

**OUR COUNTY . . .**  
**Correspondents**

Jacksonville News.

Attorney Neil has returned from Lakeview.  
J. D. Cook went to Grants Pass Saturday evening.  
M. Watkins, of Applegate, was a visitor here Wednesday.  
H. F. Stanciliff, of Phoenix, was in Jacksonville Monday.  
John Lacy, of Pooh Bah district, was in town last Thursday.  
K. Kubli, of Applegate, was at the county seat last Thursday.  
Hon. Henry Ankeny left this city for his home in Eugene Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reames, of Gold Hill, visited here Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pursel, of Applegate, were in town Saturday.  
W. H. James, of Sacramento, is visiting his sister, Mrs. F. R. Neil.  
Mrs. Susan Wood, of Eagle Point, was in attendance at circuit court Monday.  
J. D. Fay and Henry Ireland, the foresters, have returned to Jacksonville.  
E. O'Brien and Jas. Cantrall, of Applegate, were in Jacksonville on Tuesday.  
H. R. Nealon, a prosper farmer of Table Rock, visited Jacksonville Tuesday.  
Attorneys Vawter, are attending circuit court.  
Mrs. E. E. Gore and Mrs. S. R. Reeves spent last Thursday evening in Jacksonville.  
B. B. Beckman, who spent several days here visiting his parents, has returned to Portland.  
Ed. Farra, of Willow Springs, and D. W. Beede, of Sams Valley, were in town Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Higgins, of Ashland, were in town on business with the circuit court this week.  
Mrs. Robt. Dean and Mrs. W. E. Dean, of Grants Pass, attended the D. of H. lodge here Friday evening.  
Rev. J. G. Knotts, of Portland, occupied the Presbyterian pulpit here last Sunday morning and evening.  
Wm. Holmes, of Central Point, visited in Jacksonville last Saturday. Mr. Holmes has many warm friends here.  
J. D. Fay and family have moved into the cottage formerly occupied by John White. Mr. Manning, of Klamath Falls, Mrs. Fay's father, will spend the winter with them.  
The Christian Endeavor delegates of our city who attended the convention at Medford report a splendid meeting, a large delegation from adjoining towns and a fine time all around.  
The teachers' institute for Jackson County convened in this city Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week. An interesting program has been carried out, and as there are not a few prominent educators in the county, a profitable time was had by all.  
When you cannot sleep for coughing, it is hardly necessary that any one should tell you that you need a few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to allay the irritation of the throat, and make sleep possible. It is good. Try it. For sale by Chas. Strang, druggist.

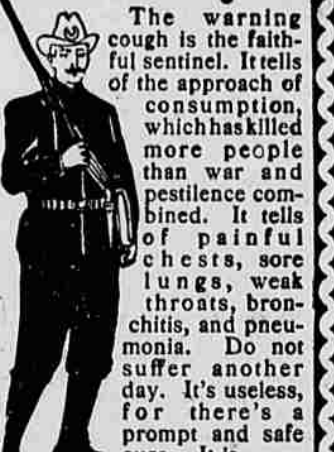
**Blood.**

We live by our blood, and on it. We thrive or starve, as our blood is rich or poor. There is nothing else to live on or by. When strength is full and spirits high, we are being refreshed, bone muscle and brain, in body and mind, with continual flow of rich blood. This is health. When weak, in low spirits, no cheer, no spring, when rest is not rest and sleep is not sleep, we are starved; our blood is poor; there is little nutriment in it. Back of the blood, is food, to keep the blood rich. When it fails, take Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. It sets the whole body going again—man woman and child. If you have not tried it, send for free sample, its agreeable taste will surprise you. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 109-115 Pearl Street, New York. 50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

