Correspondents

Jacksonville News.

Jas. E. Pelton and Lindsey Sisemore, of Sams Valley, were here during the week on business,

Herbert Hanna arrived from San

Quite a crowd of young people oranges and nuts at the close of the from here attended the foot-ball entertainment.

game at Central Point on ChristThe wedding of Clarence L. mas day.

Attorney B. B. Beekman, of Port-land, and Wm. Johnson, of the state university, are spending the holi-days in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Isabella Allen and little daughter Bessie left for their home

Those who joined Barr's excur-sion to Sau Francisco from Jack-up for the happy couple. sonville were T. J. Kenney, Chas. Prim, A. N. Soliss, Ed. Helms, Mrs. Geo, R. Neuber and daughter and

audience was not so large the second night.

Banner Lodge No. 23, A. O. U. W., on last Friday evening was the to Jacksonville on Wednesday. scene of a very enthusiastic meet-On that occasion twenty-eight candidates were received into that noble o der, nearly all of whom are young men and all desirable mem-A nice lunch closed the festivities of the evening.

Marriage licenses have been issued by County Clerk Newbury as follows: Dec. 20, to George Feldmear and Lulu Belle Roberts; to Claude Inghram and Mary A. Dosier; to John C. St. John and Ella Slover: Dec. 21, to Clarence L. been very ill, is considerable better.

Reames and Clara Colvig; to Wal
Alpha Friel, who is attending the ter B. Freeland and Jeanette Reeser; Dec. 22, to A. B. Gigax and Bertha Mae Bailey.

Mr. Caruthers, proprietor of the Boss Candy Kitchen, has one of the most attractive show windows this city. in the town. In one window is a dwelling house erected from different makes of candy, the roof being last Friday.
of peanut taffy. The little front Harlis R. of peanut taffy. The little front yard is enclosed by a neat fence made of taffy resembling bright hued ribbons. Mr. Caruthers is certainly a genius in his trade, and

That Cough Hangs On

You have used all sorts of cough remedies but it does not! yield; it is too deep seated. It may wear itself out in time, but it is more liable to produce la grippe, pneumonia or a serious throat affection. You need something that will give you strength and build up the body.

SCOTT'S **EMULSION**

will do this when everything else falls. There is no doubt about it. It nourishes, strengthens, builds up and makes the body strong and healthy, not only to throw off this hard cough, but to fortify the system against further attacks. If you are run down or emaciated you should certainly take this nourishing food medicine.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemitis, New York.

he has more varieties of sweets on exhibition than is carried by any other confectioner in the countyand all made in his kitchen.

A large crowd attended the Christmas tree entertainment at the Presbyterian church Saturday evening. The programme was one of interest and most satisfactorily rendered, much to the credit of those who had the training of so many children. Hon. Wm. M. Colvig impersonated Santa Claus, and pre-Francisco last Saturday evening to sented every child and the teachers spend the holidays with relatives. of the Sabbath school with candies,

The wedding of Clarence L. Reames and Miss Clara Colvig took Prof. N. L. Narregan and Attor-ney C. P. Snell, of Medford, were here Tuesday, copying from the county records.

Place at noon on Thursday last, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Col-vig. on Oregen street, and was a very charming affair. But few persons were present, and they were either members of the families of the contracting parties or very in-timate friends. Mr. Reames is the Mrs. Isabella Allen and little daughter Bessie left for their home in Seattle last Sunday evening after a two months' stay in Jacksonville.

Junior member of the firm of Reames Bros., of Gold Hill, and very popular with his fellowmen. The bride is a highly cultured and Frank Ennis, the capitalist, who has been spending his time at Gallice creek and Jacksonville since and Zela White and Master Vance September, left for San Francisco
a few days since, to remain some
time.

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Phoenix Items.

BY X. Y.

Frank Parker is home on a visit.

Miss Bertha Rose is spending the

Fred Weeks made a business trip

D. O'Toole's brother, from Cali-

Miss Jessie Mathes, of Ashland, spending a few days visiting

Walter Stancliff took Wednesday

morning's train for Ashland to at-

Mrs. Weeks, who has been visit-ing her daughter, Mrs. McGowan, of Medford, has returned home.

