OUR COUNTY . . .

Correspondents

Eagle Point Eaglets.

BY A. C. HOWLETT.

Mrs. W. B. Officer was visiting the family of S. A. Carlton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pendleton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Brown last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grizzle, of Medford, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. McGee a few days last week.

Miss Alma Wilson, sister of our teacher, Miss Etta, was the guest of George Brown and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Nye, of Flounce Rock, came out last week to visit their daughter, Mrs. A. J. Florey.

Mr. Vann, of Klamath County, passed through our town last week on his way to California on a business trip.

C. H. Basey and two children and Mr. Kaim and family came out from Jacksonville last Sunday for an outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ad. Sizemore, of Sams Valley, came over last Sunday to attend church and visit Rev. J. P. Moomaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradney visited with Mr. and Mrs. Howlett one day last week. They have returned to our town to reside.

Rev. Wilson, pastor of the M. E. Church South, of Medford, came out last week and preached Wednesday evening. It was not generally known and the result was a very small audience.

Prof. Haselton's department of our school closes this week but Miss Wilson will teach another week as she lost several days during the teachers' examination.

Miss Ollie Huffer closed a very successful term of school in Rogue river district, No. 37, last Friday. She has given general satisfaction and endeared herself to the patrons as well as the pupils.

The traction engine had considerable trouble last Sunday in crossing a low place on the bank of the creek where some one had turned in water from the irrigating ditch. They were detained several hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pearce came over last Saturday to visit Mrs. P.'s parents, and while here Floyd intends to visit the Elk creek mines. They report that they have been fairly successful in their mines on Forest creek the past winter. They were accompanied by their brother, Enon.

On Wednesday of last week Andrew Grieve came out from Central Point with a drummer and while here had a genuine runaway. The result was a badly mashed up buggy and rigging, Mollee's fence demolished and a badly spoiled team.

Volcanic Eruptions

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

Trail Creek Items.

Harvey Inlow is visiting his friend, Charlie Briscoe, of upper Trail.

Arthur Morris has purchased a new mower of Mr. Freeman, of Central Point.

Mrs. Harvey Richardson is being visited by a sister from Ohio, whom she had not seen for twenty-seven years.

Charlie and Dan. Foelos are still clearing land. They are very industrious and are sure to prosper in Southern Oregon.

G. W. Owings has had several acres of hay cut at the mouth of Trail creek that is said to average more than two tons to the acre.

Rev. A. Buchanon, of Roseburg, father of Mrs. Geo. Lynch, preached two able sermons Sunday at the Trail school house. There were more in attendance at both services than could be seated in the house. A basket dinner was served at 12 o'clock.

Miss Mary Dawson, of Central Point, is visiting friends on Trail creek before commencing her school on upper Elk creek. Miss Dawson taught the Trail school last spring and made many friends while here. She is the guest of Mrs. Bertha Morrison.

Married—At the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Dawson, May 29, 1900, J. L. Ragsdale and Miss Hattie Dawson, O. J. Willard officiating. The wedding was a quiet affair only a few friends and relatives being present. A delicious supper was served after which the guests returned to their homes with many wishes for the future happiness of the happy couple.

Mrs. Dora Lynch, with the pupils and patrons of the school, held a picnic on the 30th of May. After decorating several graves they all marched to the grove, on the river, above the postoffice, where a bountiful lunch was spread and partaken of by one and all. Speaking, songs, dialogues and other amusements were indulged in and all returned to their homes well satisfied with the day's enjoyment.

Off the Track

Means great disaster when applied to a fast express train. It is just as bad when it refers to disordered blood or deranged stomach. Hood's Sarsaparilla puts the wheels back on the track by curing the troubles.

Indigestion, nausea are cured by Hood's Pills.

IS YOUR CLOCK ON TIME?

Some Interesting Observations Suggested by This Frequently Repeated Query.