F. M. Fredenburg is moving his family to town, so they can have better school advantages.  
Mr. West is building a dwelling house on his farm which he lately purchased near this place.  
Mrs. J. K. Bell and family paid a farewell visit to W. J. Compton and family, of Eagle Point, Sunday afternoon.  
W. H. Bradshaw, of Lake Creek, is again in this vicinity and was smiling on friends in town Wednesday morning.  
Miss Hattie Eaton, of South Butte, Miss Carrie Sackett, of this place, and Miss Bessie Conde, of Big Butte, went down Sunday to attend the Teachers' Institute. Miss Donna Bell, also Prof. Norton, of Lake Creek, left Wednesday morning for the same purpose.  
A new remedy for biliousness is now on sale at Chas. Strang's drug store. It is called Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. It gives quick relief and will prevent the attack if given as soon as the first indications of the disease appear. Price, 25 cents per box. Samples free.  
**Table Rock Items.**  
Mr. Mann has moved his family back to Central Point.  
The late rains did not improve the condition of the roads.  
Mrs. S. R. Reeves spent Saturday and Sunday with Table Rock friends.  
C. A. Dickson and J. C. Fendleton made a flying trip to Ashland Monday.  
The children had a vacation from Tuesday of this week, while Miss Stidham attended the teachers' institute.  
Mr. Coss, the Medford piano man, has been canvassing this neighborhood lately and we understand has sold some instruments.  
Miss May Nealon, who has been spending several days with her grandmother, Mrs. Law, of Willow Springs, returned Monday. We are glad to say that Mrs. Law is greatly improved in health.  
**Phoenix Items.**  
Miss Gertie Weeks visited friends in Medford Monday.  
Wm. Rissue made Medford a business call Monday.  
Fred Weeks made Ashland a business visit Tuesday.  
Mrs. L. A. Rose made Medford a business visit Saturday.  
Mrs. H. P. Hargrave was shopping in Medford Saturday.  
Jacob Stone, of Ashland, visited friends in Phoenix Wednesday.  
Mrs. D. O'Toole and daughter, Julia, made Medford a visit Wednesday.  
Lillie Carver and Elsie Reames spent Monday in Ashland on business.  
Little Josephine Anderson and Grover Walters are ill with typhoid fever.  
Miss Elsie Reames is spending the week in Jacksonville visiting friends.  
George Towne, of Sterlingville, visited friends here Saturday and Sunday.  
John Wright, of Central Point, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Wright, who is ill.  
J. W. Bonar, of Griffin creek, was in town again this week with a load of choice grapes.  
Otto Caster and bride spent last Thursday with Mr. C's mother, Mrs. Mary Caster, of this place.  
Rev. Wm. Clyde and E. E. Gore, who have been attending the convention at Medford, returned home last week.  
Our teachers, Prof. A. J. Hanby and Miss Pearl Applegate, attended the Teachers' Institute at Jacksonville this week.  
Miss Nellie Towne is in Jacksonville attending the Teachers' Institute, after which she will return to her school near Jacksonville.  
The pupils of the 8th and 9th grades gave their teacher, Prof. A. J. Hanby, a birthday surprise party Monday evening. The evening was very pleasantly spent in playing games until 11 o'clock, then lunch was served. All report a very pleasant evening. The following were present: Misses Jessie Blackwood, Lettie Stanciliff, Catherine and Francis O'Toole, Martha Carey, Bertha Dunlap, Ella Stone, Nellie Reames, Mrs. Hanby, Messrs Harry Reames, Howard Norton, Albert Smith, William Wilder, Bertie and Lutie Stanciliff.  
**ACKER'S DYSPEPSIA TABLETS ARE** sold on a positive guarantee. Cures heartburn, rattling of the food, distress after eating or any form of dyspepsia. One little tablet gives immediate relief. 25 cts. and 50 cts. Sold by Chas. Strang, druggist.  
**Central Point Items.**  
L. C. Belle and Harry Caton, of Wellon, spent a day here this week.  
Mrs. Nellie McNery made Medford a business trip on Tuesday.  
M. Elliott and family are visit-