K. MacTavish, an employe of the

Miss Belle MacTavish and Miss

O. P. Parker is making some

marked improvements on his prop-

erty in the southeastern part of

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stone, of Ashland, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting their daughter, Mrs. A. J.

The special song service held in the Presbyterian Church last Sun-

day was well attended both morn-

Walter Stancliff's health is so much

improved that he intends entering

Elmer Carter, who has been working for the S. P. R. R. in Sisson,

Calif., has returned home and in-

Miss Grace Black, of Grants Pass,

who has been attending the Ash-

Miss Nellie Towne, who is attend-

ing the normal at Ashiand, is

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Jessie Blackwood have gone to Ash-

land to attend the Choral Union

Southern Pacific railroad, is spend-

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10 GET PERMANENTLY

Prim. A. N. Soliss, Ed. Helms, Mrs.
Geo, R. Neuber and daughter and others.

The "Cheerful Liar" Comedy Coplayed two nights in Jacksonville last week, and were greeted with a large house the first evening; but as the same play was repeated, the audience was not so large the second at the same state of the second at the same play was repeated, the audience was not so large the second at the same second at the same play was repeated, the audience was not so large the second at the same second at the same play was repeated, the same play was repeated, the second at the same play was repeated, the same play was repeated, the same play was repeated, the second at the same play was repeated, the same play was repeated, the same play was repeated to the second at the same play was repeated to the second at the same play was repeated to the second at the same play was repeated to the second at the same play was repeated to the second at the same play was repeated with a second at the same play was repeated with a same play was repeated with a second at the same play was repeated with a second at the same play was repeated with a second at the same play was repeated with a second at the same play was repeated with a second at the same play was repeated with a second at the same play was repeated with a second at the same play was repeated with a second at the same play was repeated with a second at the same play was repeated with a second at the second at the same play was repeated with a second at the second at the same play was repeated with a second at the second Bismarck's Iron Nerve

Central Point Items.

Dr. Hinkle made a business trip

Joseph Boswell has opened tonsorial parlors in the Hotel Ruth.

Mr. Stockam and family, of Tolo, were trading here last Saturday.

Watches and jewe ry at cost at Dr. Hinkle's until January 10th.

There was a large trade done here last week by all our merchants.

Dr. Braden, of Gold Hill, spent Tuesday in our city with friends. Little Ethel Patrick, who has

Alpha Friel, who is attending the Ashland normal, spent Christmas

Ivan Magruder, of Gold Hill, spent Christmas with friends of

Mrs. E. Ross and son, Thomas

made Jacksonville a business trip Harlie Rodgers will leave this

week for Stockton, to attend the Hanby. business college. Miss Norah Sydow, wgo is teach

ing in Independence district, is spending the holidays at home. G. N. Heselgrave and family and

Mrs. Mary Cornish visited Warren Mee and family, of Applegate, last Eagle Point boys played foot ball with our boys on Christmas and

won both games; both juniors and Mrs. Anna Dean, a well known

and respected pioneer lady of this land normal, spent a few days visit-precinct who has been very ill, 18 ing friends in Phoenix. convalescing. W. H. Harrison Post, No. 67, is

There was a large crowd here, both at the masquerade ball and Christmas tree, and a general good time was enjoyed by all. this year.

Russ Moore, who drives one of day school on Friday evening 22d, was a decided success. fortune to dislocate one of his shoulders last week, but is doing nicely at this writing.

Wm. Hoagland, of Klamath County, and Mrs. F. D. Baer were married last Thursday and will leave for their home, at Bonanza, in a short time. Their many friends here wish them a happy worlded. here wish them a happy wedded

At the regular December meeting of W. H Harrison Post, No. 67, G. A: R., the following officers were during that time he has been in the elected for the ensuing year: Commander, S M Nealon; S V C, G H Perkins; J V C, John Wright; O D, Booth Lee; Q M, John Gibson; C, William Sydow; S, James Fish; O G, J D Pankey.

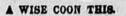
during that time he has been in the employ of the Booth, Kelly Lumber to be the severest critics in the matter of light. If it succeeds with them a new light will succeed averywhere."—N. Y. World.