"One of the things I have learned in the course of my experience," said the middle-aged man, according to the New York Sun, "is that people don't like to have you ask: 'Is your clock right?' This is a question that we put to a great many people, and it is more or less annoying to most of them. I have seen men resent it with a start, though that would be something unusual; but, as a rule, most men think well of their clocks, and they resent the question more or less in their hearts if they don't in word or manner.

"Doesn't every man think his own watch is a good timekeeper? He does. It may be a cheap watch that cost ten dollars or five dollars or one dollar, but he thinks it's a good one. All cheap watches are better nowadays than they used to be, but each man thinks he's got the still remarkable exceptional watch that really is a wonder. And the clock owner thinks the same of his clock. Whether it's in the jewelry store, the bakery or the butcher's, they all resent the question: 'Is your clock right?'

"The question implies in some vague, indefinite way the idea of an assumption of superiority on the part of the questioner, for does it not suggest inferiority, at least on the other man's clock? and no man likes it. My conclusion is that nobody should ask the question idly—not at all, in fact, unless something really depends upon it. But if it should be really a matter of importance for you to know, then you may ask, and this time you'll find the question will not be resented."

MYSTERY OF NUMERAL NINE.

Soothsayers of Olden Times Attached a Sacredness to It—Some Curious Coincidences.

Among the magicians and soothsayers of ancient times both the figures nine and three had a certain amount of mystery and sacredness attached to them, and volumes have been written in explanation of their meaning in connection with the history of men and the world. Apropos of this, a curious coincidence is noted in the fact that nearly all the great mining discoveries of recent times have been made in years ending with the magic figure nine. Thus the famous gold find in California fell in the year 1849. Ten years later, in 1859, remarkable discoveries of the same metal were made in British Columbia, causing a great rush of fortune hunters to these points, says Leslie's Weekly.

In 1869 the famous Comstock lode find became known to the world; in 1879 the gold-bearing region around Leadville and Tombstone, A. T., began to attract attention, and in 1889 the diggings at Clover Creek and in lower California became the objective points of great multitudes of excited and anxious seekers after sudden wealth. And now again, at the end of another decade, history repeats itself once more. The remarkable gold finds recently made at Cape Nome, surpassing in richness and extent anything yet discovered in the Yukon district, bid fair to make the year 1899 as notable as any in the annals of goldmining.

A HARD RAIN.

The Man from the East Was Not Accustomed to the Tides of the Northwest.

"It rains a great deal in the Puget sound country," said the man from that section, according to the Washington Star, "and I heard of a funny incident not long ago about it. Some chap had come from the Missouri valley to take up his residence at Whatcom, on Bellingham bay, where there are very high tides. When the boat landed him at the end of the long pier extending over the tide flats the water was low and the new man didn't notice anything but a wide stretch of sand between the boat and the town. It was in the evening about dark and was raining, and he went to the hotel on the front street and stayed there, going to bed without having gone out for a walk. The next morning when he got up he looked out and the tide was in, the water coming up close to the hotel. He gazed at the widespread waters for an instant, and, throwing up his hands in astonishment he exclaimed: 'Gee whiz, but it must have rained hard last night.'

"Then he hurried downstairs to the office to find out if there was any danger from the flood, and the clerk smiled four or five times and gave him some much-needed information.

—With the new facilities that B. N. Butler put in his shop, he turns out as good work in repairing watches and jewelry as any one in Southern Oregon.

A BOY'S ENTERPRISE.

Young Philadelphian Who Owns and Manages the Largest Pheasantry in the West.

Wallace Evans, of Philadelphia, a slender 13-year-old lad in knickerbockers, owns the largest pheasantry in the west, selling 800 eggs in a season, and hatching nearly as many birds, says the Cincinnati Enquirer.

Such an enterprise conducted by a boy is generally a makeshift, but the Evans pheasantry is perfect in construction, having about 175 by 200 feet under wire, with the latest improved hatcher and houses. It is divided into a network of special yards, every gate closing and locking automatically, so there is no danger of the birds escaping.

The flock of gold pheasants is a gorgeous sight with their brilliant yellow heads, capes of orange and blue, lined with vivid green, scarlet bodices, burnished wings and long, graceful tails, dotted with black. They are a fad among fanciers, and their price is increasing, as they now bring $30 a pair.