ing relatives at Jacksonville this week.  
T. J. Kalsoe and family, of Butte creek, visited relatives here last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wyott, lately of Klamath County, have become citizens of our town.  
Wm. Wright, of Willow Springs, who has been very ill with typhoid fever, is considerably improved.  
Mrs. Geo. Jeffres left for Olympia, Wash., Sunday evening, to be at the bedside of her son, who is very ill.  
Mrs. Etta Keeny, who has been spending several months with relatives in this county, has returned home.  
Mrs. Elizabeth Ross attended the wedding of her granddaughter, Miss Helen Stanley, to W. O. Marks last Sunday.  
Mrs. Anna Dean, an old and respected pioneer, died at the family home Wednesday evening at six o'clock. She leaves two sons and two daughters, besides a number of relatives and friends to mourn her loss.  
The Women's Relief Corps will serve meals from noon until 10 p. m. at the brick hall on election day, the proceeds to be appropriated to the painting of the grand army hall. No pains will be spared to please the patrons and they invite a 1 to come.  
**COMMITTED SUICIDE.**  
SALEM, Or., Oct. 15.—John F. Adams an asylum patient, who was received from Jackson County in 1896, committed suicide this morning by hanging himself from a steam pipe, with a rope made of a strip torn from a blanket.  
Adams was 51 years old, and was in the asylum on his third commitment. He was a man of quiet manner, and had never given indication of suicidal propensities. He had been confined in the infirmary ward, and slept with a fellow-patient in a room adjoining the main sleeping apartment.  
It is supposed that he hanged himself about 3 o'clock this morning. His body was discovered about 5 o'clock. A short broken strip of blanket was found tied to the pipe, indicating an unsuccessful attempt. Two attendants were on watch at the time, but heard no disturbance. Coroner Lane visited the asylum today, but upon investigation decided that no inquest was necessary.  
**ACKER'S ENGLISH REMEDY WILL** stop a cough at any time, and will cure the worst cold in twelve hours, or money refunded. 25 cts. and 50 cts. Sold by Chas. Strang, drug gist.  
—Boydson & Nicholson keep the Dewey washer in stock.  
—Gut Wells & Shearer to do your moving—satisfaction always.

**ON GUARD**



The warning cough is the faithful sentinel. It tells of the approach of consumption, which has killed more people than war and pestilence combined. It tells of painful chests, sore lungs, weak throats, bronchitis, and pneumonia. Do not suffer another day. It's useless, for there's a prompt and safe cure. It is

**Ayer's Cherry Pectoral**

which cures fresh colds and coughs in a single night and masters chronic coughs and bronchitis in a short time. Consumption is surely and certainly prevented, and cured, too, if taken in time.

A 25c. bottle for a fresh cold; 50c. bottle for older colds; \$1 size for chronic coughs and consumption.

"I always keep a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral on hand. Then every time I get cold I take a little of it and I am better at once."  
JAMES O. BURTON,  
Oct. 19, 1898, El Paso, Texas.

Write the Doctor. If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice, write the Doctor freely. Address  
DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

**Married--Bates-Medynski.**  
The very pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Medynski was thrown open to their most intimate friends, Wednesday evening, October 24th, to witness the marriage of their only daughter, Henrietta Amelia, to Wm. W. Bates, of this city.  
The double parlors were profusely decorated in white bunting and festoons of ivy. The corner where the happy couple stood was formed by an arch of green and white, with a white silk parasol covered with white chrysanthemums, conveying the wish that their future may be protected from all storms and that only showers of blossoms may be their lot. Potted plants and large quantities of white roses made the room look very handsome. The dining room was decorated in pink. The ceiling and walls were covered with a drapery of pink bunting and the tables were daintily with La France roses and pink centerpieces. The young ladies who served the luncheon were attired in pink to carry out the color scheme in this dainty bower of good cheer.  
After a vocal solo by Miss Rhinehart and a violin solo by Miss Fern Norris, to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Miss Rhinehart, the groom and his best man, Robert Lawton, marched to the arch, there to await the bridal party, which came from the opposite direction. Little Ruth Norris and Loraine Lawton carried white satin ribbons which formed the aisle down which passed Miss Fannie Haskins as bridesmaid. Then came the bride on the arm of her father. She looked fair, indeed, in a white brocaded silk gown trimmed in true lovers' knots of real lace, and wearing orange blossoms, sent by friends in California, and carrying Bride roses. The groom, attired in conventional black, stepped forward, and the marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. T. L. Crandall, followed by prayer by E. V. Marley, after which good wishes and congratulations were extended.  
The bride has lived in this city for several years, having finished her education in our high school, and has many friends who wish her much future happiness. The groom is a well known young man, having been in business here for several years, and he is to be congratulated on his choice.  
After the luncheon was served the wedding cake was cut and the ring was found by Miss Maggie Bellinger in the piece she cut, which signifies that she will be the next bride. Boxes of the cake, tied with white ribbons, were given to the guests.  
Many presents were received, consisting of cut glass, silverware, point lace, etc.  
Those present who signed their names in the bride's book were as follows: Rev. and Mrs. Crandall, Rev. and Mrs. J. Merley, Judge W. S. Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Norris, Prof. and Mrs. N. L. Narreagan, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Haskins, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lawton, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Meeker, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bates, Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Merriman; Misses Fannie Haskins, Cora and Nora Bates, Edna and Bernice Foose, May Phipps, Myrtle Lawton, Maggie Bellinger, Lillian Rhinehart, Fern and Ruth Norris, and Loraine Lawton; Messrs Robert Lawton, Mate Biden, Clarence Meeker and Henry Bates.  
**MOKI TEA POSITIVELY CURES SICK** headache, indigestion and constipation. A delightful herb drink. Removes all eruptions of the skin, producing a perfect complexion, or money refunded. 25 cts. and 50 cts. Sold by Chas. Strang, druggist.  
**Among the Churches.**  
**CHRISTIAN CHURCH.**  
Sickness of the pastor prevented him filling last Sunday's appointments, but he has so far recovered that he hopes to be in his pulpit at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. next Sunday.  
**ADVENTISTS.**  
Preaching at chapel on South D street Sunday at 2:30 p. m., subject—"The New Covenant." Our Sabbath school at Medford will unite with the Jacksonville church next Sabbath, school commencing at 10 a. m. Preaching at 2:30 p. m.  
**B. C. TAHOE, Pastor.**  
**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**  
There will be the usual services next Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours. Theme for 11 a. m., "Our Missionaries and Mission Work in China, and the Home Church." The subject for the evening service will be "The Love of Jesus for Lost Souls." All are invited, especially the unconverted.  
—Seed rye for sale—1000 pounds, at Hubbard Bros., Medford.  
**E. H. Grove**  
This signature is on every box of the Genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day  
**County Treasurer's Seventh Notice.**  
OFFICE OF COUNTY TREASURER  
OF JACKSON COUNTY, OREGON,  
JACKSONVILLE, OREGON, Oct. 26, 1900.  
Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the county treasury for the redemption of all outstanding county warrants protested from March 1, 1897, to March 31, 1897, both dates inclusive. Interest on the same will cease after the above date.  
MAX MULLER,  
County Treasurer.