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Deceived Two Dogs by Jumping Uning Out a Rabbit.

For many years Manuel Martin has been champion coon hunter of the Fee Des comutry. Scores of wily ringtalls have fallen victim to his cunning, and stories of his exploits have been aprend far and wide by sportsmen who accom-panied him on his hunts. Duckers from the north and west regard a coon hun with Martin as one of the features of their outing. He guarded corn patches and hen roosts against midnight depredations, and farmers are distressed now that he has forsworn coon hunting A few nights ago he took several deep pulls at a dispensary bottle and strad-dled a sack of coffee in Ben Edge's grocery to give his reasons for swear-ing off, as something due the commun-

ity.
"It happened this way," he began.
"The fellows as I took hunting told
coon stories in newspapers and sent me the papers all ink marked. I came al-most to believe their yarns and thought I was smarter than any coon that ever shucked an ear of corn. To ketch coons you got to remember they are wise and you are a fool; else you can't start low down to get around their tricks. Treeing, shaking down and a fight will do for she coons. He coons is different. Besides their strength and endurance, every one has his own way to dodge

"Not long ago Jim Dickson sent me word that a he coon was cating all his corn down in a bottom next the swamp. He knew it was he coon 'cause he couldn't ketch him. I took General Lec and Stonewall Jackson over to help Jim out. General Lec is a cur with a little hound and a little p'inter in him, and Stonewall Jackson is a half hound and a half bull. They've got sharp noses, pluck, endurance, strength and character enough not to run rabbits, foxes or possums under no carcum stances. Best of all, they don't get jealous like real officers in the millin-

"Me and the dogs ran that coon through water, bogs, rattan, grapeines, brambles, canebrakes and ypress knees, and would 've run bim through the Atlantic ocean if it had been in the swamp instead of somewhere else. Every time General Lee and Stonewall Jackson trailed out to high land and lost the scent at a rail fence. tried all manner of circling and holding General Lee's nose along the top rail, but had to give it up for a bad job. One night I made a nigger stand at the fence to see what the coon did with himself. Sambo, that's his name, swore to gracious that a coon went under the fence, turned around and came out a rabbit. All the niggers got scared. They took it into their heads I was chasing my grandfather's ghost. The thing did look kinder curious, but I made up my mind to ketch him any-how, though Jim's corn was safe in the

crib and mine wasn't, "I wore out both dogs, and had to fall back on curs. Curlike, when the coon went under the fence and the rabbit came out, they lit off after him, yelping like they were trailing a box car full of coons. I went home powerful mad at cur dogs. Next night I went again with curs, 'cause I was bound to keep things lively. It took holt of me to ketch that soon like a leech takes holt of a rotten log. And we caught him. That is the curs got in a fight with him under the fence, and I busted his brains out with a club before he had time to lick

them and get away.

"The thing seemed simple enough after I found out, but it showed how much sense a he coon can have. A rabbit had his bed under the fence, into which the coon ran when he got tired poking fun at me and my dogs. urally, the rabbit got out, and in doing so brushed his sides against the mouth animals is like goat scent among tame ones. It's rank. At the first sniff both dogs were completely fooled. After rabbit trailing was easy. What I want to know is how in thunder Mr. Coon found out he was safe in a rabbit bed and that General Lee and Stonewall end- | Jackson wouldn't cross a rabbit trail.

having the G. A. R. hall painted ing the holidays at home. She is "I took the coon home and let General this week and making several other very much pleased with the school, and speaks in the highest terms of They stuck their tails between their and speaks in the highest terms of the stuck their tails between their the work that is being done there legs and sneaked off with their bellies this year. to look anybody in the face. While I The Christmas entertainment given by the public school and Sunday school on Friday evening, Dec. 22d, was a decided success. There hunting to pacify her."-N. Y. Sun.

Artificial Daylight.

