

OUR COUNTY . . . Correspondents

Jacksonville News.

Mrs. Theo. Cameron has returned from a trip to Portland.

Mrs. L. L. Jacobs, of Medford, was in our city Saturday.

County Clerk Gus Newbury is spending a few days at Coletuin.

Attorney A. S. Hammond, of Medford, was in Jacksonville Monday.

Wm. Ulrich, of Medford, paid the county seat a business visit Monday.

Sam DeRoboam returned Monday from a fishing trip to Little Applegate.

Misses Ella Orth, Anna Keegan and Fanny Donegan are rusticiating at Coletuin.

Judge and Mrs. J. R. Neil are paying relatives in Ashland and on Neil creek a visit.

Miss J. Slocom, of Portland, is visiting in Jacksonville, the guest of Miss Kate Plymale.

Miss Ethel Florey, who is teaching school on Butte creek, is visiting her mother in Jacksonville.

Mrs. T. J. Kenney and family and Mrs. M. Obenchain returned Wednesday from Wagner springs.

Judge Chas. Prim, who returned from Cinnabar last Saturday seriously ill, is very much improved.

Mrs. P. Simon, who resides with her son, Ed. Simon, at Tolo, was in Jacksonville Monday upon business.

Mrs. Mary Pryce, who has been visiting friends in Jack onville, returned to her home near Gold Hill Tuesday.

Miss Kate Cronemiller left Tuesday evening for Crescent City, where she will spend a month with relatives.

Dr. DeBar and family, who returned Thursday from San Francisco, are entertaining relatives from the east.

Mrs. E. J. Kubli returned to her home in Jacksonville Monday, from an extended visit with her daughters in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crow, of Grants Pass, have been visiting Mrs. Crow's mother, Mrs. George Mathews, in our city.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Keegan returned to Jacksonville Saturday from Tacoma, where they have been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Devlin, of Applegate, accompanied by Mrs. Chas. Hines, of Forest Grove, were in Jacksonville Saturday.

G. E. Morse, clerk of U. S. district court, San Francisco, is visiting the Swayne mine on Applegate, in which he has an interest.

Mrs. Jessie Farnsworth, who recently returned to Medford from San Francisco, visited friends in Jacksonville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Cantrall, who have been visiting on Applegate, returned to their home in Klamath County last week.

Mrs. J. C. Whipp and daughter, Gertrude, returned Tuesday from a week's visit with Mrs. Annie Ross, who resides near Central Point.

A. W. Sturgis, owner of the celebrated Sturgis mine, was in Jacksonville Saturday. He was quite elated over an unusually lucrative clean-up.

Wm. Jennings came in from the Ankeny mine Saturday. He reports all hands busy cleaning up, which work will likely continue for several weeks.

Mrs. Mary Oglesby, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Portland and Roseburg, returned to her home near Jacksonville Tuesday morning.

J. H. Huffer and daughters, Misses Daisy and Ollie, Superintendent and Mrs. P. H. Dally and Mrs. Donald Russell, of this city, returned from San Francisco Friday.

John Knox, who was formerly interested in the Squaw Lake mining enterprise, but who is now traveling in the interest of a Chicago school book concern, was in our city Saturday.

Carroll E. Kirk, who is here in the interest of the American Sunday School Union, reports having organized the following schools: Eagle Point—O. P. McGee, superintendent; Lone Pine—Miss Emma Hoag, superintendent; Missouri Flat, Davidson P. O.—Wm. Bailey, superintendent; Bridge Point, Applegate—Miss Lizzie Wright, superintendent.

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Kanew Creek Items.

BY SINE DIE.

Henry Nutt left Friday for Elk creek to be absent several months.

Mrs. Dave Mardon was visiting in Gold Hill Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aust Knotts were doing business in Tolo last Monday.

Frank Roundtree was transacting business on Foothills creek Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nichols were doing business in Medford last Tuesday.

We are glad to say that Mr. Roundtree is improving rapidly under Dr. Darrin's care.