**COUNTERFEIT GOLD AND SILVER.**  
THE DALLAS, Oct. 23.—Deputy Sheriff E. B. Wood has just arrived from Antelope with the information that counterfeit gold and silver coins, in all denominations, to the amount of several thousand dollars, have been put into circulation at Antelope, Shaniko, Tygh Valley and Wapinitia, and that F. W. Silvertooth, an Antelope saloon-keeper, had taken in \$500 worth before he discovered the fraud.  
Three men were arrested, suspected of the crime, one of whom was found \$1000, but in genuine money. No incriminating evidence, however, has yet been discovered to connect the men with the crime.  
**Married--Caster-Ellison.**  
On October 17, 1900, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellison, in Roxy Ann precinct, James Stewart, justice of the peace, of Medford, united in holy wedlock Mr. Otto Caster and Miss Enid Ellison. After the ceremony, and when many hearty congratulations were said, the happy couple and a goodly number of friends and neighbors sat down to a bountiful and splendid dinner. In the evening the young people spent a most enjoyable time in dancing. At 12 o'clock a fine oyster supper was partaken of, after which the dancing was continued until morning.  
The groom is an honorable and estimable young farmer and has many friends. The bride is the eldest daughter of our much esteemed neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Ellison, and is one of our most beautiful and refined young ladies. We tender the young couple our most hearty and best wishes for their happiness and prosperity.  
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—The new ads this week are those of G. L. Webb, J. G. Van Dyke & Co., and G. L. Davis.  
—I. A. Merriman has on exhibition two very large pumpkins at Davis' grocery store. One of them weighs 130 pounds.  
—S. H. Dunlap, formerly a resident of Talent, but later of Dunsmuir, Calif., died at the latter place on the 15th of this month, after a short illness, aged about 55 years.  
—Miss Mae Merriman, assistant postmaster, was the recipient this week of an elegant gold watch and chain—a birthday present from her father, Postmaster G. F. Merriman.  
—The mining laws of Oregon for sale at this office.  
—Yuca. Yuca. What is Yuca? Ask H. H. Howard & Co.  
—For fruit cans and store ipe go to Wolfers tin shop, Medford.  
—Best brands of cigars at Billie Isaacs' smoke house.  
—Applies in any quantity for 25 cents per sack, at the Oilwell orchard.  
—Spring trucks for spring household moving. Wells & Shearer.  
—East Side mill grinds every Saturday. Custom work a specialty.  
—Geo. Brown & Sons, Eagle Point, headquarters for posts and shakes.  
—The Coss Piano House has some good horses for sale.  
—School supplies at West Side grocery.  
Among its other wonderful attractions, Alaska has a North Pole of its own. At Battery Point, in Linn Canal, is a magnetic attraction so strong that it draws away from the earth's North Pole needles in compasses of passing vessels. For a long time captains have noticed a serious deflection of their compasses at this point, so much so that the instruments were useless until the vessels passed far enough beyond the point to lose the effect of the magnetic attraction. Then the sensitive needles would fly back again to their proper position. The government has investigated the cause and found a large iron deposit under the surface of the water at Battery Point.

