

WATCH THIS SPACE

For an interesting announcement later

OUR COUNTY . . . Correspondents

Communications from our several correspondents may reach this office not later than Wednesday noon to insure publication.

Jacksonville News.

BY S. N. E.

Commissioners court this week. W. C. Deniff visited Ashland last week.

Miss Ella Young is at Medford for a few days.

Carl Narregan, of Medford, visited here Monday.

E. D. Briggs, the Ashland attorney has been here.

Sheriff Rader made a business trip to Ashland on Saturday.

Clarence Galey, of Ashland, spent Saturday evening in this city.

Mrs. John Dyar, of Ashland, is the guest of Miss Mollie Britt.

Dr. R. G. Gale was at Medford professionally one day last week.

Miss Emma Coleman was in Jacksonville Wednesday for a brief stay.

J. H. Beeman, of Gold Hill, spent Saturday here looking after some mining interests.

A. L. Kitchen has been elected president of the Ashland "Anti-Saloon League."

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Neil, of Ashland, have been the guests of Judge J. R. Neil and wife.

Circuit court was in session Monday and Tuesday. Quite a number of cases were disposed of.

Mrs. C. E. Reames spent the latter part of the week at Medford, the guest of Mrs. I. Humason.

Mrs. Thos. H. Tongue arrived last week from Hillsboro to visit her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Reames.

C. L. Roames has returned from Berkeley, Calif., where he has been visiting his mother, Mrs. L. Roames.

S. J. Day was at Gold Hill, last week assisting in organizing Crater Lake Encampment No. 47, I. O. O. F.

Quite a number of young people from our town attended the Fireman's ball at Medford on Friday evening.

Representative elect Miles C. Cantrall tarried in Jacksonville Tuesday. He was on his way to Medford.

Attorneys Dufur, of Gold Hill,

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Table Rock Items.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pendleton visited Ashland last week.

B. R. Porter finished hauling off his first packing of apples Monday, and expects to begin boxing the other varieties next week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vincent were up from Tolo visiting relatives last week. We are glad to see Mr. Vincent improving so rapidly.

Ephraim Chapman made a trip to Ashland last week and spent several days with old friends before leaving for Bakersfield, Calif.

Frank Adams, manager of the Merritt farm, was the first to do any fall seeding in this neighborhood, having sown some corn ground.

W. J. Nichols brought the Merritt band of sheep from the mountains Saturday. They are now dividing them in three bands, preparatory to putting into winter quarters.

Wm. R. Dickson returned from his hunting trip Saturday, having had only fair luck in securing game and experiencing some very disagreeable weather. While on the trip he had the misfortune to lose one of his best horses by falling over the bank on a narrow trail while carrying a heavy pack.

Wm. Bybee was out for a few days the first of the week getting arrangements started for fall seeding. He has decided not to drive hogs to Happy Camp this year, as prices and market will not justify the long and tedious trip. This is the only year he has missed making a drive to that camp for forty years or more.

Halloween was celebrated by our young people in a way which was very pleasant to the different families of the neighborhood. Instead of following the old custom of misplacing gates, wagon wheels and tearing up things generally, they originated a Jack-o'-lantern brigade and visited every house and gave the people a really good serenade, consisting of choice songs and funny jokes appropriate to the pumpkin faces and the occasion.

J. C. P.

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U. S. Sure Ground.

A well known artist overheard a countryman and his wife ridiculing his picture, which represented a farm scene. He was so indignant that he at last interposed with the remark:

"That painting is valued at \$100. Allow me to ask if you are familiar with works of art?"

"Not very familiar with art," replied the farmer, "but I know something about nature, young man. When you make a cow that gets up from the ground by putting her fore feet first, you do something that nature never did."—London Answers.



Don't forget the old man with the fish on his back.

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SIGHTS OF OLD PANAMA.

City Once as Beautiful as Any Depicted in Storyed Romance.

Following the English style, dinner is a full dress and ceremonious affair. After dinner comes the promenade along the esplanade, a charming walk around the old battery overlooking the prison, says the Catholic World. Our way borders the sea; behind us lies the city, with its Moorish towers, its red tiled roofs; back of it rises Mount Ancon; to our left is the little Indian hamlet of La Boca, at the mouth of the Rio Grande, and the green hills of the Andes in the distance; along the horizon oceanward stretches the bay. What words can describe it? A study in color as the rays of the setting sun turn to crimson, green and gold its islands; the stately palmetto trees that fringe its banks, the white beach and far away the ancient towers of San Anastasio, sole landmark of the once beautiful city of old Panama.