Mrs. Robert Swinden and daughter, Miss Ada, who have been visiting in Ashland, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown spent Sunday on Galls creek blackberrying. There is an immense crop this year.

Miss Nettie Dodge, an old resident of this place and Gold Hill, left last Sunday for Portland to remain permanently.

John Knotts and Elmer Higin botham, who have been prospecting in Siskiyou County, Calif., have returned well satisfied.

Geo. Swinden and Ed. Ganb, of Grants Pass, were visitors at the former's brother, Robert Swinden, as Monday and Tuesday.

Perry Knotts and Ed. Rhoten have returned home from Del Norte County, Calif., where they have been engaged in prospecting for Dr. C. R. Ray.

The party at Mr. Roundtree's last Monday night was a pleasant affair, it being their son Ralph's sixteenth birthday. Dancing was the amusement of the evening, after which a candy pulling was enjoyed by the young folks. The party lasted till a late hour when all returned to their respective homes well pleased with the evening's entertainment.

Their Secret Is Out.

All Sadiville, Ky., was curious to learn the cause of the vast improvement in the health of Mrs. S. P. Whitaker, who had for a long time endured untold suffering from a chronic bronchial trouble. "It's all due to Dr. King's New Discovery," writes her husband. "It completely cured her and also cured our little granddaughter of a severe attack of whooping cough." It positively cures coughs, colds, la grippe, bronchitis, all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Chas. Strang's drug store.

Forest Creek News.

BY OPERA.

Miss Hattie Armpriest returned home from Portland this week.

Evan Paaroo is working for the Broad & Reed Mining Company at present.

Isaac Coffman has bonded his farm and mine to eastern parties for \$4000.

Mrs. I. E. Sayre, of Utah, is here looking after her mining interests on Forest creek.

Bert Coffman, who has been employed at the Sturgis mine, has gone to California.

Wm. Bostwick has sold his hogs to Medford parties. The price paid was \$4.60 per hundred.

S. R. Coffman will move in a short time from his father's farm to his own place, on Bishop creek, to reside permanently.

James Armpriest has milch cows for sale. He also wants to lease some good stubble pasture, with water. Address him at Jacksonville, Ore.

The owners of the Sunset mine, on Forest creek, are driving a cross-cut to tap the main ledge about seventy-five feet lower than where they have been working. They expect to strike it rich when that

NOT GOING AWAY.

A Rush of Business Causes Dr. Darrin to Postpone Leaving Medford Until September 1.

Dr. Darrin, the eminent physician and specialist, at the request of many friends and the great interest shown by the suffering and afflicted, has consented to stay in Medford at Hotel Nash until September 1st. His offices are crowded from morning to night and the doctor, no doubt, is the hardest working man in town.

The truly wonderful cures he has accomplished are being testified to by a host of afflicted sufferers, who can be seen and consulted on the marvelous cures in their behalf. It is safe to say that no specialist has attained the prominence of Dr. Darrin in this country, and he cannot help but meet with grand success.

He is not simply a medical practitioner, but a physician of very high order of merit, a scientist, whose years of close study, close observation, close practical experience, has enabled him to draw not only testimonials, but personal endorsements from the leading men of the country—congressmen, judges, etc.—and whose success in the medical field is today without parallel.

Dr. Darrin has an enviable rank in his profession as a wonderfully successful physician. He is essentially original in his methods of practice, and those who have been under his treatment are surprised at the newness and novelty of his system of practice by electricity and medicine. His honest and straightforward advice before taking a case has won for him the confidence of patients as well as the general public.

The doctor is a gentleman of genial, social nature, and his private practice is marked by the formation of a personal friendship with those with whom he comes in contact. He is without doubt one of the most thoroughly qualified physicians now before the public, as his wonderful cures that we have heretofore published can testify.

MORE EVIDENCE OF DR. DARRIN'S SKILL.