The beautifully plumaged hen lays 30 eggs in a season, which are worth $10 a dozen. Wallace has a large number of English pheasants, furnishing a fine contrast to the golden beauties. They lay from 50 to 75 eggs, which are readily sold for $5 a setting.

His covey of quail would make the hunter's heart leap as they fly to cover with a whir of wings and warning cries. The old birds were imported from Tennessee, where thousands of the luckless birds follow a trail of grain leading straight into a wire-inclosed corral, and are there shipped to breeders.

In the center of each yard is a neatly stacked pile of bruch and straw, which affords a native retreat for all the birds. The English pheasantry are very hardy, and frolic in the snow and ice like children, but the golden hover in their houses in bitter cold weather.

Taken as a whole, the pheasantry reflects unbounded credit on its boyish proprietor, who, in addition to having the sole care of it, is finishing the eighth-grade course in the public school.

Would Not Suffer So Again for Fifty Times Its Price.

I awoke last night with severe pains in my stomach. I never felt so badly in all my life. When I came down to work this morning I felt so weak I could hardly work. I went to Miller & McCurdy's drug store and they recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It worked like magic and one dose fixed me all right. It certainly is the finest thing I ever used for stomach trouble. I shall not be without it in my home hereafter, for I should not care to endure the sufferings of last night again for fifty times its price.—G. H. Wilson, Liveryman, Burgettstown, Washington Co., Pa. This remedy is for sale by Chas. Strang, druggist.

By a collision which occurred in Warwick, R. I., on the suburban line of the Union railroad, Sunday noon, two cars striking end on, four persons were killed and about 25 injured, of whom three are probably fatally hurt. Lieutenant-Governor Kimball is among those who are not expected to live.

A part of the several hundred citizens of St. Louis who were sworn in to do duty in preserving order there in connection with the street car employees' strike, came in collision with a mob Sunday. Lively shooting took place and three strikers were killed and upwards of 20 wounded. Trouble took place in other parts of the city and citizens were shot, some killed. The governor intends to call out the militia.

Many of the cannons captured in Cuba by the American troops and afterwards presented to various cities have been found to be loaded with powder and shell.

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run down invalid. Only 50 cents at Chas. Strang's drug store.

Major-General Otis was landed from the transport Meade Monday and almost immediately departed for the east. During the voyage from Manila several cases of small-pox developed and the vessel had to go into quarantine at San Francisco.

Abe Majors, alias James Morgan, who killed Police Captain William Brown near Hot Springs, Ogden, on Sunday, April 30, will be shot to death. The supreme court of the state having affirmed the decision of the lower court.

Mrs. John Sherman died at Mansfield, O., a few days ago, aged 72 years.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with typhoid fever, that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all throat and lung trouble. Regular sizes 50 cents and $1. Trial bottles free at Chas. Strang's drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

The Famine in India.

BOMBAY, June 9.—Louis Klopsch of New York, who arrived after making a tour of the famine-stricken districts, makes the following statement:

"Everywhere I met the most shocking and revolting scenes. The famine camps have been swept by cholera and smallpox. Fugitives, scattering in all directions and stricken in flight, were found dying in the fields and roadside ditches. The numbers of one relief station were increasing at the rate of 10,000 per day.

At Godhera there were 3000 deaths from cholera within four days, and at Dohad 2600 in the same period. The hospital death rate at Godhera and Dohad was 90 per cent.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Mining Locations.

Eliza A McTavish located June 2, a water right of 75 inches, Anderson creek.

All About Fence Posts.

