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## OUR COUNTY Correspondents

### Engle Point Eaglets.

BY A. C. HOWLETT.

Born—In Engle Point, May 23, 1905, to Mr. and Mrs. Ora Bellows, a son, Leroy Smith had the misfortune to cut his foot quite badly last week, while cutting wood for next winter's use.

Young & Harris are pushing their work of getting the lumber out for the railroad bridge across Little Butte creek.

There was quite a number of our old veterans went to Medford last Tuesday, to attend the decoration exercises.

The farmers are already taking advantage of the lumber yard that Lee & Freely have established here, as the lumber is in great demand.

The Medford & Crater Lake Railroad Company have a force of men cutting out the right-of-way on the banks of Little Butte creek and vicinity. They seem to be pushing the work right along.

Mr. Wolfer, of Medford, came out last Monday, to look after his strawberries. He gathered over one hundred gallons—counting five cups to the gallon. He disposed of quite a large amount here and took the rest to Medford Tuesday morning.

A. J. Bish, of Medford, while driving a span of mules in company with Decatur Davis, of Jacksonville, became excited as the mules acted a little frisky and he jumped out of the back, leaving the back and its contents to the mercy of the mules; but fortunately no special damage was done, as the mules soon had their run out and quieted down.

Our new smiths are giving general satisfaction and are talking of putting up another forge, for they are already having about all the work they can do on one forge and as they become better known and the work increases, as it is bound to, as the teaming and harvesting season comes on, they will probably have to enlarge their shop.

The band boys are getting along fine with their hours, etc., and the prospect is that we will soon have an Engle Point band that will compare favorably with any of the bands in the valley. The benefit ball to be given this (Friday) evening, for the purpose of helping to pay for the instruments will likely be largely attended, as there has already been a number of tickets sold at this writing, Monday.

G. W. Owings, who is living on the Morrow place, brought down a sample of his oats to show which measured five feet and seven inches in length and he says that he has several acres of it. I asked him to send in a bunch to the exposition building at Medford and he said he would, but by what would grow on sticky. He says he will have more hay on the place this year than was ever raised there before.

We came near having a very serious difficulty in our usually quiet neighborhood last week. M. S. Wood, one of our quiet and highly respected citizens, had leveled down a place for a flume, so that he could run the water from the main Frey ditch to his garden, alongside the tract of land belonging to a woman who keeps the place to rent, and she objected to his doing so and one word brought on another until she finally threw a stone, weighing about two pounds, at him, barely missing his head, but by a lucky move he dodged just in time to save himself from being badly hurt.

Miss Clara B. Richardson, the young lady who taught the primary department of our school last winter and who was badly wanted by eighty per cent of the voters and ninety-nine per cent of the patrons and all of the

# Bowser Joins a Club

Is Elected a Member of the Unsophisticated Innocents and Thinks It a Great Honor but Returns Sorry Plight.

[Copyright, 1905, by T. C. McClure.]  
**H**ERE is something that came for you by mail this afternoon," said Mrs. Bowser as she handed Mr. Bowser an official envelope when he came up to dinner the other evening. "I hope you have not been drawn on a jury again."  
 Mr. Bowser opened the envelope with great deliberation and at once commenced to grow dignified. He drew himself up, swelled out his chest, and when Mrs. Bowser asked what the communication was he loftily replied: "I have rather been expecting the honor, but didn't know exactly when it would come."  
 "So you have been honored?"  
 "I call it an honor, indeed. This is to notify me that I have been elected a member of the Unsophisticated Innocent club and that I am expected to appear there this evening and make a few remarks and pay the first quarter's dues."

"The what kind of club?"  
 "The Unsophisticated Innocents."  
 "Some one is playing a joke on you. No club of any standing ever took such a name as that."  
 "My dear woman, no one ever attempts to joke with me," replied Mr. Bowser as he folded his arms across his breast and thought of Napoleon crossing the Alps. "The U. I. club, as I happen to know, is composed of artists, poets, authors and statesmen, and

and into a chair, and under the gaslight she saw that he had been weeping. That was not all. His hat and gloves and cane were gone. He had been rolled in the dust, and one coat tail was missing. His trousers were torn and the buttons ripped off his vest, and no man could have looked more dilapidated.  
 "Well?" she queried after giving him a long looking over.  
 "It was just as you said," he replied as the tears started afresh.  
 "You mean that the Unsophisticated Innocents were a lot of jokers?"  
 "Yes, I was in a room over a saloon, and they—they joked with me. Mrs. Bowser, I was never so insulted in my life. I would have given a thousand dollars to get home, but they wouldn't let me. When I wanted to go, they rolled me on the floor. Think of it, Mrs. Bowser, rolling me, your loving husband, Mr. Bowser, on the floor!"

