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OUR COUNTY ... Correspondents

Eagle Point Eagles.
BY A. C. HOWLETT.

Geo. Brown & Sons shipped a fine lot of turkeys last Monday.

I am sorry to state that Grandma Lewis is failing in health very rapidly.

J. Wisley passed through here last week on his way to the Olson mill with a planer.

Several loads of pipe have been hauled through here recently. It was being taken up Rogue river, but for whom or what purpose I was unable to learn.

Floyd Pearce and his sister, Miss Grace, came over from Forest creek last Saturday. Mrs. Pearce was already here visiting her parents and sister.

Mrs. John Rader returned home last Wednesday from Sacramento, where she went to visit her sister, who is very ill. Mrs. Rader reports that there is but little hopes of her recovery.

By some means the names of Mrs. Geo. Brown and son, William, were omitted from the list of those who attended the surprise party at our house last week, mention of which was made in my communication to THE MAIL.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lewis were pleasant callers at our correspondent's home last Sunday, as were also Mrs. O. P. McGee and Mrs. Mollie Bays. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis will become readers of THE MAIL, and consequently will hereafter know what is going on in the world.

For the benefit of the many friends of the bride, who is a niece of your correspondent, and who attended school here a few years ago, I give the following marriage notice: "Married—At the residence of the bride's parents, November 11, 1900, Mr. Lee Shaw, of Fairview, and Miss Nettie Cooke, of Damascus, Rev. Jacob Bahr officiating."

John Pelling called on me one day last week and requested that inquiry be made through THE MAIL for John Clare, an old miner, about eighty years of age. He left his place about the first of July with two horses, to go to Diamond lake, expecting to be gone two months. The last seen of him was near Union creek, on the Ft. Klamath road, where he was found looking for his horses, which he had tied to a tree and then became lost from them. The old gentleman was almost blind and fears are entertained that he perished in the mountains. Anyone knowing of his whereabouts will please write to John Pelling, Eagle Point, Ore.

On Monday last Mrs. A. M. Thomas gave a rag tacking party to which she invited a number of her



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"By their fruits ye shall know them." The way to judge of the value of any medicine is by its cures. Apply that test to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and it is at once lifted high above all other put-up medicines designed for the cure of womanly diseases. Chronic forms of disease which local physicians have failed to cure, and which have yielded to no other treatment, have been perfectly and permanently cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It establishes monthly regularity. It dries debilitating drains. It heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness.

Mrs. Shopshire, of Ballou, Shelby Co., Ohio, writes: "My mother had an ovarian tumor which we thought would result in her death, but we had read your advertisement and we commenced using your 'Favorite Prescription.' We got one dozen bottles to commence with, and before she had taken three bottles she began to improve; she is living to-day and we have given your medicine the credit. My mother was sixty-six years old when the tumor commenced to grow; she is seventy-six now and the tumor is all gone. She had gotten awfully large, and her limbs began to swell before we began to use your 'Favorite Prescription.'"

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure biliousness.

friends. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fryer, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pearce, Mrs. Green, Mrs. J. W. Grover, Mrs. W. F. Lewis, Mrs. Sinclair, Miss Grace Pearce, and Mr. and Mrs. Howlett and daughter. While the guests had a fine dinner and a jolly time, Mrs. Thomas had a nice lot of carpet rags sewed. Your readers may think that we do nothing out here but have parties, but it is so easy to make a living in this bountiful country that we can spend some time in social enjoyment and still make a good living.

Last week was rather remarkable on account of the number of parties in our town. The first was a surprise party at J. J. Fryer's. Friends of the family to the number of about twenty met and enjoyed an old-fashioned candy pulling. To say that all present spent a pleasant evening is useless, for with Mr. Fryer as master of ceremonies and his wife and two daughters, Messrs. Green and Pearce, to assist him, everyone knew they would have a good time. The next party was on Saturday night, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Holmes, they having sent out invitations to about fifty of the friends of Mrs. Argalee Green and Mrs. Dayid Steward to attend a farewell party in honor of those ladies. The rain in the afternoon and evening prevented some from going but about forty of the invited guests were present. Coffee and cake were served during the evening. Soon after eleven the company broke up, but it will be a long time before those present will forget what a pleasant time they had on the evening of November 24th.

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.

Big Butte Items.
BY SQUID.
Six inches of snow fell during the past week.

Wm. Perry was at Jacksonville on business this week.

R. Wright has gone to the valley with a load of shakes.

O. McGee, of Eagle Point, is at Rancherie this week, looking after his cattle.

G. Brown, of Brownsboro, was up in this neighborhood this week looking after his stock interests.

Green Mathews and a gentleman from Eagle Point were in this vicinity this week looking after their cattle.

His Life Was Saved.
Mr. J. E. Lily, 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 marvelous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all throat and lung trouble. Regular sizes 50 cts., and \$1. Trial bottles free at Chas. Strang's drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

Yankee Creek Scribbings.
BY CLODHOOPER.

Most of our farmers have about finished sowing wheat.