EDITOR MEDFORD MAIL:—So many farmer friends speak to me about the irritating decay of fence posts that I venture, through your columns, to tell you how it can be avoided. Coating with carbolineum avenarius, the German wood preserver, will absolutely arrest decay from soil, climate and vermin. It hardens the fence posts, hop poles, house supports or other wooden fixtures treated and adds many years to their usefulness. I have saved time, work and money by using this compound and think no thrifty farmer should be without it. I see from articles published in the Oregonian that they are employing carbolineum avenarius in Portland for paving blocks, the Madison street bridge timbers, etc., with excellent results. What it accomplishes for city folks on a large scale, it will certainly accomplish for country people on a small scale when used for domestic purposes. No expert knowledge is required in using it. I have applied it with a brush the same as I would paint; or in treating fence posts or hop poles simply dipped them in a carbolineum avenarius bath. I have yet to record an unsuccessful trial of this preparation, and can cordially recommend it as a sure preserver of wood for whatever purpose used.

Carbolineum avenarius not only saves time and money by its preservative qualities, but its economic merits are augmented by the low price at which it is sold in this territory. If others reap the benefit of my experience this letter will not be wasted, but prove an absolute benefaction to our farming community.

I understand this compound can be procured at D. H. Miller's Medford, Oregon. I bought mine direct from Fisher, Thorsen & Co., at Portland, Oregon, who represent the German manufacturers.

PROGRESSIVE FARMER.

ORDINANCE NO. 180.

AN ORDINANCE to Provide for Holding a Special Election in the Town of Medford, by the Qualified Electors of Said Town, to Submit to Said Electors the Proposition whether or not Said Town by its Duly Authorized and Legally Elected Board of Trustees, Shall Create a Bonded Indebtedness Against Said Town in the Sum of Forty-five Thousand Dollars or so much thereof as the Said Board of Trustees Shall Deem Necessary.

WHEREAS, Medford town bonds, known as water bonds, in favor of Farson, Leach & Company, of Chicago, in the sum of $20,000 are about to mature, and

WHEREAS, There is a large warrant indebtedness existing against said town drawing interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum, and

WHEREAS, It is deemed for the best interest of the Town of Medford that said bonded and warrant indebtedness should be refunded at a lower rate of interest,

NOW THEREFORE, THE PEOPLE OF THE TOWN OF MEDFORD DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the Town of Medford, the proposition whether or not the said town, by its Board of Trustees, shall create and incur a bonded indebtedness by issuing the bonds of said town in the sum of Forty-five Thousand Dollars, which, with the interest thereon, shall be payable at such time and times and places, in gold coin of the United States of America, as the Board of Trustees of said Town may legally direct—the rate of interest on said bonds not to exceed six per centum per annum, payable semi-annually. The proceeds of said bonded indebtedness, proposed by this ordinance to be created, to be used for the purpose of paying the existing and outstanding bonded indebtedness of the said town, and for the payment of the warrants heretofore issued by said town for the purpose of extending the water mains, laying sewer pipes and for such other and further purposes as said warrants may have been issued.

SECTION 2. That for the purpose of determining whether or not the said Board of Trustees shall issue the bonds of said Town in said sum of $45,000 as provided for in section one of this ordinance—a special election shall be held and conducted on Monday, the 18th day of June, 1900. Said special election shall be held and conducted in accordance with the law and the provisions thereof regulating and governing general elections in the State of Oregon so far as the same are applicable to municipal elections.

SECTION 3. It is hereby made the duty of the recorder of said town to procure forthwith at the expense of the town in the manner and form provided by law, ballots for said election of uniform size and color and sufficient for distribution upon which shall be printed the words "FOR BONDED INDEBTEDNESS" and "AGAINST BONDED INDEBTEDNESS"—said ballots to conform so far as possible and convenient with the general laws of Oregon for the printing and distribution of ballots.

SECTION 4. Upon the conclusion of said election and after the same shall have been canvassed by the judges and clerks of election the ballots and the sheets upon which the said judges and clerks make their returns shall be forthwith deposited with the recorder, and said ballots and all papers in connection therewith shall be by him kept among the papers of his office. At the first regular meeting of said Board of Trustees of said town or at a special meeting called therefor the said Board of Trustees shall likewise canvass the vote cast for and against said bonded indebtedness and the result of the election as determined by said board shall be spread upon the record book of said town by the recorder and made a part of the permanent records of the town.

