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In buying food-products, several things are to be thought of—i. e., Economy, Results, Easy Handling, Reliability, but the most important is Health.

Health means everything. In buying clothes, shoes, hats, furniture, etc., if the buyer is deceived and gets an imitation the only harm is loss of money. In buying food-products, if imitations are supplied, there is not only a loss of money, but perhaps an injury to health—which is beyond price.

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BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE

OUR COUNTY . . .

Correspondents

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

Eagle Point Eagles.

BY A. C. HOWLETT.

Preaching next Sunday night by A. C. Howlett, at Eagle Point.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Sheldon, in the Rogue river district, April 18, 1904, a son.

James Ringer and Mr. Woodruff, of Big Butte, came out last week for supplies and seed grain.

Mr. Abbott, who is in the employ of the Iowa Lumber Co., of Medford, was visiting home folks last Saturday, returning Sunday.

Emanuel Pool and family came out last Friday, bringing Mr. Harris, the foreman of the Michigan Lumber Co., for medical treatment.

Last Sunday, while little Willie Haselton was working with a barrow, he dropped it so that one of the teeth went through his brother Frank's hand, inflicting a very painful wound.

Prof. Robert Jonas, who has been spending the summer in eastern Oregon, returned home last week. He and Robert Peachey have gone to the neighborhood of Mt. Pitt, to look after Mr. Peachey's interests.

A. Boardman came out last Saturday after seed oats, and remained over Sunday at the Sunny Side. He seems to think that stock in the Big Butte section will do extra well this year, as the feed is above an average.

Thomas Hart, assistant foreman of the Fish Lake Ditch Co., was here last Sunday, and reports that

absence of a year employed in a factory at Grants Pass.

The last spring seeding is being done and plowing summer-fallowing is being commenced in earnest.

Miss Cress Askew, of Grants Pass, is paying her aunt Mrs. Sam Godfrey, and family, an extended social visit.

Jack Frost made his unwelcome appearance in our section Friday night and killed the early potatoes and thinned the early fruit considerably.

C. A. Dickson, our next county recorder, accompanied by Mr. Walker, of the well-known marble works of Medford, paid us a very pleasant call Monday, on business.

We are glad to announce the good health of grandpa and grandma Myers, two of the oldest pioneer citizens of the county. Grandpa is 90 and grandma 88 years old.

Owing to the busy and limited time the farmers have had with their seeding, Table Rock precinct is considerably behind in the very important matter of registering.

R. R. Cleveland, of Medford, made us a pleasant call Sunday. He reports their household is all cheer over the advent of a bouncing girl baby at their home on April 17th.

The directors of Mountain district are much delighted with their teacher, Miss Micky, of Medford, in the efficient management of their school. The daily attendance is increasing with the small children, as the weather is now favorable.

Table Rock, like the picture in the water, looks prettier from this side than any other, being carpeted with many beautiful wild flowers of the richest fragrance and the trees are clothed again in the rich foliage.

We are sorry to chronicle the very sad illness of our worthy post-office deputy, Mrs. M. A. Houston, or "grandma" as she is more familiarly known, to her wide circle of friends, being prostrated with a severe attack of pneumonia fever. Dr. Chisholm, of Gold Hill, is in attendance.

The Best Family Salve.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel gives instant relief from Burns, Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Eczema, Tetter and all abrasions of the skin. In buying Witch Hazel Salve it is only necessary to see that you get the genuine DeWitt's and a cure is certain. There are many cheap counterfeits on the market, all of which are worthless, and quite a few are dangerous, while DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is perfectly harmless and cures. Sold by Chas. Strang, druggist.

Agate Items.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gregor were trading at Central Point Saturday.

Miss Lillie Hewes spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents in Medford.

Ed. Cingcaid, who has been quite ill with typhoid fever, is convalescent.

John Biggam and his daughter, Miss Mary, were trading in Medford Saturday.

Miss Lottie Kincaid was over from Central Point Sunday, visiting her parents.

We are glad to hear that Miss Grace Gibbons is meeting with so much success in her vocation.

Mr. and Mrs. Biggam spent Sunday with Miss Maud Stinson, who has been quite ill, but is now on the road to recovery.

Master Loren Gregory and his sisters, Misses Cora and Gracie, were the guests of Carl and Elsie Beebe Sunday evening.