Quite a number of our farmers took their Thanksgiving turkeys to Medford.

F. M. Snyder was a welcome visitor at the home of H. C. Carnell last Sunday.

D. T. Snyder butchered his hogs last Monday. He says they don't compare favorably with Kansas cornfed.

The wintry weather that has overtaken us makes a fellow won-

der what has become of his last summer's wages.

Our commissioners have been very generous in appropriating the sum asked for fixing the Antelope ford. We trust under the able management of Mr. Howard the work will be well done.

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 pain and aches. Only 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Chas. Strang, druggist.

Trail Creek Items.
(Received too late for last week.)
John Foster is visiting his sister, Mrs. Bertha Morrison.

G. W. Owings expects to go to Woodville soon to commence work in his mine.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morrison made a trip to Medford last week after supplies.

Mrs. S. E. Inlow and son, Harvey, visited friends and relatives in Sams Valley last week.

Jacob Dawson, who has been dangerously ill, is slowly recovering under the skillful treatment of Dr. Hilderbrand.

Jesse Richardson went to Medford Sunday after his sister, Miss Etta, who has been visiting relatives in California.

A Powder Mill Explosion
Removes everything in sight; so do drastic mineral pills, but both are mighty dangerous. Don't dynamite the delicate machinery of your body with calomel, croton oil or aloes pills, when Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are gentle as a summer breeze, do the work perfectly. Cures headache, constipation. Only 25c at Chas. Strang's drug store.

Mining Locations.
Josephine Child located Nov. 14, 1900, a quartz claim in Spencer Gulch mining district.
G. W. Hoxie located Nov. 17, 1900, "Purpendick" ledge.
M. M. Beneshain and J. McCuske located Oct. 27, 1900, a quartz claim in Gold Hill district.
F. H. Rice and A. G. Ems, 2 quartz claims in NW 1/4 of sec. 27, T. 38 S., R. 1 W., May 29, 1900.
John D. Fletcher, Oct. 12, 1900, a quartz claim in Big Applegate mining district.
Jas. M. Whipple and E. G. Jordan, located Nov. 9, 1900, a quartz claim in Evans creek mining district.
R. Edelhoff and M. F. Gregg located Nov. 2, 1900 a quartz claim in Weaver creek district.
A. D. Kay located Oct. 8, 1900, a quartz claim in Blackwell mining district.

When you feel that life is hardly worth the candle take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will cleanse your stomach, tone up your liver and regulate your bowels, making you feel like a new man. For sale by Chas. Strang, druggist.

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Great bodies move slowly, and only act after mature deliberation. It may therefore be safely stated that governments and corporations did not employ Avenarius carbolinum until fully convinced of its money saving as well as wood preserving qualities. Private individuals desirous of lengthening the life of wood work and the same time curtailing expenses, need not fear to follow the precedents established.

Recent local examples proving the truth of the above statements are not wanting. The reconstructed Madison street bridge in Portland has been treated with Avenarius carbolinum, as has also the pavement at the intersection of third street in that city where the heaviest street car and wagon traffic converge. The latter use of the compound was made at the earnest solicitation of street managers who confidently look for gratifying results.

The gentlemen in charge of the United States engineer department for Oregon are now applying Avenarius carbolinum to the dams and lock work on the Yamhill river, a flattering tribute to its merits which was certainly not extended until searching investigation satisfied the authorities that it was a measure of practical economy.

With such examples before them it would appear that the individual is foolish and the official almost culpable who does not protect his own, or the taxpayer's pockets by using this compound, thus saving from decay, and lengthening the life of all frame structures for which he is individually or officially responsible.

Fisher, Thorsen & Co., of Portland, Or., are sole Pacific coast agents for Avenarius carbolinum, and it can be found at D. H. Miller's, Medford, Or., who will gladly supply information regarding its accomplishments.

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County Treasurer's Seventh Notice.

OFFICE OF COUNTY TREASURER
OF JACKSON COUNTY, OREGON,
JACKSONVILLE, OREGON, Nov. 30, 1900.
Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the county treasury for the redemption of all outstanding county warrants protested from April 1, 1897, to May 6, 1897, but dates included. Interest on the same will cease after the above date.
MAX WULLER,
County Treasurer.

Woodville Items.

Miss Pearl Carter returned from Gold Hill Saturday.

Mrs. I. M. Cox and Mrs. G. W. Wilcox were at Gold Hill Saturday.

W. O. Jones, who has been visiting here, returned Monday to his home at Wolf Creek.

Mrs. Claribel Williams, who has been visiting here for some time, returned to her home on Applegate Monday.

Mrs. F. B. Catchem and son were here Sunday visiting friends. They returned Monday to the Black Channel mine, near Wolf Creek.

Mr. H. Kenworthy and Miss Anna White were married at the home of the bride last Thursday evening, Nov. 22, by Rev. J. Milton.

The public school examination which was held here Nov. 22d and 23d, was attended by the following applicants: Misses Harriett Van Order, Bertha Cox and Grace Bedford and Messrs. Garfield Osborn, Willie Pyburn and Geo. Birdsey.