SECTION 5. The recorder is hereby required and authorized to give notice for at least ten days by posting in three public places in said town and by causing said notice to be published in the MEDFORD MAIL, Medford Enquirer and Free Press, newspapers of general circulation in said town, for two issues therefor prior to the date of said election. That a special election shall be held on Monday, the 18th day of June, 1900, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. for the purpose of voting on the question of said bonded indebtedness; that at the time the vote on said question is canvassed by the Board of Trustees the said recorder shall furnish to said board proof by affidavit of the posting of said notices and the publishing thereof in the said newspapers.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

SECTION 7. Ordinance number 178 and the whole thereof is hereby repealed.

This ordinance was passed by the Town Board of Trustees at a regular meeting held in the town hall on the 8th day of June, 1900, by the following vote: G. T. Jones, aye; E. L. Bradbury, aye; J. R. Elford, aye; G. F. Lindley, aye—Trustees.

J. J. HOWARD, Mayor.

Attest:
J. W. LAWTON, Recorder.

Summer Resorts.

To the mountains our people in increasing numbers yearly look for those days of relaxation and recreation necessary to maintain the human machine in fair working condition. The languorous sloth of the seashore proves very seductive while it lasts, but many have decided that the annual outing should provide not only radical change of air and surroundings, but also such stimulation of flagging energies as will provide brawn and vigor for the return to labor. For this they urge the mountain climb and ramble, the balsam of the mountain pines, and the clear, unadulterated mountain air.

In this direction the Shasta Route now affords a wealth of attractions. The entire line of road from Ashland to Redding is studded with charming and accessible hotels and camps, where are cheer and comfort and healing at reasonable cost, and where you can hunt, fish, ride, loaf, or play with equal facility.

Or if you look for healing waters, none better can be found, hot or cold, than the springs of Ashland, Colestin, Anderson, Bartlett, Byron and Paso Robles.

Before visiting Europe, the people of the Northwest should see the glories of Yosemite Valley, and the wondrous groves of Mariposa and Calaveras; the Parisians are likely to make inquiries concerning these attractive resorts.

Send to Mr. C. H. Markham, General Passenger Agent, Portland, for new booklets on Castle Crag, Shasta Springs, McCloud River, Yosemite, and excursion rates thereto.

Real Estate Transfers.

J W Marksberry and wife to Joe Goldsworthy, undivided interest in lot 7, blk 19, and part of lot 2, blk 25, Gold Hill	$ 1000
Joe Goldsworthy to Wm McKnight, undivided half interest in lots 1, 2, 11, 12, blk 32, and lot 7, blk 14, and part of lot 2, blk 25, Gold Hill	1
I J Phipps and wife to Henry Wahlers, 280 acres, secs 1 and 6, tp 37 s, rs 2 e and 1 w	2000
Henry Wahlers to August Wahlers, undivided half of 280.30 acres, sec 36, tps 36 and 37 s, r 1 w	1
Almira Whetstone to Anna M Loder, lots 7 and 8, blk 19, Medford	200
Ida E Myer and husband to Allen Davis, lots 3, 16, 17, 18, blk N, R R addition to Ashland	600
Sophia Emery to A C Howlett, land and lots at Eagle Point	400
T J Howell and wife to Mattie E Brannon lot 5, Bellview tract, Ashland	300
Huldah Colver to Job T Wilder and wife lots 7 and 8, blk 5, Phoenix	60
J W Marksberry and wife to Wm Reames lot 30, blk 13, and lot 11, blk 25, Gold Hill	300
A R Merritt and wife to G F Vose, lot 10, blk 32, Gold Hill	75
Portland Trust Co to H Pohlman, lots 24 and 25, blk 7, Orchard Home tract, near Medford	500
Henry Pohlman and wife to Portland Trust Co, same land as above	150
T C Mills and husband to J T Wilder and wife, lots 7 and 2, blk 5, and lots 4 and 5 blk 4, Phoenix	200

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Robt Westrop; final account and order discharging administrator and sureties.