C. C. Bunch, of Dry creek, was visiting relatives in Agate. He reports the district school progress

Men of Oak

Timbers of oak keep the old homestead standing through the years. It pays to use the right stuff.

"Men of oak" are men in rugged health, men whose bodies are made of the soundest materials.

Childhood is the time to lay the foundation for a sturdy constitution that will last for years.

Scott's Emulsion is the right stuff.

Scott's Emulsion stimulates the growing powers of children, helps them build a firm foundation for a sturdy constitution.

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No. 212—40 acres adjoining city limits. One 7-room house and one 3-room house. Small barn and a good cellar under house. All fenced. Small orchard, all varieties of fruit. Price \$1700; one-half cash, the balance on time at 8 per cent. interest.

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Headquarters for Real Estate
Headquarters on "E" Street, Between Fifth and Sixth

ing nicely under the efficient management of Miss Ada Ditsworth.

We are glad to state that Mr. Gibbons and his sister, Mrs. Reynolds, who have been having very poor health for some time past, are convalescent.

A Great Sensation.
There was a big sensation in Leesville, Ind., when W. H. Brown of that place, who was expected to die, had his life saved by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. He writes: "I endured insufferable agonies from Asthma, but your New Discovery gave me immediate relief and soon thereafter effected a complete cure." Similar cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis and Grip are numerous. It's the peerless remedy for all throat and lung troubles. Price, 50c, and \$1.00. Guaranteed by Chas. Strang, druggist. Trial bottles free.

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The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough, Croup and LaGrippe because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. One Minute Cough Cure is pleasant to take and it is good alike for young and old. Sold by Chas. Strang.

Probate Court.
Estate of John Holton. E. C. Payne, S. J. Evans and J. C. Smith appointed appraisers. Total value of property appraised at \$1750.00. Estate of John Woods. Hearing continued until May 9, 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Estate of M. McErlain. Order appointing Lydia M. McErlain guardian of Esther M. McErlain, a minor.
Estate of Hiram Hiday. Order of continuance.

Estate of W. H. Atkinson. Order confirming sale of real estate.
Estate of Mary Cameron. Theo. Cameron appointed administrator of said estate and John F. Miller, Frank Kassebafer and E. F. Hubert appointed appraisers.

Estate and guardianship of Charles, Newton and Dora Hoffman, minors. Order for sale of real estate.
Estate and guardianship of Maud, Minnie and Glad Gaines. License to sell real estate.
Estate of Pearl Gaines. Order of sale of real estate.

Estate of Wm. H. Atkinson. Fifth report of executor.
Estate of Michael Riggs. Order admitting will to probate and appointing administrator with will annexed.

Estate of Giles Wells. Semi-annual account of administrator.
Estate of Johanna Bleecher. Appraised value of real estate \$3786.00; personal, \$650.50; total, \$4436.50.

A Thoughtful Man.
M. M. Austin, of Winchester, Ind., knew what to do in the hour of need. His wife had such an unusual case of stomach and liver trouble, physicians could not help her. He thought of and tried Dr. King's New Life Pills and she got relief at once and was finally cured. Only 25c at Chas. Strang's drug store.

GUARDIAN'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN PURSUANCE of an order of sale of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Jackson County, made on the 11th day of April, 1904, in the matter of the estate of Pearl Gaines, deceased, the undersigned, F. M. Stewart, administrator of said estate, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, subject to confirmation by said Court, on

SATURDAY, MAY 21, 1904, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the premises, situate in Jackson County, at Medford, Oregon, all the right title and interests of the said decedent, in and to the following described property, situate in Jackson County, Oregon, to-wit:

An undivided one hundred and thirty-second interest in and to the following: Beginning at a point on the west boundary line of d. l. c. No. 56, to 37 a. r. 2 w. W. M., 17.59 chains south of the northwest corner of said claim, running thence east 37.12 chains to the division line between the east and west halves of said claim, thence south along said line 8.75 chains, thence west 37.14 chains to the west boundary of said claim, thence north along said line 8.75 chains to the place of beginning, containing 32.47 acres.

Also an undivided one-eleventh interest in and to lot 6, in section 25, and lot 5, in section 26, to 37 a. r. 2 w. W. M.

Also an undivided one-eleventh interest in and to lot 7, in block 52, in the town of Medford.

The terms and conditions of said sale are as follows: The first described parcel of land to be sold for 10 per cent. cash, the balance to be paid in annual payments to suit purchaser, said payments to be secured by mortgage, and interest annually at 7 per cent. per annum. The balance of said property to be sold for cash, payable on confirmation of the sale.