Following is the report of the Woodville school for the month ending November 9th: Number of pupils enrolled, 42; number of pupils attending, 34; days taught, 16; holidays, 4; number of boys enrolled, 20; number of girls enrolled, 22; new pupils, boys 3, girls 1, total 4; cases of tardiness, boys 19, girls 35; cases of absence, boys 30, girls 48; number of visitors, 12. Those on the roll of honor for the month were Grace and Raymond Stevens, Joe and George Hammersly.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land office at Roseburg, Oregon, November 7, 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 Geo. Newbury, county clerk of Jackson County, Oregon, at Jacksonville, Oregon, on December 28, 1900, viz:
ARTHUR B. SALT MARSH,
On H. E. No. 7475, for the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 and SW 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 29, Tp. 38 S., R. 2 West.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Chris Ulrich, of Jacksonville, Oregon; James Central, of Bunsom, Oregon; Arthur S. Kleinhammer, of Bunsom, Oregon; W. R. Cook, of Jacksonville, Oregon.
J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land office at Roseburg, Oregon, October 19, 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 Geo. Newbury, county clerk of Jackson County, Oregon, at Jacksonville, Oregon, on December 19, 1900, viz:
ELI HOGAN,
On H. E. No. 10287, for the E 1/2 SW 1/4 and SE 1/4 Sec. 33, Tp. 36 S., R. 1 East.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
D. Brooks, O. L. Davis and J. W. Smith, of Medford, and H. Vos der Helten, of Wellen, all of Jackson County, Oregon.
J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

Administratrix's Notice.

In the County Court in and for the County of Jackson and State of Oregon.
In the matter of the Estate of Conrad Mingus, Deceased.

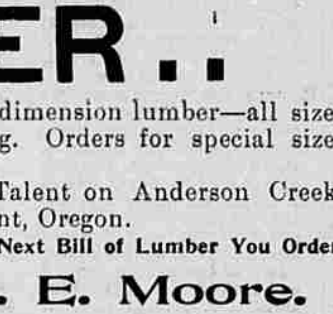
NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court for Jackson County, Oregon, sitting in probate, administratrix for the estate of Conrad Mingus, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate will present them to the undersigned at her residence in Ashland, Oregon, or at the office of W. I. Vawter, at Medford, with proper vouchers attached, within six months from the first publication of this notice. Dated November 7, 1900.
LAVINA MINGUS,
Administratrix of the Estate of Conrad Mingus, Deceased.

THE MAIL has blank school report cards for sale.

When the Hair Falls Out

accompanied by mucous patches in the mouth, eruptions on the skin, sore throat, copper colored spots, swollen glands, aching muscles and bones, the disease is making rapid headway, and far worse symptoms will follow unless the blood is promptly and effectually cleansed of this violent destructive poison. S. S. S. is the only safe and infallible cure for this disease, the only antidote for this specific poison. It cures the worst cases thoroughly and permanently. In the fall of 1897 I contracted Blood Poison. I tried three doctors, but their treatment did me no good; I was getting worse all the time; my hair came out, ulcers appeared in my throat and mouth, my body was almost covered with copper colored spots and offensive sores. I suffered severely from rheumatic pains in my shoulders and arms. My condition could have been no worse; only those afflicted as I was can understand my sufferings. I had about lost all hope of ever being well again when I decided to try S. S. S., but must confess I had little faith left in any medicine. After taking the third bottle I noticed a change in my condition. This was truly encouraging, and I determined to give S. S. S. a thorough trial. From that time on the improvement was rapid; S. S. S. seemed to have the disease completely under control; the sores and ulcers healed and I was soon free from all signs of the disorder. I have been strong and healthy ever since.
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7:30 p. m.	Lv.	Medford	Lv. 8:30 a. m.
10:45 a. m.	Lv.	Medford	Lv. 9:30 a. m.
7:45 p. m.	Lv.	San Francisco	Lv. 9:30 a. m.
9:45 a. m.	Ar.	Denver	Ar. 9:30 a. m.
7:25 p. m.	Ar.	Kansas City	Ar. 9:30 a. m.
7:45 a. m.	Ar.	Chicago	Ar. 9:30 a. m.
1:25 p. m.	Ar.	Los Angeles	Ar. 7:30 a. m.
6:30 p. m.	Ar.	El Paso	Ar. 6:00 p. m.
6:30 a. m.	Ar.	Fort Worth	Ar. 6:30 p. m.
5:35 a. m.	Ar.	New Orleans	Ar. 6:25 p. m.

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

CORVALLIS MAIL—DAILY (Except Sunday)

7:30 a. m.	Lv.	Portland	Ar. 1:00 p. m.
12:15 p. m.	Ar.	Corvallis	Lv. 8:30 a. m.

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

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4:50 p. m.	Lv.	Portland	Ar. 8:35 a. m.
7:30 p. m.	Ar.	Medford	Lv. 6:50 a. m.
8:30 p. m.	Ar.	Independence	Lv. 4:30 a. m.

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