"Didn't I tell you it was all a fake?"  
 "Yes, you did, but I didn't believe you. I thought you didn't know anything. Oh, it was awful, Mrs. Bowser—perfectly awful. They asked me to get up and speak, and when I rose they pelted me with onions and taters and yelled me down. Think of their hitting me on my bald head with a tater!"  
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Mrs. Bowser said no more until dinner was over, while Mr. Bowser's dignity and pomposity seemed to grow with every minute. Before the meal was concluded it was plain that he looked upon her as very small potatoes.  
 "And so you mean to go to this Unsophisticated thing this evening?" she queried as they passed upstairs.  
 "Please give the club its title or do not mention it at all," he sternly replied.

"But you are going?"  
 "Of course I'm going. You might as well ask if I would take the office of president of the United States if elected. He kind enough to lay out my dress suit."  
 "And you—you are sure about it?"  
 "Sure about what?"  
 "That this is a nice club and that this letter is not a joke. That title makes me feel that—that!"

"Madam, are you getting daff all at once? You have but to ask the first man you meet to learn that the Unsophisticated Innocents are men of the highest standing. Joke with me! Joke with me! Bowser! Do I look like a man to take liberties with? You seem to have queer ideas about things."  
 No more was said, and half an hour later Mr. Bowser came downstairs in his dress suit and prepared to go out.  
 "Do you expect to be called on for a few remarks?" she asked as he was drawing on his gloves.  
 "Certainly. I shall make an address from twenty minutes to half an hour in length. They may not be satisfied with one, but want two or three of them."

"And are you prepared at such short notice?"  
 "I am always prepared to make an address, deliver a lecture or get off a speech. You seem to forget who I am. Don't sit up for me. It may be daylight before I return. What the devil is that old wail-eyed cat looking at me in that way?"  
 The cat had been taking a nap under the lounge and had come out to see Mr. Bowser in his dress suit. The look complained of was one of comic horror, but there was no club handy, and she escaped punishment. When Mr. Bowser had departed the feline turned to Mrs. Bowser, and, though no words were uttered, she was understood to say:

"Now, what we want to do is to get ready for high old jinks. 'Twas the Unsophisticated Innocent comes home, you'll hear things creek!"  
 Mrs. Bowser did not go to bed. At midnight, as she sat reading her book, she heard a great shuffling and suppressed laughter on the doorstep, and as she opened the door three men ran away and Mr. Bowser lurched in. She assisted him along to the sitting room

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Turk and Greek Soldiers Fighting.  
 Salencia, May 20.—Fighting has been going on since Wednesday between Turkish troops and a large Greek band near Baalika. Reinforcements of three hundred men and two guns proceeded there yesterday.

Just What Every One Should Do.  
 Mr. J. T. Barber of Irwinville, Ga., always keeps a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand ready for instant use. Attacks of colic, cholera morbus and diarrhoea come on so suddenly that there is no time to hunt a doctor or go to the store for medicine. Mr. Barber says: "I have tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which is one of the best medicines I ever saw. I keep a bottle of it in my room as I have had several attacks of colic and it has proved to be the best medicine I ever used." Sold by Charles Strang.

Tautology.  
 Teacher—What is tautology? Boy—Repetition. Teacher—Give me an example. Boy—We are going to have sheep's head for dinner, and my sister Elsie's young man is coming to dinner Elsie. Teacher—Go up top.

CITATION.  
 IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY.  
 MARY A. LAWTON, Executrix of the Estate of George W. Isaacs, deceased.  
 George W. Isaacs, William F. Isaacs, Marie E. Isaacs, Charles W. Isaacs, Frank S. Isaacs, Lillian Agnes Isaacs, To George W. Isaacs, William F. Isaacs, Marie E. Isaacs, Charles W. Isaacs, Frank S. Isaacs and Lillian Agnes Isaacs, the above named defendants.

THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON and by an order of the above entitled court made on the 20th day of April A. D. 1905, you and each of you are hereby cited and required to appear in the county court of Jackson County, Oregon, on Monday the 28th day of May A. D. 1905 at ten o'clock a. m. of that day, then and there to show cause, if any there be, why an order should not be made by said court for the sale of the above named real property belonging to said estate and situate in the counties of Jackson and Clatsop and State of Oregon, to-wit:

(1) The west half of the south west quarter of section 27 and the east half of section 25 in township 35 south of range two west of the Willamette Meridian in Jackson County, Oregon, containing 160 acres;  
 (2) The south east quarter of section 8 in township 37 south of range west of the Willamette Meridian in Jackson County, state of Oregon, containing 160 acres, subject however to a lien for deed on said property given to Garrett Bros.;  
 (3) Contract and bond for deed with D. H. Soler, for purchase of west half of section 8 in township 35 south of range 1 west of the Willamette Meridian in Jackson County, Oregon, containing 200 acres;  
 (4) Commencing at a point situated 9.63 chains south and 8.88 chains west of the corner of the north east quarter of the north east quarter of section 25 in township 37 south of range 2 west of the Willamette Meridian in Jackson County, Oregon, containing 160 acres; thence east 4.62 chains; thence south 4.62 chains; thence east 4.62 chains; thence north 4.62 chains to the place of beginning, containing 160 acres, more or less, subject however to a right of way 12 feet in width across the east side thereof;

(5) The south east quarter of the south west quarter and lot number four of section seven, the north east quarter of the north west quarter and lot number one of section seven, all in the east one-half of the north west quarter, the north east quarter of the south west quarter and lot number two of section seven, all in township forty-one, south of range fourteen west of the Willamette Meridian in Klamath County, Oregon, containing 250 acres, more or less;

Make me thereof as may be required to pay all claims and charges against said estate and the expenses of administration thereof, in the manner as prescribed for in the petition of said Executrix now on file in said court.

WITNESS the Hon. Geo. W. Dunn Judge of the County Court of Jackson County, state of Oregon, with the seal of said court adjudged the 20th day of April A. D. 1905.  
 Geo. W. Dunn, Clerk of said Court by E. J. Urby, Deputy.

SUMMONS.  
 In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, in and for Jackson County.  
 Lily Spohn, Plaintiff, vs. Paul Spohn, Defendant.  
 Spohn, Defendant.  
 IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you, for the above entitled suit on or before the last day of the month prescribed in the order for publication of summons—on or before the 28th day of June 1905, and if you fail to so appear and answer for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for a decree in favor of the plaintiff as prayed for in the petition of which is as follows, to-wit:—For a decree of the court dissolving the contract of marriage existing between plaintiff and defendant, and decreeing that the plaintiff have exclusive care and custody of the two minor children of said plaintiff and defendant, and for such other, further and different relief as to the Court shall seem proper.

This summons is published in The Medford Mail by the order of the Hon. J. K. Hanna, Judge of the above titled court, which order was made and entered on the 19th day of May, 1905, and the day of the first publication hereof is the 21st day of May, 1905.  
 MARION PURVIS, Attorney for plaintiff.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.  
 The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Administrator with the will annexed to the Estate of James Harvey, late of Jackson County, Oregon, deceased.  
 All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned at his office, at the First National Bank Bldg. Medford, Oregon, within ninety days of the date hereof. Dated this first day of June, A. D. 1905.  
 M. J. ALFORD, Administrator of the Estate of James Harvey, deceased.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.  
 Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 12th day of May, 1905, duly appointed by the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, administrator of the estate of David W. Loring, late of Jackson County, Oregon, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same, duly verified, within six months from the date hereof, and if any persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate are requested to call at my office, in Jacksonville, Oregon, on or before the 15th day of May, 1905.  
 W. M. COLVIN, Administrator of the estate of David W. Loring, deceased.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.  
 Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final account of the administration of the estate of Pearl Gaines, deceased, in the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, and that the Hon. George W. Dunn, Judge of said Court, has ordered that the same shall be heard on June 21, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m. on said day, and that this notice be published in The Medford Mail, a newspaper of general circulation in said Jackson County, as required by the statute.  
 Dated this 1st day of May, 1905.  
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## A Few Little Laughs.

Flannery—It seems his full name is "Dinnis R. K. Casey." What's all this K's for?  
 Finnegan—Notin'. 'Twas the fault of his godfather stuttrin' when he tried to say "Dinnis Casey."  
 Mistress—If you want eggs to keep they must be laid in a cool place.  
 Bridget—O'll mention it to the hens at wast, mum.  
 Jorkins—My dear, I wish you wouldn't sing that song about "Falling Dew."  
 Mrs. J.—Why not?  
 Jorkins—It reminds me too much of the house rent.  
 Nice Old Lady—Will you kindly tell me if the lady who writes "The Mothers' Page" every week in your paper is in? I have enjoyed her articles on the "Evening Hour in the Nursery."  
 Office Boy—That's him over there with the pink shirt smoking.

## Increase of Salaries.

Washington, May 20.—The following changes in the salaries of California postmasters under annual readjustment were announced yesterday: Antioch, from \$1200 to \$1400; Chico, from \$2400 to \$2500; Colton, from \$1600 to \$1700; Anaheim, from \$1500 to \$1600; Bishop, from \$1200 to \$1300; Cloverdale, from \$1400 to \$1500.

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