The following are open cards from grateful patients. Space will not allow the publication of all that came:

Mr. O. Carey, of Phoenix, was in Medford last Wednesday and called on Dr. Darrin. He mentioned the fact that Dr. Darrin cured his mother ten years ago of a cancerous growth on the face. The case had been considered incurable. He was delighted to meet the doctor who had conferred upon his mother the great and inestimable boon of health.

Green B. Matthews, of Eagle Point, was in town last week and tells us he is still enjoying good health. He was cured by Dr. Darrin thirteen years ago of consumption and general breaking down of the system.

DEAFNESS CURED.

To the Editor: Going on two years

point is reached, which will be in a short time.

Rev. Hoxie, of Williams, Josephine County, will preach at Forest creek the first Sunday in each month, at 11 o'clock a.m. Sunday school every Sunday at 10 o'clock. All are invited to attend.

John Broad has struck a rich vein of quartz over on Humburg creek, and has a force of men at work constructing a wagon road to that place. He will haul the quartz to his mill, a distance of two miles, to crush it.

Question Answered.

Yes, August Flower still has the largest sale of any medicine in the civilized world. Your mothers and grandmothers never thought of using anything else for indigestion or biliousness. Doctors were scarce, and they seldom heard of appendicitis, nervous prostration or heart failure, etc. They used August Flower to clean out the system and stop fermentation of undigested food, regulate the action of the liver, stimulate the nervous and organic action of the system, and that is all they took when feeling dull and bad with headaches and other aches. You only need a few doses of Green's August Flower, in liquid form, to make you satisfied there is nothing serious the matter with you. Get Green's Prize Almanac. Chas. Strang, druggist.

Talent News Items.

Miss Sarah Copeland has gone to Gold Hill for a few days.

Miss Anna Beeson left for Coletuin to spend a couple of weeks.

R. A. Carter, of Phoenix, was doing business in Talent the first of the week.

S. G. Netherland came down from the Ashland mine the first of this week.

Mr. McCullum, who came here a couple of weeks ago from Eugene, has gone to California.

Mr. McElfresh, who bought the John Dyar place on Wagner creek, has taken possession of the same.

Nathan Feisterline and family and Firman Couch have gone to the mountains to gather huckleberries, and expect to be gone five or six weeks.

Your correspondent from Talent went to Grants Pass on Friday of last week to attend the Free Methodist camp meeting, returning home Sunday evening.

F. D. Netherland, who has been stopping on his place on Big Butte

my daughter has been gradually growing deaf, until it was with great difficulty she could hear conversation only in a loud voice. Dr. Darrin cured her with electricity July 26th. Refer to me at Draper, Or.

CHAMBERLAIN CARR.

DISCHARGING EAR CURED.

To the Editor: For more than thirty years I have been troubled with a loathsome discharge of my ear from the effects of scarlet fever when a child. I also had a severe trouble of the lungs. Dr. Darrin has cured me and you are at liberty to publish this letter in your paper. I have great faith in Dr. Darrin and his electric treatment, and most earnestly commend him. My postoffice is at Beagle, Or.

L. C. RIMEY.

Mr. Rimey called at THE MAIL office on Friday of last week to tell us of the gratitude he felt for Dr. Darrin. He is one of Jackson County's best citizens and from this date on he is a substantial advertisement for the doctor. Says Mr. Rimey: "I want you to say a whole lot of good things for Dr. Darrin and I'll subscribe my name to anything you say that's good—mind you, anything that's good. The doctor has cured me of an affliction I had never hoped to be relieved of—that of a discharging ear."

Dr. Darrin's Place of Business.