Dated at Medford, Oregon, April 22, 1904.
F. M. STEWART,
Administrator of said estate.

SERIOUS Stomach Trouble Cured.
I was troubled with a distress in my stomach, sour stomach and vomiting spells, and can truthfully say that Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cured me.—MRS. T. V. WILLIAMS, Laingsburg, Mich. These tablets are guaranteed to cure every case of stomach trouble of this character. For sale by Chas. Strang.

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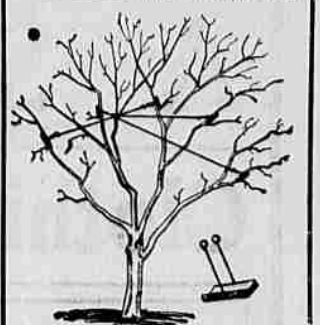
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F. M. STEWART,
Guardian of said minors.

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Ev. Medford	11:45 p. m.	11:30 a. m.
Ar. Ashland	12:55 a. m.	12:35 p. m.
Ar. Sacramento	5:10 p. m.	5:00 a. m.
Ar. San Francisco	7:45 p. m.	8:45 a. m.
Garden	4:55 a. m.	7:00 a. m.
Denver	9:30 a. m.	9:15 a. m.
Kansas City	7:55 a. m.	7:25 a. m.
Chicago	7:45 a. m.	8:30 p. m.
Ar. Los Angeles	2:30 p. m.	3:30 p. m.
Ar. El Paso	6:00 p. m.	3:01 p. m.
Ar. Fort Worth	6:30 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
Ar. City of Mexico	11:30 a. m.	1:25 p. m.
Ar. Houston	7:00 p. m.	9:00 a. m.
Ar. New Orleans	6:54 p. m.	6:38 p. m.
Ar. Washington	6:42 p. m.	7:25 p. m.
Ar. New York	12:10 p. m.	12:10 p. m.

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—Miss. HICKA, Medford, Oregon, S. J.

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they are now principally engaged in putting up the flumes on Yank-y creek, Antelope and Dry creeks. He and another man floated 5000 feet of lumber down the ditch last week, from the neighborhood of Lake creek, to where they are putting in the flumes.

Mr. Aiken, who was at Central Point a short time since, for the purpose of having his thumb treated by Dr. Cole, which was considerably injured by the running of a briar into it, stopped over night at the Sunny Side on his return home. He is preparing a folder, giving a description of the route via Prosp et to Crater lake, describing some of the beautiful scenery along the route, and the advantages of traveling it.

On Monday morning of last week your correspondent was unexpectedly called on to go to Prospect, for the purpose of bringing out Stanford Aiken, son of S. S. Aiken, who had his leg broken by a kick from a horse; but on my arrival he found the little boy resting quite easy. Dr. Officer arrived in a short time and placed splints on the fracture, when it was decided not to move the patient. Found the roads in a very bad condition. Stock has done fine in that section this winter, and feed is good at this time of the year. Those living on the route are making great preparations for a rush over the road for Crater Lake and the Fort Klamath country.

Prof. J. C. Barnard and Miss Clara Richardson closed their school at this place last Friday. The school children gave an entertainment here last Thursday night, mention of which was made in THE MAIL last week. The different parts were performed by the pupils in fine style, showing that the teachers understood their business, and had taken great pains in preparing their pupils for the occasion. Prof. Barnard moved his family to their home in Central Point last Saturday, and on last Monday opened up school in the Betz district, Miss Clara Richardson going to Klamath Falls last Friday to commence school in that neighborhood on the 25th. Our board of directors very wisely elected the same teachers for our school next fall and winter, and the result is, there is general rejoicing among the children as well as the parents.

"I have used Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets with most satisfactory results," says Mrs. F. L. Phelps, Houston, Texas. For indigestion, biliousness and constipation these tablets are most excellent. Sold by Chas. Strang.

Beagle Items.

By J. G. MARTIN.
A. D. Houston, our rustling district clerk, and family were trading in Medford Thursday.

Prof. Thos. Wilhite is convalescent from a siege of measles. Dr. Chisholm was in attendance.

Mrs. Baily Houston, of Applegate, was in our section three days in the past week, on business. Joseph Hall, Jr., has returned to his home on Rogue river, after an