In the estate and guardianship of W W Williams, et al; final account of guardian approved.

In estate of A S Moore; M J Moon appointed administrator with bonds fixed at $2000.

In estate of Chas. Williams; Mary E Williams appointed administratrix and J C Williams, Curtis Manning and Sidney Myers appraisers.

In the estate of J H Shepherd; W H Shepherd appointed administrator.

In the estate of Chas Williams; inventory and appraisement showing property valued at $1185.

In the estate of David Brewer; E K Anderson, Welborn Beeson and Joe Patterson, appraisers.

In the estate of Henry Mecher; D Linn, John Orth, Henry Banton appointed appraisers.

In the estate of Geo W Reekstadon; personal property exempt from execution to the value of $193.50 set apart for the widow with an additional allowance of $120.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land office at Roseburg, Oregon, May 3, 1900. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Gus Newbury, county clerk of Jackson County, Oregon, at Jacksonville, Oregon, on June 28, 1900, viz:

BENJAMIN FREDENBURGH,

On his H. E., No. 9227, for the N½ NW¼, NW¼ NE¼, SE¼ NW¼, Sec 3, Tp 38 S, R 2 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

John Obenchain, Coul Geer, Jno. Higinbothan and Israel Patton, all of Big Butte, Jackson County, Oregon.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

Administratrix's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, administratrix of the estate of Charles Williams, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me, at the office of J. H. Neil, in Jacksonville, Oregon, on or before six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated May 25, 1900.

MARY E. WILLIAMS,
Administratrix of the Estate of Charles Williams, Deceased.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Pauline Hines, Plaintiff,
vs.
George Hoffman, as Administrator of the Estate of John Bolt, Deceased, Elizabeth Bolt, Widow of John Bolt, Deceased, George N. Bolt, L. E. Hoffman, Emma Bolt, Lucy McVey, John E. Bolt, Fred Bolt, Florence Bolt, as heirs at law of the said John Bolt, Deceased, Cora Bolt, Wife of said George N. Bolt, George Hoffman, Husband of said L. E. Hoffman, and N. G. McVey, Husband of said Lucy McVey, A. Lempke, W. S. Beck and H. C. Austin, Defendants.

PURSUANT to an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Jackson, on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1900, upon a judgment duly rendered in said Court on the 12th day of May, A. D. 1900, which said judgment was docketed in the clerk's office of said Court, in the County of Jackson, on the 12th day of May, A. D. 1900, in favor of Pauline Hines, plaintiff, and against George Hoffman, as administrator of the estate of John Bolt, deceased, Elizabeth Bolt, widow of John Bolt, deceased, George N. Bolt, L. E. Hoffman, Emma Bolt, Lucy McVey, John E. Bolt, Fred Bolt, Florence Bolt, as heirs at law of the said John Bolt, deceased, Cora Bolt, wife of said George N. Bolt, George Hoffman, husband of said L. E. Hoffman, and N. G. McVey, husband of said Lucy McVey, A. Lempke, W. S. Beck and H. C. Austin, defendants, for the sum of one thousand five hundred seventy-four ($1574.00) dollars, and costs amounting to fifty-three ($53.40) dollars, and the further sum of one hundred twenty-five ($125.00) dollars, attorney's fees; and, whereas, it was ordered, adjudged and decreed, that the mortgage mentioned in plaintiff's complaint herein be foreclosed and the mortgaged premises described therein, to wit: The south one-half (½) of the south-west one-fourth (¼) of section fourteen (14), and the north-east one-fourth (¼) of the north-west one-fourth (¼), and lot one (1) of section 23, all in township 38, south of range 2 west, of Willamette meridian, in Jackson County, Oregon, containing 159.23 acres, together with all of the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, be sold, to satisfy said judgment, costs, attorney's fees and accruing costs, public notice is hereby given that on

Saturday, June 23, 1900,

At the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, in front of the court house, in the Town of Jacksonville, Oregon, I will, in obedience to said execution, sell all the right, title and interest of the above defendants, in and to the above described property, to the highest and best bidder for lawful money of the United States.