Dr. Darrin, at Hotel Nash, Medford, gives free examination to all, and when necessary gives medicines in connection with electricity. The poor treated free from 10 to 11 daily, except medicines. Those willing to pay, 10 to 5; evenings, 7 to 8; Sundays, 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Deafness, catarrh, eye, nose and throat, heart, liver, stomach, lung troubles, errors of youth, blood taints, gleet, impotency, varicocele, hydrocele, tumors and stricture a specialty. Surgical operations performed when necessary. All chronic male and female and private diseases treated at half his former prices, for home treatment, or in that proportion of time, as the case may require. No cases published except by permission of the patient. All business relations with Dr. Darrin strictly confidential. Letters of inquiry answered. Circulars and question blanks sent free. Patients unable to visit Dr. Darrin during the week can do so on Sunday, from 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. The doctor will remain until September 1st. Seldom more than one visit is necessary—after that the patient can take home treatment. Patients desiring to see the doctor should not delay. He will furnish batteries and electric belts for any patient requiring them, and will give full directions for their use. Eyes tested free and glasses fitted.

For the last couple of months, came home Sunday evening last and is now at work in his blacksmith shop.

Van Dunlap and C. S. Sargent of Phoenix, who have bought out the stock of goods from Mrs. Edwards, of Talent, are putting in more shelving and are preparing to enlarge their stock.

ASTONISHED THE EDITOR.

Editor S. A. Brown, of Bennettville, S. C., was once immensely surprised. "Through long suffering from dyspepsia," he writes, "my wife was greatly run down. She had no strength or vigor and suffered great distress from her stomach, but she tried Electric Bitters which helped her at once, and after using four bottles, she is entirely well, can eat anything. It's a grand tonic, and its gentle laxative qualities are splendid for torpid liver." For indigestion, loss of appetite, stomach and liver troubles it's a positive, guaranteed cure. Only 50c. at Chas. Strang's.

Gold Hill Items.

BY SPECTATOR.

Dr. C. R. Ray left Tuesday for New York City on a business trip.

Ivan Humason and Al. Cowgill returned Monday from Cinnabar springs, where they have been rusticiating the past few days.

J. R. Lusdith returned home last week from Pak: City, where he has been engaged in milling and mining the last few months.

W. H. Mead, of Spokane, has bonded the Tin Pan and Lime Kiln Club quartz mines on Galls creek, of Reed and Kramer, of Grants Pass, for sixty days at \$10,000.

Mr. Blakely, the mining expert of New York City, has been looking over the Ray company's properties in this district for the past few days. He left for Seattle Tuesday and will return here in about ten days.

Engineer J. S. Howard has located his camp at Maple spring, just below Tolo, in surveying the Ray canal. It is to be of large dimension, crossing Bear creek at Tolo, tapping the desert and Eagle Point, and heading at the falls near Prospect.

Surveyors commenced Monday surveying and staking for a log railway from the mouth of Foothills creek, tapping the fine body of fir timber in that district. Mr. Stan-sill, manager of the lumber com-

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At the front with Prices

pany, has decided to bridge Rogue river at the mouth of the creek and put the mill plant on the Southern Pacific railroad one mile above Woodville. The company now has about thirty men employed in doing preliminary work.

"My baby was terribly sick with the diarrhoea," says J. H. Doak, of Williams, Oregon. "We were unable to cure him with the doctor's assistance, and as a last resort we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I am happy to say it gave immediate relief and a complete cure." For sale by Chas. Strang, druggist.

Central Point Items.

Mrs. J. P. Hoagland is very ill at her home, near town.

Robt. Lewis, of Elk creek, was trading here the first of the week.

O. C. Purkeypile and family of Gold Hill, are visiting relatives here.

G. W. Walker is hauling the lumber for John Clark's new residence.

Frank Galloway made a trip to his farm, near Beagle, the first of the week.

Mr. Glass, of Beagle, has his threshing in this vicinity and is doing good work.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Scott are at Grants Pass visiting their daughter, Mrs. Marcus Day.

Rev. G. W. Black, formerly of this place, but now of Burns, is visiting old-time friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Shrieve, of Wisconsin, are visiting Mrs. M. E. Grieve, who is a sister of Mr. Shrieve.

Gus Morris and Wm. Kenney are learning to be stone cutters, under the direction of J. W. Jacobs, who is an expert at the trade.