Tesla has succeeded in making artificial daylight. In his laboratory he shows numerous balls of glass of different sizes which look like miniature suns. The balls are empty; there are no wires in them nor outside of them. They do not burn the fingers. The light does not hurt the eyes as sunlight and ordinary electric light do. A number of on Sunday for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Epps. light supplied to their studios. Tesla says: "The reason I have chosen to G. L. Epps returned to Phoenix George has been absent from the says: "The reason I have chosen to valley for nearly two years and during that time he has been in the tographers first is that I believe them

Volcante Eruptions

Arogrand, but skin cruptions rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them: also old running and fever sores ulcors, boils, felons, corns, warts, cuts, bruises, burns, scalds, chapped hands, chilblains. Best pile cure on earth. Drives out pains and aches. Only 25 conts a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Chas. Strang, druggist.

—The Mail will print 50 calling cards for 25 cents.

Army day leaving and is doing well. Since leaving here he has married and on his trip he is accompanied by his wife, who is a charming lady. On Sunday many of the friends of Mr. Epps called at the residence of his parents, bruises, burns, scalds, chapped hands, cours of the company for which he is work-ing.

Tabercalosis in the German Army. Iu an article in the Militar Wochen-burt it is stated that the number of cases of tuberculosis in the German Army.

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UNDERTAKER'S PROGRESS.

Mubber Tired Carriage for Church Ateles Is One of the Newest Inventions.

Among the many new appliances of up-to-date undertakers is the casket carriage, upon which a burial casket may be moved up the aisle of a church. The latest form of casket carriage, upon which a patent was issued in the present year, is of lattice construction, of brass. It is supported upon six low rubber-tired wheels, three on a side. When not in use it can be closed up together, occupying a small space; when opened for use it is of ample size to bear a casket, which can be moved upon it securely, smoothly and noiselessly along the aisle, says the New

It is not expected that the casket carriage will take the place of bearers in state and military and other funerals in which bearers would naturally be employed, but it is found useful in other church funerals, and especially in churches having narrow alsles in which there might not be room for bearers to walk at the side of the cas-

means of conveyance, used by undertakers for the removal of bodies from hospitals or hotels or other places where it might not be convenient or desirable to carry a cumbersome ice box. It is coffin-shaped in its general form, but with rounded outlines and a rounded top. It has a steel frame-work, upon which the basketwork, of rattan, is woven. Stout wicker handles woven into the sides. In such a basket, occupying comparatively little space and which may be conveniently handled, the body is removed to the undertaker's.

GIVES BOUNTEOUSLY.

Portugal's Queen Devotes Much o Her Time and Money to Doing Good.

We hear less about Portugal than about Spain at any time, and of late have heard less than usual. The queen of Portugal is a sovereign deserving a long mark for her interest in hospitals and hygiene, and also in the welfare of the children of poverty, says Harper's Weekly. At Alcantara she founded, in 1893, a dispensary peculiarly for meet-ing the demands of childish invalids. as pleasantly situated as possible, and spaciously planned, combining a diet kitchen, consultation rooms, surgical halls and much of the departmental work of a hospital. Almost every day the queen herself goes to the establishment and takes a personal share in the labors of the charity, now waiting in the kitchen distributions, and again assisting in the surgery.

Several well-known women of her court are equally practical. The general charge of it is committed to a re-ligious order, a favorite of the queen's but the eminent Portuguese physician Sylva Carvalho, heads the staff of medical workers. In one year (1895) there were given in the building 8,550 consultations, 63,704 rations from the diet kitchen, 33,521 bandagings, 76,480 presciptions and 470 vaccinations. The milk and vegetables are furnished gratis by the queen, and the medical supplies are also defrayed by her. Fif-teen hundred babies were treated in one twelvemonth. It is said that there is not any royal charity of the sort Europe so efficiently managed, with the additional active cooperation of the

Then probably the kidneys. Then probably the lungs. In the Joints?
Then probably rheumatism.

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oning power.

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LOBSTERS RISE IN PRICE.

Who Are Fond of the Crus for Them This Year.