ALEX. OBMA,
Sheriff of Jackson County, Oregon.

Dated this 17th day of May, 1900.

—All kinds of spring goods at White, Harbaugh & Co's store, Medford.

Can Ants Hear?

Naturalists have generally accepted the opinion that ants are not able to perceive any sounds that are audible to human ears. Prof. Weld, of the Iowa state university, controverts this opinion. He describes in Science careful experiments made by him with four species of American ants, from which he deduces the conclusion that these species, at least, are able to perceive sounds, but whether they do it by means of organs of hearing, or through the sense of touch being excited by atmospheric vibrations he is unable to say with certainty. He inclines to the opinion that they do really hear, as some individuals showed a perception of the direction of the sound, such as that of a shrill whistle, and others, which were not disturbed when violently shaken in their glass prisons, seemed to be "driven nearly frantic by shrill sounds."

NEW BARBER SHOP

J. R. Harlan, Prop.

Shop on Seventh street, opposite Union Livery Stables.

SHAVING 10.
HAIR CUTTING 20.

Give me a trial and you will come again.

CHICKEN LICE CONQUERED.

USE
Carbolineum Avenarius.

The most efficient Wood Preserving Paint, also a Radical Remedy against Chicken Lice. Its application to inside walls of poultry houses will permanently exterminate all Lice. Results, healthy chickens—plenty of eggs. Write for circulars and prices; mention this paper.

D. H. MILLER, Medford, Ore.

BUTLER
....JEWELER

Watch Repairing Opposite Hotel Nash.

This Is Your Opportunity.

On receipt of ten cents, cash or stamps, a generous sample will be mailed of the most popular Catarrh and Hay Fever Cure (Ely's Cream Balm) sufficient to demonstrate the great merits of the remedy.

ELY BROTHERS,
56 Warren St., New York City.

Rev. John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls, Mont., recommended Ely's Cream Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement, "It is a positive cure for catarrh if used as directed."—Rev. Francis W. Poole, Pastor Central Presb. Church, Helena, Mont.

Ely's Cream Balm is the acknowledged cure for catarrh and contains no mercury nor any injurious drug. Price, 50 cents.

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—BY THE—
The - Shasta - Route
OF THE
SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY.

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8:30 a. m	Lv	Portland		
7:00 p. m	Lv.	Portland		
11:45a. m	Lv.	Medford	Lv	3:15 a. m
10:45 a. m	Lv.	Medford	Lv	4:35 p. m
7:45 p. m	Ar.	San Francisco	Ar.	8:15 a. m
5:45 a. m	Ar	Ogden	Ar	11:45 a. m
9:00 a. m	Ar	Denver	Ar	9:00 a. m
7:25 a. m	Ar	Kansas City	Ar	7:30 a. m
7:45 a. m	Ar	Chicago	Ar	7:30 a. m
1:20 p. m	Ar	Los Angeles	Ar	7:00 a. m
5:00 p. m	Ar	El Paso	Ar	6:00 p. m
5:30 a. m	Ar	Fort Worth	Ar	6:30 a. m
5:25 a. m	Ar	New Orleans	Ar	6:25 p. m

Dining Cars
ObServation Cars

Pullman first-class and tourist cars attached to all through trains.

ROSEBURG MAIL—DAILY.

8:30 a. m	Lv	Portland	Ar	4:30 p. m
5:20 p. m	Ar	Roseburg	Lv	7:30 a. m

CORVALLIS MAIL—DAILY (Except Sunday)

7:30 a. m	Lv	Portland	Ar	5:50 p. m
12:15 p m	Ar	Corvallis	Lv	1:40 p. m

At Albany and Corvallis connect with trains of O. C. & E. railway.

INDEPENDENCE PASSENGER—DAILY (Except Sunday.)

4:00 p. m	Lv	Portland	Ar	11:55a. m
7:30 p. m	Ar	McMinnville	Lv	8:00 a. m
8:30 p. m	Ar	Independence	Lv	6:00 a. m

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