Prof. A. J. Hanby has purchased the residence formerly owned by L. H. Newton, on Laurel street, and will occupy the same in a short time.

O. O. Kincaid, who is employed as book-keeper for the First National bank at La Grande, was summoned home last week on account of the serious illness of his mother, but did not arrive until after her death, Saturday morning.

We are called upon to chronicle the death of Mrs. W. B. Kincaid, an old and highly respected pioneer, which occurred at the family home near town, last Friday, July 26th. She leaves a husband, four sons, one daughter and six grandchildren, besides a host of friends, to mourn her loss. She died on the seventy-second anniversary of her birth. She was a kind and loving wife and mother, and a woman of sterling worth who will be greatly missed in this community. The family has the sympathy of their many friends in their sad bereavement.

Your Face

Shows the state of your feelings and the state of your health as well. Impure blood makes itself apparent in a pale and sallow complexion, pimples and skin eruptions. If you are feeling weak and worn out and do not have a healthy appearance, you should try Acker's Blood Elixir. It cures all blood diseases where cheap Sarsaparilla and so called purifiers fail; knowing this, we sell every bottle on a positive guarantee. Sold by Chas. Strang, druggist.

ACKER'S DYSPEPSIA TABLETS ARE sold on a positive guarantee. Cures heart burn, raising of the food, distress after eating or any form of dyspepsia. One little tablet gives immediate relief. 25 cts. and 50 cent. Sold by Chas. Strang, druggist.

MAN NEVER WITHOUT BEER.

Nineteen Centuries Before Christ the Process of Making Beer Was Taught.

When the Romans first invaded Germany they found that the beverage of the people was a beer produced from barley. But that was at a time comparatively modern. From the earliest times and in every clime, says an authority, man has had resort to some stimulating and exhilarating beverages prepared by fermenting the juices or extracts from fruits, grain or plants. It is said that Osiris as early as 1990 B. C. taught the process of extracting the juice from barley and fermenting it, while the Greeks learned how to brew and ferment from the Egyptians, who, 300 B. C., had established a number of manufactories at Pelusium, on the Nile. Xenophon, 400 B. C., refers to a fermented drink from barley, and it is alluded to by Aristotle, Strabo and others under the name of zythos. Pliny mentions a kind of beer called "cerevisia," and Eumenides in A. D. 296 says that Britain produced such an abundance of corn that it was sufficient to supply not only bread, but a liquid comparable with wine. In the seventh century beer had become so general a beverage in England that Ina, king of Wessex, levied a tax to be paid in ale, and early in the fifteenth century a brewer's company was formed in London. Up to the sixteenth century English beer was very poor, only flavored with broom, bay berries or ivy berries, but in 1543 the cultivation of the hop plant was begun in England; and from that time a great change was made in the quality of the beer manufactured. In 1610 the first brewery was established at Burton-on-Trent, and by the end of the seventeenth century beer had become the national drink.

What most people want is something mild and gentle, when in need of a physic. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets fill the bill to a dot. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale by Chas. Strang, druggist.

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, druggist.

Emperor Francis Joseph has forwarded a generous gift to Senora Coahu Mendez, the Mexican songstress, on the occasion of her 80th birthday. After Emperor Maximilian had been shot and Empress Carlotta had gone insane, the audience at the Mexican theater called upon Mendez to sing a song villifying them, but she cried out: "No, I shall not vilify the dead and the unhappy," and a hush fell upon the house. Emperor Francis Joseph recalls the incident.

A sack of 1,000 silver dollars mysteriously disappeared from the Chicago National bank. It had been left outside of the bank by mistake when the bank closed for the night. This is the second strange disappearance of a package of money belonging to this bank within a year. Detectives are still looking for a package of \$20,000 in bills shipped by the bank with the Adams Express company to the National State bank at Burlington, Ia., August 17th last. When the package was opened at Burlington it contained only clippings of paper.

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