn, S. D., says: "A little blotch about the size of a pea came under my left eye, gradually growing larger, from which shooting pains at intervals ran in all directions. I became greatly alarmed and consulted a good doctor, who pronounced it Cancer, and advised that it be cut out, but this I could not consent to. I read in my local paper of a cure effected by S. S. S., and decided to try it. It acted like a charm. The Cancer becoming at first irritated, and then discharging very freely. This gradually grew less and then discontinued altogether, leaving a small scar which soon dropped off, and now only a healthy little scar remains where what threatened to destroy my life once the full way." Positively the only cure for Cancer is Swift's Specific—

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8:30 p. m.	Ar.	Ostlen	Ar.	7:30 p. m.
8:15 p. m.	Ar.	Lowell	Ar.	6:45 p. m.
8:40 a. m.	Ar.	Omaha	Ar.	8:50 a. m.
8:15 p. m.	Ar.	Chicago	Lv.	6:30 p. m.
7:30 a. m.	Ar.	Low Angeles	Ar.	3:35 p. m.
8:15 p. m.	Ar.	El Paso	Ar.	2:35 p. m.
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