The story of this beautiful city, old Panama, reads like one of the romances from the "Arabian Nights" that so delighted our childhood. Its houses of aromatic wood, hung with costly tapestries, adorned with paintings and sculptures that a king might envy; its 800 magnificent churches, with their services of silver and gold, their frescoes of pearls and precious stones; its pleasure gardens; its broad driveways, chief of which was the king's highway, over which the royal horses bore the treasures to Puerto Bello and the ships ready to sail with them to Spain. Into the midst of this Asiatic splendor came Morgan and his buccanniers, and this struggle, one of the most memorable on our continent, the first of white against white, led to the destruction of the flower of Spanish chivalry and the capture of Panama. So pass the glories of the world!

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A Deep Thrust.

Miss Kutt—I see Miss Gadsby has a new gown.

Miss Kutt—I presume it is a cheap looking affair.

Miss Kutt—Father. It's off the same piece as your new one.—Ohio State Journal.

Both Sided.

"Grymes and his wife quarreled for six months over naming the baby."

"How did they settle it?"

"Easily. It was twins."—Brooklyn Life.

His Firm Belief.

Willie—Papa, what is the difference between firmness and obstinacy?

Father—Merely a matter of sex, my son.—Chicago News.

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Pat's Trouble.

Pat had come over to America with the expectation of finding money lying around loose, only waiting for some one to pick it up. Of course this was long ago. Pat had soon become disillusioned and was always glad to get hold of odd jobs which would net him a little something to help him keep body and soul together. Finally, becoming tired of the struggle, he decided to end it all and was very industriously tying a rope around his waist when his landlord happened in on him. After watching him curiously for a few minutes he asked:

"What's up, Pat? What are you trying to do?"

"Troyin' to choke meself, av coorse," was Pat's answer.

"Choke yourself? You can't do it that way. You'll have to put the rope around your neck."

"Sure an' I tried that, but I couldn't breathe."—New York Times.

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Darwinian.

Stella—Did you know Cholly Sapshead follows the hounds?

Bella—No; I always thought he followed the monkeys.—Judge.

In South Dakota.

"I'm sorry for you, but, of course, marriage is a lottery."

"Yes; I think I'll try another tick."—Judge.

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SWIMMERS' CRAMP.

It is Not So Very Dangerous if the Victim Will Keep Cool.

If swimmers could be trained to keep cool under all circumstances, there would be comparatively little drowning among bathers and summer pleasure seekers. Cramp is usually assigned as the cause when some good swimmer drowns. But cramp ought in reality to be nothing serious. Usually it affects only an arm or a leg or maybe only a hand or foot. Any moderately good swimmer can keep afloat with one arm or even without the use of that, yet good swimmers drown often as a result of cramp. If such fatalities were analyzed, they would be more properly classed as drowning from fright and loss of nerve. This comes from the fact that every one is taught in childhood to fear the water and comes as a grown man and a swimmer to fear cramp. The average opinion is that the man who is attacked when swimming in deep water is as good as drowned. Therefore, when a swimmer feels a leg or arm begin to cramp he is frightened in most cases entirely out of his wits. He loses his head, begins to splash and paw and struggle and then goes down.

What the swimmer should remember is that he can keep afloat with very, very little effort if he will turn on his back and keep his chest inflated. It is the simple matter of floating, which every swimmer knows and finds very easy. If the swimmer will keep cool and float, the cramping limb will frequently relax after a little and he will find himself as well as ever.—Outing.

Where Her Hopes Centered.

"I have a surprise in store for you, dear," he said, seating himself at the supper table.

"Well, darling, I hope it's a millinery store," she responded quickly.—Chicago News.

And They Are Obeyed.

"What are unwritten laws, pa?"

"Your mother's, my son; she always speaks them."—New York Press.

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Southern Oregon State Normal.

The Southern Oregon State Normal School is making thorough preparation for the coming year's work. The buildings are being remodeled and repaired, and extensive additions to the chemical and physical departments are being made. The faculty is composed of strong teachers consecrated to the work, and each department is in the hands of a specialist.

A year's course in Latin and in Economics has been added to further prepare teachers for high school work. The training department will be especially strong. A man of splendid education and wide experience will be at the head of this department. Much attention will be given to oratory, and athletics will be made prominent. The citizens of Ashland have guaranteed some \$200 as prizes for excellence in these lines. The City Library of 2000 volumes is thrown open to students of the institution. Board and lodging can be had at from \$2.50 per week to \$4. Climate healthy. Course of study practical and exhaustive. For catalogue of announcements, write B. F. Muir, President, or Clifford Thomas, Secretary, Ashland, Oregon.

Advertised Letter List.

Following is a list of letters remaining un-called for at the Medford postoffice on Nov. 3, 1902.

Betz, W. Taylor, Miss Myrtle
Coppie, William Tracey, William
Gould, Rev Hiram Williams, G. H.
Glee, A. Willett, C. W.
Hoots, Carl Wiltrout, John
Monroe, William Wilson, Mrs. Mollie
Smith, Leonard Wilson, Mrs. E. G.

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