**My Farm For Sale.**

Consisting of 190 acres; fifty acres cleared; 125 fenced; 700 bearing prune and peach trees; six acres alfalfa; 700 young pear trees; house of seven rooms; good barn; wagon shed, etc. Situated two and one-half miles west of Phoenix and six and one-half miles south of Medford. Cheap and easy terms. Apply on premises or at my residence on West Seventh street, Medford.  
C. L. CORWIN.  
—Crusade prize baking powder—none better—none cheaper—you get a prize with every can. Warner & Wortman.  
An autograph letter from Queen Victoria, addressed to the emperor of the French, dated Osborne, June 29, 1855 (in French), was sold recently in London. The letter, which deplores the ministerial crisis at that time existing and apprehends others to follow, assures the emperor that no change of government would ever compromise that good understanding existing between the two countries. The price realized was two guineas.

**FIENDISH CRIME AT JEFFERSON.**  
SALEM, Oct. 23.—A terrible tragedy occurred today at the town of Jefferson as a result of which the life of Miss Lulu Jones, aged 16 years, is despaired of.  
Clyde Vaughn, a young man aged 18, a pupil in the public school, and janitor of the building, appeared at the door of the school and told the teacher that a man wished to speak with Miss Jones, whereupon the teacher gave her permission to retire for that purpose. After she had been out a quarter of an hour, the teacher sent a little girl to find out where she was and the cause of the delay. A short search resulted in the finding of Miss Jones lying in the basement unconscious and almost dead, her frontal bone crushed in, as from a blow with an ax. Two doctors have been engaged in trepanning the skull, but grave fears of death are entertained.  
Clyde Vaughn, the supposed perpetrator of the awful crime, is not to be found, but a large posse is scouring the woods hunting for him.  
Miss Jones is a sister of Professors George and Charles H. Jones, editors of the Oregon School Journal. Great excitement prevails in Jefferson.  
SALEM, Oct. 24.—Clyde Vaughn was captured last evening about two miles from Jefferson, in the direction of Marion, by Frank Libby, a farmer, who saw the fellow and headed him off. He confessed to the crime, but gave no motive for it.  
He says when she came out of the school house he tried to persuade her to go into the basement with him, which she refused, whereupon he struck her a blow with his fist, stunning her. He then made up his mind to kill her, so he dragged her into the basement and struck her with the poll of the ax.  
—Frank photos see Mackey & Dunlap. 24 for 25 cents.  
—See the latest in piano chairs at the Coss Piano House.

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**Every woman knows about Mrs. Pinkham's medicine.**

**Every woman knows some woman Mrs. Pinkham has cured.**

**But nine women out of ten put off getting this reliable remedy until their health is nearly wrecked by experiments or neglect!**

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**She has helped a million women. Why not you?**

**DON'T BE DUPED**

There have been placed upon the market several cheap reprints of an obsolete edition of "Webster's Dictionary." They are being offered under various names at a low price.

By dry goods dealers, grocers, agents, etc., and in a few instances as a premium for subscriptions to papers.

Announcements of these comparatively worthless reprints are very misleading; for instance, they are advertised to be the substantial equivalent of a higher-priced book, when in reality, so far as we know and believe, they are all, from A to Z.

**Reprint Dictionaries,** phototype copies of a book of over fifty years ago, which in its day was sold for about \$5.00 and which was much superior in paper, print, and binding to these imitations, being then a work of some merit instead of one.

**Long Since Obsolete.** The supplement of 10,000 so-called "new words" which some of these books are advertised to contain, was compiled by a gentleman who died over forty years ago, and was published before his death. Other minor additions are probably of more or less value.

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