"This year people who are fond of eating lobsters will have to pay dearly for the privilege of indulging their appetites in such sea food, for the reason that the crustaceans are scarcer now than ever before," said a wholesale deal-er in fish in New York to the writer a-day or two ago. "Live lobsters are at day or two ago. "Live lobsters are at present selling at 20 cents per pound, and as only comparatively small catches are daily reported by the fishermen of Stonington, Block Island, and other well-known lobstering grounds as far east as Portland, Me., the indications are that a further advance of from five to ten cents a pound may soon be looked

for.
"Ten years ago almost any quantity
of fine lobsters could have been purof fine lobsters could have been pur-chased in New York at the rate of five cents a pound. The average size of live lobsters that then came to market was 20 inches long, not counting claws. The largest average now is not more than half that length. There used to be half that length. There used to be plenty of 14-pound lobsters and I have seen them weighing 18 pounds. A lob-ster as large that would have to be 30 years old at least. This shellfish grows slowly, and at three years old is not much bigger than a crawfish. A lobster under five years old isn't fit for market. but thousands of such youngsters have to pass muster on our fish stalls nows-

days. "The present dearth of lobsters in New England waters is largely due to the enormous number of undersized ones that have in the past been caught and sold for canning purposes in Maine. Millions of small shellfish that should have been allowed to develop and breed were thus annually exterminated, and the result has been that the supply of eatable lobsters has dwindled from 30,-000,000 in 1889 to probably less than 5,000,000 in 1899.

"The regulations concerning the cap-ture of lobsters in New England waters are now as stringent as any game law,
"No lobsters are being canned in
Maine for the reason that the short lobster law has killed the business in that state. The canners do not find it profitable to buy lobsters at the present high ones or shellfish weighing less than ter

"For the last four years energetic ef-forts have been made by the United States fish commission to restore lobsters to their former abundance by planting millions of lobster fry from Fisher's Island sound east along the coast as far as Maine. Meantime the chief supply of live lobsters comes from the British provinces. The shellfish are shipped here in steamers especially fitted with wells that have a capacity for holding from 15,000 to 20,000 live lobsters. These steamers touch at Boston and New York, and from these two cities the lobsters are shipped by whole sale dealers all over the United States." -Washington Star.

TAKES MORPHINE IN PUBLIC. How the Deplorable Habit of a Wash

ington Belle Was Accidentally Discovered.

"While I was in Washington last month," said a Chicagoan the other night, "I saw something which fairly gave me cold shivers. We were sitting in the street car, and in the seat just beside me sat one of the handsomest women in all Washington, a tall, welldeveloped, well-groomed creature of perhaps 30, with dark-rimmed eyes and bronze-tinted hair. I knew her for the widow of a man who was something or other in the state department under the Cleveland administration, I believe. I know she lives in a dainty apartment in the newer part of the northwest quarter. There was a man with her on the car, a mere boy of a fellow, and he gazed at her with admiring eyes. There was a hint of chilliness in the air, and the woman shrugged her hand-

"'My!' said she, 'I'm afraid I'm taking cold.'
"'Can't I get you something before

e start? asked the boy, anxiously.
"'Oh, no.' she answered. 'I'll just take some quinine. I always carry it with me-a habit I learned out in In-

dinna."
"She took a folded paper from her purse and opened it. She emptied the white powder it contained upon her

white powder it contained a tongue.

"It's an odd way to take quinine, isn't it?' she said, with a smile. It's the way they do out in Indiana. I don't mind the taste at all."

"Then the car started, and the empty paper fluttered into my lap. Just a little of the white powder clung to tt. Outes without any purpose whatever, I cle of the white powder clung to it.

Quite without any purpose whatever, I
rubbed my finger against the paper
and touched my tongue with an infinitesimal quantity of the powder. The
woman turned and looked at me just
then, and as our eyes met she blushed.

It was an odd way, indeed, to take, not
quinine, but morphine."—Chicago
Chronicle.

Destruction of Ningara Palls. The announcement that a ledge of The announcement that a ledge of rock has fallen, making Niagara falls once more a "U"-shaped cataract, marks another step in the process which, sooner or later; will result, it is predicted, in the total destruction of the falls. The terrific force of the water, will result a cover a precious 150 feet high. falling over a precipice 150 feet high, gradually wears away the soft limestone underlying the harder strate over which it runs, so that year by year the top of the falls recedes. In the last 50 years some parts of the falls have receded 150 feet. In 1850 the famous Table Rock, which had been a feature of the falls for years, was obliterated. At the present rate of progress it will be hundreds of years before the great falls will be degraded to the level of an ordinary riffle.—Chicago Tribune.